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MAUD MULLER HERE

And Will Be Presented At Ulman's Opera House To-Night. Popular Old Pastoral Play With A Charm All Its Own.

There is always a fascination about the story of an unequal match. In the drama of "Maud Muller" we are enabled to see what "might have been" and the good old quaker poet suffered his learned Judge and his modest meadow raking damsel come together as young people generally do in this prosaic world of ours. And the play is no experiment, for it's talented star, "Genevieve Rogers" permanently died.

The comedy "Maud Muller" tells a story necessarily different from Whittier's touching verses, for in the drama the Judge, here called Rhenbush Wayne, weds the pretty haymaker, and after keeping her at a hool several years takes her to his grand home. But the marriage proves a failure for the time, a result due to the machinations of the Judge's haughty sister, Theodora. So poor little Maud, thinking her august spouse is ashamed of his rustic bride, steals away, and hides herself in the home of a backwood poet, Nate Harpin, in the woods of Maine. However, without telling how it came about, in the end, "A manly form at her side she saw, And joy was duty and love was law."

The plot is not unlike that of Hazel Kirke, or Minnie Maddern's comedy, "Caprice," but the characters, incidents, and situations are essentially different, and it possesses much more humor. A select and excellent company has been secured for the present production, among whom may be named Beulah Thompson for the name part; Marie Davis as the mother of Maud; Esther Farquharson as Theodora; Charles Mylott as the Judge; L. D. Blouddell as the backwoods poet and Seth Smith as Farmer Muller.

"Maud Muller" is announced for Saturday, February 4th. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Unclaimed Letters.

Miss Fannie Brittingham, Miss Mary P. Cooper, W. R. Disharoon, Mr. C. C. Fields, Mr. H. G. Pogle, Mrs. Marie B. Falberger, Mr. Joseph George, Mr. Willie Hill, Mr. W. P. Johnson, Mrs. Jennie B. Maddox, Mrs. Mary C. Morris, Mrs. William Maldon, Cary S. Mitchell, Mr. Ulman Owens, Mr. E. Gilbert O'Connor, Mr. B. G. Perdue, Miss Cora Porter, Miss Sadie Powell, Mrs. M. M. Ruffin, Mrs. Beopold Strasse, Mrs. Mahala Smith, Mr. Jeff Tilghman, Willard Walter, Rev. A. K. Travis, Mrs. Daisy Towl-vine, Miss Irma Wimbrow.

TO VIRGINIA POINTS.

Salisbury Given Opportunity By Diamond State Telephone Company To Communicate With Virginia Points At Reduced Rates.

The Diamond State Telephone Company, which owns the Atlantic & Onancock Telephone Companies of Virginia, operating lines to the following places, namely:

Accomack C. H. Va., Atlantic, Assawoman, Almshouse, Bloxom, Bull-begger, Bloomtown, Cashville, Chesconnessex, Dougherty, Evans' Wharf, Finney, Grape, Groton, Gorgatha, Hallwood, Hopkins, Horntown, Horsey, Hunting Creek, Jenkins Bridge, Locustville, Locust Mount, Lee Mount, Mappsville, Marsh Market, Metompin, Modestown, Melfa, Mesongo, Mears, New Church, Nelsonia, Oak Hall, Oak Hall R. R. Sta., Onancock, Onley, Parkley, Poulson, Rue, Savageville, Sanford, Silva, Sinnamon, Saxs Island, Tasley, Temperanceville, Wachapreague, Wisharts, wishes to announce that on and after February 1st, 1905 they will give to their patrons in Virginia from the above named points, the advantage of a reduced rate to Salisbury, Md.

This change is made from the fact, that they have no telephone connection with Pocomoke City, being unable to obtain a franchise from that town, and for the purpose of giving their subscribers a commercial centre that will be able to supply their needs as well as Pocomoke City.

We understand that the freight and express rates are the same, from Salisbury, as they are from Pocomoke City, and as the Telephone Company has figured out a rate that would apply to Pocomoke City, if we had that connection, this rate can be used to apply to all Salisbury communications, named above. The business men of this city will no doubt quickly take advantage of the situation and reach southward for some of the good old Virginia trade.

Hicks' Forecasts for February.

The first regular storm period for the month is central on the 3rd, covering the 1st to the 6th. "Oh," says the cynical man, "you allow yourself plenty of time and all the country." Yes sir, that's just what we do. Long ago we discovered that it is best to take things as we find them, and we doggedly, but reverently went about finding out the causes—the why.

During a storm period the first thing to be expected is a change to warmer in western parts of the country. The barometer begins to fall at the same time and in the same sections. These conditions begin to move eastward and cloudiness soon appears over wide areas, followed by precipitation and storminess. By the central day of the period storm areas, as a rule, are clearly developed and well on their march eastward into more central parts of the country. During the last half of the period storm perturbations reach their culminating stages in regions along the great central valleys, and through the regions eastward toward the Atlantic.

Now, if these things are so, why should we stuffy ourselves and God's facts by allowing ourselves less time and only circumscribed localities?

Not only are these things true, but nature begs no man's pardon and has her own way. Before the change to warmer with falling barometer and rain or snow have completed their march eastward, the barometer is rising in the west, storms have assumed the guise of cold waves and blizzards ending in clearing and very cold weather westward, often before the first stages of the storm period reach the eastern extremes of our continent—and all these within the limits of a regular storm period.

A progressive warm wave with falling barometer will appear first; cloudiness with rain, turning to snow will follow and these attended with more or less storminess, will pass central to eastern parts of the country from about the 3rd to the 5th. Meantime a high barometer with winter winds and change to much colder will be rushing on from western and northwestern sections in due time and regular order to displace the storm areas and spread to eastern extremes.

By the 8th and 9th all the foregoing phenomena of the first storm period will have nearly or quite disappeared, except the cold in eastern states.

Change to warmer and falling barometer, followed by return to cloudiness and rain and snow will again be advancing from western parts. On touching the 8th and 9th look for rains, with electrical storms probable especially southward. As these conditions move out of the way to the eastward high barometer, cold winds with squalls of snow and clearing weather will follow progressively to the eastward.

The next storm period is central on the 14th, extending from the 12th to the 16th. The passage of regular winter storm conditions, from west to east in progressive order, may be counted on at this period. First, February rains, turning to snow and sleet squalls winding up with rising barometer and cold wave.

The 19th, 20th and 21st will bring

THE HARDEST WINTER

Since '56, Vouched For By The Older Generations. Snow Far Ahead Of Average Fall. Ground Hog Theory Would Indicate More Yet.

Another fall of so many inches snow Monday added to the paralyzing effect of last week's blizzard and now country roads are well high impassable, commerce being almost at a standstill. The Chesapeake Bay and tributaries are entirely closed to navigation and not a single steamer entered Baltimore harbor Thursday or Friday.

Locally there is no recollection of a more severe season than this has been with the exception of 1856 which still lingers in the grim memory of some of our historians as the one hard winter. Outside of this, 1904-05 will easily pass on record in point of cold and snow as the worst since that terrible winter.

Yesterday morning the thermometers in Salisbury were but little above zero, it having blown intensely cold in a few hours.

The West and Northwest have been gripped with the keenest cold, mercury ranging to as far as 45 below zero in several of the exposed states.

To add to the past, believers in the ground hog theory will prophecy six more weeks of real winter weather before the icy mantle is removed.

If the ground hog did not see his shadow Thursday it was because he overstepped himself or had become blind; but judging from the renewed vigor which winter acquired throughout the country the timid little animal emerged from his burrow very early in the day, saw his shadow and ducked back for six weeks more of slumber.

Last winter was severe as far as cold weather went, but for snow this winter is a record breaker. The average fall for the year in this section is twenty inches, but thus far this season thirty two and one quarter inches have already fallen, and the incident of the ground hog Thursday morning is a chilly suggestion that the end is not yet.

Plan for Reading Class in Salisbury

H. S. Beginning February 4.

The teachers of Wicomico County have received the following circular letter from Superintendent Bonds:

"In fulfillment of the promise made at the last Teachers' Institute a class will be formed to take up the subject of 'Reading and How to Teach It,' introducing the Synthetic Phonetic Word Method' and other methods beginning Saturday, February 4th, at 9 a. m., in one of the rooms of the Salisbury High School, and will meet every Saturday morning thereafter until the course is completed. The length of the course will depend upon the amount of time given each Saturday to the subject, and this may be definitely settled at the first meeting of the class.

For reasons it is not necessary to give, every one who expects to take the course must be present the first day. If there is sufficient demand for it a Saturday afternoon class will be formed. A liberal response from the teachers will be necessary in order to guarantee the formation of either of these classes.

"The work of this special class will be in charge of Miss Ada Louise Scott, principal of the Primary Grades of the Salisbury High School and teacher of one of the divisions of the First Grade. The character of the work done by Miss Scott is already known to most of our teachers. In addition to her regular Normal training school course she has taken a special course in reading at the Knoxville University, and has had 5 years' experience in handling the subject in the schoolroom.

"The cost of the course will be \$2.50 and probably less, owing to the size of the class."

Doward-Baker.

Miss Annie Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baker, of Salisbury, Md., was married to Mr. Arthur Doward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doward, of Jersey City, formerly of Salisbury, on January 29th, 1905. Their future home will be in Jersey City.

THE CRYSTAL WEDDING

Of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams The Occasion Of Royal Entertainment For A Host Of Friends Who Are Honored.

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams was the scene of a joyous occasion last Monday evening when nearly two hundred guests assembled to extend congratulations and best wishes to the genial host and charming hostess. The home was handsomely and elaborately decorated throughout, the color scheme being pink and green. The parlor was artistic with tropical plants and pink carnations as the principle decorations. The subdued pink lights from candelabras and chandeliers greatly enhanced the grace and attractions of the receiving party who stood in line in this room. Those who assisted Mr. and Mrs. Williams were Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Tull, Mrs. William B. Crosby, Baltimore, Md., Miss Belle B. Brown, Cripple Creek, Col., Mr. and Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett.

After leaving the parlor the guests were received in the library by Mesdames E. Riall White, George R. Collier, Robert G. Evans. The banquet room was a veritable dream of beauty. Over the magnificent serving table a marriage bell of choice flowers was suspended. A massive rose jar filled with exquisite pink roses and asparagus fern covered the entire center of the table, while the outer border decorations were cut glass candelsticks holding pink candles, furnishing a mellow light, giving an unusual pretty effect. Miss Mamie Gillis, Gladys Moore, Emma Williams, Nettie Evans, and Eva Catlin acted as serving maids and nothing was left undone for the pleasure and comfort of the company. Mrs. James O. Wilson presided at the coffee urn. The winks were the choicest and the manner in which they were served could not have been excelled.

Mrs. J. Leo Burkart of Grand Rapids, Mich., a harpist of note and a leading mezzo contralto in one of the large churches of Grand Rapids, rendered a vocal solo, "Protestations," which was enthusiastically received. Mrs. Homer M. Trussell also sang a solo, and with Mrs. Burkart rendered the always beautiful Verdis, "Home to our Mountain." As an encore the ladies sang "Holy Mother Guide his footsteps."

The presents consisted of exquisite cut glass and fine china, numerous and beautiful, testifying the love and esteem in which the happy recipients are held. The gowns worn by the ladies were charming and elegant and the gentlemen appeared in full dress suits. Messrs. Kennerly and White's orchestra was stationed in the hall and dispersed excellent music during the reception.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following named examinations will be held in Salisbury, Md., on the date indicated, March 15, 1905:

Acting assistant surgeon, aid coast and geodetic survey, assistant inspector of boilers, assistant inspector of hulls, assistant topographer, computer, nautical almanac office, computer, naval observatory, deck officer, coast and geodetic survey, draftsman; architectural, copyist topographic, engineer, heating and ventilating, hull, junior architectural, land office, topographic, electrical engineer and draftsman, engineering and hydrographic, aid, immigrant inspector, kindergarten teacher, law clerk, local inspector of boilers, local inspector of hulls, matron, meat inspector, physician Indian service, teacher Philippine service, translator.

—Twenty five horses and mules for sale from \$60 up. J. T. Taylor, Jr., Princess Anne, Md.

NINE MEN LOST

Marshes Surrounding Deal's Island Is The Report, And Facing Death. Relief Boat Annapolis Sent To Their Aid.

News comes through the Baltimore Sun that nine men are lost in the marshes surrounding Deal's Island, Somerset county, in Tangier Sound, and are supposed to be facing death from cold and starvation.

According to a telegram received from N. W. Webster & Bro., Baltimore, the men, all of whom are oystermen, have been lost in the marshes for four days with nothing to eat, and the weather conditions, combined with the ice in the river, are such as to make it practically impossible for them to get out or for help to reach them.

Sub-treasurer A. Lincoln Dryden, who is from Somerset county, was informed about the terrible plight of the men and at once communicated with Mayor Timanus, who called a meeting of the Harbor Board, and arrangements were made for the iceboat Annapolis to leave at an early hour yesterday morning to attempt the rescue of the oystermen.

It is said that the men were caught in the marshes while working in their small boats and that the ice and current have prevented them from getting out, also keeping all help away from them. They have been sending up various signals of distress in the last two days, and considerable anxiety is felt as to whether the rescue will be in time to save their lives. It was expected that they would reach Deal's Island marshes about sundown.

It was arranged that Dr. Joseph S. Hart should accompany the party in case the services of a physician are needed.

Miss Gilbert Becomes The Bride Of An Easton Man.

The marriage of Miss Aylthea Virginia Gilbert and Mr. Lawrence Hall Chaffinch of Easton, Md., was quietly solemnized at the residence of Mr. C. L. Dickerson in this city on Saturday, January 8th, at 3 o'clock p. m. Rev. S. J. Smith of the M. P. Church officiated. The wedding march was played by Miss Helen Chaffinch of Easton, Md., sister of the groom. The bride was attended by Miss Ola Day, and Mr. A. Clark Gilbert of Baltimore, brother of the bride acted as best man.

The happy couple immediately after the ceremony took the train for Easton, Md., where after an extended bridal tour they will reside. The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Ida H. Gilbert of this city and the late Mr. David N. Gilbert, a prominent young minister of the Methodist Protestant Church, who died in her infancy. The groom is a well known and popular young business man of Easton, Md. The bride who is one of Salisbury's most beautiful girls wore a becoming blue traveling dress with hat and gloves to match and carried bride's roses.

The unexpected and recent resignation of Mr. James Z. Powell at Ocean City, has been at once duly provided for by the United States Government. The Post Office honors have fallen upon the shoulders of Mr. Edward M. Scott, who has been connected with the B. C. A. Railroad office for years, and is as well and favorably known as any one man on the beach. No one in the community would give the office more or better attention and the inhabitants of Ocean City have cause to feel gratified that the mantle has fallen upon one who is in every way deserving and worthy.

—We are offering great bargains in gentlemen's neckwear. 50 and 75 cent neckwear for 25 cents. Large assortment to select from. Remember for two weeks only. Lucy Thoroughgood.

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JACKSON-SMITH CONTEST GAINING INTEREST.

For several weeks yet the attention of active members of the Democratic and Republican parties will be engaged in securing political evidence to maintain their positions in the contest of Hon. Wm. H. Jackson to gain possession of the Congressional honors of Mr. Thomas A. Smith, returned elected in the First Maryland District.

Additional interest was given to the contest Thursday by the announcement that the ballot boxes in a number of the counties, notably Somerset and Worcester, where charges of fraud and trickery have been made by Mr. Jackson and vigorously denied by Mr. Smith, will be opened.

The taking of the testimony in behalf of Mr. Jackson was begun last week and will be continued on the following days and at the following places:

February 6—Prince George Anne, Somerset county.

February 7—Easton, Talbot county.

February 10—Cambridge, Dorchester county.

February 13—Centreville, Queen Anne's county, and Snow Hill, Worcester county.

The testimony is being taken before a jury public, and while Mr. Jackson's counsel, it is understood, will exert every effort to prove the sweeping charges made in his notice of contest filed in December, equally strong efforts will be put forth by Messrs Miles and Gorman, who are representing Congressman-elect Smith, not only to refute these charges, but to fasten upon Congressman Jackson the accusation of wholesale bribery in the Eastern Shore and the expenditure of an unprecedentedly large amount of money for corrupting the voters in the First Congressional District.

To this end, it is said, counsel for Mr. Smith propose to summon before notaries of the public various witnesses from the nine counties in the district for the purpose of having them testify as to the amount of money Mr. Jackson is alleged to have put up in each county. It is also said that the names of the executive committee through which, it is charged by Mr. Smith in his memorial or reply to the notice of contest, Mr. Jackson distributed his campaign fund will be given, together with the amount in each county.

The opening of the ballot boxes in such counties as Somerset and Worcester will be of interest to both Democratic and Republican politicians, as it will afford them the first opportunity of seeing just how well the illiterate negro voter, of whom there are large numbers in this section of the State, has been able to mark his ballot under the Wilson ballot law abolishing party denominations on the ticket, which was passed by the Legislature.

A Fund For Relief Of Poor And Suffering.

The cold and snowy weather of the past two weeks has brought suffering and distress among the poor of the city and on Monday a meeting which had been called by Mayor Harper was held by the citizens of Salisbury in connection with the Mayor and Council to provide aid for the suffering.

A committee consisting of the Mayor as chairman, and Messrs. L. W. Gunby and B. Frank Kennerly was appointed to solicit subscriptions from business men and others willing and able to lend a hand. Other committees were appointed by the Mayor for each part of the town to ascertain the number of needy families in their respective sections, these committees to investigate all cases and learn whether deserving or not. On investigation and distribution the following are serving:—H. H. Hitch and Clarence Brewington, City Councilmen; G. Edward Sirman, Wm. J. Johnson, Editha E. Twilley and Mr. Nichols. These committees have so far helped, it is estimated between 75 and 100 persons, but there are still others who might be helped. The mills and factories being shut down, owing to the extreme cold weather many people are thrown out of employment and in the event of a long continuation of these trying conditions, much more help will be needed. All contributions in money can be sent to Mayor Harper, as chairman of the Finance Committee; while contributions of any other nature such as provisions or articles of wear are to be given to any of the Relief Committees.

Five pairs of mules for sale. Price \$200. J. T. Taylor, Prince George Anne, Md.

A Number Of Deaths In The County.

Miss Julia Bradley.
Miss Julia Bradley died at her home in Baron Creek district Monday night of paralysis. A brother, Mr. W. C. J. Bradley and four sisters survive the deceased. They are Mrs. Alexine A. Mills, of Spring Hill; Mrs. Rufus Mills, of Baron Creek district; Mr. B. W. B. Adkins, of Salisbury, and Miss Mary Bradley, with whom the deceased resided on the family homestead.

Mr. George Johnson.
Mr. George Johnson, aged 72 years and one of the best known residents of Nutter's District, died about one o'clock Sunday morning after a short illness of grip, complicated with weakness of the heart.

Mr. George A. Downing.
Mr. George A. Downing, well known in Salisbury, died at the home of his daughter in Newark, Del., Sunday. Mr. Downing had been in rather feeble health for some time and the end came peacefully of a gradual breaking down of the system. Mr. Downing was 77 years of age and leaves five married daughters. His eldest daughter, Mrs. Durham, is a resident of Salisbury.

Mr. Downing was a native of Wicomico county, and in early life married Miss Martha Collier, sister of Dr. Levin D. Collier and Mrs. Louisa A. Graham of Salisbury. He was an uncle of Hon. H. James Messick of Nanticoke.

Ex-Sheriff Farlow.

Ex-Sheriff John W. Farlow, one of the best known residents of Parsons District died Sunday afternoon of Bright's disease, while seated in his chair, shortly after he had eaten his dinner. Mr. Farlow was about 55 years of age. In November 1893, he was elected sheriff of Wicomico county, which office also carried with it the collection of taxes for the county.

Mr. Farlow is survived by a widow and five children, two sons and three daughters. The widow is a daughter of Mr. Joseph Leonard and sister of Mrs. Clayton C. Parker.

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon, the interment being in Parsons Cemetery.

West Bound Train Wrecked Near Easton In Snow Bank.

The west bound passenger train on the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad which is due here at 3.18 p. m., was wrecked Monday afternoon within a quarter of a mile of Easton Station. The train, which consisted of an engine, baggage car, smoker and passenger coach, was on its way from Salisbury to Claiborne and as it neared the junction of the D. & C. road with the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad, which is just east of Easton, the speed of the train was slackened.

Suddenly one of the rails broke in 10 or 12 places, throwing the tender, baggage car and passenger coach off the track into a snowbank, upsetting them. The engine had managed to get over the rail and remained on the track.

The probable cause of the accident was that the rail was heavily charged with frost and the weight of the cars caused it to snap.

—Mr. Fred W. Carroll, of Hurlock, Md., announces in the Advertiser today an extensive public sale of real estate and personal property, including several farms, dwellings, stock, boat property, tools, threshing machine, saw mill and canning machinery, farming implements household and kitchen furniture. Liberal terms are offered. This is one of the largest sales of recent years. Mr. Carroll has arranged to move to the city with his family.

—The Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic will build a telegraph line from Love Point on the Queen Anne route to Easton, where they will tap their present line, and the train dispatcher's offices for both roads will be at Salisbury. It is said that Mr. George F. Sharpley will secure the position of train dispatcher for both the companies. He is at present train dispatcher for the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic.

—WANTED.—10 men in each state to travel, tack signs, and distribute samples and circulars of our goods. Salary \$75.00 per month. \$5.00 per day for expenses. KUHLEN CO., Dept. 8, Atlas Building, Chicago.

Ayer's

For coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, weak throats, weak lungs, consumption, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Cherry Pectoral

Always keep a bottle of it in the house. We have been saying this for 60 years, and so have the doctors.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for 40 years. It is the best medicine in the world. I know for all throat and lung troubles."—J. K. Norcross, Waltham, Mass.

Sole Agents, J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The Lungs

Daily action of the bowels is necessary. Aid nature with Ayer's Pills.

First Snow In Cuba.

The temperature in the small hours of Sunday morning was the lowest reached in Havana in many years, the mercury at the university marking 25 degrees. One of the most remarkable phenomena attending the cold snap was the arrival in port of an American vessel with snow still lying in sheltered parts of the deck, which had been drifted by the fierce wind in higher latitudes and remained unmelted. It is safe to say that this is the first recorded instance of snow seen in Cuba.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE Personal Property.

Having arranged to move with my family to the city March 1st, I will sell my entire interest in the personal property described as follows:

Wednesday, Feb. 15th,

at my residence in Hurlock, Maryland, beginning promptly at 10 o'clock a. m.

STOCK.
One barrel driving horse, "Blossom," ten years old, good driver; with, perfectly gentle, one gray mare, 9 years old, a good puller. One pair of mules, 8 and 9 years old, good break mules. One cow 4 years old. One cow 6 years old.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

Including one organ, good couch, one rubber-tire baby car, oak buffet, oak extension table, walnut bookcase, one oak bedroom suit, chairs, stands, carpeting, feather beds, mattresses, bedsteads and laddies, an office swinging chair, a 10 range, cock stove, four air tight heat stoves, a good number of oil lamps, one oil heater and two oil cook stoves, one 10 quart ice cream freezer, good, one chemical fire extinguisher, large lot of cooking utensils, dishes, etc., lot of lace, knives and forks, and 17 dozen good linen table napkins used at camp. In fact, our entire house keeping outfit.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

One top buggy, new; one buggy, no top; one 12 horse wagon, one horse wagon, one horse cart, one timber cart, Empire 8 horse grain drill, one good hay mower, good iron self-dump hay rake, one horse and two horse plows, two horse drag, iron cultivator, hoes, rake forks and shovels, buggy harness and blankets, cart harness, wagon harness, plow harness, grindstone, number of hay pulleys, several hundred cedar posts, chicken wire and other things too numerous to mention.

CANNING MACHINERY.

Including 5 hp engine, upright, put in thorough repair. Moore & Bristol tomato filler, one 4 steel climax capper for 8 lb cans, 4 process kettles 38 x 43, 10 cages to rack cans, 1 set of crane fixtures, 1 iron vat, 1 iron scalding kettle and cage, 1 very large vat, 1 cast iron jacket kettle, several shafts and pulleys, 1 clutch wheel, sprockets and chain, 1 lot of machinery to can pump kin. Several new capping steels to fit American Can Co's cans, several gasoline torches, new steam gauge and air gauges, 1 gas plant, consisting of Lockwood's 3 barrel carburetor, blower and counter shaft, 4 sets of iron wheels and gear for canners platform, all that is needed. Several hundred feet of second hand pipe taken apart and painted. Fire proof iron safe, book space.

SAW MILL MACHINERY.

Including one 80 h. p. horizontal bricked in boiler, 125 h. p. horizontal engine, 1 Page saw mill, one 9 gauge inserted tooth saw. Several small solid tooth rip saws. Four cut off saws set on one shaft four feet apart. One edging table and saw mandrel, lath table with double mandrel and two saws. One long line shafts and pulleys, 1 9 in. heavy belt and lot of smaller belting, 1 24 inch pony planer single surfacer.

TOOLS.

Including cross cut saws, hand saws, pipe vice and stocks and dies, moulding planes, one shear to cut bar iron, one punching press—will punch 1 inch thick.

THRASHING MACHINERY.

Including one Peerless traction engine 10 h. p., one of the best road engines in the country, has never been stuck or broken down on any road, boiler has no leak or sign of weak spot. I have never spent \$5 for repairs on it. Peerless 22 in. Separator and one Imperial Stacker and main drive belt. Also, one portable wood saw. Also, 1 Milwaukee Fodder Shredder and corn husker.

BOAT PROPERTY.

Including one gasoline launch "Dorchester" 41 feet long 8 feet beam, hull built of white oak, sprung frame, planked with heart cypress, a little over one half cabined, fitted with 16 h. p. 4 cylinder, 4 cycle motor built by the Clifton motor works, Cincinnati, O., a model boat with a good and modern engine. Has not been built a year. 1 small row boat—batteau 18 or 20 ft. 1 fishing flye 18 ft. long 6 ft. hoops and 20 ft. wings.

TERMS: Ten months time will be given on all sums over \$10, on all property except gasoline boat and threshing outfit; on which ten months will be given on one half of the purchase price of each and twenty months on the other half. Notes to be secured by two approved endorers.

FRED W. CARROLL, HURLOCK, MD.
R. L. Hastings & Bro., Auctioneers.

Harper & Taylor's GREAT Reduction Cash Sale

On JANUARY 21st, we will inaugurate and continue in force until and including FEBRUARY 11th, one of the greatest Cash Reduction sales ever seen in Salisbury. This sale is made necessary on account of the big stock of Fall and Winter goods bought for our regular lines, and for the Christmas holidays, and now

Stock Must be Reduced,

and to show our good faith and make the sale more attractive, we have decided to let the cut extend to EVERY LINE OF GOODS IN THE STORE, and when you consider that more than one-half of this stock has come to us direct from the manufacturers within the past 60 or 90 days you can appreciate just what great bargains you will get. Here are some samples of the slaughter:

All Watches	Reduced 10 per Cent
All Diamonds in stock	Reduced 10 per Cent
All Silver Goods	Reduced 20 per Cent
All Clocks	Reduced 20 per Cent
All Jewelry	Reduced 20 per Cent

No juggling of figures on these goods. Look at the original selling tag and take off the discount. The difference is your gain. Besides the above, we will have during this sale

A Bargain Counter,

on which will be Jewelry, Clocks, Watches, Silverware and a hundred more things, which will be SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST, being goods carried over from last season. Goods are new designs, but we want their room and the advantage is yours. Come early and get a first pick. There will be no reduction during this sale on Fountain pens.

Harper & Taylor

LEADING JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS.

SALISBURY, MARYLAND.

LOWENTHAL'S THE UP-TO-DATE STORE.

White Goods Sale.

We are now having a White Goods Sale. Every piece of goods is of the season's weave and the prices are Bargain Prices. Everyone knows what this means. It means durable goods at such low prices as cannot be found elsewhere.

200 pieces Spring Waistings, all new and stylish weaves.
500 yards India Linen at 8 cents.
800 yards Calico at 4 cents.
1000 yards Extra Heavy Flannel at 5 cents.
400 yards White Apron Goods at 5 cents.
1000 yards Fine Needle Flannel at 7 cents.
300 yards Extra Fine Silk at 37 cents.
200 yards Wide Hamburg Edge at 7 cents.
100 yards Fine Percales at 6 cents.

The Remnant Counter is now filled. It will pay you to come and look over them.

This White Goods Sale will last only 10 days.

LOWENTHAL, The Up-to-Date Merchant of Salisbury.

We Can Supply Your Wants for

NAILS

Five Cars Just Received. Call or Write for Prices.

Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co.
SALISBURY, MD.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

INTENDING to move with my family to the city the last of February, I will sell my entire interest in real estate on

Thursday, Feb. 9, '05

in front of the postoffice, Hurlock, Md., between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.

VALUABLE CORNER TOWN PROPERTY.

The house and lot where I now reside in the town of Hurlock. Fronting 70 feet on Main street and 192 feet on Maryland avenue, also touching same is a lot 60x60. Lots improved by an

8-ROOM DWELLING,

in good repair, meat house, woodshed, barn and stable. Lot inclosed with 202 feet of nearly new iron fence, and 1600 square feet of newly laid pavement. Possession given March 1st.

VALUABLE SITE FOR CANNING HOUSE

1/2 of a mile south of Hurlock, at Carroll's siding on B. & A. Ry. Containing 1 acre of land. This is a splendid point for a cannery, in a good location for tomatoes and labor.

FARM AT HARRISON

Known as the Wm. Conaway Farm, containing 107 1/2 acres more or less, two thirds in cultivation, balance in growing timber. Situated on Nanticoke River, with nice hill and grove of walnut trees on shore. Improvements a 9 Room Dwelling well built, large Barn and Stable with hay rack and track (new). Cornhouse, wire lined mouse proof. Said farm together with Steamboat Wharf, Wharf house and Boat-house. A beautiful place to live and best trucking land in the section.

Each of two years past Cantaloupe shipments were nearly over before market broke with heavy shipments from Maryland.

Land is very early and especially adapted to Melons, Cantaloupes, Tomatoes, Potatoes and other truck.

Leased and occupied by Thos. Bradley for 1905, purchaser to have rents for this year.

FARM 1-2 MILES NORTH OF HURLOCK

On B. & A. Ry., adjoining lands of J. M. Andrews and J. M. Carroll, containing 65 acres, more or less. About half in cultivation, balance in good growing timber. This is also good trucking land. Improvements—a good 4 room house, almost new; large barn with hay rack, shed and other buildings, all of which are nearly new. This is leased for 1905 to Daniel Griffith. Purchaser to have rents for the year.

This property will positively be sold on the above date. Positive, not bid in.

TERMS will be liberal, and made known on day of sale. Deeds at expense of purchaser.

FRED W. CARROLL, HURLOCK, MD.
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Cash for Corn.

We buy White Corn in any quantity and pay SPOT CASH, Baltimore quotations.

PRESGRAVE & HEBNER, Salisbury, Md.

For Sale.

White Table and Stock Meal, by the pound or ton.

PRESGRAVE & HEBNER, Salisbury, Md.

FIRE INSURANCE.

We sell Insurance that insures. The best Old Line Companies are represented by us. See us before insuring elsewhere.

WHITE & WALLER, General Insurance Agents, SALISBURY, MD.

PHONE 123

Selected Seed Potatoes AND ONION SETS.

Buy your seed potatoes from first hands. Our prices are always the lowest. All our stock is sold under a full guarantee. We have forty varieties. Write for catalogue and prices.

JOHN KIENZLE, 126 Dock Street, Philadelphia.
Largest Seed Potato House in America.

Great Sample Sale of Furniture!

Below is a list of the many RARE BARGAINS which we will offer for the next few days at ONE HALF THEIR REGULAR PRICES:

40 Rockers	3 Ladies' W. Desks
25 Centre Tables	6 High Chairs
12 Clothes Trees	6 Single Beds
10 Go Carts	1 Wardrobe.
6 Iron Beds	1 Hall Rack
6 Couches	1 Buffet

Come and Get First Pick. Watch Our Windows

Ulman Sons' Furniture and Racket Stores,
240-242 Main Street, Salisbury, Md.

Local Department.

There is a 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.

The Advertiser will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings, parties, and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present for this department. The items should be accompanied with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

—Mrs. Geo. Sharpley is visiting friends in Philadelphia this week.

—Miss Josephine Moore of Bridgeport, N. J., is visiting Miss Hanna Ullman.

—Messrs. M. A. Humphreys and Paul E. Watson made a business trip to Philadelphia this week.

—Ice in the Chesapeake Bay is reported to be from two to three feet thick in many places.

—Miss Edith Thoroughgood of Philadelphia is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Thoroughgood.

—There will be a meeting of the Kings' Daughters at the home of Mrs. L. D. Collier next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—There were present at Asbury M. Sunday School last Sunday afternoon 246 the largest attendance in its history.

—Mrs. L. W. Dorman returned home this week from Baltimore accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Levis, Jr., and children.

—Mrs. W. Crosby, of Baltimore, and Miss Belle B. Browne, of Cripple Creek, Col., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Lady Board of Managers of the Hospital will be held at the City Hall, Monday, February 6th, at 8 o'clock.

—An immense religious revival is in progress over in Wales, more than twenty titled ladies in Great Britain co-operating in the work.

—The Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway succeeded in getting a train through to Claiborne on Saturday last, the cut at Easton having been cleared.

—Mr. Voorhees Catlin who was operated on at the Peninsula General Hospital this week has been in a serious condition, but is now reported improving.

—Statistics show that there have been 40 deaths from disease in General Oka's army since May 6—an extraordinary tribute to Japanese medical skill.

—The case of Wm. D. Stockley vs. the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. was decided in the Circuit Court for Northampton Co., Saturday, in favor of the plaintiff, and damages fixed at \$275.

—Mr. Albert Wallace died of heart failure at his home near Hebron last Tuesday afternoon, aged 45 years. He was buried at Hebron cemetery Thursday at 2 p. m. after services at the home.

—Word has been received from Palm Beach, Fla., that John Wansmaker, former postmaster general is ill there, and may be compelled to give up business for a long time. He is said to be contemplating a trip to Japan.

—At a special meeting of the City Council Friday evening Councilman Polk was authorized to correspond with engineers for the work of street paving. Several well-known engineers have already been heard from.

—Mr. Glen Perdue, accompanied by Mr. F. W. Dennis, who has been in Salisbury several weeks constructing patent kilns for the Peninsula Brick Co., is at present attending the annual convention of the National Brickmakers' Association at Birmingham, Ala.

—Miss Beulah Thompson who is starring as Maud Muller in the play of that name is a niece of Dan Sully, the famous cotton king. Miss Thompson is now enroute through the South. Appears at the Grand Saturday Matinee and night, February 4th.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Downing have returned home from their trip to Florida. During their two weeks' absence they visited Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Savannah and Brunswick, stopping at Petersburg and Richmond on their homeward journey. A delightful time was experienced.

—The Queen Anne's Railroad, the Weems Steamboat Company and the Chester River Steamboat Company have formed a new corporation known as the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company, and on Friday last elected Mr. A. J. Benjamin of Salisbury as director.

—Mr. Harry Ulman, formerly of Salisbury, writes to friends here that the firm of Simon Long Son, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., recently suffered the loss of \$60,000 by fire, with only a partial insurance.

—Mr. Ulman, who is a son of the late Simon Ulman, of Salisbury, is a partner in the firm.

—Let some of our farmers who are inclined to grumble at the congested condition caused by snowfall be consoled by this paragraph from Wednesday's Philadelphia Record: "It will take over a month of the hardest kind of work to open some of the drifted roads of Lehigh county."

—Owing to navigation being closed the stores of Westport are obliged to send teams on a drive of twenty miles to get their supplies of flour.

—Four large poplar trees that were set out on Railroad Avenue near the N. Y. P. & N. station during the year when that railroad was run through Salisbury were this week cut down.

—The Western Union Telegraph Company has commenced the removal of poles, and wires, along the Delaware Railroad, an agreement having been reached which allows the Telegraph Co., to string four wires on the Diamond State Telephone poles.

—There will be four eclipses during the year 1905, two of the sun and two of the moon. The dates of sun are March 5th and August 30, the former not visible. The moon February 19 and August 15. The latter is only visible in America.

—A slight fire occurred at the Crisfield Times office last Friday doing some \$250 damage. The prompt arrival of the fire department soon extinguished the flames and allowed our brother editor the even tenor of his way.

—The Czar's income from crown and state domains, is reckoned \$7,500,000 a year, more than three times as much as is allowed King Edward of England. Forty members of the imperial family have enormous revenues from property set aside by the government for their support.

—A sleigh race in which Mr. Wm. M. Day's and Mr. W. B. Miller's horse were contestants occurred Wednesday afternoon on William Street from the N. Y. P. & N. railroad to Park street and amused several on-lookers. The horse owned by Mr. Miller bore away the laurels.

—Not a steamer tied up at Light street wharf Thursday or yesterday and none are expected today. Superintendent Joyne, who is now practically the manager of all of the lines which form the recent bay combine says that the ice situation is worse than at any time last winter.

—Two young people who had formerly concluded to wed last week eloped and in order to evade the girl's parents walked fourteen miles in the early morning to catch the train at Laurel, Del. The happy couple were Miss Ellen White and John R. Parkinson of Deals Island. Rev. J. M. Yingling tied the knot.

—Mr. Wm. W. Perry, of the University of Pennsylvania, having finished his semi-annual examinations, is taking a week's vacation with his parents in Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Perry. His friend, Mr. Lockwood, of Bridgeport, Connecticut, who is a fellow student is expected this evening to spend a few days with him.

—Some would-be burglars broke in Phillips' flour mill Wednesday night with the evident intention of stealing money, as on the following morning it was found that the safe had been tampered with. Since it is the custom of the proprietors to take out all the funds accumulating during the day the miscreant was foiled in his attempt.

—Messrs. Ernest and Pitt Turner, who have for several years been in the employ of B. L. Gillis & Son, wholesale grocers, this week severed their connection with that firm. Mr. Harry T. Messick, of Allen, is now filling the place of Mr. Ernest Turner as traveling salesman, and Mr. Robert Leatherbury, of this city, takes the place of Mr. Pitt Turner in the store.

—The Register of Wills, Mr. John W. Dashiell, this week moved into his new quarters heretofore occupied by the Clerk of Court. Great improvements have been made in the office, which now presents a very attractive appearance. Register Dashiell has discarded all of the old furniture and replaced it with new desks, bookcase, etc.

—Miss Mary A. Wilcox, of Salisbury, who has been teacher in the Lansdowne, Pa., High School for the last four years, has resigned her position to accept one as instructor in the Department of Latin in the Girls' High School of Philadelphia. The appointment was the result of a competitive examination in Latin in which out of twenty applicants she ranked first.

—Mr. Charles Lockart, who is connected with Ex-Governor E. E. Jackson in the lumber business at Lockart, Alabama, died at Pittsburg, Pa., Thursday. Mr. Lockart was one of the oil kings of the country, and with John D. Rockefeller, William C. Warren and Henry M. Flagler, laid the foundation for the Standard Oil Company. His wealth was estimated at from \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000.

—The pall of grief and sorrow over shadows Hornellsville, N. Y. Two miles west of that city Wednesday evening, while returning from an afternoon of merriment, a sleigh containing thirteen members of the Ladies Aid Society of the Universalist Church was struck by a train. Six of the occupants were killed instantly, four died in the hospital later, and three are still in that institution, one of whom will probably die.

—Decision Day in the M. P. Church next Sunday. The pastor urges all members of the Sunday School to be present and cordially invites all others. Preaching at 11 a. m., on "Keeping your Covenant with Jesus." 8.45 p. m., Twenty Fourth Anniversary of Christian Endeavor, decision service led by Mrs. Nettie Booth. Every Endeavorer urged to be present. Sermon at 7.30 on "Decision." Enthusiastic Music. Cordial welcome. Dominant thought "A Great Revival."

—Miss Lizzie Rider of Philadelphia is a guest of Miss Letitia Houston.

—Miss Alice Gunby and Mr. Frank Gunby are visiting relatives in Washington.

—Wanted—Tenant on a farm. Apply to Edmund Humphreys at Salisbury Postoffice, Salisbury, Md.

—Wanted at once a good second hand side saddle. Communicate with P. O. Box 12, Quantico, Md.

—Messrs. Ward & Gordy announce in today's Advertiser their annual sale—an offering of 30 horses and mules at 1 o'clock March 15, 1905, at their Sale & Exchange Barn on shell road.

—Mrs. Edward Mitchell entertained a number of friends last Tuesday evening at her home on Newton Street in honor of her guest, Miss Linda Rawlings, of Greensboro, Md.

—Messrs. W. F. Allen and Wm. M. Cooper have one of three carloads of cow peas and soja beans for sale in storage at the building formerly occupied by the Farmers' and Merchants Bank. Rippe opportunity for land owners or tillers to obtain a choice supply.

—At a meeting of the Knights of Pythias Thursday night it was decided to donate about \$50.00, which had been collected for the purpose of holding a banquet to the Relief Committee to help feed and clothe the needy.

—There was an attractive ground hog scene pictured in a pretty snow clad woodland vista in the front window of J. B. Porter's large confectionery and news store this week. Of course the little rascal saw his shadow and went back though seemingly loath to retire.

—Rev. Charles Humphreys Littleton, who died in Baltimore last week, was one of the lay delegates to the Maryland Annual Conference which assembled in Salisbury in 1855. He was one of the oldest and best known ministers of the Maryland Annual Conference.

—In the awards made by the authorities of the St. Louis Exposition we note that of Grand Prize to the exhibit of T. W. Wood & Sons, seed grocers and merchants of Richmond, Va. This firm which has been making many sales through this section also took a Gold Medal at the Paris Exposition in 1900. Both of these are convincing evidences of the superiority and high grade of the seeds supplied by this well known Southern house.

—One of the oddest sights in New York City is the picture gallery of successful waits in the rooms of the children's Aid Society. There is none other like it in the world. Hundreds of faces look out their simple frames. They are of every nationality, type, age and color. Since 1833 more than 20,000 waifs and strays have been placed in families by society. Situations have been found for some 25,000 more and over 5,000 runaways and lost have been returned to shelter.

—The board of visitors and governors of Washington College have determined to build a new administration building on the campus near the baseball diamond. The new building will be a handsome and imposing four story brick structure, with handsome ornamentation, built in classical style, and will cost about \$25,000. It will be divided into class rooms, laboratories and a large auditorium, where chapel exercises will be held, and where, it is understood, the college will hold its commencement exercises in the future.

—The Hook-Hastings Co., of Boston, Mass., through their representative here, Prof. W. T. Dashiell, this week closed a contract with Mrs. E. E. Jackson for a pipe organ to be placed in the new Trinity M. E. Church, South. This company is one of the oldest and most extensive pipe organ builders in America. They manufactured the mammoth pipe organ on exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition. The organ for Trinity is to be one of the best in the State. It has about 800 pipes, two manuals, 27 stops and is to be finished in old Flemish oak. It will be operated by means of a water motor.

—Messrs. W. F. Allen and Wm. M. Cooper have just received a carload of fine cow peas and soja beans which are for sale. Their storage room will be on corner of Main and Dock Streets in the building formerly occupied by the Farmers' and Merchants Bank. This will be used as a distributing point for the surrounding country. The above gentlemen have two more cars coming, and will endeavor to supply a prospectively large demand this season.

THE SEASON FOR Coughs & Colds

is at hand, and everybody is liable to catch them.

SPRUCE PINE COUGH CURE

is scientifically prepared, absolutely harmless to even the smallest child, and

Every Bottle Is Guaranteed.

Give it a trial; your money back if not satisfactory.

TRUITT'S DRUG STORE.



For "Old Boys," Middle Aged Boys, And Just Boys.

Our laced and button shoes are a constant source of pleasure—pleasure in wearing them. Small wonder when you think of the pains we take in procuring the finest, latest and best in the land for your comfort and joy.

HARRY DENNIS, THE UP-TO-DATE SHOEIST, SALISBURY, MD.

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ATKINS SAWS

Saws of all Sizes in Stock.

Steam, Gasoline and Coal Oil ENGINES.

F. A. GRIER & SON, Salisbury, Md.

January Clearing Sale.

Today we start the greatest value-giving sale in the history of the Birkhead & Shockley store.

January Sale of Ladies' Coats and Furs.

At one-fourth to one-half less than regular price.

January Sale of Underwear.

Knit Underwear and Fine Fleece Underwear for men; 50c value, this sale 39c. Bargains in all other grades of underwear for men and women.

January Sale of Blankets, Comforts,

Ready-made Sheets, Pillow Cases, Calicos, Outings. This sale one-quarter to one-half off regular price.

January Furniture and Carpet Bargains.

Special lots as follows: 9 Bed Room Suits, 3 pieces; 8 Sideboards, 12 Couches, 40 Rockers, 35 Sets Chairs, 35 Mattresses, this sale one-fourth to one-third less than usual bargain prices.

Birkhead & Shockley
SALISBURY, MD.
WEAR American Lady CORSETS

Ayer's Pills

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE

WHAT DO YOU LIKE IN OVERCOATS?

Reduced $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ Off on Some,

BUT NONE ABOVE THE ORIGINAL WHOLESALE PRICE.

We have the coats here to meet your idea of style and price, materials and tailoring. Warm, generous overcoats, richly lined and finished, made by the greatest overcoat tailors in America. Every one of them guaranteed. It would be nothing short of a blunder to put your money in a Winter Overcoat without seeing and trying on these superb examples of overcoat making. For a moderate price you can buy a coat here that you will enjoy every minute you wear it, that will realize your highest sense of comfort and satisfaction, that will last for years and hold its shape and good looks, and be a credit to you whenever it is worn. We have them in long lengths, short or medium lengths, full or fitted back, silk-lined, serge lined, satin yoke and sleeves, medium or heavy weight, plain goods or fancy patterns. The richest and best overcoat value than any man's money can buy. We are proud to show you our overcoats, glad to have you try them on, pleased to give you our prices and to answer your questions as to the materials and styles. A Winter Overcoat is not bought every day. The investment is worth careful thought and investigation. Come in and talk over the matter with us. You need not buy because you look. If you do buy, remember that you cannot go wrong here, because the maker's guarantee and ours go with every garment we sell.

Lacy Thoroughgood
SALISBURY, MD.

James Thoroughgood

To Keep Pace With The Progress of the Times

We have decided to discontinue some of our old lines. Those that have been found wanting must be cleaned out in order to give us room for . . .

Newer and Better Goods

One of the lines to go is the "Walkover." We offer these goods in all leathers at \$3.00 per pair. Others ask \$3.50 and \$4.00 for the same shoe. . . .

Another line to be discarded is the "American Girl," in all leathers, at \$2.00 per pair. Ask for them anywhere else and you must pay \$2.50. . . .

"THE CROSSETT"

will be our leading \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoe—a shoe that we will guarantee to be the superior of any shoe ever offered in this town at the same price. . . .

Our woman's \$2.50 leader in the future will be made especially for us, and will be far superior to anything we have ever shown. Other new lines added which are well worth your inspection. Call and see our line of Dorsch's shoes for men only.

Salisbury Shoe Company

SUCCESSORS TO R. LEE WALLER & CO.,

R. LEE WALLER, Mgr. Salisbury, Md.

Bargains.

We still have a few SUITINGS and TROUSERINGS left over from our Fall and Winter stock, which we are closing out at greatly-reduced prices.

CHAS. BETHKE,

(ESTABLISHED 1887.) MAKER OF MEN'S CLOTHES.

A GREAT SAVING

Ladies' Coats & Furs

We are overstocked in Ladies' Coats, Children's Coats and Furs, and to get clear of them we have cut the prices

From One-Fourth to One-Half Off.

We quote a few prices as follows:

Ladies' Coats that were \$5.00, now \$3.50
Ladies' Coats that were \$6.00, now \$4.50
Ladies' Coats that were \$7.00, now \$5.00
Ladies' Coats that were \$8.00, now \$6.00
Ladies' Coats that were \$10.00, now \$7.50
Ladies' Coats that were \$12.00, now \$9.00
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GREEN HILL.

(January 28, Related.)
Miss Minnie Robertson of White Haven visited Miss Stella Dennis at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Dashiell last Saturday. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dashiell entertained the following young company in honor of their company: Misses Lydia Dashiell, Bertie Kenney, Lydia and Mattie Holliday, Messrs. Grover Layfield, Edward Kenney, Hyman and Levin Dashiell, Lee and Monroe Holliday, Glen Catlin, Waldo Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. F. Inesley and daughter and Miss May Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Layfield last Sunday.

Mr. John Graham of Quantico visited friends at Green Hill last Sunday.

Miss Katie Holliday and brother, Lee visited Miss Bertie Kenney last Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Walter Cooper will resume her duties as teacher at Delmar the first of February.

Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Burdette visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dashiell last week.

MARDELA SPRINGS.

(January 8, Related.)
Before occupying his new house on Main Street, Mr. Joseph Taylor gave a dance to the young people of our town on Friday evening. Quite a number of out of town guests were present. Refreshments which consisted of assorted fruits and candies, were served at twelve o'clock.

Miss Lena Beach and Mr. Percy Gilbert, of Bannerville, Pa., were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Beach by Rev. E. P. Perry on Tuesday evening.

Miss Annie Robertson visited relatives in Salisbury last week.

Mrs. John Anderson of Sharptown and Mrs. James Ralph of Vienna visited Mrs. A. S. Venables this week.

Mr. Levin M. Wilson left last week to attend business college in Baltimore.

Mrs. Chambers of Pa., is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Armstrong.

The M. E. Church is now undergoing improvements. The walls are being papered and painted. New pulpit furniture will also be added.

Mrs. Jennie Dean and daughter, Miss Esie of Vienna visited Mrs. S. A. Brattan Saturday and Sunday.

HEBRON.

Mr. W. S. Phillips was a visitor in town Monday.

Mr. Medford Humphreys and Howard Patrick, both of Salisbury, spent Wednesday with friends in this place.

Mr. O. A. Nelson left Saturday for Baltimore.

Mrs. Charlie Hastings is visiting relatives in Delaware.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. P. Church met at Mr. J. A. Phillips on Saturday eve last with a very large attendance.

Mr. A. T. Wallace, a highly respected citizen of near this place died Tuesday at 6 p. m. of heart trouble. Funeral services were conducted at the home of the deceased Thursday at one p. m., by the Rev. Mr. Fogle. Interment at Hebron Cemetery. He is survived by one brother, Mr. Fountain Wallace.

Mr. Barton Freney is still on the sick list.

Services will be held in the church on Sunday as follows: M. P. Church Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; preaching by Rev. E. P. Perry 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m.; M. E. Church Sunday School 2:30 p. m.; preaching by Rev. Mr. Fogle 3:30 p. m. and Epworth League 7:30 p. m.

Financial And Membership Statement Of Meadow Tribe No. 1041 O. R. M. Term Ending Dec. 26, 1904.

Resources Financial.

Bal. in hand July 12, 1904	\$152.80
Collected and paid over to Keeper since July 1, 1904	\$778.70
Paraphernalia	
Regalia	\$500.00
Invested in B. & L. Stock	\$900.00
Invested in County script	\$1020.88
Accrued interest	\$80.00
Total	\$3382.38

Liabilities.

Paid out for relief of brothers	\$127.00
Volunteer Donations	\$15.00
All other expenses	\$167.36
Bal. in hand of Keeper and Trustees	\$3073.02
Total	\$3382.38

Membership Statement.

Members July 12, 1904	211
Adopted since July 12, 1904	25
Total Dec. 26, 1904	236

B. Frank Kennerly,
R. Frank Williams,
Elmer H. Walton,
Trustees.

—Wanted: Lady or gentleman of fair complexion to pose for a series of photographs. The photographs will be used for the purpose of advertising the new and improved "Sally" brand of soap. The photographs will be taken at the residence of the advertiser. The advertiser is a resident of Salisbury, Md.

JUST LAUGHS.

HIS FOUNTAIN PEN.

"Annabel!" called a mother over the fence, as she heard the front door close.

"Yes, mamma," replied a sweet girlish voice, and Annabel Goggan slowly framed herself in the darkness of the staircase.

"Was that Mr. Tinberry, Annabel?" "It was, mamma."

"Do you know it is twenty minutes past eleven?" came in cold tones from the wrapped figure in the upper hall.

"Mamma, we hadn't the slightest idea it was so late," said the young girl, earnestly. "You see," she continued, "Mr. Tinberry has been telling me about China and Japan. He said everybody ought to know about them, and it was so interesting, we never thought how late it was getting. Do you know, mamma," added the sweet girl, "that in China they—"

"Did Mr. Tinberry draw a map of China on your face, Annabel?" asked Mrs. Goggan, sternly.

"Why, mamma?" asked the daughter, in startled tones.

The young girl rushed to a mirror and saw with horror-stricken glance that the left side of her face was streaked and stained with ink.

"Heaven and earth!" she screamed: "his fountain pen must have leaked into his waistcoat pocket!" and with a shriek of horror the beautiful girl fell fainting to the floor.—N. Y. News.

More Coincidence.

"Henry," asked Mrs. Penhocker, "how many cigars do you smoke in a day?"

"Only one, my love," answered Henry.

"And what does it cost you?" "Ten cents."

"Hum! Do you know that ten cents a day amounts to \$36.50 cents in a year?"

"I must confess I never had figured it out."

"Well, it seems to me it would be better if you gave some thought to your reckless extravagance."

Later in the evening Henry happened to pick up the paper his wife had been looking over when she brought up the cigar question. A huge display advertisement on the page she had been perusing announced that Linsen & Co. were offering choice of their best tailored suits for \$35.50.—Life.

A SWIFT BOY.



Ada—If you kiss me again I'll call mama.
Jack—What's the use. I kissed her as I came in.

Was the Line Blocked?
Johnny's papa is what Johnny terms a "railroad magnet," which may account for the fact that the infant's idea of heaven is that of a celestial railroad terminal, subject to the usual terrestrial delays.

The other evening papa and mama overheard the following conversation in the nursery:

Mabelle, who had been in a brown study for some minutes—Johnny, didn't grandma go to heaven before we were born?

Johnny, noncommittally—She started.

Mabelle—Then how is it we didn't meet her?

Johnny, assuming the paternal manner—She hadn't arrived when we left. Maybe she didn't make connections.

—New York Times.

Matrimonial Shyness.
George D. Mackey came upon a friend he hadn't seen for along time. He was with a pretty young woman.

"You are just married, aren't you?" asked Mackey, smiling at the young woman.

"Only last week," acknowledged the friend. "How did you guess it?"

"I thought," replied Mackey, "that you looked a little shy, and—"

"I am pretty shy of cash just now, but I didn't know I showed it so much as all that," interrupted the friend.—Augusta Chronicle.

Making Up For It.
Wife—"When we go anywhere now we have to walk. Before marriage you always called a carriage."

Husband—"That's why we have to walk now."—Pittsburg Press.

Alas.
"Did he have enough sand to propose?"

"Yes, but he didn't have enough rocks to marry."

Ready Reply.
Little Ostend—"Pa, what is the Boston Common?"

"Pa—"Beans, my son."

Useful Accomplishment.
"I'm glad I learned to sew on buttons when I was a bachelor," observed Peckem.

"Why, Henry?" asked Mrs. Peckem.

"Because," he answered, "I find the accomplishment so useful, now that I am married."

ROADS AND ROAD MAKING.

BAD ROADS OF MISSOURI.

Evils of "Working Out the Tax" System on Highways.

Country roads and the best methods of building them, has long been a topic of interest, not alone to the farmer, but the business man, who depends upon the farmer's crop. That the final outcome of the matter must depend upon proper legislation is our firm belief. Law after law has been passed and past into the long-forgotten, and more brought to the front, all of which have been largely failures, and we fear will continue so, for the lack of funds to keep roads in condition during the entire year.

Our road law is a miserable failure from many causes, says F. M. Minor, Louisiana, Mo., in Farmer's Voice. First, because the farmer is allowed to work out his tax—instead of being compelled to pay the cash. Secondly, because the person with no real estate cannot be forced to pay without going to law, which is a costly affair, even if we do have an official to attend to that branch of the county affairs. It is immaterial how wealthy a person may be or how much land he possesses, he is exempt from road work after he passes fifty years of age. Consequently the county roads of our state depend largely upon the work of those who are willing to do their part and at times more. The 10-per cent. road levy

barely pays the road overseer and buys the required lumber to repair bridges absolutely necessary. A dozen of us will congregate at a given place with teams, wagons, plows and a big dinner and do less work than four men and two teams would do in a day. The rule seems to be not to hurry; just take your time and as much as you want. But little system is used and at best what we do is temporary—not lasting, as it should be. Many of us do not work at all, as we are busy when notified and ask to be allowed to come at another time, and I have known of instances where the collector did not have us charged up with the \$3.

Do you wonder that our roads are bad? Will they not forever remain so, under existing conditions, no matter how much a certain per cent. of the owners of our states to pass laws that will be effective.

We believe that every man, property owner, renter or laborer in every road district, irrespective of age, should be compelled to pay \$3 cash for road improvements, and not be allowed to work it out. The law should be so specific that no exceptions could be taken, and if suit must be brought the tax and costs can be collected from the delinquent—nothing should be exempt from its collection. In the early spring the road commissioner should advertise the work to be done and give a contract to the lowest and best bidder—not for the entire work, but by the day, for himself and team. Fifty or sixty honest days' work in any road district will make a big showing and if sufficient funds are available to work the entire summer, it would not be long before our roads always would be passable and many of them graveled.

Importance of the Grade.
The grade is the most important factor to be considered in the location of roads. The smoother the road surface, the less the grade should be. Dirty water and watery dirt make bad going, and mud is the greatest obstacle to the travel and traffic of the farmer. Mud is a mixture of dirt and water. The water is always found in the roadway, and the water, which comes in rain, snow, and frost, softens it; horses and wagons and narrow wheel tires knead it and mix it, and it soon gets into so bad a condition that a fairly loaded wagon can not be hauled through it.

We can not prevent the coming of this water, says Isaac B. Porter, an eminent authority upon roads, and it only remains for us to get rid of it, which can be speedily done if we go about it in the right way. Very few people know how great an amount of water falls upon the country road, and it may surprise some of us to be told that on each mile of an ordinary country highway 3 rods wide within the United States there falls each year an average of 27,000 tons of water. In the ordinary country dirt road the water seems to stick and stay as if there was no other place for it, and this is only because we have never given it a fair opportunity to run out of the dirt and its level in other places. We can not make a hard road out of soft mud, and no amount of labor and machinery will make a good dirt road that will stay good unless some plan is adopted to get rid of the surplus water. Water is a heavy, limpid fluid, hard to confine and easy to let loose. It is always seeking for a chance to run down a hill; always trying to find its lowest level.

One Advantage of the Goat.
It is reckoned by expert investigators that 10 per cent. of our population dies of consumption, and that much of this is produced through the medium of the cow, which is affected in the same way, cannot be doubted. The goat is immune so far as tuberculosis is concerned, and no person ever became diseased by imbibing the milk of this animal.

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colors. The latter is the most effective. The fruit designs are favorites, particularly oranges, which just now are the mode. The foliage should be in the olive shades. Our illustration shows oranges on one end, and conventionalized pear blossoms on the other. After painting, outline all with Japanese gold thread, couched down with yellow silk, or a fine line can be run around with gold paint. The veins of the leaves should be treated in the same way. The ends may be finished with antique lace, or small sewing-silk tassels may be tied in. There is a fashion now of painting or bronzing certain parts of the antique lace, making it odd, and some think pretty.

Not Quite the Same.
Pauline—"So he really accuses me of saying witty things, does he?" Eudora—"Well, not exactly. He said he couldn't help laughing every time you opened your mouth."

Isolation.
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Our fancy may appal,
The berry in the shortcake
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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, passed in No. 1534 Chancery, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell by public auction, in front of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, on

Saturday, February 25,

1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that tract or parcel of land lying in "Barney Neck," Barren Creek District, Wicomico County, Md., on the Neck Road, and adjoining the Sarah Cox land and the Bedworth land, and containing 49 acres of land, more or less, being the same land on which William G. Majors now lives, and which was conveyed to Esther Majors by Ichabod D. Evans and others. This land is improved by dwelling, barn, etc. About one-third of it is well set in pine timber, part first growth.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent. of purchase money in cash on day of sale; balance on a credit of one and two years, to be secured by the bond or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing interest from day of sale, with surety or sureties to be approved by Trustee; or all cash, at option of purchaser.

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Recorded At Clerk's Office From January 14 To January 31 Inclusive. The Sellers And Buyers. Considerations.

Edward H. Horner from George W. P. Insley and wife and John W. P. Insley lot in Bivalve consideration \$100.

Daniel H. Parson from Edward H. Warren and wife, interest in Pittsburg district, consideration \$50.

Garley E. Dennis from Isaac P. H. Brittingham and wife, tract in Pittsburg district containing 21 acres, consideration \$325.

John D. Darby from Otis S. Lloyd and wife, lot in White Haven, consideration \$375.

Talbert Wallace from H. James Messick and wife, lot in Nanticoke district, consideration \$100.

Curtis Wallace from H. James Messick and wife, lot in Nanticoke district, consideration \$100.

William L. Elzey and wife, two lots in Salisbury, consideration \$700.

John Horsey from James Denson and wife, lot in Nanticoke district consideration \$22.

John F. Phillips from John Horsey, tract in Nanticoke district, containing one acre, consideration \$25.

Elisba W. Truitt from Amanda W. Burbage, two lots in Parsons district, consideration \$500.

John Godee from Levin J. Gale and wife, tract in Quantico district containing 10 acres, consideration \$120.

Sarah E. Moore from George W. Mitchell and others, tract in Tyaskin district containing 40 acres consideration \$300.

Sallie A. Thomas from Thomas B. Hitchens and wife, lot on First street, consideration \$700.

McKendry Robertson, tract in Nanticoke district containing one acre, consideration \$1.

Lily B. Bowden and husband from Ernest M. Evans, lot on Tilghman street, consideration \$700.

Mary A. Heath from E. S. Toadvine, trustee, tract in Tyaskin district containing 6 acres, consideration \$1.

Jas. M. Beauchamp to Noah R. Clark and wife, tract in Dennis district containing 15 acres, consideration \$1.

Isaac P. H. Brittingham from Minnie H. Brittingham, tract in Pittsburg district, consideration \$300.

(Continued on page 5.)

CONFESSES TO THE BRUTAL CRIME, LAST August. Case Which Has Puzzled Authorities And Cost Cecil County About \$4500.00.

A full confession of the murder of Mr. Albert Constable, the well known Elkton lawyer, last August, was made Monday night and Tuesday by John M. Simpers, the convict in the Maryland Penitentiary, who has been suspected of the crime by the local police for several weeks. The confession was made voluntarily, first to Warden Weyler and later to the Warden Marshal Farnan, Deputy Marshal Manning, Mr. Albert Constable Jr. the son of the murdered man and State's Attorney Squire, of Cecil County.

In his signed confession the convict says: "I was in Elkton after a horse when the murder of Mr. Constable took place. Mr. Constable was very close to me coming back over the hill, when the thought came into my mind to hold him up and rob him. I was in need of money, having lost all I had by gambling. I did not intend to shoot Mr. Constable or kill him. The first time I shot I aimed in an entirely different direction; the second time I shot in the air, and the third shot I fired close to him to scare him, not intending to kill him.

He asked if I wanted money, and I said 'Yes.' He told me he only had a quarter, and threw it to me. I told him to throw his watch along with it and he did. Then he commenced to groan and I asked him where he was shot and he said he thought he was shot in the head. He asked me to tell the colored people up the road that he was wounded and I stopped an halloed to someone in a yard that there was a sick man down the road and he wanted them to come down."

Regarding the matter of Simpers being brought to trial for the murder of Constable while already serving a penitentiary term Governor Warfield said: "If it becomes necessary for me to pardon Simpers so that he can be speedily tried and punished for the wanton and horrible murder of Mr. Constable I shall not hesitate as Governor of Maryland to release him from the penitentiary so that the law can swiftly take its course and mete out to him the punishment of death which he so justly deserves."

WESTERN WORLD'S FAIR.

Lewis And Clark Exposition Nearing Completion. Will Be Ready On Time. Now It Looks Four Months Before Opening Day.

Portland, Feb. 10.—Work on the grounds and buildings of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, which will be held at Portland, Oregon, this summer, opening June 1st and closing October 15th, is progressing rapidly. Eight exhibit buildings have been completed and the installation of exhibits begun, while the remaining structures are nearing the stage where the finishing touches will be applied. The mild Oregon winter has permitted the work to progress without an interruption and when the President presses the button on opening day everything will be ready and waiting, something unusual in expositions.

Not only are the buildings far advanced, but the landscape picture also. The grass is green and roses bloom in the open air all the year round in Portland. Thousands of rose bushes have been set out on the lawns and terraces and these, kept fresh by the winter rains.—Oregon knows no frost bites nor sun strokes—are awaiting the spring sunshine to bring forth a riot of color.

Centennial Well Planned.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition although not so large as other expositions will be a world's fair in every sense, reflecting the progress of all participating nations, and particularly of Western America. It will be quite unlike its predecessors in that it will combine with its broad scope the idea of compactness without crowding in the laying out of the grounds and the housing of the exhibits. There will be no dreariness of architecture to tire the eye, no miles of aisles to weary the limbs. All will be perfection or at least the nearest approach thereto achieved by an exposition.

The Centennial, which is the first international exposition ever held under the patronage of the United States Government west of the Rocky Mountains, will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the exploration of the Oregon Country by an expedition commanded by Captains Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, and planned by President Jefferson. The sentiment which inspires the people of the Pacific Northwest in the preparation of this exposition is one in which every American must share. The result of this expedition, the acquisition of the great Oregon Country by right of discovery, extended our frontier to the Pacific Ocean, adding a vast and rich territory to our domain. It was one of the direct causes of the acquisition of California and the subsequent acquisitions of Alaska, Hawaii, Guam and the Philippines are related to it.

Beautifully Located.

The beauty of the exposition site and the superb view to be had from it coupled with the artistic grace of the buildings in the style of the Spanish Renaissance will be an agreeable surprise to all visitors. Nestling at the base of the foothills of the Cascade Range on the gentle slopes and terraces overlooking Guild's Lake and the Willamette river, with an unobstructed view of 65 miles which embraces the snow capped peaks of Mt. Hood and Mt. St. Helena, the site presents a picture entirely original in exposition building.

Of the gross area of the site, 180 acres are on the mainland and 60 acres form a peninsula extending out into Guild's Lake. A fresh water body 220 acres in extent and the largest ever enclosed within an exposition fence, which is separated from the Willamette river by a narrow strip of land. The exposition grounds are made up of hill and dale, and in one portion a natural park of trees and shrubs affords an opportunity for landscape work of a most attractive character. In the arrangement of the buildings thorough consideration has been given to the convenience of visitors and the attainment of a rich and beautiful architectural effect. The main group of exhibit palaces consisting of eight structures occupies the ground bordering on the lake, and forms nearly a straight line with their short sides facing the water. Around these structures on the outer edge cluster the state, territorial and other minor pavilions. The Administration building in which the executive offices of the Fair are located, stands at one end of the ornate colonnade entrance, the main gateway to the grounds.

Renaissance Style Prevails.

On the peninsula in the center of Guild's Lake is located the United States Government display. Here an imposing Government building with two towers, each 200 feet high, in course of construction. Besides the main building there are several minor structures among them being the Forestry, Fisheries and Irrigation pavilions and the Life Saving Station. All the main exposition structures are in the style of the Spanish Renaissance except the Forestry building which is a true American type being constructed of huge logs in their virgin

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The people of Wicomico County are invited to a State Farmers' Institute which will be held in the Court House at Salisbury Monday, February 20, from 1.30 to 4 p. m., Tuesday, February 21, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Monday Afternoon—"Some Facts for the Farmer and Teacher."—D. H. P. Miller. "Some Essentials to Successful Fruit Growing."—W. N. Hutt.

Tuesday Morning—"Spraying."—W. N. Hutt. "Some Common Ailments of Our Animals and Their Treatment."—Dr. H. P. Miller. Afternoon—"Moisture.—Methods of Controlling It."—Dr. H. P. Miller. "Culture of Tree Fruits."—Prof. W. N. Hutt.

The above program may be changed to meet popular demand. Morning Sessions are for Breeders. Afternoon and Evening Sessions are for Everybody.

Subjects at a Farmers' Institute have a range from clearing the land to educating the boys and girls.

Evening Lectures will be announced, when a part of the program, at the close of each preceding session. Questions will be answered through the Question Box, at the opening of each session.

Many workers, both local and from a distance, whose names will not appear on these programs, will read papers, give their practical experience, and otherwise assist in demonstrating how the results of scientific research can be applied to every day life. Mr. V. S. Gorley is correspondent for this county.

The Farmers' Institute for Somerset County will be held February 22, Mr. L. Wesley Beauchamp, Westover correspondent; and for Worcester at Pocomoke, February 23-24, Mr. John W. Ennis, correspondent; Berlin February 25, Mr. Orlando Harrison, correspondent.

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state, thus simplifying in its composition the timber resources of the Columbia river region. The structure is 200 feet in length by 102 feet in width and its extreme height is 70 feet. In its construction two miles of five and six foot fir logs, eight miles of poles and tons of shakes and cedar shingles were used.

The central features of the Exposition are Columbia Court and Lakeview Terrace. These two spots have been made the object of elaborate embellishment. The former is situated between the Agriculture and the European Exhibits buildings and consists of two wide avenues, between which are spacious sunken gardens. Lakeview Terrace is located on the sloping ground leading down to the lake and here is the Grand Stairway, flanked on either side with flower beds and beautiful lawns.

Has Its Trail.

The "Trail" which is the gayety boulevard of the Centennial, corresponding to the Pike at St. Louis and the midway of other expositions has an entirely original environment for this feature of a world's fair. It is situated upon an ornate bridge which spans the lake and connects the mainland with the peninsula. With the unrivaled water facilities thus offered much attention will be directed to concessions for aquatic features.

The railroads have made exceptionally low rates for Portland for the Western World's Fair and many people in the East and Middle West are expected to take advantage of them to see the great Pacific Northwest.

ICE BOAT ANNAPOLIS

Made Successful Voyage To Crisfield V. cinity And With The Governor Thomas Rescues Many Oystermen And Releases Vessels.

After having accomplished the task of rescuing 30 stranded oystermen of icebound islands in Tangier Sound for which place she left Annapolis on Friday, the iceboat, Annapolis, cruised her way up the bay Monday through ice that ranged in thickness from fifteen inches, under orders to open the channel as much as possible and to go to the rescue of any vessels she found caught in the ice.

The Annapolis left the vicinity of Crisfield, in Somerset county Sunday afternoon, after having landed in the place the last of the rescued oystermen. United States Sub-Treasurer A. Lincoln Dryden, Marine Clerk, Charles A. Thalheimer of the Custom-house, and Dr. Joseph A. Hart, who went to Tangier sound on the Annapolis, are returning on her. The iceboat arrived in the vicinity of Drum Point Monday morning and succeeded in getting close enough to land to permit Mr. Dryden and others in the party to ashore.

A dispatch to The Balto. News Monday from Crisfield says: "Capt. T. C. B. Howard of the State oyster boat Governor Thomas, which arrived today, says that he left Annapolis on Saturday at 12.30 p. m. with the steamer Robert McLane, Capt. James A. Turner in command. They battled with the ice all the way to Thomas' Point, in the Patuxent River arriving there that night and remaining until 8 o'clock the next morning.

"The start was then made for Tangier sound through Hooper's strait. This was a solid mass of ice as far as the eye could see. The ice was in places five feet high across the strait and through the sound. The steamer were often hung up in the ice, one of the other. They arrived Deal's Island at noon today and land 20 captains and crews of vessels from up in the Patuxent river for about three weeks. These men had offered a tug \$150 to bring them across the bay, but had been refused. They were the happiest men on earth when picked up by the police boat Governor Thomas.

At Crisfield there are at present 7000 bushels of oysters, selling at cents a bushel. Many oyster boats are frozen in the harbor."

Not only did the Annapolis rescue the oystermen marooned on the Great South Marsh, whose predicament resulted in the request from Deal's Island for assistance, but she also took off another party of 15 men from Messel Hole Marsh. The rescue of the latter was entirely accidental. After the Annapolis got off the bar Hooper's strait early Saturday morning she backed out and by making detour of 15 miles entered again through Kedge's strait.

While going through Kedge's strait slowly a signal was seen on the lying marsh, and the Annapolis stopped off a party to find out what it meant. It was discovered that 18 oystermen had been caught in the ice there, held for ten days. They suffered considerably from the cold and had been living on short rations for several days. Robert Landon and Edward Evans of Crisfield and a colored named Spencer decided to remain on the marsh, as they figured they could not get out until the ice melted. Those who were to board the Annapolis from this marsh were all residents of Crisfield.

Bryan Helps To Raise \$20,000 Illinois University.

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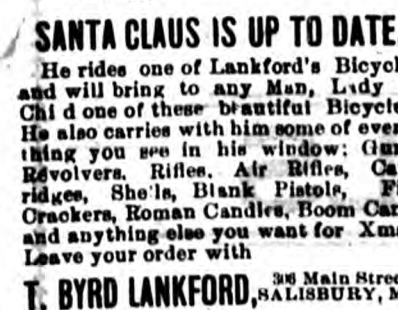
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CHAPTER XXX.

It was a delightful morning in February. The Continental ship Randolph, a light little thirty-two gun frigate, the first to get to sea of those ordered by Congress in 1775, was just leaving the beautiful harbor of Charleston, S. C., by way of the main ship channel on her maiden cruise, under the command of Captain John Seymour, late first lieutenant of the Ranger. This was the second departure she had taken from that port. Forced by severe damages, incurred in an encounter with a heavy gale shortly after leaving Philadelphia, she, to put into that harbor for needed repairs to the new and unsettled vessel, she had put to sea again after a short interval and in one week had taken six valuable prizes, one of them, an armed vessel of twenty guns, after a short action. After this brief and brilliant excursion she had put back to Charleston to dispose of her prizes, re-collect her prize crews and land her prisoners.

There was another motive, however, for the sudden return. From one of the prizes it had been learned that the English thirty-two gun frigate Carriacou, the twenty gun sloop Porpoise, the sixteen gun sloop Hinchinbrook, with several privateers, had been cruising off the coast together, and the commander of the Randolph was most anxious to get the help of some of the South Carolina state cruisers to go in search of the British ships. The indefatigable Governor Rutledge, when the news had been communicated to him, had worked assiduously to provide the state ships, and the young captain of the Randolph speedily found himself at the head of a little fleet of war vessels outward bound.

The departure of the squadron, the Randolph in the lead, the rest following and all under full sail, made a pretty picture to the enthusiastic Carolinians, who watched them from the islands and fortifications in the harbor and from a number of small boats which accompanied the warships a short distance on their voyage. Besides Seymour's own vessel there were the eighteen gun ship General Moultrie, the two sixteen gun ships Notre Dame and Polly and the fourteen gun brig Fair American, the last commanded by a certain master, Philip Wilton. They made officers of very young men in those days, and mere boys often occupied positions of trust and responsibility apparently far beyond their years. Even Seymour himself, though now a commodore or flag officer by courtesy, was very young for the position, and Governor Rutledge, moved by a warm friendship of long standing for old Colonel Wilton and upon Seymour's own urgent recommendation, had intrusted the smallest vessel to young Captain Philip. We shall see how he showed himself worthy of the trust reposed in him in spite of his tender years.

Forward on the forecastle old Bentley was planted, surrounded by such of the older and more experienced petty officers and men as he permitted to associate with him on terms of more or less familiarity. Not only the position he occupied, that of boatswain of the frigate, gave him a vast importance with the men, but his age and experience, his long association with the captain, as well as some almost incredible tales of his familiar companionship with certain men of awe inspiring name and great renown, with various mighty feats of arms in recent campaigns vaguely current, conducted to make him the monarch of the forecastle and the arbiter of the various discussions and arguments among the men, who rarely ventured to dispute the dictum of their oracle.

"Well, here we are pointing out again, thank the Lord!" he said to his particular friend and comrade among the crew, the carpenter, Richard Spiler, a battered old shellback, like himself. "There is only one place from which I like to see the land, Richard."

"And where is that, boss?"

"Over the stern, as now, mate, when we're going free with a fair wind and leaving it fast behind. I feel safer then."

SIX rather uneventful days passed, during which prizes to the number of five fell to the lot of the squadron, one loaded with military stores and another with provisions of great value. The lively little Fair American, being far to windward of the fleet, had also a smart action with a heavily armed British privateer, which struck her flag before the others could get within range and was found to be loaded with valuable portable goods, the fittings of a long and successful cruise. Young Wilton had maneuvered and fought his ship well and had been publicly complimented in general orders by Seymour for skill and gallantry. The fleet had been exercised in signals and in various simple evolutions, the weather was most pleasant, the men in excellent spirits, and all that was necessary to complete their happiness was the appearance of the looked for squadron of the enemy. The eager lookouts swept the seas unweariedly, but in vain, until early in the afternoon of the sixth day, the fleet being in longitude 58 degrees 18 minutes west, latitude 14 degrees 30 minutes north, about forty leagues east of Martinique, heading due west on the starboard tack, it was reported to Seymour, who was reading in the cabin, that the Fair American, again far in the lead and somewhat to windward, had signaled a large sail ahead. A short time should make her visible if the vessels continued on the present course, and after having called his feet about him by signal Seymour stood on for a nearer look at the stranger. An hour later she was visible from the deck of the Randolph, a very large ship, evidently a man-of-war under easy sail. The careful watchers could count three tiers of guns through the glass, which

proclaimed her a ship of the line. Seymour at once formed a desperate resolution. Signaling to the four state cruisers and the six prizes to tack to the northeast, escape if possible and afterward make the best of their way back to Charleston, he himself stood on with the little Randolph to engage the mighty stranger.

In a few moments the familiar tones of Bentley's powerful voice, seconded by the cheery calls of his mates, rang through the frigate:

"All hands clear ship for action! Ahoy!"

CHAPTER XXXI.

It is usually not difficult for an individual to define the conditions of happiness. If only I had so and so, or if I only were so-and-so, and the thing is done. Each successive state, however, suggests one more happy, and each gratified wish leads to another desire more imperative. Miss Katharine Wilton, however, did not confine her conditions to units. There were in her case three requisites for happiness—perfect happiness—and could they have been satisfied in all probability she would have come as near to the wished for state as poor humanity on this earth ever does come to that beatific condition. She certainly thought so and with characteristic boldness had not refrained from communicating her thoughts to her father.

The astonishing feature of the situation was that he was inclined to agree with her. There was nothing astonishing in itself in his agreement with her, for he usually did agree with her, but in that her conditions were really his own. For it is rare, blessedly so, that two people feel that they require the same thing to complete the joy of life, and when they parallel on three points 'tis most remarkable. Even two lovers require each other—very different things, I am sure. Stop! I am not so sure about the third proviso with the colonel. I say the third because Miss Wilton put it number three, though perhaps it was like a woman's postscript, which somehow suggests the paraphrase of a familiar bit of Scripture—the last, not will be, but should be, first.

Here are the requisites: First—The flag floating gracefully from the peak of the mast in the sunny afternoon should be the stars and stripes instead of the red cross of St. George! Second—The prow of the ship should be turned to the wooded shores of Virginia, and the Old Dominion should be her destination instead of the chalk cliffs of England! Third—That a certain handsome, fair, blue eyed, gallant sailor, who answered to the name of John Seymour, should be by her side instead of another, even though that other were one who had once saved her life and to whose care and kindness and forethought she was much indebted. Her present attendant was certainly a gentleman, and to an unprejudiced eye, which hers certainly was not, quite as handsome and distinguished and gallant as was his favored rival, and boasting one advantage over the other in that he bore a titled name, not such a desideratum among American girls at that time, however, as it was in a girl destined to become, and in a girl of the stamp of Miss Katharine Wilton possibly no advantage at all.

But, could the heart of that fair damsel be known, all talk of advantage or disadvantage or this or that compensating factor was absolutely idle. She was not a girl who did things by halves, and the feeling which had prompted her to give herself to the young sailor, though of sudden origin, had grown and grown during the years of absence and confinement till, in depth and intensity, it matched his own. She was not now so sure that, among the other objects of her adoration, he would have to take the second place; that, in case of division, her heart would lead her to think first of her country. Insensibly his image supplanted every other, and with all the passionate devotion of her generous southern nature she loved him.

Lord Desborough had ample opportunity for ascertaining life for Seymour's own. He could never forget the gleam of picture she made standing across the prostrate form of that young man, pistol in hand, keeping the mob at bay, never wavering, never faltering, clear eyed, supreme. He would be almost willing to die to have her do the like for him. He could still hear the echo of that bitter cry, "Seymour, Seymour!" which rang through the house when they had dragged her away. These things were not pleasant reminiscences, but, like most other unpleasant memories, they would not die.

In spite of all this, however, he had allowed himself—nay, his permission, he vowed, had not been asked—to fall violently in love with this little colonial maiden, and a country maiden at that. Not being psychologically inclined, he had never attempted to analyze her charm or to explain his sensations. Realizing the fact, and being young and therefore hopeful, he had not allowed himself to despair. Really he had some claims upon her. Had he not interfered she would have been murdered that night in the dining room. He had earned the gratitude then and there of her father and of herself as well, and he had earned a more of it, too, when he had shot down a certain brutal, marauding blackguard of the name of Johnson at the first convenient opportunity, having conveniently incidentally in return for his message of death a bullet in his own breast to remind him that there are always two persons and two chances in a duel.

A part of the debt of the Wiltons had been paid by the assiduous and solicitous care with which they—Katharine chiefly, of course—had nursed him through the long and dangerous illness consequent upon his wound. It was his interest which had prevented further ill treatment of them by the brutal and tyrannous Dunmore, and had Katharine so elected, would have secured her freedom. She had, however, to Desborough's great delight, chosen to accompany her father to England, where he was to be sent as a prisoner of high political consequence.

After waiting many weary days at the camp of the fugitive and deposed governor at Gwynn's Island, they had been separated from Desborough and unconsciously hunted on board the frigate Radnor, which was under orders for England. They had stopped long enough at Norfolk to witness Dunmore's savage and vindictive action in bombarding and burning that helpless town, and from that point Katharine had been enabled to send her letter to Seymour, through a friendly American spy, just before taking departure for their long voyage across the seas. The orders of the Radnor had been changed at the last moment, however, and she had been directed to go in pursuit of Jones and the Ranger, which it was currently reported had got to sea from the Delaware Bay, bound for Canada and the Newfoundland coast.

No vessel being ready for England at that time, the two prisoners had been transferred, fortunately for them, to a small ship bound to the naval station at Barbados, and thence, after another weary, dreary wait, had been sent on board his Britannic majesty's ship Yarmouth, Captain John Vincent, bound home for England. The first lieutenant of this ship happened to be a certain Patrick Michael Philip O'Neal, Drummond, the Desborough son and heir to the Earl of Desmond! He congratulated himself most heartily upon his good fortune.

Providence had, then, again thrown a lover at Katharine's feet. Not that there was anything unusual in that. She might not regard it in a providential light, however, but he at least did so, and he had intended to improve the shining hours of what would be a long cruise in the close association permitted by the confined limits of the ship to make a final desperate effort to win



"Won't you let me try to win you?" the heart which had hitherto so entirely eluded him that he could not flatter himself that he had made the least impression upon it. His success during the first three or four days of the cruise had not been brilliant. She had been unaffectedly glad to see him apparently, and gentle and kind in her reception—too kind, he thought, with the circumstance of a lover—but that was all. To add to his trials, he soon found himself not without rivals nearer at home than Seymour.

Judging by present results, Washington, if he had a few fragments of Katharine, could carry consternation to the whole British army, for the captors had apparently taken the oath of allegiance to the captured, and the whole ship's company, from that great old sailor Captain Vincent down through all the other officers to the impudent and important little midshipman, were her devoted slaves.

Early one afternoon in the beginning of February the Yarmouth, being under all plain sail, with the wind two or three points abaft the beam, was bowling along under a fresh breeze about a day's sail east of Martinique. The weather was perfect, and because of the low latitude, in spite of the winter season, there was no touch of sharpness in the air, which was warm and delightful. All the necessary drills and exercises having been concluded earlier in the day, the whole ship's company was enjoying a period of unusual relaxation and leisure.

Colonel Wilton was standing aft with Captain Vincent in the shadow of the spanker. Miss Wilton, with Chloe, her black maid, behind her chair, was sitting near the break of the poop deck, looking forward, surrounded by several lieutenants, Desborough being at her right hand, of course, feeling and looking unusually gloomy and morose. One or two of the oldest and boldest midshipmen were also lingering on the outskirts of the group, as hear to their divinity as they dared come in the presence of their superior officers. The conversation, happening to turn, as it frequently did, upon the subject of the present war between England and the colonies engaged in rebellion against the paternal power, was unusually animated.

"But you, no, please don't go now," I went on in humble entreaty. "I wish to speak to you a moment. When you came aboard I hoped to see you often, to be with you, alone—to win you." His voice sank to a passionate whisper. "My lord, my lord, it was best to go no further," she interrupted gravely. "Tis no use, you remember."

"Yes, yes, I remember everything—everything about you, that is. I shut my eyes and feel the soft touch of your cool hand on my fevered head again as when I had that bullet in my breast. Oh, it thrills me, maddens me! I'd be wounded so again could I but feel those hands once more! Listen to me. You must listen! It cannot hurt you to hear me, and I am sure one of the others will be back in a moment. You are never alone," he said, detaining her almost forcibly. "I love you! You must know that I do! What is that land, or any land, beside my love? You are my country! I can give you lands, titles, rank, luxury—Be pitiful to me, Mistress Katharine! What can I do or say, or promise? You shall grace the court of the king and be at the same time queen of my heart." He went on impetuously, his soul in his eager whisper. She turned and walked over to the lee rail, whether he followed her, "I'd rather be in that land of yours than be the king himself. I hate the king, and I could not love the enemy of my country! No, no," she replied: "It cannot be—it can never be."

"Ishaw! Your country—that's not the reason. You love him still, you are not here."

"Yes, 'tis true. I love a sailor; you are not he."

"But he is dead! You left him lying there on the floor in the hall, you remember, and since then have heard nothing. He is surely dead!"

"It is cruel of you to say it," she went on relentlessly. "But I shall love his memory then. No; 'tis useless. I respect you, admire you, am grateful to you, but my heart is there!" And she pointed away again.

"Won't you let me try to win you?" he persisted. "Don't say me pay altogether; give me some hope. If he be dead, let me have a chance. Oh, Katharine Wilton, I would give up anything for—"

LURED BY LIGHT.

Some New Nocturnal Experiences of South American Insects.

Interesting results have followed the introduction of the electric light in the streets of Port of Spain, Trinidad. The largely populated insect world of that region has never before seen such brilliant illumination as the arc lights of the city, and they have shown great curiosity, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Every morning the ground under the lamps is found to be strewn with thousands of dead insects of many varieties. It is impossible to walk without treading on them.

If the supply of insects were not inexhaustible some of the varieties would certainly be doomed to extinction. In fact, one kind is evidently less numerous now than before the electric lights were installed.

This is a kind of giant water bug, of which such incredible numbers were destroyed that the bug has come to be generally known as the electric beetle. The insects are no longer visited by the crowds of these bugs that at first came to inquire into the meaning of the strange brilliance. Either the species has been greatly depleted through the destruction of many thousands of its members or else some kind of instinct has told them that arc lamps are dangerous things to meddle with.

The owls in their wisdom have learned to profit by the fascination which the arc lamp has for insects. As the illumination is turned on at nightfall the owls may be seen sending their way to the neighborhood of the lamps, for they have discovered that the insects are more abundant there than anywhere else.

The feast is spread before them, and all they have to do is to dash out from the trees and capture a moth or a beetle that is winging its way to the dazzling glow. Then the owls return to their perches and wait for the next comer.

The bats also have learned to make use of the lights in this unsportsmanlike manner for catching moths and other insects.

Not a few explorers in tropical regions have complained that it is impossible to have a light in camp during the night without incurring unpleasant visitations from myriads of insects.

One of them recently wrote that he was often forced to dine in the dark, as an attempt to use a light attracted swarms of flies, which got into his eyes and dropped into his food.

The naturalist Eugene Andre in his recent descriptions of journeys in the Orinoco basin found that he could carry on his work of collecting insects at night by the use of lights. One evening an assistant took a number of flashlight photographs by using the magnesium light.

An invasion of the camp by moths and other insects at once occurred, and Andre secured more than 100 specimens. On the following morning he found the stowed and mutilated remains of many others that had perished miserably, lured by the strange spell which a bright light casts upon them.

Society Criminals.

In dealing with offenses by criminals of previous good social standing we rarely look beyond the offender himself to consider the welfare of the community. If, for example, a man steals and after his indictment for the crime his friends or relatives repay the amount of the theft, in America that is the end of the matter, and the offense committed against the public is entirely negligible. The greatest bank wrecker in American criminal history now lives undisturbed in New

York. He never served a day in jail for a defalcation of \$5,000,000. The indictments against him were all dismissed a few years ago. He even seems to have returned to some sort of social position, and the society columns of the New York Times, commenting some time ago upon a reception at his New York home, alluded with becoming gravity to certain Canadian guests as friends whom their host and his family had made "during their long stay in Quebec!"—George W. Alger in

Misunderstood.

At the inauguration of Dr. Flavel S. Luther, the new president of Trinity college, a student said:

"I want to tell you about a mishap that befell Dr. Luther one morning last month.

"He boarded one of our Hartford street cars, rode a mile or so with his eyes fixed on his newspaper and close on the end of his journey looked up and spied one of his students crumpled in a corner.

"The student was in a wretched plight. His clothing was stained, his linen soiled, his hair unbrushed. His face was pallid, and his eyes were bloodshot and dull. He looked ill; he looked a wreck, and it was easy to see what the trouble was.

"Dr. Luther, fresh and vigorous from his bath and his good breakfast, arose to get off. As he passed the unclean student he said grimly:

"'Been on a drunk!'"

"The student's sleepy eyes rolled languidly toward Dr. Luther, and in a dull and listless voice the young man said:

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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 urination, desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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PEOPLE AFTER BETTER PUBLIC SERVICE.

National, State, municipal and county conditions point to a state of affairs generally in the United States where the supreme need is a "man," and there is an illimitable demand for many of them. The word "politician," as it is commonly understood, is growing to be a very unpopular brand of humanity. Indeed the term has in so many instances become so nearly synonymous to "graft," "heeler" and "corruptionist" that the present day good often seek to escape the baleful halo under the cloak of another name; but the people should not be fooled nor the public deceived.

In this connection it is gratifying to see the determined stand in Baltimore for a Municipal League for the purpose of bringing about the selection of worthy and qualified candidates for the City Council. Never was there a period in Baltimore's onward history where good citizens were needed so badly as now in the public offices, places of high trust and influence in the Monumental City. No doubt the politicians will want their pet candidates now more than ever, with so many high graft plants in view, and every watchful fact will be needed to check them and give to Baltimore a purer, more devoted government for her prime interests in her greatest need.

"Let us stamp out graft—in business, in politics, in government. Let us stand like a rock for good old-fashioned honesty in all our acts and relations. Let us insist upon complete devotion to the people's welfare in all public offices, from the highest to the lowest, that private self shall not influence public acts."

So says the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, in an address to the American people, urging all of Uncle Sam's sons to concentrate their thoughts upon the betterment of the home, the farm and the factory, on Washington's Birthday.

That is a sentiment which every American should indorse, not only on Washington's Birthday, but every day in the year. It is gratifying to note that it is a sentiment which is becoming more popular every year, without respect to political divisions. Democrats and Republicans, Populists and Patrons of Husbandry, can all get together on such a platform. In the early days of the Republic "grafting" was unknown. Not all public officials were exponents of "good old fashioned honesty," but those who prostituted public office to private self were few in number. "Grafting" is a vice of modern civilization. It had its birth in the Civil War and it has flourished for 40 years. There are evidences that the public conscience has been aroused and that its end, as a system at least, is in sight. If the Patrons of Husbandry can expedite the end they will be entitled to the gratitude of the public—the chief victim of the "graft."

Shoemaker Road Act Declared Valid.

The Court of Appeals upheld the validity of the Shoemaker road act in an order handed down Thursday morning in the case of Mr. Frank A. Bonnal against the Baltimore County Commissioners. An opinion will be filed later.

This act provides for an appropriation of \$300,000 for each of two years from the funds in the State Treasury to the different counties in the State to be used in building improved roads. The fund is distributed according to the road mileage in the respective counties.

It will not, be necessary to submit this amendment for the approval of the people since the Court of Appeals has decided that the money can be contributed from the funds in the State Treasury.

Mrs. S. King White Entertains At Euchre Thursday.

Mrs. S. King White gave a very enjoyable euchre at her home on High Street Thursday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Stanfer. The first prize, a silver hat pin was won by Miss Victoria Wallis. Among those present were: Mrs. Graham Gunby, Mrs. Alan Benjamin, Mrs. J. McF. Dick, Mrs. Chas. Levisness of Baltimore, Mrs. F. P. Adkins, Mrs. U. W. Polk, Miss Stauffer, of Frederick, Md., Miss Lena Barnes of King's Creek, Misses Pauline Collier, Lizzie Collier, Edna Owens, Lizzie Wallis, Victoria Wallis, Mary Gandy and Edna Adkins.

Foley's Kidney Cure

Makes kidneys and bladder right.

THE HEALTH REPORT

As Compiled By Dr. Truitt For Wicomico County, Showing Number Of Deaths And Causes. 176 Births Recorded.

Dr. Charles R. Truitt, Health Officer for Wicomico, has completed his report for the year 1904, a copy of which has been forwarded to the State Board of Health. The report shows that there were 306 deaths during the year. The births numbered 176.

The following number of contagious diseases were reported by the physicians: Scarlet Fever, 63; Typhoid Fever, 102; Chicken Pox, 17; Measles, 93; Mumps, 12; Smallpox, 9. The following deaths from these diseases were the result: Scarlet Fever, 1; Typhoid Fever, 12; Smallpox, 1. Dr. Truitt says that the small number of deaths out of the large number of Typhoid Fever patients was due to the efficiency of the skilled physicians who handled the cases. He also said that the believed the birth greatly exceeded the number reported, as mid-wives often failed to make reports. The physicians he said, were very prompt in reporting births. The number of deaths is easier and more accurately ascertained because of the fact that undertakers are required to apply for burial permits before interments are made.

The principal causes of death were as follows: Consumption, 17; Grip, 8; Heart Disease, 16; Appendicitis, 1; Pneumonia, 5; Paralysis, 1; Typhoid Fever, 12; Dropsy, 1; Catarrh, 11; Dysentery, 6; Peritonitis, 1; Scarlet Fever, 1.

Thirty two persons died above the age of 70 years, as follows: 4 at 73, 4 at 75; 1 at 77; 1 at 78; 7 at 80, 1 at 83; 8 at 85; 1 at 87; 3 at 88.

During the year there were nine cases of smallpox reported in the county. At the present time, however, the health of the county is reported to be good there being no smallpox or other epidemic of contagious diseases.

Mr. Waller Williams Entertains His Gentleman Friends.

Slush, snow and ice were all vanquished by a party of young Salisbury men, who drove out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Williams near Delmar Thursday night and were entertained at dinner by their son, Mr. Waller Williams in honor of his twenty first birthday. After an elaborate spread temptingly served had been dispensed with the young men celebrated with a general jollification ensemble, and became for the time being an amateur minstrel company, regaling the occasion with many songs and much music. Not until the evening was far advanced did the joy laden guests disperse, leaving hearty congratulations and good will to require the kind hospitality of their genial host.

In the stag party were: Messrs. B. Frank Adkins, John H. Bacon, Clarence Robertson, Harvey Robertson, D. Frank Holloway, Arthur Phillips, Thomas Abbott, W. B. Tilghman Jr., Joe Carey, Minos Trader, Homer Dickerson.

Death Of Wm. J. Riggan At Over Three Score And Ten.

The funeral services of Mr. William J. Riggan, who died of a complication of diseases, Sunday night at his home near Tony Tank took place at Shad Point Church Tuesday afternoon when the remains were interred.

Mr. Riggan was 78 years of age, and for nearly 25 years was a Justice of the Peace. He is survived by a widow and seven children, viz., Mr. Wm. H. Riggan and Mrs. James Price, of Salisbury; Mr. Edward J. Riggan, of Crisfield; Mr. John T. Riggan, of Parsonsburg; Mrs. Rebecca Cranfield, of near Snow Hill; Mrs. Summerfield Smith and Miss Josephine Riggan, of Tony Tank. He is also survived by 15 grand-children and 8 great-grand children.

Mr. Riggan had a benefit certificate for \$2,000 in the Improved Order of Heptasophs.

Shot A Chicken Thief.

Recently Mr. Hiram Lewis, who lives just outside the town limits of Snow Hill, heard a noise in the direction of his poultry house and being convinced that a thief was making an attempt to raid his chicken roost, he took down his gun and crept cautiously out. He fired in the direction of the noise, without taking aim at any particular object, but the cries that arose told him that an unerring instinct had guided his aim. A colored individual named Will Parker was the thief and he received the full contents of the gun in various parts of his body. Some of the shot struck him in the face, and it is said he may lose the sight of one eye as a result of his injuries.

Nine Sets Of Triplets From Yankton, S. D.

President Roosevelt will be introduced this week to the father and mother of twenty seven children, and it is expected he will present them with an autographed photograph.

George W. Denville, the father, is but 48 years old and his wife 38. They live at Yankton, S. D. They expect to arrive here on a visit next week, and the senators and representatives will take them to the White House.

The twenty seven children are nine sets of triplets. Twenty four of them are boys and three are girls. The children will not be there.

"The Rogers Brothers in Paris," Next At Academy.

The attraction at the Academy of Music, Baltimore, for one week, beginning Monday evening, February 13, with matinee Saturday only, will be the Rogers Brothers in Klaw & Erlanger's production of John J. McNally's latest farce, "The Rogers Brothers in Paris," in which these popular and inimitable comedians have scored the greatest success they have ever made. During the past four seasons they broke all records of receipts in every theatre in which they played. This season they are making the very unique record of turning more people away at every performance than has ever before been known in connection with any theatrical entertainment.

Mr. McNally never wrote a brighter or funnier farce than "The Rogers Brothers in Paris," which keeps an audience in a constant roar of laughter from the rise to the fall of the curtain. As usual the story is of skeleton construction, permitting of the introduction of a large number of novel specialty features, the entire piece going with a dash and snap which makes it the most attractive comic musical entertainment now on the American stage. The story is told in three acts, the scenes of which represent The Bal Bouillier, Latin Quarter, Paris; Garden of the Tuilleries, Paris; Rue de Rivoli, Paris; Place de la Concorde, Paris and the Hagenbach Zoo, St. Louis Exposition. The Rogers Brothers as usual play the characters of two stupid Germans who have a faculty for forgetting themselves mixed up in a series of comic complications.

The company surrounding the Rogers Brothers this season numbers one hundred and fifteen people. The company includes such favorites as Gus and Max Rogers, Josephine Colan, Dorothy Hunting, Emily Nice, Bessie de Voie, Julia Eastman, Lillian Hart Geo. Austin Moore, Joseph Kane, Louis B. Foley, John Conroy, William Taylor and William Tropey.

Firemen Have Huge Banquet At The Peninsula Hotel.

Wednesday evening was a typical night for an indoor affair and the Salisbury Firemen appreciated the condition at its utmost in a splendid banquet under the personal supervision of Proprietor Phillips. Besides the members of the Department, the City Officials, the press and several prominent citizens were united.

Handsome floral decorations covered the tables. Mr. A. M. Jackson was toastmaster. Messrs. J. D. Price, W. U. Polk, Chief Sirman, Wm. F. Boudin, A. R. Lohner and W. A. Ennis responded. The dinner was served in courses, consuming two hours and concluded shortly after twelve.

Menu:—Oysters on half shell, chicken consommé, Cold Turkey, Saratoga chips, olives, celery, pickles, chicken salad, bread sticks, Maryland biscuits, Roman punch, salted nuts, ice cream, fancy cakes, coffee, cigars.

Sad Loss By Fire Of Former Salisbury.

Mr. John S. Disharoon, until within the last three years of Salisbury, but now a resident of Wachapreague, Va. where he is running a mill for the George C. Mapp Lumber Co. met with a serious loss by fire on Thursday last week. The fire broke out at 9:30 a. m. evidently catching from the stove. Although the rest of the family were home at the time the flames had made good headway before being discovered that everything was lost including all their clothing and \$235 in cash. The house had just been furnished by Mr. Disharoon at a cost of \$400 and he had no insurance on anything. This was practically all their savings. Mr. George Dove, brother of Mrs. Disharoon also lost his clothing.

In July of last year Mr. Disharoon was married to the daughter of Mr. G. T. Dove of this city. The fire occurred during the severe part of last week when it was cold, snowing and the wind high.

Unclaimed Letters.

L. E. Bailey, Mrs. Liza Cornish, Stephen P. Dennis, M. D., Mary Ellis, Miss Lizzie Evans, Miss Martha E. Gordy, Mrs. J. E. Golley, Mr. G. W. Gunaway, Mrs. Iva M. Hastings, Mr. Leman Hastings, Mrs. Alice R. Henry, Miss Lizzie James, Mr. G. I. Jenkins, Mr. A. T. Jones, Mr. George P. Maddox, Edwin H. Messick, Mrs. Maria Miles, Mr. Willie Newell, Mr. Isaac W. Parker, James Shepherd, Mrs. F. Stevenson, Ward Bros., Mrs. Mary West, Mr. Thomas Wheatley, Leo Williams.

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The Howard Grocery Company In New Hands.

Messrs. Ernest and Pitt Turner, both until recently employed with B. L. Gillis & Son, this week purchased the stock and good will of Mr. Peter Boudin, proprietor of the grocery business, operating under the name of the Howard Grocery Company. The transfer will be made next Wednesday. Mr. Boudin has made no definite plans for the future, but Mr. G. B. Riggan, now in his employ as shipping clerk will go with the firm of Gillis & Son as shipping clerk and salesman. It has not been made public as to whether or not the business will be continued under the present name.

Evening Entertainment in the Country.

A party of Salisbury friends were pleasantly entertained by Miss Hazel Macomber at her home near the city Monday night. Refreshments were served at eleven. The guests: Misses Emma Wood, Mary Tilghman, Mary Cooper Smith, Sarah Wallis, Mamie Adkins, Annie Dashiell, Eva Catlin, May Sirman, Mamie Gillis and Emma Williams; Messrs. P. A. Grier, Jr., Arthur Phillips, Wm. Phillips, Arthur Richard on, Stephen P. Tompkins, Wm. B. Tilghman, Jr., George White and Raymond K. Truitt.

Found Dead In An Oyster Sloop.

Seaford, Del., Feb. 5.—The dead body of William L. Holt, a well known citizen, was found in the cabin of the oyster sloop Ivy Leonard this morning by W. H. Stevens, Jr., about 9 o'clock.

Holt had contracted with Captain John Pruitt to watch his oysters and keep them from freezing.

It is supposed heart disease was the cause of his death as his body showed no marks. He was a member of the Brotherhood of the Union and leaves a wife and three children.

Dogs found the body of a dead man in the ice in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal near Pointe. The man is supposed to be a laborer on the Wabash, who disappeared last October.

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BOAT PROPERTY.

Including one gasoline launch "Dorchester" 41 feet long 8 feet beam, hull built of white oak, sprung frame, planked with heart cypress, a little over one half cabined, fitted with 16 h. p. 4 cylinder, 4 cycle motor built by the Clifton mo or works, Cincinnati, O., a model boat with a good and modern engine. Has not been built a year. 1 small row 20x19, 1 row-boat—batteau 18 or 20 ft. 1 fishing fyke 18 ft. long 6 ft. hoops and 20 ft. wings.

TERMS: Ten months time will be given on all sums over \$10, on all property except gasoline boat and threshing outfit; on which ten months will be given on one half of the purchase price of each and twenty months on the other half. Notes to be secured by two approved endorers.

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One sorrel driving horse "Blossom," ten years old, good driver; well, perfectly gentle, one gray mare, 9 years old, a good puller. One pair of mules, 8 and 9 years old, good brisk mules. One cow 4 years old. One cow 6 years old.

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Including one organ, good couch, one rubber-tire baby car, oak buffet, oak extension table, walnut bookcase, one oak bedroom suit, chairs, stands, carpeting, feather beds, mattresses, bedsteads and bedding, one office swinging chair, good range, cook stove, four air tight heaters, all good, a number of oil lamps, one oil heater and two oil cook stoves, one 10 quart ice cream freezer, good, one chemical fire extinguisher, large lot of cooking utensils, dishes, etc., lot of ice, knives and forks, and 17 dozen good linen table napkins used at camp. In fact, our entire house keeping outfit.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

One top buggy, new; one buggy, no top; one two horse wagon, one horse wagon, one horse cart, one timber cart, Empire 8 hoe grain drill, one good hay mower, good iron self dump hay rake, one horse and two horse plows, two horse dig, iron cultivator, horse rake forks and shovels, buggy harness and blankets, cart harness, wagon harness, plow harness, grindstone, number of hay pulleys, several hundred cedar posts, chicken wire and other things too numerous to mention.

CANNING MACHINERY.

Including 5 hp engine, upright, put in thorough repair. Moore & Bristol tomato mill, one 4 steel climax capper for 31" cans, 4 rooster kettles 38 x 42, 10 cages to rack cans, 1 set of crane fixtures, 1 iron vat, 1 iron scaling kettle and cage, 1 very large vat, 1 cast iron jacket kettle, several shafts and pulleys, 1 clutch wheel, sprockets and chain, 1 lot of machinery to can pump kin. Several new capping steel to fit American Can Co's can, several gasoline torches, new steam gauge and air gauge, 1 gas plant, consisting of Lockwood's 3 barrel carburette, blower and counter shaft, 4 sets of iron wheels and gear for camera platform, all that is needed. Several hundred feet of second hand pipe taken apart and painted. Fire proof iron safe, book space.

SAW MILL MACHINERY.

Including one 30 h. p. horizontal bricked in boiler, 125 h. p. horizontal Nagle engine, 1 Page saw mill, one 9 gauge inverted tooth saw. Several small solid tooth rip saws. Four cut off saws set on one shaft four feet apart. One edging table and saw mandrel, lath table with double mandrel and two saws. One long line shafts and pulleys, 1 9 in. heavy belt and lot of smaller belt, 1 24 inch pony planer single surface.

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800 yards Calico at 4 cents.

1000 yards Extra Heavy Flannel at 5 cents.

400 yards White Apron Goods at 5 cents.

1000 yards Fine Needle Flannel at 7 cents.

300 yards Extra Fine Silk at 37 cents.

200 yards Wide Hamburg Edge at 7 cents.

100 yards Fine Percales at 6 cents.

The Remnant Counter is now filled. It will pay you to come and look over them.

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Local Department.

Notes in this branch concerning visits, without which things, that is, truth concerning them, will be helpful, or pleasant, or useful, or necessary for a reader to know.

The Advertiser will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings, parties, and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present for this department. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender, not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

See Ullman Sons add on page 4.

Mrs. Wm. Day and son, Charles went to Baltimore Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Wilmer Gullett has been entertaining an aunt from Cambridge.

Mr. Samuel S. Smith has been ill the past few days with grip.

The sunshine and warmer weather of yesterday met with a welcome from all.

Mr. and Mrs. U. W. Dickerson returned from a visit in Philadelphia Thursday.

Local produce exchanges will be organized at Westover, King's Creek, Loretto and Eden.

Mr. Harry Mumford, day clerk at the Peninsula Hotel, has been sick and detained at home this week.

Dr. Guy Hanner of Baltimore made his fortnightly visit to Salisbury last Wednesday.

The Misses Tilghman entertained friends in their home on Camden Avenue last Tuesday evening.

Miss Cleo Baker, who has been spending the past few weeks in Snow Hill, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Dora Wilcox, having spent a few days in Philadelphia returned home last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert Hitch and little daughter are visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Geo. T. Nealy and daughter, have returned from a visit with friends in Crisfield, Md.

Miss Annie Waller of this city is visiting friends and relatives in Laurel, Del.

The County Commissioners will convene next Tuesday, their last session having been held Jan. 27th.

Mr. Granville R. Hambury, assistant to County Treasurer J. D. Price, just returned to duty after a two weeks illness.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Home for the Aged at the City Hall Tuesday, February 14th, at 3 o'clock.

Miss Beulah White has been ill the past week and her place in the school has been supplied by one of the Tenth Grade pupils.

Water flowed freely for an hour in the express office last Sunday evening. The result of a turned on faucet. No damage done.

Miss Emma Day has issued invitations for a Valentine party to be given in her home next Tuesday evening.

The Gordon B. Jones postponed sale at Newark will take place Wednesday, Feb. 15. If stormy the next day.

Mr. Granville E. Banks who recently disposed of his farming property is now with his family a resident of Salisbury.

The boy who finds a sympathetic friend in his father when telling his troubles, is not likely to hunt the street for a confidant.

Mr. G. E. Mitchell this week received two carloads of coal, another consignment for his yards being on the way.

Mr. Harvey Morris attended the meeting of farm land owners in Princess Anne, which organized a produce exchange there.

Mrs. W. F. Presgrave and Miss Hunsberger are now at Bryn Mawr, Pa. but will shortly return to the Tony Tank home of Mr. and Mrs. Presgrave.

At the Riverside M. E. Parsonage, Thursday at 7.30 o'clock, Mr. Lafayette Mills and Miss Mary E. Disharoon were quietly married by the Rev. W. F. Atkinson.

There will be services at the Catholic Church on Sunday, February 12th, as follows: Mass and Sermon, 10.30 a. m.; Benediction and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

Mr. Robert H. Mitchell, a short time back at his pond in Blackwater, near Federalburg, killed 34 wild ducks at one shot. Perhaps a second shot would have put the rest of sportsmen in that section out of business.

Dispatches from South Africa claim the largest diamond ever known has been discovered in the Premier mine, near Pretoria, in the Transvaal. The stone is said to be oblong in shape and weighs 3033 carats valued at \$3,000,000.

Mr. Frank Perry has been home from the Jacob Tome Institute for the week, while Mr. Lynn Perry was attracted to New York during the vacation interim at the University of Pennsylvania.

On Saturday evening, February 18, at half past seven o'clock, an entertainment will be held at Bunsell's School near Fruitland. A special feature of entertainment will be the up-to-date Comedy Drama "Just For Fun," bright sparkling and full of humor. Music and selections by members of school. Should the weather prove very unfavorable the affair will be postponed until the following Wednesday evening, February 22. Admission ten cents.

Miss Lulu Patrick is visiting friends at Harford.

Miss Corbett Johnson spent a few days in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Lulu Patrick entertained a few of her friends last Wednesday evening.

Miss Edna Adkins entertained a few friends Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Stauffer, of Frederick, Md.

Mrs. C. R. Disharoon and Miss Ora Belle Disharoon spent this week in Philadelphia.

For Sale: Second hand, show cases at the Laws building, Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Robinson of Sharptown have returned home from an extended northern visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Tilghman have gone to Florida for two weeks and will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah J. Tilghman.

Ex-Governor E. E. Jackson and Mrs. Jackson were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Wirt Leonard from Saturday to Wednesday.

Married at the manse, February 7th, Thomas W. Clark and Mary Little, both of Wicomico county by Rev. S. W. Keigart, D. D.

Friday next is the last of the great sacrifice sale of jewelry, cut glass, silverware, etc., at Harper & Taylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Insley are visiting Mrs. Insley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pusey, near Westover.

Mr. W. F. Presgrave is finishing a large barn to house a part of his racing stock. He has Mr. F. W. Buck associated with him in the horse business.

The law office now occupied by Mr. Samuel R. Douglass, recently vacated by Messrs. Toadvin & Bell has been much improved by interior touches.

Mrs. Levin Dorman and Mrs. Charles Levine, Jr. have issued invitations to a tea from four to six, Thursday afternoon, February the sixteenth.

Mr. James E. Ellegood appeared in Annapolis this week to argue the case of the negro, Handy, appealed from the Circuit Court for Wicomico County.

Mrs. Lowenthal will spend the next four weeks with relatives in Baltimore and New York. She will attend the spring millinery openings while away.

Prof. Skinner has placed a handsome Painter and Ewing piano in the Eastern Shore Commercial College. The instrument was purchased of Mr. Wm. T. Dashiell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lee Bergin and son, Charles, who have been visiting Mrs. Laura Darby, Camden Avenue have returned to their home, Baltimore, Md.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was entertained last evening by Mrs. S. P. Woodcock at her home on Camden Avenue.

The Freeny Bros., of Hebron, Md., announce elsewhere in the Advertiser, an immediate need for operators on all parts of night robes, and offer steady employment.

February 15th, is the correct date for Ward & Gordy's large sale of horses and mules on the shell road. If you need an animal or if you know of any one who does next Wednesday will afford a rare opportunity.

Miss Sarah Ullman furnished the music at the Opera House last Saturday evening during the performance of Mand Muller. She is to be congratulated upon her first effort of the kind, coming to the rescue when it was impossible to secure the regular pianist.

Mr. Wm. S. Powell, special agent of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., for this Peninsula is in town arranging to locate in Salisbury with his wife and child about the first of March. Mr. Powell lived here eighteen years ago, but his present home is in East New Market, Md.

Schooner Green Hill, owned by Messrs. E. S. Adkins & Co., of this city, which was caught in the bay during the late storm, seven miles off Hoopers' Straits was rescued by the oyster steamer, Governor Thomas, which towed Captain Banks safely into Crisfield harbor.

The marriage of Miss Helen Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller Knight of Concord, N. H., to Mr. Arnold Elzey Waters of Baltimore, son of the late Levin L. Waters of Princess Anne, Md., will take place on February 22 at All Angels' Church, New York.

The Misses Collier entertained a few friends at cards on Monday evening, in honor of Miss Helena Stauffer of Frederick, Md. Among those present were, Mr. and Mrs. S. King White, Miss Helena Stauffer, Miss Alice Toadvine, Miss Victoria Wallis, Messrs. John Laws, Homer White, Leonard Wallis, Edgar Laws, Walter Sheppard and Mr. Glover.

There is a movement on foot among Salisbury capitalists to establish a central heating plant here similar to those now operating in other small northern cities. Some of our citizens who have been investigating assert that a plant could be installed here which would furnish heat for all the central portion of the city at a cost even below what citizens are now paying for fuel. The only cost to the patrons would be to pipe their houses and stores and put in the radiators.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Bowen who was buried in Lonsconing last Saturday, was born in Ireland 1799 and is survived by five children, the youngest nearly 60 years old. Michael died three weeks ago aged 77 years. She leaves 37 grand children, 8 great grand children, or 126 living direct descendants representing five generations.

Deputy Clerk of County Commissioners, Robt. G. Robertson, during the sleet of Thursday morning, fell on the pavement in front of Mrs. R. E. Powell's residence, and his head struck the bricks. He received a cut upon his scalp, which was treated by Dr. Morris, and was badly shaken up, but nothing serious has developed.

Rev. S. J. Smith expects to preach next Sunday as follows: 11 a. m., "Why Jesus Christ Came Into the World," 7.30 p. m., "What getting to Heaven Means." Plans for increasing average attendance at Sunday School to be put into operation. Mr. W. E. Sheppard will lead the Young People's Society at 6.45.

Mr. W. F. Presgrave is improving his property at Tony Tank. The dwelling has been thoroughly plumbed and is supplied with water by a power force pump located in the grist mill. Many alterations are being made in the interior of the old mansion, the house now being in charge of carpenters and decorators, with instructions for early completion.

After a continuous sitting of almost nine hours the Senate at 8.45 o'clock Tuesday passed the Joint Statehood bill. As passed the bill provides for the admission of the State of Oklahoma, to be composed of Oklahoma and Indian Territory, and New Mexico, according to the present boundaries, with Arizona eliminated.

In connection with the movement to establish a heating plant in Salisbury mentioned elsewhere there will be a meeting of all interested in this enterprise at room No. 7, of the Masonic Temple, next Monday night, February 13, to discuss the matter more thoroughly, exchange views, and look into the practicability of the scheme.

The Musical Art Club composed of pupils of the late Prof. Meyer's Class will give a musical at the Salisbury High School, next Monday evening, February 13. There are about twenty eight members, each having the privilege of inviting three guests. The program will be of high class vocal music with Miss Edna Adkins piano accompanist, and varied with choruses, quartettes, duets, solos and a ladies trio.

Miss Maude Pope was given a very delightful surprise party by her classmates and a few others on last Friday evening at her home on Poplar Hill Avenue. Those present were: Misses Ada Whitney, Rebecca Smyth, Eliza Jones, Margaret Woodcock, Nina Venables, Martha Toadvine, Winifred Trader, Olive Mitchell, Alice Hill, Myra Waller and Elsie Smith; Messrs. Walter Huffington, Harry Adkins, Harry Nock, William Fooks, Clarence Robertson, Fitz Inley, George Hill, Norman Richardson, Therman Mitchell, Marvin Evans and Carl Waller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Caulk entertained a few of their friends at their home on Main Street, Sharptown, Monday evening of this week. Games, music and recitations were enjoyed by all. Those present were Misses Ada Walker, Iva and Ida Bennett, Brooxie Gravenor, Lula Robinson, Bertye and Maggie Wheatley, Hettie Venables, Barkley Wright, Lydia and Bertye Caulk, Messrs. Elmer Venables, Branch Phillips Thos. Phillips, William Walker, Lester Windsor, Norman Sudliffe and Prof. Wade Gordy.

A special dispatch from Norfolk, Va., says: "The municipal authorities have sent William Ernest, 16 years old, to his home in Salisbury, Md. He had come to Norfolk several days ago from Louisville, Ky., and was weak and wasted from a long attack of malaria and rheumatism. Ernest ran away from home about a year ago and went to Texas, says the Virginia Pilot. He was taken sick there, and through the assistance of charity disposed persons got as far toward his home as Louisville. From Louisville he managed to get to Norfolk."

The Salisbury Lodge of Elks here are spending about \$3000 in alterations and improvements on their new home on Main Street. The lower floor will contain a dining room and kitchen. On the second floor will be the bath room, reading rooms and smoking rooms. The lodge room and two sleeping rooms will be on the third floor. The entire building has been handsomely papered, the woodwork painted and the ceilings finished. The furniture will be furnished oak, mission style, and when placed will make one of the handsomest Elks homes in the State.

Mr. Geo. W. Bell has in his possession an old bronze medal that would be of high value to coin collectors. It was minted in 1740 by Great Britain to commemorate the capture of Porto Bello by Admiral Vernon in 1739, and is one of 30 that were struck. This coin was brought to Salisbury in 1813 and several years later became the property of the late Wm. Sidney Parnons. At the sale of Mr. Parnons' personality Mr. Bell bought several old coin and medals. This medal which is about the size of a silver dollar, has on one side the British coat of arms, and on the reverse side a raised figure of Admiral Vernon, who led the successful fight with only six vessels against Porto Bello.

Wanted: Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for a firm of \$200,000 capital. Salary \$1,000 per year and expenses, paid weekly. Address M. Perivay, Salisbury, Md.

Business News.

Wanted—Tenant on a farm. Apply to Edmund Humphreys at Salisbury Postoffice, Salisbury, Md.

Wanted at once a good second hand side saddle. Communicate with P. O. Box 12, Quantico, Md.

Five pairs of mules for sale. Prices to suit. J. T. Taylor, Princess Anne, Md.

Ullman Sons are selling parlor lamps at greatly reduced prices. See their big window display.

WANTED.—MEN and WOMEN in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established house of solid financial standing. Salary to men \$21 weekly, to women \$12 to \$18 weekly with expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address, Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. 5, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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ULMAN SONS' GREAT LAMP SALE

IS NOW GOING ON. SEE THEIR BIG WINDOW DISPLAY.

240 Main St., Under Ullman's Grand Opera House, SALISBURY, MD.

January Clearing Sale.

Today we start the greatest value-giving sale in the history of the Birchhead & Shockley store.

January Sale of Ladies' Coats and Furs.

At one-fourth to one-half less than regular price.

January Sale of Underwear.

Knit Underwear and Fine Fleece Underwear for men; 50c value, this sale 39c. Bargains in all other grades of underwear for men and women.

January Sale of Blankets, Comforts,

Ready-made Sheets, Pillow Cases, Calicos, Outings. This sale one-quarter to one-half off regular price.

January Furniture and Carpet Bargains.

Special lots as follows: 9 Bed Room Suits, 3 pieces; 8 Sideboards, 12 Couches, 40 Rockers, 35 Sets Chairs, 35 Mattresses, this sale one-fourth to one-third less than usual bargain prices.

Birchhead & Shockley
SALISBURY, MD.
WEAR TIME AND A LADY CORSET

WHAT DO YOU LIKE IN OVERCOATS?

Reduced $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ Off on Some,

BUT NONE ABOVE THE ORIGINAL WHOLESALE PRICE.

We have the coats here to meet your idea of style and price, materials and tailoring. Warm, generous overcoats, richly lined and finished, made by the greatest overcoat tailors in America. Every one of them guaranteed. It would be nothing short of a blunder to put your money in a Winter Overcoat without seeing and trying on these superb examples of overcoat making. For a moderate price you can buy a coat here that you will enjoy every minute you wear it, that will realize your highest sense of comfort and satisfaction, that will last for years and hold its shape and good looks, and be a credit to you whenever it is worn. We have them in long lengths, short or medium lengths, full or fitted back, silk-lined, serge lined, satin yoke and sleeves, medium or heavy weight, plain goods or fancy patterns. The richest and best overcoat value than any man's money can buy. We are proud to show you our overcoats, glad to have you try them on, pleased to give you our prices and to answer your questions as to the materials and styles. A Winter Overcoat is not bought every day. The investment is worth careful thought and investigation. Come in and talk over the matter with us. You need not buy because you look. If you do buy, remember that you cannot go wrong here, because the maker's guarantee and ours go with every garment we sell.

Lacy Thoroughgood
SALISBURY, MD.

James Thoroughgood

BIG REDUCTIONS.

For a few days only we will give

20 Per Cent. Discount

on all Chinaware, Glassware, Jardiniers, Lamps, Images, etc. Special extra discounts on sets of China. This is an exceptional opportunity to get bargains.

TRUITT'S DRUG STORE.



Cleopatra's Shapely Hand

when loaded with the richest gems of Golconda's famous mine, or pearls of such beauty as she dissolved in Antony's precious draught, never showed such a wealth of dazzling splendor as we are displaying in our stock of rare jewelry, watches, and varied Christmas gifts. Nothing so appreciated by either sex as ornaments in beautifully set gems.

Harper & Taylor,
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Selected Seed Potatoes AND ONION SETS.

Buy your seed potatoes from first hands. Our prices are always the lowest. All our stock is sold under a full guarantee. We have forty varieties. Write for catalogue and prices.

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Largest Seed Potato House in America.

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Saws of all Sizes in Stock.

Steam, Gasoline and Coal Oil ENGINES.

F. A. GRIER & SON, Salisbury, Md.

Bargains.

We still have a few SUITINGS and TROUSERINGS left over from our Fall and Winter stock, which we are closing out at greatly-reduced prices.

CHAS. BETHKE,

(ESTABLISHED 1887.) MAKER OF MEN'S CLOTHES.

GREAT WHITE GOODS ...SALE...

Our Great White Goods Sale is now on. All our previous efforts in this line fade into insignificance when this sale is considered. The articles used in this are all new and have just come in. Included in this sale are

LINENS, SWISSES, PIQUES, OXFORDS, MADRAS, HAMBURGS, INSERTING, LACES.

This is by far the largest and prettiest line of White Goods ever put on display in this city. The prices are far below the regular values and our customers will do well to call early and inspect these goods.

R. E. Powell & Co.,
SALISBURY, MD.



A SLICE OF HAM

to fry or serve cold is most delicious at all seasons. If you wish something choice in either Fresh or Salt Meats for the Holidays, or any other season, you can get it here. We receive a fresh supply of Meats at frequent intervals, and that is the reason everything is of such delicious flavor.

Mr. James E. McAllister will continue with me in the business.

T. S. PHIPPS,

Successor to H. F. POWELL,

PHONE 96, DOCK STREET MARKET,

SALISBURY, MD.

1,000,000 Strawberry Plants.



Including Auto, Bubach, Climax, Uncle Jim and all the leading varieties. Choice Dewberry Plants can be obtained. We also have select Tomato Seeds, and will have a little later in advance of season, Celery, Cauliflower, and Tomato plants. The last are largely used all over the Peninsula and outside with great satisfaction for canneries.

Prices are all right. Send for Catalogue.

Caleb Boggs & Son,

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Cheswood, Delaware.

READY FOR

Winter Weddings.

We have replaced the Sold Goods, and now offer

NEW THINGS.

PARTICULARLY

STERLING SILVER

—AND—

GLASS.

You can always depend on getting something new here.

THE JAMES R. ARMIGER CO.,

310 N. Charles St.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

Ordinance No. V 3.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE REMOVAL OF SNOW FROM THE SIDEWALKS OF THE STREETS AND ALLEYS OF THE TOWN OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of Salisbury, Maryland, That the owner or owners of the property adjoining any street or alley of the town of Salisbury, Maryland, shall keep said sidewalks adjoining his, her or their property clear of snow.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the owner or owners of property, as defined in Section 1 of this Ordinance, to remove and clear away from the sidewalks adjoining his, her or their property all snow, within six hours after it shall cease snowing; time to be computed from sunrise to sunset.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That if any owner or owners of property adjoining the streets or alleys of Salisbury shall fail to remove the snow from his, her or their sidewalks within the time specified in Section 2 of this Ordinance, he, she or they shall be liable to a fine of five dollars, to be paid by the owner or owners of property, as defined in Section 1 of this Ordinance, and upon conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace of the town of Salisbury, Maryland, shall be fined the sum of one dollar and costs, and stand committed to the county jail until said fine and costs are paid; and the Sheriff of the town of Salisbury, Maryland, may have the snow cleaned from said sidewalks and collect the cost of the same from the owner or owners of property as other small debts are collected, in the name of the Mayor and Council of Salisbury, Maryland.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That this Ordinance shall take effect from the date of its passage.

(The above Ordinance was passed by the Council of Salisbury at its meeting on January 2, 1905.)

HENRY J. BYRD, Clerk.

Approved by the Mayor January 2, 1905:

CHARLES E. HARPER

Mayor of Salisbury.

Household Cares.

Save the Women of Salisbury the Same as Elsewhere.

Hard to attend to household duties with a constantly aching back, a woman should not have a bad back, and she couldn't if the kidneys were well. Doan's Kidney Pills make well kidneys. Here is a Salisbury woman who endorses this claim. Mrs. J. J. Redden who lives at 808 Naylor St., says: "I have had kidney trouble for four or five years. I caught cold and it settled in my kidneys and caused inflammation. I have been so bad at times I was compelled to stop work as I could not get to my household duties. I had been subject to this every year in the spring or some time during the summer. I used a great many remedies for my kidneys and wore plasters but without permanent relief. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box at White & Leonard's drug store. I had not taken them more than a week before I noticed their good effects and when I had finished the box I was very much improved. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other sufferers from kidney troubles. For the boils or abscesses with which I was troubled I tried Doan's Ointment and found that it is all it is claimed to be." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Search for Raymond Smith, the young man who mysteriously disappeared from his home at Boonsboro, two weeks ago, continues. Thus far all efforts to locate the missing man have been fruitless. While the theory that Smith met with foul play still prevails, there are some persons who think he was probably overcome by the intense cold and that he perished.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON,

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Hill's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Contractor William B. Dorsey, who built the new suspension foot bridge over the Patuxent at Orange Grove, has been requested to submit plans for a similar structure over the Patuxent near Laurel.

Starting But True.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 4,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a severe cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have ward off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilcox, Logan, N. Y. Sold by all Dealers.

The report that Rev. W. A. Wise, former pastor of North East M. E. Church, had been stricken in his pulpit at Seaford on Sunday week was greatly exaggerated. Mr. Wise had a slight attack of indigestion, and this was magnified into an alarming case of break down from overwork.

Escaped An Awful Fate.

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

A dog owned by Christopher Holinger, of Ridgely, bitten by a supposed mad dog a fortnight ago, showed signs of rabies last Monday and was killed after he had bitten one of his children.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passage for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75c. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal 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, 65 Warren St., N. Y.

Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Chamberlain's Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says, 'Chamberlain's Bitters are just splendid for family troubles; that they are a grand tonic and a great rest for weak, run-down women.' No other medicine can take the place of our family.' Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists."

An office is about being opened at Catonsville to recruit young men for the United States Marine Corps. It will be in charge of Lieutenant Colonel Randolph Dickins.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough; as it always affords quick relief, and contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by All Dealers.

Otho Bovey, a farmer near Benevola, Washington county, had his left hand blown off while trying to shoot a chicken hawk with an old army rifle, which exploded.

Afraid of Strong Medicines.

Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine internally. Rev. Amos Parker, of Magnolia, North Carolina, suffered for eight years with a lame hip, due to severe rheumatism. He has been permanently cured by the free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by All Dealers.

Nearly all the goods stolen from Miss May J. Ricketts, near Elkton, by Geo. Wright, now in the county jail, have been found in a Philadelphia pawnshop.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Bruises, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at all Drug Stores.

There were 378 deaths and 331 births in Cecil county in 1904, of which 163 deaths occurred during the first four months, due largely to an epidemic of grip.

To Cure Constipation.

Take just a little of Liver Food before retiring each night. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a safe and sure remedy for all cases of constipation, and is a safe and sure remedy for all cases of constipation, and is a safe and sure remedy for all cases of constipation.

Health of American Women.

A Subject Much Discussed at Women's Clubs—The Future of a Country Depends on the Health of Its Women.

At the New York State Assembly of Mothers, a prominent New York doctor, told the 500 women present that healthy American women were so rare as to be almost extinct.

This seems to be a sweeping statement of the condition of American women. Yet how many do you know who are perfectly well and do not have some trouble arising from a derangement of the female organism which manifests itself in headache, backache, nervousness, leucorrhoea, bloating, feeling, painful or irregular menstruation, leucorrhoea, displacement of the uterus, ovarian trouble, indigestion or sleeplessness? There is a tried and tested remedy for all these ailments, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has restored more American women to health than all other remedies in the world. It regulates, strengthens and cures diseases of the female organism as nothing else can. For thirty years it has been curing the worst forms of female complaints.

Such testimony as the following should be convincing.

Mrs. T. C. Willadsen, of Manning, Ia., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—

"I can truly say that you have saved my life and I cannot express my gratitude to you in words. For two years I spent a lot of money in doctoring, without any benefit for menstrual irregularities and I had given up all hopes of ever being well again, but I have been restored to perfect health. Had it not been for you I would have been in my grave long ago."

A light heart, a cheerful countenance, and all the charms of grace and beauty are dependent upon proper action of the bodily organs. You cannot look well unless you feel well.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. Her advice and medicine have restored thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

MARYLAND ITEMS.

The Frederick Fair will be held October 17, 18, 19 and 20, 1905.

The Jacob Tome Institute has opened its library to all citizens of Port Deposit.

While handling a revolver at his home near Hagerstown, Herman Hals ton, aged 16, was probably fatally shot.

Six-year old Israel Woodward, of Havre de Grace, ran a wire nail into the kneecap, which has produced synovitis.

The President to the Senate Wednesday the nomination of Thomas O. Jefferson to be justice at Federal bench.

Prosecution of the C. notable murder case, it is said when all bills are paid will have cost Cecil county between \$4,000 and \$5,000.

Public schools of Cecil County were reopened last Monday after being closed for nearly a week on account of the snow blockade.

Firemen feared to horses by a farmer near Centerville not only killed one, but also made deathly sick several more in the same stable.

Washington College (Chestertown) officials have decided to have the new administration building erected on the campus near the baseball diamond.

As a result of the Jackson Smith contract, the congressional committee has ordered the opening of a number of ballot-boxes on the Eastern Shore.

A mad dog caused considerable excitement in Earleville Friday before it was killed by biting several cows, hogs and other dogs.

It will pay you to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in your home. It only costs a quarter. Sold by All Dealers.

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Coughs and colds, down to the very borders of consumption, yield to the soothing healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

The residents of Thurmont are considering a proposition to lease a wrapper factory there. A committee has been appointed to secure information concerning the project.

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Philadelphia 7:10 9:20 11:10 1:10

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Washington 7:30 9:30 11:30 1:30

Philadelphia 7:40 9:40 11:40 1:40

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Bridgeville 7:50 10:00 12:10 2:20

Farmington 8:00 10:10 12:20 2:30

Ocean City 8:10 10:20 12:30 2:40

Berlin 8:20 10:30 12:40 2:50

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Harrisburg 8:40 10:50 1:00 3:10

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Portsmouth 9:00 11:10 1:20 3:30

Wilmington 9:10 11:20 1:30 3:40

Philadelphia 9:20 11:30 1:40 3:50

Southward.

Philadelphia 7:00 9:10

LOCAL Correspondence

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

HEBRON.

Mr. John Mitchell who is employed in Baltimore as an oyster inspector is now at his home.

Mr. Willie Wilkinson of Philadelphia is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Wilkinson.

Mr. Willie Waller of Kellers, Va., is spending a while with his parents.

Rev. E. P. Perry and Mr. Joseph Taylor, of Maricopa, spent Tuesday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Henry of Parsonsburg are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. J. A. Phillips made a business trip to Salisbury this week.

Misses Nellie and Annabell Lowe were in Salisbury on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Waller left Tuesday to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Edgar Phillips which will take place in De'mar.

The Junior Endeavor of the M. P. Church made their pastor, Rev. E. P. Perry a present of a very nice and handsome silver handle umbrella on Tuesday last. Quite a number of juniors gathered to see it presented.

We are glad to report that the Christian Endeavor of the M. P. Church is growing rapidly. Several joined on Sunday last.

Mr. Murphy of Maryland will fill the pulpit in Hebron on Sunday night for Rev. E. P. Perry.

We are sorry to report Mr. Barton Freeny no better.

MARDELA SPRINGS.

Rev. B. G. Parker, of the Baptist church will speak in the Presbyterian meeting house on Sunday at 7.30 p. m. His subject will be "Modern Inventions and Discoveries hinted at in the Old Testament Scriptures." Mr. Parker thinks that he can find in the old Testament, evidence that the telephone was known. If what he undertakes to prove is true, then it will match the laurels from the brow of many inventors and discoverers.

The stove mill here has been idle for some time and we find that it makes a great difference in the volume of cash in circulation.

If old Hicks does not stop giving us such weather he may get himself into trouble. The fuel question may become a very serious one if this weather continues. The roads in some sections are almost impassable. However, there are some signs, that at least some people have faith that spring will come some time soon, judging by the way that the seedmen's catalogues are pouring in to our Post Office.

If anyone can get any consolation out of the poetic effusion "Snow, snow, beautiful snow," let them have it. On Monday, it was slush, slush, and on Tuesday, it was freeze, freeze, and as for the rest of the days, it was simply Oh!

The Base Ball fever has not as yet begun to show itself among our local sportsmen. We have good material here to draw from.

Everything in the shape of a vehicle that has runners could be seen on our streets for the last fortnight. From the symmetrical cutter to the Bob-a-tv, bod-tail. The fellows were out with their best girls and in some cases, with the other fellow's girl. When the weather moderates there may be some duels fought. Anyway there is bad blood brewing. But when beautiful spring comes they may have forgotten all about it.

KELLY.

Mr. Joseph Davis has been very sick with the side pleurisy but is better now. He was attended by Dr. Morris of Salisbury.

The blizzard that visited us last Wednesday and Thursday blocked the county roads so people could not go around much only by walking.

Mr. Fred Collins spent last Tuesday with his brother, Mr. Marion D. Collins.

Mr. Elmer Matthew and Mr. Randolph Gordy spent last Sunday evening at Mr. John Shockey's.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion D. Collins received a very handsome present Monday, it was a fine baby girl.

Mr. Richard Mitchell is very sick. Eddie Carter who had his fingers sawed in Ward's mill has gone to the Hospital at Salisbury.

Hogs seem to be very scarce around here. One man passed through Kelley, and said he had driven one hundred miles and not found any hogs. This seems very strange.

Miss Ruth Powell gave a party in honor of her school children last Monday evening at Mr. Robert L. Morris'. Those present, Mr. E. P. Gordy, and Randolph Gordy, Mr. and Mrs. William Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Freezy; the school children present were Elmer Matthews, Hattie Leon, Walter Matthews, Beale Fooks, Fred Barnes, Charlie Covington, Herman Powell, Ethel Powell, Edna Dryden, Edna and May Reddish, Clara and Dora Roy Gordy, Virgie Freeny, Goffe Pryor, Ansel Pryor, Pearl Pryor, Willie Freeny and Pearl Freeny.

WHALEYVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whaley of Chincoteague, visited relatives and friends in town last Sunday.

Mr. Bayard Cooper, of Salisbury, has returned home after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cooper.

Mr. Thomas Brimer, of Laurel, Del., has returned home after an extended visit with his aunt, Mrs. Henry Hastings.

We are sorry to report Mr. Robert Baker's baby very sick with pneumonia.

Providence permitting there will be preaching here next Thursday evening up the Hall by Rev. G. H. England of Berlin.

We notice quite a number of our people were looking at the sun through smoked glass yesterday and noticed a spot about the size of a quarter. We understand it is to be there 25 days. Wonder what that means.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett and little daughter, of Berlin, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Handy Cooper.

Mr. Joseph Gray has returned to his home in Bishopville after an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Lee Niblett.

Miss Ella Davis visited Miss Alice Mitchell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hamblin have returned home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hastings.

Miss Lena Niblett is visiting relatives and friends in Berlin.

Quite a number of our young people were out sleighing last Sunday.

The M. P. members have postponed their festival till better weather. Those who had their pocket books filled for it will please lay them away till better days.

We are glad to report Mrs. Mary Harrison is improving all the time.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Continued From Page 1.)

Ora E. Walston from Craston A. Pollitt, tract in Parsons district, consideration \$300.

Lemuel A. Hall from Wm. C. Dixon and wife parcel of land in South Salisbury, consideration \$450.

Belle Howard and Bertha E. Howard from Zenobia F. Phillips and Andrew J. Phillips, tract in Hebron, consideration \$700.

Wm. J. Venables from Louis N. Wilson, Benj. S. Pusey and Letitia J. Pusey, tract in Barren Creek district containing 150 acres, consideration \$1400.

Margaret M. Larner from Patty A. Brittingham and Wheatley J. Brittingham, tract in Salisbury district, consideration \$450.

Elizabeth Anne Phoebeus from Lev in P. Phoebeus, parcel of land in Allen containing two acres, consideration \$200.

Wm. B. Tilghman Co., from John T. Ellis, executor and trustee of Amanda Disharoon parcel of land in "California", consideration \$200.

Wm. K. Leatherbury from Wm. G. Vaughn and wife, farm in Trappe district containing 85 3/8 acres, consideration \$900.

John T. Spence from Thos. H. Mitchell and wife, Francis M. Mitchell and wife, parcel of land in Salisbury district known as the "Battle lot," containing 7 acres, consideration \$550.

Harman Hepler from Jas. E. Ellegood and wife, and Walter B. Miller, tracts of land in Trappe district, first containing 250 acres, second 51, third (a group) 139, consideration \$3000.

J. Massey Roberts from Olivia Ann Roberts tract in Nanticoke district containing 41 1/2 acres, consideration \$1500.

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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, passed in No. 1524 Chancery, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell by public auction, in front of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, on

Saturday, February 25, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that tract or parcel of land lying in "Hungary Neck," Barren Creek District, Wicomico County, Md., on the Neck Road, and adjoining the Sarah Cox land and the Bedworth land, and containing 49 acres of land, more or less; being the same land on which William G. Majors now lives, and which was conveyed to Esther Majors by Ichabod D. Evans and others. This land is improved by dwelling, etc. About one third of it is well set in pine timber, part first growth.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent of purchase money in cash on day of sale; balance on a credit of one and two years, to be secured by the bond or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing interest from day of sale, with surety or sureties to be approved by Trustee; or all cash, at option of purchaser.

Sold clear of all claims of William G. Majors.

GEO. W. BELL, Trustee

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court for Wicomico County, letters of administration on the personal estate of

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

August 14, 1905, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

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BEES AND BEE KEEPING

CARE OF BEES IN WINTER.

Cold and Dampness are Liable to Wrought Great Damage.

Cold and dampness are the great winter enemies of bee life. A single bee can withstand very little cold, but a good cluster, if all other conditions are favorable, can defy the most rigorous winters of our coldest States.

The problem is: To retain the warmth generated by the bees, which is necessary to their well-being, and at the same time to prevent the accumulation of moisture in the hive. A simple opening at the top of the hive would permit much of the mois-



ture to pass off, but of course heat would escape with it and a draft would be produced. Absorbent material about the cluster creates without free ventilation damp surroundings, and again the temperature is lowered. It is only necessary, however, to surround the bees with sufficient material to protect them fully against the greatest cold liable to occur, and to take care also that this enveloping material is of such a nature and so disposed as to permit the free passage of the moisture which would otherwise collect in the interior of the hive, and to permit the escape into the surrounding atmosphere of such moisture as enters this material from within. This packing should also be fully protected from outside moisture.

Single-walled hives may be employed in most localities with good success in outdoor wintering. On the approach of the cool or rainy season a close-fitting quilt should be laid over the frames and several folded newspapers pressed down on this, or a cushion filled with dry chaff or some other soft material may be used instead of paper. The cover or roof should be absolutely rain-proof, yet between this cover and the cushion or papers should be several inches of space with free circulation of air. In order to permit this ventilation above the top packing the cover should not rest upon the cap or upper story all of the way around, or if it does, an auger hole in each end, protected by wire cloth against the entrance of mice, should give free passage to the air. In the more northern portion of the country some further protection is advisable, and is really necessary in the mountainous parts of the same territory if the best results are to be obtained.

Farther north and especially in the cold Northwest much greater protection becomes an absolute necessity. Quilts with newspapers or thin packing above do not alone suffice. The side walls of the hive may be made of pressed straw. These, with top packing, if kept dry outside, are excellent for outdoor wintering, even in climates so cold that ordinary wooden hives do not afford sufficient protection.

Profit and Pleasure With Bees.

"Shall I keep bees?" is a question that every young farmer, or other person outside of cities, may properly ask himself. There are vast quantities of nectar going to waste in both wild and cultivated plants. Shall he attempt to save a share of it? The answer to this should largely depend upon whether he likes honey. If fond of honey, he will probably give to his bees the attention they require. If indifferent to this form of sweetness, his bee-keeping is not likely to be successful, unless the hope of profit by the sale of honey may stimulate to giving the needed care. The labor required is not great, but it must be given at the proper time. If one is in doubt as to whether he shall keep bees, he should procure one of the several standard works on the subject, and study it. If he has the tastes of a naturalist, he will see that a new and most interesting field is presented, and that honey and wax are not the only returns the bees make to those who observe them properly. All experienced apiarists advise beginning on a small scale. The care of a single colony and its increase, the first year, will give him the instruction needed to qualify one to conduct a larger apiary. There are probably few, if any, localities in this country that are overstocked with bees, and the cultivation of honey plants has become necessary for the sake of their nectar alone.

If you are not prepared properly to care for winter hives, keep the buck away from the ewe flock until such time as will bring lambs in warmer weather.

Cull out and sell off every old sheep on the farm if you have not already done so, as it seldom pays to keep a ewe after she is five or six years old.

No woman with a lick of sense ever lets on that she knows more about any subject than the man she is talking with.

Men who are fools very speedily shake down their proper place in the community. Women who are fools would, too, if it were not for the men.

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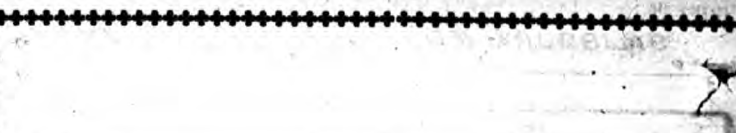
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A Beautiful Canadian Girl Saved From Catarrh of the Lungs by Pe-ru-na.



MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 41 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently. I was advised to try Peru-na, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since."

"I now have the greatest faith in Peru-na." F. E. KENAH.

WOMEN should beware of contracting catarrh. The cold wind and rain, sleet and mud of winter are especially conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few women escape. Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peru-na should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

The following letter gives one young woman's experience with Peru-na: Miss Rose Gerbing is a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., and she writes the following:

"Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being too thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peru-na for colds and catarrh and I

A. W. TWIFORD SHOOTS

To Defend His Ice-pond But Is Met By Return Shots And Wounded In The Hand.

On Wednesday of last week Chas. D. Quinton, colored, and a force of men began the filling of an ice-house with ice cut from A. W. Twiford's mill pond, located about one and one-half miles from town, after having been notified by Twiford not to do so. Twiford ordered him and his force off and on their refusal to do so opened fire on them across the pond about one hundred yards distance. Twiford had prepared for the attack and had several guns loaded with double bee shot. Quinton and his force also had guns and pistols and the shooting was from both sides and kept up from eight o'clock to after eleven A. M. On the last round Twiford put several shots into Quinton's clothes whereupon Quinton called for his own gun and returned Twiford's shots personally, his force of men having done the shooting previous to this. Quinton shot Twiford and wounded him in the wrist, after which he came to town and had writ issued for Quinton. Quinton abandoned the pond. Quinton's land is located on the east side of the pond and he claims that his line runs down into the pond and that he should have ice cut of the pond. On the other hand Twiford holds that the entire pond is his, the original mill seat having been conveyed to his ancestors more than one hundred years ago by Lazarus Huffington, also other later deeds from court in Chancery and Jas. K. Bradley and others, covering the mill seat, water and water courses and all rights and privileges thereto belonging. Quinton was fined \$5.00 and costs. At last report Twiford was suffering from the wound.

Page—Windsor.

Mr. Milton Page and Miss Addie Windsor, of Delmar, were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Burton Cannon, last Wednesday night at eight o'clock by Rev. T. N. Potts. The bride was becomingly attired in white silk. Only a few intimate friends and relatives were present; Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Calloway, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Chatham, Mr. and Mrs. Osmond and Mrs. W. Campbell; Misses Elva and Lillie Evans, May and Bertie Campbell, Nettie Calloway, Laura, Lillie and Thelma Cannon and Messrs. W. Cannon, N. W. Evans and Gordy Brittingham.

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NEW YORK FASHIONS.

Spring Millinery: Varied Shapes: Trimmings: Flowers. Dress Materials: Mohair: Checks: Grepes: New Costumes: Braids:

Amid scurrying snow flakes, the fashionist ventures forth to see the Spring styles, and complete satisfaction is the result, as never before in the history of Fashion have fabrics or colors possessed so much charm. Spring millinery discloses many fascinations. Hats are all shapes and sizes. Those who are fond of wide brims, will find them with both flat, high or medium high crowns and in many new hats the brim is laid over like an envelope, at sides, back or front, admitting of very fanciful trimming. For the young matron or middle aged person, toques and turbans abound, either of plain straw, of mohair braid or small flowers.

For The Gay Young Girl.

come bewitching little three cornered hats, or as a variety there is a very large shape in gossamer straw, with maline ruchings at the edge of the brim, and a flat crown, with a wreath of small rose buds and for get me notes, finished by bows of colored velvet ribbon, with a very full face trimming at one side and worn in a slanting position. Taken as a whole, hats are smaller. Toques and turbans of violets, hyscintils, rose leaves or lilacs, with an intermixture of foliage, make a very pretty showing in the shop windows and it is already a certainty that flowers will be used to a greater extent, than any other trimming.

In Dress Goods.

and other departments as well, H. O. Neil & Co. give authoritative information as to what will be fashionable. There is always a "fad" regarding some special material, and for the coming season it is mohair. Striped, plain or checked, all are in equal demand. The highest grade is in blue and green checks, showing Tartan colors. Another style has irregular dangles on a plain surface. Black and white checks of several sizes while not in competition with those of mohair, will doubtless have their share of patronage.

French Grepes

and all fabrics on that order, veillings, voiles, henriettes and collennies occupy a good position among Spring exhibits. Pannet chiffon broadcloths from their beautiful silky finish, make a most tempting display, and trimmed with appliques or embroideries, constitute very attractive costumes.

In silks, checks are very prominent, both on plain or changeable grounds, and hair line stripes, small Oriental designs or dots of various dimensions are the principal ornamentations.



This pretty walking costume, the illustration of which is supplied by the Royal Patterly Co., of New York City, is of green silk, trimmed with Cluny lace, medallions and insertion. The bolero is to be worn over a lace blouse. Belt of white kid.

In The Early Spring Models

skirts are still plaited, a little distance below the hip, remaining plain. Several new broad cloth suits are made with basques, one, pointed at the front having a fancy vest, fastened with small buttons, and a postilion back. The second has a closed front, and a more pronounced postilion back. The skirt has a border about twelve inches deep of lengthwise rows of silk braid, turned into points at the top, and basque and sleeves are trimmed in harmony. A Shepherd check dress is made with an Eton and small blouse beneath, both trimmed with black braid.

The Sleeves

of cloth dresses are quite moderate in size, and set to cuffs trimmed in keeping with waist and skirt.

In lighter fabrics, sleeves will be very full at the top, and a deep cuff gives opportunity for displaying original ideas in the way of ornamentation. Braid particularly the soutache varieties, embroideries, appliques, stitching in shapes and laces of all kinds will be lavishly employed on Spring and Summer costumes.

Lucy Carter.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Recorded At Clerk's Office From January 1 To January 15 Inclusive. From Whom Bought And To Whom Sold. Consideration.

Henry B. Freeny to E. E. Freeny and others, interest in two lots in Delmar, consideration \$300.
E. E. Freeny to Wm. Freeny interest in lots in Delmar, consideration \$100.

E. E. Jackson and wife to Nellie Jackson Leonard lot on Camden avenue, consideration Love and Affection.
Joseph L. Bailey, trustee, to Oran A. Nelson tract in Quantico district, containing 12 acres, consideration \$1.

John W. Messick and wife to William R. Kennerly, Jr., lot in Nanticoke district, consideration \$1100.
Oran A. Nelson and wife to Joseph H. Cordrey, tract in Quantico district containing 30 acres, consideration \$600.

Mrs. Mary E. Dennis, lot in Parsons' Cemetery, consideration \$40.
James J. Givans and wife to Larry E. Jones, tract in Dennis district containing 75 acres, consideration \$550.

Alexander F. Turner and wife to Levin T. Jones, tract in Nanticoke district containing 1 acre, consideration \$150.
Daisy M. Bell and George W. Bell attorney to Robert E. Ryall, lot on Second Street, Salisbury, consideration \$1.

Isaac T. English from Jay Williams trustee, tract in Barren Creek district, consideration \$5.
James M. Johnson from Chas. H. Guthrie and wife tract in South Salisbury, consideration \$400.

Dan M. Perdue from Chas. S. Perdue and Oscar A. Perdue, tract in Parsons district, consideration \$2000.
John W. P. Insley from Thos. M. Roberts and wife, John W. D. Collins and wife, Wm. B. Messick and wife lot in Tyaskin district, consideration \$1.00.

Milton H. Pope from Lambert A. Wilson and wife, lot in Salisbury district, consideration \$150.
Wm. J. Ennis from Lambert A. Walton and wife, lot in Salisbury district, consideration \$150.

Daniel B. Cannon from Reuben P. Bailey and wife, lot in Camden district, consideration \$300.
Ira S. Smith from Dan'l B. Cannon and wife, lot in Camden district, consideration \$500.

Daniel B. Cannon from Ira S. Smith lot in Camden district, consideration \$800.
Oscar Dashiell from Emmaline Huston and Mary E. Huston, parcel of land containing 2 1/2 acres, consideration \$10.

John W. Price from John Dorman, lot in Tyaskin district, consideration \$30.
Thomas Bartow Freeny from Edward T. West and wife, lot in Delmar, consideration \$1250.

Martha E. Pinkett from Thomas H. Mitchell and wife, Francis M. Mitchell and wife, lot in California, consideration \$600.
John Townsend from Thos. W. H. White and wife, lot in Trappe district containing 9 and 3/4-100 acres, consideration \$130.

Daniel J. Elzey from Wm. H. Jackson and wife, lot in Salisbury "California," consideration \$500.
Wm. H. Jackson from Sallie H. E. Davis and husband, lot in "California," consideration \$1.

Lucy E. Farlow from Parsons Cemetery Co., lot in Parsons Cemetery, consideration \$40.
Ernest W. Givans from Jas J. Givans and wife, parcel of land in Dennis district, consideration \$800.

Elijah S. Adkins and E. Dale Adkins from Louis P. Coulbourn and wife, house and lot corner William street and Railroad Avenue, consideration \$3500.
Thos. W. Banks from Elitha E. Jackson, administrator of Wm. Birchhead, parcel of land in Trappe district containing 50 acres, consideration \$500.

Practical Grower To Lecture.

The Management of the Peninsula Produce Exchange of Maryland realizing the importance of the sweet potato crop to the farmers through the counties of Somerset, Worcester and Wicomico, have arranged to have a practical sweet potato grower from Vineland, (the famous sweet potato section of New Jersey) to address meetings at the following points on the dates shown below:

Princess Anne, Tuesday morning, Feb. 28th at 10.30 o'clock.
Pocomoke City, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28th at 2 o'clock.
Snow Hill, Wednesday morning, March 1st at 10.30 o'clock.

Berlin, Wednesday afternoon, March 1st at 2 o'clock.
Salisbury, Thursday afternoon, March 2nd, at 2 o'clock.
All farmers, whether members of the Exchange or not, are urged to be present at one of these meetings. The cultivation of the sweet potato will be duly explained.

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VALENTINE PARTY.

Large Array Of Young Society Entertained By Miss Emma Day Tuesday Evening. A Heart Hunt In Which All Engaged—Afterwards.

Fifty guests were entertained by Miss Emma W. Day in her home last Tuesday evening. Misses Emma Day, Lucille Trussell, Bessie Trader, Ruth Smith and Reta Atkinson of Washington received the guests in the parlor. After the assembly had arrived the evening programme was opened with a "heart hunt." For twenty minutes the company sought diligently for candy hearts which had previously been hidden in nooks and corners not easily discovered. After the search each name was called and the number of hearts in his or her possession was credited to the name. The person having the most hearts won the prize accordingly. Miss Julia Waller won ladies' prize, a handsome heart shape pillow which had been pierced by Cupid's dart. Gentleman's prize was won by Mr. Homer Dickerson, a picture. Booby prizes were won by Miss Edna Adkins and Mr. A. M. Jackson. After some choice music rendered by Mrs. J. L. Burkart, Miss Adkins and Miss Trussell, the company repaired, in numbers of twenty to where a fine collation was served. The dining room was elaborately decorated in red, white and green, with a handsome vase of red and white carnations in the center of the serving table. Hearts and Cupid's darts in profusion added greatly to the decorations. The winners of first prizes were convinced of their duty in plighting their love and after due deliberation the couple entered into a mock marriage contract. The bridal party consisted of Miss Waller as bride, Mr. Homer Dickerson as groom, Mr. John H. Bacon, best man, Mr. Waller Williams, usher, Miss Ruth Gordy, bridesmaid, Miss Ora Disharoon, maid of honor, Mr. A. M. Jackson acted in the capacity of clergyman, and in well chosen and appropriate remarks joined the happy couple.

Those present were Mesdames Burkart, Trussell, Misses Mary Colley, Julia Waller, Ruth Gordy, Ora Disharoon, Elizabeth Trader, Winifred Trader, Edith Weisbach, Lola Smith, Elsie Smith, Blanche Moore, Maude Pope, Minnie Satterfield, Floy Hardesty, Ruth Smith, Hazel Macomber, Edna Adkins, Lucille Trussell, Ethel Day, Reta Atkinson, Washington, Meers, John Bacon, Wade Porter, Homer Dickerson, Clarence Robertson, Joe Carey, Harvey Robertson, Percy Lunan Trussell, A. M. Jackson, Harry Ruark, Tom Abbott, Sewell McGoughlin, Walter Williams, Fitz Insley, Mimos Trader, Frank Adkins, Leo Macomber, Charles Day and Prof. Walter Huffington.

Trolley Line From Selbyville To Bethany Beach.

A lawyer of the state of Delaware has been authorized by a Pittsburg Company to frame a charter for a trolley line leading from Selbyville, Del., by the way of Bladepville, Williams-ville, Millville, Ocean View and on to Bethany Beach. This summer resort is now in its infancy but promises to be one of the great in the near future, as there are a great many Pennsylvanians who are making great efforts to push it to the front.

The trolley line will be of great advantage to the section of the country that it is proposed to pass through, which is a vast reach of fine land and a beautiful country deprived of any railroad advantages whatever. This proposed line will not do the Pennsylvania R. R. any damage but on the other hand be a feeder to it. An estimate of the cost of the trolley line has already been made.

RED AND WHITE TEA

Given To About Two Hundred Guests By Mrs. Dorman In Honor Of Her Daughter, Mrs. Leviness. Beautifully Arranged With Artistic Appearances.

Mrs. Levin W. Dorman gave a beautifully arranged tea from four until six o'clock Thursday afternoon at her residence on Division Street in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Thabor Leviness, Jr., of Baltimore, who is visiting her. The general color scheme was red and white, the flowers being large double carnations and ferns. The mantles were banked with holly and potted plants and entwined with smilax. In the dining room the table was most artistically arranged the cloth being festooned with wreaths of smilax and from the two opposite corners hung large bows of red satin ribbon. On the other two corners were candelabra filled with red candles.

Receiving with Mrs. Dorman and Mrs. Leviness were Mrs. Dan'l B. Cannon, Mrs. A. J. Vanderbogart and Mrs. Wm. W. Leonard.
Mrs. Thos. E. Dorman presided at the punch table, which was effectively placed in a corner of the hall. She was assisted by Mrs. Alan F. Benjamin, Miss Emma Powell and Miss Letitia Houston.

Mrs. Brewington, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Robt. E. Powell and Mrs. Ernest Tondine received in the library. In the dining room were Miss Lillian Dorman, Miss Lena Barnes, Miss Nancy Gordy, Miss Pauline Collier, Miss Victoria Wailes and Miss Grace Ellegood. Miss Stella Dorman served coffee.

There were about two hundred guests present.

Mr. U. W. Dickerson Buys R. Lee Waller & Co., Stock And Business.

Mr. U. W. Dickerson has bought the stock, business and good will of The Salisbury Shoe Company. This is the business formerly conducted under the name of R. Lee Waller & Co., and under the management of Mr. Waller became one of the leading stores of its kind on the Eastern Shore. Mr. Waller afterwards became involved in business troubles and the stock was bought of the receivers by the Salisbury Shoe Co., who have sold to Mr. Dickerson.

Mr. Dickerson, the purchaser, was formerly in the mercantile business at Piney Grove, Worcester county—afterwards engaged in the lumber business. He has been very successful in every business that he has attempted and in regarded as one of Salisbury's best business men.

We understand that the personnel of the firm has not been finally decided, but that he will have his son, Mr. H. V. Dickerson, associated with him. With the ample capital that the firm commands and under the business management of Mr. Dickerson it should meet with great success.

A Mother's Club.

A very interesting club was organized Saturday, January 20, at Bivalve Grammar school. The meeting was called by the teachers and there were present twenty-one mothers. Miss Beatrice P. Robertson, the principal, spoke of the object and aim of the club, which met with the approbation of the assemblage. An organization was effectually made and the following officers elected:

President, Mrs. Oscar Insley;
Vice-president, Mrs. Warren Messick;
Secretary and Treasurer Miss Mollie Betts.

The club named the third Saturday in each month as the meeting day. Next month's discussion will be upon the topic: "What is a Child?"

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CHAPTER XXXII.

WHILE the big ship was rapidly
and methodically being scrip-
pled for the possible emer-
gency the captain was en-
gaged in busy conversation with the
colonel. They had steadily drawn near
the reported sail until the lookouts
could plainly make out a small fleet of
small ships. Never dreaming that they
could be American ships, Captain Vin-
cent had his ship prepared for action,
more through the habitual wariness of
an experienced sailor than from any
premonition of an impending battle.
But as the two forces drew near the
actions of the opposing fleet became
evidently suspicious. All but one of
the tacked ship and stood off to the
northwest in a compact group in close
order, under all possible sail, though
one, the smallest and a brig, it was no-
ticed lagged behind the rest of the
group in a way which bespoke either
very slow sailing qualities or deliberate
purpose of delay. The remaining ship,
the largest of them all, stood boldly
on its original course.

This latter, it was plain to see, was a
small frigate, possibly a twenty-eight
or a thirty-two. Taking into account
the respective rates of speed, the frigate,
whose course made a slight angle
with that of the ship of the line, would
probably cross the bows of the latter
within range of her battery. Some of
the opposing vessels showed any flags
as yet, and their movements completely
unintended Captain Vincent.

"Certainly a most extraordinary per-
formance going on there," he said, af-
ter a long look through his glasses, which
he then handed to the colonel. "They
show no flags, but I cannot conceive
of their being anything but a squadron
or a convoy of ours. What do you
make them out, Colonel Wilton?"

Now, the colonel was mortally cer-
tain that they were Americans, or, at
least that the first and nearest one was
an American ship. He had been one of
the naval committee which had
taken charge of the building of the
men of war ordered by congress in '75;
he had seen the Randolph frequently
on the ways and after she was launch-
ed, and was entirely familiar with her
lines. Perhaps the wish also was fa-
ther to the thought, for the old soldier
was not sufficiently versed in nautical
affairs to detect at that distance the
great disparity in force between the
two ships, to which for the moment
he gave no thought, or he would not
have entertained hopes for a release
from confinement by recapture—a pat-
ent impossibility to a seaman. So he
answered the captain eagerly, re-
turning the glass and pleading his ig-
norance of nautical matters to excuse his
indefinite opinion.

"It must be the Carrisford, with
Hythe's squadron; she is a thirty-two.
But why they should act this way I
cannot see. He must know what we
are now, as there are no ships of our
size in these waters except our own,
and why should he send the rest of
them off there? They are leaving us
pretty fast, except that brig. Now, if
it were a colonial convoy I should say
that this frigate was going to engage
us in the hope of so crippling us as to
effect the escape of the rest; but I
hardly think that your men are up to
that yet."

"Think not," said the colonel in-
differently, violently repressing an in-
clination to strike him. "It may be as
you say, Captain Vincent; still, I think
we are up to almost anything that you
are."

"Oh, colonel," laughed the captain
good naturedly, "you are not going to
compare the little colonial forces
with his majesty's navy, are you? Now,
I am morally certain that is a king's
ship. See the beautiful set of
her sails, the enormous spread of the
yards; notice how trim and taut her
rigging and running gear stand out,
and then, too, see how smartly she is
handled. Only English ships are thus.
Hythe is a sailor, every inch of him."
He went on in genuine admiration for
the approaching vessel. "See, he has
the weather gauge of us now, or will
have. Not that it matters anything.
We could afford to let him have it even
if he were an enemy. But what he
means by this sort of performance I
don't understand. However, we shall
know in half an hour at least."

"Well, sir," he said, turning toward
Lieutenant Desborough, who at that
moment stepped on the poop in flight-
ing uniform, sword in hand.

"Ship's ready for action, sir!"

"Very good. Keep the people at
their quarters and stand on as we are.
What do you think of her, Desbor-
ough?"

"We think she is an American, sir,"
said Desborough.

"Oh, you do, you? Well, I think
she is one of ours. No American would
dare to lead down on us in that way.
We can blow him out of the water
with a broadside or two, you know.
But we'll give him a hint all the same.
Fire a gun there to leeward and hoist
our colors."

As the smoke rolled away along the
water the stops were broken, and there
flew out from each masthead the
splendid English flag. It was answered
soon afterward by a small English
flag at the gaff of the approaching
ship, which apparently mystified the
captain more than ever, though it con-
firmed him in his previous opinion.

"Oh, father," whispered Katharine,
clinging to the colonel, "what do you
think it is? See that English flag?"

"Katharine, I'm morally sure that it is an
American ship. It is just the plan and
size of those ordered by congress in
'75. One of those ships should be in
commission by now. If I am right,
this should be the Randolph. I saw
her a dozen times in Philadelphia, and
if that's not she I shall never pretend
to know a ship again."

"But did you hear what Captain Vin-
cent said?" continued Katharine.
"How many guns would the Randolph
carry?"

"About forty, and most of them
smaller than this," answered the colo-
nel, with a laugh.

The two ships were much nearer
now, and their disparity in force was
apparent even to the most unskilful
eye.

"The little ship can't fight this great
one, father, can it?"

"No, my dear—that is, not with any
chance of success. But I fear, or hope,
that they mean to engage us,
and sacrifice themselves in order not
to allow us to capture the little fleet."

"The battle, of course."

"It's a great battle all right, but I
can't see what the blazes de Japs has
got to do with it. De Beantown Twirl-
ers is puttin' up de fight uv der lives,
an' de Porkville Knockers."

But at this point the eminent citizen
became aware of the fact that it was
the baseball bulletin that the crowd
was watching, and he faded away to-
ward the trolley car that was to glide
him homeward—Judge.

WHAT DREW THE CROWD.

An eminent citizen of international
sympathies stopped to look at the bul-
letin board of a daily paper, on which
an energetic man with a large brush
was writing in letters two feet high
the latest news from the seat of war.
The street was crowded with a sur-
ging mob, and after almost every word
a hoarse roar went up that shook the
skyscrapers in the vicinity.

"Dear me!" exclaimed the wise one,
adjusting his glasses and beginning
to read. "Fourteen thousand Japs kill-
ed and seven Russian warships sunk
with all on board! Rumor that Port
Arthur has fallen again! How terri-
ble! No wonder the crowd is roaring,
though I am a trifle confused as to
which of the parties to the great con-
flict is receiving its sympathy."

Turning to a neighbor who was par-
ticularly vociferous, he observed ten-
tatively:

"The little Japs are a wonderful
people, are they not?"

"Gwan!" said the man who had been
addressed. "Wot yer talkin' about?"

"The battle, of course."

"It's a great battle all right, but I
can't see what the blazes de Japs has
got to do with it. De Beantown Twirl-
ers is puttin' up de fight uv der lives,
an' de Porkville Knockers."

But at this point the eminent citizen
became aware of the fact that it was
the baseball bulletin that the crowd
was watching, and he faded away to-
ward the trolley car that was to glide
him homeward—Judge.

THESE FOOTBALL GAMES.



First Football Player—Pity about
Kiekem getting killed in that football
game.

Second Football Player—Yes, and it
was against a scrub eleven, too.

Start of an Iowa Lawyer.

An Iowa lawyer tells of his first
months of practice. He went to a
small country town and secured an
office room, in front of which he was
placed the usual sign. Then he sat
down and waited for his clients to
appear, all the while feeling very
much the dignity of his position. The
day passed and no one called, and an-
other, and another, until weeks went
by, and still there had been no client.

One morning, however, he was at the
depot to attend upon the arrival
of the daily accommodation train, quite
an important function of the town,
when a handsome, well-dressed
young lady approached and inquired,
"Is this Mr. Smith?" At once the
feeling of importance returned, and
in his blindest tone replied: "It is,
madam. What can I do for you?"

"Can you tell me how much it will
cost to send a sow and pig down to
the next station?"—Green Bag.

A Matter of Speech.

Magistrate—How do you know this
German gentleman has been guilty of
passing the spurious ten cent pieces?

Detective—I asked him if he ever
came across any bad money, and he
said "some dimes."—Judge.

Sure to See It.

"Who was it who saw the hand-
writing on the wall, Freddie?" asked
the Sunday school teacher.

"The landlord, ma'am," quickly re-
plied the little boy who lives in a flat.
—Yonkers Statesman.

Preparation.

It may appear to you that all the
good jobs are taken, but by the time
you are capable of filling one it will
be vacant.—Atholion Globe.

Going Too Far.

Mrs. Boffin—I read in the paper
that a woman, in looking after another
woman to see what she had on, fell
out of a window.

Mr. Boffin—Well, that only goes to
show that some women in trying to
follow the fashions can go too far.—
Illustrated Bits.

In Another Capacity.

Lady Violet—"And where do you go
when you leave here, Professor?"

"The Professor—"I'm going to join a
shooting party in Norfolk."

Lady Violet—"Indeed! I had no idea
you were a sportsman!"

The Professor—"Oh, I'm not a gun,
Lady Violet; I'm a knife and fork!"—
London Punch.

How He Puzzled Him.

"Watch me puzzle that waiter," said
Smartellick. "Waiter, will you please
bring me a beer sandwich?"

"Yes, sir."

The waiter went away and return-
ed a few minutes later, carrying a
tray containing two whiskies, with a
glass of beer between them.

"That will be 40 cents, sir," he said.
—Chicago Tribune.

Wis Old Tribune.

The Chicago Tribune, a Republican
paper, is supporting Joe Folk, the
Democratic nominee for Governor of
Missouri.—Meridian (Miss.) Star.

Useful Accomplishment.

"I'm glad I learned to sew on bot-
tons when I was a bachelor," observ-
ed Peckem.

"Why, Henry?" asked Mrs. Peck-
em.

"Because," he answered, "I find the
accomplishment so useful, now that I
am married."

Mistake Somewhere.

"Our milkman has taken to drink
again," observed Mrs. Urbanite.

"You must be mistaken, my dear,"
rejoined her husband. "I saw him on
his water-wagon this morning."

ROADS AND ROAD MAKING.

POORLY DRAINED ROADS.

Frequent Inspection and a Little Work

Will Keep Them Passable.

Drainage is the key to success in
making earth roads, and constant
watchfulness is the sure means of
keeping them up after they are once
well made. Water is destructive to
any road, especially to a dirt road;
therefore, drainage that will at once
carry away rainfall or melting snow
is absolutely necessary. Again, little
breaks in the road may be made by
rain or by a heavy load at any time,
and if not repaired immediately will
grow into mud holes, especially in
the winter, and these mud holes easily
and rapidly develop into an almost
impassable mire. But frequent in-
spection and a little work will keep
the road in good condition and with
less cost than under ordinary meth-
ods. With good drainage established
in building the road and frequent in-
spection to keep the drainage efficient,
and to mend promptly small injuries
to the surface, the earth roads of the
United States could be maintained in
a much higher state of usefulness
than at present, and at considerably
lower cost.

The aim in making a road is to es-
tablish the easiest, shortest, and most
economical line of travel. It is there-
fore desirable that roads should be
firm, smooth, comparatively level, and
fit for use at all seasons of the year.

Women as Well as Men Are Made
Miserable by Kidney and
Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind,
discourages and lessens ambition; beauty,
vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear
when the kidneys are
out of order or dis-
eased.

Kidney trouble has
become so prevalent
that it is not uncom-
mon for a child to be
born afflicted with
weak kidneys. If the
child urinates too often, if the urine scalds
the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an
age when it should be able to control the
passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wet-
ting, depend upon it, the cause of the diffi-
culty is kidney trouble, and the first
step should be towards the treatment of
these important organs. This unpleasant
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dress, Binghamton, N. Y., on every
bottle.

Beauty of Shell Roads.

In many of the Eastern and South-
ern States road stones do not exist;
neither is it possible to secure good
coarse gravel. No such material can
be secured except at such an expense
for freight as to practically preclude
its use for road building. Oyster
shells can be secured cheaply in most
of these States, and when applied di-
rectly upon sand or sandy soil, 8 or
10 inches in thickness, they form ex-
cellent roads for pleasure driving and
light traffic. Shells wear much more
rapidly than broken stone or gravel
of good quality, and consequently
roads made of them require more con-
stant attention to keep them in good
order. In most cases they should have
an entirely new surface every three or
four years. When properly main-
tained they possess many of the qualities
found in good stone or gravel roads,
and so far as beauty is concerned they
can not be surpassed.

Straight and Level Roads.

In the prairie State of Iowa, where
roads are no worse than in many other
States, there is a greater number of
roads having much steeper grades
than are found in the mountainous
Republic of Switzerland. In Mary-
land the old stagecoach road or turn-
pike running from Washington to
Baltimore makes almost a "bee line,"
regardless of hills or valleys, and the
grades at places are as steep as 10 or
12 per cent, where by making little
detours the road might have been
made perfectly level, or by running
it up the hills less abruptly the grade
might have been reduced to 3 or 4
per cent, as is done in the hilly reg-
ions of many parts of the United
States. Straight roads are the
property kind to have, but in hilly coun-
tries their straightness should always
be sacrificed to obtain a level surface
so as to better accommodate the peo-
ple who use them.

Mutton of good quality usually sells
at a higher price than beef and yet it
is produced at considerably less cost.

Of all methods of improving the soil
and destroying weeds sheep are the
best.

A naive advertisement appeared in
an English paper not long ago which
perhaps contained some unintended
truth: "Wanted, by a respectable
girl, her passage to New York; will-
ing to take care of children and a
good sailor."

Those men who object to sharing
the world's work with women don't
really object to sharing that at all.
They only object to sharing the re-
sults.

Marriage is a lottery, but all men
are born gamblers.

He Was Nicely Caught.
Bishop Ellison Capers of South Caro-
lina recently addressed a meeting of
Confederate veterans in Columbia.
In the course of his address Bishop
Capers spoke of those men who deceive
their wives, pretending that they are
detained late at their offices on business,
when really they are spending the
evening at the theater or the club.

"These men," he said, "are fewer
than the comic writers of the press
would have us believe; but, neverthe-
less, here and there they do exist. I
wish that they could all be caught as
nicely as one of them, a resident of
Columbia, was caught the other day."

"He said to his wife as he was leav-
ing home in the morning:
"Oh, by the way, my dear, if I find
I can't get away from the works in
time for dinner tonight I'll send you a
note by a messenger."

"The wife in a tart tone replied:
"You needn't bother. I have already
found the note in your coat pocket."

Mormons Increasing.
According to the reports made at
the recent conference, the Mormon or-
ganization is growing rapidly in power.
It maintains twenty mission fields, and
it has 1,500 persons actively at work
in them making proselytes for the
church. Missions are maintained in
Canada, Mississippi, and Mexico were at the
conference, and the scope of its opera-
tions extends far beyond those coun-
tries. It has workers in New Zealand,
Australia and other parts of the Pa-
cific. They are found in Palestine, in
Germany, France, Sweden, Denmark
and several other countries of the old
world.

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A POPULARLY KNOWN AMERICAN.

The many admirers of the sterling merit in the writings of Gen. "Lew" Wallace will regret to hear of the demise in Crawfordsville, Indiana, Wednesday night, at the age of 78, of this able and illustrious writer, who has entered nearly every American home with his thought.

He was formerly American Minister to Turkey, but best known to English-speaking people as the author of "Ben Hur."

General Wallace's health had been failing for several years, and for more than a year he had been unable to properly assimilate food. This, together with his extreme age, made difficult his fight for life. At no time did he ever confess his belief that the end was near, and his rugged constitution and remarkable vitality were responsible for prolonging his life.

When told by his physician that he was dying, General Wallace was perfectly calm, and his last words were expressions of cheer to his grief-stricken family.

Bidding them farewell, he said: "I am ready to meet my Maker," and lapsed into unconsciousness, from which he did not recover.

His novel "Ben Hur" appeared in 1880. Among his other writings are "The Life of General Harrison" (1888), "The Fair God" (1878), "The Boyhood of Christ" (1888), "The Prince of India" (1888), and "The Wooing of Malkatoon" (1888).

Th books of General Wallace had a remarkable success. In composing his books he had the peculiar habit of writing first upon a slate, then copying the lines on paper, and afterward re-copying and pruning his composition until it met with his approval. It used to be said that frequently he wrote but one line a day, and then scratched that out within the next twenty-four hours.

CLARKE AND LEWIS EXPOSITION COMING.

With almost four months remaining before the opening of the Lewis and Clark Exposition on June 1, the demand for exhibit space by manufacturers and foreign governments has been so great that not only is every square foot of the original provision contracted for, but much additional space as well.

The visitors to this Exposition next summer will have an opportunity to see and study a wonderful country at a wonderfully small cost. While the Fair in itself will prove an attraction worth many times the time and money spent in the overland trip, the scenery surrounding Portland, the Fair City, and up and down the Columbia, is very beautiful.

From the Fair grounds may be seen the snow capped peaks of the Cascades, Mount Hood, Mount Ranier, Mount Adams and Mount St. Helens rising in glistening whiteness on the horizon. Mount Hood, the particular pride of Portlanders, is distant about forty miles. Cloud Cape Inn, half way up its side, offers hospitable shelter to the tourist who climbs the mountain. The trip to the top of the mountain and back may be made in two days and a night, and the cost is less than 100.

B. C. & A. Steamers Are Located Battling With Ice

All of the four steamers of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway which sailed Tuesday for points in Chesapeake bay tributaries were heard from Thursday. The Tivoli, or the Plankitank river, is icebound at Keedville on the Great Wicomico river. The Calvert which sailed for the Patuxent river route passed Cove Point Thursday morning bound up having been unable to make her landings on account of the ice. The Midway for the Rappahannock reached Appamattock and sailed from there at 6 o'clock Thursday morning and the Anne Arundel reached Kinsale on the Potomac and sailed for Baltimore Thursday. All the steamers report the ice bad in the rivers. Since the steamers sailed from the river points no news of them has been received at the company's office and there is a possibility that they will be hung up in the ice.

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Brilliant Entertainment Of Art Club Monday.

Rough outside but a charming musical program regaled nearly a hundred guests who attended the rare treat of the Salisbury Musical Art Club at High School Hall, Monday night.

Miss Edna Adkins, Miss Bertha Stongle and Miss Edith Weinbach were the piano accompanists, and Miss Clara Walton played the violin obligato parts to two or three pieces. Program:— Opening Chorus—"Over the Fields of Clover," by Miss Edna Owens, Miss Grace Ellegood, Mrs. J. D. Williams, Miss Nannie Gordy, Miss Rebecca Smyth, Miss Clara Dashiell, Miss Carrie Adkins and Miss Wilsie Woodcock, sopranos; Miss Bertha Stongle, Miss Clara C. Walton, Mrs. R. D. Grier and Miss Maria Ellegood, altos; Dr. E. W. Humphreys, Messrs. Edgar Laws, Herman Murrell and Prof. W. T. Dashiell, tenors; Messrs. V. S. Gordy, Charles G. Heebner and Arley W. Carey, basses.

Duet—"The Land of the Swallows," Miss Owens and Miss Stongle. Trio—"The Bird at Sea," Miss Wilsie Woodcock, Miss Grace Ellegood, 1st soprano; Miss Nannie Gordy, Miss Carrie Adkins, 2d soprano; Miss Clara Walton, Mrs. R. D. Grier, altos.

Solo—"Stein Song," Mr. Charles G. Heebner. Duet—"Fly Away, Birdling," Miss Grace Ellegood, Miss Maria Ellegood. Chorus—"Bridal Chorus from 'The Rose Maiden'."

Duet—"Love's Dream Is Past," Mrs. Williams, Prof. Dashiell. Solo—"Good Night, Sweet Dreams," Miss Nannie Gordy.

Male Quartette—"The Sailors' Chorus," Dr. E. W. Humphreys, Prof. Dashiell, Mr. V. S. Gordy, Mr. Heebner, basses.

Duet—"Oh That We Two Were Maying," Miss Owens, Prof. Dashiell. The program closed with the full chorus rendering the "Yachting Glee."

Recommendation from Principals' Club Saturday.

The Revision of the Course of Study was the practical subject of Saturday's monthly meeting of the Principals' Club held in the High School here. After discussion by Messrs. Huntington, Truitt, Turner, Goslee and Robertson; Misses Scott, Cooper and Bounds. Mr. Huntington was made chairman of a committee to draft this recommendation to the Board of Education:—

Physiology, oral, in 3rd and 4th grade; Dunlap's Physiology in 5th grade; History, Montgomery's Beginners, in 4th and 5th grades; United States History completed in 6th grade; Civics omitted in 6th grade; Maryland History and Civics in 7th grade; Latin omitted in 7th grade; Reed & Kellogg's continued in 8th grade, omitting present "Baskerville and Sewell's"; Geometry, 3 books plane, in 8th grade; 2 books plane and solid in 9th grade; Plane Trigonometry only in 10th grade; recommending that the 7th grade Elementary be cut out of the Course of Study entirely, the proposed new arrangement of the 7th grade taking the place of the 7th grade Elementary and the 7th grade U. S.

Mr. Thomas H. Truitt was made chairman of a committee, associated with Messrs. J. Walter Huntington and N. Price Turner, to draft a plan for conducting examinations and mode of marking in connection with daily recitations and final examination.

Fire Destroys Chief Hebron Industry.

Heroic work doubtless saved many a home from destruction late Friday night, a hot fire, starting at 10.15, having gotten an irresistible headway in the frame chair factory building owned and operated by Messrs. Freeny Brothers. Nothing was left of the structure but wreckage, the machines, manufactured stock, and raw goods on hand all burning.

The proprietors estimate their loss on building, machinery, and stock at over \$60,000—\$3,000 on building and machinery and \$60,000 on stock. The building and machinery were insured for \$2,000 in companies represented by White & Waller. The stock was insured through the agency of P. S. Shockley & Co., for \$5,000.00 in five companies.

The firm of Freeny Bros. is composed of Mr. Barton R. Freeny and Mr. B. L. Freeny, two young, deserving and enterprising young men. Mr. Barton Freeny has been ill for the past two months with fever and was beginning to convalesce. They are not yet prepared to state whether they will resume the business later. The plant employed about 50 operators and was the principal industry of this town. It is a severe season to go without this source of income to so many families.

Notice. There will be a special meeting (D.V.) held in the Apostolic Chapel, Pine street, South Salisbury, February 18th to March 6th. We expect to have with us Rev. B. W. McGarry, of Springtown, Penn., and Miss Etta H. Gibbon, of Tilghman's, Md. Bro. McGarry is a student. H. P. ADAMS, Pastor.

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THE WIND AND THE SEA.

The sea is a jovial comrade,
He laughs when you are gay,
His merriest dithies to the dappling lines
That wrinkle his hale repose,
He lays himself down at the feet of the sun,
And shakes all over with glee,
And the broad-backed billows fall faint on the shore,
In the mirth of the mighty sea!

But the wind is sad and restless,
And cursed with an inward pain;
You may mark as you will, by valley or hill,
You may hear him still complain,
He walls on the barren mountains,
And shrieks on the wintry sea;
He sobs in the cedar and moans in the pine,
And shudders all over the aspen tree.

Welcome are both their voices,
And I know not which is best,
The laughter that slips from the ocean's lips,
There's a pang in all rejoicing,
A joy in the heart of pain,
And the wind that saddens, the sea that gladdens,
Are singing the selfsame strain.
—Rayard Taylor.

Large Surprise To Miss Tilghman, Camden Avenue.

Many of the lady and gentlemen friends of Miss Minnie Louise Tilghman gave her a most agreeable surprise party last night. In the list were:

Misses Emma Williams, Eva Catlin, Mammie Gillis, Mammie Adkins, Sadie Veasey, Gladys Moore, Miss Gale and guest, Miss Bouldin, May Serman, Sadie Wailes, Wilsie Woodcock, Mary C. Smith, Emma Wood, May Humphreys, Hazel Macomber, Messrs. Frank Gunby, Arthur Richardson, G. Wm. Phillips, Arthur Phillips, Houser White, Raymond K. Truitt, Norman Ball, Wade Porter, Wm. B. Tilghman, Jr., Geo. White, Stephen Toadvine, Harry Ruark, Lee Macomber, F. A. Grier, Jr., Herman Murrell.

Honor Roll Of Fifth Grade Girls.

Alice Hayman, 93.7; Nellie Shepherd, 91.6; Dora Johnson, 91.2; Nancy White, 89.9; Louise Gullette, 87.9; Margaret Williams, 85.7; Nellie Records, 84.6; Louise Windsor, 84.2; Susie Hill, 83. Ella Parker, 80.9.
Alice Toadvine, teacher.

Unclaimed Letters.

Mr. Isaac Brown, Mrs. L. E. Collier, Mr. Burton Gordy, Mr. Davis J. Malone, Mr. J. E. Nichols, Mr. Fred A. Nelson, Mrs. Annie Robertson, Mr. Preston Thomas, Mrs. W. F. Ward, Miss Mary Wilson.

If The Baby Is Cutting Teeth.

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Government Appointments.

How secured. Civil service examination at Salisbury March 15, and April 19. We can prepare you for them by mail. Write for particulars. The Washington Civil Service Correspondence College, 1100 N. Y. Ave., Washington, D. C.

Jonas Standiford, Stanley Standiford and Stanley Loving, pupils at Hopes public school, were on Wednesday summoned before the Harford County School Board for disorderly conduct and required to sign a pledge that they would be good schoolboys as long as they attended any school in the county.

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SEED TIME

The experienced farmer has learned that some grains require far different soil than others; some crops need different handling than others. He knows that a great deal depends upon right planting at the right time, and that the soil must be kept enriched. No use of complaining in summer about a mistake made in the spring. Decide before the seed is planted.

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This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans Court for Wicomico county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

WM. TURPIN PHILLIPS, late of Wicomico county deceased. All persons having claims against said dec'd, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, on or before August 18, 1905, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of February, 1905.
JOS. A. PHILLIPS,
Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans Court for Wicomico county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of

JOHN W. FARLOW, late of Wicomico county deceased. All persons having claims against said dec'd, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, on or before August 18, 1905, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, passed in No. 1834 Chancery, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell by public auction, in front of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, on

1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that tract or parcel of land lying in "Hungary Neck," Barren creek District, Wicomico County, Md., on the Neck Road, and adjoining the Sarah Cox land and the Beaworth land, and containing 49 acres of land, more or less; being the same land on which William G. Majors now lives, and which was conveyed to E. A. Majors by Ichabod D. Evans and others. This land is improved by dwelling, etc. About one third of it is well set in pine timber, part first growth

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent. of purchase money in cash on day of sale; balance on a credit of one and two years, to be secured by the bond or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing interest from day of sale, with surety or sureties to be approved by Trustee; or all cash, at option of purchaser.

Sold clear of all other rights. (William G. Majors.)

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The Kitchen Cabinet you ordered from our agent will be delivered sometime between the first and the 20th. of February, 1905.

Please be prepared to settle for Cabinet and save inconveniencing our agent by having him call a second time.

Yours truly,

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200 pieces Spring Waltings, all new and stylish weaves.
500 yards India Linen at 5 cents.
800 yards Calico at 4 cents.
1000 yards Extra Heavy Russia at 5 cents.
400 yards White Apron Goods at 5 cents.
1000 yards Fine Needle Russia at 7 cents.
300 yards Extra Fine Silk at 37 1/2 cents.
200 yards Wide Hamburg Edge at 7 cents.
100 yards Fine Percales at 6 cents.

The Remnant Counter is now filled. It will pay you to come and look over them.

This White Goods Sale will last only 10 days.

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The Up-to-Date Merchant of Salisbury.

We Can Supply
Your Wants for

NAILS

Five Cars Just Received.

Call or Write for Prices.

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SALISBURY, 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.

The advertiser will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings, parties, and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present for this department. The items should be forwarded with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

—Miss Bouldin, of Danville, Va., is the guest of Miss Gale.

—Mr. Keim, Phillips Bros., miller has gone to New Jersey for a short trip.

—Mr. Eben Disharoon has been to his home for more than a week with rheumatism.

—Jackson's No. 2 mill started up on Thursday with a full force and is now running on nine hour time.

—Mr. N. L. Hayman was injured in the shifting yards at Delmar in the early part of this week.

—Mrs. William T. Sudler and Miss Curtis of Westover, are the guests of Mrs. J. McF. Dick.

—Wanted—To arrange for a location for 25 hives of bees. Fair rental paid. E. A. Hearn, Advertiser Office.

—Mrs. J. Coston Goles returned home on Tuesday, after spending a week with relatives at Pocomoke City.

—See us in person or call by phone for groceries. Prompt service. E. J. Parsons & Co.

—Miss Annie Hudson spent a few days this week visiting friends in Philadelphia.

—The young men of Quantico are going to give a dance in Turpin's Hall, Friday evening, February 24, 1905.

—Miss Mamie Parsons gave a large reception Thursday night to Miss Cora Turner who has been a guest in Corn Hill.

—Miss Helena Stauffer of Frederick Md., returned yesterday after spending several weeks with Mrs. S. King White.

—Mr. Wm. J. Staton pleased his friends by his presence on the streets yesterday, after two weeks indoors with a severe cold.

—Mr. A. Clark Gilbert, of Baltimore spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. D. N. Gilbert, Camden Avenue.

—Mr. L. P. Coulbourn has been storing a lot of fine ice from Lake Humphreys, varying in thickness from 8 to 10 inches.

—Mr. Thos. E. Adkins, formerly of Salisbury, was practically acquitted of the charges made against him in a New Jersey court.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Twilley entertained a few of their friends last Monday evening at their home on Newton Street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chaffinch spent Sunday with Mrs. Chaffinch's mother, Mrs. Gilbert, returning to Easton, Monday afternoon.

—Mr. E. S. Truitt, accompanied by his two daughters, Misses Maud and May Truitt, have gone to Walters' Park, Pa. for a month's stay.

—Judge Holland has rendered nine opinions in Chancery this year, two each for Wicomico, Somerset and Worcester and three for Worcester.

—Mr. Voorhees Catlin is much improved since the operation performed on him two weeks ago, and is expected to be at his post of duty in a few weeks.

—Miss Edith Welsh visited Philadelphia last Tuesday and took a lesson on the pipe organ. Miss Welsh will study with one of the best instructors in Philadelphia.

—Miss H. C. M. Reed, of Woodland Station, Baltimore county, was the lucky possessor of 2,361, the winning number in the \$600 Steiff piano contest announcement in the Advertiser.

—The track foreman of the Washington Southern Railroad has been instructed to buy grain and feed the starving birds on his line. Surely a deed of charity.

—Miss Ada Whitney gave a surprise party in honor of the scholars of the tenth grade of public school on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Laura White.

—President Chas. E. Williams, Commissioners W. J. Staton and L. T. Cooper, and Superintendent Bounds, were all present at a special meeting of the School Board yesterday.

—Any one in the city whose piano requires tuning will please call at Mrs. H. M. Trussell's, 118 Main Street and leave the name and address. A first class tuner will be here in the near future.

—Marnetto & Co., will appear for week beginning Tuesday, February 21st, at Parsons Opera House in Vau-deville. They combine comedy and sketch artists, comedians, singers and dancers.

—Master Denwood Mitchell entertained a number of little friends, in honor of his fifth birthday Wednesday afternoon at his home on Newton Street. He presented each one present with a very pretty souvenir.

—Miss Lola Richardson was given a very pleasant surprise last Tuesday evening at her home on Newton Street in honor of her twelfth birthday by a number of her little friends. Refreshments consisting of ice and cake were served.

—Rev. E. G. Freeman of Hopewell, N. J., will preach at the Division Street Baptist Church both morning and evening on Sunday, February 19.

The channel of Synepusent Bay was open to the bridge last Sunday, but the rain, snow and freeze Monday afternoon and night closed everything up again as tight as a drum. Tuesday being considered the coldest day of the year.

—Mr. L. Atwood Bennett, trustee, has sold the real estate of Capt. Noah W. White on Railroad Avenue to the L. W. Gunby Co., for \$1850, giving them possession of the block fronting Railroad Avenue from Isabella to Elizabeth Streets.

—At Asbury Church tomorrow morning Rev. Alfred Smith, D. D., will preach a gospel temperance sermon, representing his work as Wilmington Conference Temperance Evangelist. At the evening services the pulpit will be filled by the pastor.

—Complaint is being made around and beyond the N. Y. P. & N. depot against a gang of boys, who have been displacing movable property and otherwise annoying the residents of that section. Authorities should look after the matter.

—By order of the Postmaster General there will be no delivery of mail by the rural carriers on Wednesday, February 22nd. Patrons of the routes can get their mail at the Postoffice during the hours the office will be open on that day.

—Miss Nancy Jump entertained a few of her friends at progressive slush last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Twilley, Newton Street. Each player was presented with a very pretty valentine as a souvenir of the evening. Refreshments were served.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of Wicomico Presbyterian Church will present a clever comedy entitled, "Miss Tubbs Telegram" Friday evening, February 24th., at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. L. W. Gunby. An admission of ten cents will be charged and home made candles will be for sale.

—The Farmers Institute of Wicomico county will be held in the Masonic Hall, Salisbury, Monday and Tuesday of next week. Mr. Chas. Chalmers, of Vineland, N. J., has been engaged and will discuss sweet potato growing at Tuesday afternoon's session.

—A surprise party was given to Miss Dora Jones, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Waller Phillips, on Valentine night by her classmates, the Ninth Grade of public school. The surprising guests loaded the table with refreshments which were served at 10 o'clock. Numerous games added to the very pleasant evening spent.

—Mr. Wm. E. Booth last week purchased from his brother, Mr. Chas. E. Booth, the dwelling and lot on William street near Railroad Avenue where the latter now lives. Mr. Booth intends the first of March to begin improvements of about \$400 on the dwelling by extending, remodeling and painting.

—Weather and other conditions being favorable the revival for which the Church has been preparing will begin in the M. P. Church next Sunday night. The pastor will preach a sermon in the morning on "Who is on the Lord's side." A prayer meeting will be held in the lecture room of the church on Saturday evening from 7 to 7.45 p. m.

—A class of from 80 to 85 palefaces will be made to know the mysteries of Redmanship next Monday evening at their hall on Main and Dock streets. The hall is being very attractively fitted up with wall paper, which in appropriate shades, covers the entire main room. New furniture has lately been purchased for their wigwam, which will now present a very striking appearance.

—Miss Wilsie Woodcock entertained at a Valentine party Tuesday evening the following ladies and gentlemen: Misses Mamie Gillis, Gladys Moore, Eva Catlin, Emma Williams, Sarah Wallis, Victoria Wallis, Sadie Veasey, Mary Cooper Smith, M. Louise Tilghman, Mary Tilghman, Emma Wood, Dr. W. G. Smith, Messrs. F. L. Wallis, Homer White, Wm. Phillips, Wm. B. Tilghman, Jr., Frank Gunby, Herman Murrell, Arlie Carey, F. A. Grier, Jr., Raymond K. Truitt.

—A surprise party of rare amusement and much pleasure was given Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Grier on Tuesday evening. The surprise had been originally planned by about two score married ladies for Mrs. Grier, but before the event came off Mr. Thomas W. Mitchell telephoned to as many husbands of the above referred to matrons concerning the matter so that Mr. Grier, who had been conscious of some arrangements for the evening, was himself much surprised when the men arrived later in the evening. Refreshments and games were features of the evening's ensemble.

—The purchasers last week of the business of the Howard Grocery Company, located at the foot of Main Street organized this week under the name of Turner Brothers Company Inc., with the following members composing the Board of Directors: W. J. Downing, president; W. J. Staton, vice president; Ernest C. Turner, general manager; W. Pitt Turner, secretary-treasurer and N. Price Turner. The capital stock of the company is \$30,000. The company will devote their attention to the wholesale and grocery business.

—Some of the merchants of the city have been selling a strange kind of Balm of Life in gross lots, to steady buyers, but the authorities have put an end to its sale. One of the lumbermen on Saturday night partook too freely of this "medicine," and fell from the Pivotal bridge, sinking twice, ready to go down the third time, when assistance came to his rescue.

—The called meeting of citizens to consider the practicability of establishing a central heating plant in Salisbury took place Monday night as announced in Saturday's Advertiser. Nothing definite could be done pending the possession of further information and estimates. It was thought that saw dust could be used to advantage as fuel here. Another meeting will be held probably next week when it is expected to have fuller details.

—At a special meeting of the City Council, Monday night, Mayor Harper was requested to invite Mr. George Webb, of Baltimore, President of the Maryland Telephone Company and Dr. Watter of the Pocomoke Telephone Company to meet the Council at an early date and place their propositions before them. Both of these companies are seeking phone inlets to Salisbury for service to out of town points.

—Mrs. Sarah J. Bonds, widow of the late William Bonds, died on Wednesday last at the home of her son, Hubert, living near Siloam, Trappe district and the interment was made yesterday afternoon in the Denison burying ground adjoining the farm. She was 84 years of age and the mother of Hubert, Louis and Thos. A. Bonds, all at present living in Trappe district.

—Mr. E. J. Steffens of Leland, Mich., who is visiting his brother, Rev. D. H. Steffens, pastor of Martini Evangelical Church, Sharp and Henrietta streets, Baltimore, is in Maryland for the purpose of looking for land suitable for farming. Mr. Steffens states that there are a number of young men living near Leland who desire to buy farms and settle in a more temperate climate.

—The first meeting of the County Commissioners for the past three weeks was held on Tuesday. Mr. Elisha A. Powell was appointed road supervisor for Dennis district, vice Larry E. Jones, resigned. The following pensions were granted, each \$1.50 per month: Margaret Kelly, John Seabreeze, Mary Timmons. Several pensions and election bills were approved for the levy of 1905. Board adjourned to meet February 21st.

—Miss May Humphreys entertained a party of friends last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jackson, on Camden Avenue. Those present were Mrs. Edward Humphreys, Misses Lillie Humphreys, Alice Humphreys, Emma Williams, Eva Catlin, Mamie Gillis, Gladys Moore, Wilsie Woodcock, Mary Cooper Smith, Louise Tilghman, Mary Tilghman, Emma Wood and Miss Moore of Laurel; Messrs. Pitt Turner, F. A. Grier, Jr., Arthur Richardson, Wade Porter, Frank Gunby, Herman Murrell and Raymond K. Truitt.

Ocean City should take a great boom the coming season. Should the B. C. and A. R. R. build the proposed line of railroad from Easton to Love Point, Baltimoreans are already figuring on buying property there. The new Congress Hall is now for sale in the hands of Kennard and Co., of Baltimore city. They already have some parties interested who will view the premises soon with the view of buying it and making changes that it may go back to the front ranks with the best of hotels where it once catered.

Business News.

—Several hundred yards of ribbons for sale now at Mrs. G. W. Taylor's.

—We sell and guarantee the Fay Stocking. Birchhead & Shockley.

—Wanted at once a good second hand side saddle. Communicate with P. O. Box 12, Quantico, Md.

—Five pairs of mules for sale. Prices to suit. J. T. Taylor, Princess Anne, Md.

—WANTED.—MEN and WOMEN in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established house of solid financial standing. Salary to men \$21 weekly, to women \$12 to \$18 weekly with expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address, Blod Bros. & Co., Dept. 5, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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Take cold easily? Throat tender? Lungs weak? Any relatives have consumption? Then a cough means a great

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deal to you. Follow your doctor's advice, and take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It heals, strengthens, prevents.

For 40 years I have depended on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. I know it greatly strengthens weak lungs.

Wm. F. A. Robinson, Saline, Mich.

Weak Lungs

Mother Goose Party On Poplar Hill Avenue.

Mrs. Frederick Paul Adkins gave a very enjoyable "Mother Goose Party" at her home on Poplar Hill Avenue, Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Helena Stauffer of Frederick and Miss Lena Barnes of Somerset. Each of the guests was given a slip of paper containing a merry rhyme together with a blank piece of paper and pencil with which to illustrate the jingle.

After a short length of time the drawings were collected and all tried to guess the verses which had inspired the drawings. Mrs. S. King White was the most successful and received the first prize, a handsome picture. Mr. U. W. Polk was awarded the consolation prize, a book, Mother Goose Rhymes.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. S. King White, Misses Lena Barnes, Helena Stauffer, Edna Adkins and Bertha Sheppard, Messrs Leonard Wallis, Edgar Laws, Dale Adkins and Homer White.

ULMAN SONS'

GREAT

LAMP SALE

IS NOW GOING ON. SEE THEIR BIG WINDOW DISPLAY.

240 Main St., Under Ulman's Grand Opera House,

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Embroideries of every description, match sets, etc. 4c to 60c the yard.

1000 yards embroidery 6 to 10 yard lengths go in this sale at one third to one half off the regular price.

Torchon laces 2c to 20c the yard.

Valencienne laces 2c to 25c the yard.

Nainsooks, Long Cloths, Madras, fancy and plain Pique, India Linen—in fact everything in white.

Don't fail to visit our WHITE SALE.

Birchhead & Shockley
SALISBURY, MD.
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BUT NONE ABOVE THE ORIGINAL WHOLESALE PRICE.

We have the coats here to meet your idea of style and price, materials and tailoring. Warm, generous overcoats, richly lined and finished, made by the greatest overcoat tailors in America. Every one of them guaranteed. It would be nothing short of a blunder to put your money in a Winter Overcoat without seeing and trying on these superb examples of overcoat making. For a moderate price you can buy a coat here that you will enjoy every minute you wear it, that will realize your highest sense of comfort and satisfaction, that will last for years and hold its shape and good looks, and be a credit to you whenever it is worn. We have them in long lengths, short or medium lengths, full or fitted back, silk-lined, serge lined, satin yoke and sleeves, medium or heavy weight, plain goods or fancy patterns. The richest and best overcoat value than any man's money can buy. We are proud to show you our overcoats, glad to have you try them on, pleased to give you our prices and to answer your questions as to the materials and styles. A Winter Overcoat is not bought every day. The investment is worth careful thought and investigation. Come in and talk over the matter with us. You need not buy because you look. If you do buy, remember that you cannot go wrong here, because the maker's guarantee and ours go with every garment we sell.

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James Thoroughgood

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Cleopatra's Shapely Hand

when loaded with the richest gems of Golconda's famous mine, or pearls of such beauty as she dissolved in Antony's precious draught, never showed such a wealth of dazzling splendor as we are displaying in our stock of rare jewelry, watches, and varied Christmas gifts. Nothing so appreciated by either sex as ornaments in beautifully set gems.

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Buy your seed potatoes from first hands. Our prices are always the lowest. All our stock is sold under a full guarantee. We have forty varieties. Write for catalogue and prices.

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Steam, Gasoline and Coal Oil ENGINES.

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Bargains.

We still have a few SUITINGS and TROUSERINGS left over from our Fall and Winter stock, which we are closing out at greatly-reduced prices.

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LINENS, SWISSES, PIQUES, OXFORDS, MADRAS, HAMBURGERS, INSERTING, LACES.

This is by far the largest and prettiest line of White Goods ever put on display in this city. The prices are far below the regular values and our customers will do well to call early and inspect these goods.

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Successor to H. F. POWELL,
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Extra Early Peas

are usually one of the most satisfactory and profitable crops to grow, both for home market and shipping.

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Wood's Pedigree Extra Early
are the earliest and most productive kinds in cultivation, and are in great favor with truckers wherever they are planted. Special prices quoted in quantity.

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Ordinance No. V 3.

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE RE-

MOVAL OF SNOW FROM THE SIDE-

WALKS OF THE TOWN OF SALISBURY,

MARYLAND.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Mayor and

Council of Salisbury, Maryland, That the

Mayor or Council, or either of them, may

at any time, and from time to time, cause

any street or alley of the town of Salisbury,

Maryland, shall keep said sidewalks adjoining

the same, or any part thereof, free of snow,

ice, or other obstructions, within the time

specified in this ordinance, he, she, or they shall

be liable to a fine of not more than five

dollars for each day that the same shall

remain uncleaned, and the sum of the fine

shall be paid by the owner of the property

so situated, or by the person who is the

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Household Cares.

Tax the Women of Salisbury the
Same as Elsewhere.

Hard to attend to household duties with a constantly aching back, a woman should not have a bad back, and she wouldn't if the kidneys were well.

Doan's Kidney Pills make a woman's life here is a Salisbury woman who endorses this claim. Mrs. J. J. Redden who lives at 808 N. St., says:

"I have had kidney trouble for four or five years. I caught cold and it settled in my kidneys and caused inflammation. I have been so bad at times I was compelled to stop work as I could not attend to my household duties. I had been subject to boils every year in the spring or sometime during the summer. I used a great many remedies for my kidneys and wore plasters but without permanent relief. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box at White & Leonard's drug store. I had not taken them more than a week before I noticed their good effects and when I had finished the box I was very much improved. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other sufferers from kidney troubles. For the boils or abscesses with which I was troubled I tried Doan's Ointment and found that it is all it is claimed to be."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

A dispute over a game of cards is said to have led to the shooting of William Sears by Edward Ecker at Knoxville. Sears died instantly and Ecker is under arrest at Frederick.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 4th day of December, A. D. 1898.

(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Hancock, Washington county, is being wired for electric lights. The last census gives a population of 824; therefore the town is to be classed among the progressive.

Startling But True.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a severe cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have wardened it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much was not said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia."

W. D. Wilcox, Logan, N. Y. Sold by All Dealers.

Samuel Smith, Seamus Hutzler and George B. Hutzler, near Boonsboro, caught 10 carp in the Antietam, the largest of which weighed 28 pounds.

Escaped An Awful Fate.

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life."

This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Joseph H. Steele, of Chesapeake City, Thursday bought at private sale the Caylor farm, in the Second district of Cecil county, for \$12,300.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by All Dealers.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Barckood Blood Bitters cure it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggist.

THE PIGSFEET SOCIAL

One day Grizzly Bear said to his wife:

Madame Bruin, I feel like having a little excitement. Let us put our heads together and get up a scheme to trap Reindeer. The worst of it is, that in a race he can beat me all hollow. Now, I say that we give a rousing big party and call it a Pigsfeet Social. We'll send him a written invitation and let on that the supper is given especially for himself and friends; then set Hungry Panther on watch behind the bushes, and the instant Reindeer pokes his nose inside the house, he must jump out and block the doorway."

Now Grizzly Bear and his family, which included his wife and two children, Cross Patch and Lazy Boots, lived in a big roomy cave near the playground where the animals gathered every day. The house was very snugly furnished, just as spick and span as it could be.

And so next morning Grizzly Bear was up betimes and off with a rope to lasso the pigs and a fishing line over his shoulder to catch some frogs. The icecream, cake and other dainties he could order from the baker who lived nearby.

Mrs. Bruin also had her hands full that day, and was rushing about like the best housewife in the woods. Promising Little Monkey some pocket money, she had him get a number of things from the grocery store and carry around the invitations.

Armed with a bagful of these, Little Monkey scampered off to all the animals' houses, rang their doorbells and handed in the notes. When he came to Reindeer's house, which was quite a long way off, his ring was answered by Reindeer himself, who told him to wait, as there might be a reply. After reading it, he said:

"Tell Mr. and Mrs. Grizzly Bear that I shall be delighted to attend their party." Then he laughed, saying to himself, "Ha, ha! Another scheme to trap me, but I'm up to snuff all right, and when it comes to playing jokes, I'm some pumpkins myself!"

The news spread like wildfire that Reindeer had actually accepted the invitation, and such good tidings so excited the animals that they could hardly wait for evening to arrive.

Meantime, Grizzly Bear and his thrifty wife had everything in readiness, even to gilt-edged china, company silverware, finger bowls, and toothpicks, and just as dusk the animals arrived in a body, all but Hungry Panther, who, from behind the bushes was sharp on the lookout for his prey. It certainly was a funny-looking crowd, here were Big Elephant, Sly Fox, Brave Lion and his wife, Striped Tiger and Mrs. Tigress, Greedy Wolf, Bravado Buffalo, Wild Cat, Jumping Kangaroo, Laughing Hyena and Spotted Leopard, Scary Antelope and Timid Elk were among the missing for the simple reason they weren't invited. Little Monkey acted as doorkeeper.

After they had been munching and chit-chatting for 10 or 15 minutes, Grizzly Bear, who had, as usual, made a speech, "My half-starved friends," he began, "It tickles me to death to see so many of you get a good, square meal for once in your lives, and to be honest, it's more than we're in the habit of having ourselves. My only regret is the absence of Reindeer, who promised faithfully to be here."

Just then Little Monkey jumped up excitedly and exclaimed: "Look here, will you!"

And turning their heads, what did they see but the mild eyes and familiar antlers of Reindeer peering in at them from the doorway.

"Ah, good evening," said he, looking as pleasant as a basket of chips. "You seem to be dining on the fat of the land. D'you know, when I promised Little Monkey to come to the party, I entirely overlooked a previous engagement. It pains me to tear myself away, but my time is up. Ta, ta! feet footers! Won't you come out and see me off?"

"That we will," answered Grizzly Bear, while the others were glued to their chairs with amazement. Then all grinned from ear to ear at the idea of Reindeer, whom they hunted in the forest all day long, daring to come right there under their noses in that saucy manner, to get caught in a trap.

Suddenly all was confusion and uproar, as they made a scramble for the door and dashed through by long strides and leaps.

Now as they were such fleet step-dancers and their chief aim in life was to run Reindeer down, it is natural to suppose that his readiness to risk danger would cause him to dash in and that a snub would be made of this graceful animal at the mercy of his worst foes.

But Reindeer had a surprise in store for his enemies, and the laugh was on the other side of the face.

As luck would have it, on his last birthday a well-wishing friend presented him with a beautiful puff wagon, and the funny part of it was, that as he approached Grizzly Bear's house, the racket made by his puff wheel into such a panic that he took to his heels and scampered off to his lair as fast as his legs could carry him.

The other animals had depended upon him to block the doorway and cut off his retreat, when they would make short work of him. But their fury is better imagined than described when they saw Mr. Deer spring alight into his puff wagon, start briskly off and shout back exultingly:

"I'm not such a gull as you take me for. Put that in your pipe and smoke it!"

Then, as he had gathered speed, he hoisted a red, white and blue flag, singing gaily as he went, "Sweet Land of Liberty!"

Preparation. It may appear to you that all the good jobs are taken, but by the time you are capable of filling one it will be vacant.—Atchison Globe.

Going Too Far. Mrs. Boffin—I read in the paper that a woman, in looking after another woman, had what she had on, fell out of a window.

Mr. Boffin—Well, that only goes to show that some women are trying to follow the fashions can go too far.—Illustrated Bita.

Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lunenburg, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. I have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just as good for female troubles; that they are a sure tonic and invigorator for weak, run-down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

Col. Samuel B. Ford, of Elkton, who is spending the winter in the South, was robbed of his diamond pin by New Orleans pickpocket.

Afraid of Strong Medicines.

Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine internally. Rev. Amos Parker, of Magnolia, North Carolina, suffered for eight years with a lame hip, due to severe rheumatic pains. He has been permanently cured by the free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by All Dealers.

A scratch on his arm has led to the serious illness from blood poisoning of William Lang, aged 16, who lives near Elkton.

Nearly Forfeited His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Blisters, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at all Drug Stores.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c. at all druggists.

The ladies of Trinity Church, Elkton, netted about \$125 for the parish house fund by their supper held last week.

Let me say I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly, (Rev.) H. W. Hathaway, Elizabeth, N. J.

I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured of catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Balm does not irritate or cause smarting. Sold by druggists at 50c. per box, or mailed by Ely Brothers, 66 Warren St., New York.

It will pay you to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in your home. It only costs a quarter. Sold by All Dealers.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

A HEALTHY OLD AGE

OFFER THE BEST PART OF LIFE

Help for Women Passing Through Change of Life

Providence has allotted us each at least seventy years in which to fulfill our mission in life, and it is generally our own fault if we die prematurely.

When everything becomes a burden and you cannot walk a few blocks without excessive fatigue, and you break out into perspiration easily, and your face flushes, and you grow excited and shaky at the least provocation, and you cannot bear to be crossed in anything, you are in danger; your nerves have given out; you need building up at once! To most women a nervous system and during the period of change of life we know of no better medicine than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here is an illustration. Mrs. Mary L. Koehne, 371 Garfield Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for years in my family and it never disappoints; so when I felt that I was nearing the change of life I commenced treatment with it. I took it all about six bottles and it did me a great deal of good. It stopped my daily spells, pains in my back and the headaches

GREAT WHITE GOODS ...SALE...

Our Great White Goods Sale is now on. All our previous efforts in this line fade into insignificance when this sale is considered. The articles used in this are all new and have just come in. Included in this sale are:

**LINENS, SWISSES, Piques,
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INSERTING, LACES.**

This is by far the largest and prettiest line of White Goods ever put on display in this city. The prices are far below regular values and our customers will do well to call and inspect these goods.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 10. — Teacher takes occasion, in view of

Communicating the old weather and usually the temperature, but the use of this town is pushing forward the work.

The young men of the United Order of American Mechanics are preparing a literary entertainment to be given at an early date.

An excellent and instructive Washington program was rendered at the Pittsville School Tuesday afternoon. One interesting feature of the program was essays by Lehaan G. Thigle and Marian S. Davis. The exercises were attended by a number of persons who congratulate the teachers and pupils on the manner in which the program was rendered and the quality of the work on exhibition.

Mr. Olyn Richardson, who is attending the Beacon Business College, Wilmington, Del., is home on a visit to his parents.

The regular monthly meeting of the Pittsville District Teachers Association met in the school building Friday afternoon.

Sorry to report Mrs. E. P. Richardson ill at this writing, also Lottie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hamblin.

Mr. G. Ernest Hearn, a prominent lumber dealer has recently moved to our town. Mr. Hearn is a very enterprising young man and we welcome him and family to our midst.

Dr. L. E. Collins, of this place has sold his real estate and is in E. Thomas Shultz, preparatory to looking at White Haven, Md.

We regret to announce the sad death of Mrs. Jea Tingle, near this place which occurred Thursday the 2nd, about eleven o'clock. Mrs. Tingle had been ill for about six weeks.

Mr. Leonard Morris, one of our old citizens has been confined to his home for several weeks on account of poor health. He has been quite feeble for several months.

Mr. Otis Farlow, of Virginia is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farlow.

The J. O. U. A. M., of this place is less than a year old and has a membership of 60. It is a patriotic order and is intended to benefit the home, the orphan and widow. Some of the members made patriotic speeches this week in honor of Washington's birthday.

Dr. Collins made a flying trip to Philadelphia to visit his daughter.

Miss Lottie Hamblin, little daughter of Mr. Houston Hamblin, has a splinter.

ATHOL
Some of our farmers have been attending the Farmers Institute in Salisbury this week.

Miss Mae Phillips entered some of her young friends Saturday evening and Sunday. These present were Miss Ida Phillips, Zena Cox and Katie Evans, Helen Howard Halton, Redway Austin, Harry Green and Stanley Bailey.

Our school is very much appreciated, as there were so many children it was almost impossible for any teacher to pay much attention to all of them. Although we have at any new school house we will pay our tribute of thanks to the school board for what they have given us.

Mr. John Phillips, of Mardela, was the guest Sunday of his brother, Mr. S. J. Phillips.

We have been having such bad weather for the past few weeks that almost everybody has been compelled to stay at their homes. Now the snow is all gone, some of the roads are almost impassable.

Miss Lela Hatten who has been spending sometime in Sharpsburg returned home Sunday after spending a very pleasant time with her aunt.

Misses Monroe Bradley and Willie Phillips, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Lowe of near Laurel.

We are quite sorry to report Capt. W. F. Donoho's family on the sick list.

Mrs. Staton Evans and Miss Katie Evans, were the guests of Mrs. E. O. Goodie, Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Elliott has been spending the past week with relatives at Mardela and Spring Grove.

Miss Mae Phillips after a visit of three weeks with her sister in Laurel returned home last Sunday.

Misses Ada and Dora Austin spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Ernest Elliott.

Miss Lela Lloyd was the guest Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Willie Horner.

WHALEYVILLE
Mr. James Nobis has returned home after spending a few days with his mother.

Mr. Ford Hopkins of New Hill visited his parents part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hopkins.

Mr. Walter Whaley is visiting Mrs. Jennie Dale this week.

Providence permitting there will be preaching next Sunday by Rev. A. C. Jamison. All are invited.

KELLY.
Mr. S. D. Matthews is building up a prosperous grocery business at Kelly.

Mrs. J. M. Collins and son, Fred, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Collins.

Mr. Randall Smullen is very sick with rheumatism. We hope he will soon recover.

We are glad to see the snow going away and better and warmer weather promised.

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USE OF HAND SEPARATORS.
Care and intelligence should be used in their management.
Some of the creameries lately in saving the farmers' butter cream, carrying 10 per cent. better fat; this is done to save cream charges, but it should be remembered that it is much more difficult to produce cream as rich as that and still do good skimming. Remember that separator is a constantly adjusted piece of machinery and hence needs the best of care in every respect. Slovenly work causes produce high cream results. In the first place, the machine must be set properly level and securely bolted to a strong floor, but it is preferable to set the machine on a stone or cement foundation. This done, see to it that the milk is not allowed to get cold before skimming. As near as possible, skim as soon as the milk is drawn from the cow. The temperature should be at least not fall much below 60 degrees F. Bear in mind what the directions furnished with the machine say in regard to speed and uniformity of turning the handle. Many people who are not accustomed to the machine start it with a jerk and keep up that jerky motion during the entire separation. Keep the same pressure on the handle at all times; do not relax the pressure when the handle bar is down for that is where the jerky motion originates. Until one becomes accustomed to the speed, a watch should be used by which to time the revolutions. Any of the standard machines will do good work and it is safe to say that any man who will closely follow the directions given by the makers of his machine will get good results, but bear in mind that guess work counts for little in running a modern cream separator; care and intelligence must be used.

Simple Test for Cream.
A very simple test and one which, although not altogether reliable, is better than none, is the judgment of milk by the amount of cream it will show. This is not an accurate test, because it may fall to show cream when it should or it may show more than it ought; however, it will not show cream if there is none in the milk. With two samples of milk having the same amount of fat different results may appear with this test, as the proportion of the fat globules which rise, depends somewhat on the age of the milk and the way it was handled before delivery. If fat globules have much difficulty in rising, only a small part of them will get to the top and they may carry up with them so much of the other constituents that there will be a large bulk of poor cream. When the test is care-

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