

### LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Rev. Theo. D. Mead is visiting friends in New York City.

Look out for the History of Taneytown in our next issue.

Mrs. J. P. Gardner and son Bernard, spent several days in Baltimore last week.

How many of our bright school children can tell us the meaning of Sesquicentenary.

Our enterprising young friend Harry Keck of New Oxford, Pa., paid his parents a brief visit this week.

Miss Maggie A. Englar, of McKimstry Mills, is visiting her brother Mr. P. B. Englar.

Mr. Charles Slonaker of Baltimore paid his brother B. O. Slonaker a flying visit on Saturday.

Miss Lillie H. Mattis, of Marietta Pa., is visiting her sister Mrs. Robert C. Thomson, of this place.

Miss Nannie Elizabeth Routsom, of Frederick, Md., visited her friend Miss Anna Mary Motter on Thursday.

Mr. F. H. Elliot has sold his lot on the edge of town to Mr. Edward Kemper, for \$100, per acre.

A Copperville lady beats the beet record, so far as heard from, with a monster weighing 10 lbs.

Mr. Joseph Bollinger and daughter Hattie, of Westminster, are visiting at Mr. David Bollinger's.

Still they come. Mr. T. D. Thomson found a pair of twins this week. Twin apples, and twin gourds.

Mrs. Harry M. Harbaugh accompanied her mother home to Waynesboro, Pa., where she will remain for a short visit.

The fine weather has been giving our farmers an excellent opportunity for finishing up their fall work in good shape.

Mr. Charles T. Wilson did the paper hanging in the new U. B. church this week. It presents a very neat appearance.

Consult our advertising columns before buying, the chances are you will be directed to the right place by something you may see there.

A few advertising bills remain unpaid for the first quarter. Our friends will accommodate us by paying them promptly.

Owing to delay in completing the new United Brethren church, the dedicatory exercises have been postponed until November 18th.

Miss Fannie Trimmer, of Taneytown, and Miss Katie, and Ella Doreus, of Woodsboro, have been spending some time in Frederick.

Levi T. Mehning, wife and son; Samuel A. Mehning, wife and daughter; and Solomon S. Mehning and wife, visited the family of H. D. Mehning on Sunday last.

The Lutheran Sabbath school has purchased through P. B. Englar, a new library, which will be catalogued and ready for use on Sunday, November 4th.

The wedding epidemic is now on. We were somewhat fearful that it would miss us entirely, but now that it has begun, there is no telling when it will end.

Owing to unusual press of editorial matter, our makeup has been somewhat changed for this issue. We try to give our advertisers a regular position, but cannot always do so.

The Double Pipe Creek fire is a warning not to use tile, or terra-cotta chimneys. There should be an ordinance in every town prohibiting them.

Rev. H. Ditzler, of Mt. Jackson, Va., has been visiting his many friends here during the week. He is on his return from the Reformed Synod held in York, Pa.

Our office is now printing for the Carroll County C. E. Union, the sermon on "Good Citizenship," delivered at their late convention in Union Bridge, by Rev. E. T. Root.

The country now presents a beautiful appearance, the foliage of the trees has assumed all the colors of the rainbow, and descriptive powers fail to do the season justice.

Brother Cassell, of the *Clarion* should be careful to state correctly the name of the paper from which he clips items of news. Our handle is *CARROLL RECORD*, not *Taneytown RECORD*, or *Carroll News*.

There will be a Republican mass meeting in Taneytown on Saturday afternoon November 3rd., at the congressional candidate, Wm. B. Baker, and other prominent speakers will be present.

Mr. John J. Reid the foreman of the *RECORD* has sold his old printing outfit to Mr. J. Ross Galt, of New Windsor. Mr. Galt has secured a bargain, and will doubtless be able to secure a satisfactory amount of job work in his locality.

Mr. C. M. Hess commenced making molasses last week, and turned out 226 gallons. Owing to the drought during the summer, cane is not so plentiful this year nor does it produce the usual amount of sap. Mr. Hess has been successful at the business, which he started in a small way a few years ago, and a considerable amount of cane is brought him each season to be manufactured into molasses.

The Lutheran church has been heated by but one stove for several weeks, and there is no telling how long the others will be out of repair, as the parts have been ordered from the foundry but not yet received. This is a matter which should not be left until the last minute, as stove repairs are always slowly in coming. In the meantime the main Sunday school room is wholly without fire; and the auditorium not sufficiently heated for comfort.

### NOTES HERE AND THERE.

Mr. John L. Engelbrecht, of Frederick, has bought the plant of the *Frostburg Ledger*, and will likely remove it to the former place.

The Baltimore foot ball team will also fly the championship pennant, as it has won enough games to make this position sure.

The gambling features of the Frederick and Hagerstown fairs are being condemned by the clergy and best citizens of both places. As we stated in our last issue, the management should suppress these evils.

Betting on the state election in New York is going on in the New York stock exchange, where bets of two to one on Morton as against Hill are being made. Bets are also made on Strong for Mayor but the odds are not so great.

Several days ago a Brooklynite attempted to shoot the ashes off the top of a cigar, with a Flucht rifle, while it was held in the mouth of a friend. The result is, the friend will not smoke for some time, owing to a wound in his upper lip.

Mr. Joseph Gilbert, of near Liberty town, had his left eye injured recently by a hen flying against his face. He suffered intensely from it, and it was found necessary to remove the eye. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Stone of Mt. Pleasant and Libertytown.

A fire occurred in the Catholic church, Gettysburg, last Sunday morning, which destroyed the vestments, church ornaments, several oil paintings and the church library. The carpets, frescoing, and organ were also damaged by water. The origin of the fire, which broke out in the sacristy, is a mystery.

A new national patriotic order, named American Knights of Protection, was launched in Baltimore on Monday. It is founded on the broad principles of protection to American interests, the state, and families of its members. General Cyrus Bussey, of Washington, is its president, and Charles L. Wilson, of Baltimore, secretary. The order is declared to be a patriotic, secret, non-sectarian and beneficial.

The Frederick Ministers' Association has received a series of questions that will be sent to all the congregational candidates in the district with the request that they reply to them before election day. The questions are three in number, and as follows: 1. Do you vote as a lawbreaker for the protection of the public school system against all assaults? 2. For the prohibition of and against all appropriations of public funds for sectarian or private institutions? 3. For the rigid restriction of immigration.

Mr. Edwin J. Lawyer of this county has been experimenting in corn raising, and has just harvested 15 acres which made 18 barrels to the acre, of ten bushels to the barrel, which will sell fully 100 bushels to the acre. The ears average two and a quarter inches, with cobs but seven-eighths of an inch in diameter.

The Potomac Synod of the Reformed church has been in session in York, Pa., during the week. Among other business Rev. A. S. Weber reported that an unusual number of students were preparing for the ministry in the several institutions of the church. The management of Franklin and Marshall College and the Theological Seminary at Lancaster were specially commended. The cause of beneficiary education was particularly endorsed, and the raising of the apportionment earnestly urged. Sunday schools came in for favorable consideration, and the children's day exercises were recommended for all schools. The synod adjourned to meet in Frederick next October.

History of Taneytown. Beginning with our next issue we will produce the history of Taneytown, as written by Rev. W. H. Luckenbaugh in 1875. This history should be in the hands of every present and former citizen, and we have no doubt there will be a demand for extra copies of the *RECORD*. It is suggested that in the reproduction of this history, it would be more interesting to revise it by omitting portions of the old work, and add some new matter, thus making it more up to date, and adding it of features pertaining to the particular occasion on which it was first read. Dr. Birnie has kindly consented to reconstruct it, and we think our readers will appreciate the work, which will likely run through three issues of the *RECORD*. Persons who desire extra copies, should leave their order at our office before Wednesday morning of next week.

Jurors Drawn. The drawing of the jury for the November term of the Circuit Court, which begins Monday November 12, resulted as follows: Taneytown District—Samuel L. Angel, David C. Ott, Samuel Hamish, Levi D. Reid, Uniontown—Chas. H. Sittig, Geo. H. Routsom, Wm. A. Anders, Samuel L. Englar, Myers—Samuel J. Messinger, John Hartman, Sr., John N. Allen, Woolery—Frederick Walking, Harry D. Caple, John W. Oursler, Robert L. Shipley, Freedom—Kinsey Williams, Reuben N. Conaway, John P. Pillinger, Henry L. Cook, Jonas Ebbert, Manchester—John L. Weltz, J. E. Win Roth, Jesse Borenstein, John Wesley Snyder, Isaac Brillhart, Westminster—Richard Owings, Jr., Wm. J. Morelock, Wm. Con. Joshua Gist, Samuel J. Zepp, Wm. D. Henry, A. J. Buffington of Levi Thomas Turle, Jacob Wehner, Hanstead—Geo. W. Zepp, Michael Walsh, I. Thomas Green, Franklin—Noah Bowers, Thomas J. Gunn, Middleburg—Thos. Newman, John W. Angel, New Windsor—John W. Snyder, Louis Diehlman, Renick Bowersox, Union Bridge—William H. Morningstar, Edward S. Shaffer, Mount Airy—Milton D. Penn, Absalom Anderson.

### Wedding Bells.

LENTZ-LAMOTTE.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in Trinity Lutheran church, this place, on Thursday morning last, and the happy couple was Rev. H. Max Lentz, of Florence, Kentucky, and Mrs. Laura Lamotte, nee Fair, of Taneytown. The bride was becomingly attired in a brown tailor made cheviot cravate cloth and carried a bouquet of roses. The groom wore the customary black suit and white tie. The ushers were Dr. U. A. Sharr, of Frederick, Mr. Lewis Selman, of Wolfsville, and Messrs James E. and Calvin T. Fringer, of Taneytown.

The bride entered the church with her brother, Mr. Theodore Fair, who gave her away at the altar, where she was met by the groom and his best man, Mr. E. E. Reindollar. The marriage ceremony, which was the one written by Rev. Dr. Joseph A. Seiss, of Philadelphia, was performed by Rev. G. W. McSherry, assisted by Rev. J. U. Asper, and Rev. Mr. Lentz, an uncle of the groom.

The church was elaborately decorated with flowers, and dotted plants, and was well filled with invited friends and relatives. Wagner's Lohengrin was beautifully rendered by Mrs. E. E. Reindollar and altogether the event was very handsomely and pleasantly carried out, despite the gloomy day.

After the ceremony the bridal party returned to the hospitable residence of the bride's parents, where refreshments were served. The happy couple left on the evening train south for their future Kentucky home.

### DUVALL-DANNER.

Miss Sallie C. Danner, daughter of A. S. R. Danner, of Avondale, was married this evening to Mr. Wm. C. Duvall, of Taneytown. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mr. Danner by the Rev. S. A. Diehl, of Westminster, pastor of Salem church, Lutheran church. The parlor was profusely decorated with palms and potted plants. The maid of honor was Miss Alice Weaver, of Baltimore, who was dressed in blue India silk, trimmed with white lace. She wore roses in her hair and carried a bunch of La France roses. The groomsmen were Mr. Dohna Nygren, of Taneytown, and Mr. J. H. Schlinke, of Lehigh, Pa. The bridesmaids and Messrs William Rinehart, and Charles Foutz, Westminster, Mrs. Dr. White of Westminster, presided at the organ, and played a number of beautiful selections before the ceremony. The bride wore a gown of white chrysanthemum having a conspicuous blue and white design. Her train was of blue and white, and was trimmed with white silk and gloves to match. She also wore diamonds, the gift of the groom.

### The Work of Burglars.

On Thursday night the railroad office at this place was entered by burglars, by boring a shutter and breaking its fastenings, and then hoisting the window. They ransacked the place for plunder but apparently secured but little and that of small value. One of the drawers was forced open but its contents was not disturbed. No cash is left in the office over night; there was \$1.50 in a drawer however, which escaped the notice of the robbers. They broke open a safe and scattered its contents over the floor, but it is not thought that it contained any valuable; a number of boxes in the freight room were prized open but the contents evidently were not considered worth the trouble of carrying off. They apparently recognized the fact that they were a dirty set, as they carried off a bar of soap, and to cheer them up in the morning they provided for a cup of strong coffee by taking two packages of that article with them. 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## A Result of the Times.

What has caused the present business depression, we do not mean to say, probably because we do not know, but, as the situation confronts us, we are trying to pick up crumbs of comfort—and make the best of it. One of the effects of the times, not to be regretted, is the fact that there has for some time past been an exodus of people to the various European countries, as steamer passengers. This means that the class that is leaving is working people, which gives those who stay a little better show for employment. While there is some comfort in this, it is possible that the class which we can best get along without, is staying with us. Those who are going back home, as it were, are not going because they don't like this country, but because they are unable to make a living here and save money. When it comes to a bare existence they prefer to be at home among friends—a feeling something like the approach of death brings. The fact of their going is a source of congratulation, yet, too much of this sort of thing may not be very complimentary to the condition of the country. The steamship companies, however, are benefited, and after a while they can advertise a great revival of business in the United States—whether true or not—and haul them back again.

## In the Right Direction.

The public meeting which was held in the Public School building last Thursday night, in the interest of a public water supply for our town, is a step in the direction of progress. It is an evidence that our people realize that we are living in a modern age, that the old "good enough for me" sentiment is dying out, and the era of the new Taneytown prevails. The RECORD very early in its short existence repeatedly pointed out the great necessity for water in our town, and some of the many benefits to be derived from it. Whether the enterprise can be carried to a successful termination remains to be seen; that there will be an earnest effort made in that direction is at least certain.

Water works are expensive, and, owing to our location, there may be many difficulties to overcome, but there is no use to say that it will cost too much, or that we can't get good water, without making a thorough and intelligent investigation of the whole subject; and this is what the committee in charge will do.

Let all citizens give encouragement to the enterprise. Let every one assist earnestly in trying to make the undertaking an eventual success. Then in case it be found that the cost will be more than results will justify, or that the necessary amount of stock cannot be secured, it can at least be said that the citizens of Taneytown did their duty by making every effort in their power toward securing a public blessing, and that failure was only on account of insurmountable difficulties.

## To Administrators and Executors

It is a mistaken idea on the part of some, that legal notices on account of the sale of deceased estates, and other notices required by the courts, must be advertised in some paper published in Westminster. The law plainly says, "in some newspaper published in Carroll County," and there is absolutely no reason why papers published outside of the county seat should not receive more of this class of work than they do.

A "Ratification Notice," for instance, should be published in a paper nearest the location of the property sold, and the chances are the charge would, if anything, be less than when done by the regular, so called, county papers. We had before us recently a printed form from the Orphan's Court which stated that the notice should be "printed in some newspaper published in Westminster," which is a direct violation of law, and should not be allowed to be used.

The publishers of the *Carroll News*, *Hampstead Enterprise*, *Manchester Telephone*, and *CARROLL RECORD* are prepared to do all sorts of sale bill printing and advertising, and there should be no discrimination against them on the part of those who settle up estates, or by the court officials.

We make this statement not in any spirit of antagonism to our Westminster contemporaries, but in the interest of justice to ourselves, and explanatory of laws which were made for the whole county and not a portion of it.

## "Tammanyism."

The investigations of the Lexow Committee in New York which have continued for a considerable length, has produced evidence, the like of which had scarcely even been suspected and which has never yet been produced in any city or country. No doubt all large cities contain their "Tammany" organizations, and this investigation may only be a forerunner of more of the same kind to follow. No honest voter can say that the practices in force in the city of New York are anything but un-American, disgraceful and corrupt in the extreme. It is a question, a showing, far above and in advance of the question of the long continuation in power of one political party, and yet, possibly, the logical result of it.

It is a revelation of the truth that good laws are in-operative and void, when the administrative power is in the hands of vicious and corrupt minor officials. The first excuse for the city police force—that only a small portion of it was venal, which was to be expected in any large number of employees of any kind—does not now apply with any considerable degree of truth, for it has been daily shown for the past month, that it is the officers, and not the subordinates, who are responsible for the blackmailing, law evading, and thoroughly vicious and corrupt system which has prevailed in this the principal city of America. This is a situation far above the question of party ascendancy; an honest Democrat, or an honest Republican, does not in the slightest degree renounce the higher principles which bind him to the party of his choice, when he votes against the present corrupt extension of the power of his party name. If we would have a government either national, state, or municipal, in entire harmony with a Republican government such as we claim, then it becomes us as good citizens to apply the knife, by our ballots, whenever it is needed.

That a general upheaval and reconstruction is needed in New York, no one can conscientiously deny; that by it some honest persons will suffer, no one questions; but the result for the general good of the whole people will be incalculable. If the anti-Tammany movement succeeds on the Sixth of November in electing its entire municipal ticket.

## The Political Situation.

On the 6th. of November an election for members of the House of Representatives will be held in every state in the Union. There are four parties in the field: Prohibitionist, Populist, Republican and Democrat.

The Prohibitionists have, I believe, never been able to elect a congressman, and this fall seem to be farther in the background than ever. They affect the elections only as they may be able to cast enough votes to elect a democrat or republican in isolated districts, and are not likely to elect one of their own party. The Populists are strong only in parts of the South and West; they control South Carolina, Kansas and Nebraska, and at the last state election made heavy gains in Georgia by uniting with the Republicans; it does not seem likely that they will be able to increase their representation in Congress at the coming election, and it is probable that they will lose some members in Kansas and Nebraska. The fight is mainly between the two old parties. The principles which they represent have divided the people of the United States ever since the formation of the government and unless there is a great change, in the constitution of society, will continue to do so.

The Republican party is divided on the silver question; the western Republicans being largely in favor of free silver; on the tariff question they are practically united, and, while it is not likely that the McKinley bill would be re-enacted in all its details, still the party is a unit in favor of a protective tariff, and they are making the fight on that issue. They are likely to make gains at the coming election.

For the first time since 1860 the Democrats are in full control of the government; like the Republicans they are divided on the silver question, but they are also divided on the tariff question, a small minority headed by Mr. Gorman being opposed to much reduction of the tariff, and being opposed even to free raw material, one of the cardinal principles of the Democratic party. Owing to the small Democratic majority in the U. S. Senate, this minority has been able to defy the President and dictate terms to the party in the country.

Another element of discord in the party is the opposition of some Democrats to the income tax; Mr. Hill and Mr. Cochrane, of New York, refused to vote for the bill on that account, and this seems to have made a bad break between the Hill and Cleveland Democrats in New York. In fact the only one who seems to have "lit on his feet," is Mr. Gorman. The tariff bill was passed as he framed it and all the men who have been nominated for congress by the Democrats in Maryland will do his bidding, except possibly Mr. Cowan, of Balto., who has all his life been posing as a better Democrat than any one else in Maryland and has been fighting the regular Democratic organization, but who seems now to have made up his mind to pull in the regular team.

In New York, after much trouble, the nomination for Governor was placed on Mr. Hill; there is no doubt that he is the most popular Democrat in that state. He is a wonderfully acute politician, a good manager, and a hard fighter; his defeat is

probable, but not certain. Two things will help to defeat him; first, the Cleveland Democrats who have nominated Mr. Everett P. Wheeler, for Governor; this opposition is based on the means used by Mr. Hill to secure a New York delegation in his favor at the convention which nominated Mr. Cleveland for President, and on his support of Maynard for Judge of Court of Appeals, after having as they charge, used him as an instrument to secure a majority in the New York State Senate unlawfully.

Second, the fight against Tammany in New York city makes Mr. Hill's fight a hard one. The investigation of the Lexow Committee shows an almost unheard of amount of corruption in the city government, which has been under the control of Tammany politicians for a long time. Tammany Hall has had the same trouble in securing a candidate for mayor that they had in getting a candidate for governor; the nomination was offered to Mr. Strauss a wealthy man, and a man of irreproachable character; after holding it under consideration for some time he has refused, and Tammany has been obliged to fall back on ex-Mayor Grant an old war horse and a typical Tammany politician. The opposition is all united on Mr. Stroug, a Republican, and it looks as if he would be elected. Looking over the whole field the Democratic party is certain to suffer some losses, just how much, the RECORD is not prophet enough to foretell, but they will suffer, because the party in power they must bear the responsibility of the legislation—with regard to which the party is not united,—the revenge of disappointed office-seekers, and most of all because a very small minority of the party has been able to dictate a policy for their majority, making as a matter of course a very much disgusted majority.

## Water Works Movement.

The citizens of Taneytown are considering the matter of a water supply for the town, and held a meeting on Thursday night. The advantages of an adequate supply of pure, good water for domestic purposes and as a guard against disastrous fires, are incalculable, and need not be stated to such an intelligent community as Taneytown. But we would suggest to the citizens there that the water ought to be supplied by the town and not by a private company. The town ought to build and own the water-works. Experience everywhere proves the wisdom of it, and while putting in the plant an electric light plant should be added and operated together. The same power will suffice for both, and the total cost will not exceed \$10,000. There is a town in Delaware about the size of Taneytown, that built its own water-works and electric light plant, and has since been able to sell the surplus power to the town. Town authorities are controlled by a commission appointed by the governor, so as always to secure the best management. Town authorities are not always competent, because often the best citizens cannot always be induced to serve.—*Advocate*.

The above plan has received some consideration, but possibly not enough, and so far as we know there is no intention of trying to organize anything but a private company.

There has heretofore been so much opposition to public improvement and so much bitterness manifested on the part of some of our citizens, that there would likely be considerable objection to the assuming of the debt by the town of the large amount of the cost of the works. We already have an act of the Legislature which provides for a levy not exceeding ten cents per annum on the \$100. for the use of water for the town, and we think this is as far as the majority of tax payers would care to assist the work.

There is good argument for the public ownership of all such works, for the reason that if they should be profitable the people would reap the benefit, and, if unprofitable, as the whole town receives convenience and protection, it should also stand the cost. Many Gas and Water Companies operated privately have turned out to be oppressive monopolies and immensely profitable, and in all such places the sentiment prevails that the municipality should operate its own plant and not be at the mercy of the private ownership. On the other hand, water works are sometimes operated without profit, and in such cases the people are willing to escape the responsibility and are glad the town is not carrying the burden.

The rule is, however, that such companies are eventually profitable when well managed, and, in our opinion, citizens should favor public ownership in all cases.

The electric light suggestion in connection with water, is a new one; while electric lighting has been considered as a separate enterprise, it has not, to our knowledge, been thought of in connection with water, and we thank the *Advocate* for the suggestion.

If the two can be secured for \$10,000, there should be no trouble in forming such a company, as there would be next to no risk in subscribing for such stock. This merits the consideration of our citizens, and we offer our columns for a full discussion of the subject.

## Low Prices, and Tariff.

There is at present a vast amount of deception practiced on the public, by merchants and newspapers, as to the extent of the reduction in price of woolen goods; on the one hand, for the purpose of stimulating sales, and on the other, for political effect. As in all such cases, the truth is only arrived at by careful investigation of facts, and not in what advertisements and newspapers palm off for truth. That certain manufactured goods are cheaper than a year ago, is a fact beyond dispute; it is also equally true that some are not lower, while others are higher. There is always a change of this character each season, and the whole difference between the price now, and a year ago, is not all to be attributed to the difference in tariff duties, or any one cause.

Every merchant knows that ever since the war, almost without inter-

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ruption, goods have cheapened. The causes which have produced this, are, increased consumption, economy and improvement in cost of manufacture, and close competition. This downward tendency of prices has prevailed under different tariffs, and administrations, sometimes at the expense of quality, but in a general way genuinely cheapened goods have been the result of a combination of causes. Any statement that certain merchandise has been greatly cheapened by the duties of the Wilson bill on account of actual or prospective importations, is simply dishonest and untrue. There has been a reduction of about ten percent on many goods in which wool is used, a portion of which is on account of tariff reduction, but not all. The fact must not be lost sight of, that nearly the whole bulk of manufactured goods sold in this fall at retail, was bought or manufactured before the passage of the tariff bill, a portion of which in fact, has already been in the stock of wholesalers as an accumulation possibly of several seasons, and the lowering of price now is caused mainly by the uncertainty of the effect of the new tariff, and a desire to meet the situation with unloaded shelves and counters.

There is no more honesty now in offering merchandise at lower prices, and claiming the whole reduction to be the result of the Wilson bill, than there was in the last presidential campaign, when peddlers were hired in the state of Ohio who offered to sell tin cups at ten cents apiece on account of an expected effect of the McKinley law.

The truth of the whole business is that many merchants grasp at any idea to sell goods which seem to offer a plan by which a certain class can be "bamboozled." Political newspapers see in the same idea, a way to influence votes, and it does not suit their purpose to state the exact truth.

A large clothing store in Philadelphia now has an immense placard on the front of the building, which announces a cut of fifty per cent in price; what reason they give on the inside for this action we do not know, but we do know that the \$20.00 suit placed on exhibition on the street, cut down to \$10.00, is barely a good ten dollar suit, and yet there is no doubt that many are taken in by just such disreputable business methods.

There is no doubt that a lower tariff will, for a time at least, reduce prices, and that the anticipation of lower prices next year has had the effect of causing a reduction this year, but there is no use in trying to make the public believe that this reduction has been a great one, and that the whole of it is entirely due to recent legislation.

## A Newspaper—Its Value.

The making of a newspaper in these progressive days has become as much a business as the manufacturing of a watch or piano, and is necessarily subject to the same practical rules and business methods that control any other business undertaking. The successful newspaper is not a blind, unreasoning "party organ," not an old fogy issue, moss-grown with timidity, but a fresh, bright issue, that dares to utter the truth, regardless of the outcry its utterances may provoke; that will be controlled by no outside influence, no secret monopoly, no mighty corporation to influence its judgment and direct its policy; that will labor with earnestness to maintain the sway of virtue, and all that is good, over the public mind; that always keeps its columns clear and free from anything that our wives and daughters should not read, and in the midst of all temptations will always refuse to crook the hinges of the knee "that thrift may follow fawning."

To produce a paper requires the liberal patronage and good will of the merchants and citizens in general, but it must be remembered that the newspaper business is the most reciprocal of all lines of trade. It not only expects life, but gives out life in return. For the patronage which it solicits and expects it will carry trade to counters or business houses in return. Its business, and the people's, each affects, and is affected by the other. In appealing thus to the good people of a place for their subscriptions and advertising patronage, the newspaper is not soliciting bare favors, but it proposes and does return, all the patronage it receives in measures well filled, pressed down, heaped up, and running over.—*Press and Printer*.

THE FRATERNAL orders are a national blessing. They promote thrift, economy, sobriety, without freezing the soul into selfishness, as is apt to be the case in the usual struggle for wealth or high social position. They bring men into closer relation and cherish those feelings that thrive and put forth blossoms in each other's welfare. They make men thoughtful and helpful, expanding the sentiments of love, charity, and good-will. They teach us the religion that breaks bread to the hungry, gives water to the thirsty, watches the bed of the sick, visits the imprisoned, the fatherless and widows,—duties that are sadly neglected and for a long time were supposed to be confined to the church.—*Star*.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Oct. 23, 1894.

By far the most important news of the week is the fatal illness of the Czar of Russia. The latest bulletins from the Russian Legation here leave little doubt of the precarious condition of his life, and as I write this there is something like a panic in Russia, with an expectant hush all over Europe. No one can tell with any degree of certainty just how the death of the Czar will effect the tremendous Asiatic issues, but it is felt at London, Berlin and Paris that here is a contingency that may suddenly put a new face on the complicated relations of all the great powers. All eyes are turned to the Czarowitch with anxiety. What may this weakly boy not do? Not the least significant of the many stories set afloat is that which credits the Czarowitch with being desperately in love with a beautiful woman who has unbounded influence over him, and his repugnance to the projected marriage with Princess Alix of Hesse.

The folks around the republican congressional headquarters in this city do not attempt to conceal their great gratification over the sudden twist that has come in the New York situation. The nomination of Hugh Grant as Tammany's eleventh-hour candidate for the mayoralty has cast a broad grin over the countenances of the visitors and the members of the committee, who say that they see in this a sure sign of the democratization that cannot fail to hurt the democratic canvass of Congressmen. The acting chairman of the committee says that he cannot conceive how Tammany can pull into shape now fifteen days before election with the schism in the ranks of the regular democracy caused by the disaffection of Strauss unhealed by a single word of comfort or regret. He predicts that there will be nothing to come to help out the dominant party in the state, and counts on a large republican majority for both tickets. This morning there were visitors from Virginia closeted with Mr. Apsley for an hour or so, including Gen. Brady and Mr. Yost, the father of the candidate in the tenth district. They told the chairman that the indications now point strongly to the election of Mr. Yost, who is making a very strong fight, and arousing unusual enthusiasm. Democrats, on the other hand, profess, instead of being alarmed by the necessity of changing horses in the middle of the stream, to be greatly pleased by the transfer by Tammany from Strauss to Grant as their candidate for mayor of New York. It is asserted that it developed very soon after Strauss's nomination that Tammany had an elephant on their hands in this cross between a Tammanyite and a Clevelandite for a candidate. His nomination failed to placate the Cleveland people or the independent charitable reform element, which it was expected to please, and at the same time failed to arouse any enthusiasm among the Tammany people, who must take off their coats and do whatever was to be done to secure the election. The intense opposition of the Sun to Mr. Strauss was an unexpected and a serious matter of consideration. It was known that Mr. Paul Dana disliked Strauss personally and that he had protested against the nomination. But the Tammany folks had not calculated on his going so far as to affect the policy of the paper toward a regularly nominated candidate of the organization. Altogether the result of Strauss's nomination was disappointing, and as dangerous as it may be to make a change of candidates thus late in the canvass, the opinion is expressed that the change is from a prospect of certain defeat to one of fair hope of election. It is said that the acceptance of the candidacy of ex-Mayor Grant will put a great deal of life and earnestness into Tammany's campaign, and that if it has no other result, it will aid the democrats by bringing out the full democratic vote.

## Church Notes.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. Bateman, there will be no services in Grace Reformed church, either Sunday morning or evening.

Rev. H. Ditzler, of Mt. Jackson, Va., will preach at St. Mary's Reformed church, Silver Run, Md., on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## Business Locals.

Advertisements under this head one cent a word each issue.

Updegraff's celebrated Hagerstown Gloves—at Englar's.

Fountain Pens—10 and 25 cents—at Englar's.

A new lot of Stylish Umbrellas—at Englar's.

We have in stock Bran and White Feed that must be moved. We offer the Bran and White Feed at \$12 per ton cash. Come and examine it. 10-20-21 REINDOLLAR & CO.

The Reindollar Store Room and Dwelling on Baltimore St., is for sale or rent—apply to T. H. Reindollar, executor. 10-27-17

## Speaking of

### Children's School Shoes

We have a New Line of "MULE SKIN" Leather (a straight grained Kangaroo Kip) finished soft, is water-proof and durable—all the desirable qualities of OIL GRAIN, and a great deal "dressier."

Regular price \$1.25 for Misses Solar Tip Button, sizes from 11 to 2. Thirty Day Bargain Price 99c.

### 10c New Style CHINA LIMB DOLL.

Plump Body, Glazed China Head and feet, 11 inches long. October price 5c each.

### 35c Patent COFFEE POT.

Superior Quality Tin, Riveted Handle, Movable strainer inside, &c. October price 20c each.

### KIRK'S Spring Bouquet TOILET SOAP.

for the complexion, Regular price 10c. October Price 5c per cake.

### Special Value 50c. CORSET.

White or Drab, all sizes. October price 35c each.

### Whitemore's 10c Royal Gloss SHOE DRESSING.

October price 6c per Bottle.

### 25c HALF GALLON GLASS PITCHER.

First-class Goods, and usually sold for more money. October Price 13c each.

### 50c Silk Handkerchiefs.

Handsome brocaded patterns, assorted Colors. October price 31c each.

### WHITE COUNTERPANES, and Lace Curtains,

at Special Bargain prices to make room for Fall Goods.

## F. M. YOUNT,

Leading Dealer in Boots, Shoes, and Notions. TANEYTOWN, MD.

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Will meet all Competition in low prices on Confectioneries, Fruits, Groceries, and Notions.

## OYSTERS

served in all Styles; also by the gallon. Sweet Potatoes by the barrel. CIGARS and TOBACCO, Also all the leading Brands of Flour and Corn Meal.

## QUEEN & NECTAR SYRUP.

Pure Sugar Syrup at 30cets per gallon. Best Water White Coal Oil 10c a gal. Fine Assortment of all kinds of Crackers. 5c. Water Crackers. 5c. Ginger Snaps.

## DECORATE THE GRAVES

### Of Your Friends.

All kinds of Cemetery Work, either Marble or Granite, done at Lowest Prices, and all work Guaranteed to give Satisfaction. Call on, or write to me I and will visit you with a nice selection of designs, and give you Prices on whatever kind of Work may be needed.

## B. O. SLONAKER,

TANEYTOWN, MD.

## RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County. AUGUST TERM, 1894. Estate of Mary A. Reindollar, deceased.

On application it is ordered this 1st. day of October, 1894, that the sale of the real estate of Mary A. Reindollar, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by Milton H. Reindollar executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this court by the said executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 1st. Monday, 5th. day of November next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 5th Monday, 29th. day of October inst.

The report states the amount of sale to be twelve hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$1225.00) DAVID H. HOFFACKER, } Judges. LEWIS CASH, } ALBERT SCHAEFFER, } True Copy—Test: GEO. M. PARKE, Register of Wills. 10-9-31

## G. W. DEMMITT,

DENTIST, Taneytown, - - - - Maryland. All persons in need of dental work should give me a call as I will save them money. Teeth extracted with little or no pain. The very best sets of teeth only \$10., and guaranteed for five years. Temporary sets at low prices. Filing and all kinds of dental work at bottom prices, and all work guaranteed. I will visit person within 12 miles without extra charge. Will be at Myer's store, Pleasant Valley, on the second Thursday of each month. Give me a trial. Yours Respectfully, G. W. DEMMITT, Dentist. 9-15-ly

## \$7000

worth of goods to be sacrificed for

## CASH.

We haven't starved our stock, our rooms are crammed full of FALL & WINTER GOODS. We have already bought two fall bills, one from Philadelphia and one from Baltimore besides always keeping filled up in necessary goods. But we will now be able to give you bargains, as we intend reducing both our goods and the prices of them, to close out. You will find it to your advantage to buy our

## Boots & Shoes, Hats, Caps, Clothing and Overcoats,

of as THIS winter, as we have cut the Prices so deep that they will be able to sell themselves. In all our Wool Flannels and Dress Goods you will be able to see a big reduction. Come and get prices.

Don't think because there are no figures to this advertisement that it is no good. These are generally put to the cheapest articles to make a racket, but you will find everything on the bargain counter this winter at

## F. H. ELLIOT'S.

## OPENING!

## TO OUR PATRONS.

Another fall season is at hand, and according to custom we notify our patrons that we now have on hand a complete stock of goods in our usual line. A redeeming feature of the hard times is a reduction in the price of many goods in the clothing line, particularly in all wool goods. We are offering the best line of suits from \$8.00 to \$12.00 that we have ever handled, and in Overcoats the difference in price, is if anything, more pronounced. All coats from say \$7.00 upwards, are from \$1.00 to \$2.00 cheaper than last season. You will also notice a lower price on Underwear and Gloves and goods of that class.

Our stock has been purchased this season with exceptional care, as the present panicky condition of business demands that every dollar shall be carefully placed, so as to guarantee a margin of profit and a desirable investment—this applies to you as a purchaser, as well as to ourselves. Our motto always has been and always will be "Honest goods and honest prices." We do not hunt the cities over for auction goods, job lots or trash. We do not buy the lowest priced shoddy to be had—in order to bring it home and sell it at a price very low in amount, and palm it off for a great bargain.

Our friends know that the goods purchased from us are as nearly as possible as we represent them, and invariably give satisfaction; and many who have at times gone elsewhere have returned to us again and made the honest statement that they had been "cheated" by going away.

We do but little "blowing" either in advertisements or in our store, nevertheless we are anxious to sell—because we must—and will be pleased to have your patronage this season, and guarantee that you will buy goods here as cheaply as at any store in the state, notwithstanding the loud talk and deceptive statements of other dealers.

Yours Respectfully, P. B. ENGLAR. CLOTHIER & FURNISHER. TANEYTOWN, - - - - MD

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—CALL AT— S. C. REAVER'S

and examine his stock of 5A Blankets before purchasing elsewhere. We are selling a good genuine 5A blanket as low as.....\$1.00 We have secured the sole agency for the Bunker Hill

## Harness Oil,

and guarantee no better in the market for the money.

## JNO. S. WEYBRIGHT,

MANUFACTURER OF Superb & Family Flour made by ROLLER PROCESS.

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Sawing and Chopping done at SHORT NOTICE. All Orders will receive Prompt Attention. 1-9-94-ly

COUNTY DIRECTORY.

Court Officers.

JUDGES—Hon. Chas. B. Roberts, Chief and Resident Judge, Hon. James Revell and Hon. Isaac T. Jones Associate Judges. CLERK OF THE COURT—Benjamin F. Crouse. CLERK—Gresham Huff. ADDITIO—J. J. Baumgartner. REGISTER OF WILL—George M. Parke. ORPHANS' COURT—David H. Hoffacker, Lewis P. Cash, Albert Schaeffer. STATES ATTORNEY—Chas. E. Fink. SHERIFF—Elias B. Arnold. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—John H. Stem, David Stoner, Joshua F. Caltrider. COUNTY TREASURER—John J. Reese. SURVEYOR—M. Theodore Yeiser. SUPERVISORS OF ELECTION, Jas. E. Smith, Michael Buchman, Marshall G. Shaw.

Taneytown District.

NOTARY PUBLIC—A. H. Zollieckoff. TAX COLLECTOR—Geo. H. Brdrie. MAGISTRATES—A. F. Orndorff, G. A. Flickinger, Henry Galt. CONSTABLE, S. Miller. REGISTRAR—J. S. Fink.

Town Officers.

BURGESS—H. D. Mehrling. COMMISSIONERS—Dr. G. T. Motter, Edward Kemper, W. Jesse Roberts, Joshua Koutz, E. K. Reaver. BAILEIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR—B. S. Miller.

Church Notices.

Presbyterian Church.—Taneytown Church Services at 2 p. m., the first three Sabbaths of the month; fourth Sabbath 10.30, a. m.—Sabbath School one hour before church services.—C. E. Society Prayer Meeting 6 p. m. every Sabbath Evening.—Weekly Prayer Meeting Tuesday Evenings at 7 p. m. Piney Creek Church: Services at 10 a. m., the first three Sabbaths in the month, and Sabbath school at 9 a. m., Rev. P. Riosco, Pastor. Trinity Lutheran Church.—Services every Sunday at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m., Sunday School 9 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. 6 p. m., Prayer Meeting Wednesday Evenings at 7 o'clock. W. H. and E. Missionary Society 1st Saturday in each month, 2 p. m. Mission Band, and Junior C. E. alternate Sundays, 3 p. m., Rev. G. W. Mcherry, Pastor. Grace Reformed Church.—Services every Sunday at 10 o'clock, a. m., and 7 p. m., Sunday School 9 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. 6 p. m., Prayer Meeting Wednesday Evenings at 8 o'clock. Rev. A. Bateman, Pastor. St. Joseph's Catholic Church.—Mass 9 a. m., Vespers, 7.30 p. m., catechism, 3 p. m. every Sunday. On the first Sunday of each month, benediction after mass, concluding the services of the day. Rev. T. D. Mead, Pastor. Mt. Pleasant U. B. Church.—Services every other Sunday at 2.30 p. m., after July 3, 1894. Sunday School one hour before services. Rev. T. Wagner, Pastor.

Post Office.

T. H. ECKENRODE, Postmaster. Mails arrive from Linwood at 9 a. m., from R. R. 8.55 a. m. and 5.15 p. m.; from Harney 2.30 p. m. Mails close at office, for R. R. north, 9.45 a. m.; for Linwood 10.10 a. m.; for Harney 11 a. m.; for R. R. south, 3 p. m.

Societies.

Patriotic Order Sons of America, Camp 2. Md. meets in Eckenrode's Hall, Thursday Evenings at 7 o'clock. L. D. Reid, President. Chas. O. Fuss, Rec. Sec'y. Taneytown Literary Society. (Adjourned for the summer.) C. Birnie, President.

Taneytown Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour, Bran, White Middlings, Timothy Hay, Mixed Hay, Rye Straw, Wheat, Rye, Barley, Oats, Corn, Clover Seed, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Lard, Tallow, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, Hides, Hogs, Sheep, Lambs, Calves, Beef Cattle, Cows, and Bullocks.

Baltimore Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Hay, Timothy, Hay mixed, Hay, Clover, Straw, Rye, bales, Straw, wheat blocks, Bran, Middlings, Potatoes, Sugar, granulated, Sugar, confec, A., Beef Cattle, Best, Beef cattle, Medium, Swine, fair to best, Swine, Rough, Sheep, gross, Lambs, gross, and Calves, gross.

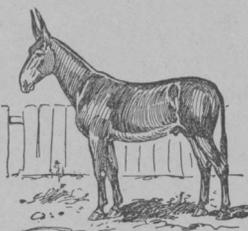
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Letterheads, Billheads, Cards, and all kinds of JOB PRINTING. Artistically executed. At This Office.



The Jack That Took First Premium at the World's Fair.

Illinois is almost as famous as some of the southern states in the matter of breeding first class jacks and jennets. At the World's fair the first premium for young jacks was carried off by an



BLACK JACK. Illinois product, Favorite, belonging to A. W. Hopkins of Peru. The picture gives the portrait of Favorite in all his glory of length of ear.

Favorite is black, with mealy points. He is 14 hands high and was foaled Aug. 25, 1893. Consequently he is now 2 years old.

The second illustration shows a motherly looking jennet and her young colt. Mr. Hopkins is an extensive breeder of jacks and jennets, and his long experience enables him to give the following directions on the care of jacks, since a jack appreciates and gives return for good treatment as well as a horse does:

"A jack should have a warm, comfortable stable, the windows darkened during the summer, so he can hide from flies. He should have a lot of at least half an acre to run in pleasant days, where he can get grass, dirt and have room to roll. He should not be fed too much corn (say three ears a day), for it is heating, and the jack becomes fever-



JENNET AND COLT. ish, and in that condition is not a sure breeder. Give him plenty of oats—sheaf oats are considered very good—and a variety of roughness, clover and timothy hay, corn and sugar cane fodder. Sugar cane fodder is excellent feed for winter. Green wheat and oats during the summer, and green corn fodder in the fall. There should be salt kept before him when breeding. As much care as conveniently can should be used beforehand to get the mare accustomed to the sight and braying of the jack."

Increasing the Knee Action.

I have a pair of driving horses I wish to fit for market this winter. One of them has extra good knee and hook action, and the other one is just fair. Can she be shod so as to make her an actor? If so, what heft of shoes should she wear?

In answer to Mr. Hawley's inquiries I would state, first, that on general principles it is a mistake to hitch together as a driving team two horses unequal in their action, and, second, that no kind of shoeing is ever likely to transform a poor actor into a good actor.

Something in the line of shoeing can probably be done, however, to improve the action of the mare, although it is difficult to prescribe with any degree of certainty without seeing the mare or her movement or even knowing her weight or the size of her foot. Presuming her to be a 1,000 pound animal with an average sized foot, I should recommend a front shoe of from 18 to 20 ounces, with the weight well toward the heels. The hind shoes should be proportionately lighter, of course—say, 12 to 14 ounces. After driving her a few weeks, and if an improvement in her action be visible, still heavier shoes could be tried, say, up to 28 ounces.

I consider that many people make the mistake of trying to sell as a team animals that are not mated in their gait or their disposition. As a case in point a friend of mine bought in my presence a team of 1,100 pound brown mares in the Chicago market a few weeks ago for \$160. Standing still, they seemed well mated, but in action the one so far excelled the other that my friend decided to separate the mares and offer them singly. The result was that the actionless mare brought only \$62.50, while the other one brought \$120, or nearly twice the price of her mate. I would suggest to Mr. Hawley the possibility that if his good acting horse is properly fitted and marketed he may bring alone about as much money as the pair will if one is a "laggard."—Waverley in Breeder's Gazette.

Cement Stable Floor.

Coal ashes will make an excellent material for mixing with the hydraulic lime and sand for the concrete for a stable floor. Wood ashes will not answer the same purpose. What is required is something that is bulky and will fill up the space, and of such a character as will be firmly bound in a stony mass that will wear well. The rough porous nature of coal ashes is precisely what is needed for this purpose, and thus it answers as a substitute for gravel and broken stone. When the concrete is laid, it should be well rammed always to incorporate the materials and make them solid and give as smooth a surface as possible.—Montreal Herald.

THE BROOD SOW.

The Type That Will Raise the Most and the Best Pigs.

It certainly needs no argument to prove that every hoggrower should have a definite object in view and select his breeding stock with a view to attaining this object. If he is growing thoroughbred stock, to be sold at fancy prices for breeding purposes, he must breed for fancy points and appearance, that his stock, when brought into the show ring, may score "way up" and sell for a price that will repay him for the extra care and expense that are required to grow these fancy show animals

With the farmer who raises hogs for the pork they will make the case is quite different. The strictly fancy brood sow is of little value to him except for ornamental purposes. He should make his selection with an eye to the influence she will have on her offspring. On this subject a correspondent of Ohio Farmer says: I believe it best to defer the selection until some growth has been attained that a pretty correct judgment may be formed as to what her form and general makeup will be when she has matured. To make the best possible selection we should have a sharply defined ideal in our mind, and it should be about perfect, for the real brood sow is not apt to be better than and seldom as good as the ideal. Let me try to describe mine. She should be long and roomy, of rather loose and open build, the opposite of compact, yet broad on the back, with well sprung ribs. She should have limbs of medium length, strong foot and pastern, deep sides, full flank and broad, heavy hams. She should have a short, fine head, heavy jaw, large girth back of fore legs and 14 well developed teats. Coarseness is allowable in the sow, but there must be symmetry in form, a well developed female appearance and a good, kind, intelligent face. She must be a good feeder, have great powers of assimilation and be of healthy stock. Above all else, she must be of a stock that is well known to be prolific, as this characteristic is without a doubt hereditary. She should not be lazy and indolent, but nearly always on the move hunting for something to eat. I will select such a sow as here described even if she is a trifle "off" in ear or tail or has an "awful swirl" on her back. You may say that such sows are extremely hard to find, and so they are. I generally keep three brood sows and raise five or six litters each year and am always on the lookout for such pigs, but cannot find enough for my own use. I have never seen more than a dozen in my life that suited me exactly, but have been fortunate enough to own three of these. I see by consulting my book of farm accounts that from two of these I saved 182 hogs. The other is a young sow I own now, and she started off last fall with a first litter of nine even, thirty pigs. Such animals are almost invaluable, but if compelled to keep them until they are 5 or 6 years old I would not (for growing hogs for pork) take the risk and accept as a gift sows that come of unhealthy stock, or are the result of inbreeding, or that are short and compact, though perhaps excellent feeders, nor one that is lazy and sluggish and lays on fat over easy. Neither would I pay much for one that had been pampered from early pigghood and exhibited from Maine to California, even if taking "first in class and sweepstakes over all" at every big show on the road. In conclusion, let me say that no brood sow should be kept by the common farmer except for the real merit there may be in her, and such a one is not produced on an exclusive corn diet. Such animals are the result of long continued selection from animals that have been properly bred, fed and cared for for many generations.—Exchange.

White Blankets, Pair, .65

These Blankets are full size and well made. As cheap as sheets, and how much better are soft comfortable blankets on a cold windy night, than sheets!

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It is hardly necessary for us to say anything respecting this big value, excepting to state that they are 4-4 goods.

Blue Overalls, .35

This Overall is well named "The Leader." It is made of Heavy Blue Denim, with Patent Buttons, 2 Pockets, and every way well made.

Syrups, Fancy 32

To think of Bargains and omit our Syrups, would be like a winter without snow. We are offering two syrups at 32cts. a gallon, which without speaking extravagantly, are at the top of the syrup maker's art.

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considering the many items of interest, and bargains of exceptional value which we have to offer, and the many people that have taken advantage of them, we feel like naming our store, "The Bargain Store of Taneytown." It all means Cash vs Credit. What is the use of wasting a dollar when you can save it? And as we have said before if there is any virtue in good goods at low prices, we mean to be master of the situation and make our store, the one of the people, with the people, and welcome to the people.

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GENERAL NEWS.

(Continued from first page.)

Dr. H. T. Helmbold, of Extract of Buchu fame, died suddenly of apoplexy in Trenton N. J.

Thomas H. Snider, farmer and preacher, of Stone county, Kan., went insane and sat on the bank of a pond and wrapped barb wire around his neck and ankles, bringing them close together, then rolled into the water.

Chinese officials report that a battle occurred near Yichow on Monday, and that the Japanese were repulsed southward. There was a loss of 3,000 men on each side. Japanese warships are reported to be cruising off the Shan-Tung promontory and to the south of it in order to waylay Chinese transports. The Chinese fleet left Wei-Hai-Wei yesterday with orders to attack the Japanese squadron.

The Breckinridge-Pollard case is now formally out of court, the notice of appeal given by Colonel Breckinridge at the close of the trial having been docketed and dismissed on motion of Calderon by the Hon. J. H. Pollard's counsel. Counsel for Breckinridge having failed to follow up their appeal for further proceedings within the time provided by law, the case is ended, and the judgment for \$15,000 for Miss Pollard stands as the final result.

One of the persons who assisted in the Virginia train robbery, C. J. Searcy, who was arrested at Cumberland, Md., several days ago, has confessed and revealed to the binding place of one of the pouches which contained the bulk of their plunder. This proves that the man Morganfield, also arrested, is the pal of Searcy. From the partial confession of the latter, and the finding of the pouch as he stated, the Express Company thinks that the train was held up by three, or possibly four, at most, and they expect to have the whole gang very shortly.

Wm. A. Beach, arrested in South Carolina, charged with connection with the stamp robbery at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, was brought to Washington on Wednesday and committed to jail after examination by Chief Hazen, of the Secret Service Bureau, to whom he confessed having received a part of the stamps stolen by the B. Smith, Sinsbaugh, Beach's companion, was released, proving that he had no part in the stamp affair. Judge Cole discharged the writ of habeas corpus heretofore granted Smith, who went back to jail.

A few nights ago a burglar entered the house of Wm. H. Smith at Orange, New York, and made off with \$1000 worth of silver ware, and an overcoat. In the pocket of the coat was a memorandum showing that Mr. Smith had purchased several tickets on horses which had failed to win. The burglar wrote the following advice on one of the leaves of the book: 'I apologize for visiting this house. You didn't get much at the races, did you, old boy? The coat fits me well. Don't play the races and buy more spoons. The races have caused my downfall, however, and the world owes me a living and I'm getting it.' -Morning Advertiser.

The Czar of Russia evidently has but few days to live, and it is said that he awaits the event with perfect composure. He has received the last rites of the Greek church, and as much as his condition will allow, is arranging his earthly matters; he has completed his will, and verbally advised the Czarowitz to consult M. Budge, president of the committee of ministers, on all political questions, and to consult the Grand Duke Michael on family matters. Considerable comment is aloft as to the effect of his death on the peace of Europe, but the consensus of opinions are that there is but little to fear. Profound sympathy is being expressed by European powers, France particularly showing deep regret.

A dispatch from Tokio to the Central News says that the final session of the Japanese Parliament convoked to consider war measures was opened at Hiroshima on Friday by the Emperor in person. In the speech from the throne opening the session the Emperor requested that the military measures presented should be disposed of with as little delay as possible. He expressed regret that, through the obstinacy of China, the peace of the East had been disturbed, adding: 'But, the war having begun, we cannot cease operations until our object shall have been gained.' He also said that he expected the members of Parliament willingly to agree to the Government proposals, in the hope that hereby the Japanese arms would be victorious, and that peace be the sooner restored, with additional lustre to the country.

In the bill submitted providing for increased expenditures for the army and navy the war expenses are estimated at \$50,000,000, of which amount \$26,000,000 is to be taken from the Government reserve fund. Another bill introduced provides for raising a further internal loan of \$100,000,000, payable in instalments, with interest not to exceed 6 per cent. A resolution will be submitted by the officials, under which the increase of the navy proposed at the fourth session shall now be accepted and executed as rapidly as possible. Work upon the ships now in course of construction shall be pushed to completion, the additional defenses heretofore proposed rapidly constructed, and the necessary supply of arms and munitions of war secured with the least possible delay.

THE POLITICAL FIELD. McKinley has been to Louisiana talking tariff to the sugar planters. Large audiences greeted him, and much interest manifested.—Delaware is said to be in the line of the doubtful states this year.—As was predicted last week, Mr. Nathan Strauss has withdrawn from Tammany mayoralty ticket, and ex-mayor Grant has consented to fill the place.—Nathan Strauss, ex-Tammany candidate for Mayor of New York, has gone to Europe.—The situation in Congressman Wilson's (W. Va.) district is particularly lively. Both parties are sending their best speakers there. President Cleveland, and ex-President Harrison, arrived in New York on Wednesday.—President Cleveland has so far failed to utter a word in support of Hill, and returned to Washington without giving the New Yorkers any comfort.

Manchester. The promoters of the Electric railroad from Baltimore to Gettysburg, in their prospecting for a line, did not pass up, but Messrs Geo. Webb and Wm. Jenison visited our town and the section south of us, which led to the appointment of persons at different points along the proposed line to look after and talk up the enterprise. A delegation was met by Mr. Webb in the parlors of the Carrollton Hotel, Baltimore, on Monday last, where a free expression of opinion was made, that resolved itself into a business meeting at which arrangements were made for a meeting at the Mansion House, Hanover, Pa., on Monday. Here the different sections will again be presented, and Webb will be present and present the subject in a practical manner for due consideration. Our delegates to the meeting were W. C. Stiek, C. M. Eyster, J. E. Masenheimer, Dr. L. Trump, Dr. H. H. Presler, and J. H. Genter, Chas. Warner, Jno. E. Loese, Messrs Lamotte, Wm. Maxfield, Messrs Meals and Lesk represented Hampstead; Dr. Wilson, Fowlesburg; Dr. Ziegler, F. Grumrine, Urban Hoff and N. Sullivan, Melrose; O. W. Garrett, Bandana, Pa.; and J. H. Beckley, Beckleysville. All were much pleased with what they learned at the meeting.

By previous arrangement our Base Ball Club met on their grounds on Foundry Ave., the Patapsco nine, who played a spirited game until the sixth inning, having everything their own way. Our boys were unable to hit Houck, their pitcher and the score stood 10 to 1; but in the sixth inning the boys caught onto his curves and batted him all over the field, making the score stand 10 to 10. The visitors took umbrage at a decision concerning a ball which they claimed was foul, but which Umpire Shower declared fair, and refused to play, which according to the rules gave our boys the game. On Saturday they go to Westminster to play a game with the club at that place.

Mr. John Dietz, living north of here, fell backwards from a load of corn, on Saturday, injuring his spine and causing concussion of the brain. Dr. J. H. Sherman is attending him. Quite a spirited prohibition meeting was held in I. O. O. F. hall, this place, on Saturday evening last. Ex-Mayor Frank K. Herr, of Westminster, presided, with Dr. J. H. Preston and Mr. Augustus Geiselman as vice-presidents. Chas. Wood acted as secretary. The meeting was opened with singing, followed by prayer. Mr. Woods then spoke upon the merits of the cause for a short time, and after a sermon introduced Mr. Parker, the congressional candidate, who held the close attention of his audience for an hour, receiving frequent applause and no doubt leaving many impressions on the minds of his hearers, as he supported his statistics by the largest expenditures made in the history of the saloons, and the bad effects produced. The friends of the cause will hold another meeting on Saturday evening, Oct. 3rd, in the hall.

Saturday afternoon last, and discussed some fine music. Prof. Unzors spent Sunday with his parents in Littlestown, Pa. He is meeting with success in his school and has a fine class of music scholars. Mr. Ephraim Beckera, a native of this district and a resident at Cape Horn, died at the age of 70 years, at the home of his son-in-law in Baltimore on the 25th inst., and was buried in a family lot here, on Thursday.

Uniontown. Protracted meeting at the M. P. Church. Politics and politicians are quiet. Efforts are being made to organize a Literary Society.

Mr. Jacob H. Christ took by hook and line, fourteen fine carp from Smelser's dam one day last week. Chas. E. Stonaker and wife, former residents of our town, are in Baltimore, spent Sunday, with friends here.

Rev. A. D. Melvin, of Westminster, preached in the M. P. church on Thursday night. George M. Harbaugh, our harness maker and livery man, is down with typhoid fever. Mr. Lewis Selby and wife left on Tuesday to spend the winter in Baltimore with friends.

The Eckman farm was offered at public sale last Saturday, but was withdrawn at a bid of \$24.00 per acre. Dr. J. J. Weaver Jr. of our town has been elected a director of the First National Bank of Westminster. J. M. Rodkey purchased from Chas. E. Stonaker, on Monday, for \$600, the house and lot now tenanted by the purchaser.

The commission appointed by the Court of Equity, to take evidence in the Babylon ex Dutera case began its sitting today week. This case has attracted considerable attention in this neighborhood. Porters. The grim monster death, seems to have been holding high carnival in our neighborhood during the past week. Mrs. Henry Gearheart, who has been suffering, for several months, of consumption, died on Friday last, surrounded by her faithful husband and family. She was interred at St. James Chapel, Howard Co., on Sunday. Mr. Dennis Buckingham, a highly respected farmer of our vicinity also departed this life on Sunday evening. Mr. B. leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss. He was a staunch Democrat and the party will lose in him an able and efficient worker. It was our lot to attend the funeral of Atee P. Gamber aged 4 years and 9 months at Providence M. P. church on Sunday at 3 p. m. The funeral was very largely attended, as he was a very interesting child and the pet of all who knew him. The pallbearers were Roger Shipley, William Shipley, Albert Creswell and Frank Warehime. Undertaker Warren L. Shipley. Rev. J. T. Ensor, preached a very touching sermon from these words: 'God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish, but have everlasting life.' Rev. Thomas of Springfield Presbyterian Church of Sykesville, filled the pulpit of Messiah Lutheran church, on Sunday at 3 p. m. Rev. Burke, of Don's station, Md., will hold a series of meetings, at Messiah church, beginning on Monday evening, Oct. 22nd, and continuing each evening during the week. There will be a Mass-meeting of the Republicans of Freedom and Franklinton Districts, held in Barnes Hall, Winfield, on Wednesday evening. Come out and hear the issues of the campaign ably discussed. Mr. Frank Keefer has broken ground for a large barn which he contemplates erecting in the near future. Misses Mattie and Carrie Shoemaker were visiting at Mrs. Anna V. Barnes on Saturday last.

Bruceville. Mrs. B. Maynard of New Windsor spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Houghton. Mr. William Smith and family and Mrs. H. Hiltbricht, near Taneytown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Q. E. Weant. Mr. David Mott had an attack of ague which compelled him to quit work; he is able to be about at this writing. Mr. F. Mehring was in Frederick Tuesday on business. Miss Clara Delphoy of Ladiesburg spent a few days last week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. David Mott.

Mrs. A. Bowers is lying ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben. Knott, with catarrh of the bladder. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Valentine of York Road, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Weant. The stereopticon show and lecture on scenes abroad, by Rev. Mann at Middleburg, Thursday evening last, was largely attended. The views were beautiful and very interesting. Rev. Mann is an able speaker and the lecture itself was worth the admission. The friends of Denison Reside in this vicinity, were shocked to learn of his sudden death at his late residence in Baltimore, Friday Oct. 13th. He had returned from a trip to a visit to Childs, Md. He owns the property known as the McGinnis property situated near York Road. He made many friends here while visiting Mr. S. Weant. The family here, the sympathies of his many friends here.

"Milked A Whole Cow." At a pleasant home in Covington the other evening a happy company were gathered. The host and hostess had just returned from a trip to Mackinac, and the young wife was relating to her guests some of the incidents of the journey. "Oh, I learned so many things while we were gone," said she, and her pretty face was lighted with the most becoming animation as she went on breathlessly. "We stopped one day at the State institution for the deaf and dumb in Michigan, and what do you think the steward told us? Why, he said they sit a barrel of flour for every meal there."

"A barrel of flour!" said a young lady who was listening. "Yes," said the hostess triumphantly, "for every meal. And how many potatoes do you suppose they peel for dinner? Guess." "Nobody does." "Ten bushel. Just think of it! And they use three barrels of cabbage and when they have watermelon it takes just 200 to go round. But listen. That isn't all. They seed 175 pounds of raisins for the Sunday cake, and they put 21 bushels of apples in the pies. Don't they, Harry?" Harry was the husband and the companion in this remarkable voyage of discovery. He turned to his wife fondly and then drawled out the meaneast speech of his married life: "Yes my dear. Not only that, but they milk one whole cow a day."

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