

Local and Personal.

This is meant to be a purely local news column. To which the Record invites contributions. Events of local importance—whether current or in the near future, accidents, cases of extreme illness, society and church happenings, marriages, deaths, etc., should be reported to the Editor in writing; otherwise, they may not appear.

The report of the San Francisco Convention will appear in our next issue.

Dr. Kaibach will have another of his big wood sales on the 17th, at Samuel Moritz's, near Moritz's store.

J. Frank Weant, wife and family, of Baltimore, have been visiting Mrs. Weant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Koons, on York St.

Mr. Harry Myerley has returned to Baltimore, after spending a pleasant time with his cousins, Misses Minnie and Addie Shriver, of near town.

Edward W. Fleagle, of Yorkers, N. Y., a valued Record subscriber, will spend the month of August on a vacation among relatives in this section.

Mrs. Wm. N. Thomson, and daughter Clara, of Baltimore, Md., who have been visiting Dr. Motter and family during the past week, are now with Mr. R. S. McKinney and family.

Misses Mary and Pauline Brining have made a return visit to Boonesboro, with Miss Clara Brining and Miss Agnes Murphy, who have spent several weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. Benton Brining.

Mrs. Gildea, and two children, Ray and Adelle, and Miss Bayly of Baltimore, Md.; Miss Evelyn Nussear, of Lutherville, Md., and Miss Florence Weaver, of Uniontown, spent Thursday at Dr. Motter's.

Mrs. William Kiser, whose serious illness is noted in our Coppersville correspondence, died this Friday morning, and will be buried on Sunday afternoon in the Reformed cemetery; services being held at 2 o'clock.

A. H. Zollicoffer, of Philadelphia, in sending his subscription for the Record, says that he is now permanently located in a "booming" section of the city, having disposed of his first purchase at a good advance.

Miss Gertrude Gardner returned from Baltimore on Tuesday evening after a two week's visit. Mrs. J. W. Eby, of Littlestown, and Mrs. Basil Budd, of Baltimore, paid a visit to W. J. Fink and family. Hortense and Greyson Coffey, of Baltimore, are on a visit at John P. Gardner's.

Mrs. Mary Buffington, and daughter Emma, of Charlotte, N. C., visited relatives in town and vicinity this week. Mrs. Buffington, who is the wife of the late Rev. Buffington, was many years ago a resident of Taneytown, and is well remembered by our older citizens.

Jas. H. Koons, of Middleburg, a Cran New Chrome employee, sent us a brand new \$1.00 chrome, of the U. S. variety, this week, with the following: "The Record is one of our most valued visitors—the family vault patiently for it every Friday evening."

Rev. Dr. Geo. Scholl, who for the past ten years has been Secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Lutheran church, and who was, at a recent meeting of the Board, re-elected for two years, has been spending some time here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Rev. Cattanauch.

The Record office job printing department has been unusually busy for the past month, a considerable amount of work being done for other neighborhoods. One of the jobs this week was the prospectus of New Windsor College for 1897-1898. This institution of learning is at present excellently managed by Rev. Dr. C. B. Ramsdell.

No, the editor does not know it all, nor can he remember everything. Occasionally, something of real importance fails of publication, not because we do not want to publish it, but because we forget it, or do not find it out. There is a sure remedy for this, with the people most interested—write the items on a slip of paper and send them in.

The Catholic picnic held here on Wednesday, as usual, a great financial success. The crowd was simply immense, notwithstanding the extreme heat, and a constant stream of vehicles passed back and forth through town from early morning until late at night. A remarkable, as well as somewhat unusual, feature, was that there was little or no disorder, and no accidents, either on the grounds or in town.

Messrs John A. Livers and Adam Ertter, of Gettysburg, who put in the electric light plant at Littlestown, were in town on Thursday and incidentally dropped in on the editor to talk electric light for Taneytown. Mr. Livers estimates that it would require about 20 arc lights to light the town, at a cost of about \$600, a year, and that it would be necessary to have subscriptions for about 800 incandescent lights for private use, at 30c per month per light. This is very nice, of course, but this is very rich for our treasury to tackle.

A musical entertainment, given in a tent in this place on Monday night by a travelling troupe, was interrupted by a lot of local sports, much to their own discredit and the shame of the town. The musical performance is said to have been excellent; the manager did nothing to incur the displeasure of any gentleman, but tried to keep order, as he had a perfect right to do. This, it seems, was imprudently resented, and stones were thrown into the tent endangering the safety of the audience. The better class of citizens are rightfully indignant that strangers cannot come here and be treated decently.

COUNTY AND STATE.

Items of Interest gleaned from many Sources.

The Key monument, for which subscriptions have been solicited for several years, will be formally unveiled in June, 1898.

Peter Monahan, the Baltimore wife murderer, will be hung on Friday, August 13th., as Governor Lowndes has declined to interfere with the verdict.

A country editor recently wrote a strong editorial on patronizing home industries and merchants, and one of the storekeepers of the town wrote him a letter of thanks on a letter head printed in a neighboring town.

Mr. Edward Reisler, editor and proprietor of the Carroll News, has been appointed principal of the Easton High School, at Easton, Talbot county, Md., consequently the school he had been conducting at Union Bridge was discontinued.

Rev. Sam Jones preached with his characteristic style and vigor at Glyndon Park on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, and attracted great crowds. He indulged in his usual amount of coarse expressions and startling illustrations.

The Sharrer farms near Keysville were sold on Thursday, at public sale by J. N. O. Smith, auctioneer. Farms numbered one and two, containing 305 1/2 acres were sold to G. W. Grottle, of Ohio, at \$37 per acre, and the one occupied by Welty, containing 74 acres, to Harry Harner, for \$38.50 per acre.

The War Department has passed rules and regulations governing bicycle riding on avenues on the Gettysburg battlefield. The speed is limited to seven miles an hour; no coasting allowed, not more than two to ride abreast, lamps must be used at night, bells during the day, and other regulations.

It is reported, with considerable show of authority, that Senator Gorman will not be a candidate for reelection. He has not made such statement, publicly, but a close personal friend is responsible for the information. Failing health and private interests are given as the reasons for withdrawal from public life.

The Children's Fresh Air Society of Baltimore asks for the help of kind-hearted people of this section in providing an outing of two weeks for poor children. These children are properly examined by a physician and given suitable clothing before being sent out. All communications should be addressed to Children's Fresh Air Society, No. 4 W. Saratoga Street.

The little two year old boy of Mr. Toke Hall, of Mount Airy, is very sick and may die from the effects of carbolic acid. The mother of the child was house-cleaning and left the bottle of acid on the floor, not thinking of her baby until he had gotten hold of the bottle and commenced to drink but fortunately he did not swallow much of the acid. Dr. Javer was quickly summoned, and is doing all that can be done to relieve its suffering.

Considerable interest is being manifested among politicians over the fixing of the date for holding republican primaries to elect delegates to the Baltimore city convention, which will nominate the republican candidate for Mayor. The date will be fixed by the city committee, but Chairman Stone does not seem to be in a hurry to call it together, waiting no doubt, for public sentiment to grow in favor of Mr. Marburg, for Mayor.

Senator Matt Quay, of Pennsylvania, informally acted as the agent of the Committee on Foreign Relations, will make a personal visit to Hawaii to make a thorough study of the country and its advantages and disadvantages. He will make a report upon the reconvening of Congress in December, upon the feasibility and advisability of confirming the treaty of annexation offered by President McKinley and Secretary Sherman.

The Crawford Bicycle Works, Hazertown, are starting up gradually again, about 100 men being now employed. It is intended shortly to put on 500 or 600 more men. As many as 1,800 men have been employed at the works at one time. The factory runs a full force in winter and in midsummer shuts down. This has been the custom heretofore, but it is announced that in the future the works will employ about 800 men throughout the year.

The farmers of Washington county are protesting against the elevators entered into by the mills, elevators and other wheat buyers in the county, who have agreed to keep the cash price of wheat ten cents a bushel less than the Baltimore market. The wheat market was never more closely watched by the farmers than at the present. While many of them are selling a portion or all their crops, the most of them are holding off for still higher prices.

The democratic judicial convention of the fifth circuit of Maryland, comprising Anne Arundel, Carroll and Howard counties, met at Odd Fellows Hall, Westminster, on Wednesday, and re-nominated Judge T. Thomas Jones, of Howard county, for the associate judgeship, which he has filled during the past fifteen years. The convention was called to order by Benjamin F. Cronise, chairman of the Central Committee of Carroll county. James P. Barber was elected president and John R. Magruder and George W. Chase, secretaries. A committee on resolutions, consisting of Dr. C. R. Winterston, Dr. S. R. Walters and Benjamin C. Sunderland, made a report endorsing Judge Jones for the nomination.

WATER SUPPLY ASSURED.

Contract made for Water Right, and Engineer Employed.

The first steps of real importance in the water supply question have been taken this week, in contracting with Mr. Samuel Reindollar for all the necessary water rights, including a site for the pumping station, laying of pipes to town, &c., and in the employment of Engineer Kenley to furnish plans and specifications. As soon as this data is supplied the contract will be ready for bidders. These steps remove all doubt as to the coming of the long discussed water supply; so now let us all encourage the work by every means possible, because it is something we are bound to be proud of, even if the proposed plan does not meet with our entire approval. The best thing attainable, is the best that can be done, always.

A Barn Burned.

Shortly before eight o'clock, on Wednesday evening, during a brief but pronounced electrical disturbance, a barn owned by G. W. Baumgardner, on the place occupied by Mr. Baker, in this district, just beyond Piney Creek on the Gettysburg road, was struck by lightning and burned, together with its contents of hay, a lot of untreshed rye and two baggies. The loss on all will probably approximate \$400., with reported insurance on the hay and rye.

State Camp P. O. S. of A.

The annual State Camp session of the Patriotic Order Sons of America of Maryland will be held at Odd Fellows Hall in Westminster, next Tuesday and Wednesday. The session will be taken up with routine business—election of officers for the ensuing year, rendering of reports, committee work, etc. On Tuesday evening a public meeting will be held in the hall, which will be addressed by National Organizer, H. K. W. Patterson, on the subject, "The Republic and its Destiny." As Mr. Patterson is an eloquent orator he will no doubt have a large audience.

There will be about sixty-four delegates and officials entitled to voice in the convention, representing twenty-five Camps and 1800 members. Notwithstanding the hard times and the great number of beneficial organizations, the P. O. S. of A. has been steadily growing during the year, both in the number of organizations and in membership. The W. M. R. R. has issued card orders for tickets, at special rates, for members who desire to attend, which may be had from P. B. Engler, Secretary, Taneytown. In addition to the address on Tuesday night, State President, Dr. Luther Kemp, by the Executive Committee, will present gold prizes, provided by the Executive Committee, to the two Camps having made the greatest percentage of increase in membership during the year.

The following are the delegates from the Carroll county Camps: Taneytown, Harry L. Fessler, David B. Renner, Charles O. Foss; Westminster, Milton Schaffer, J. Hoffman; Foss; Pleasant Valley, Dr. C. M. Brown, John F. Ueberlein; Middleburg, David Mackley; Tyrone, David Phillips; Winfield, T. J. Gunn, James Easton; Gist, Geo. W. McQuay; Samuel A. Cook, Silas A. Barnes; Skyesville, D. R. Hering, Jas. S. Grimes.

Orphans' Court Proceedings. MONDAY, August 2nd., 1897.—Davis Myers and Charles T. Reifsnider, administrators of Daniel J. Geiman, deceased, returned additional list of goods and chattels and additional list of debts.

Jacob D. Sellers, executor of Samuel Sellers, deceased, returned list of debts. TUESDAY, August 3rd., 1897.—Theodore H. Beggs, bonded as guardian of James Beggs.

Adam M. Miller, administrator of William H. Miller, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, and received orders to sell goods and chattels and notify creditors.

MARRIED. HERR—STONEK.—On Aug. 3, at the Mt. Joy parsonage, by Rev. W. G. Minnick, Mr. Franklin E. Herr, of Pa., to Miss Eudora M. Stoner, of Harney, Md.

KING—WEIKERT.—On Aug. 3, at the Mt. Joy parsonage, by Rev. W. G. Minnick, Mr. Wm. H. King to Miss Rosa R. Weikert, both of Adams Co., Pa.

DIED. Obituaries, poetry and resolutions charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The funeral death notices published free of charge.

KOONTZ.—On Aug. 4th., at Linwood, Mr. Sterling Koontz aged 21 years, 7 months and 29 days.

SAWBLE.—On July 25th., near Clemsonville, Sterling Saylor, youngest son of Wesley and Irene Sawble, aged 6 months and 10 days.

Our Sterling is gone, and why Should we lament thy doom? 'T was a plant so rare, too mild, On earth's bleak waste to bloom.

We loved him, oh, no tongue can tell How much we loved him, and how well; God loved him too, and He thought best, To take him home, and Him to rest.

By His Papa and Mamma. Sweet babe! How short thy stay! How soon thy journey's o'er! Thy spirit's fled away, To visit earth no more; Thy spirit's found a shorter road, Than thousands to that bliss abode.

No more our darling babe is seen, To please the parents' eye; The tender plant, so fresh and green, Is in eternity.

He was too gentle to stay below, God has called him up above; He has taken him from this earthly home, To sing in praise of redeeming love. By His Aunt Edna, and Grandma Koonz.

A LITTLE GIRL KILLED.

A Buggy struck by a Western Maryland Train.

A buggy driven by Mr. E. Gregg Eichelberger, of Rocky Ridge, Frederick county, Md., and also containing Mr. Frank Zimmerman and the latter's little three-year-old daughter, was struck by an express train of the Western Maryland Railroad at Graceham crossing, Frederick county, about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Little Miss Zimmerman was killed outright, but her father escaped with a few bruises. Mr. Eichelberger was badly injured. Several ribs on his left side were crushed, and besides being injured internally, he was badly cut on the head and face.

The party had been out for a drive and was going down the road toward the railroad tracks. The rumbling of the approaching train could be heard, but Mr. Eichelberger, either misjudging the distance or not hearing the noise, drove on.

Just as the carriage reached the crossing the train was upon it. The carriage was struck by the fender of the locomotive, and its occupants were thrown several feet away. When the train was stopped it was found that the little girl was lying dead some distance from the tracks, while Mr. Zimmerman and Mr. Eichelberger were unconscious. The horse was killed and the carriage was smashed to atoms.

Medical aid was hurriedly summoned and everything possible was done to relieve the sufferings of the two men. Mr. Zimmerman and the body of his daughter were removed to their home in Rocky Ridge, and Mr. Eichelberger, owing to his severe injuries, was placed aboard the train and taken to Baltimore to the City Hospital.

Mr. Eichelberger's mother, who lives in Union Bridge, took the next train for Baltimore and was soon in attendance at his side. From last reports he has recovered consciousness and is thought to be out of immediate danger.

A Query.

Mr. Editor, Not only, in the Record, but in some other journal, I have noticed that Oil of lavender has been highly recommended as a sure and cheap preventive of the common house fly. That a vessel containing oil of lavender placed on the window and door sills would prevent any flies from entering the room.

I do not pronounce it a humbug—it may do all that the writers state—but where can they secure it so cheaply? Two years ago, before we had screens at the doors and windows, I went to our druggist—a very reliable one, too, and asked him for an ounce of the oil of lavender. "I don't keep it," said he. "Why not?" I asked. He replied "Because, it costs too much." "How much?" I inquired. "About eighty dollars a fluid ounce," he quickly replied.

I was greatly astonished at the very high price, and concluded to adopt cheaper methods for exterminating and keeping out flies. I bought three or four bottles of Black Flag, for several dollars, and an ounce of the Oil of Lavender. I do not think my druggist was in error. If any reader knows the price to the contrary, I would be very glad to learn through the columns of the Record.

HEY. Straggy Maples, Aug. 2nd., 1897. Oil of Lavender can be purchased from Taneytown druggists at 25c per ounce. In fact, this is a good place at which to buy, no matter what.

Interesting Day at Linwood Camp. (For the Record.) On Thursday afternoon, August 13th., at Linwood Camp, meeting, Rev. Y. S. Saxon, a native of Japan, will speak on "Japan, the empire of the Rising Sun," the history of the empire from 600 B. C.; the characteristics of Shintoism; effects of Confucianism, and Chinese culture; influence of Buddhism, and Hindoo philosophy; general oriental belief, and superstitions; the language, literature customs, and daily life of the Japanese; introduction of western civilization and Christianity, and wonderful progress of the Nation. The speaker will appear in a beautiful Japanese costume, and sing in Japanese, and also exhibit Buddhist idols, talismans, wands, rosaries and pictures of Paradise and Hell.

Mr. Saxon came to this country nearly ten years ago to investigate American journalism, as it was his profession. About seven years ago, at New York city, he became a Christian by reading a copy of the English Bible, and for the past six years he has been studying at Pennington, Carle and Madison. From next September, Mr. Saxon expects to go to that institution for three or four years, and then to travel through Europe, Egypt and Palestine on his homeward journey, as a missionary in his native country. At the closing of the address, a free-will offering will be received for the speaker's benefit, to go into his education fund. All are cordially invited to this helpful, interesting and yet entertaining exercise.

Church Notices. The addresses on the San Francisco C. E. Convention, which were to have been delivered in the Lutheran church on Wednesday evening, have been postponed until next Wednesday evening, the 11th. The public is cordially invited.

Holy Communion will be celebrated by the Keysville Lutheran congregation, on Sunday, August 8th., at 10 o'clock a. m.

Correspondence.

All communications for the Record must be signed by the writer's own name, not merely by publication, but as an evidence that the matters and facts submitted are legitimate and correct. Items of a miscellaneous character are not wanted. The Record reserves the right to publish or omit a portion of communications received, and is not to be understood as assuming the opinions of others thus published. Articles of timely topics, whether of a purely news character or not, are always desired.

An account of a birth-day party at Stone's Grove, Union Bridge district, in honor of Archie Graham, cannot be used because it is not signed by the author. Apparently it takes a long while for everybody to find out that no reputable paper publishes anonymous communications. The article itself is apparently unobjectionable, but we must adhere to the rule.—Ed.

Uniontown.

Mrs. David Segafosse, of Baltimore is visiting her brother, Mr. Obadiah Fleagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hollenberry, of Westminster, were the guests of Mr. John Mollenberry's family, several days during the week.

Mr. Howard Devilliss and Mrs. Chas. Crawford, of Waterloo Farm, and Mr. Sander Devilliss's family, of Sandyville, spent a day this week with Mr. Wm. Barnhart's family at Woodside.

The L. O. M. Pic-nic was a success in several particulars. The music furnished by the Carroll Co. band, much appreciated by all who heard it.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kolb, daughter Marion, and Mr. Max Garver, of Middleburg, spent Sunday with "Squire Kolbs" family.

Miss Jennie Martin, of Westminster spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs. Harry Weaver.

Miss Florence Odell, of Towson, Baltimore Co., is visiting friends in this county.

Mrs. Martha Williams and daughter Viola, of Middleburg, were the guests of Miss Agnes Gilbert on Tuesday.

Miss Gerson, of Virginia, and Miss Marie Shady of Woodstock, are guests at Mr. Marshall Shaw's; also Mrs. Hoyt, of Hanover, Pa., and Mrs. Fotts, of Washington, D. C., sisters of Mr. Shaw.

Miss Evelyn Nussear, of Lutherville, is visiting Miss Florence Weaver.

The Lutheran C. E. society held a very enjoyable social tea on Tuesday, Mr. John Wolf, at the east end of town, Tuesday night.

Young people's meeting of Pine Creek (Reformed) church will meet on Sunday evening, August 8th., and will meet regularly every two weeks. The public are invited.

Miss Lillie Eckard, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Miss Louisa Eckard.

The M. P. C. E. society will hold a lawn party at Mr. Luther Hittschew's, Tuesday evening.

Miss Lydia Robinson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Kindler, has returned to her home in Bel Air. Mr. Scott Robinson, of the same place, paid a short visit to his sister during the week.

Mrs. Mary Shonaker is quite sick. Mrs. K. M. Morris who has been critically ill is improving under the skillful treatment of Dr. T. J. Shreve.

Miss Clara Breyer and Miss Cleve Jordan, of Baltimore, have been spending the week with Mrs. Mabel Mathias, Mr. Thomas Jordan, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. Matthias family on Sunday.

The Reformed church (Pine Creek) had preaching Wednesday night, by Elder Albert Hollinger, of Washington, D. C., and Elder Walter Young, of Bridgewater College, Va.

Miss Lillie, daughter of Mr. Aaron Ecker, who has been confined to bed for several weeks with rheumatism, is able to be about the house.

Bark Hill.

Mr. Edward Yingling has received the contract to carry the mail from this village to Union Bridge, at the same salary he got in other years. The very fish and thoughtless colored man, who accepted the route at forty dollars per annum, declined to fill his contract, at the last moment.

The many friends of "Granny Mother" Routsou, of Loonst Dell, will no doubt be glad to learn that she has almost recovered from her severe attack of illness.

Miss May Englar, of Columbia, Pa., is the guest of her father, Rev. Wm. Englar.

Mrs. Utz, of Baltimore, is spending a few days at Park Dale, the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Myers.

Mr. Samuel Ogle and son were the guests of his daughter, Mrs. Harvey Eckard, a few days last week. Mr. Ogle was formerly a merchant in this village, but is now a happy farmer in Cranberry Valley.

Miss Elizabeth Sullivan, of Baltimore, is spending the summer with her niece, Mrs. Ella Rowe.

Mrs. Rev. Kipe and children were guests at Scraggy Maples, this week.

A dear little young Martin came to the "home nest" of Mr. Milton Hesson, about a week ago, and was very kindly cared for by the inmates.

Mrs. Louisa Rowe, of Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., made her weekly visit, on Friday, to her sick father, Mr. Moses Hollenberry. Mr. H's condition is growing more critical the past few days.

Mr. Columbus Ploswman, from Creston, Iowa, is stopping with Mr. Moses Hollenberry. Mr. Ploswman and his family went West many years ago. He lived in Illinois for some years, and then removed to Iowa. His three children are married and settled in several western states. Mrs. Ploswman has been dead about five years. She was a sister of Mr. Ebraim Bowers formerly of this village. Mr. Ploswman says the crops of grain are enormous and fine, west of the Mississippi River.

Mr. John D. Myers, wife and son, spent a day in Westminster, this week.

Mr. Evan Smith, wife and daughter, attended the wedding of Miss Minnie Perry, at her home in Maldensville, last Thursday.

Mr. Sunderling, of near Unionville, will be the teacher in our school, the coming winter. This will be Mr. S's third year, and he is considered a very good teacher.

We will certainly be very sorry, when we fail to see the beautiful, charming and interesting letters from the pen of Rev. Garland, who have enjoyed his writing so much, and have missed the letter two weeks ago, when it failed to reach the Record on time, but anxiously devoured every word, when it did come. His descriptions were so plain, concise and beautiful, that we seemed to travel with him the whole way. I am an advocate of C. E. S., but no member, and always felt interested and enthusiastic in publications pertaining to any of the meetings. Though not personally acquainted with Mr. Garland, we feel that we know him.

We sincerely hope, that the ending of his California journey, will not terminate his contributions, for he has a beautiful talent for writing fine expressions, that are charming to the reader. He might do much good by giving us his pulpits orally through the Record. We were always more spiritually elevated by Rev. Dr. Wal-mag's printed sermons, than his verbal ones, because we lost some valuable things, when he spoke rapidly or were drawn away by some trivial accident. We presume, Mr. Garland will make other trips, and we beg of him to give the benefit of his lectures to the readers of the Record, who are unable to travel, both from a physical and financial cause, but have a keen appreciation for the good—the beautiful—that he is competent to give.

Double Pipe Creek.

Mr. Frank Loy, referred to last week as being ill with typhoid pneumonia, died July 31st., aged 33 years. Funeral services by Rev. J. U. Asper, at Creaserstown.

Mr. George Miller, of Phoenix, is visiting Mrs. William Hollenbach.

Mr. Thomas Barton and wife have been visiting at Mr. William Fogle's, Miss Elizabeth Gettler is visiting Miss Vernie Diller.

The Haugh's Sunday school picnic held in Mr. D. C. Warner's grove, on last Saturday, was largely attended, and pronounced a success in every respect. Addresses were well given by Rev. Charles L. Ritter, Rev. Owens, of Hazertown; Rev. Enders, Jr., York, Pa., and Rev. R. S. Patterson, of Woodsboro. The music furnished by the D. P. Creek Band has been acknowledged by all to be the finest furnished in that grove, and they have had some very able bands in the past. We are glad to know that our band is coming to the front.

A number of children in this vicinity are ill with malarial fever. Farmers should cut down all growth of weeds, and avoid an epidemic of typhoid fever.

For several years Mrs. S. Weybright's needles were getting away and the girls were getting the blame. At last the rogue was detected in the form of a little pin cushion, that contained thirty-six needles.

Harvest Meeting in the German Baptist church at "Rocky Ridge," on last Saturday, was conducted by Elder Albert Hollinger, of Washington, D. C., and John Deardorf, of Gettysburg. Talks to the children were given on Sunday morning, by Elders George Sappington of Beaver Dam, and Deardorf.

New Windsor.

Dr. and Mrs. John A. Buffington returned last Thursday from a visit to his sister, Mrs. Warner, at Northumberland, Pa. The doctor has entirely recovered from his recent injuries, and has resumed his practice. The plasterers have put the last coat on Mr. John C. Buckley's new house, and the painters and carpenters are now putting on the finishing touches.

Mr. Harry Fowler, who it was feared was seriously injured by the falling of the scaffold at the new church, is recovering slowly. He had one small bone cracked in the shoulder and a couple ribs stayed in.

Mrs. S. A. Crabb is still on the sick list, though somewhat improved from what she was a few weeks ago.

It is with sincere regret that we received the news this Wednesday morning of the death of Mr. Sterling Kooztz, at Linwood. Sterling was a student at the College here, until declining health compelled him to quit his studies, and during his school days won many friends in this place.

Mr. Alex Jones and family, of Baltimore, arrived last Saturday, and have taken their annual summer quarters at Mr. Louis Diezman's. The Ladies of the M. E. church are holding a bazaar in their tent, from the 3rd. to the 7th. inst.

Mrs. T. Y. Wilson, with her family, has moved into a part of the house occupied by Mrs. Annie Englar, where her daughter, Miss Vannie, will ply her trade of dress-making.

Coppersville.

On last Sunday evening, while Mrs. William Kiser was engaged in milking, she received a stroke of paralysis and has since been in a precarious condition, but slight hopes being entertained of her recovery. Fortunately, assistance was at hand at the time of the attack, otherwise she may have received injuries from the cow she was milking, as she fell alongside of it. Dr. Birnie is her attending physician.

Prof. John E. Garner, principal of Harrisburg Business College, joined his family at this place last Saturday, and will remain until the latter part of next week.

Messrs William Flickinger and John Byers indulged in an excursion to Bay Ridge on Wednesday.

Mr. Harry G. Hawk, whose serious fall was reported last week, is improving as rapidly as can be expected.

The new Otter Dale mill is now running, and doing very satisfactory work.

It is expected that a feature of interest to farmers will be held in connection with the Otter Dale picnic on Saturday, the 14th. The arrangements are not fully completed, but it is very probable that W. L. Amoss, state director of Farmer's Institutes, will be present, together with Capt. R. W. Silvester, President of Maryland Agricultural College and Prof. H. J. Patterson, chemist, Maryland Agricultural College, all of whom will discuss subjects of great interest to farmers. All persons interested in agriculture should attend, as the day will be one of profit, as well as pleasure, to old as well as young.

Mr. Amoss has completed arrangements with the railroads, by which ten members of the Farmer's Club will be carried to the State Agricultural College at half fare, in order that an inspection of the methods in force at that institution may be made.

York Road.

Mr. Eli Hann, of Philadelphia, paid a short visit to her brother, Mr. Lewis Hann.

Mr. Charles Beard, of Hazertown, spent Monday last with Messrs Ross and George Koons.

Miss Cost, of Hazertown, and Miss Neal of Baltimore, are spending some time with Miss Estella Koons, of this place.</

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ENTERED AT TANEYTOWN POSTOFFICE AS SECOND CLASS MATTER SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 1897.

Repeat the Rabbit Law.

The present rabbit law, as foolish as a piece of minor legislative as has ever been enacted, should be repealed by our next legislature, and no protection at all given to the destructive little "cotton tails." It may sound heartless to advocate the destruction of such an innocent looking animal, but it is really no more so than the present law, which aims only to allow rabbits to become plentiful, in order that they may furnish good shooting for sportsmen in the future.

All, or nearly all, of our fish and game laws, in fact, have been made, not for the real protection or preservation of the fish and birds for their own sake, but for the convenience and pleasure of sportsmen; and the rabbit law referred to, is the most objectionable and nonsensical of the lot.

When we consider that the rabbit is under the protection of a strict law, except for twenty days in the year, and that it is particularly destructive to young fruit trees, shrubs, and nearly all kinds of garden truck, and not beneficial to anything, so far as known, it is difficult to understand why, it more than a hawk, for instance, is entitled to any protection whatever.

At present, a land owner cannot, without subjecting himself to the penalty of the law—a fine of \$10.00 for each rabbit killed—protect his orchard or garden from destruction by killing the pests. He is protected against human trespassers, and generally has the right to defend his property from damage, but not against the long-eared, bead-eyed "bunnies" which must exist and multiply at any cost, in order that "sport" may be indulged in, with dog and gun, by those, who, in all probability, do not own a tree or a foot of land.

We do not want any more such fool legislation. If a thing is worth protecting, for any good which it may be to the country, protect it. If it is not only no good, but destructive, let it be destroyed—the sooner the better—without consideration for sentiment or the selfish pleasure of a small class.

Hints on Advertising. Advertising has been greatly injured by "quacks"—those who advertise to deceive. This class, taken in connection with the many unusual offers compelled by the hard times, and the viciousness of competition, has undoubtedly produced a surfeit of startling announcements, until now it is difficult to conceive anything in the way of an attraction above the commonplace. This has had the effect of "spoiling" the public, to some extent, by educating them in an atmosphere of luxury, so to speak, as far as the good things of trade are concerned, until now a bargain is scarcely recognizable as such, no matter how eloquently its pedigree is stated.

While the mass of words and bargains are not only confusing, but sometimes deceptive as well, to the average customer, they lead to one of two results, which demonstrates, none the less positively, the value of advertising—the intelligent shopper, or the regular customer. Many, of course, cannot be so classified, but the number is amply sufficient to repay the advertiser, and convince him of it, if he is not too blind to see, and gives the science the proper amount of study. Honest advertising is always directed to intelligent buyers. The class which can be "fooled" is only catered to by third rate shop keepers who care more for revenue than reputation. The intelligent reader, and prospective purchaser, sifts the various announcements and tests their value by "shopping." Some follow this plan continuously, and make their purchases wherever it places them to do so, without regard to being a "regular customer" of any particular store; while others make up their minds that a certain place is a good one to deal at regularly, and that, taking all in all, nothing is gained by the shopping plan. The latter, however, is decidedly the smaller class.

No greater error can be made than to advertise a very small amount of goods at a special price, so that customers must be almost "blind" from the beginning, not to see, with the time wearing away, "we're just out." Such announcements are constructively dishonest unless the exact quantity of the goods be stated in the offer; and even then, it is a question whether they pay. No one can afford to build up a questionable business reputation. Some business men are led to think that honesty no longer pays—that the people want to be "humbled"—but it is a mistake, nevertheless, even if the straight course does not seem to win. Sooner or later it will win, because the expression of Lincoln, that, "All of the people 'cannot be fooled' all the time," will prove to be true in the end.

community has had its mercantile high-flyers and "racket stores," and may have yet, but most of them are among the "has-beens," and all are sure to be in that category unless sound business principles and a fair living profit are at the bottom of their efforts for trade.

No merchant should be diverted from the course of honor and honesty, either in his advertisements or methods of business, but keep "pegging away" on correct lines, and up to the times in every thing, and you may make the mistake of striking the "old way"—mistaking it for real honesty—without seeing that new methods may be just as honest, and at the same time, much the best. It is absolutely necessary to let the people direct ones business, nowadays, to a certain extent, but not to manage and furnish the morals for it.

The World's School.

No one will question the desirability and value of the culture and knowledge to be derived from books and academies. The mistake is to call these things the only way, or even the best road, to an education; and to classify as uneducated, those who have not pursued technical courses of training. More than one young man starts in the race of life, rich with collegiate honors, only to find with his chin before he gets far on the road, that he is easily outdistanced by those whom in point of education and culture, he considers inferior to himself.

No disparagement is intended to the school curriculum. Our institutions of learning are doing a grand work for our young people, and along certain lines of professional work; the culture they give is indispensable, but it needs to be emphasized occasionally, and brought to the attention of young women and men, who, with limited environments, are longing to raise themselves to something nobler; that there is an education of immense practical value, within the reach of all, that can be acquired from association with the great world of business. Read the biographies of those who have made history; shaped the government of nations; moulded society; invented time and labor-saving machinery; revolutionized the world in point of comfort, ease and refinement; and note how large a proportion of them graduated from no other school.

Joseph Parker quotes an English writer as saying, "It would be a mistake to suppose that the merchant of the world are uneducated," and in commenting on it, adds, "men have their wits sharpened and vitalized by all the agencies of modern civilization, whether they have been to school or have only been in the larger world of the market-place." And Frederick A. Atkins, writing along the line of self-culture, wrests even the profession of journalism from the exclusive control of graduates. He states, that the successful journalists in the city of London this day, who can put B. A. after their names, can be comfortably counted on the fingers of one hand. The smartest journalist in that city today had no schooling after he reached twelve years of age, except what he gained by his own unaided efforts.

What is true in England on this point, must be true among the ambitious youth of America. A fool will not leave his folly under any training, but the average boy and girl in this country need not despair of becoming cultured, because, perhaps, the training of schools is denied them. The world's great school is always open. Enter it! Resolve not to be a dullard! Seize the moments! Observe, observe, advance! Face duty; covet responsibility, be true to the noblest instincts of your being, and by an unswerving law of justice your mind becomes educated.

Stanley tells how the natives in the Dark Continent, in crossing rapid streams, put weights upon their heads to keep them from being carried down with the current. The coveted positions of trust, honor, and responsibility in this world, lie right in the swift current of the stream of life. Below are the rapids. The post of honor is the post of danger always. Only those who can hold their places in these positions, who, previously, and while nearer shore, have been storing up latent power in the form of temptations overcome, and difficulties mastered. And who have a finer opportunity to gain this essential strength and culture than those who early in life are thrown upon their own resources? "In ourselves our fortune lies; life is what we make it."

SELF HELP. It is always gratifying to receive testimonials for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, when the endorsement is from a physician it is especially so. "There is no more satisfactory or effective remedy than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Dr. R. E. Robey, physician and pharmacist, of Olney, Mo., and as he has used the remedy in his own family and sold it in his drug store for six years, he should certainly know. For sale by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

WAR REMINISCENCES.

Written Specially for the RECORD by Geo. C. Harman, Serg't Co. D, 4th, Reg't, Md. Vol. Inf.

PART XIX. I will try in this article, to give a description of the battle ground at Spotsylvania Court House. I was detailed by my captain, on Friday morning, the 13th, to take charge of a burial party consisting of about fifteen men. I had never performed such a duty, and I was therefore anxious to go, but the sight that met my eyes here, was not calculated to induce me to repeat the experience, if it could be avoided. Many of the enemy found upon the battle-field, after we had obtained possession of their intrenchments, and took the savage flight of the 12th. While we were horribly wounded, mostly by our Minie rifles and Enfield muskets, an unusually in the face or the

head. Poor fellows lay upon the ground with their eyes and noses carried away; their mouths shot into horrible disfigurement; making a hideous spectacle that haunted me for many days.

A young man, apparently twenty years old, leaning against a tree, his breast pierced by a bayonet. A Bible I found lying half open by his side, and a lock of hair, dark tinged with gray, presumably from his mother, was in his hand. His eyes were open as if he were looking dimly across the misty sea that bounds the shores of life and death, as if he saw his mother reaching out to him with the arms that had nursed him in his infancy.

I saw an old, gray-haired man, mortally wounded, endeavoring to stop, with a strip of his coat, the life flowing from his bosom; his glazing eyes gave assurance that life was embraced in minutes. One of our soldiers saw and hurried to him, to assist him, but his head fell upon his breast, and he was dead.

Such is cruel war. What rivers of tears have flown, excited by the cruel and perverse ways of man! War has spread its carnage and desolation, and the eyes of widows and orphans have been dimmed with tears. To stand round an open grave in a country church yard, and to hear the dead rattle on the coffin-lid, the deep, still sob, the roll of the muffled bell, and the deep voice of the Divine, all this gives solemnity to the impressive service.

But, a burial on the battlefield; those who have witnessed it, will agree with me when I say, that there is something in that event peculiarly impressive. No fringed pall is there; the national banner circles his form; for a winding-sheet, and his last bed (his blanket) is his coffin. And who shall stand and gaze on the scene, and say that soldiers have not the hearts of men, when around the simple burial, you may see the forms of men marked with the scars of honorable war, many a one raising his eye to wipe away the tear that cannot be suppressed. And where should be the soldier's grave, but on the field where he so heroically fought? And if flowers are not planted upon his tomb, and no head stone marks the place, is he less secure in his last repose?

We had several days rest after this great battle. But on Friday night, May 21st, a few hours after dark, we started toward the Massaponny church. The country which we marched through had thus far escaped the ravages of war, for our eyes were greeted on every side, with sporting grain and grass fields, and quiet farm houses were seen on every side, as we toiled forward toward the North Anna river. Our corps arrived at the river on Monday, and crossed at Jericho. No enemy was here to oppose us, and we at once plunged into the stream and floundered across, up to our waists in the water.

After crossing we were moved swiftly over an open space, and took position in a strip of woods, where we encountered a heavy skirmish line of the enemy. About 6 o'clock in the evening, they attacked us, coming on in two lines of battle, and opened on us with several of their batteries. But Warren, with his accustomed gallantry and firmness, gave the rebels such a murderous fire, that the attack in front was given up by our foes. Later we were attacked on the flank, and the troops there gave way before the sudden onset.

This was a critical moment, but Warren, with that promptness which always distinguished him, ordered up troops and soon restored the line. This was all the fighting that we did at this place, but we could hear the thunder of Hancock's, Wright's and Burnside's guns on other parts of the battle, and no doubt they had their hands full. We lay here several days, and the heat was very much exhausted, and we were therefore very much exhausted.

We had, in the mean time, advanced about three miles toward the South Anna. But on the night of the 30th, we were withdrawn to the north bank of the North Anna, and moved forward and crossing the Pamunkey at Hanover town. On Monday, the 30th, we got into a fight at the Mechanicsville Pike. In the evening our entire division charged through a strip of woods. Stewart's battery came up on a gallop, unlimbered and planted its guns on our right, and shelled a Rebel battery in our front and silenced it in ten minutes. I am sure the two batteries were not more than two hundred yards apart, while the duel lasted. This is known as the battle of Bathfield church, in which we were successful, but we failed in getting possession of the Mechanicsville Pike. In my next, I will give a description of the battle of Cold Harbor, and crossing the James River, and our march to Petersburg, Va.

Burning, itching skin diseases instantly relieved by De Witt's Itch Hazel Salve, unequalled for cuts, bruises, burns. It heals without leaving a scar. J. McKellip, druggist, Taneytown, Md.

There is a time for everything; and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumed it, but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. J. McKellip, druggist, Taneytown, Md.

The Harvest and its Reward. There are some welcome signs that business conditions throughout the country are on the mend. It cannot be said that there is any prospect of a great return tide of prosperity, but the coming year promises to be better than its immediate predecessors. The American farmer is getting higher prices, and existing crop conditions are especially favorable to our own producers. This year's wheat crop will have been larger than the average in the United States, while much smaller than the average of several preceding years in the countries that compete with us in supplying the

J. T. Orndorff's Sons. WESTMINSTER AND PLEASANT VALLEY. COUPON NOTICE.

We have quit giving out coupons. We will redeem all coupons that are presented on or before September 1st, 1897. We will redeem them for any article which is printed on the coupon, including the enlarged photographs. Persons not having sufficient coupons may obtain the article they want by paying 5 cents on the dollar on the difference.

We will positively not redeem any coupons after Sept. 1st.—WESTMINSTER STORE.

Right in the midst of the season, we make the prices of all summer fabrics down so low as to tempt the most economical. Lawn, Jaconas, Lace Table-cloths, Diaperies, Organdies, and Percales, all the latest, most stylish colorings and figures. We divide them into three lots. LOT NO. 1. Fabrics that ought to be 7, 8 and 9 cents, cut to 5 cents. LOT NO. 2. Wash goods that ought to be 10 and 12 cents, cut to 8 cents. LOT NO. 3. Thin Stuffs that ought to be 16 and 18 cents, cut to 9 cents.

MONSTROUS SHOE SALE. Gigantic Bargains! Values Extraordinary!

This giving away of shoes will eclipse anything ever attempted here before. More than 600 pairs to be sold at prices that seem worse than ridiculous. A great many are our famous Moody shoes, such makes as Drew, Selby & Co. are prominent among the lot. You spend half your life in shoes. Why not get in a few of these?

- LOT NO. 1. Infants' Shoes; black, lace and button, sizes 1 and 2, worth up to 50c a pair, to be sold at 25c a pair. LOT NO. 2. Infants' and Children's Shoes and Sandals, black and russet, sizes from 2 to 6, worth up to 75c a pair, to be sold at 25c a pair. LOT NO. 3. Misses' and Children's Shoes and Sandals; black and russet, button and lace, sizes from 6 to 8, 8 1/2 to 11, 11 1/2 to 12; worth up to \$1.50; to be sold at 50c a pair. LOT NO. 4. Misses', Boys' and Children's Shoes and Slippers; black and tan, lace and button, sizes from 9 to 11, 11 1/2 to 2, worth up to \$1.65; to be sold at 75c a pair. LOT NO. 5. Ladies' Shoes and Slippers; black and russet, lace and button, sizes from 2 1/2 to 8; worth up to \$1.25; to be sold at 50c a pair. LOT NO. 6. Ladies' Shoes and Slippers; black and russet, lace and button, sizes from 2 1/2 to 8; worth up to \$2.00; to be sold at 75c a pair. LOT NO. 7. Ladies' Shoes and Oxford, black and russet, lace and button, sizes 13 to 6, worth up to \$2.50; to be sold at \$1.00 per pair.

Bear in mind that Shoes, at these prices will not last forever. "First come, first served." Balance of Mattings will be sold without counting the cost. Summer Straw Hats offered at prices that defy cool weather. A Clearing Sale of Ginghams. Ginghams that were 7c, 8c and 12c, reduced to 5c.

J. T. ORNDORFF'S SONS' Westminister, Md. Underselling Stores. The Atlas Watch.

Ladies' size in Gold-filled Case with Chain, complete, only - - \$10.00 Boys' size, in handsome Silverine Hunting Case, Only - - \$5.00 H. E. SLAGENHAUP, Jeweler, Taneytown, Md.

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We are ready at all times to serve our customers with BREAD, CAKES, ROLLS, Confectionaries and Groceries, such as Teas at 15c, 40c and 50c a pound; Coffees from 10c up to 25c a pound; Molasses 20c to 40c a gallon; Dried Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Salt, Rice, Coal Oil, Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes. We also have a fine variety of Canned Goods, such as Corn, Peas, Beans, Tomatoes, Peaches, and very fine Canned Oysters, Sardines, and Salmon. We also handle a great many BRANDS OF FLOUR, as Roby's, Weist's, Baschoar's, Stoney's, Myers', Small's, and excellent brands of Spring Wheat Flour, as Diamond Medal, Rex and Tattersall; also Corn Meal by the sack or pound. We are prepared to serve our customers with ICE CREAM—the best that can be made—in any quantity, at short notice. Friends, come and see us, and we will convince you that our prices are lower than elsewhere.

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I hereby inform everybody that I have removed my store to Middleburg, and opened up a First-Class Stock of SPRING DRY GOODS, AND NOTIONS.

Will be pleased to have all my old friends, as well as many new ones, call to see me.

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A Full Line of Ladies' Shirt Waists. Don't forget you get a beautiful piece of Glassware with one pound of Java Blend Coffee. Nice Prunes only 5c a pound. A nice breakfast dish is Wheatlet, Quaker Rolled Oats or Cook's Flaked Rice—1 lb. can, one of the leading brands of Flour; including Ivory White; Corn Meal; and Chicken Feed; Sugar Syrups, 30, 25 and 30 cts. a gallon. Best Water White Only 10c a gallon.

ICE CREAM Made to order, in any flavor and quantity. Canned Oysters, Lobsters, Sardines, &c. Bread, Rolls, Cakes, Crackers and Pretzels; one pound of Cash Down Baking Powder, one pound of Green Imperial Tea, only 25c a pound; and the leading brands of Flour; including Ivory White; Corn Meal; and Chicken Feed; Sugar Syrups, 30, 25 and 30 cts. a gallon. Best Water White Only 10c a gallon.

PUBLIC SALE. By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court for Carroll county, Md., dated May 4, 1897, the undersigned, as executor of Leah Keiser, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises situated near the Littleton, Taneytown and Westminster pike, about one-half mile from Silver Run, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1897, at 2 o'clock, p. m., sharp, the following described Valuable Real Estate consisting of

92 1/2 ACRES AND 30 PERCHES of land, more or less, adjoining the lands of John F. Maus, David Feiser, John T. Dutera and others, and now in the occupancy of George B. Keiser. The improvements consist of a New Two Story Frame Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and all other necessary outbuildings. The land is in a good state of cultivation, under good fencing, and contains an abundance of fruit. There are two good wells of water convenient to the buildings, and the land is watered by means

The above described property is located convenient to stores and school, and is in sight of the new Silver Run church. The property can be viewed at any time by calling on the undersigned, or the tenant.

Also at the same time and place, Four Shares of Littleton Bank Stock.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money to be paid to the said Executor on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the said Court, and the residue in two equal payments, one payable in two years from the day of sale; the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or mortgages, with sufficient security, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. P. M. WIEST, Executor.

July 24-44

PUBLIC SALE. By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court for Carroll county, Md., dated May 4, 1897, the undersigned, as executor of Leah Keiser, deceased, will sell at public sale on the premises, about one-half mile from the Bridgeport, Md., on the road leading to Maxwell's Mill, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m., that Valuable Farm, containing

188 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, about 45 acres of which is in good timber, the balance is divided into convenient fields, with running water in each field, the fencing being in good condition. This farm borders on the Monocacy river, and adjoins the lands of Abram Naill, Jacob Baumgardner, Absalom Smith and others. The improvements consist of a Two Story Frame Dwelling House, with cellar under the house, smoke house, and other buildings. There is a good well of water, one well long with wagon shed, corn house and other necessary outbuildings. There are two excellent wells of water near the house, also an apple orchard of choice fruit on the farm.

TERMS OF SALE: as prescribed by the Orphan's Court.—One-third Cash on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the Orphan's Court; the balance in 6 and 12 months from the day of sale; the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes, bearing interest from day of sale, with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the Executor, for the deferred payments; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. E. MANUEL LHLER, Executor. July 17-44.

Executors' Sale. Public sale of valuable real estate in Myer's District, Carroll Co., Maryland.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Carroll County, Maryland, and by virtue of the will of and authority contained in the Last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Motter, late of Carroll County, deceased, duly admitted to probate in the Orphan's Court of Carroll County, the undersigned Executors of the said Elizabeth Motter, deceased, will offer at public sale, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th, 1897, at 1 o'clock, p. m., on the premises, all that farm containing

117 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, being the same land which the said Elizabeth Motter, died seized and possessed, situate in Myers' District, Carroll County, about 15 miles from Piney Creek Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, about 4 miles from Littleton, Pa., and about 3 miles from Silver Run, Carroll County, adjoining the land of James Troxell, John Renner and others. It is improved by a Two Story Brick Dwelling, 43x28 feet, bank barn, 70x40 feet, summer house, fruit house, and all other necessary outbuildings, all in excellent condition; running water, never failing spring, fine young orchard, and about 30 acres of choice timber. This farm is in excellent condition and one of the finest dairy farms in the county.

TERMS OF SALE: as prescribed by the Court.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid to said executors on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the court, and the residue in two equal payments, the one payable in one year and the other payable in two years from the day of sale; the payments to be secured by the bonds or mortgages, with sufficient security, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

JAMES SHELLEY, HEZEKIAH HAHN, Executors of Elizabeth Motter, dec'd. James A. C. Bond, Solicitor. Vincent Grove, Auctioneer. July 31-44.

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Lawns.....4c to 10c. Percales.....9c. 4 1/2 Sea Island Cotton.....12c. Latest Worsted Plaids.....25c. Turkey Red Table Linen, Extra quality, worth 25c, now.....20c. Cottonades.....5c to 20c. Bleached Muslins, (good).....4c to 8c. All Linen Crash.....6c. Table Oilcloth, (unique and pretty) at.....12 1/2c.

SHOES. Our Shoe Department is complete in every respect. We will sell Ladies' Button Tipped Kid, worth \$1.25, for.....99c. Ladies' Lasting Gaiters, (sizes 2 to 3) worth \$1.00, for.....40c. A lot of Ladies' Heavy Lace Shoes, worth \$1.00, for.....50c.

GROCERIES. A Beautiful Roasted Coffee for 10c. Try our Merry War Concentrated Lye. Every box draws a prize, and it is guaranteed to equal Rabbit's or any of the leading lyes on the market. Price.....8c. Mason's Fruit Jars.

We are selling Pints at.....45c per doz. " " Quarts at.....50c " " " Gals. at.....70c " Stoneware in all shapes and sizes, from 1 Pint to 10 Gallons. Prices to suit the times.

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All Work Guaranteed. Special attention given to Repairing.

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STATES ATTORNEY—J. Milton Reifneider.
SHERIFF—J. Oliver Murray.
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—John H. Stem, David Stoner, Jesse Lemon.
COUNTY TREASURER—Alfred T. Buckingham.
SURVEYOR—William A. Ope.

Original articles selected for this department on any subject relative to home, country, agriculture, stock, dairying, poultry, general character. Also articles pertaining to other kindred topics. Contributions must be not later than Monday evening to be guaranteed insertion the same week.

A Practical View of It.

The folks that write of fields of green where birds and daisies rule.
I'll bet you, never struck them fields and plowed a Georgy mule;

Glad Tidings.

The grand specific for the prevalent malady of the age—Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Colic, Biliousness, General Debility, etc., is Bacon's Cherry Kidney Pills.

Petty Economy.

It requires an exceptionally wise, judicious person to know where to economize and where to spend, it is frequently the way of thrift to spend with a lavish hand because the return justifies the expenditure.

Useless Milk Hauling.

I want to declare very positively and boldly that I am opposed to all this milk hauling that is going on around the country because I am satisfied that the producer of milk, and the butter that comes from it, cannot afford it.

Two Types of Christian Womanhood.

There are two Christian women. We know them both. They are good, true and faithful, each in her sphere. One attends conventions, makes missions addresses, manages societies and collects a vast amount of money for missionary and church enterprises.

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The Genuine HANES' LINIMENT, AN UNFADING REMEDY FOR THE CURS OF Sweeney, Wind-Galls, Sprains, Strain-Halt, Pull-Outs, Ring-Bone, Fistula, Cuts, Bruises, Old Sores, Swellings, Scalds, Sprains, Shivers, Kicks, etc.

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Societies.

Patriotic Order Sons of America, Camp 2, Md. Meets in Eckenrode's Hall, Thursday evenings, at 8 o'clock.

Experiment with Nitrogen.

The editor of The Rural New Yorker is experimenting with the new bottled bacteria of leguminous plants. He secured a bottle of the special bacteria of clover.

Do You Use It?

It's the best thing for the hair under all circumstances. Just as no man by taking thought can add an inch to his stature, so no preparation can make hair.

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TURKEY DEFIANT.

The Turkish Squadron said to be Moving Toward Greece. The Powers will Oppose the Landing of More Troops.

The "Wily Turk" is yet giving the powers considerable uneasiness, and is playing a game of hide-and-seek, at least, if nothing more serious. Turkish war vessels have been displaying considerable activity during the week, many of them having sailed in the direction of Greece without publicly announcing their objective point. The following dispatches illustrate the present situation.

Constantinople, Aug. 4.—The second squadron of Turkish warships, consisting of seven vessels commanded by Harf Pasha, which sailed from the Dardanelles yesterday, has arrived at Sigri, Island of Mitylene.

Referring to the fears expressed here that the departure of the Turkish ships might lead to a collision with the international fleet in Cretan waters, in view of the announcement of the foreign admirals that they have decided to oppose the landing of Turkish reinforcements in the Island of Crete, the Turkish newspapers say that the squadron has only been ordered to carry out the evolutions in the island of the Archipelago. Canea, Crete, August 4.—On receipt of news that the Turkish squadron from the Dardanelles was coming in those waters, the foreign warships got up steam, and the international troops on shore have taken measures to anticipate any possible complications. The report and these preparations have greatly excited the Mussulmans.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Curious Complaints and Requests Sent to the Governor.

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 2.—The Governor is still in receipt of many curious requests. One of the latest is that from a colored youth in Southern Maryland, who complains that the white boys won't let the colored boys play on their ball ground, and he desires the Governor to see that the colored boys have this privilege accorded them. The letter has been forwarded to the Governor at Cumberland. A Baltimore lady recently wrote a four-page arraignment of the Orphan's Court of Baltimore. Another style of letter is to ask information along the genealogical line. These are easily answered by reference of the inquiry to a professional genealogist, and, if the inquirer is in earnest, he can have the information, if attainable, worked out for a reasonable fee.

Another class of correspondents are those who want legal information. The department endeavors to give all a courteous reply, and especially in the matter of law, where, including the Governor, there are three lawyers in the executive office, and a great deal of time is spent in answering queries along this line. Sometimes the Governor has the power of granting requests, and in Monahan's case, in refusing to commute the death sentence to imprisonment, the Governor appears to have granted Monahan's hope in that he is reported to have said that he would rather have a death sentence than life imprisonment. This is analogous to a case now before the Governor for pardon. The petitioner complained of a change of sentence against him by the justice. The justice explained to the department that, after he had sentenced the accused to eight months in the House of Correction, the prisoner asked: "Why didn't you double it?" "All right," said the justice, "I will," and made it at once sixteen months.

A Remarkable Cure of Chronic Diarrhea.

In 1863, when I served my country as a private in Company A, 167th Pennsylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic diarrhea. It has given me a great deal of trouble ever since. I have tried a dozen different medicines and several prominent doctors without any permanent relief. Not long ago a friend sent me a sample bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after that I bought and took a 50 cent bottle, and now I can say that I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful enough to you for this great remedy, and recommend it to all suffering veterans. If in doubt write me. Yours gratefully, **BENNY SPRENGER**, Allentown, Pa. Sold by R. S. McKinnay, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

A Little Nonsense Now and Then.

I had a little doggie once. He was sweet enough to eat; They took him to the sausage shop And turned him into meat. It made me feel an awful pain. He was my joy and pride. But we couldn't eat him living. And so we ate him fried.

A party of politicians started for a trip down the river the other day. No one knew the destination until the captain said the only thing to do was to sail down until half of the run had disappeared, and then turn around for the return trip so as to get back before it was too late.

The Drummer's Story.

While up in Iowa on my last trip I had an odd experience. I was a little short on cash and long on transportation, so I sold one of my mileage books to a big, strapping Westerner who was coming East. I instructed him how to use and sign my name, and how he must stick to his story if any conductor became too inquisitive.

"The next night I got into a sleeper that lay at the depot and was sound asleep long before the train was made up. It was the conductor who awakened me as we were bowing along over the prairie, asking me for my name and ticket. I rolled over to a growl, dug into my vest pocket, told him that my name was on the ticket, and then signed it.

Gettysburg getting "tough."

The Gettysburg Star complains energetically that the town police do not do their duty. That the streets are the scenes of many outrageous acts; that vile language of good citizens, and to the displeasure of incoming trains; that passengers on incoming trains are pulled and badgered by the hotel porters to the detriment of the hotel property of the town—all because the police refuse to take a hand in the prevention of the evils. These are serious charges, and it is incomprehensible that such actions are allowed to become so prominent as to compel such plain comment on the part of a newspaper, interested as it must naturally be, in the welfare and good name of the place. The real fault must rest with the borough officials who control the subordinates.

From Sire to Son.

As a Family Medicine Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves passes from Sire to Son as a legacy, the same is not delay, but get a free sample package of this remedy at once. If you have Indigestion, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, etc., this grand specific will cure you. R. S. McKinnay, the leading druggist, is sole agent, and is distributing in large quantities at the afflicted. Large packages 25c, and 50c.

The Peacock at Home.

The real home of the peacock or peafowl is in India. They were and are hunted, and their flesh is used for food. As the birds live in the same way as the tiger, peacock hunting is a very dangerous sport. The long train of the peacock is not its tail, as many suppose, but is composed of feathers which grow out just above the tail and are called the tail covers. Peacocks have been known for many hundred years, and the many had in the Bible. Job mentions them, and they are mentioned, too, in I Kings x. Hundreds of years ago in Rome many thousand peacocks were killed for the great feasts which the emperors made. The brains of the peacock were considered a great treat, and many had to be killed for a single feast.—St. Nicholas.

A LUCKY FIND.

Value of a Valuable Watch That Was Lost on the Elevated Railroad.

"This watch in itself is a valuable one," said a New York business man as he took the timepiece from the peculiar looking fob in which he carries it, "but it had an adventure last week that gives it a still greater value to me. The fob is an heirloom, and, as you may see, would be apt to attract attention anywhere."

"One afternoon last week I was going up town on a crowded train on the Sixth Avenue elevated. The train was so crowded that I was compelled to stand on a car platform close to the tracks. As the train was rounding the curve out of West Third street I took my watch from my pocket, removed it from the fob, and, after noting the time, shoved it back into the fob and returned it, as I thought, to the pocket. Instead of getting it into the pocket, however, it was on the outside, and, as I let it go, fell. The guard saw it as it fell and reached out his foot to save it from going between the platforms, but failed, and down it went."

"I got off the train at Eighth street and took my watch as fast as I could to the not where the watch had dropped, having, I may of course say, not the slightest hope that the watch would be anywhere to be seen. When I reached the place, my heart almost jumped out of my throat, for there in the street, just where I had let it go, I saw the watch. I picked it up. It was empty. No watch could I find anywhere."

"Some one has found it," was my natural conclusion, and that was the last I ever expected to hear of seeing it. But as I walked back toward the Big Sister street station I got to thinking about the matter differently. If any one had found the watch, why should he have left the fob? The more I thought of it the more I made up my mind that the watch had been found. I boarded a train at Eighth street and went up town to the railroad headquarters. There I told of the singular thing that had happened to my watch, and the officer in charge told me that after the commission hours were over for the day the track walkers would start down the Fifty-ninth street line, making their regular inspection of the rails along the roadway, and he would instruct them to keep an eye out for the lost watch."

"But," said he, smiling, "I guess you will have to come to the conclusion, after all, that some one else will tell the time by it hereafter if it hasn't been smashed to pieces by the fall."

"Next day I went to the office. My watch was there. A track walker had discovered it by the light of his torch at midnight lying snugly on one of the girders or braces of the iron roadway beneath the tracks. The ring was sprung out of its fastening in the stem, and the watch was open. There was a dent on the case at the hinge. In falling the watch had struck in some mysterious way, and recomended it to all suffering veterans. If in doubt write me. Yours gratefully, **BENNY SPRENGER**, Allentown, Pa. Sold by R. S. McKinnay, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

THE SACRIFICE.

It Made Mamma Sad, but the Baby Grieved and Was Glad.

She was a sweet little woman, with big brown eyes and a pretty air of demureness and hardly summoned fortitude, as she led a 4-year-old boy into an up town barber shop. She took off his hat and dandled lovingly for a moment with his long yellow curls. Then she spoke to the man in the first chair, but her voice faltered and fell, and no one else could hear what she said. In a minute the little chap was perched atop of a hassock placed in the chair, a big apron was around his neck, and the barber with comb and shears in hand was preparing to begin his work.

The little woman seated herself resolutely with her face to the street and gazed straight out at the stream of teams and bicycles that fills Woodward avenue just before noon, but she didn't seem to see anything of the long procession.

"Snip, snip, snip," went the shears, and after a while looked straight ahead of her. Then her head began to turn slowly, but before the fatal chair came in view she had recovered her nerve and straightened herself with a little shiver, fixing her gaze once more on the opposite side of the street.

"She couldn't last long. Her hands were beating nervously on the arms of the chair, and the toe of a dainty boot made a rat-a-tat-tat on the tiling. She shifted uneasily in her seat, and pretty soon her head turned again, very slowly this time, until she could see the devastation the shears had wrought.

"One side of the little chap's head was already shorn of its long locks, and the unfeeling tonsorial artist held another curl at full length. "Snip" went the shears. The little woman gasped, and a big tear rolled down her cheek. She looked it off, but another followed it. She didn't look away again, but the barber's task was nearly finished before she trusted herself to speak.

Then she swallowed hard, tried to smile and said in a strained, wabbly voice: "They're almost gone now, baby."

"Yes," responded the youngster, with an approving glint at his reflection in the mirror. "I guess Dick won't call me a little girl any more."—Detroit News.

Ten Thousand Telegrams at Once.

In 1871, at a celebration held in New York in honor of Professor Morse, the original instrument invented by him was exhibited, connected at that moment by wire with every one of the 10,000 instruments then in use in the country. At a signal a message from the inventor was sent vibrating throughout the United States, and was read at the same time in every city from New York to New Orleans and San Francisco.—St. Nicholas.

At the Literary Meeting of the New York Literary Woman's League.

Gertrude Andrews, in an address on "What Are the Requisites of Success?" said that women have too many clubs. She insisted that, while clubs are excellent in moderation, too many of them will kill individuality and produce mental indigestion. She ended her address with the warning: "Lastly, but of the greatest importance, is the human interest which should permeate our work, which is the soul, the magnet, that attracts the world. We have had enough of pessimistic criticism. What we want is to do all the art in our power, and to let Wendell Holmes put it, to 'know humanity in its shirt sleeves.'"

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50 Boys' All Wool, School Suits; every size, 4 to 15 years; regular \$4.00 goods, at \$1.98.

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The balance of our Spring and Summer Goods is now on sale at one price, 25c a yard. They run in value from 50c to 75c.

Our Shoe Department.

We show a line of Fine Shoes for ladies not equalled on the globe, for the price, all styles at \$1.97. Their real values, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Summer Underwear.

A Big stock of Ladies' Ribbed Vests at Popular Prices. Special Values at 5c, 10c, 15c.

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All sizes; prices 10c to 25c a pair.

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To close out their remaining stock of Summer Clothing, will offer for the next 10 days 150 CHOICE SUITS at prices way below cost. 75 Suits that were Great Values at \$7.00 and \$10.00—during this sale, at \$6.75. Suits as low as \$5.50. Crash Suits; Summer Coats. 50 Youth's Suits, 14 to 19 years, reduced to less than cost. In Children's Clothing. 4 to 15 years, \$2.00. 250 Suits, now \$1.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Suits now \$2.50. Don't miss one of these Bargains. About 30 Choice Suit Patterns Left. Will make to order in Best Style and workmanship, at about one-half their value. Bargains in Shirts, Summer Underwear and Neckwear. **SHARRER & GORSUCH,** WESTMINSTER, MD.

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NEW WINDSOR, MD.

Grand Clearing Sale of Spring and Summer Goods, to begin at once.

Finishing our STOCK HEAVIER THAN USUAL AT THIS SEASON, AND DESIRING TO REDUCE SAME, WE HAVE DECIDED TO OFFER FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS, A FULL HARVEST OF BARGAINS. THE GOLDEN SHEAVES ARE NOW BEING GATHERED.

25 to 40 Pieces of DRESS GOODS, 25c to 60c, we now offer at JUST HALF PRICE! A Job Lot of SILKS at HALF PRICE! DIMITIS, JACONETS, and LAWNS, at 1 to 2 regular prices! 25 to 40 GENTS' and YOUTHS' SUITS, at HALF PRICE! STRAW HATS, HALF PRICE!

WE HAVE ABOUT 50 to 75 Pairs of Evitt Bros' SHOES, \$2.00 to \$3.00. WE WANT NOW Half Price. Bargains in Gingham, Shirtings and Calicoes. We want to make a Grand Clearing Up, and the first to come will receive the choicest of the Bargains. We have the LARGEST GENERAL STOCK IN THE COUNTY SELECT FROM. NATURALLY, WE WILL HAVE THE GREATEST BARGAINS. DON'T ASK FOR SAMPLES, IF YOU CAN POSSIBLY COME, as we expect the goods to move rapidly.

Thanking you for past patronage, we hope to see you OFTEN.

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- 8.00 " " 6.40.
- 7.00 " " 5.60.
- 6.00 " " 4.80.
- 5.00 " " 4.00.
- 4.00 " " 3.20.

Every Suit, barring the exceptions stated, will be sold at one-fifth off—

\$3.00 Linen Crash Suits, at \$2.40

Prices on Wool Pantaloon greatly reduced, to run down the stock.

I am contemplating some change in my business; just what it will be, I cannot now announce. The above Special sale, however, will remain in force until notice of change is made in this space.

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This Season, the taste displayed in the selection of your Dress Trimmings is the main thing. Have you thought of it? Come and look at our assortment of Laces and Ribbons—everything, including the newest and latest effects. We can now give you Special Prices and bargains in

Lawns, Wash Fabrics, etc.

A Few Ladies' Shirt Waists left, at Bargain Prices. Ladies' Collars, Cuffs, and Ties. These goods must and WILL MOVE, at the prices we ask.

Big Drop in Men's Furnishings

Fancy Bosom Shirts—everything procurable. We handle regular Dollar values in these goods. Our popular prices, 50c, 60c, 75c, etc. Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear, at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Ladies' and Men's Gause—Stock is considerably broken; therefore we will dispose of odds and ends, at a Sacrifice. These goods are all fresh and clean. Silk Mitts—Ladies' and Children's. Cannot sell them this winter; must be sold NOW—even if at Half Price. Do not miss the opportunity.

Specials in Grocery Department.

Our Price for This Week Only. Babbitt's and Ivory Soap, 3c a cake; Babbitt's Soap Powder, "1776," 3c a pack; Woodchuck Soap, 3c a cake for 5c; California Dried Peaches, very fine, at 7c; Prunes, 6c.

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Having opened a Hardware Store at the old Elliot store stand in Taneytown, near the Railroad, I make this public announcement and solicit a share of the patronage of the community. My stock consists of

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10:45	Clear Spring, or	9:20
10:55	W. W. Sport, P.V.	9:30
11:05	Hagerstown	9:40
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