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And a star that glows bright and is gone from the sight—

Ah! such is the vanishing guerdon of fame.

Oh, what is the grief or the joy of life? What is its pleasure or pain?

Thé joys we pursue pass away like the dew;

And though bitter the grief time brings relief

To the heart that is wounded again and again.

Oh, what is the loss or the gain of time? And what is success' fair crown?

The gain that we prize—lo! it fades and it flies;

And the loss we deplore as quickly is o'er.

There's little to choose 'twixt life's smiles and life's frowns.

Oh, men they may love and men they may hate;

It matters little to me;

For life is a breath, and hastens death To gather in all, from the hut and wall,

To the home that is narrow—the house that is free.

—Boston Transcript.

Stories of the Missing.

A Brief Chapter of Mysterious Disappearances.

LOST TO MORTAL EYE.

Famous Cases of the Past Recalled. Poe and the Mystery of Mary Rogers.

Sudden disappearances of individuals always suggest two possible explanations, crime or mental abstraction. The crime may have been committed upon or by the individual. The distressed woman who rushes into police headquarters with the story that her husband went to work the other day and hasn't been seen or heard of since, may find that the dear departed was merely drunk and disorderly, was arrested, gave a feigned name to the Justice and is serving out a few days in jail. But the case may be worse than that, it may be murder, it may be suicide. Skeletons found in mines, in coal-pits, in dismal wells, in the quarries, in waste lands, in plowed fields, just below the surface of the soil imply so many social mysteries which profoundly agitated some circle of friends and relatives, or haply created widespread excitement. The story of Eugene Aran is a famous instance in point. Daniel Clark, a shoemaker of Knareborough, disappeared suddenly in February, 1745, and on no reasonable hypothesis could his absence be accounted for. Thirteen years afterwards, when the disappearance has been well nigh forgotten, the discovery of some human remains in a cave near Knareborough, and suspicions aroused by the words of one Houseman, Aran's accomplice, brought the affair again into public notice, resulting in the apprehension of Aran and his eventual conviction and execution. But the mystery may be solved too late to bring the offenders to justice. Thus only last May the skeleton of a man was unearthed in New Haven by workmen employed in excavating a cellar. Then it was remembered that years before the Inn was the site of the Wayside Inn, kept by Mark Travers. About 1826 a traveling peddler named Francis Thomas was known to have entered the inn, but was never seen afterwards by anybody. No doubt the remains were his murdered body.

There is a tradition at Oxford College that a young student, looking forward to eminence in the church and theological distinction, suddenly vanished from among his friends. Some years afterwards he reappeared as suddenly as he had left, applied himself as before to study and entering the church gradually rose to its highest honors and died Archbishop of York. Conjectures were busy with reasons for his unexplained disappearance and it had one ascertained fact to build upon. Almost coincident with the young man's departure a daring Corsair had appeared on the Mediterranean plundering ships of all nations and piling up immense wealth on a desert island which he made his abiding place. Here he associated more or less freely with his followers, leaving them at intervals for the company of a woman whom he had made the partner of his wild life. When the lady died the rock was left untenanted, the pirates dispersed, the Corsair was no more heard of. But shortly afterwards the young student was found in his accustomed place at Oxford.

Two centuries ago Everhard Feith, a Flemish scholar living in France, enjoyed considerable reputation as a teacher of classical authority. He is still remembered by all lovers of Greek literature for his learned and interesting "Antiquitatis Homerici." Walking one day while the streets of his adopted city were full of people a man standing at a door on the opposite sidewalk beckoned to him. The professor crossed over and passed into the house. From that moment he was never again seen. In Lincolnshire a marriage was being celebrated in the year 1750. While the festivities were at their height the bridegroom was suddenly summoned away by a domestic, who said that a stranger had asked to see him. He was never seen again. A similar tradition lingers about an old deserted Welsh hall near Festinog. There, too, the bridegroom was sent for to give audience to a stranger on his wedding day and promptly disappeared from the face of the earth. But there they tell in addition that the bride lived long—that she passed her three-score years and ten, but that daily during all those years she sat watching at one particular window which commanded the approach to the house. She grew weak and childish before her death, but she had only

eral years afterwards the confessions of two people established not only the truth of the conclusion, but also of nearly all the incidental details. People sometimes disappear through a diseased vanity which amounts to partial insanity. They love to startle their neighbors. It matters little to them that the means are undignified, that they occasion pain and sorrow and mortification to their kindred. In the early part of 1868 all England was thrown into a turmoil by the mysterious disappearance of the Rev. Mr. Speke, a brother of the explorer. He had come down to London to visit a relative, he had walked out of the house to purchase a hat and was to return to dinner at seven. He never returned. The hat which he had purchased came home in due course. The hat he had been wearing was found by a laborer in the Bird Cage walk and handed over by him to the police. Days and weeks passed without a word from the missing. The *Saturday Review* and other papers took up the case and abused the detective force for their inefficiency. At last it was discovered that the reverend gentleman had simply been in hiding in order that he might sport with public curiosity and gratify his vanity by becoming for a few days the subject of general conversation. Shortly after this discovery he was placed in a private asylum. It was said that he was suffering from the delusion that his family did not like him. If he had endeavored himself to them by his ridiculous escapade, they cordially deserved to be put into strait waistcoats.

A few years later another prosperous New York business man, James Digman, a grocer on Third avenue, told his wife he was going to see a friend and would be back in a few minutes, as he had an engagement at home. The friend never laid eyes on him, the gentleman who called according to appointment never saw him, he disappeared as utterly as if the earth had opened and swallowed him up. Ralph Keeler, a well-known journalist, was an assistant editor on the *Atlantic Monthly* in 1872. He had made all his arrangements to go to Cuba and write up that island for his superior, Mr. W. D. Howells, sent his baggage to the steamer, bade good-bye to a large circle of friends and started for the wharf. He never reached the wharf; he has never been seen or heard of since. The husband of Mrs. Margaret E. Sangster, the present editor of *Harper's Bazar*, was a thriving lawyer and lived in Brooklyn. On July 4, 1870, he complained that the din of the fire-crackers had given him a headache and went out on the front stoop of his house at 9 in the evening to get a little fresh air. He was clad in a dressing gown and smoking cap. As he remained out for some time, Mrs. Sangster went out to the front door to call him. He was not on the stoop. He was never seen again. One might have supposed that the sight of a man on the street in a dressing gown and smoking cap would have excited some attention, yet no one could furnish a clue to his whereabouts. This case is all the more striking because Harper's establishment contains another lady editor, Mrs. Helen S. Conant, who knows not if she be wife or widow. Her husband, S. B. Conant, editor of *Harper's Weekly*, left his office for home one summer evening in the early part of 1885 and was never seen again. Three weeks later a dead body was found in the Jersey swamps, which was at first thought to be that of the missing editor, but the widow failed to identify it, and the best efforts of the police were exhausted in vain.

A very strange story, and yet an apparently well

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

The year 1889 is almost over now, and before another issue of the CHRONICLE brings its weekly record to the homes in which it aims to prove a welcome guest, the "Glad New Year" will have dawned upon the earth, bringing promises of happy days to come, as it hurries forward as rapidly as possible from the gloomy shadows in which the old year passed away.

Few years within the memory of those now living, have left such a record of misery, disaster and crime, as the one now drawing to a close, and none can think of his departure without a feeling of relief that his work will soon be done, and the book in which so much of crime and suffering is chronicled, be closed until the time shall come when the secrets of all the buried years shall be unfolded.

There is no quarter of the globe in which, flood or fire, famine or pestilence, has not done its devastating work, whilst drunkenness, robbery and murder, together with social and political depravity, have furnished materials for filling the columns of every newspaper in the land.

If it be true as many moralists assert, that the world is growing better as well as wiser, in its progress toward the Millennium, then 1889 has been an *off year* apparently thrown in by way of an *exception*, to prove the rule.

It is true, that in this quiet nook among the mountains we have been mercifully exempt from any serious calamity, and our social life has been undisturbed by the disagreeable sensations which have been so prominent in larger places, but there has been many a sorrow and many a heartache even here, during the brief existence of the year that is now so nearly ended, many loved voices that joined with us in welcoming his advent twelve short months ago, are heard no more on earth, and many a home is shadowed by a vacant place which never can be filled, and the grief with which we watch the dying year is deepened by the memory of what he has taken from our hearts and homes during his brief existence.

As the monotonous procession of year after year passes onward through our lives, we cannot fail to grow sadder, if not wiser by the lessons that they teach, and we learn by sad experience, that the high resolves and brilliant promises with which they greet us at their parting, will prove, at their departure to have been as unsubstantial as all the idle dreaming with which we love to cheat ourselves into the belief that we were born for better things than have fallen to our lot. And so we go on from youth to hoary age, still believing that we are going to do better things in the future than we have ever yet accomplished, for "Man never is, but always to be blest."

But dear friends and patrons, we hope in earnest faith that your time of blessing if it has not already come, may reach you in the "Glad New Year" whose dawn is already breaking, and may each day of your journey in company with 1890 give added comfort to your lives, and bring you nearer heaven, and the good old greeting "Happy New Year" prove a blessed reality.

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Six iron steamships are in course of construction at the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company's shipyard in Wilmington, Del.

The mixing house of the United States Dynamite Company's works, on the River, N. J., was destroyed by fire Saturday. The building burned several hundred pounds of dynamite, which burned instead of exploding. The loss to the company is estimated at \$1,000.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Special Correspondence.

The new Congress has mapped out at least ten years work for itself already. Some twelve hundred bills have been placed on the calendar. Now suppose one bill could be acted upon each day, we would at once have twelve hundred days of steady work. But instead of this we have many days when no bill is acted upon and times when one bill is under consideration for weeks and sometimes months at a time. Every member feels it incumbent on him and due his constituents that he introduce a certain number of bills whether they are ever heard of again or not.

Some very important bills have been introduced which should have attention at once. It is augured by many of the knowing ones here that the committees will all be announced immediately after the holidays and that then work will begin in earnest.

The bill for the great Fair for the Republics in 1892 will no doubt receive very early attention.

Mr. Crain introduced a bill in the House declaring it unlawful to drape in mourning or put the national flag at half mast over such buildings or any place within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States in honor of any deceased person unless said person at the time of his death is in the civil, military or naval service of the United States.

The Secretary of War sent to Congress yesterday a report submitted by the major general commanding the army, in which he recommends that the War Department be released from the provisions of the act authorizing the purchase of heavy artillery in order that certain instruments necessary in heavy artillery practice may be purchased abroad. The act referred to provides that all such instruments shall be of American manufacture.

Mr. Ewart's resolution, introduced in the House yesterday for an investigation of the Civil Service Commission, is the right thing at the right time and in the right place. The country wants to know where reform reforms and wherein it misses it.

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SUMMARY OF NEWS.

BOTH houses of Congress have taken a recess from last Saturday until Jan. 6.

THE St. Cloud sugar warehouse at Kissimmee, Fla., was burned Saturday morning.

DR. GATLING of machine gun fame, has submitted to the Navy Department a design for a fast torpedo boat.

EX-CASHER SILGOTT's indictment for forgery fills a hundred folio pages of printed matter and includes 112 counts.

AFTER diphtheria, scarlet fever, or pneumonia, Hood's Sarsaparilla will give strength to the system, and expel all poison from the blood.

THE Grant Locomotive Works will be removed from Paterson, N. J. to Chicago, where 651 acres of land have been purchased for the site.

THE large barn of Davis B. Landis, in Drumore township, Lancaster county, Pa., was destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon of last week with the season's crops. Loss, \$3,500.

THE provisional government of Brazil has ordered the confiscation of the property of the ex-Emperor Dom Pedro, and forbidden the imperial family to return to that country for two years.

THE Sixth Independent Christian Church at 12th and McKean streets, Philadelphia, was destroyed by fire Sunday night and several firemen were badly injured by the falling in of the roof.

It was about fifty years ago that Daniel Webster, speaking of the region then known as Oregon, said it was "so far off that it could never be governed by the United States, and a delegate from it to Congress would not reach Washington till a year after the expiration of his term."

A REPORT is current at Kansas City, Mo., that the official quillotine is to be turned on freight conductors and brakemen of the Missouri Pacific. A charge is made that they have established a regular business in the transportation of tramps, carrying them from place to place at a very small cash fare.

THOUSANDS of Christmases presents which were temporarily lodged in the Adams Express Company's freight warehouse at St. Louis, awaiting shipments to points outside the city, and other thousands of Christmas offerings to residents of the city that had not yet been delivered to the owners were burned Saturday. The loss on the building was not material, but the loss on presents can never be estimated.

SUBSCRIBE for the EMMITSBURG CHRONICLE.

THE business portion of the oil town of Petrolia, Pa., was burned Sunday, involving a loss of between \$85,000 and 100,000. The fire plugs were filled with mud and no water could be had. The sleeping inhabitants saved only their wearing apparel. The town has seven hundred population.

FREDERICK COUNTY ITEMS.
Clipped from the columns of our Exchanges.

The Circuit Court adjourned on Wednesday of last week until next Monday.

The fourth page form of the Examiner was filed last week in removing it from the press.

Frederick county has 125 miles of Macadamized roads and 1,400 miles of dirt roads.

One day last week, Mrs. Andrew Oller, of Graceham, accidentally fell and broke an arm.

Mr. John H. Williams has presented a telescope to the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Frederick.

The Woodsboro' and Frederick Turnpike Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

Little Jessie Pfoutz of Johnsville caught the index finger of his left hand in a feed cutter and nearly cut it off.

The public schools in this county closed for the holiday vacation on Monday last until Thursday, January 2nd.

There is a project on foot to build a pike from Woodsboro' to Double Pipe Creek, a distance of 5 and one-half miles.

Telegraph poles from forty to fifty feet high are being erected at Middletown in order to carry the wires above the tree tops.

Messrs. Irvin W. Loy and Richard O'Toole of Mechanistown have secured a patent for an Automatic Electro-Magnetic Road Crossing Signal.

Mr. A. B. Carty formerly of the Frederick Daily Times had his hand badly crushed by a printing press in the Government printing office at Washington last week.

Robert Jacobs, in the employ of Milton Honeck, at Barton's this county, while driving a wagon loaded with corn under a shed, last week, was caught between the wheel and the shed, and fatally crushed.

A son of Mr. David Warner of Creagerstown fell down a flight of stairs one day last week. He had in his arms a baby brother and in the fall broke his arm and the babe was severely bruised about the head.—Clarion.

Among the bills introduced into Congress last week was one by Mr. McComas providing for the erection of a monument at Frederick, over the grave of Francis Scott Key, the author of "The Star Spangled Banner."

A serious shooting affair occurred at Liberty on Christmas, Oliver H. Thompson shot Wesley Curry in the face with a shot gun. The sight of one of Curry's eyes was destroyed and he may not recover. Thompson was committed to jail for the action of the grand jury. Both men are colored.

A Johnsville farmer returning from Ladiesburg last week with a load of coal met with the misfortune of his wagon breaking down. Next day when he returned to get his wagon he found that it had been taken apart, the wheels being hid about a hundred yards away in the creek, whilst other parts were scattered over a field and some hung high up in a tree.

A man representing himself to be John London, a cattle dealer, had two notes cashed by Mr. Henry Lorenz, banker, of Frederick, last week. One of the notes for \$32.50 was signed Elias Brown and Lloyd H. Reiser and the other for \$13 Wm. Fogle and Capt. W. W. Welsh, both payable to London. Both notes proved to be forgeries and London disappeared.

The Rev. M. L. Dosh, D.D., an eminent clergyman of the Lutheran Church and for four years past, pastor of the Barrettsville charge of the Lutheran Church in Middletown, died Tuesday morning after an illness of only one week of inflammation of the bowels, aged fifty-nine years. Dr. Dosh was at one time president of Keame College, Selem, Va. He leaves a widow and several children.

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all gone" feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels, are some of the more common symptoms. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful, persistent attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other organs, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, and by thus overcoming the local symptoms removes the systemic effects of the disease, banishes the headache, and refreshes the tired mind.

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had but little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me no good. In an hour after eating I would experience a faintness, or tired, all-gone feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. My trouble, I think, was aggravated by my business, which is that of a painter, and from being more or less shut up in a room with fresh paint. Last spring I took Hood's Sarsaparilla—took three bottles. It did me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food relished and satisfied the craving I had previously experienced." GEORGE A. PAGE, Watertown, Mass.

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MARYLAND ITEMS.

The C. and O. Canal Company's boat Maryland, has been levied to satisfy a judgment.

F. Snowden Hill, internal revenue collector for Maryland, has been confirmed by the Senate.

Jos. Worthington, a gray haired man was convicted of Larceny at Hagerstown last week. He is 64 years old and has spent nearly 32 years of his life in prison.

Charles Sanders was sentenced at Hagerstown, to five years in the penitentiary for killing Rudolph Herr, and Michael Zimmerman nine years for killing Robert B. Slick.

It is estimated that 300,000 young peach trees will be planted in the South Mountain belt the coming spring. It looks like a craze, but so far there has been "big money" in it.

The jury in the Navassa Murder trial at Baltimore on Saturday morning found nine of the accused guilty, one of murder and eight of manslaughter and were unable to agree as to the remaining seven.

A new savings bank has been incorporated at Westminster to be known as the "Peoples Loan and Savings Bank of Carroll County," with a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into one thousand shares at ten dollars per share.

GREAT OVER STOCK SALE!

CONFIDENCE

—BEGETS—

and because we have always made it a rule to give our trade something better than we promised for the money, their confidence in us grows right along. Here's a hint or two on Men's Suits: Lots have been cut into; other lots sold way down, but still we have 3,000 too many and they're to go.

\$10, First-class Cheviot and Cassimere Suits were \$15, now only \$10.
\$15, Splendid Cutaway and Dress Suits. Many were \$18, \$20 and \$22, now only \$15.
\$20, Elegant Imported Cheviot and Cassimere Suits, now only \$20. Cost you 30 elsewhere.

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We clothe more boys and young men than any other 3 houses in the trade. Why? Simply because we give best values for bottom prices.

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You would hardly believe it possible to gather such a stock and styles as we show unless you behold our world renowned assortment of Boys' Clothing. Moreover, we clothe your boy from hat to hose at

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It's surprising what a little cash and a clearly expressed letter will do (if you can't call in person) towards fitting you out stylish and comfortably with Neckwear, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and all the requisites and neat things of a gentleman's smaller wardrobe. Guarantee you a clear saving of one-fourth at least.

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PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday, January 11th, 1890.

The undersigned wishing to quit farming will offer his very desirable farm for sale, one mile south of Emmitsburg on the Pike leading to Frederick, midway between St. Joseph's Academy and Mt. St. Mary's College, adjoining lands of Dr. Brainerd, Jacob Myers, Thomas Barry, and lands of St. Joseph's Farm, containing

40 ACRES,

improved with a good

DWELLING HOUSE,

part brick and part weatherboarded, double lot barn with sheds, wagon shed, and corn crib, carriage house, spoke house, dry house, hen pen, two wells of water, one at the house and the other at the barn. Apples, peach, cherry, plums and grapes all in the place. The fencing is all in a good state of cultivation. Can stand in the yard and see seven different churches; six miles within 3 miles; two postoffices within 1/4 miles; three public schools within two miles. Also a

Mountain Lot

within two miles, along the Hampton Valley road, containing between two and Three Acres adjoining lands of Samuel and Francis Welty, and others, covered with chestnut timber. For further information call on the undersigned residing on the farm.

Sale to commence at one o'clock, P. M., when terms will be made known.

dec. 20-ts. WM. C. SCOTT.

NOTICE.

—OFFICE OF THE—

County Commissioners

FOR FREDERICK COUNTY, MD.,
DECEMBER 13th, 1889.

JANUARY MEETING.

The County Commissioners for Frederick county will meet

On Monday, January 6th, 1890,

at 10 o'clock, A. M. They will be governed during the Session by the following Schedule, viz:

Monday, January 6th, will appoint Constables.

Tuesday, January 7th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Buckeystown district.

Wednesday, January 8th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Frederick district.

Thursday, January 9th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Middletown district.

Friday, January 10th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Creagerstown district.

Saturday, January 11th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Emmitsburg district.

Monday, January 13th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Catoctin district and will also approve Constables' bonds (this day).

Tuesday, January 14th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Urbana district.

Wednesday, January 15th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Liberty district.

Thursday, January 16th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for New Market district.

Friday, January 17th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Hanover district.

Saturday, January 18th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Woolsborough district.

Monday, January 20th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Petersville district.

Tuesday, January 21st, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Mount Pleasant district.

Wednesday, January 22nd, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Jefferson district.

Thursday, January 23rd, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Jackson district.

Friday, January 24th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Mechanistown district.

Saturday, January 25th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Johnsville district.

Monday, January 27th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Woodville district.

Tuesday, January 28th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Lincolnton district.

Wednesday, January 29th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Lewistown district.

Thursday, January 30th, will settle with and appoint Road Supervisors for Thurmont district.

Supervisors are required to render an account of the Tools belonging to the county, and also such Road Machines as may come under their notice.

Supervisors will be appointed on the same day of settlement, with road district, and reports of any violation of law affecting Highways, and neglect to place Hand Rails on Open Bridges, Culverts, &c., will be received.

By order,

A. L. EADER, Clerk.

dec. 20-31.

W. H. BIGGS, JAS. S. BIGGS.

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To weak nervous and debilitated men suffering from the effects of indigestion and youth, Early Deasy, Lost Method, Varicose, etc., we will send a remedy guaranteed to effect a speedy cure. The great restorative was discovered by an eminent London physician whose life was devoted to suffering humanity in the hospitals of the world's metropolis, and will be cheerfully sent to the unfortunate. Send now. Address: The Action Medical Co., Washington, D. C. (Sole agents for America.) oct 47.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the
Emmitsburg Post Office, Feb. 16, 1888.

FRIDAY, DEC. 27, 1889.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Oct. 13, 1889, trains on
this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg at 8.20 a. m. and 2.52
and 5.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky
Ridge at 8.50 a. m. and 3.22 and 6.20
p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and
3.33 and 6.35 p. m., arriving at Em-
mitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 4.03 and
7.05 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

We are always pleased to receive
communications from our friends, con-
taining an account of the news of their
localities. Incidents of interest to the
public, given in a few words setting
forth the facts, are always acceptable.
We will give them the shape proper for
publication, when the name of the
writer accompanies them, this we must
have. Articles for insertion must be in
this office not later than Thursday
morning of each week.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Established 1837.

Wetly's all-rye whiskey. It has no
rival for superiority, is absolutely pure,
and has a reputation of the highest
standard for excellence and purity, that
will always be sustained. Recommended
by physicians. For sale only by
F. A. DIFFENDAL.

The public schools will reopen next
Thursday, the 2nd inst.

The days are lengthening but it will
be several weeks before the change is
noticeable.

EDITOR BLAIR of the *Waynesboro
Record* is improving, and was in the of-
fice for a short time on Tuesday.

Mr. H. E. ELDER sent us a stalk of
dandelion which he found in full bloom
in his garden, near Mt. St. Mary's on
Christmas day.

Mr. WM. C. SCOTT will offer his val-
uable farm situated on the Turnpike road,
near this place, at public sale on Sat-
urday, January 11th, 1890. See adv. and
bills.

MARY LEWIS and an infant son which
she carried in her arms were instantly
killed Friday by a train on the
Cumberland Valley Railroad, while at-
tempting to cross the track at Gettys-
burg Junction, near Carlisle, Pa.

MESSRS. JOSEPH AND JAMES OCKER
have purchased the Central Hotel, this
place, of Mr. H. K. Sherman. Mr.
Sherman took, as part payment, the
Ocker farm on the Littlestown and
Taneytown road, about three miles from
town. — *Littlestown Independent.*

Mrs. ELTON DOWD, wife of Mr. Daniel
W. Dowd of Hagerstown died in that
place on Tuesday last week, of con-
sumption. Mrs. Dowd was an adopted
daughter of the late Dr. M. A. Berry of
Hagerstown who was well and favor-
ably known here, having been a resident
of Emmitsburg during the late war.

Persons intending to make sale this
spring should send in the date as soon
as possible. In all cases where bills are
printed at this office a free notice is
given in the sale register from the time
the date is handed in until day of sale.
By attending to the same early you may
prevent other sales from coming on the
same day with yours.

The annual exhibition of the Fred-
erick County Poultry, Pigeon and Pet
Stock Club will be held at Frederick
Dec. 31, 1889, Jan. 1, 2, and 3, 1890, and
promises to be unusually attractive. En-
tries for the show are coming in fast,
some from Charleston, S. C., and others
from Maryland, Virginia and Pennsyl-
vania. We return thanks to the man-
agers for a complimentary ticket to the
exhibition.

We have received the *Baltimore
American* Calendar for 1890. Besides
being artistically beautiful it contains
a number of tables valuable for reference
in any office or business house. The
ground work is tinted a beautiful pink
with a picture of the American Building
near the center around which is a black
frame bearing the words "Established
1773." The calendar part is grouped by
months in three rows containing three,
four and five months respectively, hav-
ing the appearance of being suspended
by rings. Altogether it is the finest yet
issued by that progressive journal.

JEFFERSON DAVIS spent the last year
of his life in literary work. He wrote
an article on Andersonville for the
North American Review, exonerating
the Confederate Government for the
charge of wanton cruelty toward Federal
prisoners. On the publication of his reply
to Lord Wolsley in the North American
(which Mr. Davis charged, was mu-
lated by the American editor in the
interest of the English Government),
Mr. Davis refused to permit the North
American to publish his article on An-
dersonville unless the editor should
agree to publish it unaltered. Mr.
Davis thereupon withdrew his article
and transferred it to *Belford's Magazine*.
It will appear in the January num-
ber. In the same issue Belford's will
publish a brief autobiography of Mr.
Davis, written a short time ago. A few
weeks before his death Mr. Davis com-
pleted for the Belford Company "A
Short History of the Confederate
States." It will be issued at an early
date.

"A BETTER article it is impossible to
get, sir: I have tried them all and un-
hesitatingly pronounce Dr. Bull's Cough
Syrup superior to any." (Etc.)

The old story:—Trivial symptoms
were neglected until rheumatism be-
came established, whereas all the suffer-
ing could have been prevented by the
prompt use of Salvation Oil. 25 cents.

Religious Notice.

The Rev. W. Simonton, D. D., pastor
of the Presbyterian Church, will preach
a sermon suitable for the closing year
next Sabbath evening. All are cordial-
ly invited.

Holiday Vacation.

The public schools closed on Monday
afternoon for the holidays and will re-
open on the 2nd of January.

The holiday vacation at Mt. St.
Mary's College commenced on Saturday
and will end January 6th.

Children Enjoy

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and
soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when
in need of a laxative and if the father
or mother be costive or bilious the most
gratifying results follow its use, so that
it is the best family remedy known and
every family should have a bottle.

MESSRS. LATE AND OGLE, proprietors
of the Emmitsburg Creamery have
erected an ice house adjoining the
creamery building. The coach shop
formerly used by Mr. J. L. Topper in
the rear of Capt. Eyster's lot was torn
down and the material utilized in the
construction of the ice house.

Removals.

Mr. Wm. Valentine has removed into
the Western end of Mr. Jas. A. Hel-
man's house.

Mr. George Marble of Waynesboro
has removed to this place and occupies
the Western end of the old Rowe
property owned by Mr. Jacob Smith. He
is working in the coach shops of Smith,
Son & Co.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

The Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Co. in
pursuance of its usual liberal policy,
will sell excursion tickets at reduced
rates during the holiday season. Tick-
ets will be sold to and from all stations
on its lines east of the Ohio River from
December 21st to January 1st, inclusive,
good for return trip until January 4th,
inclusive.

Cole's Cavalry Reunion.

The annual reunion of Cole's Mary-
land Cavalry Veteran Association will
be held at the Green House, Baltimore,
on the evening of January 10th, 1890,
the 25th anniversary of the midnight
battle at Loudon Heights, Va., in
which the regiment was engaged. A
number of the members of this Associ-
ation reside in this place and vicinity.

Sa's Rheum.

With its intense itching, dry, hot skin,
often broken into painful cracks, and
the little watery pimples, often causes
indefinable suffering. Hood's Sassa-
parilla has wonderful power over this
disease. It purifies the blood and expels
the humor, and the skin heals without
a scar. Send for book containing many
statements of cures, to C. I. Hood & Co.,
Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

Narrow Escape.

On Thursday morning as Mr. Frank
Lawrence was walking along the pave-
ment in front of the Western Maryland
Hotel, a large sign which had been in-
sensibly fastened to the railing of one
of the upper porches was blown down
and fell on the pavement not a foot in
front of him. Had Mr. Lawrence been
one step farther advanced, serious if
fatal injuries would have been the re-
sult.

WESTERN MARYLAND RAILROAD.

Christmas and New Year's Holiday Ex-
cursions.

Commencing on December 21st, 1889,
and continuing until January 1st, 1890,
the Western Maryland Railroad an-
nounces that Holiday Excursion Tickets
will be sold between all stations at the
low rate of two cents per mile. These
Excursion Tickets will be valid on regu-
lar trains and good to return until Jan-
uary 4th, 1890. An opportunity to travel
at cheap rates is thus offered to all
who desire to visit friends and exchange
the compliments of the season.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate
have taken place in this county, as re-
corded in the Clerk's office for the week
ending December 24:

J. E. Gaither to Henry C. Gaither,
152 acres and 15 square perches of land,
\$9,600.—James W. Biggs and wife to
Walter B. Krantz, lot of ground in
Adamstown, \$300.—Thos. O. Lindsay,
trustee, to Clinton I. Lindsay, 2 rods
and 32 perches of land, \$337.—Fannie
M. Smith to Milton G. Urner, trustee,
lot of ground and improvements in Ur-
bana district, \$100.—Milton G. Urner,
trustee, to Beverly U. Feinour, lot of
ground and improvements in Urbana,
\$1,450 and premises.—A. M. E. Rice and
others to Albert T. Rice, lot in Frederick
city, \$125.—Harry W. and Helen Dorsey
to Charles H. Snyder, 160 square perches
of land, \$100.—James F. Beall, John W.
House et al., to Charles E. Kanode,
100 acres of land, \$1,600.—Henry Kel-
ler and Frederick P. McComas, trustees,
to Ezra Toms, 113 acres of land, \$94.30.

We'll Give You a Lift!

In the right direction, and help you in
the upward path of plenty and pros-
perity! Economy is the parent of pros-
perity and you can become a practical
economist by trading with us. We of-
fer you a change to buy an elegant Fur
Beaver Over Coat, Silk lined through-
out for the marvellously low price of \$9.99.
A line of regular \$5.00 Pants down
to \$3.75. Our inexpensive yet convenient
location saves you fully 25 per cent.
Bell Clothing Co., Cash Outfitters, Pratt
St. adj. Hanover St.

GRAND MUSICAL AT THE COLLEGE.

Mr. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, Dec. 23.—
The Grand Musical given by the Col-
lege Orchestra and Brass Band, just be-
fore the Christmas vacation, met with
unprecedented success.

By 7 o'clock, the time appointed for
the opening of the concert, the Opera
House, was crowded with a large and
critical audience. Among whom were,
Rev. Edward P. Allen, D. D., President
of the College, Rev. John J. Tierney,
Vice-President, and the entire College
Faculty, in whose honor the entertain-
ment was given.

The music both vocal and instrumen-
tal was well chosen. The selections
were numerous and varied representing
nearly every class of music; from the
quick and dizzy strains of the mazy
dance to the grand and majestic notes
of the best classical music.

The performance began with a grand
overture from Piazzi's famous opera
"Ermione." This was splendidly render-
ed and immediately took the house by
storm.

The celebrated mountain quartet
consisting of Prof. G. Kochenbach, C.
J. Donnelly, W. F. Cullen and M. C.
O'Shaughnessy appeared next and it
can be safely said, they never sang to
greater advantage. The rapid changes
from the major to the minor keys and
the swelling and receding notes in
Vogrich's "Farewell" were exception-
ally well executed.

Of the vocal music the gems of the
evening were, Rosenfeld's charming
love ditty, "With all her faults, I love
her still," by Mr. M. C. O'Shaughnessy,
of Huntsville, Ala., whose deep bass
voice could be distinctly heard in every
part of the Opera House; "Farewell
Marguerite" by Mr. J. F. O'Neill of
New York, N. Y. Mr. O'Neill's voice
seems just suited for this piece and as
he put his whole soul into the same, it
was well received; and "Then you'll
remember me" by Mr. W. F. Cullen of
Spruce Creek, Pa., whose soulful strains
touching a tender chord in each heart
elicited thunders of applause.

Of the instrumental music, the most
artistic solo selections were cornet solo
"Home Sweet Home and Variations" by
Mr. Chas. J. Donnelly of Latrobe, Pa.
The splendid toning of this piece
could scarcely be excelled; Violoncello
solo "Yankee Doodle and Variations"
by Mr. Eugene R. Grasselli of Cleve-
land, Ohio. This was, perhaps,
"the gem" of the evening. The skill-
ful manner in which Mr. Grasselli
handled the bow showed clearly that
the hand of the master was there; The
banjo solo "Swanee River" by Mr. W.
F. Casey of Allegheny, Pa., and the
banjo duette by the same gentleman,
and his brother Mr. Edmund D. Casey
were both rendered with great effect.
These gentlemen were recalled several
times.

The intervals of the programme were
taken up with some fine recitations from
several of the leading orators of the
College. First in order was: "The
lay of the Madman" by Mr. John L.
Morrissey of Little Falls, N. Y., whose
clear enunciation, powerful voice and
fine gesticulation, were fully in keeping
with his reputation as a speaker of mar-
ked ability. Next came "Moor's
Revenge" by Mr. James D. Casey of
Allegheny, Pa., who, as usual, acquitted
himself with great distinction. This
gentleman appears to have thorough
control of a voice which he modulates
with great skill, while his facial ex-
pression is simply matchless. The last re-
citation was "Catherine's Defiance" by
Mr. F. Hugh Lee of Easton, Pa., which
also was skillfully rendered.

As a whole this was perhaps, the
most refined and cultured entertain-
ment given here in some years. The
magnificent drawing room scene and
the elegant evening dress suits with
collar and tie to match were thoroughly
in keeping with the elevated style of the
entertainment.

At the close of the concert the Rev.
Edward P. Allen, D. D., congratulated
the Orchestra on their great success and
in the name of all thanked them for
their rare musical treat, adding that it
was his earnest wish that they should
continue the good work; for as he re-
marked music not only refines the taste
and cultivates the mind, but likewise
cheers the heart and elevates the soul.

In conclusion he announced that in
honor of the Catholic Centennial cele-
brated this year, the Christmas recess
would be extended from Dec. 21st to
Jan. 6th. It is hardly necessary to say
that this announcement was joyfully
received by the students. FLOSCUTS.

On Monday Mr. John Reifsnider kill-
ed three hogs which weighed respectively
2864, 268 and 230 lbs.

LAXADOR is the result of years of ob-
servation and experience. It is now
recommended by leading physicians for
costiveness and indigestion.

"Baby is king" all the world over.
As its rules should be as quiet as possible,
fail not to provide it with Dr. Bull's
Baby Syrup for all the ailments in-
cident to its condition. It is a safe re-
medy.

Leg Broken.

A valuable mare once owned by
Mrs. Harriet Motter of this place had
her leg broken on Christmas night and
was killed to relieve her sufferings.
The accident occurred in the stable of
her son-in-law, Prof. J. B. Kerschner,
of Locust Grove Mills, and is supposed
to have been the result of a kick by
another horse.

The Wine for Rheumatism and Dropsy

Dropsical and Rheumatic persons find
the use of Speer's Port Grape Wine of
New Jersey of incalculable benefit.
Its purity and valuable properties have
given it a wide reputation among physi-
cians throughout this country and Eu-
rope. It is excellent for debilitated fe-
males, and is used by the best families
in New York and Washington as an
evening family wine. For sale by drug-
gists.

A NOTABLE WEDDING.

Mr. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, Dec. 23.—
The little white Chapel at Mt. St. Mary's
College, that nestles so snugly at the
base of the mountain, and that is so in-
timately associated with Catholicity in
Western Maryland, was the scene, this
morning of one of the most brilliant
weddings that has taken place in this
section of the country for some years.
The early glinting of the sun's first
rays shone softly through the quiet
Chapel, as—
Before God's holy altar stood,
Wearing the pearl of womanhood,
A maid in fair array;
A manly form was at her side,
Claiming her as his lawful bride,
Henceforth—always.

The groom was Prof. J. A. Mitchell, A.
M., of Mt. St. Mary's College Faculty.
The bride, Miss Margaret J. Willson,
the charming and accomplished daugh-
ter of Mr. Charles B. Willson of the
fair township of Emmitsburg, whose
glistering spires lie just within sight of
the college grounds. The family is one
of the best known and most aristocratic
in the county, and has always held a
prominent position in the highest social
circles.

Prof. Mitchell was for a long time as-
sistant astronomer to Lord Rosse, at
Birr Castle, Ireland, which by the way
is one of the most famous astronomical
observatories in the world. He was
likewise for a series of years connected
with the Faculty of Clongowes Wood,
perhaps the most noted seat of learning
of the Jesuits in Europe and historic as
being the college in which General
Meagher, Lord Chancellor Naish and
many other illustrious sons of Erin have
been educated. At present he has com-
plete charge of the Mathematic and
Scientific courses at Mt. St. Mary's Col-
lege, one of the leading Catholic edu-
cational institutions in the country; and
the *Alma Mater* of so many of our emi-
nent Scholars and Statesmen.

The young lady whose fair fortune it
was to link her destinies for life with
this talented gentleman, is in every way
well suited to be his consort. Indeed,
gazing upon her as she stood in the
quiet little chapel, her eyes modestly
cast down, we could not help from
agreeing with the poet Tennyson whose
words she so vividly recalled, that—
"To doubt her fairness were to want an
eye."
To doubt her pureness were to want a
heart.

The bride was gracefully attired in a
traveling costume of costly brown
Parisian cloth, richly embroidered.
She wore a set of jewelry consisting of
diamonds and emeralds, the gift of the
groom.
The bride maid and bride man, were
Miss Cora Noel of New Oxford, Pa.,
and Mr. Harry Willson, brother of the
bride, who also according to custom,
gave the lady away. The Chapel was
tastefully decorated, and the altar,
dressed in its snow white vestments and
covered with a profusion of lights and
flowers, bespoke the eminent purity and
the exalted dignity of this august sacra-
ment.

The ceremony was performed by the
Very Rev. Edward P. Allen, D. D.,
President of the College; who, after a
few appropriate words of exhortation,
united the happy couple in the sacred
bonds of matrimony. Wishing them
in conclusion, God's choicest blessing
on their journey through life so auspici-
ously begun.

The marriage was witnessed by a host
of admiring friends, who, long before
the hour appointed for the nuptials,
thronged the little chapel to assist at
the interesting ceremony.

Upon leaving the church, the bridal
couple were encircled by many of their
well wishers, and congratulations and
acknowledgments were for a time, the
order of the day.

The happy pair drove from the chapel
to the residence of the bride's father
at Emmitsburg where a bridal breakfast
was awaiting them.

The repeat over, they left in time to
catch the early morning train, for an
extended tour through the North. In
consequence of which, the wedding re-
ception will have to be deferred until
their return, when they intend to honor
their friends with a nuptial banquet.

Life of Jefferson Davis.

We have just received from the pub-
lishers a very full and comprehensive
book under the title, *Life and Death of
Jefferson Davis*, giving a full history of
his eventful life and death, together
with Funeral Services, also comments
of the press from all parts of the country.
It will be sent postpaid to any address
on receipt of 25 cents, by J. S. OGDEN,
the publisher, 57 Rose St., New York,
who also desires agents for it.

Motter's Station Items.

While Mr. John P. Seabold was re-
turning home from Mechanicstown on
Christmas night one of the axles of his
buggy broke down.

Mr. J. W. Cline, tenant on Mr. W. R.
Troxell's farm had his collar bone
broken last week.

A large party was given at the re-
sidence of Mr. Joshua Hobbs on Thurs-
day night.

Mr. J. C. Rosensteel made a trip to
Baltimore.

Mr. Jos. Shorb of Mechanicstown
spent Xmas at his home, this place.

Mr. William Ousler and wife of Balti-
more spent Christmas at Mr. Joshua
Hobbs'.

A Valuable Medical Treatise.

The edition for 1890 of the sterling Medical
Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now
ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of
druggists and general country dealers in all
parts of the United States, Mexico, and indeed
in every civilized portion of the Western Hemis-
phere. This Almanac has been issued regularly
at the commencement of every year for over
one-fourth of a century. It combines, with the
soundest restoration of health, a large amount of
interesting and amusing light reading, and the
calculated astronomical calculations, chronolog-
ical items, &c., are prepared with great care,
and will be found entirely accurate. The issue
of Hostetter's Almanac for 1890 will probably
be the largest edition of a medical work ever
published in any country. The proprietors,
Messrs. Hostetter & Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., on
receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a
copy by mail to any person who cannot procure
one in his neighborhood.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS.

In the Public Schools and the Churches—
Pleasant Times for the Little Ones—
General Observance, etc.

The public school children had a
pleasant Christmas celebration at the
school house on Monday afternoon,
given under the direction of the teachers
Misses Annie E. Dufhorne and Fannie
Fraleigh. The exercises consisted of
singing and recitations by the scholars.
The school house was adorned with a
beautiful Christmas tree and each of
the scholars received a package of candy.
The entertainment was very pretty and
attractive, and the little ones seemed
brim full of joy. Many of the scholars
parents and a number of invited guests
attended the celebration.

On Tuesday evening the Sunday
school of the Reformed church held
their Christmas festival. The church
was tastefully decorated and adorned
with a beautiful Christmas tree. The
exercises only lasted an hour and con-
sisted of singing carols, responsive
readings, prayer and a short address by
the pastor, Rev. U. H. Heilman. Prob-
ably the most interesting part to the
children being the tree drawing, when
each scholar was presented with a bag
of candy and an orange.

The Ev. Lutheran Sunday School held
an entertainment on Christmas evening
consisting of singing, readings, prayer,
an address by the pastor, etc. A strik-
ing feature of this was the singing and
recitations by a number of the infants,
who acquitted themselves surprisingly
well. The church decorations were
very beautiful, and the scholars received
their presents of candy, oranges, etc.,
taken from two lovely Christmas trees.
The usual services were held in the
Catholic and Reformed churches on
Christmas morning.

In the afternoon the Emmitt Cornet
Band paraded the streets and rendered
excellent music. Outside of this the
day was very quietly observed, princi-
pally by family gatherings. The
weather was perfectly charming, and
people paraded the streets without
overcoats and sat at their front doors as
in summer time.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

Miss Stella and Master Harry Troxell
are visiting in Prince George's county,
Md.

Misses Emma and Sallie Baker have
gone to Baltimore.

Miss Josephine Wiyell of Taneytown,
is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr.
Troxell.

The students of the College left for
their respective homes on Saturday,
Dec. 21. Studies will be resumed on
the 6th of January.

Master Frank Troxell is visiting his
parents in this place.

Mr. John Livers of Idaho, who was
visiting his parents at "Sunny Side,"
has returned home.

Mr. George Brawner of Baltimore is
the guest of his sister Mrs. Chas. W.
Ott, this place.

Mr. Joseph Althoff and wife of Pike-
ville, spent Christmas with his father,
M. A. Althoff.

Mr. Edw. J. Sweeney is visiting his
mother at Johnston, Pa.

Mr. A. Wagner is paying a visit to
his old home at the "Mountain."

Mr. N. Dugan spent Christmas at Mr.
Chas. A. Manning's.

Mr. D. Pius Sweeney of St. Paul,
Minne., is the guest of his aunt, Miss
M. Call.

Miss Annie Elder is visiting Dr. P.
Gallagher and her aunt, Miss Josie Elder,
at Baltimore.

PERSONALS.

Mr. J. L. Hoke and family spent
Christmas at York, Pa.

Miss M. H. Dufhorne of the Hagers-
town Female Seminary is home for the
holidays.

Mr. J. S. Gelwicks has been very ill
at his residence in this place for the
past week.

Miss Anna Motter of Taneytown is
visiting at Mr. E. R. Zimmerman's.

Jos. Buffington, Esq., and wife of
Kittanning, Pa., are the guests of Rev.
Dr. Simonton.

Mrs. Anna Hoover has returned
home from Taneytown.

Mr. H. E. Hann who is employed at
Foxville, spent Christmas with his
family in this place.

Mrs. J. Frank Shorb of near Taney-
town, and Miss Mamie Troxell of near
Rocky Ridge are the guests of Mrs.
Isabella Troxell.

Mr. James V. Rider and wife of
Washington, D. C., are visiting Mrs.
Martha Rider in this place.

Dr. Geo. T. Motter of Taneytown
made a visit to Mr. E. R. Zimmerman's.

Master John Adelsberger of Baltimore
is visiting his mother Mrs. M. E. Adels-
berger.

Miss Beatrice Kearney of Baltimore
is the guest of her aunt Mrs. M. E.
Adelsberger.

Capt. Geo. T. Eyster made a trip to
Baltimore.

Mr. James Gelwicks and wife spent
Christmas at Graceland.

Mrs. Catharine Motter and family
spent Christmas in Baltimore.

Miss Mamie Wetly of St. Joseph's
Academy is spending her vacation at
her home in Brooklyn.

Mr. S. R. Grinder, wife and family,
are spending the Xmas holidays in
Baltimore.

Mr. E. S. Waddles of St. Joseph, Mo.,
is the guest of his parents in this place.
Smith is the same genial good natured
fellow as of old and his many friends
here always greet his arrival with
pleasure, and are glad to learn that he
has become a very successful business
man.

Mr. Joseph D. Zepp of Westminster
is visiting among his many friends here
being the guest of his aunt, Mrs. S. N.
McNair. Joe has severed his connection
with Mr. A. H. Huber, druggist,
of Westminster, and will enter the drug
store of Mr. H. Schroeder, in Baltimore
on Jan. 1st.

Mr. G. G. SNOOK of Rocky Ridge has
been sent to Mt. Hope for treatment.
He has been suffering with mental ab-
erration for some time.

Rev. Dr. McKnight, President of the
Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, will
preach in the Lutheran Church, this
place, on Sunday morning at 1

