





THE WAR NEAR AN END.

The Greek government has, it seems, at length made up its mind to accept the good offices of the powers on the terms they prescribed—the immediate withdrawal of the Greek troops from Crete and the abandonment of all pretensions to sovereignty over that island. The powers will now “mediate.” That is to say, they will act as a go-between for Greece and Turkey and ascertain from the latter on what conditions Greece may obtain peace. If Turkey is too severe, the powers will seek to mitigate her demands. An armistice will be sought, but military operations will continue some days longer, it is thought, in Thessaly, since Edhem Pasha is now closing in upon Domokos and hopes soon to capture a large part of the Greek army at Domokos and Almyros. If Greek accepts Turkey's terms promptly, peace will be speedily reached. As Turkey holds Thessaly, the revenues of that province will, it is believed, be demanded in payment of Turkey's war expenses.

MISSISSIPPI'S NEW ROAD LAW.

The road law recently enacted by the Mississippi Legislature has gone into operation. It divides the public roads into two classes, first and second. Each county is to have a road commissioner, who is to have thorough control of the working of the roads by the labor of his county liable to road duty. The commissioner is authorized to name the time and places to be worked, and he is to be held responsible if every person who is liable to road duty does not respond when called upon by the overseers. The overseers are of two classes, and each is responsible for the roads under his supervision. The commissioner is made custodian of all animals, tools and machinery necessary to the proper working of the roads, and he is empowered to make requisitions upon the county board of road commissioners for funds when it is found necessary to purchase machinery, &c. Those persons who are liable to road duty that do not respond when called upon can be proceeded against. The road law specifies the widths to which the roads may be worked. It also provides that after all the labor obtainable has been expended, and if the roads of the county are not then in as good condition as they should be, then the board of commissioners is empowered to levy a local tax, not exceeding one mill, for road purposes, and then, if deemed advisable, the completion of the roads may be let out by contract.

MARYLAND SYNOD.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock Prof. J. H. Turner, president of Lutherville College, delivered the conference sermon at the opening of Middle Conference of the Maryland Synod at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, at Barkittsville.

About twenty-five prominent ministers were present, and with each divine two delegates.

Among the ministers present were: Revs. William H. Ehrhart, L. Kuhlman, G. W. Baughman, J. U. Asper, S. A. Diehl, S. J. Derr, M. L. Beard, R. S. Patterson, C. M. Eyster, D. F. Garland, G. C. H. Hasskarl, Ph. D., W. L. Ramsburg, S. A. Hedges, Charles Reinwald, L. F. Myers, C. E. Held, J. J. Nicholas, Robert L. Patterson, A. H. Burk, L. H. Waring, M. A. Nixdorf, P. H. Miller. The officers of the conference are: President, Prof. J. H. Turner; secretary, Rev. Robert L. Patterson; treasurer, Rev. P. H. Miller.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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A DESPERATE MAN KILLED.

SALEM, Va., May 13.—John Ricks, a man supposed to be crazy, was up at the widow Trout's, about one-half mile north of Cave Spring, Monday threatening to kill Mrs. Trout's daughter and burn their house and barn. Mr. T. J. Johnson, who lives close, and Mr. J. H. Mills who works for Mr. Johnson, heard her screaming and ran up to Mrs. Trout's and discovered the man fleeing from the house across the fields. They followed, overtook and captured him and tried to fasten him, but he broke loose and ran at Mills with a club. He was wild and frothed at the mouth. Mills ran backwards, but the man still pressed upon him, and just as he was in the act of striking, Mills shot him in the stomach. He then ran about fifty yards and was caught by Benjamin Beckner. Messrs. Johnson and Mills then tied him and carried him to Cave Spring to Dr. White. He gradually grew weaker until yesterday, when he died.—Sun.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

The Augusta Chronicle says: "The presence of General Gordon, General Buckner and General Longstreet at General Grant's tomb and the action of Commander-in-Chief Clarkson, of the Grand Army of the Republic, in inviting General John B. Gordon, commander-in-chief of the Confederate Veterans, to deliver an address at the coming reunion at Buffalo of the G. A. R., is calling forth fraternal expressions in the newspapers about the survivors of the blue and gray. The fact is that the masses of the people North and South cherish no sectional bitterness against each other and neither do the broad-minded leaders. It is only when some two-by-four politician, who desires undeserved notoriety, gets up a flag incident or some narrow-minded sensation, that anybody ever cherishes sectional animosity or thinks of the bloody shirt."

MONSTER PAPER MACHINE.

Workmen this week are putting into place in the mill of the Rumford Falls (Me.) Paper Company the largest paper machine in the world. It was made in Worcester, Mass., and will produce paper 150 inches wide. This is 15 inches better than the best previous American mark, and two inches better than the World's record. It took many months to build the monster machine, and 30 cars were required to transport the parts from Worcester. Its total weight estimated is 1,200,000 pounds.

The machine will turn out 35 tons of finished newspaper per day. It will deliver a web of paper 150 inches wide at the rate of 500 feet per minute, or in a complete day's work of 24 hours it will turn out 9,000,000 square feet. Superintendent Bedker says that the new machine, taking into account the necessary increase in the way of pulp or sulphite, will give employment to 40 or 50 men.

AN OPPORTUNITY YOU NOW HAVE

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My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh all small all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

A RING IN AN EGG.

Mrs. Henry Marcin, of East Seventieth street, in New York, bought a dozen eggs from a dealer a few doors away from her house Monday night, and was about to make supper for her son, when she broke one of them open, and found a little gold ring inside—probably an infant's. She took the ring out, polished it up, and went to a jeweler with it. There she was told it was worth something around \$15. Somehow the dealer heard of the lucky find and claimed the ring. Mrs. Marcin would not give it to him, claiming that she had bought the eggs and everything inside of them. The dealer said "no," and a law suit will probably follow.

A ring in an egg has never before been heard of, and it is generally thought the egg formed itself around the ring.

EFFECT OF CHLOROFORM ON PLANTS.

United States Consul Kirk at Copenhagen has made report to the Department of State giving a description of an interesting discovery in the physiology of plants made by Johansen, of the Agricultural High School of Copenhagen. The discovery is that plants are susceptible to the influence of ether or chloroform, but in their case the effect is to awaken them instead of putting them to sleep, as would be the result with human beings. Also, the plants are made to grow with great rapidity, in or out of season, a fact of the greatest importance to gardeners and florists.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, May 10.—It may not be an impossibility to produce a tariff bill without arousing sensational rumors more or less scandalous in their nature in connection with its sugar schedule, but it hasn't been done for some years. The sugar scandal started when the Wilson tariff bill was in the Senate, and recently recalled by a Supreme Court decision which will compel broker Chapman, and perhaps others, to serve jail sentences, unless a Presidential pardon intervenes, ought to have been enough for a generation, but now the air is once more full of rumors about the sugar trust's connection with the sugar schedule of the amended Dingley tariff bill, now before the Senate. It is admitted by many who do not believe that there was any special intention to favor the sugar trust that the new sugar schedule does favor it, and that it, and the striking out of the clause declaring for a continuance of the reciprocity treaty with Hawaii, has been taken advantage of already to make a large sum of money by speculating in sugar. It is generally understood that many changes are to be made in the tariff bill as it now stands. Were it not for that understanding there would be an open revolt among republicans against many of its provisions. Even as it is, the leaders are having a hard time keeping the rank and file silent, and the task will become more difficult after the 18th of this month, when the bill will be taken up in the Senate for debate.

You cannot always tell how a Senator stands by the way he records his vote. It is known that several Senators who voted for the ratification of that arbitration treaty were much pleased at its rejection, and probable that their votes would have been cast against ratification had they been needed to reject the treaty.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Roosevelt will go to New York this week to make an investigation of a number of charges concerning favoritism and the dismissal of employees for political reasons in the navy yard at Brooklyn. Mr. Roosevelt's course will be watched with even more interest by the politicians who are classed as spoilsmen, than by those who call themselves civil service reformers, of whom Mr. Roosevelt has been a shining light. It is believed that this investigation will play an important part in the contest for the control of greater New York and its immense patronage, but which side is to be benefited is yet to be ascertained.

Probably the only case of its kind on record is the resignation from the Treasury Department of Mrs. Mary E. Wilcox, who in addition to being the widow of a Mississippi Congressman has the distinction of having been born in the White House. She resigned because she could not do her work to her own satisfaction, because of age and feeble health. Secretary Gage was so much impressed by her resignation to take effect the latest possible date—three months ahead—and gave her leave of absence with pay until that time.

Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee.

In its June number The Ladies' Home Journal will celebrate the Diamond Jubilee in a way distinctively its own. In an article by William George Jordan, entitled "What Victoria Has Seen," the reader will be taken on the British throne, and the marvelous panorama of the world's history for sixty years will pass before him. He will at a glance see the progress in art, science, invention, music, education; the great social reforms, the growth of nations and the advance of civilization. The whole story of the world's progress of the longest reign in English history will be vividly presented.

PENNSYLVANIA CAPITOL ARCHITECTURE.

The following architects have been selected by the building commission to prepare plans and specifications for the new capitol at Harrisburg, Pa.: George Edward Harding and Gooch, New York; Peabody and Stern, Boston; Alden and Harlow, Pittsburgh; James H. Warner, Lancaster, Pa.; Cope and Stewardson, Philadelphia, and Furness and Evans, Philadelphia.

It is seldom that the soil is made too rich for any kind of crop, but it is a common practice to attempt to grow on poor soil a crop that requires rich land. Whenever the farmer finds that he has an insufficiency of manure he should use fertilizers or the crop will reduce the plant food in the soil. It is the imperceptible loss every year that impoverishes the land, which may not be apparent until a total failure occurs some year, when the farmer may lose more than he gains.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, costiveness, or constipation, sour stomach, loss of appetite, coated tongue, indigestion, or dyspepsia, windy belchings, "heart-burn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels.

The fair under the auspices of the women of North Carolina was successfully opened at Charlotte.

A MAN in Washington who has for years been collecting newspaper accounts of railway accidents declares that no locomotive engineer ever came out alive from his third disaster. He does not insist that engineers are never killed in their first or second accidents, but he maintains that after a man has had two "close calls" he will, if wise, abandon railroading.

Out in California an experiment in drying potatoes as fruit is dried has proven successful. Four-fifths of the weight of the potato is removed, and in the dried form it has been found the product can be kept indefinitely. Here is a new industry that may work out important results.—American.

THERE are now about 900 camps of the United Confederate Veterans, and it is expected that the reunion in Nashville this summer will see assembled more ex-Confederates than have been gathered at any one time since the war.

WOOD ashes can be used to better advantage on clover fields than on any other crops, as the lime and potash of the ashes are the principal substances demanded by the clover plant.

NELLIE SMITH and Amanda White, colored, who confessed that they had attempted to poison the Kelly family at Jeff, Ala., were lynched.

Experience proves the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures all forms of blood diseases, tones the stomach, builds up the nerves.

The total number of persons who perished in the fire on the Malloy Line steamer Leona of the Delaware Breakwater Sunday is found to have been thirteen.

The convention of police chiefs, which is being held at Pittsburgh, pledged itself to work for the adoption of the Bertillon system of identifying criminals.

CASCARETS stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe. 10c.

The elections in the Province of Quebec, Canada, resulted in the complete overthrow of the conservative party and the success of the Liberals.

MORE than 3,000 delegates are attending the biennial session of the Order of Railway Conductors at Los Angeles, Cal.

The Kentucky State Senate passed a stringent law against mob violence.

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HEALTH NOTICE.

In view of the approaching heats of summer, the citizens of Emmitsburg are notified of the necessity of cleaning up their premises. No decaying vegetable or animal matter, or other refuse, should be permitted to accumulate upon their properties or in their cellars. All hog pens must be so kept and maintained as to be free from noisome and offensive smell; no offal, slops or other filth must be permitted to remain in, near or under the pens, or be drawn or drained into any pit or drain connected therewith. No manure heap must be allowed to accumulate in quantity greater than one ton before removal from the limits of the Town. All other outbuildings, including privies, &c., must be disinfected with lime and their offensive contents removed at short intervals. No filth of any description, whether animal or vegetable, must be thrown into any street, alley, road, lane or inclosure within the corporate limits.

The above regulations are condensed from the "Health Code for Towns and Villages" in present force in Maryland, and, upon complaint of their infraction, legal action will be promptly taken by the undersigned.

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We believe that our great success as distributors of DRY GOODS and our usefulness to this community, is not because of the fact that we carry twice and three times the amount of stock of other stores, but mainly because we are at all times looking for the lowest prices on the goods we buy and giving our customers the benefit.

As Dress Goods, both black and colored, are some of the articles most effected by the tariff changes—we bought at the lowest prices these goods ever touched at, when the importer was looking for business—and we shall make no raise until present stock is exhausted and we are compelled to pay the advance.

THE LEADERS. GETTYSBURG, - - PA.

OFFICE OF THE Board of School Commissioners FOR FREDERICK COUNTY. FREDERICK, MD.

A regular meeting of the Board of School Commissioners of Frederick County, Md., will be held at the Court House, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 24, 25 and 26, 1897. Trustees for all of the school districts will be appointed at this meeting. Teachers and patrons are hereby notified that the public schools will close on Thursday, April 30th, 1897. Teachers who desire to teach private schools must procure blank contracts from the office. Teachers' salaries will be paid on and after Saturday, May 15th.

By order, EPHRAIM L. BOBLITZ, Secretary. apr 9-5ts

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Notice to Creditors. THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of JOHN DUKEHART, late of said County deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber on or before the 15th day of October, 1897; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

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Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Sept. 27, 1896, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7.50 and 10.00 a. m. and 2.55 and 4.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.20 and 10.30 a. m. and 3.25 and 5.20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8.20 and 10.30 a. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8.55 and 11.10 a. m. and 4.01 and 7.04 p. m.

JAMES A. ELDER, Pres't.

A large number of cottages are being built at Blue Ridge Summit.

The Bottle of Sarsaparilla for 60 cents at T. E. ZIMMERMAN & Co's.

MILTON FICKINGER, of Sell's Station, Adams county, Pa., has a five-legged calf.

MR. JACOB A. LONG, residing at the West End of town, has built an addition to his house.

WM. C. ROBERICK has been commissioned postmaster at Daysville, Frederick county.

MR. NORMAN HOKE has sold his confectionery store to Mr. Wagner, of Taneytown.

LAWNS Grass Seed at T. E. ZIMMERMAN & Co's, Drug Store.

COLORED men are applying for places in the Naval Academy to succeed removed democrats.

JOHN JEFFERSON, a colored child, of Frederick, had his skull fractured by the kick of a mule.

JUDGE STARK has decided that turnpike companies have a right to keep their toll bars down.

MR. DANIEL SOUTER sent to the Chronicle a potato containing a small potato embedded in the old one.

The reassessment for Frederick county, including the work of the board of control and review, cost about \$19,200.

It is estimated that over \$40,000,000 a year is spent for fertilizing purposes in the United States.

There was a blighting frost Saturday in Washington county. Tomatoes, which are in bloom, and other tender vegetables were nipped.

MR. HARRY BEAM has commenced building a new house on the farm he recently purchased from Mr. George M. Rider.

The Literary Association of the Frederick has elected Associate Judge John A. Lynch president and John S. Newman treasurer.

The large monument recently erected on Antietam Battlefield by the Hawkins Zonaves will be dedicated with appropriate services May 29.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics will hold a festival in their Hall, at the West End of town, on Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening, May 21 and 22.

REV. OSCAR G. KLINGER, of Gettysburg College, will preach in the Lutheran Church, in this place, on next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

On the recommendation of Representative Baker, Drs. Seiss, Baer and Diller will be appointed pension examining surgeons for Carroll county by Commissioner of Pensions Evans.

Messrs. MORRISON & HOKE are remodeling the building they purchased recently from Misses Louise and Hallie Motter, preparatory to moving their marble works into it.

Residing on a turnpike between Thurmont and Franklin Mills are five persons whose ages combined, aggregate 433 years and some months, or an average of nearly 86.

The members of the M. E. Church will build a new church in this place, this summer. The work will begin about June 1. The new church will be erected on West Main Street, opposite the Chronicle office.

JAMES LOESBRAUGH, of Hagerstown, placed a setting of eggs under a hen, and from three of the eggs six little chicks were hatched. Two of the chicks from one of the eggs were dead, but the four from the other two eggs are as lively as any others of the brood.

The dwelling and several outbuildings of Benjamin Eyer, situated along the Pennsylvania Railroad at New Midway, Frederick county, were totally destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$800, with an insurance of \$500.

The Harrisburg Call of last Wednesday contains this item: "It is said that Representative Tipton, of Adams county, has his eye on the Senatorial nomination next year. He has made an excellent member and should be returned to the next House."

Smiles Irradiate the Countenance. When those atrocious bodily troubles, chills and fever, dyspepsia, kidney or rheumatic disorders, yield, as they invariably will, to the benign action of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a remedy of comprehensive use, pure in composition, unobtainable to a delicate palate, and thorough in effects. Sick headache, loss of appetite, flesh and sleep, nausea, heartburn, are among the physical annoyances obviated by the Bitters. They are in the nature of signals of distress displayed by a disordered stomach. Liver and bowels, and disappear with the cause that produced them. But these signals should be heeded at once. That fatal biliousness, chronic indigestion, which will speedily disappear, and vigor and comfort restore a cheerful aspect to the face. That fatal biliousness, chronic indigestion, which will speedily disappear, and vigor and comfort restore a cheerful aspect to the face. That fatal biliousness, chronic indigestion, which will speedily disappear, and vigor and comfort restore a cheerful aspect to the face.

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Jos. Wolf & Son's hay press at Union Bridge was burned early Friday morning, causing a loss of \$1,000. The building, a large frame structure, was owned by Geo. F. Buckley. The entire loss is covered by insurance.

Mr. James A. Hays died at Leitersburg, Washington county, Wednesday morning, of paralysis, aged sixty-seven years. He was in Hagerstown Tuesday and had a stroke of paralysis while walking on the street. In 1872 he was clerk to the Washington County Commissioners.

A LETTER has been received by P. A. Witmer, of Hagerstown, from a large manufacturing firm in Ohio, announcing their intention to send a representative to inquire into the feasibility of establishing a branch factory in Hagerstown. The concern has a large opera chair and school furniture factory.

The May term of the Circuit Court for Frederick County convened Monday morning at 10 o'clock with Associate Judge Lynch on the bench. After the docket had been called and various cases classified, Court adjourned until Tuesday at 9 o'clock.

HELMAN is selling dollar slippers at 50 cts., Cottonade and Cassimeres at at cost. Dress goods very cheap. Lap Robes, Belts, Ribbons. New style Fans. Black Silk Gloves and Mitts; 15 ct. Matting reduced to 12 1/2 cts.; 15 and 20 cent white goods to 10 cts.; Red Prints all the go. may 14-14s.

MR. I. S. ANNAN is having his house at the West End of town, which he vacated recently, torn down. This building is known as the "Annan Homestead," and was erected over one hundred years ago. Mr. Annan will erect a handsome new house, of modern architectural design, on the old site.

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

On next Sunday morning, the devotion of the forty hours will begin at St. Mary's Church. This is a popular devotion among Catholics, and it commemorates the forty hours that our Saviour reposed in the tomb. The Masses on Monday and Tuesday will be at 6 and 9 a. m.

This County School Commissioners have appointed the following school trustees for this district: Friendship School House, Henry Eyer, vice Adam H. Eyer, one to be supplied; Annandale School House, John M. Stouter, vice John K. Taylor, (deceased); Clearview School House, appointment deferred.

Rev. Dr. Simonton Resigns.

At a meeting of the Elders of the Presbyterian Church, of this place, held on last Saturday, Rev. Wm. Simonton, D. D., who has been pastor of that church for nearly twenty-four years, tendered his resignation. The resignation will take effect early in October next, after being acted upon by the Presbytery, which meets in that month.

If the weather is favorable a bicycle run to Gettysburg, Pa., will take place on Sunday next under the auspices of the Frederick Bicycle Club. The wheelmen will start from in front of the bicycle club at 6.30 o'clock sharp. They expect to join a number of century cyclists of Baltimore, who will also participate in a run to that place.

The reported destruction of the peach crop throughout the great South Mountain peach belt was premature. The growers expect a good crop; not so many, perhaps, as last year, but of a larger size and better quality. Mr. Frick, near Ringold, says he will have two thousand crates from an orchard which yielded none last year. Growers expect to realize as much money this year for their peach crop as they did in former seasons.

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Wm. Holtzman, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. Scott Holtzman, of Boonsboro, Tuesday evening was engaged in looking for his father and was riding one of the horses. The horse became frightened and dashed across the field throwing the boy under the harrow and dragging him some distance. He was badly cut about the head and his body bruised. The horse was also badly cut and the harness torn.

Dr. Henry J. Cozens, veterinary inspector for Washington county, has recently killed five cattle affected with tuberculosis. He says many farmers when they find their cattle have the disease quickly sell them off. Dr. Cozens thinks there can be done to stamp out tuberculosis until the Legislature passes a bill to recompense the farmers whose cattle are killed for being diseased.

Arthur Post, No. 41, G. A. R., have commenced their arrangements for Memorial Day which will be completed at their next meeting, on the 18th. The Post will attend Divine Services on Sunday before Memorial Day, as is their usual custom. The Memorial Sermon will be preached this year by Rev. M. H. Courtney, at Tom's Creek Methodist Church, at 2 p. m., on Sunday, the 23rd inst. The members of the Post will assemble at their Hall, in full uniform, at 12.30 p. m., sharp and proceed to Tom's Creek.

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Trinity Lutheran Church was organized in 1780 and is one of the oldest Lutheran churches in Carroll county. The remodeling was done under the direction of Dr. George T. Motter, Edward E. Reinollar, Jacob Sharretts, Daniel Null, George W. Baumgardner, Daniel H. Fair, and H. D. Meisinger. The dimensions of the church are now 67 by 85 feet, with a tower 90 feet high, in which is a 1,600-pound bell. The front is of pressed brick, with brownstone trimmings. The windows are of opalescent glass. Two immense windows, one at each end of the building, are gifts of the C. E. and Mite societies, respectively. The one contains a figure of Christ and the other a figure of Martin Luther. The pews and interior decorations are of polished oak. The basement contains a large Sunday-school room, a primary department, a reception room and library. The building is heated by steam. The most important feature of the furnishing of the church is the organ. It is of polished oak. It was presented by Dr. Samuel Swope, who has been a member of the congregation for over seventy years. The entire cost of remodeling and refurnishing the building, not including the organ, will be between \$16,000 and \$18,000. Dr. Daniel H. Fair, of Taneytown, was the builder and Rev. D. F. Gailand is the pastor.

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Between 5 and 6 o'clock Monday afternoon Charles Smith, colored, employed on the farm of Mr. John Butler, near Monrovia, this county, tenanted by Chas. W. Baker, was shot in the stomach and fatally injured by another colored man named Owen Bowie. The shooting was a deliberate and cold blooded act, committed in the presence of several other workmen who were powerless to interfere. At the time of the shooting Smith was engaged in dropping fertilizer on a field not more than two hundred yards from his home. While attending to his work Bowie appeared on the scene with an old army musket and apparently without any provocation leveled his gun at Smith and fired. The entire load of shot took effect in the pit of the unfortunate man's stomach, inflicting a wound of a most serious character. Coolly shouldering his gun, Bowie turned and walked away, stopping a short distance beyond and reloading the gun. Smith was picked up and carried to his home, and Drs. Clay and Hopkins of New Market, summoned. At 9 o'clock Monday night the injured man was pronounced by the physicians to be in a dying condition, but Tuesday morning he rallied, until 11 o'clock, when he passed away.

So far as known no cause can be assigned for the brutal killing. When Bowie approached Smith the former requested a chew of tobacco from a man named Chas. Toodle, who was standing between them. As soon as the latter moved to one side Bowie raised his gun, uttered a few words, and fired. Constable Lysander Etchison started Tuesday morning in search of Bowie.

The shooting is regarded as a premeditated murder by people of that section. When Bowie approached Smith he exclaimed: "You tried to poison me last winter, but you won't do it again." The murderer has not been captured, but there is every reason to believe that he will be caught. There has been no trouble between him and Smith and the only way his act can be accounted for is by the theory of insanity.

Smith, the victim of the shooting, was about 40 years old and leaves a wife and children. Bowie is about the same age.

Fire broke out on the third floor of the Rosenour Building, near the corner of Market and Patrick streets, Frederick, at about 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. The building adjoins the Citizens' National Bank on East Patrick, and the two upper stories are occupied by C. L. Diffendal & Co., wholesale grocers, as a warehouse.

The firemen succeeded in confining the fire to the third floor, and after half an hour's hard work, with several strong streams, extinguished it. The third floor of the building was stored with buckets, tubs, brooms and light woodware. Quantities of canned goods and other articles are stored on the second floor. A quantity of matches were said to be on the third floor, and near these the fire is said to have broken out. The entire third floor is a total wreck, and what was not damaged by fire was ruined by water.

The goods on the first and second floors were also damaged by water. The first floor is occupied by B. Rose-nour & Sons, clothiers, and is one of the largest retail stores in the city. The damage to the building is estimated at about \$1,000, but no estimate of loss has been placed upon the damage to the stock of goods. The loss on building and stock is covered by insurance.

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THE health officer of Hagerstown advises the removal of hog pens.

Dr. Allen Says Good-Bye. Rt. Rev. Dr. Edward P. Allen, Bishop elect of Mobile, has left Mt. St. Mary's College for Frederick, where he will make his retreat at the Jesuit Novitiate, preparatory to his consecration to the episcopacy at the Cathedral, Baltimore, next Sunday, May 16.

Dr. Allen's affection for the college, which he has directed during the past thirteen years, for his collaborators in the faculty and for the students, was manifest in his manner when leaving. The students assembled on the terraces and the College Band gave a serenade. In response to the cheers of the students Dr. Allen addressed a few words to them, thanking them for their expressions of good-will and asking that they continue to remember him in their prayers.

Since Easter Dr. Allen has been given a number of tokens of esteem by the faculty and students. The faculty presented to him a pectoral cross, with an address, expressive of admiration and regard, and with congratulatory resolutions, beautifully engrossed on vellum. The seminarians presented a crozier and an address; the senior students gave a pair of gold oil-stocks and candelabra, also a basin and ewer, and the juniors gave several pairs of gloves, to be used in episcopal functions. The Sisters of Charity of the mother-house, St. Joseph's Academy, Emmitsburg, presented to Dr. Allen a mitre and rochet.

Rev. William L. O'Hara, vice-president of the college, is now in charge of it. He has been connected with the college the past nine years. Father O'Hara was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. He entered the college in April, 1879, graduated in the class of '82, received the degree of master of arts in 1885, and after making his theological studies was ordained to the priesthood in 1887. After his ordination he was connected with St. Charles Borromeo's Church, Brooklyn, until October, 1888, when he returned to Mt. St. Mary's as a professor. Since his return to the college Father O'Hara has taught Latin, Greek, philosophy, church history and sacred Scripture. At present he is filling the chairs of metaphysics and moral theology. Besides teaching he has also been intimately connected with the management of affairs. He was treasurer from 1889 to 1892 and in 1893 he succeeded Rev. Dr. John J. Tierney in the office of vice-president, which position he has held since.

Rev. Bernard J. Bradley will for the present fill the office of treasurer. Father Bradley's birthplace is East Braintree, Mass. After his graduation from the Braintree High School he entered Mt. St. Mary's and finished his collegiate course in 1888, receiving the degree of A. M. two years later. He entered the seminary, pursued the course in theology and was ordained in Baltimore by Bishop Curtis in 1892. Father Bradley spent some time in missionary duties in the Diocese of Brooklyn, to which he belongs. He returned to the college as professor of Latin and Greek.

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Two men were at a table overlooking Michigan avenue. They were unmistakably from some place in the west.

The one who was reading stopped and said: "I'll be doggoned if Sam Stone ain't dead."

"Hain't thought of it 30 year, Cy," replied the old man opposite him.

"Jim, you're getting wind wasted. Getting old. Fellows like you and me can't whistle. Better hum it, Jim."

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When thoroughly dissolved, throw in a few crystals of hyposulphite of soda, which will at first form a brown precipitate, but which becomes redissolved if enough hyposulphite has been added.

The solution is now complete. Take a sponge, dip it in the solution and rub it over the work to be plated.

A solution of gold may be made in the same way and applied as described. A concentrated solution of either gold or silver may be used for work that has been worn off by applying it with a camel's hair brush and touching it with a strip of zinc.

Now and then Chicago draws a chap in the great shuffle of life. The other day one arrived here from an inland town who had a few points to spare in his trunk.

He took up his residence in an aristocratic family hotel, where he appeared religiously each night at a 7 o'clock dinner in the evening dress of a second class swell.

But the good impression awakened by the chastity of the newcomer's appearance in the ineffable bosom and tie was obscured by his attempt to order his dinner in as much French as he deemed would be intelligible.

"Garcon! Garcon!" called out the oriental one, but little William stood, with his heavy, seal-like eyes rolled upward and his great paws crossed solemnly over his brass buttoned jacket.

"I say, then, garcon, won't you bring me—ah—"

"Some brains, William, for this chap," growled an apoplectic man on the other side of the room.

Experience has made the men of the fruit stands covetous in handling coin above the size of a 10 cent piece.

The larger pieces they will test upon the pavement or sink their teeth into in a tentative fashion. It is to be noted, however, that whenever a customer makes a penny purchase they pocket his change without scanning it—almost hastily indeed.

For one thing, nobody counterfeits the cent piece; it is too cheap. For another thing, the fruit dealer knows that no man of small denomination is passing into his hands.

Englishmen returning home after long residence in the colonies are often amused and puzzled by some of our antiquated forms and ceremonies.

The program consisted of essays—declarations and some dialogues, and scattered along through the program was music by the band.

"It all comes back to me now, Cy. But all I can remember is the tune and the first two lines."

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascarat, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

CHILDREN'S EYES.

A PHYSICIAN ON THE IMPORTANCE OF CARING FOR THEM.

Dispositions Sometimes Affected by Trouble of the Eyesight—Benefits of Using Properly Adjusted Glasses—Valuable Advice to Parents.

About two years ago a lady brought two of her sons, aged respectively 9 and 11, to me to have their eyes examined.

After making a careful examination I prescribed glasses for the older one, but told the mother that the younger one did not need them at the present time.

This child is one of many thousands in our schools today who are having their dispositions ruined and are called dull and stupid by their parents and teachers through no fault of their own.

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FOR STARTING THE FIRE.

The Use to Which the Fisherman Puts His Discarded Nets.

In the majority of households an old newspaper is the material most commonly used to start a fire, and the adjustment of this material is a matter of considerable art.

When a net gets tender, so that it is likely to burst when a body of kelp or seaweed floats against it in a tide way, it is condemned for many a week, but look all right, but it doesn't pay to take any risks with it.

This netting has been tarred again and again with fine, thin tar and it is thoroughly saturated. The net may be 6 feet deep, a length of 10 feet, and the roll is then flattened down.

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AN ARMLESS WONDER.

William Kingston, an English farmer, was born without arms, but nevertheless made such good use of his feet that he could do with them almost anything that was done by a person with hands.

Resident—Colonel, let me caution you to drink no water while in town unless it is spring water or has been thoroughly boiled.

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