

The Weekly Chronicle.

STERLING GALT, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

ESTABLISHED OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY

TERMS—\$1.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

VOL. XXXI

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND, FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1910

NO. 48

PRIMARY BILL NOW A LAW

BLAIR LEE'S MEASURE

Direct Primary Applies to
Eighteen Counties

PROVIDES ENVELOPE SYSTEM

No Candidates Can Escape Its Provisions.—Applies to State Central Committee and Delegates to Convention.

The Lee Primary Election Law Bill is now a law. Governor Crothers signed it on Monday.

The law provides a mandatory direct primary in Baltimore city and all of the counties of the State except Worcester, Howard, Washington, Somerset and Wicomico.

Provided in the law is an envelope system whereby the voter is permitted to mark his ballot outside of the election booth, but he must deposit it in the envelope in secrecy within the election booth. The envelope plan applies only to the counties.

No candidate can escape the provisions of the law; it even applies to State central committeemen and to delegates to State conventions and in this way effects politicians and the organization.

The bill was passed as a substitute for the Straus Direct Primary bill, and while the Governor preferred the Straus bill, he believes that the Lee bill establishes in this State direct nominations for all parties.

The Baltimore News editorially says:

The Lee primary law signed by Governor Crothers yesterday is far from being a redemption of the party pledge on this issue, but it is an advance over the present plan.

The Lee bill provides for an envelope system of voting in the primaries in the in the counties—not in the city—which does away with secrecy and would seem to work to the advantage of the machine. The envelopes being given out in advance, political workers can go about before the primary election is held and mark the ballots of people whom they are uncertain about. The ballot may be changed by the voter, however, and it is actually cast secretly. Senator Lee has been an enthusiastic advocate of this system, and while there are manifest objections to it, and while its acceptance by the Legislature was due to the fact that it had to give the people some kind of primary bill, it is a step forward.

The best feature of the bill is that it gives the voters in each party in both city and counties opportunity to select not only their candidates but also State Central Committeemen and ward and county executives.

WILSON'S TEACHING IS
"DAMNABLE" SAY PROFESSOR

Illinois Man Blames Secretary of Agriculture for False Doctrines Which Mislead Farmers.

Characterizing the teachings of Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson as "damnable," "abominable" and "disgraceful," Professor Cyril G. Hopkins of the University of Illinois delivered an address at the City Club, Chicago, and ended by saying that the secretary "is an unscientific man."

"Practically all soils contain sufficient plant food to produce good crop yields; this supply will be indefinitely maintained."

"So far as the present outlook is concerned, the nation possesses ample resources in its soil for any conceivable increase in population for several centuries."

After he had ascribed these and other similar quotations to Secretary Wilson, Professor Hopkins said:

"Can you blame the farmers for continuing to wear out their land when these are the teachings promulgated from the highest authority in the United States? And these false teachings are the more damnable because the common soil type of the abandoned farms in Maryland, only a few miles from Washington, contain only 160 pounds of phosphorus in the ploughed soil on an acre, while the richest black prairie soil of Illinois, with a value exceeding \$200 an acre, contains more than 2000 pounds of Phosphorus in the same stratum."

As a remedy for the rapid wearing out of farms, Professor Hopkins suggested pulverized phosphorus rock, such as is to be found on the public domain.

Two hundred names from the jury wheel were drawn Saturday at Kansas City, Mo., from which to select a jury to try Dr. B. C. Hyde on the charge of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope. The trial began on Monday.

Secretary Ballinger has been sued by three homesteaders of Oregon.

DIGGES BILL VETOED

Governor Has Disapproved
Radical Measure

CROTHERS' ACTION IS POPULAR

Supreme Court Decision Wanted on the Application of Fifteenth Amendment to State Elections.

Governor Crothers has disapproved of the Digges bill and although he has always thought the granting of the unrestricted right of suffrage to Negroes "a dreadful blunder," yet he withheld his signature from the latest attempt of the Democratic legislators to disfranchise them. His signature has been withheld from four of the group of Digges bills. There remains one measure: The constitutional amendment disfranchising all Negroes except those who own \$500 worth of property.

His veto, were it given, would not be operative, in this case as it does not need his signature. By the provision of the act it must be placed before the people at the election of November 1911.

In the meantime the Governor will institute, through the office of Attorney-General Straus, legal proceedings to secure from the Supreme Court of the United States a decision as to the application of the Fifteenth Amendment to State and municipal elections.

If the Supreme Court decides that the Fifteenth Amendment applies to municipal, State and Federal elections and "the right of any citizen to vote" cannot be abridged at any of these elections on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude the amendment passed by the Legislature will then be dead. Although it must be placed before the people, according to the legislative enactment, even if ratified by the people it would be legally inoperative. Its presence on the ticket would therefore be perfunctory.

On the contrary, if the Supreme Court decided that the Fifteenth Amendment applies only to Federal elections and not to the city and State elections, the proposed Maryland amendment would be a live issue and go before the people on its merits. If ratified, it would exclude from the polls, at State and city elections, all Negroes who cannot qualify by possessing \$500 worth of property.

PAYNE-ALDRICH TARIFF
LAW GIVES A SURPLUS

Messrs. Payne, Dalzell and Boutell Jubilant Over the Showing.—It Amounted to \$122,000 Friday.

Chairman Sereno E. Payne of the House ways and means committee and Representatives John Dalzell of Pennsylvania and Henry S. Boutell of Illinois, members of the committee, are jubilant over the fact that on Friday, for the first time since the Payne-Aldrich bill tariff act went into effect, August 5, 1909, the net ordinary receipts of the government showed a surplus over the net ordinary expenditures. It amounted to \$122,000, of which \$100,000 came from the new corporation tax. "We have crossed the rubicon," they said.

"Subtracting from this sum the \$100,000 received on account of the corporation tax," said Mr. Boutell, "which is in litigation, we have a net surplus of \$22,000, in round numbers, which is absolutely gilded. It should be borne in mind," he continued, "that this surplus has been attained in the face of most extraordinary expenditures, the principal of which was made on account of the Panama canal. During the period in question \$22,000,000 has been paid out of the general fund for the construction of the canal, and that will be reimbursed by bonds."

Midshipman Wilson Dying.

Earl D. Wilson, the young man who was injured in a football game between the Naval Academy and Villanova last fall, is growing weaker all the time. He lies unconscious in the Navy Hospital at Annapolis. His death is expected almost at any time. Though his head and the upper part of the neck are not affected by the paralysis, the young man is so weak and his general condition is such that to change his position in bed, which heretofore has been somewhat of a relief to him, now seriously disturbs him, and no attempt is made to do so. He enjoys only brief periods of consciousness, and then he can scarcely speak.

More Money For Montevue.

Those in charge of Montevue Hospital want an increase in the appropriation for the maintenance of the institution. The \$11,000 a year is altogether inadequate to the needs made by the increasing number of patients.

General Wood is in Cuba.

RUMORS AND NEWS OF CAPITAL

A SHAKE-UP IN CABINET THOUGHT IMMINENT

Sentiment Prevalent That Good-Natured President Needs a Loeb in His Family

COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT A MATTER OF IMMEDIATE CONCERN

The Vatican Incident and Its Bearing on Politics.—What Will Happen When Rough Rider Lands at New York?—Popular Opinion May Compel Ex-President to Reshape His Political Plans.—Taft Administration in Deep Water.

Washington is full of rumors of a shake-up in the President's Cabinet. These of course are denied but they will not down. Republicans find it hard to believe that the Democratic members of the President's household can long remain and no one would be surprised to see a gradual elimination of these members.

The sentiment seems to be that Taft needs a Loeb in his Cabinet. The President's engaging good nature, his candor need a counterbalance and William Loeb, Jr., would exactly fill the bill.

Political discussion largely deals with the prominent figure so big on the Eastern horizon. Former President Roosevelt and his doings abroad are matters of immediate concern. In particular, says the correspondent for a prominent daily, attention has been given to the question how far the Vatican incident is likely to injure or promote Mr. Roosevelt's popularity in this country, and what bearing it will have upon his political status after his return. Although for a day or two after the news of the incident was made known, the general impression seemed to be that the incident would greatly injure the ex-President's popularity, there has been a decided reversal of opinion on this point, and to-day there is an almost united belief that Mr. Roosevelt has improved rather than injured his standing with the great masses of the population. This conviction has certainly been far from pleasant to those who are frightened by what they call the "Roosevelt danger," and yet they are being compelled to admit the force of the facts. It is impossible to deny any longer that the present national administration is looking forward with the most eager expectation and with a very substantial degree of apprehension to the arrival of the ex-President. This, it should be added, is a feeling which apparently does not rest simply upon an idea of what Mr.

Roosevelt himself is expected to do. It is rather based upon fear as to what popular opinion will compel the ex-President to do, more or less independent of his own volition. At all events, there is likely to be an almost complete reshaping of political plans and prospects pending the ex-President's arrival, many steps and determinations being held in abeyance until it can be seen what Mr. Roosevelt's return home may indicate.

That the Taft administration is in very deep water and that almost any step it takes is likely to be productive of results that will mark it as a mistake is seen in the Indianapolis incident. The President's cancellation of the Indianapolis date was undoubtedly due, just as has been suggested, to his dislike of the outcome of the Republican state convention. The repudiation of this explanation and the partial or tentative restoration of the former plan of stopping at Indianapolis has in the minds of some politicians been a decided error in judgment because of the alleged vacillation shown by the executive in thus altering his program. It can be positively stated that the President was advised by some, even of those who had preferred that he should retain Indianapolis upon his list, not to restore it to the itinerary because of the appearance that such a change would produce. It is unquestionably the feeling of the President that he is now definitely committed to the defense of the Payne-Aldrich tariff, and must protect it against all critics. Nevertheless the signs of the times have been so threatening of late as to warn even the President and his advisers that they have gone too far in their effort to support the tariff before the country at large. It is the opinion of some of the best students of the situation that, if the matter were to be dealt with over again, the President would take quite a different position from that which he has assumed since the Payne-Aldrich law went into effect.

SEASON'S OPENED "PLAY BALL"

The baseball season opened yesterday. That is the big leagues began playing off their schedule for 1910. From now until October the race for the pennant in each of the major leagues will occupy a large share of the attention of the people. Will Pittsburgh make it two straight? Will Detroit make it four straight or will Chicago, Cincinnati, New York or some other city have the honor? These are the questions of all importance to the fans.

Tommy Clark, a recognized authority on such subjects, says that the Pittsburgh Pirates are every bit as strong as last year, and if nothing unforeseen happens they will cop again.

The Cubs are not as strong as they were in 1908 even though Kling has been reinstated. And another thing is that this great baseball machine is not running as smoothly as it did a few years ago. McGraw has been working hard trying to whip together a pennant combination for the last two years and has corralled several crack youngsters that he hopes will fill up the weak spots on the team. Clark Griffith and his great band of youngsters will be in the hunt all season. Taken all in all, the fight for the banner should be a good one.

Clark further comments that the team which looks strongest on paper is often away behind on the diamond. Concerning Pittsburgh the popular opinion has it that the team's strength is in three men, the three veterans, Manager Fred Clark, Hans Wagner and Tommy Leach, all of whom have been on the Pittsburgh team for the last ten years. It is true that these men are all veterans and that sooner or later they must pass from the scene of diamond activities. But the prophets are going a step too far when they declare that this season may see the last of these players. They evidently forget that Leach led the National league run getting in 1909, that Wagner was the leading batsman for the seventh time during his career and that Clarke not only hit well and scored a lot of runs, but that he was the leading outfielder in the older organization.

Of course there is no contention as to the right of Wagner, Clarke and Leach to be called stars. Taken individually they are three of the grandest ball players that ever donned uniforms. Taken collectively they form a trio which has no equal in the game to-day. Their abilities, considered from any angle, stamp them as indispensable to the Pittsburgh team, and if all three were to disappear from the [baseball horizon at the same time, it would be a blow to the Pittsburgh team from which it would require years to recover.

Tommy Clark calls the New York team "the one big 'if' club of the National league." It has more uncertainties and possibilities than any outfit in the league.

Of the American league the Detroiters ought to make it four straight this season. Taken as a general proposition, it looks like another Tiger flag.

The Detroit pitchers are a fairly good set who won because of the great batting behind them. They are not the sort of pitchers who can gallantly carry a team on their hurling skill, the way the White Sox slabs have often had to do, but are men who would founder if the batting support should ever weaken.

The Tigers have won without great catchers, instead of being piloted to victory by the backstops, as was the case with Pittsburgh and Chicago. A Kling or a Gibson back of the plate for Jennings would have clinched the pennant by so large a margin that the race would have been a joke. The Tiger catchers are only ordinary, and should they retrograde a little further the team would be in heavy seas indeed.

Connie Mack has a combination that is about the hardest to beat in the American league.

Washington may be depended on to maintain its place in the league. The exponents of the national game at the national capital are the most consistent team in either league: they invariably lose. The senators may be reckoned on as leaders at the other end.

REHEAR TRUST CASES

Supreme Court in Tobacco and Standard Oil Suits

NO DATE ASSIGNED FOR HEARING

Not to Be Reargued This Session.—Sudden Death of Justice Brewer or Even Division May Be Cause.

Without assigning reasons for its action the Supreme Court of the United States has announced that it has decided to rehear the noted anti-trust cases of the Government against the American Tobacco Company and the Standard Oil Company. As yet no date has been set for the reargument.

Opinions differ respecting the reasons for the action of the court, and, in the absence of authoritative announcement, any cause assigned must be accepted as wholly speculative. But the important fact remains that these great cases upon which the administration of President Taft had been counting so strongly cannot be reargued during the present session of the court, and that the final judgment of the Supreme Court cannot be learned until after the coming Congressional elections.

The court will adjourn for the summer on May 30. It will be manifestly impossible for the case to be set for argument during the interim, as the time of the court will be taken up during the next six weeks with the continuation of the argument of cases already assigned, and about the middle of May the court will take its usual May recess, during which period it will have its routine conferences for the purpose of formulating opinions on cases already in hand. At the end of May this recess will end, the court will meet once, announce its decisions and adjourn for the summer.

The sudden and unexpected death of Justice Brewer is generally believed to have been the immediate cause of the action taken by the court. Whether the court is of the opinion that there should be more than seven members joining in the decision to be rendered in cases of such vital importance to the nation, or because the exchange of opinion among members of the court had disclosed the fact that the court was nearly evenly divided over the verdict to be rendered in each case, is a conjecture.

DOUGLAS THE SHOE MAN
FINDS FAULT WITH TARIFF

Business Unrest Due to Too Much Meddling by Government.—Dissatisfied With Tariff Revision.

Ex-Governor of Massachusetts William L. Douglas, whose business interests are so large and whose perspicacity, especially in business affairs, is universally acknowledged, in an interview on business conditions declared that industrial inactivity and unrest in many sections of the country are due to the tariff revision and dissatisfaction in general with the Administration at Washington.

Mr. Douglas said: "Business in general, throughout the country is in a state of unrest; there is not the confidence there should be in the Administration. The Government is meddling too much with the business of the people. The new tariff is far from satisfactory and there are other conditions that touch the people, giving them less confidence than we could wish. Many business interests are waiting for the decision to be rendered on the steel and tobacco trusts. If this decision when made is not too strongly in favor of the Government interests and through them against the manufactures of the country we are likely to see business conditions throughout the country in much worse shape. There is too much meddling."

Pittsburgh May Try Commission.

A committee on municipal affairs of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce which has spent over a year in thorough study of the local situation and of experiments made elsewhere, will report to the chamber next week in favor of a commission form of government for Pittsburgh. The movement has no direct connection with the graft exposure. Those conversant with the investigation say that the commission will cost the city about \$100,000, while the new form of government, it is claimed, would save a municipality the size of Pittsburgh about \$2,000,000 a year.

Reulbach Has Diphtheria.

According to a message received by Manager Chance of the "Cubs," from Mrs. Reulbach, Pitcher "Ed" Reulbach is down with diphtheria and will be unable to report to the team for some time. He is now at his home in St. Louis, where he went when his child was attacked by the same disease.

Richmond postoffice was again robbed.

FOREST FIRES OF THE WEEK

STATE LOSES HEAVILY

Timber Lost in Mountains
Near Emmitsburg

ST. MARY'S COUNTY THREATENED

Buena Vista Woods Ablaze.—Gallant Work of Women Near Leonardtown Saves Valuable Property and Homes.

On Sunday fire broke out on the mountains near the reservoir and burned all afternoon and night and the next day and night. Much valuable timber was destroyed. Between here and Thurmont several other fires also did considerable damage.

From all parts of the mountain blazes big and little have kept the atmosphere hazy and the mountain people extremely anxious. Up near Fairfield the big trestle where the Baltimore and Harrisburg division of the Western Maryland crosses Tom's Run was partly destroyed. One hundred feet of the structure were burned.

At Beartown 500 acres of timber and a large quantity of cordwood together with other valuable lumber was destroyed. At or near Wolfsville to the east of Smithsburg fifty acres were burned over. The Washington County Water Company's new reservoir at Edgemont was surrounded by forest fires but fortunately they were put out before much damage was done.

Children playing "Indian" are responsible for the big blaze near Buena Vista that at one time threatened to destroy the big hotel at that place.

Hundreds of acres of timberland in Prince George's county were destroyed. Small settlements and some railroad property were wiped up by the fire. The damage there will likely reach up in the thousands of dollars.

In St. Mary's county the worst forest fires in its history burned over 5,000 acres. The loss is fully \$100,000. Mr. E. H. Rowe, of this place, owns extensive timber land in St. Mary's county. Mr. Rowe is now there getting out lumber.

Under the direction of State Forester Beasley 500 men, women and children finally succeeded in getting the fires under control. For twenty-four hours women stood shoulder to shoulder with their husbands and their efforts saved St. Mary's county from almost total devastation. The ground was plowed for miles, and when the fire reached the furrows it was prevented from spreading. Clearances were made in unburned woodland and all methods known in fighting forest fires were used.

ALL PARIS PAPERS ARE
WRITING ABOUT ROOSEVELT

French Newspapers Complimentary to the Great Hunter.—More About the Vatican Incident.

The leading Paris newspapers are devoting much space to the former President, Col. Roosevelt. The Figaro published a two-column sketch of Mr. Roosevelt, in which it lauds his wonderful energy, versatility, democracy and honesty; and at the same time prints a review of his visit to Rome, in which the opinion is expressed that his conduct in that city offered a striking proof of his tolerance, broadness of mind, independence of spirit and high sense of honor. "It is easy to understand," says the paper, "that many Americans consider the attitude of the Vatican which prevented their great compatriot from doing an act of courtesy to the pontiff, as an offense against their patriotism and their country."

The Matin, discussing what it terms "the inside" papal intransigence, says that some ecclesiastics feel that Cardinal Merry del Val acted in accord with Cardinal Gibbons and other prominent American Catholics, with the secret object of preventing Mr. Roosevelt from winning new prestige in the eyes of American Catholics through a papal audience. Nevertheless, the paper insists that the general conviction, and especially that of the cardinals, is that the papal secretary alone was responsible for the "great blunder."

Mrs. Mary Ogston Robeson, widow of George Maxwell Robeson, who was secretary of the navy under President Grant and later a member of Congress, died at her home in Washington Saturday. Mrs. Robeson was a native of Baltimore and for many years was prominently identified with the social circles of the national capital.

Everything is being done to pass the Administration Railroad bill now before Congress and favorable action is looked for by the first of May.

I have on hand the largest supply of

ICE

I ever stored. Customers supplied with any quantity.

ICE CREAM

for Festivals and Private Entertainments.

GEO. E. CLUTZ.

Jan 14-10-17

Buff Clover Seed
Sapling and Alske Seeds
FEED AND MACHINERY
IN STOCK
WEYBRIGHT'S
THURMONT, MD.
aug 20-26-15

PEARRE'S
MODERN PHARMACY
Albert L. Pearre
FREDERICK, - MARYLAND
TELEPHONES { Maryland 186
C. & P. 101R
June 25-17

EMMITSBURG
HOME BAKERY,
Rosensteel & Hemler
Proprietors

BREAD, ROLLS,
CAKES, PIES

WEDDING and BIRTHDAY CAKES
Made to Order

CREAM PUFFS, CHOCOLATE
ECLAIRS, MACAROONS
and LADY FINGERS
A SPECIALTY.

Nov 1 00.

MATTINGS

Many Different Patterns.

Window Shades

Large and Excellent Stock.

FURNITURE

Well Made and Attractive Design.

Wall Paper

Selection can be made from stock instead of Sample Book. From 5 cents a roll up.

E. E. Zimmerman

Furniture Dealer
ON THE SQUARE

Trees, Trees at Killing PRICES

For a short time only, Locust and Catalpa, (Speciosa) \$3 to \$5 per thousand, Privet Hedging \$12 to \$15 per thousand, Asparagus, 2 year Plants at \$3 per thousand. Millions of Berry Plants, Trees, Vines, etc. Stock highest quality. Sprayers and Lime Sulphur Solution. Write to-day for special list. Address,

THE WESTMINSTER NURSERY,
Jan 14-3m WESTMINSTER, MD.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

HAVE your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by George T. Eyster who warrants the same and has always on hand a large stock of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware.

GETTYSBURG

Rev. (?) C. G. Parker would be welcomed back to Gettysburg by a great many people. So anxious are they to renew their acquaintance with the erstwhile postgraduate student of theology that they have engaged Detective Wilson as a committee of one, to escort him back wherever he may be found.

Parker a good talker and of becoming mien, was favorably received by the people of town and he thought so much of them in turn that he became very much attached to them. (About \$400 worth of attachment.) In regular attendance at Seminary classes it was presumed that Parker intended to become a minister. Last week he left town and people began to cash up. His landlady, who congratulated herself when she learned of his departure that she had been paid for her kind attention to his inner man, found herself the proud possessor of a check for \$20, for which she had paid \$15 in the shape of change; his tailor also holds a check as does the "butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker," as well as the bank. Mr. Parker got rid of about \$400 worth of paper—high class stationery.

Mr. Chas W. Stock, of this place, was married in St. Aloysius Catholic church Littlestown, at 7.30 Tuesday morning, to Miss Mary M. Starr, of that place. The ceremony, which was very quiet, being attended by only relatives and a few friends, was performed by Rev. Father Mark E. Stock, brother of the groom.

The attendants were Miss Starr, sister of the bride, and Mr. Joseph Stock, brother of the groom.

Miss Star is a most estimable lady, well known and well liked. Mr. Stock is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stock, of this place, a graduate of Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, and now holds a position in the Gettysburg National Bank.

After a ten days' wedding trip they will reside in this place.

On Saturday evening a reception was given the patrons and friends of the store of G. W. Weaver and Son, which was largely attended. The Citizens Band furnished music.

A dance was given in Xavier Hall on Wednesday evening by the Citizens Band.

A Sunday school rally of the schools comprising the first district of Adams county was held in the College Church Monday evening. Mr. H. T. Weaver, district president, had charge of the meeting. Miss Robison was present and gave some very valuable information, giving a plan for every phase of the work. Mr. J. L. Taylor had charge of the music. The meeting was closed with the benediction by Rev. Baker, of St. James Church.

At the April meeting of the Borough Council last Tuesday evening, Capt. Charles G. Miller was elected market master, to take charge of the curb market to be opened on May 1st.

Mr. Miller's duties will comprise the management of the market, assignments of and collection of rents for stalls, etc.

Mr. Charles Sheely and Miss Zona Hess were quietly married at the St. James parsonage last Thursday evening, by Rev. Jos. B. Baker. The attendants were Miss Lindora Ramer and Mr. Walter Ziegler.

Mr. Sheely is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheely and is in the employ of the P. and R. R. Both Mr. Sheely and his wife, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hess, are well known young people of town. They immediately went to their furnished home on York street, where a supper was held for the bridal party and immediate relatives.

On last Wednesday evening, promptly at eight o'clock, a very pretty, though quiet home wedding, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. McClellan, on West Middle Street, the principals being their eldest daughter, Miss Hattie R., and Mr. Rufus H. Bushman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bushman, of Steinwehr avenue.

The ceremony was performed in the front parlor of the McClellan, home, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion, the colors being white and pink, with a beautiful array of potted plants, ferns and palms. Miss Rosellian Gilbert, cousin of the bride, presided at the organ, rendering the Mendelssohn wedding march, while the bridal party entered, preceded by Miss Mildred Gilbert and Master Charles McClellan, as ribbon bearers; Miss Vivian Gilbert, of Chambersburg, a cousin of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Mr. Morris W. Stansbury was best man. They were met by Rev. D. W. Woods, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, of which the bride is a member, who united them in wedlock, using the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony of that church.

The bride was handsomely attired in a gown of white nun's veiling, and carried a large bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor wore an evening gown of pink cashmere de loie, trimmed in pearls, and carried pink carnations. The groom wore the customary black, and the best man black coat and

grey trousers. The ribbon bearers were attired in white.

Immediately following the ceremony a luncheon was served. The wedding was a very quiet and unassuming one, being attended by only the immediate families of the bride and groom and grandparents of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of the Gettysburg High School and a most popular young lady, having a large number of friends which fact was attested by the many remembrances received by her. The groom is the proprietor of the Chambersburg Street clothes hospital, which testified to his popularity by the amount of signs and placards adjoining it on the morning following this auspicious occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bushman have taken up their residence at their newly furnished home—163 East York street.

FRIENDS' CREEK.

Rev. Dr. Charles Reinwald and wife, of Emmitsburg, visited Mrs. C. Hardman, of this place, who is ill.

Misses Lena Stone and Rhoda Kipe, took a pleasure trip to Blue Ridge and the State Sanatorium at Sabillasville, on Saturday.

Miss Mary Gallion is slightly improved.

Dr. B. F. Carril, of the State Sanatorium, spent Friday with his family.

Those who called at the home of Mrs. C. Hardman on Sunday were: Mr. R. L. Eyler and son, Fleet, Mrs. B. F. Carril and daughter, Hilda, Mrs. Cora Faulstich and daughter, Mildred, Misses Lena Stone and Rhoda Kipe, Mrs. Albert Anderson and son Calvin.

Rev. Mr. D. C. Eyler, of Fountaindale and Rev. Mr. Hummelbaugh, of Fairfield, spent Sunday with Mr. W. H. Kipe.

Messrs. Earle Kipe and Paul Eyler, of Cascade, were the guests of Mr. R. L. Eyler on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Marker, of near Fountain Dale, visited Mr. E. C. Shriner on Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Zimmerman and daughter, Flora, of Waynesboro, spent Sunday here.

Mr. George Knott, and Mrs. L. C. Harbaugh, of Sabillasville, visited Mrs. H. Zimmerman.

Mrs. W. H. Kipe made a business trip to Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

TANEYTOWN

Mrs. Mary L. Motter spent the past week with Mrs. George Motter.

The Misses Eliza and Eleanor Birnie were the guests of Mrs. Ord, of Cherry Chase.

Miss Edna Calvert went to Baltimore on Monday evening on her way to Lexington, Va.

The Women's Exchange opened on Saturday under very favorable conditions. A great many delicious eatables were for sale as well as many pretty fancy articles.

The Lutheran Junior C. E. Society held a social on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Josephine Reindollar.

Miss Amelia Annan is spending some time in Frederick.

The Misses Gettier and Mills are the guests of Mrs. Horner Hill.

Mrs. James Sappington and son and Miss Eva Sappington, of Liberty, are the guests of Mrs. George Roelkey.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Roop were in Baltimore for the day.

Mr. G. W. Baumgardner has returned from his Winter travels.



BUNGALOONA, where Col. Roosevelt shot his first lion. The exact spot is directly west of the middle tree, a little N. N. E. of the pink rock. The lion may be observed eating a tripe sandwich and may be easily distinguished from the trees by the green umbrella he carries.

WANTED AT ONCE.

—A middle aged man of experience and good habits to take charge of a well established Plumbing and Tinware business. Splendid proposition. Liberal arrangements. Must be well recommended. Address Z, 4-8-1f CHRONICLE OFFICE.

For the Canary Bird.

Seed 10c., sand 5c., cuttlefish 5c., bird manna 15c., bird tonic 25c. Cages, seed and water cups etc. McCordell's. apr. 15-2t.

ACROSS THE LINE

Fairfield—Ruth Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders, died of pneumonia on April 4th after being ill about a week, aged four years, nine months and sixteen days. The funeral was held on the 6th. The interment was made in the Fairfield Union Cemetery. Rev. Mr. E. W. Stonebraker officiated.

On Monday Superintendent H. Milton Roth examined the senior class of the High School.

Mrs. Joseph Scott has moved to Fairfield.

Mr. Mark Bishop has moved to near Waynesboro.

A new barn is being erected on the James Cunningham place.

Mr. James W. Moore has had concrete steps laid in front of his house on Water street.

A porch is being built at one end of the house recently purchased by the Lutheran Church from Susan Sullivan.

Dr. J. E. Glenn will soon build an office adjoining his dwelling house.

A deer came to town last Sunday; the Sabbath quiet attracting the timid animal. A few hours after it was found dead along the Furnace road. Other animals have survived a visit to Fairfield so it is surmised that some other cause led to its death.

Miss Clara Musselman spent last week in Gettysburg with her brother, Dr. J. E. Musselman.

Mr. Harry Lowe spent Sunday in Smithburg.

Mr. Henry Keener, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday at his former home.

Miss Dorie Herr came to Fairfield last week. She will spend the Summer here.

The triennial assessment for Adams county has been completed. The assessment will increase the available tax \$2245.98. For nearby townships the assessment is as follows:

	1907	1910
Fairfield.....	\$115,896	\$123,682
Freedom.....	224,557	204,727
Hamiltonban.....	434,128	434,365
Liberty.....	233,710	260,490

The Supervisors of Freedom township are getting busy on the roads.

ROCKY RIDGE

Mr. Robert Barrick, of Baltimore, spent a few days at the new home of his brother, Mr. Charles Barrick.

Mrs. Henry Reirer and Mrs. A. M. Rehling and the Misses Anna, Martha and Bina Reirer, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. W. A. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Valentine spent Sunday last in Waynesboro.

Mr. Harry Miller, the census enumerator for this district, commences his work to-day.

Mrs. W. E. Heird is stopping at her brother's, Mr. Calvin Anders.

Mr. G. Baxter Smith, of Woodsboro, was in this place on Tuesday.

Mr. J. B. Black attended the G. A. R. encampment in Baltimore last week.

Mr. Frank Troxell and sister, Miss Zeppa Troxell, visited their sister, Mrs. Harry Barrick, on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Tressler and daughter, Mary, visited Rock Ridge on Wednesday.

Miss Beulah Clemm has returned from Middleburg.

The fishermen in this locality have been very successful so far.

Mr. Joshua Wood, of Hagerstown, is home for a short visit.

Mr. Elmer P. Schildt has gone on his southern trip and will be absent from home for several weeks.

Mr. Irvin Valentine has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Charles Poulson.

Mrs. C. Cosmos Fox has returned from a visit to her former home, Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. Ernest Ogle, of Shippensburg, Pa., visited her mother, Mrs. Laura Creager.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mr. Robert Stultz was a Sunday visitor at John Overholzer's.

Mr. George Warren and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Warren's aunt, Mrs. Maggie Fogle, of Detour, on Friday.

Miss Emma Shorb is visiting in Waynesboro.

Mr. Edgar Reubenstine who had been with Mr. Daniel Beard, is now at the home of Mr. Bream.

Baltimore Manages to Win.

In the second game with the Baltimore Orioles Frederick lost by the close score of 2 to 1. Muth for Frederick, held the professionals down to six hits. A wild throw by Muth and a right field hit sent the winning run across the plate in the third inning. The game was played in Baltimore on Wednesday.

News from Italy has it that Col. Roosevelt finds himself too popular.

The Emmitsburg Savings Bank

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND

DR. D. E. STONE, Jr.
J. LEWIS RHODES.
JNO. C. MOTTER.
WM. A. DEVILBISS.

J. C. ROSENSTEEL,
DIRECTORS.

J. R. OHLER.
E. R. SHRIVER.
P. F. BURKET.
STERLING GALT.

DR. D. E. STONE, Jr., President.
J. LEWIS RHODES, Vice President.

H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier.
P. F. BURKET, Teller.

4%

Those having money on interest (Savings Accounts) may obtain the amount of interest due them by calling at the Bank. Bank Books must be presented.

Resources first six months \$80,893.91

Banking Hours, 9.00 to 3.00

Open Every Saturday Evening from 7.00 to 9.00

June 18-09-17

Maryland Insurance Agency Co.

OF BALTIMORE, MD.

CHAS. T. LEVINNESS, JR., President.

- ☞ The Fire Bell will cause you less anxiety;
- ☞ The Prospect of Final Dissolution will bring you less dismay;
- ☞ The Every-Day Risks from Accidents and Sickness will be easier met;

IF YOU ARE INSURED.

The Company is Represented in Emmitsburg by
E. L. HIGBEE, Chronicle Office.

HALLER & NEWMAN, Managers, 12 West Patrick Street, Frederick, Md.

We Handle Every Known Branch of Insurance.

June 26 '08-17

The Citizens' National Bank

OF FREDERICK, MD.

CAPITAL \$100,000
SURPLUS \$300,000

J. D. BAKER	-	President.
WM. G. BAKER	-	Vice President.
H. D. BAKER	-	Vice President.
WM. G. ZIMMERMAN	-	Cashier.
SAMUEL G. DUVALL	-	Asst. Cashier.

DIRECTORS.

GEO. WM. SMITH,	THOS. H. HALLER,
JOHN S. RAMSBURG,	DANIEL BAKER,
WM. G. BAKER,	C. H. CONLEY, M. D.
C. M. THOMAS,	C. E. CLINE,
D. E. KEFAUVER,	P. L. HARGETT,
JUDGE J. C. MOTTER,	J. D. BAKER.

NOTICE.

On November the 1st, 1909, this Bank increased its interest rate to Four (4%) per cent. per annum on all its special interest bearing deposits, said deposits to remain in all other respects subject to the provisions of the contracts under which they were made.

Referring to the above notice, it is not necessary for any depositor to present his or her book to have any change made. The 4% rate, will, of course, also be paid on new deposits made of the same class.

This bank offers first-class facilities for the transacting of your general Banking business.

July 3 '09-17

EMMITSBURG "CLOTHING" STORE

Select your Spring Suit from our large and varied stock of

Finely Tailored "Clothing"

on Second Floor.

Dress Straw Hats on Display

50c. to \$2.00 grades at our usual cut price. Also Soft Felt and stiff Hats.

First Floor.

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Muslin Goods, Fine Hosiery, Fine China Ware and Enamel Ware and Household Goods.

CHARLES ROTERING & SONS PUBLIC SQUARE
EMMITSBURG, MD.
STRICTLY CASH

Feb 26-09-17

The Weekly Chronicle

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY AT EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND.

STERLING GALT, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

TERMS:—One Dollar a year in advance; Six months, 50 cents. Trial subscriptions, Three months, 25 cents.

ADVERTISING RATES made known on application at this office.

THE PROPRIETOR reserves the right to decline any advertisements which he may deem objectionable.

NO ATTENTION whatever will be paid to anonymous contributions.

MANUSCRIPTS offered for publication will be returned if unavailable, when accompanied by stamps.

CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC PHONE.

Entered as second-class matter January 1, 1909, at the post office at Emmitsburg, Md., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1910.

THE CHRONICLE will be independent in politics, progressive in spirit and a champion of what it conceives to be right. Its columns will always be open for a dignified discussion by the people of any subject that may seem to them interesting, or that may in anywise be a benefit to the community at large.

[Editorial from The Chronicle, June 8, 1906.]

1910	APRIL							1910
Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.		
..	1	2		
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		

Communications intended for publication in this paper, letters of a business nature in relation to the Chronicle, and all orders for Job Printing to be done at this office should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

UP TO THE CITIZENS.

It has always been characteristic of the citizens of Emmitsburg that when they wanted anything for the good of the community and then worked for it, they got it. This year it seemed wise to them to have a new charter, or rather to have the old charter so amended as to insure more income for the town and make it possible for the governing body to carry out some definite and permanent plan of municipal improvement and adopt such measures as would guarantee law and order and promote the general welfare and advancement of the town and vicinity.

The new charter was drawn, submitted to and approved by the Business Men's Association, passed by the Legislature and goes into effect in May when a burgess and three commissioners are to be elected. This election will be a most important one as a greater responsibility than they have ever been called upon to shoulder will be placed upon a new board, fewer in number than heretofore and with longer terms and broader jurisdiction.

The citizens of Emmitsburg have an important duty before them and they should already be preparing to perform it. This they can do by settling upon four good, broadminded, level headed business men to fill the offices of burgess and commissioner—men who will be careful, but at the same time liberal in view and progressive in spirit.

This is a great opportunity for Emmitsburg and it is up to her citizens to take advantage of it.

BE SURE TO REGISTER.

One of the provisions of the new charter is that no citizen of Emmitsburg is entitled to vote unless he has previously registered. This is as it should be. Too often has it happened that those who were not qualified to vote—who were not even residents of the corporation—have been "voted" when certain ends were to be gained. It is the duty of every citizen of the town who has reached the proper age, to vote

at municipal elections, but it must not be forgotten that registration is necessary before a ballot may be cast. The registration days this year are Tuesday, April 19, and Tuesday, April 26. Do not forget them.

A CASE OF "DON'T COUNT YOUR CHICKENS," ETC.

Senator Rayner says, "Everything in Washington indicates the election of a Democratic Congress. If we will only keep together and not make any mistakes, I think the field is won. Never since I have been in the public service have I observed such dissatisfaction among Republicans. They are divided beyond the hope of any present reconciliation."

This should be most welcome news to Senator Rayner's party. Furthermore, the Senator's remark with its significant contingent clause, ought to be weighed and pondered very carefully by those who have a tendency to swear allegiance to the democracy and then sacrifice her chances. But note this: howsoever divided the Republicans may be at this juncture, or at any time prior to a campaign, they always get together and stay together and fight together when the proper moment arrives. And this, by the way, is the very manner in which elections are won.

WHEN Governor Crothers made those promises to the people before his election he made them in good faith. After his election he assured the State that he would do all in his power to have them fulfilled. When the legislature convened he reminded the representatives of the people of the pledges he and they had made, and for ninety days he kept them before the Senate and the House. Some promises were fulfilled. For this the Governor is to be congratulated. Other promises were ignored and for this the legislature is to blame.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT is too wise a man to return until Halley's comet has got through with the limelight.—Washington Post.

But isn't it a wonder that he has not caught on to the appropriateness of Halley's comet as a background setting when he lands? After all couldn't the committee arrange to have the comet in New York when the Colonel arrives and explode it just as the "Apostle of Peace" sets foot on the gang plank?

"UNCLE JOE" CANNON had better have a care. The recent set-back he received from the Insurgents and the Democrats ought to have taught him a lesson, but evidently it did not. About one more break from the Iron Duke and it will be all up with him for good.

Do not forget that people who are "deaf" somehow have very keen hearing when you are telling something that you particularly desire them not to hear, and that folks whose "sight is bad" invariably get a bead on the very thing you do not want them to see.

THE per capita circulation is 18 cents less to-day than it was one year ago. Perhaps you had noticed it; and then, again, perhaps you had not.—Washington Herald.

Yes, we had noticed it, and to be awfully frank about it, we had felt it. We feel it now; but it seems like \$18 less instead of 18 cents.

PRESIDENT TAFT seems to believe in holding on to a good thing, whether it be a man or a measure.—Washington Post.

Hardly. The conservation plan is a good thing and he isn't holding on to that, and Pinchot is a good man and he fired him.

MAGAZINE contributors who are forever telling how to get along on \$2.00 a month and save money, never make allowance somehow or other for one very important item—the undertaker's bill.

"COFFINS were not made to carry money in," says Dr. Pearsons, the millionaire philanthropist. And yet some people live as if they thought otherwise.

WHAT a lot of splendid work Carnegie could do with his money were he to start a fund to carbolize the consciences of some of his fellow citizens of Pittsburgh.

AFTER smoking the average so-called "Havana" cigar don't it sometimes occur to you that "Hay vana" would be a more appropriate name?

WHAT has become of the old-fashioned boy who ate Indian bread?—Atchison Globe.

Interviewing the "medicine man," most likely.

As usual legion is the name of the fellow who saw the first robin.

POEMS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The following poems have been selected by Miss Ella V. Kreig, primary supervisor, for use in the public schools of the county during the month of April.

My Garden Bed.

In my little garden bed,
Raked so nicely over,
First the tiny seeds I sow,
Then with soft earth cover.
Shining down the great round sun,
Smiles upon them often;
Little raindrops pattering down,
Help the seeds to soften.

Then the little plants awake,
Down the roots go creeping;
Up it lifts its tiny head
Through the brown mold peeping.

Higher and higher still it grows.
Through the summer hours;
Till some happy day the bud—
Will open into flowers.

—SELECTED.

April Rain.

It is not raining rain to me,
It's raining daffodils;
In every dimpled drop I see
Wild flowers on the hills.
The clouds of gray engulf the day
And overwhelm the town;
It is not raining rain to me,
It's raining roses down.

It is not raining rain to me
But fields of clover bloom
Where any buccaneering bee
May find a bed and room;
A health unto the happy
A fig for him who frets,
It is not raining rain to me
It's raining violets.

—ROBERT LOVEMAN.

"Daisies"

At evening when I go to bed
I see the stars shine overhead;
They are the little daisies white
That dot the meadow of the night.

And often while I'm dreaming so,
Across the sky the Moon will go;
It is a lady, sweet and fair,
Who comes to gather daisies there.

For when at morning I arise,
There's not a star left in the skies,
She's picked them all and dropped them down
Into the meadows of the town.

—FRANK D. SHERMAN.

"Doctor," said the patient upon whom the hospital surgeon had just operated for appendicitis, "you're the same surgeon that amputated the first finger of my right hand when I had it crushed in a railroad accident a few months ago, ain't you?"

"Yes," answered the surgeon.
"Well, you got my index then, and now you've got my appendix. I hope you are satisfied."—Chicago Tribune.

Got There in the Nick of Time.

Pete Stivers found a \$5 bill on the street to-day. The owner of the bill got there in time to get in on the last round of drinks.—Leesville (Mo.) Light

Answered.

Rev. Fourthly—Weren't you fishing on Sunday?
Jimmy—Yessir I was trying to catch the sermon in the running brook.

STATE MISCELLANY

Interesting Paragraphic News From Various Sections of Maryland.

The election supervisors of this county have appointed Thomas Eckstein clerk and Charles P. Levy attorney.

The State Tuberculosis Sanatorium gets \$100,000 from the State. Governor Crothers signed the appropriation bill.

Walkersville will vote to raise the tax rate from 20 to 32½ cents to provide water for fire protection and other purposes.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Maryland Bankers' Association will be held at the Blue Mountain House, Blue Mountain, Md., June 21, 22 and 23.

The search for the Bugar diamonds is over. The eight missing from a set valued at \$25,000 have been recovered. The others were surrendered when Clarence Howlett, who confesses he stole them, was arrested in Baltimore in a jewelry shop where he was trying to make a sale.

The directors of the Frederick Woman's College met and organized by electing Dr. E. R. Eschbach, pastor of the Reformed Church, president; Rev. Dr. William C. Shaeffer, of Lancaster, Pa., secretary; Mr. A. C. McCordell, of Frederick, treasurer. The faculty for the coming year was also elected.

Aroused by the charge made by Dr. A. P. Stauffer at last Sunday's temperance massmeeting that more profanity is heard on the streets of Hagerstown than in New York, relatively speaking, the Street Commissioners have started a crusade against swearing on the streets and have appealed to the citizens to co-operate in breaking up the habit.

Officers and men of the Maryland National Guard will be given their annual field encampment and manoeuvres with the regular army and national guard organizations at Gettysburg, Pa., this year. This announcement was made by Assistant Secretary of War Oliver, who has been busy for some time mapping out the work of joint manoeuvres this summer.

At a meeting held by the Blue Ridge Electric Railway Company, a Maryland corporation, at Waynesboro, it was voted to sell the corporation to the Chambersburg, Gettysburg and Waynesboro Electric Railway Company, which under the deal, will become the owner of the new trolley road to be built this summer from Pen Mar, on South Mountain, to Blue Ridge Summit, a distance of several miles.

A mass meeting of the Washington county temperance forces was held Sunday afternoon in First Christian Church, Hagerstown, to condemn the stand taken by the Democratic representatives from Washington county in the Legislature who voted against the Statewide Local Option law and for repeal of the law giving the people of Washington county the right to vote on local option.

John Hopkins University has begun an active campaign to raise a \$2,000,000 endowment fund. Of this amount \$250,000 has already been offered by the General Education Board, from the income of the John D. Rockefeller Foundation for Higher Education, if an additional sum of not less than \$750,000 is raised by December 31, 1910. The committee has undertaken to raise the money to meet these conditions, and to raise the further sum of \$1,000,000.

Harry Peyton Gorsuch, appointed postmaster of Westminster as the successor of the late Col. S. K. Herr, took charge of the office Monday. As assistant postmaster he reappointed Theo. A. Kauffman, who was originally appointed by Colonel Herr. All the other members of the clerical force are under the civil service rules, and hence no change will take place in the subordinate officers. Dohnea C. Nygren is the chief clerk. Postmaster Gorsuch's bondmen are George R. Gehr, Charles E. Goodwin, A. H. Huber and John H. Cunningham.

Plans for the new Washington county hospital, to be built the coming summer on the William C. McKee farm, in the northern suburbs of Hagerstown the site having been purchased last summer, were made public Sunday. Some time ago the trustees invited architects to submit sketches for the entire group of buildings. After careful consideration and study the plans submitted by James H. Ritchie, of Boston were selected. Mr. Ritchie was authorized to prepare the working drawings and ask for bids. The plans are now in the process of the making, and the architect is in frequent consultation with the superintendent of the Washington county hospital.

The death from a stroke of apoplexy of James T. Woodward, president of the Hanover national bank of New York, takes away one of the best-known and most forceful bankers in the country. He had been president of that institution since 1877 and under his administration it had grown from a bank having \$8,000,000 of deposits to one of about \$100,000,000. He was made president of the New York clearing-house association in 1898, and as chairman of that body during the panic of 1907 he came into most favorable financial notice. He was a Democrat in politics, a close friend of Grover Cleveland, and as delegate to the convention of 1884 helped to nominate him for the presidency. He was born in Maryland nearly 70 years ago.

Discussion of Affairs in General from Leading Journals of The Country.

Roosevelt and Monarchism.

(Louisville Courier Journal.)

The time has come for the people of the United States to consider Theodore Roosevelt as they have never considered him before, to take him more seriously than they have ever taken him, to realize that he is altogether the most startling figure who has appeared in the world since Napoleon Bonaparte—a circumstance not without significance and portent. He must be a poor American whose heart does not glow with pride at the unwonted honors bestowed upon this representative of his country and swell with exultant admiration at the splendid way he is carrying himself. It is too late, if it were not personally offensive, to talk about self-exploitation.

Taken in connection with what appears to be the hopeless breakdown of the Taft administration, it constitutes an event of the first consequence. Before we get into the acrimonies of party conflict the Courier Journal asks its contemporaries throughout the country to reflect without passion or levity, and to answer to themselves, amid the blaze of light which casts an aureole about our wandering Ulysses, whether representative government in America is a failure and whether the only cure for the evils which are admitted is the one-man power, because they may be sure that the return of Theodore Roosevelt to power will be so construed by Europe, and that on this account the demonstration of monarchism has its chief significance.

Republican Harmony?

(Springfield Republican.)

He hopes the Democrats will carry Indiana with a tremendous sweep—that is, Congressman Dalzell hopes so. And this is the sort of Republican harmony one finds in Washington.

Both Try To Do Wrong.

(New York Mail.)

Certainly, in Maryland and Oklahoma the Democrats are so demeaning themselves as to prejudice the national chances of their party in this year's elections. In Maryland the Legislature has enacted a programme which completely disfranchises the Negro for the present because he is a Negro, and through a constitutional amendment aims to deprive him of the ballot forever, save that a future white Legislature may, if it chooses, readmit propertyed Negroes to the suffrage.

In Oklahoma, which was almost persuaded to put a disfranchising clause in its curious constitution, the Legislature and governor have cleared the way for an amendment that will prevent the bulk of the Negro citizens from voting on any constitutional amendment hereafter submitted to the people.

Neither State has the excuse of the presence of a preponderating Negro population. Only one-fifth of the population of Maryland is Negro, only one-twentieth of the population of Oklahoma. One State represents the old tradition of Democratic leadership, the other the new instincts of "radicalism," so-called. And they vie with each other in going wrong.

A Constructive Statesman.

(Atchison Globe.)

As we understand it, a constructive statesman is one who can build a winning machine.

Knox Disappointed.

(Springfield Republican.)

In a dispatch not unsympathetic with Secretary Knox, the Washington correspondent of the New York Times stated the reasons why the leading member of the cabinet might resign at an early day. They agree in the main with those given in our own dispatches. The sum of it all is that the secretary is deeply disappointed with his position and his personal relations to the administration. He has not, in fact, been the "premier" he expected to be in domestic as well as in foreign affairs; and he has had to bear the entire blame for certain episodes in his own particular field for which the President, it is intimated, has been no less responsible. It seems also, that Mr. Knox is sensitive because, in his numerous speeches, the President has not defended the secretary's conduct of our foreign affairs against criticism. Of course, the main significance of such publications is the evidence they contain of an early reconstruction of the cabinet. Secretary MacVeagh of the Treasury Department is bracketed with Secretary Knox in this connection, and, as the public has learned already, there are two or three others whose cabinet careers are not likely to be very much prolonged.

To Reduce The Grocery Bill.

(New Haven Register.)

Horace Fletcher does not solve the problem of high living cost. But if you observe his time limit of forty to sixty minutes a day for taking in food, and chew it as thoroughly as he recommends, you will find the grocery bill sensibly diminished.

Taft And The West.

(Chicago Record-Herald.)

If President Taft finds himself in an uncomfortable position, if he feels that he has a grievance because there has been a change in public sentiment toward him, a brutal friend might inform him that he himself is chiefly to blame for his own illfortune.

It began with the Winona speech, and his detestable corporation tax has added irritation to a bad sore. The New York address gives fresh proof that the President is unhappy in his way of putting things. It contains far too much about the tariff and rubs salt and vinegar in the wound when some thing soothing was required.

The Aldrich-Payne bill could have been dismissed in a few words without flings at insurgents, without inviting a renewal of acrimonious discussions. In stating his position briefly the President could have made the most of the fact that the bill was a law and then let the fact sink in.

Every one knows that there is no probability of a revision. The President is assured of this, and, since he had his way, he is more to be censured than his critics within the party for prolonging the tariff debate.

The President has referred to Roosevelt and public sentiment; let him ponder the meaning of his own words. Roosevelt, he declares, roused the people by what might almost be compared to a religious crusade and left public opinion in an apt condition to bring about the reforms needed to clinch his policies.

But Taft is fighting the public opinion of a great and influential section of the country, and is thus losing what is the most valuable asset of the statesman who would do things.

The Main Thoroughfare.

(Boston Transcript.)

The Appian Way will now become a back road. The Rooseveltian Way is the main thoroughfare.

The Farm And The Auto.

(Travel.)

The number of automobiles owned by farmers is growing rapidly. Out of 10,000 automobiles in Iowa, 5000 are owned by farmers. Kansas farmers spent \$3,200,000 for automobiles during 1909, and \$2,750,000 in 1908. In one Nebraska town of 800 population, 40 automobiles were sold last year to farmers near the town and retired farmers in the town. Careful estimates of the number of automobiles owned by farmers in the entire United States is 76,000. Nowadays there is no more cry about lack of opportunity on the farm. Sixteen automobile makers are advertising automobiles to the farmer in the 450 farm papers of the country, and most of them are arguing that the automobile will keep the boy on the farm, and make life more livable for the wife, whose dreary round of labor has been the pity of the country.

Now the farmer with an automobile can take his family for an evening call, or lecture, without using his horses. He can go to church on Sunday more regularly; he can visit distant relatives and friends more frequently; he can go to town oftener and more quickly. One Dakota farmer who is extremely fond of hunting, but lives 40 miles from the game district, takes his son with him on Saturday during the season and comes back Sunday night with a deer or two slung across the radiator and bubbling over with tales of his luck.

There are 48,000,000 people living on farms and in towns of less than 4000 in this country. This means that over half of our population is practically in the country. About 25,000,000 of these are young people, and they are just as keen for pleasure as young people anywhere else. That is one big reason for the automobile on the farm. Ten or 15 years ago farmers bought organs for their daughters and buggies for their sons. A great many of them are to-day buying automobiles for the whole family. An entirely new meaning has been given to the village social life in consequence.

A Way To Get Bryan Out.

(Richmond Times-Dispatch.)

Possibly Mr. Taft could be persuaded to appoint Mr. Bryan to the United States Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by Judge Brewer's death. He would not fill it full, it is true, but the place would remove him from the political field temporarily at least, and Mr. Taft surely owes him a great deal for what he has done for him and his party.

Don't Forget You Are President.

(Springfield Republican.)

President Taft needs to overcome his old habit of referring to his predecessor as "the president." The habit played him a trick when he called to the Italian mayor his appreciation of the courtesies paid to "President Roosevelt." This country can no more have two presidents at the same time than England can have two kings. You are president of the United States, Mr. Taft; and don't you forget it.

ESTABLISHED 1882.

ANNAN, HORNER & CO.

BANKERS

EMMITSBURG, - - - MARYLAND

BUY AND SELL STOCKS, BONDS, ETC.

Interest Paid at the Rate of

4 Per Cent.

PER ANNUM ON SPECIAL & SAVINGS DEPOSITS

OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS FROM 7 TO 9

Get a Check From Us to Pay Your Taxes,
Same Issued Without Charge.

oct 8-09-1f

JOHN F. KREH

THE PHOTOGRAPHER

8 N. MARKET STREET, FREDERICK, MD.

INTERIORS, EXTERIORS,
GROUPS, COPYING, ENLARGING, PHOTO SUPPLIES,
CRAYON AND WATER COLOR WORK

Apr. 23 09-1y

Style Is what makes a man proud of his Clothes

It is the distinguishing feature of the

Lippy "Clothes Beautiful"

They have an individuality which appeals to men of good taste and good judgment, and they cost no more than the ordinary.

J. D. LIPPY, Tailor,

AT HOTEL SPANGLER EVERY WEDNESDAY. GETTYSBURG, PA. Mch. 8-1f.

Spring and Summer Styles

1910 NEW LOT OF SHOES AND OXFORDS 1910

Lot of Sample Shoes and Oxfords

Latest Styles. Moderate Prices.

M. FRANK ROWE,

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND

What Everybody Should Know!

That you can buy everything in the line of

Furniture, Carpet, Matting, Oilcloth, Linoleum, Rugs, Pictures, Victor and Edison Talking Machines and Records, Sewing Machines, Organs, Pianos, etc.

—AT—

M. F. SHUFF'S

W. Main St., Opp. Presbyterian Church. Compare Goods and I will guarantee prices with any Dealer in the land. Terms to suit buyers.

Funeral Director and Embalmer, having 30 years' experience in this branch of the business I feel I can give satisfaction in all cases.

MOTTER BROS. & CO.

BANKERS AND BROKERS

We transact a general BROKERAGE BUSINESS, including the purchase and sale of STOCKS, BONDS, and other securities, which we carry upon favorable terms.

We give SPECIAL ATTENTION to the investment demand for HIGH GRADE BONDS.

Our direct private wire system reaches every financial center in the country, and we are prepared to execute orders on all the exchanges.

We are pleased at all times to answer inquiries upon financial subjects.

Interest allowed on daily balances.

MOTTER BROS. & CO.

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
FREDERICK, MD.

aug 13-09-1y

We are changing this ad a little this week, it has been running in this paper for a long time, and we are getting better results from it all the time, because what we say to you is the truth. Read and remember what we say below it will be of interest to you.



TRADE-MARK REGISTERED.

Red Dragon Seltzer Greatest Remedy of the Age

You yourself occasionally feel bad from one or more of the following ailments. Headaches, Indigestion, Constipation, Nervousness. These troubles all come from the stomach and can be relieved at once by the use of Red Dragon Seltzer. When taken in the morning before eating Red Dragon Seltzer acts as a pleasant laxative and starts the day right for you. Red Dragon Seltzer is not a stranger to any of you. If you have not used it ask your Neighbor about it. He will advise you to get it at once. If your dealer hasn't it in stock he can get it for you from any Jobber. For the troubles mentioned above let Red Dragon Seltzer be your family physician.

RED DRAGON SELTZER CO.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
Price 10c. Jan 24-1y

E. L. FRIZELL

—DEALER IN—

FEED, COAL SEEDS

AND ESPECIALLY

FARMERS' SUPPLIES IN GENERAL

WEST MAIN ST.,
EMMITSBURG, MD.

Apr. 30-09-1y.

We call to your attention our Surplus and Profits of nearly \$14,000.00, all of which has been earned since Jan. 4th, 1908, which shows a capable management. This record of earnings should be sufficient to convince the most skeptical of our ability to pay 4 per cent. with safety. The safety of any Bank lies in its management, and the ability of its management is shown in its profits. Our profits in the first two years have been equal to more than 50 per cent. on the Capital, a record not equalled by any Bank in the County. We solicit your business.

Middletown Savings Bank,

Middletown, Md.

"The Bank That Pays 4 Per Cent"

7-24-09-1y

THE STAFFORD

Perfect Service.
Finest Location.
Excellent Cuisine.
Liberal Management.
Fireproof Construction.

WASHINGTON PLACE
BALTIMORE,
MD.

june 28-1y

J. Daniel Grimmins
FREDERICK, MD.

CUSTOM MADE CLOTHES

FOR DISCERNING MEN

apr 16, 09-1y

Emmit House

WELL HEATED AND VENTILATED ROOMS

J. W. BREICHNER, Prop.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

In effect June 20, 1910.

Per day.....	\$1.50
Per week.....	\$8.00
By the season.....	\$5.50 per week
Families, for the season.....	\$5.00 " "
Children " " " " " " " " " "	\$3.00 " "
Servants " " " " " " " " " "	\$3.50 " "

Special accommodations for Commercial Men.

march 15-1y

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

(Copyright 1909 by Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.)

April 17, 1910.

The Question of John the Baptist. Matt. 11: 1-19.

Golden Text. But the witness which I have is greater than that of John: for the works which the Father hath given me to accomplish, the very works that I do, bear witness of me, that the Father hath sent me. John 5:36. (R. V.)

Verses 1.—Jesus appears to have taken great pains to instruct his twelve disciples, but why did he not leave them to be instructed wholly by God's Spirit?

In the case of preaching, or prayer, or testimony, does God propose for us just to "open our mouths and he will fill them," or that we should be as thoroughly and humanly prepared, as if there were no God?

Does thorough preparation for Christian work show lack of faith or strong faith in God? Why?

Verses 2, 3.—Why did John ask this question as to whether Jesus was the Christ?

What if any reason is there to believe that John was now wrestling with doubt, as to the truth of what he had been preaching concerning Jesus?

What would you say concerning a man of God teaching spiritual truth, in one period, which he knew to be true, and subsequently having grave doubts of the very truth of which he had been so sure?

Does any kind of doubt on the part of a holy man, necessarily imply sin, or show weakness?

Is doubt a necessary part of God's training or not, for men of strong character and important work?

Verses 4.—Why is a man bowed down with sorrow, and crushed with disappointment, not in a condition to properly weigh evidence of spiritual truth?

Jesus said "Go and show John again those things, etc.": is evidence of spiritual truth made more forceful through being repeated on different occasions, and whether or not, why was it necessary to repeat to John what he had already heard?

Why would it not be a blessing to the

The Insurgents plan to depose Speaker Cannon at the end of the present session of Congress.

people if a minister repeated his most effectual sermons?

* Verses 5, 6.—Jesus laid stress in that day upon His miracles, coupled with the fact that He preached the gospel to the poor, as the proof of His Messiahship, but what is the supreme or chief proof to-day? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Even suppose the miracles of Jesus should prove to be historical myths, would that detract in any measure from the grandeur of his character or the greatness of his work?

Verses 7, 8.—What influence caused John to live such a plain, or rigorous life? (See Matt. 3: 4. et seq.)

Take for example two men, one devout, the other Godless, one living in a richly furnished home and dressing in good clothes, the other living in a plain home and wearing coarse apparel, which of the two is more likely to be the godless man, and why?

What was the difference in the mode of the life of Jesus, and that of John the Baptist?

Verses 9-11.—What were the minimum qualities essential to being a prophet, and in what particulars did John exceed these?

In what did the greatness of John the Baptist consist, from the standpoint of Jesus?

If Jesus had in mind a "greater" and a "greater," then in what two senses is this word used by him here?

Verses 12-15.—What is religious "violence" and what is the nature of the "force" which captures the kingdom of heaven?

Verses 16-19.—What caused them to denounce John for qualities, the absence of which in Jesus they also denounced?

Lesson for Sunday, April 24th, 1910—Warning and Invitation. Matt. 11:20-30

* This is the question to be answered in writing by members of the club in competition for the prizes. Every subscriber and members of subscribers' families belong to this club.

Mr. Hitchcock has come out with a statement that the postal service will soon be self-sustaining.

EMMITSBURG GRAIN ELEVATOR BOYLE BROS.

—DEALERS IN—

Hay, Corn, Oats, Rye, Bran, Chop, Clover and Timothy Seed, Chicken Feed, Horse and Cattle Powder, Maryland Portland Cement, Terra Cotta Pipe. A Full Line of

MACHINERY

And Repairs for same.

Coal in all Sizes

Call and get our Prices before you buy.

BOYLE BROS.

Apr. 2-09

—CALL ON—
GEO. T. EYSTER.

See his splendid stock of
GOLD & SILVER
Key & Stem-Winding
WATCHES.

VINCENT SEBOLD,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Offices Sebold Building,
Public Square, Emmitsburg, Md.
On Mondays and Tuesdays at Frederick. On Thursdays at Thurmont National Bank. Both Phones—C. & P., Emmitsburg, 22-2; Frederick County, Emmitsburg, 27. dec-1f

C. J. SHUFF & CO. SPORTING GOODS

SOUVENIR WARE POST CARDS

Kodaks and Supplies, Guns and Ammunition, Gillette, Arnold and Ward makes of Safety Razors, Waterman Ideal Fountain Pens, Cigars, Cigarettes, Fine Pipes and Tobacco, Confectionery and Notions.

SWEATERS FOR MEN AND WOMEN.

EMMITSBURG, - MARYLAND.

A FAIR EXCHANGE

MANY people have things that they no longer have use for, but keep them in the house, taking up room and doing no one any good.

Better sell or trade off things you don't want. Advertise them and you will find that there are people ready to take them and pay cash, or trade for them. You will find it easy through the Columns of

THE CHRONICLE

PERSONALS.

It is the aim of THE CHRONICLE to publish as many personal and social items as possible, but it frequently happens that those who have guests visiting them, and those who entertain, fail to send a list of their friends, or an account of these events, to this office. Readers who live at a distance are always interested in what is going on "at home," and for that reason, if for no other, this column should be filled every week. It is of course understood that anonymous contributions will not be published. Names of persons furnishing items will be withheld.

Mr. G. G. Scrivner, of Baltimore, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. G. H. Jacobs, of Gettysburg, made a business trip here on Tuesday.

Mr. George L. Stevenson, of Hagerstown, Md., was here on Thursday.

Mr. John Wilson, of Frederick, spent Thursday in Emmitsburg.

Miss N. E. Burke, of Worcester, Mass., visited here this week.

Mr. A. Ross Hostetter, of Hanover, Pa., made a business trip here on Tuesday.

Mr. W. P. Stover and son spent Wednesday at the Emmitt House.

Mr. R. V. Arnold, of Taneytown, visited here on Sunday.

Miss Nellie O'Leary, of Boston, Mass., spent Monday here.

Rev. Father Warren Rosensteel, of Sharpsburg, Pa., was in Emmitsburg on Monday.

Miss Maggie Rosensteel, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rosensteel, of Mt. St. Mary's.

Mrs. J. E. Musselman, of Gettysburg, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. William Morrison spent Saturday visiting Montevue Hospital.

Mr. M. F. Shuff made a business trip to Thurmont one day this week.

Messrs. Charles Hemler, Harry Hopp, Robert Kerrigan and Lester Topper spent Wednesday evening at the reception of Mr. Edward Rosensteel at Mt. St. Mary's.

Mr. Robert Topper spent Wednesday evening at Bridgeport.

Mr. Lawrence Mondorff spent Friday in Frederick.

Mr. P. W. Zinn, of Hanover, Pa., visited here one day this week.

Mr. D. O. Frye, of New York, visited in town on Wednesday.

Mr. F. M. Musselman, of Fairfield, Pa., made a business trip here on Tuesday.

Mr. L. W. Zinnstein, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday in this place.

Mr. V. Lubman, of Baltimore, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. H. C. Dorcus, of Woodboro, visited here Tuesday.

Mr. D. C. Hull, of Easton, Pa., spent a few days in this place last week.

Mr. Oscar M. Gibson, of Baltimore, was in town on Monday.

Mr. Eugene Smith, of McSherrytown, visited here.

Mr. L. E. Motter visited in Frederick.

Messrs. William Smith and E. L. Reins, of Baltimore, spent a day here this week.

Mr. P. F. Burke, of Boston, Mass., spent Tuesday here.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of property have been recently recorded in the court:

Isabel M. Baker to William E. Welty, real estate in Emmitsburg district, \$1,001.

George V. Lingg and wife to William D. Colliflower and wife, real estate in Emmitsburg district, \$2,200.

William D. Colliflower and wife to J. Stewart Annan, real estate in county, \$3,000.

Isaac S. Bowers to Thomas C. Hayes 5 1/2 acres of land, \$400.

Thomas C. Hayes and wife to Charles P. Wachter, 5 1/2 acres of land \$550.

Samuel A. L. Waybright and wife to Mahlon Stonesifer and wife, real estate in Emmitsburg district, \$7,000.

Joseph C. Rosensteel and wife to John T. Rosensteel, 50 acres, 3 rods and 32 square perches of land, \$3,570.

John R. Rouzer, executor, to J. Wesley Creager, real estate in Thurmont, \$330.

Sarah E. Grimes to J. Wesley Creager, real estate in Thurmont, \$5, etc.

Governor Signs License Law.

Governor Crothers has signed the graduated liquor license bill relating to Emmitsburg. It is now a law. By the provisions of this law an extra license fee of \$25 for the first year, \$50 for the second year and \$75 for the third year and thereafter, is added to the already existing license fee charged. The bill goes into effect on and after May 1st, 1910.

Cigar Apprentices Wanted.

Two bright, intelligent and willing young men wanted as apprentices in local cigar factory. Trade thoroughly taught. Steady work when apprenticeship is finished. Apply to H. J. ORNDORFF, Emmitsburg, Md.

The bill directing the Frederick County Commissioners to borrow money for school improvements is now law.

GET READY TO ANSWER THESE

Questions the Census Man Will Ask You.—Tell Him All You Know.

Your name and address.

Relationship to the head of the house.

Sex, color or race and age at last birthday.

Whether married, single, widowed or divorced.

Number of years of present marriage.

If a woman, mother of how many children and the number now living.

Your place of birth and your parents.

If of foreign birth, the year of immigration to the United States and whether naturalized or alien.

Whether able to speak English, and if not, the language spoken.

Your trade or profession, or the kind of work you do.

Whether you are an employer, employee or working on your own account.

If an employee, whether out of work on April 15, 1910, and the number of weeks you were out of work during 1909.

Whether able to read and write and whether you have attended school any time since September 1, 1909.

Do you own or rent your house? If you own it, is there a mortgage on it?

Whether a survivor of the Union Army or Confederate Army or Navy.

Are you blind in both eyes? Are you deaf and dumb?

LOCAL BREVITIES

Readings from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending April 15:

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	—	54	60
Saturday	56	71	74
Sunday	50	69	75
Tuesday	48	50	59
Wednesday	44	56	64
Thursday	45	69	76
Friday	56	—	—

The mountain fire did not destroy the "Spoke Tree" although it burned very close to it.

There were strenuous times in Eyer's Valley last Sunday. Only the untiring effort of property owners kept the fire from consuming many buildings.

Mr. John P. Harting is having a concrete pavement laid in front of his dwelling. Mr. J. Thomas Gelwicks, whose property adjoins Mr. Harting's has also had a concrete pavement laid both in front of the dwelling houses recently completed and in front of Mr. Troxel's store.

There was quite a frost on Wednesday morning.

By the addition of a bay window to his property Mr. Q. G. Shoemaker has greatly improved its appearance.

Mr. Pius Felix has made extensive improvements to his dwelling house on West Main Street.

The next meeting of W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. William Nunemaker on the evening of April 28th. All are invited to attend.

Governor Crothers vetoed the franchise tax for Emmitsburg.

Prof. Strauss, principal of the local High School, will address the teachers of Frederick county at the annual meeting of the Teachers' Association at Frederick, to-day on the subject of "The Value of Elocution."

Dr. D. E. Stone, Jr., has been unanimously elected a member of the staff of the Frederick City Hospital.

Edward D. Reilly, Esq., of Lancaster, Pa., a graduate of Mount St. Mary's College, has accepted a position with Thomas Nelson & Sons, makers of the Nelson Loose-leaf Reference System.

Mt. St. Mary's Wins Three Games.

The University of Maryland, Rock Hill College and Lebanon Valley had to bow to Mount St. Mary's during the last week. The University of Maryland, one of the leading colleges in baseball, was defeated 6 to 5; Rock Hill on their own grounds at Ellicott City, lost 6 to 2 and Lebanon Valley went down 12 to 7. The last game was a farce. Kerwin pitched against Rock Hill and Sebold, of Emmitsburg, caught. Molina and Reihl pitched against Lebanon Valley. Engel did the work in the game with the University of Maryland.

FOR SALE—A large black mare, 8 years old, with foal by the Thurmont Company horse. Fearless of steam or automobiles. Apply to

DR. JOHN B. BRAWNER, Emmitsburg, Md.

McCardell's Chocolates.

25c.-30c.-40c.-50c.-60c., and 80c. a pound. Every Friday and Saturday a box of Chocolates 19c. apr 15-2

The corner-stone of the Pittsburgh Athletic Club's new \$1,000,000 club house in Schenley Farms, Pittsburgh, a fashionable suburb, was laid Saturday.

THURMONT TO OWN PLANT

Town Election Decides on Question of Ownership of Electric Plant.

At a public meeting of the citizens of Thurmont a municipal ticket was nominated endorsing the public ownership of the electric light plant. On Monday the ticket was elected after a close fight. The town voted almost unanimously in favor of a bond issue for the municipal ownership of the lighting plant.

The following commissioners were chosen: Burgess, William J. Freeze; Commissioners, William T. Weeler, Dr. E. C. Kefauver, Joseph A. Weedelman and Elmer E. Black.

ROSENSTEEL—O'TOOLE.

A very pretty church wedding was solemnized on Tuesday morning at eight o'clock in the Catholic Church, Thurmont, when Miss Anna Elizabeth O'Toole, of that place became the bride of Mr. Edward Rosensteel, of near Mt. St. Mary's. The Church was beautifully decorated with potted plants. Rev. Father T. W. Rosensteel, of Pittsburgh, a cousin of the groom, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Father Tragger. Miss Mary O'Toole, the bride's sister, was bridesmaid and Mr. John Rosensteel, brother of the groom, was best man.

The bride was gowned in a robe of white lace and wore a veil fastened with orange blossoms. The bridesmaid was dressed in white.

A reception was tendered the happy couple at the home of the bride in Thurmont. Early Wednesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Rosensteel were given another reception at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rosensteel, where an elaborate dinner was served and in the evening the young people were congratulated by a number of friends.

Rev. Father Bradley, of the College, and Rev. Father G. H. Tragger, the groom's pastor, were the guests of honor of the dinner at which the following persons were present:

Messrs. and Mesdames Joseph Rosensteel, James M. Kerrigan, John Dukehart, John Hoke, Edward McNulty, Harry A. Hopp, David Guise, John Sebold, William Rosensteel, James Mullen, John H. Rosensteel, Jr., Edward Motter; Mrs. Theodore Burdner, Mr. Harry Dukehart, the Misses Annie and Mary Roddy, Miss Maggie Rosensteel, of Baltimore, Messrs. Edward O'Toole, of Waynesboro, Francis Kelly and Ward Kerrigan.

The bride and groom are well known in their respective places of residence and are held in high esteem by all who know them. They will immediately take up their residence at the farm which the groom recently purchased, situated near Mt. St. Mary's.

GEORGE MARSDEN.

On Saturday morning George Marsden, a citizen of this place, died at Montevue Hospital, Frederick, where he had been removed some weeks ago. Mr. Marsden resided at the Slaybaugh place, near town, for the last 30 years of his life. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Charles Reinewald in the Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon. Interment was made in Mountain View Cemetery.

Streets Not Public Playground.

There is an ordinance directed against the playing of ball on the streets of Emmitsburg which should be enforced. Many just complaints have been made against the habit of the younger boys of playing on their way to and from school. In one instance a child was badly hurt by being struck on the mouth by a baseball.

Fresh Strawberry Sundae 10c.

A dipper "Ice Cream," with a ladle of "Fresh Strawberries" over the cream, topped off with "Whipped Cream" and "Maraschino Cherry" and a "Delecta" wafer on the side all for 10c. McCardell's. apr 15-2t.

FOR SALE—Four to five thousand chestnut shingles. Apply to

DR. JOHN B. BRAWNER, Emmitsburg, Md.

WANTED AT ONCE

—first-class carpenters. Steady work. Two dollars per day to start. Apply to TIDEWATER PORTLAND CEMENT Co. 1t Union Bridge, Md.

Announcement has been made that the University of Denver, a Methodist institution, will confer the degree of doctor of laws on Father William O'Ryan, a Catholic priest of Denver.

MARRIED.

ROSENSTEEL—O'TOOLE.—On Tuesday, April 12, 1910, at 8 o'clock, A. M., at the Catholic Church, Thurmont, Miss Anna Elizabeth O'Toole, of Thurmont, and Mr. Edward Rosensteel, of Mt. St. Mary's. Rev. T. W. Rosensteel, of Pittsburgh, Pa., performed the ceremony.

DIED.

Regular death notices published one time free of charge. Ordinary poetry and resolutions charged for at the rate of five cents a line.

MARSDEN.—On April 9, 1910, at Montevue Hospital, George Marsden, aged about 81 years. Funeral service on Sunday afternoon at Methodist Church, Rev. Charles Reinewald, D. D., officiating. Interment in Mountain View Cemetery.

CHURCH NEWS

There will be no service in the Reformed Church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Gluck is away on a visit to the home of his parents. On Sunday, April 24, the hour for service will be changed: Morning service 10 o'clock; Sunday School at 9 o'clock and evening service at 7.30.

At a special meeting of the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church at Frederick at which the call to Rev. H. L. G. Kieffer as assistant to Rev. Dr. Eschbach was ratified, the date of the annual meeting of the classis, to be held in Boonsboro, was changed from May 18 to May 25.

Rev. Mr. Hensley will attend the sessions of the Baltimore Presbytery which begin on Monday at the Central Presbyterian Church, Baltimore. They will continue until Thursday.

Dr. Eschbach Very Ill.

Rev. Edmund R. Eschbach, pastor of the Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick, is extremely ill. For more than a year his health has been declining and for the last few weeks his condition has been serious. Late Tuesday night a change for the worse occurred and his illness has since been so alarming that his family are constantly at his bedside. He was unconscious most of Wednesday, but rallied and for a while recognized members of his household.

WANTED.—Girl for general housework. New up-to-date house. Most of washing done outside. Person having experience and desiring good home and permanent place is preferred. Wages from two to three dollars, depending on ability. Address A. H. BAER, Waynesboro, Pa. apr 15-2t

Frederick Wins Another.

Western Maryland College was defeated by the Frederick Y. M. C. A. by the score of 6 to 8. Frederick played a loose game making seven errors.

The Insurgents saw to it that Speaker Cannon did not get an automobile.

PREPARING FOR BIG CONFERENCE

Meeting in Baltimore of Executive Committee of Maryland Conference of Charities and Corrections.

The executive committee of the Maryland Conference of Charities and Corrections met in Baltimore on Thursday of last week. At this meeting committees were appointed to have charge of the subjects to be treated at the coming conference to be held in Frederick next fall. Among those appointed were:

Committee on Health and Sanitation—Dr. Charles H. Conley, Dr. Ira J. McCurdy, Miss Nellie M. Casey, Mr. J. Clarke Kieffer, Mr. Sterling Galt.

Committee on Almshouse and Jails—Mr. Samuel U. Gregg.

Committee on Families and Neighborhoods—Rev. Thomas Freeman Dixon, D. D.

April Q. R. S. Meeting.

The April meeting of the Q. R. S. was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Ehrhart, on Tuesday evening. A splendid paper on James Russell Lowell was prepared and read by Miss Eva Shulenberger. Several musical numbers were enjoyed and the reading of Mrs. Reinewald, Mrs. E. E. Zimmerman, and Miss Maria Helman were greatly appreciated. Next month the club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. M. F. Shuff. The subject for that meeting will be "The Lone Star State."

For Sale or Rent.

Valuable property, formerly owned by the late J. Ed. Baker, 1 1/2 miles north of Emmitsburg, consisting of 4 acres of land and a substantial 6-room house. Adjoins properties of Daniel Shorb and Harry Baxter. For particulars address SAMUEL MYERS, 49 W. Second St. Waynesboro, Pa. 4-8-3t

THE PURCHASING POWER

—of this and nearby communities is reached each week, and for fifty-two weeks of each year by

THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

A trial advertisement will demonstrate that this is a fact. Do You advertise?

FOR SALE.—A brown horse colt, 2 years old. Apply to EDWARD S. TANEY 4-8-2t

Three-Cornered Fight in Frederick.

Three candidates are anxious to be elected mayor of Frederick. They are Mayor George Edward Smith, Alderman Lewis Fraley and former member of the board John Edward Schell, and each has a following sufficient to make the contest very interesting. Two years ago, when Mr. Schell contested the nomination of Mayor Smith, the latter won in a Crawford county election by nine majority. Some of the ballots were so poorly marked that the fight appeared even closer.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores, Etc. DON'T ACCEPT ANY SUBSTITUTE. A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

WALL PAPER

Most Complete Assortment Ever Shown in Emmitsburg. Handsome Patterns. All Prices.

INTERIOR DECORATING

Estimates—Furnished. Call and See my Samples or drop me a postal and I will call.

JAMES M. KERRIGAN

Feb 4-3m

FOR SALE!

Norway Maple Trees in Different Sizes, Apple Trees in Assortments, 2000 York Imperial Apple Trees, Pear, Cherry, Peach, Quince, Plum and Apricot Trees, Strawberry, Raspberry and Blackberry Plants, Grape Vines, Rhubarb and Asparagus Roots, California Privet. Can furnish all kinds of Shade and Ornamental Trees at Short Notice.

J. A. RAMSBURG,

C. & P. Phone 52K. FREDERICK, MD. mch 4-9ts

GETTYSBURG, PA.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

G. W. WEAVER & SON

25th ANNIVERSARY SALE

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF BUSINESS TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF GROWTH IS OUR RECORD.

Our oldest friends in Gettysburg will remember the small beginning—small in store room and stock—but large in business, relatively, from the beginning, doing twice the business we expected to do the first year.

Every year of business life in Gettysburg has been marked by growth, and we have held the leadership for years in Adams County for being the **LARGEST, MOST PROGRESSIVE** and **BEST STORE.**

We are proud to say that, there are families in this community who have given us their continued patronage during all this period. We are also proud in the fact that our store is a source of pride to Gettysburg's Citizens, to the extent that visiting friends are brought here to see the store.

We begin a New Year—The Twenty-Sixth—with an **ANNIVERSARY SALE OF IMPORTANCE** to you in its money saving possibilities. Not old stock but fresh, new goods. Every department with special prices.

Beginning Friday The 8th

And Continuing During The Next Week

Everybody Invited To This Anniversary

Come and show your good will whether you want to buy or not.

MUSIC ON SATURDAY NIGHTS SPECIAL DECORATIONS

GETTYSBURG

PENNSYLVANIA

BARGAINS

J. THOS. GELWICKS'

STORE

April 24-1y

STIEFF PIANOS

are the Embodiment of every Improvement essential to the making of DURABILITY, TONE, QUALITY and A Perfect Instrument
The Stieff Piano is so far different from others that it stands alone.

REFERENCES:
NEW ENGLAND CONSERVATORY, Boston, Mass., who own 100 Stieff Pianos.
HANNAN MOORE ACADEMY, Beltspring, Md.
ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY, Emmitsburg, Md.
WOMAN'S COLLEGE, Frederick, Md.
And Many Others.

WRITE FOR CATALOGUE.

STIEFF, 9 N. LIBERTY ST., BALTIMORE, MD.
aug 6-09-1yr

McCARREN & ZURGABLE

LIVERYMEN

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND.

- First-class teams furnished for private use.
- Satisfactory arrangements guaranteed commercial men.
- Horses boarded and vehicles cared for by the month.
- Heavy and light hauling of any kind and for any distance.
- Buggies, surreys and large pleasure vehicles available at all times.
- Gaited riding horses—perfectly safe.
- Prompt service and moderate prices.

apr 8-10-1y

FOR OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY

The WEEKLY CHRONICLE

has furnished the most complete and authentic clean news of this county and neighborhood.

It carries something of interest to every member of the family and from year to year its regular and special issues contain a great variety of original articles covering a wide range of topics.

It is an advertising medium of tested value—a result-getter for those who appreciate dignified publicity.

BULLETIN.

Do not put off ordering your stationery until you have used the last sheet. You cannot expect to have a new lot of bill heads, note heads or envelopes printed in an hour. Look over your supply to-day and give the order to THE CHRONICLE.

HARRY G. TRITAPOE.

OUR ANNOUNCEMENT

of real estate for sale does not mean a lot of low-class property at high-class prices. You can get that any time and anywhere. What we offer is real estate that is worth every cent asked for it and will be worth a lot more at no distant date. If you mean business we have the property worth investigating.

C. & P. Phone 67F. 121 Court Street, FREDERICK, MD.
Maryland 856M.
July 9-09-1y

OPPORTUNITY SALE

As is our custom, we have begun our

Great Reduction Sale

which offers to our patrons a wonderful opportunity to secure seasonable merchandise at a great saving. We have quite a good assortment of

Tailored Suits,

in black and colors, the prices in some cases clipped as much as one-third. They are the same high-grade Man Tailored garments that we have sold so freely all season and you have months of wear ahead—the investment will pay. Suits \$5.50 up.

Reduced Furs

If you are interested in a piece of Fur—a set or a Muff—we will show you a saving that will pay.

Children's Coats

are not to be forgotten. Cloth Coats, 6, 8 and 10 years as low as \$1.00. Some very beautiful Caracul effects very cheap. Make the children comfortable—we'll help with the price.

Silk Rain Coats

away under price. \$8.99 will buy a quality that sold a quarter higher. Good assortment left.

Long Coats

A few Good Garments left that are very much reduced. A long coat in our present temperature is a timely friend, \$5.00 up.

We know that we can satisfy your prospective wants at helpful prices. Try us.

THOS. H. HALLER,
Central Dry Goods House

17 and 19 North Market Street FREDERICK, MARYLAND.
march 27-1y

POSSIBLE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSIONER.



Mr. Joseph D. Baker, of Frederick, president of the Citizens National Bank, and prominent throughout the State, has been suggested as a member of the public utilities commission. This appointment would be gratifying to a great number of the citizens of this State for Mr. Baker enjoys a splendid reputation and his executive ability well qualifies him for this important position.

GRAFT INQUIRY DELAYED BY EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS

Pittsburgh's Accused Banker Does Not Want to Leave New York—Hoffstot Will Make Fight.

The Pittsburgh graft inquiry may continue indefinitely as Frank N. Hoffstot, banker and steel manufacturer has refused to come there from New York city unless he is extradited.

The registers of the Hotel Imperial New York, where the largest lump sum of the bribery money for Pittsburgh councilmen was paid over to Charles Stewart in June, 1908, are in the possession of District Attorney William A. Blateley. The books are expected to reveal the signature of the man, as yet unnamed, who handed over the money to Stewart. Frank N. Hoffstot, the alleged leader of a pool which raised a \$52,000 fund to influence legislation in favor of six Pittsburgh banks, will resist extradition from New York to Pittsburgh.

Will of Catharine A. Hull.

The will of Mrs. Catharine A. Hull, of Creagerstown, has been filed for probate in the Orphans' Court. She gives to her son, Charles M. Hull, the sum of \$500; to her daughter, M. Edna Hull, \$500. She directs the sale of her real estate, and what personal effects not bequeathed, and the residue of the estate to be equally divided between her four children, Daniel Hull, John D. Hull, Charles M. Hull and M. Edna Hull. She appoints her son, Daniel L. Hull, as her executor.

Been a Nun for Fifty Years.

Sister Mary Josephine Raphael, of the Visitation Convent, Frederick, celebrated her golden jubilee. Among those who sent this aged lady congratulations were the Pope, Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ireland, the Sisters of St. Joseph's here at Emmitsburg and other priests and devout Catholics.

Brown-Shelled Eggs Best.

Cold-storage men claim that brown-shelled eggs, being heavier and thicker, preserve better than white-shelled eggs. Soft shelled eggs can be caused by one of four conditions: Lack of sufficient lime in the food, indigestion, overfat, fright.

Preaching at Fountain Dale.

Rev. Ivan L. Snyder, pastor of the Rousesville, Pa., Methodist Episcopal Church, will preach next Sunday, April 17, at Fountain Dale at 10 a. m.; Fairfield, 2:30 p. m., and Orttanna, 7 p. m. Sermon: "The Christian Significance of Halley's Comet." Cordial welcome to all.

A Good Word For the Saloon.

One of our delinquent subscribers got drunk yesterday and paid us \$4 on subscription. A few orderly saloons are good things for a town.—Kelton (Wyo.) Gazette.



Tail of Harney's Comet as seen from Dry Bridge through a Schlitzscope. It is travelling at the rate of 9,400,000 miles a second (on the third speed) and is due next week at two o'clock.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS BEGIN WORK TO-DAY

Seventy Thousand Men and Women Must Finish Numbering Entire Population in Thirty Days.

To-day 70,000 census enumerators will be inflicted on the people of the United States. These men and women will work in all the States and territories of the Union proper and Hawaii and Porto Rico. Alaska, the Philippine Islands and Guam will not be included, as special arrangements are made for numbering the people of those dependencies.

Under the law the entire enumeration must be completed within a month, and in the cities the work is limited to 15 days. It is expected that some of the returns from the cities will be received as early as the first week in June, but the exact population of the entire country will not be determined before sometime in September. The census officials will, however, know within a few thousand of the number long before the close of the summer months. They will be able to reach a substantially accurate conclusion by their pay rolls, but this will be more or less speculative, and the figures will not be given out.

Director E. Dana Durand is counting upon a roll of not fewer than 90,000,000 names. This estimate is based upon calculations of experts and makes allowance for an increase according to the tendencies shown in the last three previous censuses.

ODDS AND ENDS

Thomas Byrnes, the great policeman is dying.

Thos. Walsh left an estate of \$10,000,000.

Lord Kitchner, of the British army, is now in this country.

Two earthquake shocks were recorded in Kansas this week.

Thomas F. Walsh, the millionaire Washingtonian, died last Friday.

Woodland fires are sweeping over valuable timber in two sections of York county.

Former President Roosevelt will address the National Conservation Congress.

"Jem" Mace, former champion pugilist of the world, celebrated his 86th birthday at London, Friday.

No traces of Dr. Cook were found on top of Mt. McKinley by the expedition that reached its summit on April 3.

A movement is on foot to have United States Senator Beveridge nominated by the Democrats for the Senate.

A missionary in Pittsburgh after exhorting his hearers to live that they might always be ready for the dread summons was assassinated by a crazy Pole on Sunday.

Judge Landis, in the United States District Court gave the National Packing Company and its subsidiary concerns until April 27 to plead to the indictments charging them with operating in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust law.

Called To Frederick Church.

The vestry of All Saints' Episcopal Church Frederick has extended a call to Rev. G. Freeland Peter, of Washington, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. Osborn Ingle. Rev. Peter Peter is assistant to Rev. Randolph H. McKim, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Epiphany, Washington.

ADMINISTRATION GUNS BOOM IN EAST AND WEST

President Taft Speaks in Washington and Attorney-General Wickersham in Chicago.

The campaign to popularize the present administration has begun. On Saturday evening President Taft spoke in Washington and at the same time Attorney-General Wickersham was in action in Chicago.

Mr. Taft told of the work of administration and held out his arms to welcome back into the fold the insurgents. Among the things he said in this line can be mentioned the following:

"We read nobody out of the Republican party. We want them all in the ranks. I don't wish to say anything that will seem to indicate that I feel that those men are not as sincere in their republicanism as I am."

Mr. Wickersham said: "Treason has ever consisted in giving aid and comfort to the enemy. If anyone wishes to join the Democratic party let him do so. But let him not claim to be a Republican, and in and out of season work to defeat Republican measures and to subvert the influence of the Republican President."

WHEN TO LOOK FOR COMET.

Halley's comet may be visible to the naked eye to-morrow morning. The following table shows when the sun and comet will rise:

	Sun Rises	Comet Rises
April 16.....	5:33 A. M.	3:59 A. M.
April 20.....	5:27 "	3:41 "
April 24.....	5:22 "	3:24 "
April 28.....	5:17 "	3:08 "
May 2.....	5:11 "	2:55 "
May 6.....	5:07 "	2:46 "
May 10.....	5:02 "	2:44 "
May 12.....	5:00 "	2:48 "
May 14.....	4:58 "	3:00 "
May 16.....	4:56 "	3:23 "

The comet will be visible until about May 30. On May 20, it is expected the comet will be at its brightest. From that day it will steadily decrease in brightness until it vanishes.

On May 20 the comet will first become visible after sunset. From then until May 30 the time of its visibility will increase each day. The increase will run from about one hour on May 20 to about four hours on May 30.

Harney Man's Narrow Escape.

Last week Mr. Howard Harner, of Harney, was almost buried alive in a well he was digging. Mr. Harner and his brother were drilling on the farm of Elias Leppo near the Swartz school house. The well was an old one about 82 feet deep and they had drilled 26 feet below the original depth when Mr. Harner descended to arrange the steel pipe which was to be installed. The walls of the old well started to cave in. Mr. Harner jumped between the steel pipe and one side of the wall and started to work himself toward the top. He had gotten to within about 18 feet of the top when he was entirely covered with dirt. Neighbors and friends quickly dug him out.

Get Busy With Incubator.

Before beginning the use of the incubator or brooder for spring work, thorough cleaning and disinfecting is important. In the long days of winter an opportunity for this work is presented.

Peoples Fire Insurance Company

FREDERICK, MARYLAND

Capital Stock \$100,000.00. Reserve \$10,000.00. Net Surplus \$25,000.00

INSURE WITH A HOME STOCK COMPANY.

JOHN A. HORNER, and H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Solicitors, EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND.

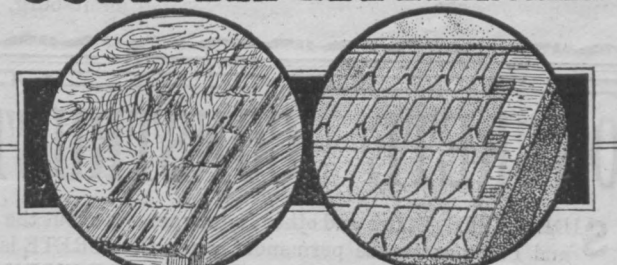
Sept 10-09-1yr.

Dorothy Dodd

Faultless expression of surpassing style character in the new oxfords. Exclusive models at very attractive prices.

Lowenstein & Wertheimer, Frederick Md.

CORTRIGHT METAL SHINGLES



ARE FIRE PROOF

THEY will not burn. Will not split or curl like wood shingles. Will not crack and roll off like slate. Will not rip at the seams like plain tin. Neither will they rattle during high wind storms. They never need repairs and last as long as the building. And last of all, they make the handsomest roof and are not expensive.

March 25-39ts.

JAMES G. BISHOP.

EMMITSBURG RAILROAD

READ DOWNWARD.				STATION.		READ UPWARD.			
408	406	404	402			401	403	405	407
PM	PM	AM	AM			AM	AM	PM	PM
4 15	5 57		AM	Le. Baltimore	Ar	10 25		5 45	7 20
6 05	10 34			Ar. Rocky Ridge	Le	8 33		3 26	5 25
6 10	3 30	10 35		Le. Rocky Ridge	Ar	8 30	10 30	3 20	5 20
6 25	3 45	10 50		Motters		8 15	10 15	3 05	5 05
6 40	4 00	11 05		Ar. Emmitsburg	Le	8 00	10 00	2 50	4 50

All trains daily except Sunday.

VINCENT SEBOLD,
General Manager.

July 30-09-1y

MATTING!

MATTING!

Have you bought your new Spring Matting yet?

If not call and examine my stock. I have just received

75 Pieces of Fine Quality

China & Japanese Matting

in all the newest patterns, including plain white ground with inlaid floral designs and all the new carpet effects, in red, blue and green in prices ranging from

12 Cts. to 50 Cts.

JOSEPH E. HOKE

Headaches

are relieved by perfect fitting glasses, for the reason that most Headaches are really Eyeaches.

If you are suffering from Headaches, consult

CAN YOU SEE THESE LINES WITH
EQUAL DISTINCTNESS?

IF NOT, YOU NEED GLASSES.

F. W. McALLISTER, CO.

OPTICIANS---

113 N. Charles St.,

PHOTO SUPPLIES,

One Door Below Lexington St.,

Mail your Photographic work to us, send for price list.

CAMERAS

KODAKS

Photo. Supplies

Photo. Supplies

Please mention this paper when ordering.

Feb 11 '10 yr.

THE WORLD'S TRIUMPHANT MASTER BREW

MOERLEIN'S CELEBRATED
CINCINNATI BEER

FOR SALE AT ALL HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS IN THE COUNTY

BALTIMORE BRANCH,
HOWARD AND CROSS STS.

W. A. STURM, Mgr.

Mount St. Mary's College
and Ecclesiastical Seminary

Conducted by secular clergymen, aided by lay professors

Classical, Scientific and Commercial Courses. New Laboratory for the practical teaching of Physics and Chemistry.

The latest modern improvements. Beautiful grounds. New athletic field. Fine gymnasium and swimming pool.

Separate department for young boys.

Address, VERY REV. D. J. FLYNN, LL. D.,
Emmitsburg, Maryland.

3-11-10

CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION

SIDEWALKS, Stairs and other Improvements about the Home and Farm are made permanent when CONCRETE is used. WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF THIS KIND OF WORK.

Monuments and Tombstones

We have designs in all the latest approved ideas of Monumental Art.

HOKE & RIDER

WEST MAIN STREET,

EMMITSBURG, MD.



Eisenberg's "Underselling" Store of Baltimore

When you order goods by mail from the Eisenberg Store your order is carefully looked after by our experienced "shopper." This shopper is as anxious to please you as if you were a close personal friend. She has an expert knowledge of grades, and if you were selecting in person you could not be more faithfully served. What-

ever you buy of the Eisenberg Store, by mail or in person, is bought at an underselling price and is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Freight prepaid
on purchases of
\$5 and over.

Eisenberg's
Underselling Store **Baltimore**
Lexington Street Bet. Park Ave. & Howard St.

IS THERE ROOM FOR THESE ON
FREDERICK COUNTY FARMS?Letter and Appealing Enclosure From
the Bowery Mission and Young
Men's Home, New York City.

The Editor:

Dear Sir:—The printed slip I enclose herewith will, I think, be of interest to your readers. It describes a personal phase of the "unemployed problem," concerning which I am continually flooded with inquiries.

The solution of the "problem of the unemployed" is more complex than appears on its surface to the casual reader. The lack of work is the main factor, it is true; but that there should be such a lack in a country apparently exceedingly prosperous is a great pity.

That there is something wrong in this goes without saying; but it is not our province to debate it. We are to help the helpless, and we invite those whose hearts are with us in our work to lend a helping hand.

Within the past twelve months we have sent over 4,000 men to positions on farms and elsewhere throughout the country, and are now making ready for the opening of Spring. For this purpose we are sadly in need of financial help. Will you kindly assist us by giving the enclosed story with the attached appeal publicity in your valued columns?

I am very sincerely yours,

JOHN C. EARL,
Financial Secretary
The Bowery Mission

The following letter from a typical member of the "Down and Out" Club at the Bowery Mission, recently visited by President Taft, throws a flood of light on the hard experiences of the homeless in the great metropolis. The letter was addressed to the Financial Secretary of the mission.

NEW YORK, December 20, 1909.

DEAR SIR:—The writer of these lines, a German office clerk, is without employment since about August 1, 1909. Last Sunday night another poor man, who slept beside me in the park, said that Mr. John C. Earl, of the Bowery Mission, would help me, if I told him my wife was sending me money from Germany to come back home. I had eaten nothing that day, and the police put me off the seat, so I lost the other man and walked about all night by myself. I could get nothing on Sunday to eat, and if you had not given me that food on the Monday I think I would have died.

From about August 10 I have been walking from office to office, from factory to factory, without result. My money, saved during the time I had been working, is now already about ten days gone, and only with the great-

est economy I could keep me so long. Since I am "down and out," I only was eating "free lunch." At noon time I would venture into a crowded saloon, where the lunchman was too busy to see if I had a glass of beer or not, and I would take a plate of soup and some bread, and in the evening I eat cold "free lunch."

The hardest thing for a poor man without a home is how and where to spend the night. After about 5.30 P. M., when the offices were closed, I went to the reading room in Cooper Union and stood there, usually till 10 o'clock. When there was any service in a German Protestant Church, I went to church; sometimes I have also been in a Gospel meeting of the Wesley Rescue Mission or the Bowery Mission. When it was too cold to walk the streets, or raining, I would spend 5 cents for beer, if I had it, in a saloon on the Bowery, where you can have free lunch and sit the whole night for that 5 cents. In those saloons you can see all classes and characters of people—poor men of all ages, sitting sleeping on a chair, or laying on a newspaper on the floor, who I do know would prefer a bed to a drink, and who were anxious to obtain work of any kind.

I have been in the Bowery Mission Bread Line several times. We would stand about one hour or more outside, till the doors opened, and me and the other poor men were all so glad when it was one o'clock; hungry and freezing men, all waiting for a cup of hot coffee and rolls. You can believe me that it is not so agreeable to stand one hour or longer outside on the street in this winter time, without anything in the stomach, freezing and shaking on the whole body. Some in this Bread line are well educated, and have seen better times, like me. Most of the men praised the Bread Line, and a few

were making fun about it. I can say, for my part, that no poor man can be thankful enough for this institution; and how different you feel after having had a hot cup of coffee, that makes you feel better and warmer! Out of the conversation of some men I heard that, after having had their cup of coffee and rolls, they would try to get back on the end of the line to secure another portion. I cannot say if they have been lucky in their trial; I never was. I went, after having had my portion, downtown for to get me the first morning paper and look for a position, the same as the other men did.

I repeat once more that I praise the Lord for the night that I heard of you. In my country, Germany, are not so many poor men as there are here in this city. Every poor man has a home or a bed; also there is more work. I have been employed in the greatest cities of Germany—in Berlin, Hamburg, Cologne, Bremen, etc.—but have never seen so many men without work as in New York; also, I imagine that it is easier to secure a position in the old country, therefore I wrote home to my wife for a ticket to go back to Germany. Thanking you for kindness done to me, and begging your pardon for disturbing you so long, I remain, very respectfully yours,

W. ERDELEN.

[When work opens up on the farms, we will ship thousands of these men to where their labor is in demand; but, in the meantime, any assistance you can render in helping us to tide them over the remainder of the winter will be gratefully received by John C. Earl, Financial Secretary of the Bowery Mission, 92 Bible House, New York City.]

Episcopalians of Pittsburgh observed Sunday last as a day of prayer against civic unrighteousness. A form of corporate repentance prepared by the bishop was read in all the churches.

TO PROTECT FRUIT TREES
FROM LATE FROSTSExperiments Carried on By Maryland
Experiment Stations at College
Park and Smithsburg.

The Maryland Experiment Station is testing the value of orchard heating to protect the fruit from late frosts. The officers are conducting the tests in orchards at College Park and at Smithsburg. They are testing the relative value of crude oil and soft coal as fuel for this purpose.

Thermometers are placed in the orchards that are attached to electric bells and so adjusted that when a dangerous temperature is approaching the bell will ring in the house and notify the owner that it is time to start the fires. Small sheet-iron stoves called "smudge pots," of about two gallons capacity, are distributed through the orchard at the rate of about 100 of them to each acre. It is usually sufficient to have the fires burning from three to six hours. This method of protecting the fruit has proved very effective in the West, and it would seem something of this nature was necessary in many parts of Maryland, where late frosts are prevalent, if orchards are to be as great a commercial success as they should be.

Weather Terms Illustrated.

Maiden with a powder puff
Dabbing here and there—
This reported weather-wise
Means "Continued fair."Hubby coming home at one,
Zig-zag course a-wending—
Weather signal in this case
Would be, "Storm impending."Baby climbing on a chair,
If she slips and falls,
It is not unlikely that
There'll be "sudden squalls."Girl and lover have a spat,
She flings down his flowers,
Lover, angry, grabs his hat
And rushes off—that's "Showers."Man sees tailor on the street,
Seems a trifle nettled,
Crosses to the other side—
That suggests, "Unsettled."

—G. H. W. in Boston Transcript.

Affinities.

In the Hereafter the man encountered a singular group of animals—two or three beavers, an otter, and some seals, all shivering, tho the climate, to say the least of it, was mild.

"We were skinned for your wife's furs!" they explained civilly, upon observing his perplexity.

He started and broke into a loud laugh.
"So was I!" quoth he, and joined them; and thenceforth they wandered on together.—Puck.

LAKE POKODUCAS, EAST AFRICA.

In the picture Kermit Roosevelt may be seen casting for ilosingo, the man eating fish of the tropics. This scene is a reproduction from the painting by Swathard, chief of the Knock Knocks, and was painted under water and forwarded to the CHRONICLE by wireless.