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Locals and Personals.

Our band will visit Littleton on Saturday night, the 10th.

Old exchanges, in bundles of 100, only 5c, at the Record office.

The latest craze among the Junior population seems to be stilt.

Robert Currens is home from Sykesville, suffering with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Henry C. Wilt is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Coombs, in Gettysburg.

The last days for registering are next Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6th, and 7th.

Mrs. F. H. Elliot left for her home in York Springs, on Thursday, after having spent a week here.

Theodore C. Fair has accepted a position in P. B. Englar's store, and will be found there after the 12th.

Dr. F. H. Seiss will accompany Rev. D. F. Garland, as delegate, to the Lutheran Synod in Cumberland next week.

James McKellip, a well known former resident of this place, arrived here from Nebraska last Monday evening.

From the great amount of trees blown down by the great storm, wood ought to be both plenty and cheap this winter.

Reindollar & Co., sold 105,000 shingles on Wednesday, which gives some idea of the extent of the damage done by the storm.

The cultivation of chestnuts is a new industry at Edgemont. Young trees are planted in orchards, the same as peaches are planted.

The Reformed Sunday school will hold a dinner and supper on Thanksgiving day, and also a supper on the Friday and Saturday following.

Have you registered? Next Tuesday and Wednesday are the last days for it. Good citizens always assume the duties of citizenship along with its privileges.

The democratic meeting to be held here Saturday night will, in all probability, be attended by a large crowd. Taneytown usually has large political gatherings.

H. M. Clabangh's family has removed to Baltimore for the winter. Mrs. Clabangh has been ill during the week, but not seriously enough to prevent their departure.

Rev. A. Bateman was in Baltimore, on Thursday, and proffered his final naturalization papers. He is now a full fledged American citizen, and will cast his first vote at the coming election.

There is a free silver man in Frederick county who will not allow a golden rod to grow on his farm, and a gold standard man who has cut down all the silver leaf maples in his yard.

The meetings of the Taneytown Republican Club will be held hereafter on Saturday night, beginning this week. The announcement made at the last meeting, for Friday night, is incorrect.

The total number of voters registered in this district to date, is 548. This leaves about 150 to come in on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. It looks now as if the full vote of the district will be registered.

The telephone bells were set to ringing on Friday morning, and a lot of pent up "hellos" released. It is only when debarr'd from its use, that we appreciate the value of our telephone service to its full.

For the month of September, Prof. Meier gives us the following weather data. Mean temperature 67; maximum 95; on the 11th; total precipitation 2.85 inches. Clear days 13, cloudy 10, partly cloudy 7. Hail on 20th; thunder storms 19th and 20th; prevailing winds N. E.

The dry goods store of M. Schneberger, in Westminster, is making special efforts this fall to increase their leadership for bargains. Their show windows are the great attractions in Westminster at present. The display is equal to those of the largest stores in Baltimore.

Wind storm insurance should receive a boom now, particularly in the Harney neighborhood. Nearly every person who suffered loss has fire insurance, but comparatively few have the wind insurance. There has been more loss in this section by wind in recent years, than by fire.

Rev. Mr. Garland preached his farewell sermon in Baltimore last Sunday, and will preach his introductory sermon here this coming Sunday, October 4th, in the U. B. church. Rev. U. S. G. Rupp, of Fort Washington, Pa., will probably succeed him in the Baltimore charge, as the congregation has extended him a call.

The Taneytown Improvement Association holds its initial meeting to-night (Friday) at Shriver's Hall, at which a program will be rendered which includes addresses, essays, readings and music. All members are requested to attend, and all who are interested in the movement, and may become members, are cordially invited to be present.

The assessors are now working over time. In other words, the extension to Sept. 30th, having expired, they are now proceeding on the assumption that further time will be granted. In this assessment district, Middleburg election district has not been touched yet, and Taneytown not one fourth through. At the present rate, two months more time will be needed.

NOTES FROM EVERYWHERE.

Items of current news boiled down, for busy readers.

It is announced that republican speakers Hale and Frye will make speeches in Baltimore, and that Hon. Thomas B. Reed will also be there once during the campaign.

A Dorchester county farmer, who has a crop of about 6,000 bushels of corn, has turned a herd of sixty hogs in upon it, believing that it will pay him better in this way than by housing it.

The assessors for New Market district have completed their work. They say there will be a considerable decrease in the taxable basis in their district. This seems to be the prevailing impression throughout Frederick county, and it is expected as a consequence that taxes will be increased from 20 to 25 per cent.

Point the hourhand of a watch to the sun, and the South is just half-way between the hand and the figure XII. For instance, suppose that it is four o'clock. Point the hand indicating four to the sun, and II on the watch is exactly south. Suppose that it is eight o'clock; point the hand indicating eight to the sun, and the figure X on the watch is due south.

George Crocker, a Californian, has just succeeded to property valued at \$500,000 as a reward for abstaining from intoxicants for five consecutive years. His father left in his will, a provision to the effect that if at any time within fifteen years after his death, his son, George, would leave liquor alone for five years, he should have the legacy, but otherwise it was to be divided among the children of the trustees.

Agent Moore, of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Department, has unearthed the cause of the low price of oats and corn. He claims that the adulteration of animal food of all kinds commonly practiced. Glucose is extracted from the corn by the sugar refineries, and the residuum is passed through hot rolls to evaporate the moisture, and sold to millers. Brewery swill is treated in the same way, and utilized for the same purpose.

A shooting affair occurred on the Bucketsville road, about five miles from Frederick, early on Sunday morning, in which Thomas Carter was killed and Edward Nelson seriously wounded. The shooting was done by Benjamin Butler, who claims self-defense as the cause. All the parties are colored, and they had been having a big time at a cake walk, where there had been more or less drinking and disorderly conduct. Butler was lodged in the Frederick jail at 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

Dr. A. R. Todd, of Brunswick, has been committed to jail in Frederick city by the court in default of bail on three indictments found against him for unlawfully selling liquor. He keeps a drug store, and it is alleged, wrote prescriptions for liquor, which he would be able to settle his cases with the court by pleading guilty, but when he understood that the sentence would be \$300 and costs in each case, he preferred taking his chances with a jury.

The comparative statement of the receipts and expenditures of the government for the month of September shows the total receipts to have been \$24,584,244, and the expenditures \$26,590,535, leaving a deficit for the month of \$1,995,291. The deficit for the three months of the present fiscal year is \$25,194,129, as compared with a deficit of \$9,884,658 for the corresponding months last year. The receipts during the last month show a loss, as compared with September of last year, of nearly \$3,300,000 from customs, and about \$580,000 from internal revenue.

The seventy-seventh annual convention of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Maryland will be held in St. Paul's English Lutheran church, Cumberland, beginning October 8. Governor Lowrey will deliver the address of welcome to the ministers. The response will be made by Rev. O. C. Roth, of Baltimore, president of synod. Rev. Victor Miller, of Leitersburg, Md., is secretary of the synod. Rev. Dr. H. L. Baugher, president of the General Synod, and late professor of Greek at the Gettysburg Theological Seminary, has engaged quarters during the synod, and it is said, will ask the synod for a hearing regarding the alleged unfair treatment of himself by the trustees of the seminary in removing him from the chair of Greek.

Ford's Opera House, Baltimore, was packed to the doors on Wednesday night, with an enthusiastic crowd composed of many society people and baseball rooters, who attended the benefit performance tendered to Hanlon's pennant winners. The benefit is estimated to have made \$1000, for the Orioles. Besides the regular raffle performance and baseball specialties connected therewith, the spectators were treated to a three-round sparring contest between the famous pugilist, James J. Corbett, and his boxing partner, Prof. McVey. Just as Corbett was about to begin his bout, he was treated to a surprise as pleasant as unexpected. Mr. Chas. E. Ford presented him a gold-headed cane and gold-headed umbrella, from the Baltimore Baseball Club, as a mark of their appreciation of his kindness to the Orioles on that and other occasions. Corbett, with his face beaming with pleasure and appreciation, bowed his thanks to the boys sitting in the boxes to the left.

THE GREAT STORM.

Immense Damage to Property all over this section.

The greatest wind storm ever experienced in this part of the country visited us on Tuesday night, beginning at about 10:30, and continuing steadily with increasing violence until 12 o'clock. There was then a lull for about ten minutes, when it again commenced, more violently than before, and lasted for about an hour. The damage to the town and vicinity was very great, and was pretty generally distributed. Nearly every property suffered in some way; trees were uprooted and broken off; windows and chimneys demolished, and many buildings more or less damaged.

The principal losses in town which have come to our knowledge, are as follows: The upper portion of the church, at the corner of Liberty and W. Streets, was moved, but not damaged as much as was at first supposed. The spire of the Catholic church was twisted, and the walls of the church, and the ceiling, considerably damaged. The Eckenrode building suffered the loss of a large chimney, and the roof and several rafters, and the property was otherwise damaged.

About half of the roof of A. Shoemaker's barn was blown off; the kitchen chimney of Eline's hotel blown down; chimneys and roof of Dr. C. Birnie's house considerably damaged; large circular bay window in second story of E. E. Reindollar's house broken; flag staff in front of the school building blown down; the roof of the buildings at "Antrim" much damaged by the falling of large trees. Nearly every property suffered loss in trees, fencing and windows, and accessories of all kinds are in demand.

So far as reported, the chief damage to property in the district is as follows: The residence of Frank B. Clabangh, the owner, is likely in excess of that of any other. The gable end of G. W. Baumgardner's house, and the porch, blown down; the Charles Hoekensmith, demolished; Henry Hiltner's and C. W. Winegar's wind pumps were blown down and buildings damaged; James L. Shriver's outbuildings were all more or less damaged. A gable end of the school house at Martin's was blown in, and roof damaged; at David Trimmer's, one side of wagon shed blown in; James Harner's buildings, and those on the Galt farm occupied by the Hoekes, are greatly damaged. Oak Grove school house, practically ruined. Elmer Hess, George Weant and others in that section, suffered severely.

Abram N. Hess lost a portion of his wagon shed roof. Mrs. P. A. Long, James Reindollar, Frank B. Clabangh, Vereley J. Clonisher, Grier Shoemaker, Pierre Garner, and James Neely sustained various losses, all of which were covered by tornado insurance placed by P. B. Englar in the Continental Insurance Company. In fact, to enumerate all the damage done in all several columns, as several properties escaped. Corn fields are in a pitiful condition, the shocks being crushed and scattered in every direction. The damage to timber is very great, many fine trees, as well as old ones, being broken and uprooted. For other storm news, read our letters from correspondents.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

In Westminster, the house of Dr. J. Howell Billings was carried over two adjoining houses, landing in the yard of Mr. Jacob Wolgemuth. Two houses of J. Hoff, on the Liberty street, were unroofed; also the house of Mr. Grove J. Shipley. The greater part of the slate roof on the house of Mr. Charles Koch was carried away. Mr. William Yingling, living on Fair Ground Hill, suffered considerable loss, his barn and all his outbuildings were wrecked, together with the back part of his dwelling house.

The residence of Mr. Charles Stewart, on Green street, was unroofed. Daniel Hunter, living just outside of Westminster, had a carriage-house blown down. The carriage-house contained a new Deering binder, day wagon, and carriage, and they were destroyed. The barn of John Wagoner on Washington road, was destroyed, together with a horse and cow. The barn of the following persons were wrecked: Martin Lane, Mrs. Clara Haines, Mrs. Reese. The house of ex-Sheriff Lynch was unroofed, and the porch blown away. The lawn of the Catholic church property on Main street presents a wretched appearance. Two magnificent trees were destroyed. One was broken off about twenty feet from the ground, and the other, a splendid tree, supposed to be at least a hundred years old, was uprooted. This tree stood at the back end of the church and fell alongside of the building, but strange to say, not a nail was broken. At the corner of the jail every window-glass in the building was smashed.

Great damage was done in Middleburg district. Franklin public school house, a mile from Double Pipe Creek, was entirely wrecked. L. F. Miller's house, in Middleburg, was unroofed; also the school house. The school was destroyed except the barn, which was unroofed; the roof of Dr. Hammond's flouring mill, on Little Pipe Creek, was blown off, and the barn of J. W. Weant in Double Pipe Creek, was destroyed. Much damage to the stabling and other buildings at Bollingbrook, the large racing stock farm of R. Walden, near Middleburg, is reported.

At Sykesville great oaks, lofty poplars and walnut trees, the prettiest of the village, were either broken or uprooted. Houses were unroofed, chimneys blown down and barns overturned. The large lumber yard of W. H. D. Warfield was nearly demolished and its roof piled up against St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church. Five hundred yards of heavy piece of timber was hurled through the window of Mr. Harvey Fowble's house. The front of John McDonald's store was driven in and two large show windows destroyed. At Warfield College many fine oaks were prostrated and one was hurled against the last end of the college. Two trees were uprooted from the grounds of the Protestant Episcopal rectory and hurled against the building.

At Keysville the roof was blown entirely off of the church, and nearly every property in the neighborhood damaged. The barn owned by D. M. Stuller was partly unroofed, and nearly all the windows in the farm house blown in.

SUICIDE IN WESTMINSTER.

Miss Carrie Horner takes poison in a cemetery.

Miss Carrie Horner, aged twenty-three, a daughter of Mr. Charles Horner, an old employee in the *Advocate* office, committed suicide last Sunday afternoon in the Westminster cemetery, by swallowing a dose of strychnine. Her rash act was discovered shortly after it was committed, but all efforts to save her life proved unavailing.

She was to have been married to William Brock, a young man in the grocery business in Westminster, but it is reported that Brock announced his inability to support a wife, and, although a license had been obtained, he claims that no date for the wedding had been named. Another report is that they were to have been married on the day of the suicide, and that the postponement of the event inspired her rash act.

The two were in the cemetery together talking over the situation, when Miss Horner made the threat that she would kill herself, and walked to another part of the cemetery. Brock, however, had no idea that she was in earnest, and was horrified to find her in convulsions a few minutes later. Dr. Billings was hastily summoned, and she was removed to her home where she died in a very short time. As she had provided herself with the poison, it is clear that she contemplated taking her life.

Church of God, in Uniontown.

The Church of God in Uniontown held a "Harvest Home" meeting on last Sunday. In the morning at 10:15 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. Sellhamer, preached an able and instructive sermon from Exodus 23:10, drawing lessons from the harvest. The singing was very cheering, conducted by Prof. J. Billmeyer with Mrs. Carrie Messler at the organ. In the evening the Sabbath school gave an excellent literary and musical entertainment. Miss Eva Gilbert presided at the organ. Mrs. Beekie Reichter and Miss Eva Gilbert deserve great credit for the preparation of the fine and interesting program. Mr. J. P. Garver delivered an address entitled "Struggles," which was very impressive. The church was finely and richly decorated with the fruits of the season, all of which were presented to the pastor at the close of the services. The congregations, both morning and evening, were large. The school acquitted itself well, and the "Harvest Home" meeting in Uniontown will long be remembered. The Rev. J. R. Gearinger, of Huntington Co., Pa., was present during the exercises, and thus added to the interest of the occasion.

Rev. Miss Clara Landis, of Illinois, who will start on her Missionary tour about the first of November, will preach in Uniontown both morning and evening of October, the 11th, and at Frizelburg at 2:15 p. m. She will preach in Middletown on Monday night, the 12th, and at Mayberry on Tuesday night, the 13th, at 7:30 o'clock.

The "twenty-fifth" annual anniversary of the Churches of God will convene in the Carrollton Bethel, the 11th, of October. The Rev. U. H. Englar, the retiring speaker will preach the opening sermon at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Miss Clara Landis will preach on Thursday evening. The meeting will continue till some time the following week. All persons desiring to attend by railroad can secure orders for excursions by applying to Rev. G. W. Sellhamer, Uniontown, Md. The business sessions are open to all who wish to attend.

The church in Uniontown held their election for pastor for the coming year, which resulted in the re-election of the present pastor, Rev. G. W. Sellhamer, for the eleventh year. This speaks well for the wearing qualities of Mr. Sellhamer.

Water this year, or not?

Will some one tell us why there is nothing being done with the water question? What is the cause of the delay? The whole summer has passed and winter rapidly drawing near, and still, after all the work and enthusiasm to get the enabling act passed, there has apparently been but little accomplished since. Do the promoters of the scheme think it will be wise to wait until after another May election before doing anything? This would seem very much like playing with danger, and besides, it is putting off the benefits and protection of water. If it is such a desirable thing for us, and we can have it, why not have it as soon as possible?

Sound Money Democrats.

General Palmer and General Buckner, sound money democratic nominees for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency, appeared at Music Hall, Baltimore, last Friday night and opened the campaign for the party in this state. Speeches were made by the candidates, and by Hon. Isidore Raynor and Hon. Wm. Pinckney Whyte.

FREE DELIVERY OF MAIL.

Carroll County Selected for Experimental Free Delivery.

The Postoffice Department has selected Carroll county, in Maryland, as the place for an experimental free delivery system. The last postoffice appropriation bill set aside about forty thousand dollars to be expended in rural free delivery experiments. The system involves the selection of some leading town in the county selected, which is made the distributing point for the county delivery. A carrier is appointed, who is paid from two hundred to four hundred dollars per annum. The carrier makes one delivery on his route every day. The route includes every available farm or hamlet in the county, as it is the ambition and the purpose of the rural delivery system to furnish to the farmer a delivery system almost as complete as that furnished in the cities. Out of the salary paid to him by the department the carrier is expected to furnish his own horse or bicycle, as it is plainly impossible for any man to cover the vast territory involved in his district afoot. The system will be started in Carroll county in a short time.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, Sept. 28th, 1896.—Adam P. Yingling, executor of Sarah Yingling, deceased, returned list sales of goods and chattels.

William F. Doyle, executor of Matthew Doyle, deceased, returned list sales of goods and chattels and settled first and final account.

The last will and testament of Florence A. Shipley, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to J. Frank Shipley.

Charles T. Repp, executor of William Repp, deceased, reported sale of real estate.

Mary E. Otto, guardian of Ira E. Otto, settled first account.

THURSDAY, Sept. 29th, 1896.—Christian Harris, administratrix of Reuben H. Harrison, deceased, settled first and final account.

Christiana Harrison, bonded as guardian for Thomas A. Harrison and Edward S. Harrison.

Report sale of real estate of Eliza Dorsey, deceased, finally ratified.

Report sale of real estate of John N. Fletter, deceased, finally ratified.

Uniontown.

Our town was visited on Tuesday night by one of the most violent wind storms ever witnessed by her inhabitants, reaching its greatest velocity and destructiveness at midnight. Most of the lumbering population were driven from their couches by rocking houses, the crashing of window panes, and the terrific and unceasing howl of the wind. The town has been almost entirely stripped of her beautiful shade trees, and those left standing are twisted and broken. Telephone communication has been entirely cut off, houses barns and other buildings injured or destroyed, and woodlands almost ruined. The Methodist Protestant church was partly unroofed, gable blown in and furniture injured. The Church of God was deprived of its steeple and belfry; Red Men's Hall was partly unroofed. Chimneys of many of the houses in town were blown down. The woodlands of Messrs Lewis Myers, Emanuel Formwalt, Samuel Englar, James Devilliss and Edwin G. Gilbert, all fine timber, are almost destroyed. It would be useless to attempt to tell of everything and everybody who suffered loss by it, for nearly everybody felt its cruelty in one form or other.

Thos. Clyde Rounton entered the University of Maryland Medical Department, on Thursday.

John E. Heck was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday. He is not very much enamored with his new home, (Baltimore).

Registration in Uniontown District thus far foots up a total of 436.

The assessors are at work in this district—began work on Monday.

A traveling variety show was in town on Monday night, and sparingly patronized. Most of the auditors were on the outside.

Miss Hannah Yingling is very ill, and not much hope is entertained for her recovery.

Emmitsburg.

One of the most terrific and destructive wind storms passed over our town and vicinity, on Tuesday night, commencing about half past ten and continuing almost the entire night, carrying destruction as it went along. The tin roof was torn from the Western Maryland Hotel, trees were uprooted, sheds and stables unroofed and carried long distances. Over one hundred trees were blown down in the woods at Mt. St. Mary's College; also a great many on the private grounds at St. Joseph's Academy.

Mrs. O. A. Horner has returned home after visiting friends and relatives in St. Joseph, Mo., Lima, Ohio, and Rock Island, Ill.

Mrs. Joseph Baffington and son, Joseph, are visiting her father, Rev. Wm. Simonson, D. D.

James Adelsberger, young son of Augustus Adelsberger, who has been critically ill, for the past two weeks, is somewhat improved.

DEB.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions charged with the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published free of charge.

REINDOLLAR.—On September 25th, at York Road, Philip Ernest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Reindollar, aged 13 days.

MCKINNEY.—On September 25th, near Hoods Mills, Catherine, wife of R. C. McKinney.

BYERS.—Near Copperville, September 28th, Mr. John Byers, aged about 70 years.

Correspondence.

New Windsor.

Rev. J. Fred Heise, editor of the *Baltimore Methodist*, gave a lecture in the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, subject "Banana Peels."

The new depot is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy within two weeks. It will make about as fine appearance, when finished, as any fine along the line.

The college school is progressing finely, and bids fair to be a success.

Mr. R. S. McKinney and mother spent Sunday night in town, on their way to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. C. McKinney, in Freedom district.

The storm on Tuesday night raged for 24 hours or more, and is said to be the worst ever experienced here by all who mention it. The barn of Mr. E. E. Roon, west of town, was blown down; we have also had reports of many smaller buildings being destroyed, and many others unroofed. There was no telegraph communication between Baltimore and points on the W. M. R. R. on Wednesday, (about 3:14 p. m.), the wires having become very badly tangled the entire length of the line.

Mr. U. G. Heltbride has in his possession a sea gull which was picked up on the street here, Wednesday morning, having evidently been carried here by the force of the storm the night before. It was alive, but crippled so as not to be able to fly.

Mrs. L. S. Banker had her fall opening of millinery goods on last Friday and Saturday when she made a magnificent display of fine goods. The decorations were of blue and yellow bunting, golden rod and pinks. The store was continually crowded on this occasion.

Linwood.

We can scarcely think or talk of anything to-day, but the hurricane of Tuesday night. The damage done in our vicinity seems to be general, as each one got a sufficient share. Buildings were thrown down and demolished; Messrs Jasper C. Shriver, Lou Messler, Israel Rinehart, Louis Ecker, Thomas Haines, Ezra Garner and Dr. Royer suffered the loss of outbuildings, some to quite an extent, while the loss of fences and timber was generally distributed. Seventy-five large oak trees in the grove of Mr. Lou Messler, adjacent Mr. E. L. Shriver's, were uprooted and twisted off, while a large Norway spruce on the lawn at "Linwood Sheds," that has stood the storms of 40 years, was twisted from the body 12 feet above the ground and carried 30 feet.

The blacksmith shop at Linwood was blown over, and Mr. Joe Englar's lumber yard had a general mix up. Mr. J. Q. Seneesy lost quite a number of his trees blown down, in fact we have heard of no one that entirely escaped destruction, but we have much to be thankful for, as no lives were lost nor any one hurt.

Mr. E. L. Shriver lost a valuable horse this week with epizootic.

Mr. Harry Rinehart and family, of Ohio, are visiting Mr. Rinehart's father, Mr. I. C. Rinehart.

Mr. Samuel B. McKinstry and bride, of McKinsty, have returned, and Mr. S. is busy with his fall trade, Mr. Unger and bride have also returned from their tour and will very soon go to housekeeping in the suburbs in the little cottage that has been anxiously waiting for an occupant.

York Road.

Miss Nannie Lynn has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Miss Lizzie Cover spent the past week visiting friends in Frederick.

Mrs. Mary Shierly returned home on Saturday, from Eastern Maryland.

Miss Bertha Reindollar left Wednesday evening for Hagerstown, Md., where she will spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Brown, and attend school.

Quite a severe rain and wind storm passed over this section of the country on Tuesday night, doing much damage in its path, but York Road was very fortunate, only a great many trees were uprooted and several outbuildings blown down. W. F. Cover's Hay shed was moved about 18 inches off the foundation. It created quite a scare, and a great many persons went into their cellars for protection, but we will thank God for the safety he has given us in the past storm, and hope he will protect us in the future.

The youngest son of Mr. C. F. Reindollar, died last Thursday night, Sept. 23th, aged 13 days. Interment took place Saturday afternoon, in the cemetery at Mt. Zion (Haug's) Lutheran church, Rev. R. S. Patterson officiating.

Mr. John Igenritz, while cutting corn on the farm of Mrs. Mehring, was accidentally cut on the knee by Charles Appler, the farm hand, making a gash which required four stitches to keep it together. Under the treatment of Dr. Diller, we learn he is doing nicely, and we hope he will soon be able to be out all right again, as it seems that all the trouble in our town falls to this family.

A number of persons secured tickets, at the office at this place, for Hagerstown, to attend the Missionary Convention.

Bridgeport.

On Tuesday night, a very violent storm passed over our community, leaving a general destruction of property in its wake. Many buildings were unroofed and some totally demolished. On the farm of Mr. Geo. Valentine, a large grain shed was entirely blown away from its foundation and demolished. The large grain shed of Franklin Baumgardner was completely wrecked, and also the large brick house on the James Shriver farm, now occupied by James Harbaugh, about a mile west of this place, was blown down and Mr. Harbaugh and family narrowly escaped being injured. There is scarcely a farm in this entire community that escaped without some building injured, more or less. The blowing down of corn shocks, trees and fences was universal, and some of our oldest residents say they never saw so much corn scattered by the wind, which was almost a cyclone in violence.

Mr. Eli Ohler, an aged and respected citizen of near this place, died on September 23rd, and was buried at Emmitsburg, on Friday, September 25th, aged about 75 years.

Miss Annie R. Smith is off on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Fannie Sulder, of Front Royal, Va.

Harney.

Mr. John G. Hess and wife visited friends in this place, last Saturday.

Mr. Manny Hess, of Hagerstown, son of John G. Hess, is visiting at his grand father's, Mr. Daniel Hess, in this place.

Hilda Lorraine, infant daughter of John and Carrie Myers, died on last Monday morning, aged 3 weeks and 1 day; interment took place at the U. B. cemetery on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Andrew Stonesifer has ordered a Universal rotating sifter for in his mill, to take the place of his old boys. Mr. Stonesifer always believes in being up to the times.

We are certainly greatly indebted to Mr. V. J. Clousner for a nice lot of sweet pumpkins.

We write to length about the storm on Tuesday night, but supposing that every person had plenty of it, we will simply say that so far as we can learn, every person in this community sustained considerable damage.

Copperville.

Mr. John Byers, aged about seventy years, died near here on Monday evening, about 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Byers was twice married. His first wife was a Miss Anders, the last a Miss Crandorf, sister of Mr. Aloysius Crandorf, of Taneytown, who, with two sons and three daughters, survive him. His last illness covered a period of two months. Interment was made in the Reformed cemetery in Taneytown, on Wednesday.

Mr. Byers has a claim pending against the U. S. government for stock taken, and property destroyed at the time of the Gettysburg battle, which now amounts to nearly \$2000, and, although his claim was properly made up, he was never able to collect one cent of it.

The W. M. R. Co's shops were pretty badly shaken up, and part of the tin roof torn off. The wind carried the roof from Mr. S. D. Sensey's barn, over near the railroad track; it also overturned a number of smaller buildings for him. The steeple on St. James's Lutheran church was moved from its foundation some five or six inches, and narrowly escaped coming down. It is thought that it will be necessary to take it down, as it is unsafe as it stands and it cannot be replaced substantially otherwise. There were many windows broken and chimneys blown down in different parts of the town, besides many fine shade trees, the streets in some places being blocked by brush and trees. This place was completely cut off from all communication by telegraph or telephone service until about four o'clock, Wednesday evening. The storm outside of the town was scarcely less severe.

Mr. John Long, of Virginia, spent several days with friends here this week. Mr. L. formerly worked in the machine shops here.

Mr. W. H. Norris has been named foreman of the Indian Garden Mfg Co. here.

Mr. Edward Billmeyer and family, of Roanoke, Va., who spent a week here with friends, returned home on Saturday last.

Mr. W. R. Straw spent Sunday and Monday in Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. Samuel Welty has accepted a position in the shops here.

The children of Mr. J. E. Lambert who have been sick with remittent fever, are slowly improving.

Mr. C. W. Zumburk, left here on Wednesday, for Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he will attend school.

Mr. Geo. H. Ogile, who has been in charge of the telegraph office at Middlevale, Pa., during the peach season, returned home Thursday morning, after closing the office for the season.

Mr. Harvey Little, who returned to the Hospital to have the third operation performed, as was mentioned in these columns, is slowly improving.

Olive Conell, No. 50, O. U. A. M., gave a banquet on Thursday evening for the benefit of the members and their families, which was a decided success. The hall was crowded and after listening to an address of welcome from Mr. Wm. Wood, all were invited to the banquet room to partake of the many good things of which there was an abundance for all. Mr. C. Harry Stein made the concluding address. There were 75 or 80 present. They also had some fine music.

Double Pipe Creek.

The storm of last Tuesday night was very severe in this locality; in town, only a few trees were blown down and the R. R. bridge near here slightly damaged. The principal damage was among the farmers. On the farm of Mr. D. R. Saylor, covering by Mr. John S. Weybright, the house roof was completely blown off, and a large corn crib blown over. The roof of the house was tin and the noise it made frightened the occupants very much. On the farm of Mr. Chas. Dougherty the roof of the house and barn were entirely blown off. On the farm of Mr. J. W. Weant, the barn roof was partly torn off. Mr. Geo. Miller's wagon shed was blown over. The wind pump on the farm of Mr. L. F. Miller, tenanted by Mr. Edward Meutzer, and the wind pump on the farm of Mr. Joshua Dotterer, tenanted by Mr. Oliver Angell, were blown down and destroyed. The straw stack on the farm of ex-Judge Chas. was blown over and scattered over part of the farm.

The roof of the barn on the farm of Mr. Hezekiah Fox was partly torn off, the barn roof moved several feet off the foundation. Mr. William Adams had his barn roof partly torn off, part of the gable end of the barn blown in and the wind pump destroyed. Franklin school house, about one mile and a half north of here, is a complete wreck; one half of the roof on both sides was blown off, the south gable end blown in and part of the east wall. Grove Academy (Frederick Co.) about a mile south of here is also damaged very much. Some valuable timber and fruit trees were destroyed on the farm of Mr. Samuel Weybright; also on the farm of Mr. Jesse P. Weybright. The corn fields are in a miserable condition, and it almost makes a person groan to look at them. It was the most severe storm experienced in this vicinity for many years.

A delegation of democrats from here will attend the mass-meeting in Taneytown, Saturday night.

Mr. Charles F. Elgenbrodt, employee of Mr. Jesse P. Weybright, spent last Sunday at his home in Turmount.

Miss Minnie Miller, of Union Bridge, is visiting in town.

Mr. Harvey C. Miller and wife, of Philadelphia, Pa., formerly of this place, are visiting at Mr. J. W. Barlick's.

Union Bridge.

The heaviest wind and rain storm that this vicinity has known for many years, passed over our town on Tuesday night last. It lasted for more than two hours, leaving behind it a wide trail of damaged buildings and ruined trees. Mr. Jacob Stoner's residence on South Main St., has a portion of one end blown in and some of the slate roof torn off. A number of the fine shade trees around Mr. John H. Repp's residence were blown down, one of them falling against his house, knocking a portion of one chimney off. A portion of his fence around the yard was also blown down. Mrs. McKinstry's house on West Broadway was considerably damaged by

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SATURDAY, OCT. 3rd., 1896.

Days for Registration.

Tuesday, October 6, Wednesday, October 7.

FOR REVISION ONLY, Tuesday, October 13.

IF OUR farmer friends want a first-class farmers' monthly, let them subscribe for the Agricultural Epitomist. It costs but 25c. a year, when taken with the RECORD. It is a farmers' paper all through, and does not preach rank politics and discontent. Call and see a sample copy of it.

THE SUICIDE of Miss Horner, in Westminister, last Sunday, makes the third event of this kind among females, in this county, within a period of seven months. This is a remarkable record, particularly when we consider that by far the greater percentage of suicides is among men; so great in fact, is this preponderance, that a female suicide is comparatively rare.

That there are some very poor calculators in Westminister, is an evident fact. The Advocate limits the crowd at the late republican mass-meeting at 350, while the Sentinel says it was estimated as high as 3000. It is really remarkable how easily wise men can disagree on such a crowd, while they can come together happily, or at least agree to "split the difference," when it is a camp meeting or base ball crowd.

THE Review of Reviews for October continues its admirable record of the Presidential campaign. In the July, August, and September numbers the Republican, Democratic, and Populist conventions were reviewed, together with the careers of the nominees. In the October number the movement of the "sound-money" Democrats, culminating in the Indianapolis convention, receives similar attention. No other publication in the country offers in a single number such a wealth of political portraiture, or so wide a range of cartoon illustrations. Every noteworthy phase of the canvass is fully and impartially presented. Material is gathered from every source and carefully digested.

Too much Campaign.

The thirty days intervening between now and election day will be full of campaign oratory, processions, mass-meetings and brass bands; all of which will furnish inspiration for the space covering newspaper reporter who has a reputation to make or maintain, and for the writer of editorials, who is chiefly interested in saving the country in his own particular way—usually the way of his party. Lies will be told, heads punched, money spent, and health and pleasure sacrificed, all because the presidential campaign must be conducted on the typical American plan, which means that the different parties must try to outdo one another in everything—fair or unfair—which they conceive will advance the chances of their candidates.

This may all be very regular, and fair enough in a certain way, yet, after all, it is ridiculous, and positively harmful to the country. Certainly, there is very little dignity about our campaign methods; from beginning to end it is dicker, excitement and scramble; and, after the victorious candidate is seated, the criticism, vituperation and agitation which follows in the administration is scarcely an improvement over the campaign itself.

Our nominations are made too early. When we consider that we have our district primaries, county, state and National Conventions, one following the other, and each supposed to be representative of the people, it seems to follow that the results arrived at in the final convention should not need such a long time for digestion by the people at large who first set the system in motion. Whether this be good logic or not, it has but little to do with the main point—that campaigns are too long. Certainly, with our magnificent facilities for carrying and disseminating news with rapidity, two months ought to be long enough for a National Campaign, and one month, for a state or county campaign.

Some people, possibly, like the long and exciting contest; some people make money out of it, while others don't care, or simply endure it; but, to many, it is a season filled with anxiety, unrest and financial loss. Just last week the RECORD received a letter from an advertiser in another state, saying, "We will make no new advertising contracts until after the election." Evidently, the firm conceives that there may be a result which will be unfavorable to its business. Whether its conclusions are correct, or not, has but little to do with the question, but it shows, undoubtedly, that elections do unsettle business, for a time, at least; consequently short campaigns would make short periods of such uncertainty.

There could be no greater return in politics than to have less of it. New and improved election laws are proper and necessary; conventions, nominations and educational campaigns, are also necessary; but, in this age, when people are quick to learn, prompt to act, and intelligent enough to know how to vote without argument and cajolery, long campaigns have no good uses, but furnish fruitful seasons for the professional politician, the wire puller and boodler, and a correspondingly disastrous period for those who are content to fight for a living on the outside of the political arena.

Read the speeches and editorials from now until election day, and you will find that for the most part they are warmed over dishes. Editorial writers keep the dust off their Gitantries of synonyms by their constant efforts in trying to find new dresses for old ideas, and the speakers say their pieces over until they are threadbare and tiresome. When legitimate ideas and arguments run out, as they are apt to do, in a long drawn out contest, the "campaign lie" is a natural consequence, and, in other ways, "The devil finds work for idle hands to do." Let us have reform in politics, through the short campaign. The country needs it, and demands it.

More News.

Beginning with this issue the RECORD will give its patrons more news matter, a fact which is made possible on account of the close of our series of histories, and which, no doubt, will be very agreeable to our readers. We propose to give one or more leading news events of the week, in detail, rather than a greater number of items, which are unsatisfactory on account of their brevity.

THE RECORD assumes the position that most people want news and miscellaneous items each week, interspersed with a little humor, rather than a lengthy story; consequently these features will be prominent in our paper during the great reading season which is just opening. It is scarcely necessary to repeat that we desire original contributions, on all most all topics, which will be for the general interest and education of our patrons as a whole, and the RECORD has always invited co-operation in this direction.

A National Flower.

Governor Lowndes has appointed Mr. Henry Hoisapel, Jr., of Hagers-town, delegate to represent Maryland in the convention at Asheville, N. C., October 21, which has been called for the purpose of petitioning Congress to designate a "national flower" to be the emblem of the United States. While it must be admitted that this will be a very difficult job for Congress to perform satisfactorily, in view of the predilections of the people of the various sections of the Union for the flowers that grow among them, the flower question is one that excites general interest. The question of a national flower has been freely debated in the newspapers. Every section stands up for its particular flower. The daisies and the violets, the goldenrod and the roses, the sunflower and cosmos, the primrose, the bluebells, the prairie flowers, the thistle, the rarged robin or kaiser bloom, and nearly every other kind of bloom have their advocates.—Sun

Eight tickets in the Field.

There are now eight Presidential tickets in the field as follows:

Prohibitionists—Nominated at Pittsburg, May 27:

For President—Joshua Levering, of Maryland.

For Vice-President—Hale Johnson, of Illinois.

National Party—Free Silver Woman Suffrage offshoot of the regular Prohibitionists, nominated at Pittsburg May 28:

For President—Charles E. Bentley, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President—James Hayward Soungate, of North Carolina.

Republicans—Nominated at St. Louis, June 18:

For President—William McKinley, of Ohio.

For Vice-President—Garrett Augustus Hobart, of New Jersey.

Socialist-Labor—Nominated at New York July 4:

For President—Charles H. Matchett, of New York.

For Vice-President—Matthew Maguire, of New Jersey.

Democratic Party—Nominated at Chicago, July 10 and 11:

For President—William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President—Arthur Sewall, of Maine.

Silverites—Nominated at St. Louis, July 24:

For President—William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President—Arthur Sewall, of Maine.

People's Party—Nominated at St. Louis, July 24 and 25:

For President—William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President—Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia.

National Democratic Party—Nominated at Indianapolis, September 3:

For President—John McAuley Palmer, of Illinois.

For Vice-President—Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky.—N. Y. Dispatch.

Agriculture in Schools.

It is a fact that what a large majority of farmers know about farming has been learned, parrot-like, by imitating others and not from books, papers or original investigation. The son copies his father's ways, right or wrong, and these are often wrong than right, and this is the sole cause of so much poor farming to day. The farmer's children all attend school and learn to read, write and cipher; but about agriculture the school curriculum is as silent as the grave. Train a child up in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it. Equally true is it that if he is neglected and imbibes wrong methods, as he is certain to do, he will never depart from them. There is practically nothing done in the schools to excite an interest in agriculture, and the pupil for all he would learn there, would be as ignorant of the subject as an Esquimaux. Not one in a hundred can even tell

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

The botanical name of a potato. This lack of education as concerns its own business makes the average farmer an unpleasant person to converse with or with whom to have any dealings. They are generally sticklers about doing something "in the moon," talk about "hollow horn" in cattle, cows "losing their quid" and generally are fairly superstitious. They cannot be convinced by argument, no matter how fallacious their ideas may be. One is a fair sample of the rest. I had an encounter with him last spring. He is far past middle life. He claims to be one of the best farmers in the county; says he knows more about farming than any professor of agriculture at the colleges; that not one of them could make a living at farming alone; that the professional horticulturists do not know half so much about planting trees as he does; that people who write for the papers about farming do not know anything at all about it; that the editors must have something to fill up the paper, and that he will take no back seat for the best farmer in the state.

This is confidence born of ignorance. Now, this man is a good, kind neighbor, and pays his obligations when due. He really believes all he claims. He is entirely honest about it; but I observe he shelters his farming implements under the broad canopy of the universe, stores his manure under the eaves, has never cleaned out his henhouse and prepares his fire wood for the stove from day to day, or when to meal the year around—that is, when he has a patient wife, does not do it herself. This is not an isolated case. Such are in most neighborhoods. These "know-it-alls" never take a first class agricultural paper, and would not read one if they did. With them a paper is a paper. They are not judges of quality. The young people of the family generally get from one to three 25 cent monthlies of the kind that are largely filled with "free" or something for nothing advertisements of a pernicious character.

The 25 cent subscription price is a mere blind, for as a rule they will send the paper a year to any one who will forward the address of ten persons. By this means a entry post-offices are flooded with this worse than trashy literature to put on the morals and pockets of callow and confiding farm youth. Augusta, Me., New York City and Chicago are mostly responsible for urging this demoralizing stuff. It is an appalling state of affairs, and how came it about? The farm child learned at school to read, write and cipher, and there his literary education was dropped. He had not received one particle of advice or intimation as to how he should use his acquired knowledge of the kind that are largely filled with "free" or something for nothing advertisements of a pernicious character.

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When the mind is young and plastic a very little agricultural instruction would be treasured up and eventually set the machinery of a broad investigation at work which would result in producing a farmer who would be an honor to the calling. But the great trouble has been that before there was not an agricultural text-book designed for common schools in existence. Seeing the need for such, Professor Reiser, of the New Jersey Agricultural College and Experiment Station, has just caused to be published his "First Principles of Agriculture," a work of 212 pages, designed especially for use in common schools as a text-book. It has been with him a labor of love as a teacher more than of any other object. The first sentence of his preface expresses in concise form the object of the work. It is this: "The purpose of this book is to state in logical order the elementary principles of scientific agriculture and to show the relation of these scientific facts to farm practice." It commences at the foundation of the subject and progresses in regular gradations up to the heights of scientific farming. It will interest the farmer throughout and will instill into him a desire for further research and he will become one among the best farmers of the country. This work has been adopted as a text book in every country common school in America.

But strange as it may seem, there is some opposition to such a text-book in the common schools! A western paper recently printed a symposium on the subject. One of the writers said: "Why should we teach agriculture any more than we should teach journalism? We have no right to teach agriculture when it will be of no use to that particular child merely because it will be of use to some other child. And then there will we get the teachers capable of testing agriculture? Perhaps it would not be just to the majority to teach it in city and village schools, but in country schools, where the pupils are all sons and daughters of farmers and most of them will have that occupation during life, it is not only justice to them to teach them agriculture, but it is the duty of the school authorities to furnish the necessary facilities. Every reading, thinking and observing person deplors the generally low condition of agriculture, and this condition is truly ascribed to a lack of agricultural information.

Too many farmers are so deep in rut that they will never get out. Ephraim is joined to his idols. You cannot teach old dogs new tricks. If agriculture is ever elevated to its proper dignity it will be by instructing the young in better ways. The young man's future status as a farmer is determined before he reaches his majority. If his path is in agriculture it always will be. There need be no fear that teachers could not be found who are capable of teaching agriculture. The primary work of Professor Voorhees can be readily understood by any one who is qualified to perform the duties of a country school teacher. Speed the day when agriculture shall have its proper place in the country schools. Until then, unless sooner stilled by the hand that is unseen, my pen and voice shall be active in this good work.—Dr. Galen Wilson in N. Y. Tribune.

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REGISTRARS—Thomas D. Thomson, J. V. Eckenrode. TOWN OFFICERS.

BURGESS—H. D. Mehring. COMMISSIONERS—Dr. G. T. Motter, Edward Kemper, W. Jesse Roberts, Josiah Koutz, E. K. Reaver.

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Presbyterian Church.—Commencing on the first of April, preaching on the first three Sabbaths in the month at 8.30 p. m., and on the fourth Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. Sabbath School one hour before church service.—C. E. Society Prayer Meeting 8.30 p. m. every Sabbath Evening.—Weekly Prayer Meeting Tuesday Evenings at 7.30 p. m.

Piney Creek Church.—Beginning April 1st, preaching on the first three Sabbaths in the month, at 10 a. m., and on the fourth Sabbath at 2.30 p. m. Sabbath School one hour before service. Rev. P. Roscoe, Pastor.

Trinity Lutheran Church.—Regular Services discontinued, owing to rebuilding of the church. Sunday School every Sunday morning in the Public School building. C. E. Society services every Sunday evening in the U. B. Church. No Pastor in charge. Dr. Geo. T. Motter, chairman of Church Council during the vacancy.

Grace Reformed Church.—Services every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School 9 a. m. Y. P. S. C. at 6.30 p. m. Rev. A. Bateman, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church.—Mass 9.30 a. m., Vespers, 3.30 p. m., catechism, 3 p. m. every Sunday. On the first Sunday of each month, benediction after mass, concluding the services of the day. Rev. T. D. Mead, Pastor.

United Brethren Church.—Preaching every Sunday at 2.30 p. m. Sunday school at 1.30. Hymn charge, services at 10 a. m., and 7 p. m., alternately. Rev. T. Wagner, Pastor.

Post Office. T. H. ECKENRODE, Postmaster. Mails arrive from Linwood at 9 a. m., from R. R. at 9.55 a. m. and 5.10 p. m.; from Harney 2.30 p. m.

Mails close at office, for R. R. north, 5.45 a. m.; for Linwood 10.10 a. m.; for Harney 11.00 a. m.; for R. R. south, 5 p. m.

Star Route to York Road, carrying mail for Baltimore and other points, closes daily at 4.30 a. m. Returning, the carrier arrives at Taneytown at 7.30 a. m., with mail from Baltimore, Westminster and other points.

Societies. Patriotic Order Sons of America, Camp 2, Md. meets in Eckenrode's Hall, Thursday Evenings, at 7 o'clock. Charles E. H. Shirner, President. John J. Reid, Sec. Sec'y.

Carroll Conclave Heptastopos, meets on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of every month. W. E. Burke, Secretary.

Taneytown Improvement Society. Adjourned until first Friday night in September. Geo. H. Birnie, President.

Styles for Elderly Women. Women are not elderly as early as they used to be, and some never seem to grow old, being up to the times all their life. From sixty to seventy is the time when women still wish to look well, yet dread dressing too youthfully.

The appearance, as well as the age, should govern the elderly woman's apparel. Dark blue, gray, violet, lavender, deep green, black, clear and reddish purple are all suitable colors. A silvery-haired woman looks charming in a gown of the deep rich red called grenate. Lace ruffles of a creamy shade are becoming to withered hands, and a lace jabot at the throat is becoming. Pointed and ripple basques are worn, also the long jacket waists showing a full or flat vest. Large and small revers and epaulettes effects are in order, and crush collars of silk or ribbon. Elderly women do not wear belts or round waists, and their sleeves are of a moderate size. Their skirts are of the five yard width, interlined to a depth of ten inches all around, and of six to nine gores, a full figure taking the latter. As many matrons of this age are rather prominent in front it is well to fit the front gown with a few gathers in the belt. Elderly women should wear soft-boned corsets or corset waists.—Emma M. Hooper in October Ladies' Home Journal.

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Home and Farm.

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From Aunt Dorothy. (For the RECORD.) I have been waiting patiently all these weeks for some of the sister readers of the RECORD to give me through its pages something beneficial—something new in the house-keeping line. They certainly find something new in the 955 days, that would be a benefit to some one else, and this exchange of ideas I have found very good in my line of work. I enjoy talking housekeeping, and am willing to divide any good receipts I may have.

I would like to have a good receipt for pickling onions—large ones. I will give my receipt for Chile sauce, which I consider superior to tomato catsup; also crullers that are fine. CHILE SAUCE. 13 large ripe tomatoes, 6 large onions, 3 tablespoonsful of salt, 2 tablespoonsful of brown sugar, 3 tea-cups vinegar, 1 tablespoonful ground cinnamon, use pepper to suit taste—1 use Cayenne. Peel tomatoes and chop them 2; also onions. Boil all together 2 hours, bottle and seal. It will not mould if well corked. CRULLERS. 1 egg, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup sour cream, a small pinch of salt, 1 small teaspoon of spice to suit taste; mix soft and roll half inch thick, fry in hot lard. Sweet cream and yeast powder may be used instead of sour cream and soda. AUNT DOROTHY.

Farming Firms. The business of farming, when we stop to think of it, is seen to be carried on almost exclusively by individuals. To recognize this fact is sufficient to induce more thinking—a good deal more. Here is a condition novel and peculiar. In all other important lines of business men combine together. But the firm of Farmer & Co. is hardly ever heard of. Why should there not be farming firms, as well as firms of manufacturers, brokers, lawyers or merchants? Farmers are modest and take back seats, although theirs is the oldest and greatest industry. A most important business of all. How much they might do that now falls short of accomplishment, if they would join hands more and shun each other less.

The farmer owns a large farm, but has hardly any working capital. His next neighbor has very little land, but plenty of money. There is a chance for a partnership by which both may profit. A farmer has a good farm and knows well by experience how to manage it, but is unable to do hard work. He knows a man who has no practical knowledge of farming, but he has health and strength, is anxious to learn and willing to labor. These two men should be able to come to an agreement to work the farm together. A farmer has more land than he can take care of. His boy, having reached his majority, is about to leave—he doesn't know when, or for what. Why doesn't the father take the boy to partnership and keep him at home? A farmer is growing old, and cannot carry on his farm himself. Hiring help is unsatisfactory. He will sell or rent the old farm, and he and his wife, with sorrowful hearts, will fairly retreat into a city. Better take as a partner on the farm an honest man with youth and strength. Then he and his wife might spend their declining years where they could take comfort.

Aside from farming on shares, it is a remarkable fact that scarcely anything like partnership exists in general farming. In a land where many are always unemployed, this ought not to be, for labor is a great factor in farming. In the farm firm, not only land, stock, machinery and money, but honesty, youth, health, strength and enthusiasm, count in the investment.—(S. B. Keach.)

Economical "Don'ts." Don't leave the tea canister open. Don't throw away scraps of meat. Don't leave soap to dissolve and waste in the water. Don't allow apples to decay for want of sorting over. Don't spill tea, coffee, sugar and rice by careless handling. Don't leave vinegar and sauce stand in tin or iron. Don't forget to hang up brooms and mops after each using. Don't neglect looking after the dried fruits until they become wormy. Don't leave the kitchen lights burning when they are not in use. Don't use a diff. for fish clothes, nor napkins for fish towels. Don't use the corner of the kitchen apron nor convenient towels for holders. Don't allow new brooms to be used in scrubbing the floors and pavements. Don't leave the wooden ware unsealed and allow it to warp and crack. Don't forget that pork off a spoils for want of salt, and beef because the brine wants sealing. Don't allow pickles to become spoiled by the leaking out or the evaporation of the vinegar. Don't leave cream to spoil in the pantry, nor mustard to spoil in the crock. Don't use silver knives for scraping the kettles nor silver spoons about the cooking. Don't throw away water in which fat meats have been cooked without first removing the grease. Don't throw away the bones of meat, and the carcass of turkey or chicken that could be used in making soup. Don't burn more coal than is necessary, and neglect to arrange the dampers when the fire is not in use.

HAVANA CIGARS SCARCE.

No Fresh Cuban Tobacco can be Expected next Year.

Smokers of fragrant Havana cigars will learn with sorrow that the supply of tobacco from Cuba is practically exhausted, and there are no prospects of a crop next year. This does not mean, however, that Havana cigars have gone out of the market, or that the prices are at present prohibitive. The stock is in the hands of the manufacturers, and most of those in Boston have about two years' supply on hand, so that the famine will not be felt very seriously until next year, when the prices are likely to be so high that Havana cigars will indeed be a luxury. The following year the loss is likely to be felt even more, as, even if the Cuban rebellion is settled within a year, it will be impossible to put in a new crop and have it ready for the manufacturer before the present supply is almost exhausted. The normal tobacco crop of Cuba is about 200,000 bales. The crop this year amounts to about 20,000 bales, or 10 per cent of the usual supply. Owing to the war the present crop, which is now practically all in the hands of the manufacturers, will be the last sent out of the island for some time. There are no laborers to cultivate another crop this year, and even if there were, it is unlikely that the insurgents would allow them to work. Then it must be remembered that of the crop produced only about 40 per cent is exported, so that the supply of the United States this year is small indeed. Only the best grades of Cuban tobacco are exported, and, unlike sugar or any other production of Cuba, the tobacco deficit cannot be made up from any other source, as there is no imitation of "real Havana" which can take its place. The insurgents are in possession of the Vuelta Abajo and other districts which raise the finest tobacco produced in the world, and they will not permit the raising of a new crop.

One of the largest dealers in Cuban tobacco in the world is I. Kaffenburgh, of this city, and Cienfuegos, Cuba, who handles more than half the amount of Havana tobacco brought into Boston. Mr. Kaffenburgh, who through the Cuban house is thoroughly informed on the situation in Cuba, says that a Havana cigar is rapidly becoming an article to dread over. His house in Cienfuegos has handled about 6,000 bales, and practically all the Cuban tobacco in the world is in the hands of the wholesalers or manufacturers. He does not expect any supply worth considering next year, but does not think a famine immediate. "As a rule," said Mr. Kaffenburgh, "the manufacturers of Boston carry about a year's supply. When the prices of Cuban tobacco began to go up, owing to the insurrection, manufacturers here began increasing their supplies on the rising market, so that they now have about double the usual quantity on hand. The retail trade has not yet felt the advances that have come later. The price of tobacco has gone up about 60 per cent, and while the prices here have not yet advanced as much as this, I expect to see much higher figures quoted. There is no prospect of any material supply for a year or more, and the prices next year may double. It may be a year before the retail trade will feel the advance seriously, and the manufacturers may not increase their prices as much as the Cuban dealers will, owing to the supply they have on hand, but a considerable advance seems certain. The man who has been buying two Havana cigars for 25 cents will not feel like paying 35 cents apiece for them. The supply may last longer than is expected, but there will always be a demand for Havana cigars by people who can afford to pay the prices asked. One thing is certain; those never can be anything to take the place of Havana cigars; no country on earth can produce a substitute. People may be forced to accept a poorer quality of cigars, but it looks now as though Havanas will be able to command their own price in a year or so, as there seems to be no prospect of the Cuban troubles."—Boston Transcript.

How they Walk. The queer habit men have of regarding women as mysterious beings whose actions and modes of thought are quite incomprehensible, was amusingly illustrated recently by a writer who wondered through a column and more, why women, when walking, seemed embarrassed about how to dispose of their hands. The custom of the sex carrying a purse, cardcase, umbrella or other something was explained to be an effort to solve the question of what should be done with her hands. Most peculiar, so it was averred, and very unlike the habit of men.

It is indeed quite true that the sexes on the street manage their hands and arms after different fashions, but unlike in this particular is artificially produced, as the wondering writer could easily have ascertained if he had taken the trouble to investigate. Men of high and low and all intermediate grades swing their arms as they walk; that beautiful, natural and comfortable movement is not permitted to a woman or girl with any pretensions of good breeding. Don't swing your arms in among the earliest of the long calendar of "Don'ts" prepared exclusively for girls. In fact, among the very awful sins that conservative people charge against the bicycle girl is that when she is off her wheel "she strides along and swings her arms." What she should do, according to these censors, of course, is to glue her arms to her sides and to take lady-like steps. However, athletics is likely more and more to claim the homage of woman, and it is more than possible that ere long convention will permit her arms to swing as freely as those of her brother, and when that time arrives one more woman "mystery" will be dissipated.—Vogue.

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NOTICE TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS of Carroll County.

Pursuant to the directions contained in Section 13 of Chapter 202 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its January Session, 1896, the Board of Supervisors of Elections for Carroll County hereby notifies the Qualified Voters of Carroll County, that the Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters for the several Precincts of the several Election Districts of Carroll County will sit for the purpose of Registering all the Qualified Voters of Carroll County BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8 A. M. AND 8 P. M., ON

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, Tuesday, September 22, Wednesday, September 23, Tuesday, September 29, Wednesday, September 30, Tuesday, October 6, Wednesday October 7th.

AND FOR REVISION ONLY ON OCTOBER 13, 1896,

at the following places in the several Election Districts, to wit:

DISTRICT NO. 1, COMMONLY CALLED TANEYTOWN DISTRICT, J. V. Eckenrode and Thomas D. Thomson, Judges of Election and Registers of Voters, will sit in room in residence of Thomas D. Thomson, in the town of Taneytown.

DISTRICT NO. 2, COMMONLY CALLED UNIONTOWN DISTRICT, Robert W. Fleagle and Henry Trout, Judges of Election and Registers of Voters, will sit in room in residence of Dr. Luther Kemp, in the town of Uniontown.

DISTRICT NO. 3, COMMONLY CALLED MYERS DISTRICT, A. S. Nowkell and Augustus Rickstein, Judges of Election and Registers of Voters, will sit in room in residence of J. William Earhart, in the village of Union Mills.

DISTRICT NO. 4, COMMONLY CALLED HAZEL DISTRICT, Milton S. Barwick and Albert W. Fuss, Judges of Election and Registers of Voters, will sit in room in the residence of Albert W. Fuss, situated on the Baltimore and Reisterstown Turnpike.

DISTRICT NO. 5, COMMONLY CALLED FREEDOM DISTRICT—IST. PRECINCT, Joseph W. Steele and William D. Selby, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the residence of John Reid, in the village of Eldersburg.

2ND. PRECINCT, R. H. H. Shipley and Francis T. Buckingham, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the residence of James Francis, in the village of Berret.

DISTRICT NO. 6, COMMONLY CALLED MANCHESTER DISTRICT, H. S. Musselman and Cornelius Miller, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in vacant store room adjoining the residence of Nelson Warehime, in the town of Manchester.

DISTRICT NO. 7, COMMONLY CALLED WESTMINSTER DISTRICT—1ST. PRECINCT, Charles H. Fowler and Charles A. Geraud, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in vacant room adjoining the residence of G. W. Grainger, on Main St., in the town of Westminster.

2ND. PRECINCT, John A. Mackintosh and Joseph H. Krieger, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in vacant store room adjoining the store of Gilbert & Gebr, Liberty street, near Main in the town of Westminster.

DISTRICT NO. 8, COMMONLY CALLED HANSPER DISTRICT, F. L. Hann and William H. Murray, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the Enterprise Building, in the town of Hampstead.

DISTRICT NO. 9, COMMONLY CALLED FRANKLIN DISTRICT, Lewis C. Franklin and James A. Easton, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the residence of John T. English, in the village of Taylorsville.

DISTRICT NO. 10, COMMONLY CALLED MIDDLEBURG DISTRICT, George W. Shank and M. L. Koons, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the Lynd House, in the village of Middleburg.

DISTRICT NO. 11, COMMONLY CALLED NEW WINDSOR DISTRICT, William D. Lovall and Henry Englar, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room on Church street in the town of New Windsor.

DISTRICT NO. 12, COMMONLY CALLED UNION BRIDGE DISTRICT, J. U. Baker and John M. Hollenberg, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in a room in the settlement of Geo. Reck, on Main St. in the town of Union Bridge.

DISTRICT NO. 13, COMMONLY CALLED MT. ALBY DISTRICT, Thomas M. Anderson and J. Theodore Gosell, Judges of Elections and Registers of Voters, will sit in vacant store room adjoining banking house of Jones & Co., in the town of Mt. Airy.

HOWARD F. SCHAEFFER, President; CHARLES H. SAPP, CHARLES V. WANTZ, Board of Supervisors of Elections for Carroll County. Sep-26 3t.

TURF TOPICS. Fellears, 2:10 1/2, sold for \$110 last spring. Rachel, 2:08 1/2, has been retired for the season. Splan may send Newcastle to Europe in the fall. Agitato, 2:09 1/2, is the fastest 3-year-old pacer of the year. The recent Detroit meeting proved financially successful. A. H. Moore paid \$12,000 for Red Wilkes, by George Wilkes. There are a good many trotters and pacers by Norval out this year. The Detroit Driving Club has determined not to give a fall meeting. Allerton, 2:09 1/2, is the sire of seven new 2:30 performers, and heads all sires. Red Starr is the best son of Red Wilkes since the days of Ralph Wilkes, 2:06 1/2. King Mambrino, sire of the well known western pacer Dr. M., 2:13 1/2, is sold. Sallie B. the grandson of Benetta and Early Bird, was killed by lightning recently. John Splan has turned Direction, 2:08 1/2, over to W. L. Rice of Ohio for the balance of the year. The stable name of W. W. P., who holds the world's wagon record of 2:08 1/2, is Willie Will He Pace. Ottinger's mile in 2:11 1/2 in Montana is said to have been quite equal to 3:09 over a well prepared trotting track. Sphinx gets another new one in the brown mare Gok who has a record of 2:30 in the 2:40 trot at La Harpe, Ills.

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GREAT DESTRUCTION.

LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY all over the East.

DAMAGE IN MD. AND ELSEWHERE.

The great storm of Tuesday night, came from the West Indies, and up the coast from Georgia where it formed in the morning as an equinoctial storm, caused by the cooler air of the north coming in contact with the hot air of the tropics. It made its first appearance in Cuba on Saturday, advanced to Georgia, and then proceeded north-easterly with a rush, gathering strength as it moved on. In Baltimore and other buildings were unroofed, signs and wires torn down, and immense damage done to shipping in the basin. Many were lost, but there were many narrow escapes. The churches, parks and cemeteries sustained great loss.

In Baltimore, the cyclone was even more destructive than in the city. At Texas, in the county, the blowing down of a line of chimneys resulted in the death of an unknown tramp who was sleeping on the side of the fire. Barns and dwellings were blown down, roads made impassable by fallen trees and great masses of fall crops ruined.

Rockville was stripped of its beautiful shade trees and the damage done to the houses and other buildings cannot be repaired for \$50,000. Reports from Laurel indicate great destruction to property in the bordering counties of Howard, Montgomery, Anne Arundel and Prince George's.

At Liberty, in Frederick county, the storm seems to have been very severe. E. L. Smith, the miller, carried off eight large trees which had fallen across the road before he could bring his maul to Frederick City. The cable end and roof of the large brick residence of Joseph Greager were crushed in. The roof was torn away from the residence of Mrs. Jonathan Brown. A large barn with several David Swedens was moved about six feet and twisted out of shape. The roof was carried off from the house of Dossy Jones. A large new barn, 80 by 60 feet which was just put under roof by Mrs. Marcella Beall, was wrecked.

At Ellicott City, the roof of the main building of St. Charles' College was torn away and the ball alley, a large frame structure, was blown down. The damages at St. Charles' amount to \$3,600. The tin roof on the chapel building of Patapsco Institute was badly wrecked, and the beautiful trees on the grounds of the institute are nearly no longer, for dozens of them are down.

The west gable end of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, at Myersdale, Frederick county was blown in and the roof carried some distance and hurled against Lloyd Kogole's house. The steeple was not damaged. The pulpit was demolished and a number of the pews in the Sunday school room were broken by falling bricks. A fine organ was carried away.

A number of houses in Washington were blown down and there were several miraculous escapes from death. The damage to property is estimated at \$250,000. The White House was slightly injured and twenty-five of the beautiful trees in the grounds were destroyed. The largest oak which suffered the loss of their tops and principal branches. The building occupied by the War, State and Navy Departments lost a part of its roof. The big shiphouse at the navy-yard was partially unroofed. The tower of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church came down with a crash.

St. Aloysius' Church and Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church were also injured by the gale.

At York, Pa., Sept. 30.—One of the most destructive storms in the history of York county struck this section late last night. The damage in York city and county will be in the hundreds of thousands of dollars. The grounds of the York County Agricultural Society, whose thirty-ninth annual exhibition was in progress, suffered the greatest injury. The main exhibition building, probably the finest in the state, is a complete wreck. It was blown down with a crash and turned over on its side. The carriage-house on the grounds is also a wreck. The large grand stand at the race courses with the roof of its first story, was blown down. Part of the roof of the Horticultural Hall and the doors of the poultry house were blown off. Large numbers of animals were lifted up and carried away. All these buildings were new and cost about \$30,000. The damage to the fair grounds will not postpone the fair.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 30.—For over an hour last night this city and county were subjected to the severest windstorm ever known here. The greatest single loss is the Pennsylvania railroad bridge across the Susquehanna at Columbia. The leading left of it but the piers, the iron span in the middle and the first span at each end. The bridge was a mile and a quarter long and was said to be the largest covered bridge in the world.

The remains of the bridge, which was lifted bodily from the river, lie in the river above the piers. As it was carried away cries for help were distinctly heard coming from it, but it was impossible to reach the ruins. Diligent examination is being made today with the aid of boats, but so far without success. Two men are reported to have been killed in the bridge. The bridge was built in 1859, and cost about \$1,000,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Last night's wind storm, though furious in the city and vicinity, as elsewhere in the East, did little damage ashore, and so far no disasters on the Long Island, New Jersey or New England coasts have been reported. The greatest damage sustained is by the prostration of telegraph and telephone wires.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 30.—The cyclone that swept over this section of Georgia yesterday, has hardly been equalled in intensity and destruction within the memory of the living here. The wind reached its highest a short time after noon. The instrument at the weather bureau registered 60 miles an hour and then went to pieces. The total damage to property in Savannah and Chatham county is estimated at from \$700,000 to \$1,500,000.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Sept. 30.—The damage caused by the storm that passed over this section last night is greater than anywhere else in the East. It is now believed the total loss to property will reach \$350,000. Fourteen dwellings and twenty board shanties occupied by nine workers were blown down and five of the dwellings were consumed by flames. A panic resulted. Two of the tenants were killed, several were injured and eleven head of cattle were crushed to death beneath the dismantled barn.

LEBANON, Pa., Sept. 30.—The storm throughout the Lebanon Valley was severe. Buildings were unroofed, trees were uprooted and broken off and outbuildings were demolished. At Elizabethtown, the Church was blown down. The total damage in this county will foot up \$50,000. The storm was especially severe on the tobacco sheds, in which this year's crop was stored.

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 30.—The storm last night was one of the severest that ever passed over this city and section. The wind blew furiously for more than an hour and damaged property all over the city and Manchester to the extent of many thousands of dollars. All of the higher buildings in Richmond sustained more or less damage and the churches were all injured in some manner or another.

Gamber.

The Ladies' Aid Society was entertained on Thursday, September 24th, by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Bush, at their pleasant home near town. The devotional exercises were led by Rev. S. W. Coe; after the regular business of the society was transacted, the guests were invited to the dining-room where everything for the want of the appetite was heartily supplied. After supper they adjourned to meet one month hence, at Mr. Lewis Shipley's. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Bush, Rev. S. W. Coe, G. W. Horner, Mr. and Mrs. Labez A. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Williams, Miss Anna Murry, Mrs. R. E. Barnes, Mrs. Joseph Caple, Mrs. Maggie Branning, Mrs. Margaret Haines, Mrs. A. C. Lamotte, Mrs. G. A. V. Shipley, Mrs. N. Zentz, Mrs. Maggie L. Bush and Mr. Gordon Branning.

The following persons have been appointed a committee to hold an orderly supper in the basement of the Providence church, on Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, and Friday and Saturday evenings following: Mr. Joshua Peeling, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Williams, Mr. Jabez Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnes, Mr. Jesse Patterson, Mrs. A. C. Lamotte, Mrs. Lewis Shipley, Miss Anna Murry and Mrs. Joseph Caple.

Mrs. Lavina Crumline, an aged lady, died at the residence of Mr. Wm. Crapier, near Pinkburg, and was interred at Providence Cemetery on Thursday, Sept. 24th.

Mr. Lewis Shipley had the misfortune to lose a number of fine sheep, by being killed by a lot of worthless dogs with which our neighborhood is infested. If our legislature would pass a law to have every worthless cur killed, it would be a blessing to the country.

Mrs. Joseph Willis, a former resident of our village, but lately of Woodbury, Md., died suddenly of heart disease, at her late residence, on Wednesday, September 23rd. Interment at Mt. Pleasant M. E. church on Friday, Mrs. Willis, who was well known in this community, leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was a daughter of the late Joseph Poole.

The children of Mr. James Barker and Mr. Lloyd Pool are ill of scarlet fever, at this writing.

Mrs. Mollie Warehime and two children, of Baltimore, paid a visit to friends at this place last week. The dance given by Mr. Thos. Gorsuch, in Steffy's grove, on Thursday night last, was quite well attended.

Protracted meeting began at Providence on Sunday last.

Mrs. Carrie Gamber and Miss Daisy Barnes are visiting friends near Carrollton.

Wm. F. Jordan and Mrs. Albert Gamber are on the sick list.

A Navy to be proud of.

Ex-President Harrison in writing of "This Country of Ours" in October Ladies' Home Journal reviews our navy department, and tells of the reconstruction of our new navy. "We have no great admirals and no shipbuilders with the capital, the skill, labor and the experience to fit them to enter this new field," he writes. "John Roach, however, had the courage to believe that he could create a competent ship and build the new vessels. He put everything at risk and should have had better treatment from the Government than he received. He was fairly entitled to some of the profits that have since accrued to those who have walked in the path he blazed. We have now, both on the Atlantic and Pacific, ship-yards and builders capable of constructing any ship and of putting into her any machinery of the first efficiency. We have also great steel plants, costing millions of money and capable of making armor plates of the highest resisting power, and steel gun forgings of the finest quality. These great ship-yards and steel plants are convincing proofs that the supremacy we once had in wooden ship-building may be attained—in it has not already been attained—in steel ships. * * Practically all of this work has been done within ten years, and the Secretaries of the Navy who have presided over and directed it; the constructors and ordnance officers of the Navy who have furnished the plans and designs; and the steel-makers and ship-builders who have executed these plans are entitled to the highest praise. We have always had a Navy personnel to be proud of, and we now have a Navy to be proud of—not a finished Navy, but one on the way. A new battle ship is a new argument for international arbitration—for you must have noticed that peremptory demands for a fixed amount of damages are usually made upon nations that have no battle ships nor torpedo boats. It is not our plan, I am sure, to match the great navies of Europe. We may safely keep our register of vessels well within theirs; but we do not intend again to leave the sea."

If Troubled with Rheumatism Read This. ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 16, 1894.—I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and found it to be all that is claimed for it. I believe it to be the best preparation for rheumatism and deep seated muscular pains on the market and cheerfully recommend it to the public, JOHN G. BROOKS, dealer in boots, shoes, etc., No. 15 Market St.

ALSO READ THIS. MECHANICVILLE, St. Mary's County, Md.—I sold a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm to a man who had been suffering with rheumatism for several years. It made him as well as me. J. MCGILL, For sale at 50 cents per bottle by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

Hon. W. C. Whitney, ex-Secretary of the Navy, was married on Tuesday to Mrs. Edith S. Randolph, at Bar Harbor, Maine. The wedding was entirely informal, no special invitations being issued.

If certain rumors are true, ex-President Benjamin Harrison's apparent unpopularity in the present political campaign has been satisfactorily explained. It is said that the General and his wife are more interested in daily little gossams and fluffy laces than in the solution of the pending money problem.

WHY THE ORIOLES WON.

The strength and weakness of the Teams in the League.

Baltimore won because the Orioles are better fitted for a long campaign than the other clubs. The Baltimore pitchers would not out a sorry figure with any other team, but the team work of the Baltimore is enough to carry any club. Ned Hanlon could take Cunningham, Frazer, Hill and Herman, the Louisville twirlers, and still win the game as easily as he did with his present staff. Possibly they would do better and land him with even a higher percentage than the boxmen he used this year.

The Baltimore are snappy batters, not on the slugging pattern, but full of tricks and dodges, quick, hard hits just outside the diamond, neatly placed punts and all the other snappy things. They run bases beautifully and with judgment and head-work, while their fielding is superior to that of any other team in the League. Such a combination is too much for any club to beat, and Baltimore will only lose when they advise a generation of young players who never been in the speed, or when some manager is as lucky in getting together his men as Cleveland was of late.

The Baltimore team, Kelley, Keeler, Jennings, Brodie, Hemming and Esper have all been kicked from pillar to post in by-gone days, and were nearly placed in a casket to show the world they really possessed. Robinson is the steady element that holds the Cleveland pitchers in check. McGraw, Clarke and Pond were taken apart by Robinson and Hanton; McJannet and Doyle were safe and reliable veterans, and the final combination is one that has never been excelled, even in the days of Anson's best braves and the St. Louis Browns.

Cleveland finished second because the nine had better pitchers than Baltimore, could hit as hard, but lacked the tricky speed upon the bases. Baltimore stole more than twice as many bases as Cleveland, and there lies the secret of the Orioles' success, while the superiority of the Cleveland pitchers is accountable for their easy win of the League last season and their probable victory this fall. Cleveland can bat and scrap, and there is the story.

Both the Republican and Democratic National Committees have great difficulty in raising campaign funds for the payment of the expenses of the canvass. Of the two, it is said that the democrats have the most difficulty, and that cash is coming in very slowly indeed. It is reported by democratic newspapers that the republicans have millions to spend, but this is utterly untrue; the fact is that over-confidence is drawing purse strings tight, and the contributions up to this time are far back as compared with the campaigns of 1888 and 1892.

This stringency has caused the most serious economy to be practiced both in New York and Chicago headquarters.

COMMON SPICES. The nutmeg tree is a native of the Moluccas. The ginger plant grows from two to three feet high. Malabar pepper is said to bring the highest price in the great pepper markets of the world.

The pepper plant, originally a native of Malabar, is now grown over all southern Asia and most of the Asiatic islands. The nutmeg tree is in a state of constant bearing, but the main harvests are in the months of March, July and November.

The nutmeg is more liable to the attacks of insects than any other spice. To preserve it a soaking in lime-water is necessary.

Cloves are gathered in the month of December and must be dried quickly in order to retain the aromatic qualities of the spice.

The clove tree begins to bear in its seventh year, attains a height of about 40 feet and continues bearing for 100 to 200 years.

Orsted, the chemist, in 1819 extracted the active principle of pepper and gave a description of it and the processes he employed.

Cinnamon trees begin to bear in six or seven years, sending forth at the time shoots that can be spared and quite fit for peeling.

A curious property of ginger when used as a substitute for alcohol is the fact that it makes its victims idiotic before causing death.

The red pepper plant may be easily grown in all parts of the world, as well in the temperate and north temperate zones as in the tropics.

Mace is the covering of the nutmeg seed. After the fruit has been removed the mace dries around the seed and is subsequently taken off.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

THE FASHION PLATE. Some pretty dresses of light weight wool materials have trimming of row upon row of narrow ribbons, fancy braids or galloons.

Among the new skirts are those with Spanish flounces. They are narrow at the back, graduating at the sides until they are about half of the skirt length in front.

No stiffening material is used in the new styles even when they are made moderately full. The idea seems to be to produce a drooping effect and a suggestion of collapse.

General and Political.

Candidate Bryan has left the east and is working his way west where he will spend the balance of the campaign in speech-making.

Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish premier, denies the report that his government is desirous of replacing Captain General Weyler in Cuba by General Blanco, the captain general of the Philippine Islands.

The democratic state committee of New York, has named Wilbur F. Porter as candidate for Governor, in place of John Boyd Thatcher who has declined to accept the nomination on the free coinage platform.

John Wanamaker has bought the business of Hilton, Hughes & Co., New York, and will attempt to make it the greatest department store in the country. This firm succeeded A. T. Stewart some years ago, and failed recently.

The republican committee of the seventh congressional district of Kentucky has adopted a resolution against making any nomination for Congress. This is due to a fusion between the republicans and sound-money democrats to unite in supporting W. C. P. Breckenridge for Congress.

A most serious condition of affairs exists in the provinces of Northern and Central India on account of the continued drought. Grain riots have occurred in several centers and further trouble is apprehended. The authorities have taken every precaution to suppress disorder, and at the same time have been doing all possible to relieve the distress existing.

The Latest Story. "Talking of snakes," said a man who had recently arrived from the wilds of Nicaragua, "reminds me of an incident I witnessed while I was in the interior of the little republic. It was in the section where the hills approach the rivers. I had been paddling down the stream and halted to escape the sun just under a cliff which was some thirty feet above the low ground, forming an abrupt declivity.

"While I was leaning against the trunk of a large trumpet tree near the bank of the river, I happened to glance up at the edge of the cliff and noticed a snake hanging head downward and swinging in the open space. While I was wondering I was more surprised at seeing another reptile climb down the body of the first and coil his tail about its neck. Then there came another and another, all doing the same thing until there was a rope of snakes reaching within a rope three feet of the ground, all pursuing the same tactics as the second. Then I realized that the things were trying to reach bottom in this original manner. They did not reach low enough, and directly the bottom ones crawled to the top and shortly reappeared, each with a small bit of twig in his mouth. When the first one with the twig reached the end he seemed to realize that the ones at the top would be no nearer terra firma than before, changed his mind, and, crawling up slowly, apparently informed the others, and the link and the last I saw of the lot they were hunting for a piece of twist vine to make a rope ladder."

An old bachelor said; "There's more jewelry worn nowadays than when I was young. But there's one piece that I always admired which I don't often see now."

"What is that?" asked a young lady. "A thimble," was the reply.

"This must be a pretty religious town, judging from the number of churches it has," said the traveler. "It ain't that, mister. The people is so darn lazy that there had to be lots of churches set around handylike to get them to go to any of 'em."

"So you feel you cannot marry him?" "Yes, I am fully decided."

"Why, don't you like him?" "Oh, I like him well enough; but I can't get him to propose."

"The butcher offered me his hand this morning," said the hired girl. "Indeed?" "Yes'm. He tried to sell it to me with the steak, but I made him take it off the scales."

"It must be lonely for you at home, Jorkins, while your wife is at the seashore?" "Lonely? My dear fellow, it's so lonely that I haven't been home an evening since my wife left."

Miss Antiquette—"Yes, once when I was out alone on a dark night I saw a man, and oh! my goodness, how I ran!"

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By virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Anna E. Bowers and Joseph T. Bowers, her husband, to Sarah Galt, bearing date January 10, 1895, and duly recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county in Liber B. F. C. No. 36, folio 144, &c., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3rd., 1896, at 2 o'clock, p. m., all those certain pieces or parcels of land described in said mortgage, containing in the aggregate 4 ACRES, 1 ROOD and 30 PERCHES, more or less. This property is improved by a Log Frame and Weatherboard DWELLING HOUSE, Wash House, Two Stables, Hog House and Chicken House; there is a well of good water or convenient to the dwelling house, also a Pine Orchard of apple and other fruit trees on the premises. This property is situated in the village of Stumptown, Carroll county, on the road leading from Taneytown to Roberts' Mill, about 2 and one-half miles from Taneytown, and one-half mile from said Mill, and adjoins the lands of W. J. Roberts, W. W. Kouons and others.

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34 inch Plaid Dress Goods, worth 18c., at 12 1/2c.

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Yard wide Novelty Dress Goods, rich color combinations, regular 25c. value, at 18c.

Yard wide Novelty Dress Goods, positively worth 40c; to go at 25c.

45 inch all wool Serges, in all the leading shades; selling elsewhere as a bargain at 50c; our price is only 39c.

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Black Jets, from 3c. a yard and up.

Woman's Jersey Ribbed Vests; fleece-lined, made with high neck and long sleeves; worth 30c., at 19c.

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18c. fast black Moire Rustle Lining, per yard, 11c.

7c. Unbleached Cotton Flannels, at 4c.

Another lot of those White and Gray Blankets, worth 75c; as long as they last, at 48c.

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10 handsomely made Plush Capes, full circular sweep, right in every way; the value of these capes is \$7.50, but to prove our leadership we make them at \$4.98

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