

Emmitsburg Chronicle.

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"IGNORANCE IS THE CURSE OF GOD; KNOWLEDGE THE WING WHEREWITH WE FLY TO HEAVEN."

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EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND, SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1884.

No. 52.

DIRECTORY.

FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.
Circuit Court.
Chief Judge—Hon. John Ritchie.
Associate Judges—Hon. John T. Winson and Hon. John A. Lynch.
State's Attorney—Frank C. Newwood.
Clerk of the Court—Adolphus Fearhake, Jr.
Orphan's Court.
Judges—John T. Lowe, John H. Keller, Robert Stokes.
Register of Wills—James P. Perry.
County Commissioners—George W. Padgett, John W. Ramsburg, William H. Lakin, George W. Etzler, James T. Lawson.
Sheriff—George W. Grove.
Tax Collector—D. H. Routhman.
Surveyor—Rufus A. Rager.
School Commissioners—Z. Jas. Gittinger, Herman L. Routhman, David D. Thomas, E. R. Zimmerman, Jas. W. Condon.
Excise.—D. T. Lakin.

Emmitsburg District.
Judges of the Peace—J. H. T. Webb, Henry Stokes, Jas. Knouff, E. T. McBride.
Registrar—E. S. Tancy.
Constable—William H. Ashbaugh.
School Trustees—Henry Stokes, E. R. Zimmerman, Dr. R. L. Annan.
Burgess—Henry Stokes.
Town Commissioners—A. Horner, E. R. Zimmerman, J. T. Motter, Joseph Snouffer, John G. Hess, John T. Long.

CHURCHES.

Ev. Lutheran Church.
Pastor—Rev. E. S. Johnston. Services every other Sunday, morning and evening at 9 o'clock, a. m., and 7 o'clock, p. m., respectively. Wednesday evening lectures 7 o'clock, p. m., Sunday School at 10 o'clock, a. m., Infants School at 11 o'clock, a. m.
Church of the Incarnation, (Ref'd.)
Pastor—Rev. Geo. B. Resser. Services every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and every Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday evening lecture at 7 o'clock. Sunday school, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
Presbyterian Church.
Pastor—Rev. Wm. Simonton. Services every other Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, a. m., and every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, p. m. Wednesday evening lecture at 7 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer Meeting every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
St. Joseph's, (Roman Catholic).
Pastor—Rev. H. P. White. First Mass 6 o'clock, a. m., second mass 9 o'clock, a. m., Vespers 3 o'clock, p. m.; Sunday School at 2 o'clock, p. m.
Methodist Episcopal Church.
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MAILS.

Arrive.
From Baltimore, Way, 11:05 a. m.; From Hagerstown and West, 7:00 p. m.; From Rocky Ridge, 7:00 p. m.; From Motter's, 11:05 a. m.; From Gettysburg 4:30 p. m.; From Frederick, 11:05 a. m.
Depart.
For Baltimore, closed, 8:40 a. m.; For Mechanicsville, Hagerstown, Hanover, Lancaster and Harrisburg, 8:40 a. m.; For Rocky Ridge, 8:40 a. m.; For Baltimore, Way, 3:20 p. m.; From Frederick 3:20 p. m.; From Motter's, 3:20 p. m.; For Gettysburg, 8:30 a. m.
All mails close 15 minutes before schedule time. Office hours from 6 o'clock a. m. to 8:15 p. m.

SOCIETIES.

Massasoit Tribe No. 41, I. O. R. M.
Kindles her Council Fire every Saturday evening, 8th Run. Officers: Geo. T. Gelwick, Sach.; Geo. G. Byers, Sen. S.; I. S. Troxell, Jun. S.; John F. Adelsberger, C. of C.; Chas. S. Zeck, K. of W.; G. J. S. Gelwick, Prophet and Representative.
Emerald Beneficial Association, Branch No. 1, of Emmitsburg, Md.
Monthly meetings, 4th Thursday in each month. Officers: Dr. J. T. Bussey, Pres.; F. A. Adelsberger, Vice-Prest.; J. P. Seabolt, Sec.; N. Baker, Treas. Meeting and Club Rooms, Seabolt's Building, E. Main St.
Emmit Lodge No. 47, I. O. M.
Weekly meetings, every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. D. D. Grand Architect, Jos. Byers; Worthy Senior Master, Geo. T. Gelwick; Worthy Master, Lewis D. Cook; Junior Master, Geo. G. Byers; Rec. Secretary, Geo. F. Adelsberger; Financial Secretary, E. P. Johnston; Treasurer, M. J. Eichelberger; Chaplain, C. S. Zeck; Conductor, Jos. Houck.
Emmit Building Association.
Pres't., C. F. Rowe; Vice Pres't., Geo. R. Ovelman; El. H. Rowe, Sec'y, and Treasurer; Directors, John G. Hess, Jos. Snouffer, J. A. Rowe, D. Lawrence, N. Baker, John F. Hopp.
Union Building Association.
President, J. Taylor Motter; Vice President, W. S. Guthrie; Secretary, E. R. Zimmerman; Treasurer, W. H. Hoke; Solicitor, Henry Stokes; Directors, Jas. A. Rowe, F. A. Maxwell, John G. Hess, D. Lawrence, R. H. Gelwick, Chas. J. Rowe.

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DR. Geo. S. Fouke, Dentist
Westminster, Md.
NEXT door to Carroll Hall, will visit Emmitsburg professionally, on the 4th Wednesday of each month, and will remain over a few days when the practice requires it. aug10-ly

Western Maryland Railroad
WINTER SCHEDULE.
ON and after SUNDAY, Dec. 30th, 1883, passenger trains on this road will run as follows:

STATIONS.	Daily except Sundays.			
	Mail.	Acc.	Exp.	Acc.
Hillens Station	8:00	10:10	4:10	6:20
Union depot	8:00	10:10	4:10	6:20
Penn'a ave.	8:10	10:20	4:20	6:30
Fulton st.	8:15	10:25	4:25	6:35
Rocky Ridge	8:20	10:30	4:30	6:40
Blue Ridge	8:25	10:35	4:35	6:45
Mechanicsville	8:30	10:40	4:40	6:50
Rocky Ridge	8:35	10:45	4:45	6:55
Blue Ridge	8:40	10:50	4:50	7:00
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WARD, who stole millions, has the handsomest room in the jail, and enjoys at meal time the best of the market affords. If, being poor, he had only pilfered a dollar or two, he would occupy a common cell and subsist on the meanest fare. It all depends in this world on the scale you do things in. In the hereafter, let us hope that it may be some what different.—American.

It is hard to reconcile the administration of Law and Justice with the much lauded declaration which forms the basis for our Republican Government, that "all men are born free and equal," when we are constantly witnessing the disgraceful mockery of Justice, which characterizes the course of public officials towards offenders of different social rank.

The petty clerk who defrauds his employer of a trifling sum, is hurried off to jail, to trial and to punishment, without any sympathy or delicate consideration for his comfort, or the feelings of his family; from the indignant public whose outraged feelings can only be appeased by his suffering to the extent of the law in his case; whilst the accomplished, high-toned scoundrel who uses the prestige of exalted social position and an aristocratic name, to swindle an admiring and trusting public out of millions, finds a world of sympathy, even where his conduct is most condemned, and all the necessary legal formalities in his case are smoothed and softened as far as possible, that his feelings, and those of his family may not be hurt more than is needful. And whilst the petty offender is paying the penalty of his crime in prison, his family is left to starve or beg, if they cannot work, but the sympathies of the public are enlisted in efforts to provide for the family of the "unfortunate speculator," whose transactions have impoverished thousands, lest they suffer humiliation and discomfort from change of circumstances.

And we proclaim to the world that ours is a free country, a glorious republic, in which every man has equal sovereign rights. Surely if all got their deserts, Fish and Ward and the others whose talents have been so successfully employed in ruining confiding friends, together with all who have aided and abetted them, would be placed for the term of their natural lives where they could have no more chance to steal.

The national monument at Washington, when finished, will be the loftiest structure in the world, by about thirty feet. The towers of the cathedral at Cologne, just finished, have a height of 524 feet and 11 inches; tower of St. Nicholas, Hamburg, 478 feet 1 inch; cupola of St. Peter's, Rome, 469 feet 3 inches; cathedral spire at Strasburg, 465 feet 11 inches; pyramid of Cheops, 449 feet 5 inches; tower of St. Stephen's, Vienna, 448 feet 10 inches; tower of St. Martin's, Landshut, 434 feet 8 inches; cathedral spire at Freiburg, 410 feet 1 inch; cathedral of Antwerp, 404 feet 10 inches; cathedral of Florence, 390 feet 5 inches; St. Paul's, London, 365 feet 1 inch; cathedral tower at Magdeburg, 339 feet 11 inches; tower of the Rathaus at Berlin, 288 feet 8 inches; towers of Notre Dame, Paris 232 feet 11 inches. Of American structures, the Washington monument, Baltimore, is 210 feet; Bunker Hill monument, 221 feet; Trinity Church, New York, 284 feet; St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, to be 380 feet.

The conviction of a prize-fighter at Omaha, with a sentence of three years' hard labor in the penitentiary, has given Nebraska a reputation that any of our eastern states might envy. The age of ruffianism in that region seems to be passing away, and reforms are being inaugurated in advance of other sections which boast of an older and a better civilization. For instance, the war against obscene police publications was waged fiercely out there before any of the Eastern states took it up, and even now New York is the only state on this side of the Alleghanies that has passed a law prohibiting such papers and periodicals. The new departure of Nebraska is a most commendable one in every way, and is eminently worthy of emulation.—Baltimore American.

A LACE factory, the only one of its kind in the United States, is about to be started at Wilkesbarre, Penn.

THE employees of the Reading Railroad Company are in a very unfortunate position. The month of May is nearly ended and they are informed that their wages for this month, and also for June, will be settled in paper promises of the Company to pay at the end of four months from the date they are due.—American.

VOX POPULI.

The momentum of public opinion indicates decidedly that Samuel J. Tilden will be the Democratic nominee for President, with all that it involves.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

At Cleveland on the 23d, lightning struck a petroleum tank at the "Excelsior Works," Cleveland, Ohio.

JOHN OEHMAN, his wife and grown daughter were burned in their home on a farm, four miles from Portsmouth, Ohio, on Wednesday night of last week.

THE Boston Watchman says that within the last nine years nearly 800 churches have been burned in America, mostly through defective heating apparatus.

W. A. PRICE was convicted in the United States District Court at Philadelphia of passing notes so cut and pasted that thirteen five-dollar notes were made out of twelve.

At Dubuque, on the 24th inst., two or three boilers exploded in the door and shaft factory of Carr, Byder & Co., killing a number of persons and destroying considerable property.

The largest bell in the world is at Kioto, Japan. It is twenty four feet high and sixteen inches thick at the rim. But it can't make one-tenth the clatter of a hotel gong at half-past six in the morning.

THE five hundredth anniversary of the death of John Wycliffe, the earliest English reformer and translator of the Bible, was celebrated by a festival in St. Andrew's Church, London, on Wednesday of last week.

A DISASTROUS fire occurred in Philadelphia, on Sunday, at the works of the Atlantic Oil Refining Company. One of the large tanks was struck by lightning, the fire spread from one tank to another with a rapidity which it was impossible to control, till fifteen were destroyed, many of them being blown up. The loss is estimated at \$800,000.

No fewer than 30,000 women make a living in Paris by the production of artificial flowers, and the majority of them are said by an admirer to be real artists, imitating nature almost to perfection. At present there are many of these women out of work, owing in part to flowers being out of fashion and partly to competition in England, Germany and America.

A PECULIAR bug has made its appearance in Little Falls, N. J., which makes havoc among lead pipes and cisterns. The bug bores holes through the pipe and wood, and the consequent damage is annoying. The bug is about the size of a fly, is of a dark brown color and has six legs. A solution of carbolic acid seems to be the only effectual means of exterminating the pest.

A DISPATCH from Baton Rouge to the New Orleans Picayune says: Senator Robson, of Shreveport, has received discouraging accounts of the situation in the Red River valley. According to his advices the country lying below the Caddo and Bossier hills, for nearly 100 miles down from a point five miles below Shreveport, is under water to an average depth of four feet. Five places belonging to Senator Robson and 260 belonging to other planters are overflowed. The cotton product of the submerged area is estimated at 75,000 bales.

THE annual loss by fire in the United States is about \$100,000,000. It is about twice as much per inhabitant as the fire loss of Great Britain, four times as that of France, and six times that of Germany. At the average rate of production it would require the constant labor of about 400,000 men to replace the loss. The loss is nearly as much as the amount collected on internal revenue, and one-third more than the annual interest of the public debt. The amount of premiums collected by insurance companies is considerably less than the loss, so that some insurance companies must fail every year. It is estimated that \$8 per annum is collected for every man, woman and child in the United States to pay for careless construction and negligence in guarding against the dangers of fire.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27, 1884. The resolutions issuing out of the quarrel among the lawyers in the Star Route cases, are getting to be as interesting to the people as they are profitable to the Government. Yesterday Ker was on the rampage before Springer's Committee, and having sworn to tell the whole truth, I don't believe that he kept anything back. From his testimony the fact appears to be conclusive that George Bliss was employed by the Government specially in the interest of Dorsey, and was paid \$150 per day, not for convicting anybody but to see that Dorsey above all others should not be disturbed! His zeal in behalf of Dorsey became so conspicuous that Mr. Merrick was compelled to insist that Mr. Ker should remain in the case especially to watch Mr. Bliss. The facts sworn to by Ker, show how the Government has been handicapped not only in its attempt to punish the Star Route thieves, but in the other cases where the power of money could be invoked to effect the conversion of that pliable portion of mankind denominated a Washington jury.

Congress has gone into the business of erecting public buildings at this session by wholesale. So far no less than 67 have been ordered, ranging in price from \$50,000 to \$2,500,000, and the end is not yet. But there are some things about this public building business that should be ventilated, and this very week two bills were adopted in the Senate that never should have been. One is the giving of \$250,000 for the new custom house at Portland, Oregon, a place of 30,000 inhabitants, which already has a building that cost the Government \$200,000. The other is the appropriation of \$100,000 for a public building at Saratoga, a little watering-place of 10,000 population, which has not half the need of a public building of this cost that it has for missionaries during the gambling season.

It will be remembered that through the efforts of the saintly Mr. Fry, of Maine, and the theological Mr. Blair, of New Hampshire, the truly good men in the Senate concluded to abolish, so far as resolution could abolish it, the dispensing of "cold tea" in the basement of the capitol. Fry declared that the whole capitol had become a veritable gin mill, and Amenahab Sleek Edmunds turned his eyes to the ceiling and called down upon the Senate the terrors of public sentiment if this "cold tea" abomination should continue. I don't know how it is about Fry, but it is well known that Edmunds makes out to get rid of more of the exhilarating fluid than any man under the capitol dome. But I was going to say that the anti-cold tea resolution was a joint one, and had to go to the House for concurrence. The temperance folks have been now just six months watching this resolution, or watching for it, and you may let your silver wear that Edmunds has been watching it too, for it has never yet reared its head over the Speaker's table in the House, while in the finitissimal "tea cups" down stairs are clinking from morning till night—yes from night till morning, too.

As the result of a logical corollary, the fact is established that the revenues of the Post Office Department increase as postage is reduced, I cannot see why Congress should hesitate about passing Mr. Robson's bill which provides for a still further reduction of postage on letters to one cent for each half ounce. The Stationer's Board of Trade of New York, and other commercial organizations all over the country are petitioning for the measure, and should it fail in the present Congress, as it doubtless will, there will be a good chance for the economists in the next Congress to perpetuate its record as being distinctively a party to which alone the people need look for benefits like these. And here is one thing that the attention of postal and political economists should be called to, and that is the fact that the Government is paying the price of a mail steamer every year to carry our mails to Europe by a single line! And the Government contracts with half a dozen of these foreign lines. What sort of economy is it to do this thing—subsidizing English, French, German and Scandinavian vessels, with a whole fleet of equally serviceable vessels for this purpose, rotting at our navy yards and belonging to our own Government? DOM PEDRO.

Mrs. DeLONG, the widow of the Jeanette commander, is to receive a pension of \$50 a month.

THE town of Zanesville, O., was in an excited state recently over a supposed earthquake near Blandy avenue, in the Fourth ward. At 10 o'clock in the morning a terrific report was heard, and about three acres of ground sunk several feet, carrying with it a number of houses, all of which were badly damaged. The inhabitants in the vicinity were panic-stricken. A fissure was opened to the depth of 150 feet. The only theory is that several deserted coal mines caved in. No loss of life is reported.

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