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Associate Judges.—Hon. John T. Vinson
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State's Attorney.—Edw. S. Eichelberger.
Clerk of the Court.—W. Irving Parsons.

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Hightman, Simon T. Stauffer.
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Examiner.—Glenn H. Worthington.

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Knouff, Jas. F. Hickey, Joshua Hobbs.
Registrar.—E. S. Taney.
Constable.—Wm. H. Ashbaugh.
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eph A. Baker, J. S. Motter.
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Lawrence, Francis A. Maxwell, Michael
Hoke.
Town Constable.—William H. Ashbaugh.
Taz Collector.—John F. Hopp.

CHURCHES.
Ev. Lutheran Church.
Pastor.—Rev. Luther DeYoe. Services
every other Sunday, morning and
evening at 10 o'clock, a. m., and 7
o'clock, p. m., respectively. Wednes-
day evening lectures 7 o'clock, p. m.,
Sunday School at 1 o'clock, p. m.

Church of the Incarnation, (Reformed.)
Pastor.—Rev. U. H. Heilman. Services
every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock,
and every other Sunday evening at
7 o'clock. Wednesday evening lec-
ture at 7 o'clock. Sunday School,
Sunday morning at 9 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. Wednes-
day evening lectures at 7 o'clock, p. m.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock, a. m.,
Prayer Meeting every Sunday after-
noon at 3 o'clock.

St. Joseph's, (Roman Catholic.)
Pastor.—Rev. H. F. White. First Mass
7 o'clock, a. m., second 10 o'clock,
a. m., Vespers 3 o'clock, p. m.; Sun-
day School at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church.
Pastor.—Rev. J. N. Davis. Services
every other Sunday afternoon at 3
o'clock. Prayer meeting every other
Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Wednes-
day evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock,
a. m. Class meeting every other Sunday
at 2 o'clock, p. m.

MAILS.
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Through from Baltimore 11:20, a. m.,
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7:10, p. m., Ellettsville, 11:20, a. m.,
Frederick, 11:20, a. m., and 7:10, p. m.,
Gettysburg, 4:30, p. m.

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town, Hagerstown, Hanover, Lancas-
ter and Harrisburg, 8:35, a. m., Rocky
Ridge, 8:35, a. m., Ellettsville, (closed),
3:30, p. m., Frederick, 3:30, p. m.,
Mott's, 3:30, p. m., Gettysburg, 8:30,
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C. Wenschhof, Trustees. Edward C.
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Seibold; Treasurer, Jno. M. Stouter.
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Junior Vice-Commander, Harvey G.
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Quartermaster, Abraham Manning; Offi-
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of the Guard, Samuel D. Wagman;
Surgeon, John Shank; Council Admin-
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Encampment, Wm. A. Fraley; Alter-
nate, Harvey G. Winter.

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Fulton Station, " 8:30 4:30 4:40

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leave East, daily, except Sunday. Shippenburg

8:45 a. m. and 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. Chambersburg

7:45 a. m. and 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. Waynesboro

7:45 a. m. and 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. arriving

Edgewood 8:10 a. m. and 2:30 and 5:30 p. m.

Edgewood 7:15 and 11:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Waynes-
boro 7:30 a. m. and 12:30 and 2:30 p. m. Cham-
bersburg 8:15 a. m. and 12:40 and 8:30 p. m. ar-
riving Shippenburg 8:45 a. m. and 1:10 and 9:00
p. m.

Frederick Division Pennsylvania R. R.—Trains

for Frederick leave Junction at 10:32 a. m. and

4:37 p. m. Trains for Taneytown, Littlestown

and York leave Junction at 9:55 a. m. and 3:42 p. m.

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a. m. and 4:00 p. m.

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SONG OF THE PRINTING PRESS.

BY A. A. HOPKINS.

I am silent to-night in the basement

dim,
And the shadows around me are vague

and grim;
But my nerves reach out where the

home-groups are,
Where the home-lights are flickering

near and far;
And I feel a glad thrill in my iron heart

For the gladness and cheer that I there

import;
For although I am only a dumb ma-
chine,
I can move with a wonderful power, I

ween.
There are beautiful stories that I can

tell,
And they fall on the ear like a magic

spell;
And I whisper them sweetly to one and

to all—
So sweetly that even the teardrops fall—
To the maiden who sits in the cottage

low,
To the lover who longeth her heart to

know,
To the poet who dreams, and the child

who waits
For the princess to open the fairy gates.

I am King, and my subjects are scatter-

ed wide,
But wherever they are leal and tried;
And though other kings fall and their

kingdoms wane,
Forever and aye must my own remain,
It is one to grow greater with lapse of

time,
And to tower through ages to heights
sublime:
While the cry of my subjects for aye

shall be:
"Vive la PRES! for our King is he!"
Oh, I day after day at my laboring,
For I know of the gladness I widely

fling
With my fingers of iron across the
earth—
At the gate of the rich and the cottage

hearth—
And I feel that the living of all who
live
Will be richer by far for the gifts I give;
And that millions of hearts shall look

up and bless,
With the truest of blessings, the PRINT-
ING PRESS.
—Inland Printer.

A FOUR-FOOTED ACCOMPLICE.

CYRUS TUDOR.

From Clayville to Booneton is

about fifteen miles across a rolling

prairie, the road running nearly

due east and west. Half way be-

tween the two towns the traveler

comes to a point where a heavy

growth of pine trees sweeps away

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

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SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1889.

IS PATRIOTISM A GOOD INVEST- MENT.

The great Centennial celebration which so lately covered New York City with glory and whose shouts of triumph over our national greatness which were re-echoed in the remotest corners of the land have scarcely died away, when we are startled by the announcement that suit has been brought against the orator of the day by Rev. E. P. Towne, for the sum of \$800 in payment of work done in the way of collecting and arranging facts bearing on the subject to be discussed upon, which were to aid the eloquent Channsey Dewey in the composition of his great speech on the life and services of Washington as connected with our national history.

Of course Mr. Dewey denies having received the least assistance from his friend Towne, but the fact of the Reverend gentleman having been engaged to gather reliable data on which to build the great oration, is not denied, though the orator refuses to pay the price demanded for the work (which does seem exorbitant) because it was not ready in time for him to avail himself of its assistance.

This is certainly a farcical turn of affairs, and we "small fry," who could only stand at a distance and catch as best we might the reflected brilliancy of the great centennial, feel inclined to congratulate ourselves that we were not near enough to the fountain-head of this patriotic jollification, to see the working of the machinery by which the display was produced.

Patriotism is a good thing and should be encouraged at any cost, but something should be done to keep the multitude at a safe distance from the sacred precincts where our public servants are supposed to keep and use their store of the commodity for the advancement of the interests of the dear people, who must worship them at a distance lest they see through the tricks by which great men are made.

The suit of Mrs. Myra Clarke Gaines which has been in the courts for nearly fifty years, and involves property in New Orleans to the value of nearly two million dollars has at last been decided in her favor. Mrs. Gaines died several years ago and her children are all dead, so the property will now be divided between the grand-children of the woman who fought her way through the courts, almost single-handed for so many years.

The theory that crime in different forms becomes epidemic at times is gaining currency with the newspaper reading people of the day, and at this time it seems to be running in the direction of suicides. Every day we read shocking reports of self-murder and unsuccessful attempts in that direction. Last Friday six cases of suicide were reported to the coroners of New York City within four hours.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL WANA-MAKER says he prefers to improve the service of the department, rather than reduce the rate of postage, and that postage in this country is as low as that of any country in the world, for penny postage in England is really two-cent postage in our money.

SIR FRANCIS DE WINTON, president of the Emin Bey Relief Committee, in speaking before the Royal Geographical Society Monday night predicted the early return of Henry M. Stanley. He described several routes that were now open to the post. — N. Y. Herald.

THE New York World of last Saturday devotes considerable space to laying before its readers the good work done by that journal during its present management. That day being the sixth anniversary of the change.

THE constitutionality of the Scott Chinese Exclusion act of October 1, 1888, has been upheld by the United States Supreme Court in an elaborate opinion written by Mr. Justice Field.

NATURAL gas has been discovered and the site of Claus Spreckels' sugar refinery at Philadelphia, and there is talk of utilizing it for manufacturing purposes. Geologists do not expect the supply to last very long and think it is probably marsh gas. The refinery occupies the site of an old swamp since filled up.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Special Correspondence.

Many appointments have been made by the President the past week. Among the most important were those of the Public Printer and two Civil Service Commissioners. Frank W. Palmer, of Illinois, was given the place of Public Printer, while Theodore Roosevelt, New York, and Hugh S. Thompson, of South Carolina, were made Civil Service Commissioners. Mr. Palmer, who appears eminently fitted for the office, has been engaged in journalism for many years, having been connected with many prominent papers throughout the country. The appointment is regarded with very general satisfaction, and Mr. Palmer's many friends and admirers expect him to make a model administration of Government Printing Office affairs, because of his special fitness for the position.

The announcement of Capt. Meredith's appointment as chief of the Bureau of Printing and Engraving will probably be made today.

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, is one of the active politicians of the State from which he comes, and yet is a civil service reformer. He was a delegate to the Chicago convention of 1884, and was afterward Republican candidate for the mayoralty of New York, running against Abram S. Hewitt and Henry George. Lately he has spent most of his time in Montana, where he owns extensive cattle interests. His ability as a literary man has long been established, and he is one of the most popular writers in the country on life in the far west.

Ex-Gov. Hugh S. Thompson is well known in this city, he having been Assistant Secretary of the Treasury during the Cleveland Administration.

The official trip of the United States steel cruiser Charleston, built in San Francisco by the Guion Iron Works, was made this week. It was highly satisfactory, and all the naval experts were delighted with the results. The fact that the vessel encountered a very rough sea, and weathered the gale without any mishap is encouraging in the extreme. A speed of fourteen knots was attained, which, considering the weather, was highly commendable. The Union Iron Works recently secured the contract for the construction of the formidable coast defense vessel for which the last Congress appropriated about \$1,700,000.

Mr. Adam Forepaugh, the noted showman, and his circus, have been with us this week. As usual, the attendance was great, and the little ones fairly gorged themselves with red lemonade and peanuts.

The Washington Post gave its newboys a treat in taking them to the show, and fully two thousand little fellows marched behind a brass band to the big tents, where they were cordially welcomed by the venerable Forepaugh himself. One of the youngsters carried a large banner, on which was written the following humorous stanza:

You might as well look
For your grandmother's ghost
As to search in the soup.
For The Washington Post.

\$100 REWARD. \$100.

The readers of the EMMITTSBURG CHRONICLE will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength, by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

NORFOLK and vicinity was visited by a terrific hail-storm Tuesday afternoon. Immense damage was done to the growing crops on the truck farms. A cyclone passed over Danville, Va., the same day doing considerable damage.

"UNCLE" EDWARD SHAW, who lives near Readsville, Ga., is undoubtedly anxious to be awarded the medal as the champion old man of the world. He modestly places his age at 153 years, and adds he is hale and hearty and can read the newspapers without glasses.

IF YOUR BACK ACHES
Or you are weary and feel nothing
It is your kidneys. Try
BROWN'S KIDNEY PILLS.
It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold
by all dealers in medicine.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

BISHOP, the mind reader, is dead.

Two cases of genuine leprosy are reported in New York.

The work of the Samoan conference is progressing satisfactorily to all concerned.

The Columbia papers are publishing articles urging the United States to finish the Panama canal.

It is believed at Albany that Governor Hill will be married before long to Miss Hotchkiss, of Elmira.

The crops in the Ohio Valley are in a critical condition, and perhaps permanently injured by drought.

Two great enemies—Hood's Sarsaparilla and impure blood. The latter is utterly defeated by the peculiar medicine.

The schooner May M. Dyer, of Baltimore, was wrecked April 22 on the coast of Nicaragua. All hands were saved.

A HEAVY storm passed over Amherst and Nelson counties, Va., Monday morning, badly damaging the growing crops.

HIGHWAYMEN attacked a government paymaster in Arizona recently and after overpowering him and his guard secured \$29,000.

THE Paris Le Paris says the French government has decided to introduce in Parliament a bill to aid the Panama Canal Company.

In the whole of Philadelphia only 1,204 places are licensed to sell liquor this year, against 5,773 before the high-license law went into effect.

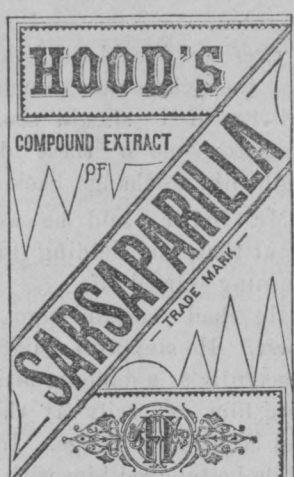
THE interstate commerce commission decides that colored travelers on railroads must have equal accommodations and adequate protection.

FIVE negroes and seven whites were publicly whipped at Newcastle, Del., Saturday afternoon, for larceny, highway robbery and horse stealing.

THE French government announces that visitors to Paris during the exhibition will be required to pay only one-half the regular rates on dutiable goods.

PROF. ST. CLAIR, the aeronaut, attempting to give his leap from the clouds at the Fair Ground Park at Houston, Texas, Sunday evening, lost his grip on the parachute and fell 300 feet to the earth. He was instantly killed.

JAMES SMITH, on trial for burglary in the office of a justice of the peace in Kansas City, Kansas, last Saturday afternoon, drew a knife and rushed upon Detective Jno. W. Gilley and cut a gash seven inches long in his throat. The wounded officer drew his revolver and fired four shots at the fleeing burglar and two policemen also fired at him. The criminal dropped dead with five bullets in him. A wounded officer is in a critical condition. During the confusion another prisoner escaped.



The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health. At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Corn—Good white..... 22¢/23¢

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Hay—Choice Cecil Co. in bales..... 15¢/17¢

 Good..... 14¢/15¢

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Straw—Wheat straw..... 5¢/6¢

 Oat..... 6¢/7¢

 Rye..... 5¢/6¢

 Good to prime..... 5¢/6¢

 Fair..... 4¢/5¢

 Mill Feed—Western Bran Light..... 12¢/13¢

 City Middlings..... 15¢/16¢

Poultry—

 Old Chickens..... 10¢

 Spring Chickens, large..... 12¢/13¢

 Small..... 10¢/11¢

 Ducks per dozen..... 20¢/40¢

 Spring..... 15¢/17¢

 Butter—Fancy Creamery Best..... 14¢/15¢

 Good to Prime..... 14¢/15¢

 Roll, Choice..... 15¢

 Choice..... 15¢

 Common..... 6¢/8¢

 Eggs—Western..... 12¢/13¢

 Hides—Green..... 32¢/34¢

 Salted..... 32¢/34¢

 Calves—Veals, per lb..... 4¢/5¢

 Tough to good, per head..... 40¢/50¢

 Spring Lambs, per lb..... 6¢/7¢

 Per head..... 20¢/40¢

MARYLAND ITEMS.

There are only four persons in the jail at Ellicott City.

Maryland strawberries have arrived in the Baltimore markets.

The county tax rate in Howard county this year is sixty cents on the \$100.

The Westminster Gas-Light Company has declared a dividend of three per cent.

Commencement exercises at the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, will be held June 7.

An orphan asylum for colored children is to be established in Baltimore, and it will be the first of its kind in the world.

The wheat prospect throughout Washington county is very promising, and it is thought the yield will excel that of any former year.

In portions of Baltimore county eggs are selling for three cents a dozen; potatoes from 10 to 25 cents a bushel, and calves at 3 cents a pound.

Although the last race meeting at Pimlico was not a financial success, the affairs of the Maryland Jockey Club are said to be on a solid basis.

The Commencement of Lutherville Female Seminary will take place from June 2 to 4 inclusive. The graduating class has twenty-three members.

Speculations have begun on the peach crop, and Kent County only expects one-half or one-third of a crop. The outlook in Washington county is considered very good.

The Montgomery county school board has passed an order closing the colored schools on the 31st of May, and the white schools June 14th, making the school year 9 months and 4 days.

Probably the two largest melon growers in Wisconsin county this season will be Messrs. Wm. H. Jackson, and Milton A. Parsons. The former planted 23,000 and the latter 18,000.

The four-story paper warehouse of Goldsmith and Runkle, Baltimore, was burned out on Friday night of last week, entailing a loss of \$30,000 on the stock, on which there was \$16,000 insurance.

The body of Mrs. Mary C. Gephart, who disappeared from her home at Cumberland on Monday of last week, was found floating in the canal basin last Saturday morning. A coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning.

The War Department has just completed and published the allotments of the \$400,000 appropriated by congress for the equipment of the militia. Maryland's share is \$7,505.16. The regulations provide that requisitions for militia supplies must be made by the Governors of States and Territories direct to the Secretary of war.

The county commissioners for Washington county have added \$50 per acre to the assessed value of all the peach orchards in the northern end of Smithsburg and Edgemont, now in bearing condition, and the peach-growers are up in arms against this increased taxation. A large delegation of them appeared before the commissioners to protest against the increase. The commissioners decided to take the increase off some of the peach lands, but let it remain upon others according to the condition of the orchards.

If any dealer says he has the W. L. Douglas shoes without name and price stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

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\$5.00 GENUINE HAND-SEWED SHOE.
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A particle is applied into each nostril and is
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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1889.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Dec. 2, 1888, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg at 8.30 a. m. and 3.20 and 5.45 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 9.00 a. m. and 3.50 and 6.15 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and 4.00 and 6.32 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 4.30 and 7.02 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

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

LOCAL ITEMS.

Established 1837.

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

MR. SAMUEL GAMBLE has our thanks for some rhubarb and lettuce.

MR. HENRY A. WELLS has been appointed postmaster at Graceland.

A VALUABLE horse belonging to Mr. George Rider died one day last week.

THE Presbytery of Maryland will meet in Frederick June 10, to be in session several days.

PENNSYLVANIA Day at Gettysburg has been changed from May 21 and 22 to September 11 and 12.

THE juries of the February term of the Circuit Court for this county were discharged last Saturday.

A NUMBER of freight cars were wrecked on the B. & O. Railroad, near Monrovia, this county, on Monday.

TWO unsuccessful attempts were made two nights recently to enter the house of J. H. Kefauver, about two miles southwest of Middletown.

WANTED.—A respectable woman to do the work of a small family. To the right kind of a person, fair wages and comfortable permanent home. Apply at this office.

GOV. BEAVER of Pennsylvania has vetoed the bill for the erection of a memorial building on the Gettysburg battlefield, and an effort to pass the bill over his veto failed.

REV. LLOYD E. COBLENZ, who was elected pastor of the Reformed church at Jefferson, has declined the call, and will take charge of the Reformed mission church at Altoona, Pa.

THOSE people who remark "this is the hottest day I ever saw so early in the season" will please call to mind that on the 30th day of April, 1888, the thermometer registered 91 degrees at 2 o'clock P. M.—*Carrolltonian*.

THE Knights of the Mystic Chain, of this place, have decided to hold a grand parade, and picnic in McSherry's woods, on July 4th. They expect to have large delegations from other towns, present.—*Littleson Independent*.

PERSONS having claims against the county must present the same with the vouchers thereof to the County Commissioners at their meeting which begins next Monday, the 20th inst., in order to have the same included in the levy of 1889. See their adv. in another column.

It is said Samuel Bevard, of New Market, is one of the strongest men in the county. Last week he is reported to have carried ten bushels of wheat, divided into five sacks, across a 35 foot threshing floor. He carried one sack in each hand, one under each arm and one in his teeth.—*Union*.

THE *Carroll News* of last week says: "Harry Ogle, son of Mr. David G. Ogle had a fit Wednesday night, supposed to have been caused by cigarette smoking. Not a week passes without his record of a number of instances of disease or death from the poisonous cigarette, especially among boys and young men."

IF the extension of the Gettysburg and Harrisburg Railroad should be built on the line of the present survey it will run along the Carroll county bank of the Monocacy crossing the Emmitsburg and Littlestown road between the Monocacy bridge and Harney. The citizens of Harney think it will be little benefit to that place if built on this route.

THE coming engagement of the State militia will likely be held at Frederick Junction, this county, which has been made historic as the battle-field of Monocacy. It rests with Frederick to raise \$300 which with the \$200 allowed by the State makes the amount asked by Col. Trail for the rental of his field in consideration of the destruction of the growing crop. The greater part of the money has already been raised.

Found Guilty.

Geo. Gingle for selling choice Liquors of all kinds.

DURING the storm of Tuesday afternoon a valuable cow belonging to Mr. Charles D. McCaren was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

THE warehouse of John A. Stallsmith, on the Gettysburg and Harrisburg Railroad was struck by lightning and burned to the ground on Monday night.

THE registration list for this district as published shows five qualified and eleven disqualified voters, for the May sitting, which was held on Monday and Tuesday, the 13th and 14th inst.

At Gettysburg, on Monday, Charles E. Coe was sentenced to one year and a-half in the penitentiary for having sent an anonymous letter to Hiram Trostle, of Arendtsville, threatening to burn his store.

Death of M. P. Danner.

MR. M. P. Danner, son of Mr. Putnam Danner, of Burlington Junction, Mo., formerly of this place, died at Quitman, Mo., on Wednesday of last week, the 8th inst., of congestion of the stomach. He was in the 22nd year of his age.

Postoffice Changed.

MR. S. N. McNair the newly appointed postmaster for this place assumed the duties of the office last Friday afternoon and has removed the office to its old place in the Annan building on the south-west corner of the square.

Commissioners Organized.

THE newly elected Board of Town Commissioners organized on Wednesday evening by the election of the following officers: F. A. Maxell, President; James O. Hoppe, Clerk; Philip D. Lawrence, Treasurer, and M. Hoke, Street Commissioner.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Bumps, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all Druggists.

IN order to prevent the disturbance occasioned by persons coming in during the rendering of the music, it has been decided to have the doors of the Opera House locked on Friday evening, the 24th inst., while each piece is being rendered. As the music cannot be enjoyed by those coming in, this plan has been decided on for the protection of those already seated in the hall. The doors will be reopened between each piece. By order of the CHORAL UNION.

ON Monday last Mr. Samuel Dean, residing 14 miles south-west of Middletown captured a mother opossum and twelve young ones about the size of half grown rats, under a fodder stack on his farm. This family of opossums is now in possession of Mr. J. Luther Kepler, of this place, who brought them to town the same day. The sight of this large brood clinging to the mother and some of them partly concealed within her pouch, was a novel sight to many persons.—*Valley Register*.

It Is a Curious Fact.

THAT the Holy is now more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other season. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do you the most good. It is really wonderful for purifying and enriching the blood, creating an appetite, and giving a healthy tone to the whole system. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself.

Grand Army Notes.

THE preparations for "Memorial Day" are going forward satisfactorily under the following committee of arrangements: O. A. Horner, Geo. L. Gillelan, W. A. Franley, Chas. S. Zeck, S. N. McNair and Geo. T. Eyster. Invitations have been sent to the Vigilant Hose Company and Massasoit Tribe, No. 41, I. O. R. M., to participate in the parade on the 30th. Services of the Emmits Cornet Band have been procured, and a speaker for the occasion engaged. The Sabbath Schools will be invited to join in the strewing of flowers. A committee of Ladies has been appointed to assist in procuring flowers, which will be announced next week, as well as the programme in full for the occasion. Services will be at 9 a. m., so that all can have an opportunity to go to Gettysburg or elsewhere.

Annex Items.

SPECIAL to the *Emmitsburg Chronicle*, BALTIMORE, May 15.—Lovefeast services were held in Royer's Hill M. E. Church, Thursday Evening, May 9.

The bill, allowing lime kilns to be placed in the Annex, was passed by the city council, with an amendment for the twenty-second ward.

Reports are being circulated of closing the schools in the "Annex," the taxes not being sufficient to support them.

Laura J. Stewart, the former Annex correspondent for the *CHRONICLE* has returned to her home in the Annex, after spending some time in Baltimore County engaged in teaching school. She will now be pleased to report from the Annex, as formerly.

Nine Million Witches Burned.

Sprenger computes that during the Christian era no fewer than nine million witches were immolated. In England, the last execution for witchcraft took place in 1716, but in Illinois as late as 1780 to 1790, several unfortunates were put to death. This is a terrible reflection on the boasted enlightenment of the age; but we must not be over-censorious, while we daily see friends going down to death, ignorance or prejudice preventing the use of remedies which might save them. Many a cold runs into consumption, while indigestion and impure blood debilitates the system, inviting fatal attacks, when the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery would have ensured health and happiness.

Dr. J. W. Hickey of Littlestown made a visit to his mother in this place last Sunday.

Messrs. C. C. Kretzer, David Martin, Daniel Lawrence and Frederick D. Troxell spent Sunday at Westminster.

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Mr. Jeremiah O'Donoghue was in Frederick this week.

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Miss Belle Rowe has returned home from Shady Grove, Pa.

A SUCCESSFUL TEST.

THE operation of a New Machine which will Prove a Great Saving to Farmers.—Good Work done without a Hitch under Unfavorable Circumstances.

ON Thursday morning, the 16th inst., a special train over the Emmitsburg Railroad left Emmitsburg for Rocky Ridge, conveying Mr. S. C. Lee, of the firm of S. C. Lee & Sons, Baltimore, Messrs. Dunkel and McDaniel of Baltimore, Bailey, special draughtsman of the firm of Whitely & Co., of Springfield, Ohio, Thos. Foosly, traveling agent for Whitely & Co., F. A. Maxell, of the firm of Zimmerman & Maxell, agents at this place, and Luther M. Zimmerman at this place, and the first new Whitely Solid Steel Open End Binder ever operated in this part of the country was put to work on the farm of Messrs. Wm. H. Biggs & Bro., at that place. The trial was in green rye, from four to six feet high, which had been sown for ensilage, and without waste it cut, bound and delivered the rye from the machine greatly to the satisfaction of all who witnessed it. The trial was made on rolling land, and whether up hill, down hill or along the side of the hill, it did its work perfectly, holding the grain firmly without scattering it even on the most hilly land. The machine was started at seven o'clock in the morning, while a heavy dew was yet on the rye; the canvass was completely soaked and water dropped from the reel sals, yet it elevated the heavy grain and discharged the gavel in perfect order.

Several special points of interest in this machine are: 1st.—The open end elevator, the advantage of which over the old closed elevator was most striking, as the long rye was carried up the elevator straight, without breaking the straw or folding back. This suggested the important fact that the open end elevator, in handling ripe grain, would save the waste that the old box elevator would make, a saving that would very soon equal the first cost of a binder. 2nd.—The chain gear upon the master wheel in place of cog gearing, although severely tested, proved itself a success and is doubtless a great improvement over cog gear friction and complications. 3rd.—The lightness of draught was demonstrated by the ease with which the machine was drawn by three horses.

The construction of the Whitely Solid Steel Binder shows decided advance and improvement in the simplicity of all points. The material used is steel and malleable iron.

The bakery of Bauhaus brothers in Littlestown was destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning of last week. Loss \$300, insurance \$150.

The vases of flowers have been placed in position around the fountain on the square, which now decked in its summer attire and newly painted makes a lovely appearance.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle of our drug stores.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

From our Special Correspondent, Rev. Francis Hannigan, from St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, paid a short visit to the College and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Shriver has returned to "Hayland" after a lengthy sojourn in Baltimore.

Mr. Wm. Moran and Mrs. James Moran and family, of Hagerstown, are visiting Mr. Matthew Moran.

The remains of Mr. Joseph Wetzel were interred in Mt. St. Mary's Cemetery, on Sunday morning, May 12. May he rest in peace.

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Mrs. M. J. McDevitt was in Baltimore this week.

Dr. Raub of Baltimore made a trip to this place.

Dr. Basil Shorb of Baltimore was in town this week.

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR.—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl St., N. Y.

BLUE RIDGE SUMMIT.

A boy once said to his mother: "Ma, give me some bread and m'lasses." The fond parent hastened to do so as requested, and covered the bread about half of an inch thick with the "spreading." The boy looked at it with disgust and turned away. "Why, Willie, what is the matter?" asked the mother. "There's too d— much taffy on that for me," was the boy's reply. Now this is precisely the way an article in your last issue signed "H. H." struck me. There was decidedly too much taffy with it; and I am pained and surprised to learn that the authorship of this very saccharine contribution has been attributed to myself. I certainly thought, if I ever thought anything, that every man, woman and child in this locality knew that I never take molasses nor sugar in mine. Now if it were necessary for me to write upon the same topics so sweetly handled by "H. H.," I should grind out something like the following:

By the sacrifice of some lives and some more limbs (consequent upon attempting to board dynamite, powder, barrels of oil, lights and men in a small shanty at one and the same time) also by its failure to meet certain obligations, in a manner liquidated by the timely escape, or elopement, of different sub-contractors, the new railroad is nearly completed—That is its construction, which is unquestionably a good piece of work. When it may get through with the numerous claims for damages which I understand it will be obliged to struggle with in the near future, is a question I am not in the least interested in. Why does "H. H." speak of Mr. Benchoff as Colonel? And why does he or she lay so much stress on the work he has performed? I have had the pleasure of Mr. Benchoff's acquaintance for years, yet I have never heard him spoken of as "Colonel," "Bill" and "Old Bill" is what I have always heard him called. This "Colonel" racket so confounded me that I turned to the "History of Franklin County" which contains quite a flattering sketch of his life. Even in this, which speaks of the valuable services he rendered his country in her hour of peril, no title whatsoever is vouchsafed him. So let us in the future do as we have done in the past and call him Mr. Benchoff or Bill. I am satisfied he would prefer it himself. When I was in the service I never attained a higher rank than that of lieutenant. Since I have become a citizen, I have been addressed as "Captain," "Major" and "Judge." I always explain to these would-be flatterers the great mistake I have for such appellations; but now I do not care much what I am called, just so long as it is not to support the prohibitory amendment. As to his "work" on the railroad I did not know Mr. Benchoff had performed any, though I believe several of his sons have. As a director, he is naturally zealous for the welfare of the road and I know he has labored faithfully in its interests in such matters as the procuring of suitable lands for stations, yards, &c. But with what result, I cannot say. In regard to what I know respecting Mr. Benchoff's requests to this Railroad Company, I will frankly admit it is all hearsay. I have heard and I firmly believe that he has given the water right of his spring. I have also heard he gave some mile of land to the Company in the vicinity of the tunnel. Likewise, I have been told that he received liberal compensation from the Company for certain wood claimed to have been burned by those much persecuted children of this country, the Italians. If this latter rumor is correct, he is to be congratulated; for I have learned of no one else who has been so fortunate. "H. H." seems to blame certain citizens for being indignant that this Company should make use of what they conceive to be their individual property. If I was the possessor of any real estate, I might feel in a position to meet this question. But as I have no house, no lands, no hay-stacks, not even a hoop-pole that the Company or any person could appropriate, I do not think it would become me to express an opinion. The only way I am a loser so far, is by the refusal of the Company to pay some of its former hands who are my debtors, and who will probably remain as such to the end of time. For I am in receipt of a letter from the President of the road which states the men are not to be paid. Respecting the "trout pond," I must again give hearsay testimony only. I actually know absolutely nothing about it. I have heard that Mr. Benchoff has a pond containing several hundred speckled trout. Again I have been told that they were only suckers. I have also heard that the manner in which they are kept is contrary to law, and that he would shortly be prosecuted for maintaining a trout penitentiary. But then one may hear almost anything in this region. About a year ago with a party of congenial spirits I sought the Potomac with the intention of catching the last black bass the historic river harbored. It rained for ten consecutive days, and the result was my companions caught my Jack and I caught a cold. Since then fish has been a rather sore subject with me. The name of the new station is a trifling matter. "H. H." suggests "Benchoffville" or some other name "appropriate or complimentary." Now I do not know what Mr. Benchoff's views may be in these premises; but personally I could not deem it a compliment to have a little two cent station, a kind of a jumping off place, named for me. If it were an important junction it would be quite another matter. A neighbor said to me lately that all the freight that would be shipped from here would be a few baskets of berries and a few quarts of chestnuts. So why not give the station some simply, rural name like Chestnut Grove, Berryville or Hop-pole Park? Now it must be remembered that I said if it were necessary for me to write upon these subjects, I should write as I have done. But I cannot be made to see that it is at all necessary. However, I think that henceforth even the most credulous will refuse to accept as synonymous terms "H. H." and EDWARD LIVINGSTON KEYES.

Work will be resumed on the Episcopal Memorial Church at Gettysburg next week.

CHILDREN'S DAY will be celebrated at the M. E. Church in this place on Sunday June 2.

MR. BENJAMIN KEILHOLTZ shot an owl on Wednesday morning which measured 4 feet 2 inches from tip to tip.

MR. A. B. CLOS of Rocky Ridge, contemplates the erection of a silo on his farm at that place in the near future.

AN unimproved lot of ground, with thirty feet front, was sold in Westminster last week to Charles V. Wantz for \$4,000.

MESSRS. N. ROWE & SON, plumbers and gas-fitters, have removed their shop to the second story of Fraley Bros., machine shop on W. Main street.

Remarkable Clover.

While walking through his pasture field just east of town the other day, Mr. Jas. A. Elder was attracted by an unusually large bunch of clover, and on examination found 2 six-leaf, 14 five-leaf and 8 four-leaf clovers in the one bunch.

Admitted to the Bar.

ON motion of Mr. Jacob Rohrbach, Mr. Jeremiah O'Donoghue of this place was admitted as an attorney at the Frederick Bar on Tuesday. The committee on examination consisted of Messrs. C. V. Levy, M. G. Urner and Jno. C. Motter. You have our best wishes for success "Jerry."

Base Ball.

THE Pennsylvania College Base Ball nine crossed bats with the Mt. St. Mary's College nine, on the grounds of the latter, Wednesday afternoon. The game was called at four o'clock and was hotly contested throughout, resulting in a score of 11 to 6, in favor of the visitors. We regret not being able to present the official score. This was the first defeat for the Mt. St. Mary's boys in a number of years.

Hog Instinct.

ABRAHAM CARL, a colored man, drove a sow and pigs from Washington county, Md., a distance of nine miles, to this place. After here three weeks she got out of the enclosure and traveled the distance back to her old home. Such ventures on the part of dogs and other animals we have often heard related, but this is the first instance of hog instinct ever brought to our notice.—*Waynesboro Record*.

Driving Accident.

ON Sunday morning as Messrs. Harry and Charlie Hobbs were on their way to church at Mt. St. Mary's College, when near Dr. Troxell's store the colts they were driving scared at some hogs and ran away, upsetting the buggy and throwing the occupants out. Harry's head was cut in an ugly manner and Charlie's back hurt. The colts ran on up the road until the buggy was completely demolished and then returned to where the accident occurred, when he was caught.

The Verdict Unanimous.

W. D. SULT, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham H. ure, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle all Drug stores.

THE reports received at the Agricultural Department in Washington show the condition of the principal crops from every county in Maryland. A synopsis of the report from Frederick county says "wheat is very promising. Clover is very good where well set, but many complain that clover failed to catch last spring. A tendency of some farmers near railroads to change to dairying. Total area of crops is about the same as usually. Mowing lands about the same as in 1888, except in places where clover failed. Clover and timothy comprise the hay crop."

Terrific Storm.

THE storm of last Friday afternoon and evening was a very disastrous one throughout Western Maryland. In this immediate neighborhood we have not heard of any serious damage, but a great many trees were blown down in different directions, the most damage being done in Mr. Jacob Newcomer's woods on the Littlestown road.

Considerable damage is reported throughout the county in way of trees being uprooted, fences and telegraph poles blown down but no serious damage was done. About fifty feet of the false work on the iron bridge, being built across the Potomac at Point of Rocks was swept away, and the sixth iron span of the structure was moved out of plumb several feet. Twenty-five workmen on the scaffold had a narrow escape. Some were struck by falling timbers, but were not hurt. Two men were swept into the river, but were rescued. Mr. Joseph D. Baker and other gentlemen who were under the structure had a narrow escape.

Expand the Mind.

By seeing as much as you can of the world. But ere you set out either as a tourist, commercial traveler or emigrant—whether you go by rail, canal, or steamboat, provide yourself with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which the traveling public recognizes as the finest medical safeguard and preventive of sickness with which any journeyer by land or water can be provided. It furnishes to the western pioneer adequate protection against malaria, rheumatism, and those water hegets. Its sedative effect upon a stomach, perturbed by the rocking of a ship is truly magical, and it is a capital appetizer and nerve invigorator. Excellent for biliousness and indigestion, and constipation, in a remarkable degree, the effects of fatigue, physical or mental. After wetting and exposure in inclement weather, it should be used as a preventive.

Choral Union Concert.

Arrangements for the Choral Union Concert are being rapidly completed. The programme will include choruses, solos, vocal and instrumental duets, quartets, quintets, etc., with several tableaux, which will be introduced by way of variety. For particulars see the large posters just issued from this office. The concert will be held on Friday evening, the 24th inst., at the Opera House, and the price of admission will be 25 cents. Reserved seats 35 cents. Children under 12 years of age 15 cents. Doors open at 7:30; entertainment to begin at 8 o'clock. The entertainment will begin with an instrumental duet, and the doors will be locked while the piece is being rendered, to avoid the disturbance occasioned by persons coming in during the performance, and immediately after the piece is finished the doors will be reopened.

School Trustees.

ON Wednesday of last week the Board of School Commissioners appointed the school trustees for the different districts throughout the county. Those for Emmitsburg district are as follows: Friend's Creek—Adam H. Eyer, Geo. Kipe, John Haidman; Annandale—George S. Springer, D. Hartman, J. K. Taylor; Emmitsburg—Joseph Waddle, Joshua S. Motter, Joseph A. Baker; Cattail Branch—George Valentine, William Snider, Grier Shoemaker; Hampden Valley—Christian Lantz, J. C. Eyer, Jerome Tressler; Clairvaux—Ignatius Wagner, William Althoff, Edward Tancy; Stony Branch—James P. Martin, N. C. Stansbury, Geo. Devilliss; Tom's Creek—James W. Troxell, Willis E. Fisher, John Close; Obler's—David Gillelan, R. E. Hockensmith, Albert Maxwell; Mayfield—Henry Slung, William Warner, William Scott.

Fifty-two Years Old.

WITH its issue of Thursday the 16th inst., the Baltimore Sun completed its fifty second year, and in calling attention to the fact editorially says:

Founded on the 17th of May, 1837, the Sun's career has been one of uninterrupted growth and constantly increasing influence. Many changes and improvements have been made from time to time, but the Sun has steadily adhered to the cardinal principles laid down originally by its founder, the late Amos A. Phelps, and has achieved a reputation second to that of no journal in the country for reliability, fair dealing, independence and enterprise as a great daily newspaper. It feels that it may be permitted to indulge an honest pride in the fact that its usefulness to the people of Baltimore and the State of Maryland as well as to thousands of readers elsewhere is universally recognized, and it extends to its hosts of friends, whose kindly feeling is so often manifested in most gratifying ways, the assurance of its earnest purpose to continue, and, whenever practicable, to improve upon the efforts which, in the past, have secured it their confidence and cordial good will.

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DIED.

WETZEL.—On May 10, 1889, in this district, of paralysis, Josiah Wetzel, aged about 70 years.

DANNER.—On May 8, 1889, at Quitman, Mo., M. P. Danner, son of Putnam Danner, formerly of this place, aged 21 years, 6 months and 4 days.

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Notice to Creditors.

THIS is to give notice that the Subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of JOSEPH W. KNOTT, of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before the 11th day of November, 1889; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 11th day of May, 1889. BENEDICT V. K
