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Through from Baltimore 11:10, a. m.; Way from Baltimore, 7:10, p. m. Harrisburg, 7:10, p. m.; Rocky Ridge, 7:10, p. m.; Motter's, 11:20, a. m.; Frederick, 11:20, a. m.; and 7:10, p. m.; Gettysburg, 4:10, p. m.

Depart.
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HELEN T. CLARK.

Shall I be ready ready when the shadow falls?
When up my heaven's blue walls
The fatal darkness creeps, and I must go
So still, so slow

The smallest child could soon outstrip my pace?
When each dear loving face
Must veil from me its hourly smiles or tears,
Its joys or fears?

When wayside plumes of golden red shall flame
For other eyes the same?
When autumn's burning boughs shall flaunting hold
Their red and gold?

When pitying hands shall take from mine the task
Unfinished—and I asked
If it be night, that I should run so untrue?
When I am through

With sunshine and the light of solemn stars?
When through my dungeon-bars
I reach a guiltless captive's hands, and grope,
Without a hope?

Shall I be ready for that silent blow?
This truth I feel and know;
That I must work while yet the pulse of day
Beats on my way;

That I must weave while still the threads run true—
If many threads or few;
That I must strive, till on my darkening walls
The blackness falls!

THE WAYSIDE WELL.

WALTER LEARNED.

He stopped at the wayside well,
Where the water was cold and deep;
There were feathery ferns 'twixt the mossy stones,
And gay was the old well sweep.
He left his carriage alone;
Nor could coachman or footman tell
Why the master stopped in the dusty road
To drink at the wayside well.

He swayed with his gloved hands
The well sweep, creaking and slow,
While from seam and seam in the bucket's side
The water plashed back below.
He lifted it to the curb
And bent down to the bucket's brim;
No furrow of time or care had marked
The face that looked back at him.

He saw but a farmer's boy
As he stooped o'er the brink to drink,
And ruddy and tanned was the laughing face,
That met his o'er the brink.
The eyes were sunny and clear,
And the brow undimmed by care,
While from under the brim of the old straw hat
Strayed curls of chestnut hair.
He turned away with a sigh;
Nor could coachman or footman tell
Why the master stopped in his ride that day,
To drink at the wayside well.

Uncle Remus Rattled
THE OLD MAN'S FIRST ACQUAINTANCE WITH THE PHONOGRAPH.

FRANKS OF THE PLANTATION.
Not long ago the husband of the lady whom Uncle Remus calls "Miss Sally" carried home a phonograph, or graphophone for the edification and amusement of his family.

There were several cylinders with the machine—one or two comic solos, some pieces by a military band, a banjo solo, the chimes of Trinity Church and some blank cylinders for experiment. When they had all enjoyed the performance of this wonderful invention, and had been quite amazed at the vivid reproduction of the slightest shades of sound, the lady of the house, thought of Uncle Remus, who was engaged in repairing the grape arbor in the garden. She placed one of the unused cylinders in the little machine, set it in motion, and proceeded to talk into the receiver, imitating the voice of the cook. The result was a dialogue between herself and the cook, in which, Uncle Remus was the subject of discussion. In a little while the old man made his appearance at the door. He had dropped his hat on the back steps, and as he stood bareheaded in the attitude of expectancy, with a half-humorous expression on his weather-beaten features, he saw a figure that was not without its pathetic suggestions.

"Is you sen' for me, Miss Sally?" he inquired.

"Yes," said the lady, "I've got a little machine I want to show you.

Come over here. Now stand there and put these cups over your ears."

"Miss Sally, what kinder contraption dish yer?" the old man asked, examining the ear tubes suspiciously. "Please, ma'am, don't play no pranks on me. I been feelin' skittish all day, en ef you git me skeered I'm bleedz ter holler."

"Don't be so stupid," exclaimed the lady; "put the things over your ears."

"Miss Sally, what you gwine ter do? My work waitin' fer me right now, en it got ter be done dis blessed day—ain't it, Marse John?"

The gentleman appealed to pretended to be playing with the children, and made no response.

"I believe you are losing your mind," said the lady. "Put those things over your ears."

"Miss Sally," protested Uncle Remus, "I ain't got no time fer ter be projickin' in here. I been knowin' you ever sense you 'uz born, en I know right pine blank you er fixin' fer ter git me in trouble. Dese you fixin' is holler, en I dunner what dey got in um."

"Are you going to put them on?" inquired the lady, impatiently.

"Miss Sally, fer de Lord sake lemme go out yonder en do my work. I ain't used to no kinder harness like dis, mo' speshually puttin' blinds on my years. I'll put um on," he continued, seeing that protest was useless, "but after you git me hitched up, I'm sholy gwine ter break sump'n, en 'twon't be my fault nudder. I tell you dat now."

Uncle Remus adjusted the tubes to his ears, and his Miss Sally started the machine. First came the announcement of the piece in a voice that sounded like it had been dug out of a tin mine and hardened by the Bessemer process. It was so startlingly near that Uncle Remus, whose politeness is a part of his nature, dodged his head, and exclaimed, "Suh!" rolling his eyes at Miss Sally.

Then the band struck up, and the old man seemed to enjoy it immensely. He shut his eyes, and then suddenly opened them, as if to make sure that he was still in the neighborhood. Presently the band concluded with the usual crash, and Uncle Remus drew a long breath of relief as his Miss Sally stopped the phonograph.

"What did you hear?" she asked as the old man took the tubes from his ears and proceeded to examine them more closely than before. He looked at them inside and out, and then fitted them to his ears again, but he heard nothing.

"Miss Sally," he exclaimed, "I wish you'd please 'em tell me wharabouts doze yer pipes lead ter?"

"Right to the phonograph here," "De which 'm?"

"The phonograph—this little machine here."

"Uh-uh, Miss Sally! Dey may fool you, but I done been yer too long fer dat. Day can't fool me. De ter een' er deze yer pipes ain't so mighty fer fun de circus, I dunner wharabouts de circus is, but wharsoever de show's a gwine on right dar is de ter een' er dem ar pipes. You ax Marse John dar, en ef he ain't playin' no prank on you, 'long er dish yer contraption, he'll tell you de same. When I go home ter night I gwine ter holler at my ole woman: 'You Kather'n! wake up fain dar whar you settin' noddin' by de chimbley man! Wake up from dar! You say yo' Miss Sally de smartest white 'oman in de United States or Gergy en yit yer she is done bin fooled by dem town folks.' Dat des zackly what I'm gwine ter tell 'er, en I bonn' you Marse John 'll bar me out in it, won't you, Marse John?"

Uncle Remus rattled this off so rapidly that the lady had no opportunity to interrupt him. At last she said, with some show of vexation:

"If your head wasn't so thick, you'd see that the music is on this cylinder."

"Wharabouts, Miss Sally?" "On this cylinder. The cylinder is covered with wax, and the music is on the wax."

Uncle Remus put on his spectacles, examined the cylinder closely and then looked at his Miss Sally curiously. He shook his head slowly and said:

"Miss Sally, I bin knowin' you sense you wuz a little bit er baby, en I ain't never hear you gwine on dis a-way befo'. I wish you'd please 'em tell me how dat ar brass ban' gwine git in dar. De ban' what I hear in deze zer pipes had de big horn en de base drum in it yit, let lone all de tuther horns, en my min' pintedly tells me dat ef dey wuz all ter get in dat ar shebang dar dey'd bust it wide open. Now you know dat yo'self, Miss Sally."

The lady wanted to laugh, but, instead, she adjusted another cylinder and told the old man to place the tubes to his ears. It was the banjo solo—the old make-believe affair with the mould of age on its whiskers. When it was concluded Uncle Remus exclaimed:

"What I tell you, Miss Sally? I know'd dey wuz a show gwine on some's 'roun' yer. Dar wuz de man pickin' de banjo, en doin' like he hear folks say de niggers does. I kin shut my eyes en see 'im right now. He got blackin' on his face, en his eyes is mo' bloodshot den what niggers' eyes is. He got on a high stove-pipe hat, en he showin' de bottom er his shoe wid chalk-marks on it. He ain't no more like a nigger dan a bumble-bee is like a roan mule. Yet dar he sets and plunks on de banjer. Marse John," the old man went on, "you reckon Miss Sally gwine ter up'n 'low dat dat ar man with de banjer is in de beeswax?"

For answer "Marce John" winked his eye and shook his head with an air of mystery. Meanwhile "Miss Sally" was adjusting the chimes of Trinity. Uncle Remus, listening, winked his eyes at every stroke of the bells and remarked when the ringing ceased:

"Is anybody ever hear de beat er dat? Ef dey ain't a big fire broke out some's de meetin' houses is all got in er bunch. Dat ar beeswax got a mighty tough job ef it got ter hol' all dem bells."

Then came the conversation between Uncle Remus and the cook, which had been spoken into the phonograph by "Miss Sally." The old man's placid countenance gathered severity as the dialogue was poured into his ears. The lady's imitation of the cook was cleverer than she had intended, and when Uncle Remus hung the tubes across the machine there was an ominous frown on his brow.

"Where are you going?" asked his Miss Sally, as the old man started out.

"I'm gwine out dar en see dat nigger 'oman. Dat ar contraption is wuss dan runnin' de kyards. Hit beats eavesdrappin'. Hit tell you what folks bin sayin' after dey done said it en gone. Dat nigger 'oman out dar in de kitchen bin talkin' bout me scan'lous."

With that Uncle Remus went out into the back yard, and those in the house heard a conversation something like this:

"I ain't bin talkin' 'bout you, needer. She tell you dat? She 'uz des prankin' wid you."

"Miss Sally ain't tell me nothin' 'tall. I hear de ve'y words wid my own years."

"Lookyer, nigger man! Is you gwine crazy? Ef you is I want you ter g'way I'm here."

"You up'n tell Miss Sally dat I bin stealin' tater pie, en fried sossage, en light bread."

"Is she tell you dat?"

"Miss Sally ain't tell me nothin'. I tuck'n hear de ve'y words. What you done wid dat apen fall er bis-cuits you tuck'n slipped of wid las' night? En whar dat can er dev-elish ham, en dat ar bag er prunes, en dem ar spar' ribs what you kyard off day 'fo' yistiddy?"

"I ain't deff! What you want er be holler'n so loud fer? She don't want er hear you gwine on dat away. All de white folks wants is ter git de niggers ter quollin' an' fightin', an' see um go ter de chain-gang."

You hush up an' go on 'bout yo' business."

A little later, when "Miss Sally" was attending to affairs in the dining room, the cook took occasion to remark:

"Miss Sally, you better make dat ole nigger man keep his mouf offen me. I'm gwine cripple him, mon, ef he don't lemme 'lone. Is you hear what he tell me dis evenin'?"

"What was it?" asked the lady, feigning ignorance.

"He come out here, he did," said the cook, scornfully, "an' say dat I wuz sittin' my cap fer him. kaze you-all had 'im in de settin' room dar showin' 'im de pictures. He de sassiest ole nigger I ever is see."

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS.

Two Cases of Lightning Stroke.

In the neighborhood where I lived when a boy, a barn, which I remember well, was struck by lightning a few weeks since and burned. This barn did not stand on elevated ground, but on the border of rather low meadow land, and was surrounded with hills, except on one side. The special point of interest attaching to the case is one touching the protection afforded by lightning rods, coupled with the additional fact that, notwithstanding the old adage, lightning does sometimes strike more than once in the same place.

Twenty years ago and more this particular barn was provided with an iron rod, which was carried down on glass insulators and into the ground at the end of the barn where the earth, a heavy clay soil, was always moist and generally wet. My brother, who lived there for several years and was familiar with the place, testifies that not infrequently after a heavy thunderstorm there was undoubted evidence that the rod had been struck, for the earth had been thrown away from the lower end of the rod to a depth of some six inches and for a considerable lateral extent. Just how often that occurred was not noted, but it was often enough to attract attention. My brother removed from there many years since, but I heard the same report recently from a reliable old gentleman who has lived there nearly all his life.

For some time the rod has been out of repair, and it was finally removed from the barn. How long since that occurred, I did not learn. But recently the lightning apparently struck the weather vane and set fire to the barn. While the rod remained on the barn the evidence is strong that it carried more than one lightning discharge safely to earth.

Another case was related to me. A few miles from the barn referred to was a church, which at one time had a rod running from the spire to the ground. But in the course of time the rod became separated somewhere on the roof and was left out of repair, probably because of insufficient faith in lightning rods. This lack of faith was somewhat dearly paid for, because lightning struck the rod, was carried safely down as far as the attached end; thence downward, it expended its energy on the building. It was not fired, but damage to the extent of several hundred dollars was done. The cases above, in which the lightning discharge followed the rod, may have been instances of Prof. Lodge's "steady strain," and not of the "impulsive rush" variety. But both go to show the usefulness of rods properly erected and in repair. Both accidents happened only after carelessness allowed the rods to fall into what was doubtless thought to be "innocuous desuetude."—PROF. H. S. CARHART in the Western Electrician.

SOME soothsayer has said that at 20 we know, at 30 we think we know and at 40 we give it up. It might be added that long before 50 we refer all disputed questions to our children.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1891.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Nov. 9, 1890, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg at 8.20 a. m. and 2.52 and 5.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.50 a. m. and 3.22 and 6.20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and 3.33 and 6.35 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 4.03 and 7.05 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.

SALES.

Feb. 14.—Robert Biggs and John C. Motter, trustees, will sell the property of Oliver J. Elder, at the west end of town, consisting of a house, several lots and a valuable small farm. See adv. and bills.

Feb. 14.—Wm. P. Maulsby and Jno. C. Motter, trustees, will sell the W. C. Elder property in this place. See adv. and bills.

Feb. 17.—Oliver J. Elder, Agent, will sell a lot of stock and farming implements, at his residence in this place. See bills.

Feb. 24.—Geo. P. Beam & Son, one mile north of town on the Gettysburg road, will sell stock, farming implements, etc. See bills.

Feb. 25.—Mrs. Regina Hare, on the B. A. Reilly property, one mile north of town will sell stock and household furniture. See bills.

March 3.—Edward G. Morrison, near Kries's School House, and one mile from Maxwell's Mill, will sell a lot of valuable stock and farming implements. See bills.

March 4.—Christian Lantz, Elder's Valley, will sell stock, farming implements, etc. See bills.

March 10.—W. H. Biggs & Bro., at Rocky Ridge, will sell 10 head of horses, 20 head of cattle, 42 head of hogs, and a large lot of valuable farming implements. See bills.

March 17.—John V. Elker, near Maxwell's Mill, will sell a horse, lot of blacksmith tools and other personal property. See bills.

March 24.—Mrs. Mary A. Waggoner, in Elder's Valley, will sell stock, farming implements, etc. See bills.

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The Banner of Liberty says January gave us twenty-one cloudy days.

MR. JAMES A. ELDER has our thanks for an artistic calendar, one of the neatest we have ever seen.

COMMUNION SERVICES will be held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning at half past ten o'clock.

Read the new adv. of G. W. Weaver & Son, Gettysburg, headed "cash," on the second page. They are "cash" in the lead.

Judging from the number of notices "for rent" to be seen in town, we are not likely to suffer from a house famine this season.

Don't hawk, hawk, blow, spit, and disgust everybody with your offensive breath, but use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and end it.

Don't forget that a meeting of the Farmer's League will be held at Gelwick's Hall, on Saturday afternoon, the 21st inst., at one o'clock.

MOTHERS should remember, when a physician cannot be procured, that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral promptly relieves the croup.

MISS ISABELLA STAHL, sister of H. J. Stahl, Esq., editor of the Gettysburg Compiler, died in York last Thursday, in the 55th year of her age.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather on Monday, the Railroad meeting which was to have been held at Greenmount was postponed.

COSTIVENESS can be permanently cured by the use of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. For sale by James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

An original pension has been granted to John W. Mathias, of Franksville, father of Thos. W. Mathias, Co. B, 7th Md. Infantry, at the rate of \$12 per month.—*Clarion*.

MR. J. J. HOCKESSMITH gave us one of the finest potatoes we have ever seen at this season, on Tuesday. It is of the Mammoth Pearl variety and weighs one and a quarter pounds, is smooth, solid, and very white.

How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Down's Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." It is always guaranteed to cure and money refunded. For sale by James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

Measles is prevailing at Creagers-town. A number of persons are suffering from it and a son of Dr. J. W. Devillbiss is critically ill.

Property Sales.

Mr. Benjamin Hobbs has purchased the farm of 62 acres and a mountain lot from Mr. Wm. H. Eigenbrode for \$2,400.

Mr. Samuel Hemler bought the old Wagner property for \$350.

A FORCE of men were at work last week removing the broken span of the bridge at Myers' mill, formerly known as Sell's, preparatory to rebuilding the same. It will be a great relief to our people to have this bridge restored, as every little freshet at this season makes the fording dangerous.

If you select good and healthy food for your family, you should also look to the welfare of your baby. For all troubles of early childhood nothing is better than Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

Remember that Old Saul's Catarrh Cure is preeminently the catarrh remedy of the age.

"PLEASANT FARM," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Byers, was the scene of an unusually pleasant and agreeable party last Friday evening. Dancing and general merry making was kept up far into the hours of Saturday morning.

We have received the New York World Almanac for 1891, which is enlarged and improved over the issue of former years, and presents an invaluable compendium of statistics and general information. It is really, like the World itself, a wonderful production. A copy will be sent to any address for 25 cents.

Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

List of Letters.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., Feb. 9, 1891. Persons calling will please say *advertised*, otherwise they may not receive them:

Miss Mary Biggs, Philip Hemler, John Neumann, Ollie Polle, S. N. McNair, P. M.

Don't Feel Well.

And yet you are not sick enough to consult a doctor, or you refrain from so doing for fear you will alarm yourself and friends—we will tell you just what you need. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will lift you out of that uncertain, uncomfortable, dangerous condition, into a state of good health, confidence and cheerfulness. You've no idea how potent this peculiar medicine is in cases like yours.

Shooting Match.

Messrs. S. W. Clark and A. M. Patterson will have a shooting match in this place on Friday, February 20th. The public is invited to participate. Will meet at the Emmitt House at noon. The prizes will consist of 10 turkeys weighing from 10 to 25 lbs. each, and 5 fat hogs, weighing from 150 to 250 lbs. each. There will be target shooting, glass ball shooting and rifle shooting. There will also be a wheeling match at the same time. Should the weather prove unfavorable, the sports will be postponed until the following Friday.

The Street Improvement.

We understand that the article which appeared in these columns last week favoring thoroughly macadamizing the streets, has caused considerable comment, both favorable and otherwise. We want all who have anything to say on the matter to know that the columns of the CHRONICLE are open for a full discussion of the subject, and correspondence thereon is solicited. The CHRONICLE is at all times favorable to improvements when the same can be made without too heavy a burden of taxation, and we think we can show how the desired end can be reached in this case without raising the taxes. As soon as we can gather all the facts, it will be thus presented.

Fire Bugs at Work.

A dispatch from Gettysburg to the Baltimore American dated February 12, says: "The fire fiends, who a year ago played such havoc in this and adjoining counties, are again at work. This morning notices were found tacked on the sides of ten barns around town warning the owners to remove their stock as the barns must and would be burned. During the past week two large barns were burned, twenty-six head of cattle perishing in the flames of the one which was the property of John Heyser; but the other, which belonged to William Althoff, burned without any loss of stock. Both fires were undoubtedly of incendiary origin, but nothing was thought of an organized gang till the notices were found this morning. The barns on which these warnings were found are the largest in the county. Every precaution is being taken to save the threatened barns and to catch the fire bugs. If any are caught it is safe to say they will be lynched."

An Emmitsburg Artist.

The Lebanon (Ind.) Patriot of Jan. 29, gives Robert Gelwick, son of Lewis Gelwick, of this place, the following send off:

Lebanon has sent her name abroad, and she has sent it everywhere, she has borne the name of bringing about some of the finest scenic paintings in the State. John Dicks and Robert Gelwick have been busily engaged for the past week in painting the beautiful scenery for Cason's Opera house, which is some of the finest paintings that ever dazzled the eye of man. The curtain is raised, and the representation of a Roman chariot race. The sides of the stage are drawn in an elegant architectural design, while the back scene is the exact picture, taken from nature, of the exterior of the ruins of the old Colosseum of Rome. These gentlemen have painted five panoramas during their successful career as knights of the brush. Mr. Dicks started his trade in Greenacres 36 years ago, while Mr. Gelwick commenced some years ago in Maryland.

From Centennial Headquarters.

"I find Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup excellent, having a ready sale and rendering more satisfaction than any cough syrup I have ever sold."—A. B. Maloney, M. D. 15th & Carpenter Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

An article based on true and honest principles is Salvation Oil. Price only 25 cents.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE NEWS.

The Purcell Lyceum.—First Meeting of the Carroll.—Notes.—Alumni Banquet.

Thursday evening last the Purcell Lyceum held its first regular meeting of this session. There was a crowded attendance and the evening passed off pleasantly enough. The chair was occupied during the evening by Mr. L. J. McBride, the President, and by Mr. E. J. Donohue, Vice-President, the latter presiding when Mr. McBride arose to deliver his famous recitation, "Only Three Grains of Corn."

There was also an excellent paper on "Revenge" by Mr. F. G. Wiendahl.

The new society for the Preparatory Department students, the Carroll Lyceum, met last Thursday evening in Carroll Hall. President T. J. McGliffe, presided, and much pleasure was expressed at the able manner in which young Mr. McGliffe fulfilled the duties of his office. Mr. Wm. A. Cross, the Secretary of the Carroll, also came in for a share of general attention. Mr. Cross so illustrates his fitness for the secretaryship every time he reads his minutes that he is made the recipient of a vote of thanks from his brother members.

The Critic coming in, he was introduced by Mr. McGliffe in a brief address. At irregular business, Messrs. Arthur J. Kavanagh, Jose Palva, Wm. A. Lavin, and Nelson Thompson were proposed and elected members of the society. Mr. Wm. Nagle was accorded a vote of thanks for his reading of the constitution. Then came the long expected debate. The subject was: "Has the present conduct of the United States Government towards the Indians been justifiable, or not?" On the affirmative were: Mr. Matthew Mulligan, Ironton, O.; Mr. Jno. R. Rogers, Baltimore, Md.; Mr. Wm. A. Nagle, Boston, Mass. Negative: Mr. Wm. J. Rice, Brantford, Conn.; Mr. Augustus D. Shorb, New York, N. Y.; Mr. Jno. Quinn, Yellow Springs, O.

The best speaker of the evening was Mr. Rice, who, not only possessed a thorough knowledge of the subject, but also had a graceful earnestness peculiarly his own. Messrs. Rogers and Nagle, being well prepared, did full justice to their side of the question. In giving his decision the Critic said that the young debaters did excellently well, and were to be commended. He certainly thought that he could never have been so enlightened on the Indian question. The debate was awarded to the negative.

The debate for next Thursday evening, "Resolved, that a College education is necessary for success in life." The gentlemen on for the debate are: Affirmative, Mr. Richard J. Walsh, Mr. Nelson Thompson, Mr. Jno. J. Harte. Negative, Mr. M. J. Perault, Mr. J. McGliffe, Mr. Arthur De Bersean. As Mr. De Bersean has promised to tell his opinions of College life, the debate must prove very interesting.

The Critic of the Purcell Lyceum this session is Mr. J. J. Crumlish, A. M.

The play to be presented on Washington's Birthday, is the comedy "Our Boys."

THE ALUMNI BANQUET.

The Banquet Committee for the annual banquet of the Alumni Association of St. Mary's College has been appointed by the President, A. V. D. Watterson, and will consist of the following named gentlemen: A. V. D. Watterson, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Charles B. Ernst, Rochester, N. Y.; Geo. M. Nichols, Brooklyn, N. Y.; John C. Finney, New Orleans, La.; Rev. M. J. Murray, Rhinecliff, N. Y.; Thomas J. McGliffe, New York, N. Y.; Edward J. Dunphy, New York, N. Y.; Harry P. Coleman, Philadelphia, Pa.; Lawrence Gardner, Washington, D. C.; Robert B. Biggs, Baltimore, Md.; Joseph A. Campbell, Dorchester, Mass.; Rev. P. L. Dunphy, Charleston, S. C.; John J. Rooney, New York, N. Y.; John W. McCarron, Jersey City, N. J. and Rev. J. F. Callaghan, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Watterson believes that this is not only a thoroughly representative committee, but also, which is more important, a working committee. The idea this year is to outdo all previous efforts and some slight innovations will likely be made. Among these will be a decided curtailing of the number of set speeches and more opportunity for general social converse, singing, music, etc. According to the resolution passed at the banquet last year, it will take place in New York City upon Wednesday evening, April 29, 1891. There will be a meeting of those of the committee who can attend in New York in the course of a couple of weeks to make the final arrangements, notice of which meeting will be given in due time by A. V. D. Watterson.

BLUE RIDGE SUMMIT ITEMS.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Ziellinger took place from the M. E. Church at Fountaindale on Friday last. The Rev. H. L. Koch, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Waynesboro, conducted the services which were simple and impressive. The funeral was largely attended. Among the relatives of the deceased coming from a distance was her son, Mr. John Ziellinger of David City, Nebraska; and her daughter, Mrs. John Reiling of Phillipsburg, Pa. Mr. David Miller, Mr. James Watson, Mr. Washington Glavin and Mr. Samuel Detro, old time friends of the deceased, by her special request acted as pall-bearers. The Cemetery at Fountaindale in which the deceased owned a lot, was the place of interment.

Among the arrivals at the Clermont House last week were P. M. Nunemaker, Emmitsburg, Md.; John H. Brew, Washington, D. C.; John Ziellinger, Nebraska; Mrs. John Reiling, Phillipsburg, Pa.; Henry Faxon, Baltimore.

From present indications it would seem that the ground-hog is a prophet more worthy to be relied upon than the Weather Bureau at Washington. The country looks gloomy enough, all the is not mud is water, and rain is still falling.

Disorders which Affect the Kidneys.

Are among the most formidable kinds. Diabetic, Bright's disease, gravel and other complaints of the urinary organs are not ordinarily cured in severe cases, but they may be averted by timely medication. A useful stimulant of the urinary glands has ever been found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine which not only affords the requisite stimulus when they become inactive, but increases their vigor and secretory power. By increasing the activity of the kidneys and bladder, this medicine has the additional effect of expelling from the blood impurities which it is the peculiar office of those organs to eliminate and pass off. The bitters is also a purifier and strengthen of the bowels, a tonic of the stomach, and a matchless remedy for indigestion and fever and ague. It counteracts a tendency to impure blood, and suggests and comforts the aged and infirm.

NOTHING adds so much to a person's appearance as a fine thick head of hair of even color, and to assure this use only Hall's Hair Renewer.

SABILLASVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. Putnam McKissick of Eyles's Valley had his arm seriously injured last Thursday, by a falling stone, while blasting rocks on the new road in course of construction from Germantown to Buena Vista Hotel.

Hubert Dwyer, infant son of David and Kate Weller, of Waynesboro, died on the 7th inst., from spinal affection. Interment was made in Green Hill Cemetery on Monday.

Every mother should have Arnica & Oil Liniment always in the house in case of accident from burns, scalds or bruises. For sale by James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

Motter's Station Items.

Miss Lizzie Hobbs of Frederick is visiting Mrs. L. M. Fisher.

Miss Emma Rosensted is very ill at the residence of her brother, Mr. J. C. Rosensted.

Mr. Wm. H. Weaver has purchased the property of Mr. Joshua Hobbs, now occupied by Mr. John B. Shorb, and intends building a new house on the site.

Margaret G., a four-year-old daughter of Mr. George Marble was taken seriously ill last Saturday and died on Tuesday evening. The funeral took place at St. Mary's College cemetery on Thursday morning.

A party of young folks attended a euchre party at Mr. A. V. Keepers' on Tuesday evening. When leaving to return home, the wagon struck a stump and upset. No one was badly hurt, but the king bolt and the top of the wagon were broken.

MANY women find great difficulty in arranging their hair becomingly, because of its harsh and coarse texture. By the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor, the hair becomes soft, pliant, and glossy. The Vigor is the most cleanly of all hair preparations.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

Mr. Eugene Warthen made a trip to Baltimore this week.

Mr. Joe Martin, of Pikesville, spent last week with his parents.

Mr. Clark Schaffer, made a visit to Mr. P. Hemler's last week.

Mrs. Jennie Hemler, who has been visiting in Frederick, returned home. Messrs. Harry and Robert Elder made a trip to Buena Vista Springs last Monday.

We are glad to say Mr. Ambrose Althoff, who has been sick for a long time is much better.

Miss Josie Elder who has been spending some time with her brother, Mr. F. Elder, returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wivel and Miss Ella Rosensue, of Baltimore, spent a few days with their parents in this place, last week.

It becomes necessary to speak again of the condition of the pike, which is deplorable in some places. Some of the culverts are filled up and have forced the water to the sides causing ugly washouts on the road bed.

Mr. Chas. W. Ott, of this place, has in his possession a pair of moccasins and a tobacco pouch, made of rawhide, ornamented with beads, sent to him by his brother, John Ott, of Co. E, Second Infantry, Pine Ridge Agency, S. D., which were given to him at the battle of Wounded Knee, Dec. 29, 1890.

Not One in Ten.

Of the people you meet from day to day has perfectly pure, healthy blood. The hereditary scrofulous taint afflicts the large majority of people, while many others acquire diseases from impure air, improper food and wrong indulgences. Hence the imperative necessity for a reliable blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which eradicates every impurity, and gives to the blood vitality and health. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, humors, boils, pimples, and all other affections caused by impurities or poisonous germs in the blood. All that is asked for Hood's Sarsaparilla is that it be given a fair trial.

MARYLAND ITEMS.

An effort is being made to raise money to purchase a fire bell at Union Bridge. Miss Mary Garrett, of Baltimore, has a bath in her home lined with Mexican onyx that cost \$50,000.

The Hagerstown Land Improvement Company will reduce its capital stock from \$1,000,000 to \$500,000.

Baltimore merchants say that that city will be greatly benefited by the reciprocity treaty with Brazil.

Directors of the House of Correction complain that magistrates in Baltimore send insane persons to that institution.

A tenant house on the farm of Mr. Samuel B. Loose, a few miles northeast of Hagerstown, was consumed by fire last Friday morning.

The C. & P. Telephone Company will begin the use of its underground wires in Baltimore early in March, or perhaps the latter part of this month.

President Kimball, of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, says the company is disposed to establish repair shops at Hagerstown, provided the necessary land and buildings are given.

The liquor license commissioners of Baltimore have made a report to Governor Jackson in which they say much good has been accomplished, but that the law needs amendment in some particulars.

A Lancaster County (Pa.) farmer named Gilpin Reynolds, was attacked by a party of Hungarians at Port Deposit, on Monday, and so badly beaten that he has no hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Owing to the tardiness of many taxpayers of Baltimore county, the Commissioners are unable to meet all the liabilities of the county as they fall due, and \$20,000 was borrowed recently. The School Board also borrowed \$30,000 for present needs.

Michael Cohen was arrested in Baltimore last week, charged with uttering language at a labor meeting, designed and intended to cause a breach of the peace. It is said, he urged his hearers to organize and kill certain people. Cohen came to Baltimore from Brooklyn about a year ago.

The shipments from the mines of the Cumberland coal region for the week ended February 7 were 85,598 tons, and for the year 450,953 tons, an increase of 78,941 tons as compared with 1890. The shipments by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were, for the week, 58,248 tons, and for the year 301,045 tons, an increase of 34,708 tons as compared with last year. The shipments by the Pennsylvania Railroad were, for the week, 27,351 tons, and for the year 149,908 tons, an increase of 44,234 tons as compared with 1890.

MARRIED.

ROSS—FERGUSON.—On Feb. 11, 1891, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. Simonson, P. D., Mr. Wm. F. Ross of Cumberland township to Miss Minnie M., daughter of Mr. T. A. Ferguson, of Frederick county.

Estate Settled.

We have received a copy of the Helena (Mon.) Daily Herald, which states that the estate of the late John M. Sweeney, of that city has been finally settled, and the distributions made according to the provisions of his will. The Herald says:

The executors named in the will were Senator T. C. Power and John W. Besser, but the latter leaving for South America soon after Mr. John Sweeney's death the business was performed by Mr. W. R. Sweeney and Senator Power. It has taken nearly four years to settle up the estate, but the work is now practically concluded and the provisions of the will have been faithfully carried out. Too much credit cannot be given to Mr. W. R. Sweeney for the unflinching attention he has given the wishes of the brother whom he loved and respected so much. He abandoned home and business in Maryland for over three years and addressed all his energies to the task with the determination to perform it faithfully and successfully. The wishes of the deceased were respected to the slightest detail. Though the surviving members of the family wanted the remains interred in the East, the request of the decedent, that his body should find sepulture in Helena and that his grave should be marked by only a plain granite shaft, was carried out to the letter. If there was any departure from his wishes, it was in erecting a monument perhaps more costly and elaborate than the simple taste of the dead person would have approved of. The same strict compliance to the provisions of the will was manifested in settling up the business. Requests to personal friends and public institutions in Helena were paid to the last cent, and the residue has now been turned over to the family legatees, who include two brothers, an aunt and a nephew. Several matters connected with the estate had to be adjudicated by the courts, and delays were experienced in collecting moneys due, but everything is now settled and the final distribution has just taken place.

The estate consisted principally of John M. Sweeney's interest in the firm of T. C. Power & Co., dealers in machinery and agricultural implements, in which he had been a partner since the early seventies. His personal popularity and strict attention to business were among the factors that advanced the prosperity of the house, and when he died his name was well known to farmers and stockmen from the Yellowstone to Flathead Lake. The firm had branches in all parts of the State, and Mr. Sweeney's personal work and influence were felt in each branch. His industry had its effect, and years before he died he enjoyed the easy circumstances which a moderate fortune brings, as well as the opportunities, of which he never failed to take advantage, of exerting his charitable inclinations for the relief of suffering and destitution. Mr. Sweeney's personal worth was known and appreciated beyond the confines of Montana, and he had a large number of staunch friends in the East. Montana can never forget his useful life, as several of the laws now on our statute books are the result of his services in the Territorial legislature. The writer knew Mr. Sweeney as far back as 1871, and during a long acquaintance, which took the form of interested friendship, saw the latter's part, was in a position to appreciate his many disinterested acts.

Mr. W. R. Sweeney, having finished his labor of love, will depart in a few days for his Maryland home, and the best wishes of a host of friends in Helena will accompany him.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Chas. F. Rowe is in Frederick. Mrs. V. C. Winger has gone on a visit to Harrisburg.

Miss Mamie Slagle of Hanover made a visit at Mr. L. M. Motter's.

Mr. Joseph Snouffer is seriously ill at the residence of his daughter in Waynesboro.

Mrs. Ann Carroll Orr, of Wheeling, W. Va., is the guest of Mrs. E. R. Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Graham of Spring Creek, Va., are the guests of Mrs. G's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hays.

Mr. Joshua D. Rhodes went to Altoona, Pa., this week, to secure a position as fireman on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have taken place in this county, as recorded in the Clerk's office during the past week:

C. M. Wenner, et al, to L. E. Bentz, lot in Brunswick, \$100. John C. Hardt and wife to Gustavus W. Schaeffer, 10 acres, 3 rods and 37 perches, \$200. Edward Lynch, et al, to Henry Dalley, lot in Frederick, \$45. George P. Buckley, mortgage, to Wm. F. Keefer, 66 acres, \$3,894. Edward Lynch, et al, to Geo. Wm. Smith and Charles E. Trail, lot of ground adjacent to Frederick, \$5,900. John H. Chew and wife to Emma K. Eyer, 2.5 acres, \$200. John C. Motter, executor, to Mary E. E. Trimmer, lot, &c., in Frederick, \$1 and premises. James O. Horne and wife to W. H. C. Russman, 8 acres and 60 square perches, \$400. Ezra C. and Daniel H. Buckley, executors, to John C. Buckley, house and lot in Johnsville, \$1,000. Thomas Dixon and wife et al, to John T. Williams, 15 acres, 2 rods and — perches of land, \$314.70. Burgess Hammond and wife to Sophia B. Main, 12 acres, 1 rod and 7 perches, \$200.

FREDERICK COUNTY ITEMS.

An original pension has been granted William T. Burkhardt, of Jefferson.

Ex-Sheriff Michael Zimmerman, is critically ill at his home, near Creagers-town.

The demand for houses in Middletown, says the Valley Register, is greater than the supply.

Mr. Henry M. Nixdorf has been re-elected president of the Young Men's Bible Society of Frederick County. The society was organized June 1, 1821.

The free delivery system which is now being tried in Middletown is considered a valuable convenience by the citizens of that place, and they are highly pleased with it.

The first batch of lots prepared for sale by the Frederick Development Company were disposed of at private sale as soon as the prices were made known, to local purchasers.

The Estey Philharmonic Orchestra, an organization composed of young musicians of Frederick, gave a concert at the City Hall in that place on Monday evening to a large audience.

Two little sons and a daughter of Mr. Lewis Jones, residing on South Mountain, killed a snake last Sunday which was three feet in length and measured three inches around.—*Valley Register*.

Eddy Mattoon, of Frederick, aged eight years, was playing with a bottle of powder last week, and while attempting to light it, it exploded, the flying fragments of glass cutting him severely in the face and neck.

The Frederick Shoe Company has been organized by Colonel Trail, D. Lowenstein, Thomas H. Haller, James E. Walker and other prominent business men. The capital stock of the company is \$25,000, fully subscribed.

The Frederick City Building and Lot Company, with a capital of \$30,000, has been organized by a number of prominent citizens, among them Col. Charles E. Trail, George Wm. Smith and others. The object of the company is to erect houses and manufacturing plants.

John Folk, a tenant on Capt. Graegman's farm near Frederick, was at work in the hay loft of the barn last Thursday, when he accidentally fell through an opening in the floor to the ground below, a distance of 20 feet. He was picked up and carried to the house and a physician summoned, who made an examination but found no bones broken. He was badly bruised up. Fears were entertained that he had received internal injuries, but he is now improving.—*News*.

As ye are now, so once were we ;
As we are now, so ye shall be.

It was a pleasing appetizer. Mr. Hammer had, as if by magic, brought them out of space somehow, and had, by the subtle use of a battery and a phonograph, made eyes gleam where in reality only sockets were, and their fleshless jaws move as if alive. Mr. Hammer has a friend who has a deep bass voice which seems to issue from his feet, and he it was who was pressed into service for the manufacture of the phonographic sound. Of course, after the mechanism of the thing was explained, every man had a good laugh on his neighbor. But the apparition of the grinning, speckled skulls, one of which in life had been detached from its body by the guillotine, was vastly in the extreme. It was a sort of reminiscence of the old Egyptian "skeleton at the feast."

The lights were turned up again and another course was introduced. All unsuspecting, the various guests

At another time, just as the desert was well entered upon, there was a sound like the bursting of a bomb, and a big round affair, which had been hanging all the evening above the table in the most innocent manner, was shattered into a

"WHERE are you going my pretty maid?" "I'm ganning for fools!" Look out!" she said.

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MAIN LINE AND CONNECTIONS.

Schedule taking effect Nov. 9th, 1890.

Read Downward.		STATIONS.	Read Upward.	
A. M.	P. M.	Leave. Arrive.	A. M.	P. M.
7:31	2:00	Hagerstown.	7:12	12:30
7:41	2:16	Hagerstown.		
7:44	3:16	Chewsville.		12:00
7:52	3:25	Smithsburg.		11:52
8:00	2:25	Elkington.		6:44
8:15	2:35	Highmont.	6:38	11:28
8:42	2:32	Fairfield.	4:03	10:53
8:52	3:32	Courtland.	15:52	10:41
9:00	3:40	Shenandoah.	5:03	10:32
9:05	4:35	Hanover.		9:34
A. M.	P. M.	Arrive. Leave.	A. M.	P. M.
8:15	2:25	Leave. Arrive.	6:38	11:28
8:16	2:51	41	6:22	11:32
8:44	3:40	Mechanstown.	6:05	10:51
8:50	3:40	Rocky Ridge.	5:53	10:42
9:07	4:40	Frederick Junc.		10:26
9:15	4:55	Union Bridge.	5:41	10:16
9:22	5:03	41	5:33	10:09
9:28	4:55	West Windsor.	5:33	10:04
9:47	5:00	Shenandoah.	5:21	9:43
10:02	4:59	Glyndon.		9:40
10:50	5:51	Arlington.		8:36
11:00	5:55	41		8:30
A. M.	P. M.	Arrive. Leave.	A. M.	P. M.
1:42	4:45	Washington.		21
2:50	5:55	Philadelphia.	12:03	8:59
4:10	7:10	New York.	3:42	15
A. M.	P. M.	Arrive. Leave.	A. M.	P. M.

A. M. P. M. P. Arrive. Arrive.
 6:25 10:35 8:45 Williamsburg, 8:45 5:30 6:45
 6:40 11:05 7:00 Hagerstown, 8:30 5:05 6:15
 6:55 11:20 7:15 Williamsburg, 8:45 5:20 6:30
 7:10 11:45 7:35 P. Williamsburg, 8:55 5:35 6:45
 7:30 10:02 7:53 Waynesboro, 9:05 5:48 6:55
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