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Frederick, 11:20, a. m., and 7:16, p. m.,
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town and Hagerstown, 5:35, p. m.,
Hanover, Lancaster and Harrisburg,
10:40, a. m., Rocky Ridge, 8:10, a. m.,
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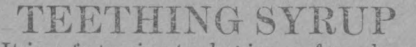
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A FELLOW'S MOTHER.

BY H. B. MAGINLEY.

Who does the most for a fellow, say?

Who brings him up from his baby's

day?

Who starts him off in the proper way?

A fellow's mother.

Who sits up when the evening's come,

And helps him along with his school's

hard sum,

Or reads him a book the library from?

A fellow's mother.

Who keeps a fellow all in trim,

And brightens him up when things get

dim?

Who thinks the whole wide world of

him?

A fellow's mother.

Whom should we love with a love so

warm?

Whom should we bar from all care and

harm?

Whom should we shield with a strong

right arm?

A fellow's mother.

OLD ST. MARY'S CITY.

HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION

OF MARYLAND'S FIRST

CAPITAL.

Taken from the Account of the Unvil-

ling of the Monument to Leonard Cal-

vert Published in the Baltimore Sun

of June 2d.

"The United States is the grave

of capitals. Not one of the origi-

nal seats of government continues

the centre of power. St. Mary's

was a capital before the arrival of

Leonard Calvert. It was the seat

of government of the Yeoconioquo

Indians, who were on the point of

yielding to outside pressure from

the Susquehannongs, when Cal-

vert's expedition brought an op-

portune purchaser. On the 27th

of March, 1634, the land was form-

ally taken possession of with relig-

ious ceremonies and christened An-

gusta Carolina. A city was laid

out and named St. Mary's. The

landing place was then the same as

now—immediately at the foot of the

State House bluff. The Potomac

river was called the River of Swans,

and St. Mary's river was named

St. George's.

"Nothing in the shape of a vil-

lage exists on the site of the an-

cient capital, but there are many

places attractive to anybody who

has enthusiasm enough to carry

him there, and the scenery is per-

haps the finest along the water

courses of Maryland. The profile

of the shore at the head of St.

Mary's river furnishes hill and dale

and presents some of the finest

views in America. From Pney

Point, some twenty miles above the

mouth of the Potomac, all the

places of antiquarian interest are

within five or six miles' travel, ex-

cept St. Clement's Island, ten

miles to the north, where the col-

onists first landed, and Piscataway,

nearly opposite Mount Vernon. As

you enter St. Mary's river and as-

cend it you find on the right hand

successively Fort Point, where a

battery was erected for the defense

of the infant colony, and the Jes-

uit house of St. Inigoes, and at the

head of the river the site of the

capital, St. Mary's. The ground

rises gradually as you penetrate the

country, until, within the eight

trace the foundations of the State

House within a few paces of the

edge of the declivity on two sides

and in the rear of where the old

mulberry tree stood for over two

centuries. The bricks of the old

State House have

FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1891.

ADVICE FROM WAYNESBORO.

In announcing that the business of the Geiser Company at Waynesboro amounted to over \$150,000 during the month of June, we called the attention of our readers last week to the fact that the great industries of this prosperous town were started when it had no better railroad facilities than we have today. The *Daily Gazette* of that place reproduces our article and adds:

"Hadn't even as good, Brother Paul,—had no railroad at all. The factories brought these and the end is not yet. Hammer away at your rich capitalists, until they get into the procession."

No further comment is needed. The same results could be attained right here, and besides this it is a well known fact that Emmitsburg capitalists either are or have been stock holders in one or more of Waynesboro's enterprises.

RESULT OF AN EARTHQUAKE.

The two terrific shocks of earthquake which were felt in southern California on Monday, June 29th, have resulted in the formation of a vast lake in the Colorado Desert. The violent upheaval of the earth has created a gigantic opening in the coast range of mountains through which the waters of the Pacific ocean are rushing towards the low-lying lands of the Desert which they are rapidly converting into a great salt lake, which will necessarily change the condition of the entire country in that region.

The unveiling of the monument to Gen. Stonewall Jackson at Lexington, Va., will take place on Tuesday, the 21st inst. The monument consists of a bronze statue of Gen. Jackson mounted on a granite base. Maj. Gen. James A. Walker, the last surviving commander of the Stonewall Brigade, will be Chief Marshal in the parade. Gen. Wade Hampton will preside over the memorial meeting, and Gen. Jubal A. Early will deliver the oration.

The result of the Fourth of July picnic should have the effect of awakening its managers to the necessity of providing some other form of amusement for future celebrations of this great event. The picnics are worn out, and no longer answer the purpose for which they are intended.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

The damage by the tornado at Baton Rouge, La., Monday is estimated at \$500,000.

The worst cases of scrofula, salt rheum and other diseases of the blood, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Sixty men are now working at the Taylor Works, in Chambersburg, and more will go on in a short time.

Out of Chicago's population of 1,208,669 only 292,463, or less than one-fourth were born in the United States.

Two hundred and thirty-six trains arrive at and 232 depart from the Broad street station, Philadelphia, daily.

Parnell was badly defeated in the election held Wednesday for a successor in Parliament to the late O'Gorman-Mahon.

Mrs. Mary Blake died at Martinsburg from blood poisoning, the result of having a tooth extracted. She was 47 years of age.

A census bulletin places the communicants of the Catholic church in the United States at 6,250,000 over fifteen years of age.

A. F. Burkhardt & Co.'s fur store Cincinnati, was burned Wednesday night, causing a loss of nearly a million dollars.

The State Penitentiary at Baton Rouge, La., was wrecked by a storm on Monday, killing ten convicts and injuring thirty-six others.

The drought about Jeffersonville, Ind., is becoming serious. Grass is like tinder, and constant alarms of fire keep farmers along the railroads busy. On Sunday field fires broke out at McCulloch's, Applegate's and Herald's, spread rapidly and threatened wheat crops, houses and barns. The entire neighborhood turned out and fought the fire, barely saving the wheat. Several wheat crops have already been destroyed by fire.

Deafness Can't be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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It is said that the Standard Oil Company is getting control of European oil companies, with a view to running the oil trade of the whole world.

PROF. DYRENBORTH will go to Texas to make further rain-producing experiments by exploding balloons charged with oxygen and hydrogen.

GRASSHOPPERS stopped a Rock Island passenger train on Saturday. They covered the track for five miles and the wheels of the engine revolved hopelessly.

A MAN in Germany has constructed a clock which will run 8,000 years. The maker warranted it to run without stopping and without winding until midnight of the year 9999.

CALIFORNIA has taken an invoice of her giant trees left standing, and finds 2,675. The largest of these is 69 feet in circumference. Visitors at the World's Fair will see one of them.

JAMES J. SLOCUM, Harris A. Smiler, Joseph Wood and Shibusya Jugiro were executed by electricity at Sing Sing prison, New York, Tuesday. The execution was pronounced a success by the scientists present.

The offer of the master of the Chilean steamer Itata to pay \$500 for violation of our navigation laws has been accepted, but its settlement has no bearing on the graver charges against the officers of the Itata.

JOHN BARDLEY, the defaulting city treasurer of Philadelphia has been sentenced to fifteen years solitary confinement in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$237,000. He was removed from the county prison to the Eastern Penitentiary on Wednesday.

The new press on which the New York Herald is printed is a sextuple machine consuming over fifty miles of white paper in one hour, and delivers twenty-five complete newspapers cut pasted and folded in one second. It prints ninety thousand six page Herolds in one hour.

WHILE Alfred Keim, a farmer living two miles from Bethlehem, Pa., was removing the strap from about the neck of one of his cows in the stable, preparatory to turning her out to pasture, the animal raised her head, and one of her horns entered her owner's left eye, tearing it from the socket.

PRINCESS LOUISE, of Schleswig-Holstein, grand-daughter of the Queen of England, was married at St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle, Monday afternoon, to Prince Arbert, of Anhalt, with great splendor. Emperor William, of Germany, inspected Eton College, England's most popular educational institution.

DISPATCHES from various points in the eastern half of Kansas and all of North-western Missouri tell of heavy rains. Considerable damage is reported to wheat in shock and to wheat which it has been impossible to harvest on account of previous heavy rains. The heavy fall of rain has caused the Missouri river to rise again to the flood stage.

A SINGULAR accident occurred in Washington Tuesday evening. A boy whilst riding a bicycle was thrown in consequence of its striking a stone in the street, and fell violently against Rev. Dr. Wm. Schubert, who was crossing at the time. The force of the collision knocked the old gentleman senseless and he died without regaining consciousness. A coroner's jury exonerated the boy.

A REVOLUTIONARY HERO.

The Burial of Sergeant Lawrence Everhart at Middletown in 1840.

W. McCoy in the Valley Register.

In visiting Middletown not long ago I took a walk through one of the cemeteries, and in it I came to the tomb of Sergeant Lawrence Everhart, one of our Revolutionary heroes, and the one who saved the life of General Washington at the battle of Cowpens, and who also rescued Gen. Lafayette from falling into the hands of the British as a prisoner.

This carried my mind back fifty-one years, to the death of the old hero. He died August 6th, 1840, in the house now owned and occupied by Mr. George Bowling, near E. K. Phileas's mill, about two miles southwest of Middletown, in the 85th year of his age. On the morning of the funeral the Rohrer'sville band, of which I was a member, went over to his residence to take part in the ceremonies. Shortly after our arrival came the Harper's Ferry Guards, a finely uniformed Light Infantry Company, commanded by Capt. Seaman. They came to bury the old hero with the honors of war. There were no uniformed militia companies in any part of the State at that time. Col. Edward Lucas was then superintendent of the Harper's Ferry Armory, and he accompanied the Guards, filling the place of a private with the uniform and musket, and marched from the house to town and back.

Shortly after the military arrived the procession was formed. At the head of the line was a gray horse led by a colored man. On the horse was strapped the musket, pistols, sword, spurs, &c., which were used in the war for our independence. Then came the Rohrer'sville band, followed by the Harper's Ferry Guards. Next came the hearse, friends in carriages, and many horse-back riders.

When the procession reached Middletown we found the streets crowded with people to witness the funeral cortege and to pay their last respects to the grand old hero. After marching to the grave, and the burial service over the remains were drawn up in line and fired a salute over the grave, as usual in the burial of a soldier in the honors of war. After the benediction the band and company returned to the residence of the deceased and partook of a fine dinner which had been prepared for them.

Crown Stock Food acts like a charm on hogs, and will surely prevent hog cholera, etc.

THE ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

Written for the Chronicle.

PART FIFTH.

There is usually a desire on the part of the railway company to utilize the current for lighting the car. An extra circuit is arranged for this purpose, beginning at the base of the trolley pole the circuit passes to and through five incandescent lamps, thence through a switch, and finally through a small switch to the track whence it passes to the ground. If the switch is turned one way the lamps are lighted, and if turned the other way the circuit is opened and the lamps get no current. Thus the lamps in daylight can be left unlighted. Lamps as usually made will not stand the strain of a higher pressure than 100 volts, and as we have from 450 to 500 on the line, the difficulty is met by arranging the lamps in series, so that the pressure is distributed, and each of the five gets only one-fifth the pressure existing.

The protective device on a car are two-fold, namely, lightning arresters and safety switches. The lightning arrester is usually composed of two blocks of metal or hard carbon, separated from each other by a thin blade of mica. One block is connected by a heavy wire to the base of the trolley pole, and the other block to the track, thence through a switch, and finally through a tremendous pressure. Some physicists estimating it at upwards of 1,000,000 volts. And we are all familiar with its ability to leap through the air, while a 500 volt pressure is unless assisted, quite powerless to leap the smallest fraction of an inch. Consequently though only the thin mica blade prevents the 500 volts from taking this quick path to the ground, if lightning comes along the trolley wire it strikes the mica and is then carried through the mica and is then carried to ground harmless, having by the short cut afforded it passed around the motors and leaving them unscathed. Hence we may say that the trolley pole and its connections constitute a variable lightning rod for the car, and passengers can feel comfortable and safe in times of storm accompanied by thunder and lightning. Further, since the feed wires and trolley wires through a large city form a wide spread conductor of low resistance, and as lightning arresters are frequently used both at the station and on every car of the system, and frequently on the poles, a city provided with electric railway on the trolley plan may be considered as regularly protected against disastrous strokes of lightning.

The extensive system of wires kept tapping the lightning and dissipating it into the ground, as it were, preventing the heavy accumulation of electric energy in a flash that strikes a building and sets it ablaze. In this respect, as a measure of protection, the overhead system with its wide-spread and heavy copper wires and grounded rails is a potent agent for which we are indebted to the electrician. In a less degree the steam railroad is a safeguard. Lightning seldom has been known to strike a railway train, because of the great dissipating capacity of the heavy and well grounded rails, stretching over miles and miles of track.

The other safeguard applied to the cars is the safety fuse. It is designed to protect the car motors against the damage which might occur from the passage of an excessive volume of current. In an earlier chapter we have seen that the given electrical pressure we could have currents of widely different volume according to the resistance of the circuit. It has also been explained how by the passage of a current of too great volume the wire becomes heated and in a short time its temperature sufficient to melt it. Of course the wire which constitutes the bundle of conductors called the armature cannot carry an indefinitely great volume of current. Mechanical and electrical limitations of construction found by experience prevent the use of a wire larger than one-twelfth of an inch in diameter as a general thing. There are usually two such wires at one time in each motor for the current to pass through.

Now, if we could have a wire of such a size considerably, and if continued a few moments will threaten destruction to the insulation. That would be fifty amperes for each motor, or 100 amperes per car, and it is necessary to prevent the current from flowing in such a way as to melt under such a strain. To accomplish this the car is provided with a "fuse," i. e., the current before passing to the circuit is made to pass through a comparatively small wire of short length, whose diameter is such that if the current is too great the wire will melt apart and the circuit being thus ruptured no current whatever can flow until a new "fuse" has been inserted. Consequently this apparatus is saved from injury from that source.

Different methods of control and regulation of speed are in use. Some of these are of a character too complex and technical for the average reader. The current will describe the method of controlling the speed of the car by means of two of the leading manufacturers of railway motors, or at least try to make clear. It has before been stated that the volume of current in a circuit depends for a given electrical pressure upon the resistance opposed to it. Now the resistance may be of two kinds. It may be a "dead" resistance, that is a quantity of any kind of wire, or other conductor; or it may be a "live" resistance, that is something having an opposition to the current which varies with the tendency of the original pressure to pile up the volume. Now it may become plain if we consider that when at rest an electric motor is merely so many feet or yards of wire and is a dead resistance; but when it is started it creates an opposing electrical pressure whose amount depends upon the speed attained. Suppose we assume the dead resistance of the car motors to be one ohm. If we allow the full pressure to reach the motor the current will be 450 amperes, obtained by dividing the pressure, say 450 volts by 1 (ohm), that is, the current would be 450 amperes, which would be destructive. But we only want to allow a normal flow of say fifty amperes, and in accordance with the electrical laws we must have nine ohms resistance in the circuit, either as "dead" resistance or its equivalent. If, when at rest, the motors amount to one ohm, we arrange the resistance so that we can cut out of the circuit, the flow of current will not exceed our predetermined fifty amperes. With that current and pressure the motors will start rotating and the car will begin to move and acquire a certain speed which will be low because as we already know the pressure diffuses its effects through a circuit in proportion to the resistances found in its path. That is, if of nine ohms, eight are dead, then eight-ninths of the energy are useless, and only the remaining one becomes useful; so it is no wonder the car would move slowly. If however the nine ohms resistance be so arranged in connection with a rotary switch that by turning the switch any desired amount of the resistance can be cut out of the circuit, it is plain that we can easily control the proportions of useless and useful energy. Suppose we arrange the eight ohms dead resistance, in the circuit which has the one ohm of motor resistance, so that we can cut out of the circuit the switch we successfully cut out sections of one ohm each. Now on closing the circuit we have our 450 volt pressure giving fifty amperes of current through eight ohms idle resistance and one ohm of motor resistance. If we turn the handle one degree we reduce the idle resistance to seven ohms; two degrees, six ohms, three degrees five ohms and so on till all the dead resistance is cut out and only the live resistance of the motor remains. In this way, by turning the switch out one ohm after another, we throw more energy into the motors and they pull harder and run faster and

in doing so generate a counter-electrical pressure which takes the place of the dead resistance as fast as the latter is taken out of the circuit. We may start with 450 volts through nine ohms, giving fifty amperes. Of the total energy available only one-ninth then goes into work in the motor, which rotates slowly and starts the car. Cut out one ohm of dead resistance and then the motor goes faster and hotter at the equivalent of two ohms dead resistance; i. e., the useless energy is seven-ninths and the useful energy two-ninths of the whole. Cut out another ohm, the motor increases in speed and becomes the equivalent of three ohms absorbing now one-third the energy into useful effect. And so on until the entire dead resistance is cut out and the motors absorb all the available energy in driving the loaded car at high speed, and no current is wasted in heat or in fruitless circulation. In general way illustrates just what is done by the motorman in front. He has two handles, one being on a spindle inside a pipe. One handle operates the reversing switch previously described, the other handle, carefully, starting the car slowly and gradually reaching the desired speed without sudden jolts or jerks and their consequent effects on the tempers of the passengers. Connections are made beneath the car by means of which the motorman can operate from either end of the car with equal facility.

If these handles were left exposed we would have plenty of repetitions electrically of the buzz-saw fiend. To avoid this the reversing and controlling handles are made removable and only one set furnished with each car. When the motorman arrives at the end of his run he lifts off the handles and carries them to the other platform which now becomes the front of the car, and the would-be victims on the rear platform have nothing but the spindle-stubs to clutch. As nothing short of the run with the iron hand and muscles of steel could then turn the stubs, the usual reward of the buzz-saw is avoided.

By means of the above described arrangements and devices, the motorman keeps his car in full control at all times. He can stop easily and gently by simply turning off the current and putting on the brakes; or he can in case of extreme emergency, such as the falling of a pedestrian across the tracks, stop the car in a few seconds. In the second would cause the wheels to revolve backwardly, and unless the track is slippery the car comes to a full stop and life or limb is saved to the unfortunate pedestrian, whereas if horses were used as the motive power, the car would probably be trampled or maimed more or less seriously and perhaps killed.

Another chapter will be required to complete this popular description of the operation of an electric railway.

T. J. McIlhenny.

FREDERICK COUNTY ITEMS.

The *Wolfsville News* reports a curiosity in the shape of a seven-leaf clover.

Joseph Thomas, colored, aged 14 years was accidentally shot by Thomas Goings, also colored, at Frederick on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Grossnickle of Wolfsville was kicked on the forehead by a horse last week. The *Catoctin News* says he is improving.

The name of Col. Chas. E. Trail, is being frequently mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for Governor.

One hundred and eighty-one official visits to schools were made by School Examiner Worthington during the school year just closed.

Mr. Wm. Smith, near Frederick caught his hand in a cutting box last Saturday, and mangled it so that one finger had to be amputated.

A fire occurred in the work-room at Wilson & Markey's lumber yard last week from faulty wiring. The lumber, tools and machinery on the second floor were badly damaged.

The democratic central committee will meet on Saturday, to arrange dates for holding the county convention and to arrange the date for holding the convention to nominate the local county ticket.

The following instruments were filed for record in the Clerk's Office, for the month of June: Deeds 105, mortgages 35, chattel mortgages 6, bills of sale 7, deed of trust 1, plat 1, power of attorney 1, total 156.

Dr. Edward Nelson, of Frederick, has been appointed as one of a committee of three for the State, to the World's Columbian Dental meeting of the United States, to be held at Chicago during the months of August and September, 1893.

Mr. S. M. Birely, of Mechanicstown, has purchased a site for a railroad station and warehouse on the Gettysburg division of the W. M. R. R. at Moriah.

Many of the farmers of Frederick County are now engaged in the freight and ticket agency near the company's depot and will at once build a suitable depot for the trade at that point.—*Clarion*.

The many friends of Mr. W. Scott Kefauver, of near Broad Run, Middletown valley, who had his right leg broken on May 4th, but being thrown from the broken leg carted for the second and third time and he is now on his back again.—*Register*.

Makes the Weak Strong

The marked benefit which people in run down or weakened state of health derive from Hood's Sarsaparilla, conclusively proves the claim that this medicine "makes the weak strong." It does not act like a stimulant, imparting fictitious strength from which there soon follows a reaction of greater weakness than before, but in the most natural way Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes that tired feeling, creates an appetite, purifies the blood, and in short, gives great bodily, nerve, and digestive strength.

Fagged Out
"Last spring I was completely fagged out. My strength left me and I felt sick and miserable. I could not do any work. I could hardly attend to my business. I took one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it cured me. There is nothing like it." R. C. BROOKS, Editor Enterprise, Belleville, Mich.

"I derived very much benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured my indigestion, and it built me right up, and gave me an excellent appetite." ED. JENKINS, Mt. Savage, Md.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. Insist upon having

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists, \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by O. L. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

Buxco men, says the *Greensburg Democrat*, have sprung a new game, or rather have revived the old gold brick fraud, which they are now working in various sections. A bogus detective calls on a farmer, and, in great secrecy, tells him of the death-bed confession of a thief, who had a mass of molten gold buried at a particular spot on his farm. The "gold" is dug up and the detective offers to sell the entire lot to the farmer for \$1,000. The mass usually weighs 10 or 15 pounds and is a composition of bright metals of the baser sort. Several places where the swindle was tried the farmers refused to bite.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

No. 5303 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

MAY TERM 1891.
John T. Celwicks, Plaintiff, against Frederick C. O. Sless and Margaret M. Sless his wife, William H. Heagy and Barbara A. V. Heagy his wife and Daniel L. Sless and Annie R. L. Sless his wife, Defendants.

The Amended Bill in this case is filed to procure a decree for the sale of certain Real Estate in Frederick County, of which Daniel Sless, died, seized and possessed, and that the proceeds of said sale may be distributed among the parties entitled thereto according to their respective rights.

The Amended Bill states:
1. That Daniel Sless, late of Frederick County, deceased, was in his lifetime and at the time of his death seized and possessed of certain real estate situated in Frederick County, which appears to be a part of that real estate which was conveyed to him in his lifetime by Jacob Sless and others of the deed for which Exhibit A filed with said Amended Bill as part thereof, is a copy and for a fuller description the plaintiff prays leave to direct the court hereafter in the further progress of this cause, and that if said allegation be not true, then in point of fact it does not appear from the Land Records of Frederick County, that he ever had any paper title at all for said real estate.

2. That the said Daniel Sless died in undisputed possession of said real estate for more than twenty-five years before his death and that said real estate of which he died seized and possessed, is described in the Deed of which Exhibit B filed with the Bill as part thereof, is a certified copy and that the number of acres which said real estate contains is unknown to the plaintiff.

3. That the said Daniel Sless died intestate on or about the twenty-eighth day of June in the year Eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

4. That the said Daniel Sless left surviving him a widow, Barbara Sless, who died on or about the twenty-eighth day of June in the year Eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and the following children and heirs-at-law.

(a) Mary Ann Elizabeth Dotterer, a daughter, who is of full age, now a widow and residing in Washington County.

(b) The Defendant Frederick C. O. Sless married to the Defendant Margaret M. Sless, both of whom are of full age and reside in Frederick County.

(c) The Defendant Barbara A. V. Heagy married to the Defendant William H. Heagy, both of whom are of full age and reside in Adams County in the State of Pennsylvania.

5. That the said real estate owned by the said Daniel Sless at the time of his death, descended to his said children upon their respective deaths.

6. That the interest of one of said children and heirs-at-law, the said Mary Ann Elizabeth Dotterer is now held and owned by the plaintiff as well as by the parties interested therein and that it is necessary and to the interest and advantage of all the parties entitled thereto that the same be sold and the proceeds thereof divided among them according to their respective rights.

The Amended Bill prays for the following relief:

1. That the said Frederick C. O. Sless and Margaret M. Sless his wife, William H. Heagy and Barbara A. V. Heagy his wife, Daniel L. Sless and Annie R. L. Sless his wife may answer as well as the masters charged in the original Bill of Complaint as in this Amended Bill.

2. That the decree may be passed for the sale of said real estate.

3. That the proceeds of said sale may be distributed among the parties entitled thereto according to their respective rights.

4. That the plaintiff may have such other and further relief as the court may require.

5. That a writ of Habeas Corpus may issue against the resident defendants.

6. That an Order of Publication may issue against the non-resident defendants.

7. That the plaintiff may be allowed to show before the court on or before a certain day to be shown before said day, provided if any they have, why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

It is thereupon this first day of July, A. D. 1891, adjudged and ordered by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity, that the plaintiff cause a copy of this order together with a statement of the object and substance of the Amended Bill to be inserted in some Newspaper published in Frederick County once a week in each of four successive weeks before the tenth day of August, A. D. 1891, giving notice to the non-resident defendants, William H. Heagy and Barbara A. V. Heagy, his wife, in said Amended Bill and warning them to be and appear in this Court in person or by Solicitor on or before the 20th day of August, A. D. 1891, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

(Filed July 1st, 1891)

W. IRVING PARSONS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True Copy—Test:
JULY 10-5L. W. IRVING PARSONS, Clerk.

Order Nisi on Audit.

No. 5740 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

MAY TERM, 1891.

In the Matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 29th day of June, 1891.

Ellen B. Fleming, et al., vs. The Citizens National Bank and Olivia J. Horner.

ORDERED, That on the 20th day of July, 1891, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid, in the above cause, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for two successive weeks prior to said day.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1891.
W. IRVING PARSONS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True Copy—Test:
JULY 3-3L. W. IRVING PARSONS, Clerk.

ADVERTISING.

We are firm believers in the efficacy of printer's ink. We employ it in various ways and methods, but we only use it to tell people of the good things we have and to attract attention to us. When people once get to the store we advertise with low prices and a proper stock—this is an advertisement that strikes home, and goes farther than ink, because unless backed by facts that are indisputable, it draws but once and doesn't have the desired result even then. Now in the matter of low prices how is it that in a majority of cases we are below other stores? This question naturally arises. Here is the answer. We have learned the secret of *owning our goods at less money than our competitors*. We aim to

Buy them right and the rest is plain sailing.

When we buy a bargain we sell a bargain.

Now, these in the main, coupled with the fact that everything sold must be satisfactory, has made us the leading merchants with sales double that of any store in Adams county. Our store is now filled with the choicest of everything and the prices make the sales.

THE LEADERS

In Dry Goods, Notions and Carpets.

G. W. WEAVER & SON,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

Western Maryland Rail Road Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road.

CONNECTING WITH

H. & P. R. R. at Shippensburg, Shenandoah Valley and B. & O. Railroads at Hagerstown, Pennsylvania, R. R. at Frederick Junction, and P. & B. R. C. and A. & P. Railroads at Union Station, Baltimore, Md.

MAIN LINE AND CONNECTIONS:

Schedule taking effect Jan. 11th, 1891.

For Washington, via Pittsburgh, 8:30 a. m. and 7:40 p. m.
For Cleveland, via Pittsburgh, 8:30 a. m. and 7:40 p. m.
For Washington, week days, 5:00, 6:30, 6:50, 7:10, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00,

Emmitsburg Chronicle.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, JULY 10, 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.

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. Also Old Kentucky Whiskey and Speer's celebrated Wines, for sale by F. A. DIFFENDAL.

The indications are now favorable for an unusually large potato crop.

The recent extensive repairs to the Church at St. Joseph's Academy are completed.

The cherry season is about over and now we enjoy the luscious dewberries and raspberries.

Mr. HARRY ELDER, of Toledo, Ohio, has our thanks for a copy of the *Toledo Blade*, of June 27.

We will pay cash for a number of copies of the *CHRONICLE* of June 28, if brought to this office.

A RETREAT of the Sisters of Charity begins at St. Joseph's today and will continue until the 19th inst.

FOR SALE.—A good sound frame building 16x20 ft. and 13 feet high. For information apply to this office.

The new well of the Gettysburg Water Company has been completed. Water was found at the depth of 100 ft.

DURING a wind storm Friday evening the 107-foot flag pole at the National Cemetery, Gettysburg, was broken off.

Tune up the system of your horse by using Biggs Bros. Crown Stock Food.

Mr. CORNELIUS DUBEL, of Rocky Ridge, has lost the sight of one of his eyes from being struck in it by a head of wheat.

AN exchange says: "One of the best things to put out a coal oil fire is wheat flour. It never fails to do effective work."

THE bridge over the Monocacy at Sell's fording has been replaced at last, after the lapse of almost a year since its destruction.

The rains of this week, although seriously inconveniencing the farmers who have wheat to haul, will prove very beneficial to the corn.

THE L. H. Miller vault intended for the banking room in Birely & Osler's new bank and store building arrived and was put in place on Thursday afternoon last.—*Clarion*.

Ask your Merchants for Crown Stock Food, should he not have it, write to Biggs Bros., Rocky Ridge, Md.

The Union Sunday School at Hunter's School House will hold a festival on Friday and Saturday, the 17th and 18th inst. Lunch will be served Saturday afternoon at 15 cents.

AN Adams county farmer recently placed some Paris green in his hen house for safe keeping, and during the night a valuable heifer strayed into the house and ate the poison.

BAXTER'S Mandrake Bitters cure indigestion, Heart Burn, Costiveness and all malarial diseases. Twenty-five cents per bottle. For sale by J. A. Elder, Emmitsburg and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

CAPT. FRANK LAWRENCE brought to this office last evening, five apples growing in a bunch. They were as four-lying together, forming a square and the fifth one piled on top. They came from Joseph Florence's.

Crown Stock Food will make cows produce more and richer milk.

Mr. J. H. ESTILL, President Morning News Co., Savannah, Ga., says: "A member of my family who has been a martyr to neuralgic headaches for twenty years, has found in Brady's remedy an infallible remedy."

The owner of a valuable patent right will sell a portion of his territory cheap. Either county or district rights can be secured. Good chance for a paying investment at small outlay. For particulars apply at this office.

The Taneytown correspondent of the *Westminster Sentinel* says: "I noticed in the *Sentinel's* correspondence, several weeks ago, that the belled buzzard was found dead. Since that time a buzzard has been seen several miles from town, on the farm of Mr. Geo. K. Duttera, with a bell attached to its neck."

A MISTLE will often make a cripple for life. A bottle of Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment at hand, will not prevent the mistle, but used immediately it will save being a cripple. For sale by J. A. Elder, Emmitsburg and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

If you are troubled with a "hacking cough," Down's Elixir will give you relief at once. Warranted as recommended or money refunded. For sale by J. A. Elder, Emmitsburg and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

Among the list of jurors drawn for the August term of Court as reported in the *Examiner* are Jos. S. Waddles and James F. Martin of this district. We suppose the man intended is James P. Martin as there is no James F. Martin in this district.

Fast Travel.
Mr. A. C. Lorentz, of Frederick, whose pneumatic cushion tire bicycle attracted attention in this place several weeks ago, made the run from Frederick to Hagerstown recently on this wheel, a distance of twenty-six miles in 3 hours and 5 minutes.

Pastor Called.
Rev. Luther DeYoe pastor of the Lutheran church this place, has received a unanimous call to the Messiah Lutheran Church of Harrisburg, Pa. Mr. DeYoe has the call under consideration and has not as yet signified his intention of accepting or rejecting it.

CARDS are out announcing the wedding of Mr. Russell P. Johnston of Turin, Iowa, formerly of this place, to Miss Lulu Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hunter of Gettysburg, and also formerly of this vicinity. The wedding will occur on the 15th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents.

To Dispel Colds.
Headaches and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., July 6, 1891. Persons calling will please say advertised, otherwise they may not receive them:
I. S. Bowers, Mrs. Bell.
S. N. McNair, P. M.

Reformed Reunion at Pen-Mar.
The committee in charge have announced Thursday, August 13, 1891, as the date for the second annual reunion at Pen-Mar of the Reformed Churches in Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland. Special arrangements will be made with the different railroads for the transportation of excursionists on the occasion.

Seminary Endowments.
The Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg has received a legacy of \$50,000 from the Stroup estate near Harrisburg, another of \$3,000 from Mrs. McMichael of Baltimore, and still another from Baltimore, the exact amount of which we were unable to learn, but understand it is upwards of \$10,000. The aggregate amount of the three is positively given at above \$60,000.

The Great Benefit.
Which people in run down state of health derive from Hood's Sarsaparilla, conclusively proves that this medicine "makes the weak strong." It does not act like a stimulant, imparting fictitious strength, but Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up in a perfectly natural way all the weakened parts, purifies the blood, and assists to healthy action those important organs, the kidneys and liver.

Dragged and Killed by a Horse.
Mr. Peter Roelke, a farmer of Petersburg, died, aged about 65 years, met with a painful accident Monday. He was driving a young colt when the animal ran off and dragged him some distance. One of his legs was broken and it is thought the animal kicked him several times about the body when he was being dragged. He lay some time unconscious after he was found. It is thought that he is hurt internally.—*News*.

Crown Stock Food will prevent all the ills that dairy cows are heir to.

Journalist.
The Hagerstown *Mail*, entered upon its sixty-fourth year last week. The *Mail* is one of the leading democratic organs in the state, and its utterances are not only able but have a marked influence in the management of the state's affairs. For the dissemination of local news the *Mail* stands second to none.

The Fourth of July issue of the *Wolfsville News* was printed on paper tinted with red, white and blue stripes.

Accidents.

Charles, a little son of Mr. John Donoghue, fell from a load of hay on Tuesday evening and broke one of his arms.

On Monday evening while Frank Hoke, son of Mr. M. Hoke, proprietor of the Emmits House, was riding horse back, the animal blundered and threw him over his head. He struck on his forehead and face with such force as to render him unconscious for a few minutes. Although pretty badly cut and bruised he is getting all right.

Two teams belonging to Mr. A. Eyster, were in collision between town and the picnic ground Saturday night, and both vehicles badly used up. Several passengers were slightly bruised.

Changes of Climate.
Kill more people than is generally known. Particularly is this the case in instances where the constitution is delicate, and among our immigrant population seeking new homes in those portions of the West, and where malarial and typhoid fevers prevail at certain seasons of the year. The best preparation for a change of climate, or of diet and water which change necessitates, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which not only fortifies the system against malarial, a variable temperature, damp, and the debilitating effects of tropical heat, but is also the leading remedy for constipation, dyspepsia, attack, biliousness, and all the ailments of the bowels, and is especially adapted to the needs of the traveler, the laborer, the miner, or of agriculturists in newly populated districts. This fine specific has effected the most favorable testimony.

THE FOURTH AT THE MOUNTAIN.

A Visit from an Honored Alumnus.—The Proposed Monument to the Memory of Rev. Dr. McCaffrey.

The students who are summering at Mt. St. Mary's College celebrated the Fourth of July with characteristic patriotism. In the morning they assisted at Mass, and after breakfast, headed by Rev. W. L. O'Hara, the College Treasurer, gathered on the front terrace, where amid shouts and cheers the stars and stripes was hoisted aloft to its place on the new flag staff, and as it gracefully flung its folds to the mountain breeze the College cry was heard:

"Hah! Hah! Hah!
Sis! Boom! Bah!
Mt. St. Mary's!
Hah! Hah! Hah!"

The rest of the day was spent in firing crackers, torpedoes and other fireworks, kindly furnished by Father O'Hara, and it is safe to say that though few in number, yet nowhere on the Continent was the spirit of "the day we celebrate" more heartily entered into than by the Mountaineers.

Mr. John Honeywell, of Baltimore, spent the Fourth of July at Mt. St. Mary's College, his old Alma Mater.

Mr. Honeywell can truly be called an old Mountaineer. Entering Mt. St. Mary's in 1825, when but seven years old, he remained at the Mountain for eight years, graduating with distinction in the class of '33. It is therefore justly fifty-eight years—almost a lifetime—since he went forth from the Mountain, and he can perhaps claim the distinction of being the oldest living member of the Alumni Association of Mt. St. Mary's College.

When Mr. Honeywell first entered the College, Bishop Dubois, its founder, was still directing its course, and when 1833, eight years later, young Honeywell was graduated, Archbishop Purcell had just resigned its presidency. Among the distinguished men here in Mr. Honeywell's time were John McCloskey, afterwards Cardinal Archbishop of New York; John Hughes, afterwards Archbishop of New York; Francis Gartland, afterwards Bishop of Savannah, Ga., and John McCaffrey, afterwards the distinguished and erudite President of Mt. St. Mary's College for thirty-eight years, all of whom were then in the Ecclesiastical Seminary, and W. H. Elder, the present beloved Archbishop of Cincinnati, who was then among the junior students of the Mountain.

For the last twenty years Mr. Honeywell has been the well known successful financial manager of the Carrollton Hotel, Baltimore, whose management, equipment and cuisine have long been recognized as second to none of the strictly first class hotels in the country.

During his visit to the Mountain Mr. Honeywell inspected the class rooms, study halls, libraries, dormitories, billiard rooms, cabinet and other parts of the buildings, noting with pleasure the numerous improvements made since he was here as a student. Afterwards the grounds were visited and the many nooks and haunts through which as a boy he was wont to ramble in "childhood's sunny hours," and last but not least the old church on the hill, where in the beautiful days that may not come again, he knelt for the first time and received his first Holy Communion.

From the church we came to the old grave yard and while strolling through the grounds presently came to a modest looking grave marked by an unpretentious wooden cross upon which we read "Sacred to the memory of Rev. John McCaffrey, D. D."

For thirty-eight years president of Mt. St. Mary's, distinguished as scholar, thinker and preacher, and now so lowly laid. Well has the poet said:

"The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power,
And all that beauty that doth grace the cave,
Await the inevitable hour,
The paths of glory lead but to the grave."

Perhaps it might be well to mention here to the many friends of Dr. McCaffrey, that a fund is now being collected to erect a suitable monument to his memory. Many of the Mountaineers have already contributed to this noble cause, but as all the Alumni would doubtless like the privilege of aiding in the laudable work of perpetuating the name and fame of one who has shed such lustre on the old Mountain, those who have not yet done so are urged to forward their contribution as soon as possible to the College treasurer, as estimates are now being secured for the construction of the monument, and the larger the fund the more fitting memorial can be erected to this illustrious mountaineer.

Before leaving the Mountain Mr. Honeywell said that although in the past fifty-eight years he has many happy days to look back upon, yet the happiest days of his life were those spent within the walls of his old Alma Mater, Mt. St. Mary's College.

Mr. Joseph D. Badds, of Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, left this week for New York, from whence he will return to his home at Charleston, S. C., for the summer vacation.

Lutheran Reunion at Pen-Mar.

It is thought that the coming Lutheran reunion at Pen-Mar will be the largest and most successful gathering of the kind that has yet been held. Thursday, August 20th, is the date announced by the committee in charge and an interesting programme has been arranged for the occasion. Special excursions will be run on the different railroads.

EXCURSION TO LEXINGTON, VA.

Half Rates via B. & O. to the Unveiling of Stonewall Jackson's Monument, July 21st.

For this occasion the B. & O. R. R. announces the sale of tickets on July 19th and 20th at rate of one fare for the round trip at Baltimore, Washington, and all stations on its lines west of these two cities in Maryland, Virginia & West Virginia. The unveiling ceremonies will be the occasion of the reunion of many veterans of the North and South and of the assembling of a large number of Confederate Veterans Camps. Tickets will be valid for return passage until July 30th inclusive. July 31st.

The Fourth of July.

The celebration on the Fourth fell far short of the anticipations of our citizens. Although the day was a beautiful one and the parade came off according to announcement, there seemed to be little enthusiasm manifested. A number of the stores remained open all day and the decorations were confined to the display of a few flags here and there. The picnic was perhaps the greatest attraction but the attendance at it was below the average. In the afternoon Vincent Sebald, Esq., delivered a fitting and patriotic address on the picnic grounds. The committee in charge authorized us to return thanks to Mr. Sebald for his address and to Mr. Donoghue and Mrs. Adams for the use of the woods in which the picnic was held.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Anne Hoover is visiting in Westminster.

Miss Julia Wadsworth is visiting in Gettysburg.

Messrs. Geo. P. and H. G. Beam are in Baltimore.

Mr. David C. Donoghue has gone to Cranoke, Va.

Mr. Cass. Reifsnider returned home from Baltimore.

Mr. Seiss and wife of Gracemah were in town yesterday.

Mr. Corney, of Hagerstown, made a visit here this week.

Miss Cora Keickhoefer returned to her home in Baltimore.

Miss May Tyson has returned home from a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. J. M. Kerrigan and wife made a trip to Pen-Mar this week.

Mrs. Chas. C. Kretzer and children are visiting at Westminster.

Editor Chas. E. Cassell of the *Cutcutin Clarion* was in town on Monday.

Mr. W. D. Wilson, of Altoona, Pa., is visiting his mother in this place.

Mr. James Copper, of Baltimore, made a visit at Mr. James McGrath's.

Miss Mary McNight of Gettysburg is visiting her sister, Mrs. Luther DeYoe.

Mrs. George Claiborne of Colorado, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Annan.

Miss Regina Langhery, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Julia Wadsworth.

Mr. W. H. Weaver and family have moved to their new home at Motter's.

Miss Celeste Elder is visiting at Philadelphia and Tannelytown, D. C.

Master John Adelsberger, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mrs. Murphy and Miss Beziot, of Baltimore, are guests at the McDevitt House.

Mrs. Henry Seton and her two sons, Messrs. John and Will Seton are in Boston.

Master James Kearney of Baltimore is visiting his aunt, Mrs. M. E. Adelsberger.

Mr. Lewis Higbee of Lancaster, Pa., is visiting relatives in this place and vicinity.

Miss Katie Ham, of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Grayson Ecker, in Liberty township.

Miss Clara Troxell, of near Rocky Ridge, made a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Isabella Troxell.

Mr. Grier Simonton, of Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., is home for the summer vacation.

Mr. Albert M. Moore, of Waynesboro, spent the Fourth in town, the guest of Mr. Albert Smith.

Mrs. Chas. W. Kelly, of Waynesboro, made a visit to her brothers, Messrs. Geo. T. and H. W. Eyster.

Dr. Geo. T. Motter and family, and Miss Ellen Snyder, of Taneytown, were among the visitors on Saturday.

Miss Sadie Payne returned to her home at Snow Hill on Tuesday. Miss Emily Annan accompanied her.

Joseph Buffington, Esq., and wife, of Kittanning, Pa., are the guests of Mrs. B's. parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Simonton.

Mr. John H. Cutsball, an aspirant for the republican nomination for Register of Wills, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Charles F. Rowe.

Mr. E. R. Zimmerman attended the celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Maryland State Teachers' Association at Ocean City, this week.

State's Attorney Edw. S. Eichelberger, of Frederick, who is a candidate for re-nomination on the republican ticket, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. Samuel Flautt, of Baltimore is visiting his daughter, Mrs. James A. Arnold. Mr. Flautt is looking well and has learned to like Baltimore, his new home.

Hamilton Lindsay, Esq., Register of Wills for Frederick county, and a candidate for re-nomination on the democratic ticket, spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Misses Katharine and Cora Toney, two little daughters of Mr. C. A. Toney, of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived last evening and are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Toney.

Mr. D. A. Doty, of Jefferson, spent a part of Saturday in town. Mr. Doty desires to impress upon the minds of Frederick county republicans that he is in the field for the Sheriffalty nomination.

Among those who spent the Fourth in town was Mr. Joseph W. Gaver, for the past ten years a deputy in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Frederick. Mr. Gaver is an aspirant for the nomination for Clerk on the democratic ticket.

A Horrible Death.

Charles E. Smith, aged between 22 and 23 years, son of Mr. John Smith, of Woodstock, on Friday was suddenly killed by falling from a wagon loaded with wheat, the wheels passing over him and crushing the life out of him. His funeral took place on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, from his late home. The interment was made in the Woodboro Cemetery. The wagon was loaded with 100 bushels of wheat, aggregating in weight about 7,000 pounds. No one saw Smith fall and therefore no one knew how the accident occurred. Some men passing by on the road saw the team without a driver, and passing on came across the body of Smith in the road. His whole left side was crushed.

—*News*.

A healthy cow produces healthy milk. Moral—Use Biggs Bros. Crown Stock Food.

Last Saturday, Mr. W. P. Nunemaker appeared on the streets, driving a handsome pair of Virginia horses in a new wagon, made especially for his Clermont livery by I. M. Fisher & Co., at Motter's. He was busy all day hauling passengers to and from the picnic, and seats in the wagon were at a premium some times. Nunemaker usually does anything right when he undertakes it, and no wonder the boys were heard to say "there are no flies on Nunemaker."

Death of Mr. John Strabough.

Mr. John Strabough, brother-in-law of Mr. N. Baker, of this place, died at his home in Buchanan Valley, Pa., July 1st, 1891, aged 48 years and 27 days. Mr. Strabough was the only son and the last of a family of seven. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his loss. His ancestors were among the first settlers of Buchanan Valley. The deceased was a soldier of the late war, serving as a private in the 16th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers. He was with the Army of the Potomac at the surrender of Gen. Lee at Munson's Hill in front of Petersburg, Virginia. This is the second death that has occurred at Mr. Strabough's home within two weeks. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Ann Rollman, having died on the 18th of June, aged 72 years.

Base Ball.

A hotly contested game of base ball recently played on the College grounds between the "Black Stockings" of Mt. St. Mary's and the Emmitsburg nine, resulted in favor of the former by a score of 5 to 3. The game was exceedingly interesting throughout and several brilliant plays were made on each side.

The Emmitsburg "Quick Step" Junior Base Ball nine went to Gettysburg yesterday and again did up the junior line of that place to the tune of 23 to 21. The battery of the Emmitsburg team was Lawrence and Nussner and that of the Gettysburg's, Essick and Spangler.

The little school road from 22 to 23, second victory, even though the *Compter* announced the result of the other game backwards, giving the Gettysburg team the credit of winning.

Real Estate Transfers.

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

Real Estate and Improvement. Comp. of Baltimore to Mr. Milton V. Richards, parcel of ground in Brunswick, \$3,000. Robert Porter, et al., to Upton C. Darby, parcel of land in Knox, \$100. Samuel Hoke, Sr., to James Hoke, 137 acres 2 rods and 81 perches, \$13,000. Mary A. Duval and husband to C. T. Philpot and Jessie West, et al., in Frederick, \$2,300. Phelo S. Biggs, et al., to Wm. H. and James S. Biggs, real estate in Frederick county, \$5,000. Joseph Cronise, trustee, to John Durbin, 314 acres, \$21. John C. Motter and Robert Biss, committee, to Charles E. Mealy, mill property in Frederick, \$2,200. G. W. Strabough and wife to Francis White and wife, 1 acre, \$210. C. W. Woolford and wife to John S. Turner, lot in Brunswick, \$300. C. M. Weaver and wife, et al., to Samuel J. Pratt, lot in Brunswick, \$200. C. M. Wenner and wife, et al., to Elizabeth Bratner, 2 lots, &c., in Brunswick, \$1,000. Frederick Manufacturing and Development Company to William Womack, lot in Northwest addition, \$101. Samuel J. Maxwell and wife to Charlotte Milling Company, 14 acres and 13 perches, \$3,200. Henry T. Maxwell and wife to Charlotte Milling Company, 4 perches, ten cents. Jacob Rothbuck, trustee, to Elizabeth A. C. Latin, 241 acres, 1 road and 22 rods, \$2,750. William E. Mercer and wife to Thomas J. Mader, 7 acres, \$140. Frederick City Manufacturing and Development Company to Charles H. Abb, lot in Northwest addition, \$174.

MARYLAND ITEMS.

368,000 young Spanish mackerel have been hatched and planted in Chesapeake bay.

Linwood, camp-meeting will commence August 7th and continue till August 15th.

The electric railway in Cumberland carried 7,400 people Saturday, the first day on which it began operations.

Ezra Chey, of Petersburg, Canada, has shipped 20,425 pounds, over ten tons, of early red and white wax cherries.

Six car-loads of peaches were shipped last week over the Queen Anne and Kent Railroad Tuesday from Queen Anne's county.

Mrs. Louisa Mitchell was fatally burned at Cumberland on Monday while attempting to kindle a fire with coal.

Mrs. Selvia Hartness, who is 108 years old, started the other day to walk from Chicago to Cumberland, her former home.

David Spessard, of Cavetown, 89 years old, went out in the harvest field the other day and cradled and shocked four shocks of wheat.

Prof. Edward Reiser has retired from the Union Bridge High School and will be succeeded by Rev. George C. Erb, of Westminster.

Lancaster's population increased 21 in a single day, by the arrival of the wives and families of the Hebrew population, from Russia.

The State encampment of the Maryland Militia began yesterday at Loreley on Philadelphia Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, fourteen miles from Baltimore.

John B. Lamb, William Holden and James Waters, three scholars at Woodstock College, St. Inigoes, St. Mary's county, were killed by lightning on Friday last.

Work upon the Williamsport Branch of the Western Maryland Railroad, which is to connect at Cherry Run with the Baltimore and Ohio, is progressing rapidly and favorably.

Reports from the upper section of Kent county show that much damage to growing crops and peach orchards was done by a storm on Friday that reached somewhat the fury of a cyclone.

An old man named Starplater, at Conococheague, in Washington county, had both legs nearly severed from the body by being thrown against the knives of a reaper, on Monday. His injuries resulted fatally.

The Western Maryland R. R. will in a short time receive a new first-class engine. Several of them are now in hauling the heavy freights on the B. & C. V. branch, which is now crowded with traffic from the Reading road.

Rev. G. M. Brown was installed pastor of St. James Lutheran church at Union Bridge on Sunday, June 27. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Milton Valentine, D. D., LL. D., of Gettysburg and Rev. P. H. Miller of Westminster. Dr. Valentine performed the act of installation.

Daniel Johnson, of Washington, D. C., has presented Eureka Lodge, A. P. & A. M., of Sharpsburg, a gravel made from a piece of the Washington Oak which was blown down during a storm on the 10th of June, 1882.

It is said that the Washington oak often reclined under the shade of this immense oak. It was traced to 250 years.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Croquet seems to be the daily evening game at Fairfield.

Mr. J. C. Scheitzer has built a summer kitchen in connection with his house in Fairfield.

Mr. Hcur and Mr. Daniel Landis of Hanover, visited this place, the guests of Mr. A. Groves.

Mr. C. H. Walter has built an addition to his house, which is used as a summer kitchen.

Mr. John Sullivan and his nephew, Percy Sullivan, of Monrovia, Md., are visiting this place.

Mrs. Nicholas Miller, a widow of Highland township lost two two-yearling colts last week, from a disease supposed to be spine disease.

Rev. Mr. L. Firor, of Souis City, Iowa, who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Reformed Church at Union Bridge, is visiting friends and relatives at Fairfield. His family accompanies him.

Mr. Samuel Hoofnagle and family were driving a mule in their carriage on Sunday, when the animal became unmanageable. The carriage was demolished but the occupants escaped serious injury.

Tramps are getting to be a nuisance in this vicinity. They are to be seen on the roads every day, and six were hanging around town for several days recently. They were intoxicated and a perfect nuisance.

During the thunder storm last Friday a colt driven by Mr. Robert Sanders, scared at a clap of thunder and ran off. It kicked a shaft loose from the cart and threw Mr. S. out, but he fortunately escaped with a few bruises.

Your correspondent spent the 4th of July at Emmitsburg, taking part in the parade. The rains last week threw the farmers back with their work, and a number of them spent the 4th in the fields, which accounts for the small representation the Fairfield G. A. R. Post had in

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built a handsome house. In the county there were three parishes—St. John's, (William and Mary at St. Mary's City,) St. Clement's, (King and Queen,) and Herrington, (All Faith.)

THE FREEDMEN'S PETITION.

In 1694 the seat of government was removed from St. Mary's, and Annapolis became the capital of the State. From the plaintive supplication of her city officials and freemen we ascertain the names of the inhabitants of the ancient city at this time. The petition to Governor Nicholson to reconsider his decision to remove the capital from St. Mary's to Annapolis contains the names of the following persons, many of them being familiar names in our local annals, thus showing that we have among us many of their descendants:

"Philip Lynes, mayor; Kenelon Cheseldyn, recorder; Henry Dutton, John Lewellen, Jo. Watson, Thomas Beal, Philip Clark, Edward Greenhalgh, aldermen; Thomas Waughop, William Aisquith, Thomas Price, Richard Benton, Robert Mason, W. Taylard and Samuel Watkins, common councilmen, and the following freemen: Wm. Digges, J. Bouye, clerk, G. van Swearingen, Josh. Brodbeck, Ro. Carville, Charles Candler, Robert King, George Layfield, John Coode, Henry Blatchford, Daniel Bell, Jonathan Clarke, Edward Kelsey, Abraham Rhodes, Joseph Edto, Roger Tolle, Henry H. T. Taylor, James Ricketts, John Winco, Edward Fisher, John T. Noble, Thomas Hutchins, Richard Sowler, Thomas Guther, Robert Drury, Claudius Duttre, Samuel Wheeler, constable, John I. M. Mackye, Peter Dent, William Guther, John Janner, John Little, Thomas H. Hickson, William Nuthead, Richard Griffin, Isaac Paine, Peter Watts, Robert Carp, John Evans, William Lowry, Anderson Eben Cooke, Lacharias Van Swearingen, Leon D. Huckenett, William Harpans, Michael Chevers, Elias Beech, Thomas Guinrum, John Freeman and Joseph Doyno.

"This appeal is the last we hear of the ancient city, which was stripped of her privileges and all that gave her life. She was left to waste and perish from the earth. Her population departed, her houses left to ruins, and nothing is now left of her but a glorious name and bright memory. It is eminently fitting, therefore, that a monument should be erected on its site to the memory of its first Governor and to mark the spot where religious liberty first became a reality."

Lightning Speed.

In 1851 news here from New York fifteen days' old was considered fresh and was read most eagerly.

In 1861 news here from Europe was news indeed when published in twenty-five days.

In 1871 great things were predicted for the newspapers of the future when European events only forty-eight hours old were chronicled in San Francisco.

In 1881 improved electrical appliances and expert operators had reduced the time to less than twenty-four hours and a London banquet was discussed at San Francisco breakfast tables.

In 1891 the record has been eclipsed. On February 14 the Paris correspondent of the *Examiner* wrote the following special dispatch:

PARIS, February 14.—Sardon's play, "Thermidor," which recently created such excitement in this city, is announced for reproduction at the Theatre Francaise in the near future.

It was not an important dispatch, but then it was "Special to the *Examiner*," and in ten minutes after it was filed at the cable office in the Place de l'Opera it was written on a caligraph in the Western Union office at San Francisco.

Through France, under the broad Atlantic, passing the ocean greyhounds as though they were at anchor, into the "C. O."—telegraphic cable office—at New York, where it paused an instant to take fresh electricity, and then straight away to the finish at the Golden Gate.

Sometimes, on rare occasions, the "C. O." boys at New York, that with their clumps at San Francisco, but then it's only early in the morning when wind and weather are favorable. But rare, indeed, has been the time when the operator at San Francisco "takes" the New York "C. O." direct in the evening, and rarer still is the occasion when a special comes from Paris to San Francisco in ten minutes.—*San Francisco Examiner*.

How Uncle Jerry was Conquered.

The way in which a minister won an inveterate neglecter of public worship to attend the sanctuary is related as follows in the *Lewisdon Journal*:

"Not so very far from Damariscotta there is one of the loveliest seaport towns on the coast. It nestles under the hills so that strangers who pass women on the road and men at work outside of the village wonder where they all come from until a turn in the road shows the little village close by the ocean, which laughs back in amusement at their surprise. Here they still tell how Uncle Jerry was won by the new minister. Now, before the advent of the Rev. Clinton Blanchard (although that's not his name), Uncle Jerry had long ceased going to church. He pronounced churches costly nuisances and ministers well-dressed humbugs, 'too tony' to do any hard work. Young Blanchard was a man of very pleasing physique and attractive manners. It was not long before he won the hearts of all his parishioners except Uncle Jerry. But the very things which made him popular with others set Uncle Jerry against him.

"The Rev. Blanchard pondered. Jerry interested him. He decided upon a mode of attack which he very prudently discarded on the occasion of his paragonical call upon Uncle Jerry and took one from circumstances. As Mrs. Jerry showed him into the sitting-room, the door of which was ajar, he saw that Uncle Jerry and his 13-year-old boy were going to move a stove. The boy was not so stoutly built as most of the fishermen's lads and was hardly equal to the occasion. Throwing aside all ceremony the reverend gentleman stepped to the door and said, 'Let me help you move this stove,' and began taking off his coat.

"'You I and Uncle Jerry almost dropped his end in amazement. 'Why, you would get them white hands of yours all over soot and smut,' glancing disdainfully at the offending members, white by nature and not from abstaining from hard work, for they knew how to swing an axe and scythe alike.

"'Well,' replied the young minister, with his most captivating smile, 'you have soap and water I see.'

"'No further objection was made. The two moved the stove. Next Sunday all S—were surprised to see Uncle Jerry at church.

"Uncle Jerry merely said he 'thought a parson as could move a stove wouldn't do him no hurt, anyhow.'"

An Ancient Lock.

The *European Trade Mail* says that "an Egyptian lock has been found which was in use more than 4,000 years ago. The old Egyptian lock was not made of metal, like those we use nowadays, but of wood, and the key that opened it was wooden, too. On one side of the door to which it was fastened there was a staple, and into this staple fitted a wooden bolt that was fixed to the door itself. When this bolt was pushed into the staple as far as it would go, three pins in the upper part of the staple dropped into holes in the bolt and held it in its place, so that it could not be moved back again until the pins were lifted. The key was a straight piece of wood, at the end of which were three pegs the same distance apart as the pins which held the bolt firm. When the key was pushed into the bolt through a hole made to receive it, the pegs came into such a position that they were able to lift the pins that fixed the bolt and when these were lifted, the bolts could be lifted out of the staple." The most modern locks work on a similar principle.—*Scientific American*.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows.

Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y. mar 6-ly

Farmers' Wives.

Too many farmers' wives are wearing out under the strain of mind and body. They say they can not find time to visit, to read, or to write; but if these same women would rearrange their plans, instead of letting things go no hit-or-miss, they would find time for some recreations.

Each day's work should be arranged the previous evening, and carried out next day as far as circumstances will permit.

To be an agreeable life partner the wife should not overtax herself. She should not give up all her former friends, and live only in the atmosphere of home. To be able to do the best for her family and self she needs to mingle with others outside of the home. The wife who rises early and has her hands and mind both taxed needs a short nap daily, and time for reading in the evening. Thus strength will be retained, the body better able to perform the labors, and the mind at ease, thus securing happiness in the home. Real troubles may find their way there, but we should not always be "meeting them half-way," and then we shall have reserved strength to bear them more bravely when they do come.

The wife should be ready to go with her husband to dine, or to a picnic now and then, or to spend a social evening out. We should keep ourselves interested in our friends while we work. With pleasant surroundings the life of a farmer's wife need not be the dull, monotonous one which it is thought by so many to be.

Farmers' wives, see to it before it is too late. Learn to enjoy. Take time to admire the view which surrounds you. Enter into the pleasures of social life. Enjoy the luxuries of your home. Look up on employment as the best preventive of worry, and you will look better, live happier, and die better, than some others whom fortune has smiled upon, and the world deems more enviable.—*Housekeeper's Weekly*.

In severe paroxysms of coughing, try one or two tablespoonfuls of pure glycerine, mixed with pure whiskey or hot rich cream. It is said to give almost immediate relief.

A victim of hay fever claims that he has found a solution of olive oil and camphor very effective. Prepare it by gently warming some olive oil and a small lump of camphor together, for several hours. Apply it by oiling the inside of the lower part of the nose.

For tender feet, take two quarts of cold water and add one tablespoonful of bay rum and two tablespoonfuls of ammonia. The feet should be soaked in this for ten minutes, throwing the water upward to the knees. Rub dry, with a crash towel, and the feeling will be gone.

Any one whose nerve force is deficient and blood impoverished may take, with benefit, the yolk of an egg, well beaten up in a glass of milk, each morning. The iron and phosphoric compounds are in such a condition as to be readily assimilated by the system, although small in amount.

A GENTLEMAN who one day lost his temper over some blunder of a workman, and spoke his mind, not only freely but violently, that night professed himself ashamed of the outbreak.

"Oh! well, papa, I dare say he didn't mind," said a too aristocratic listener. "Those people are probably used to being abused by their superiors."

"I'm not his superior," said the gentleman, testily. "I was very palpably his inferior this afternoon. I lost my temper, and he kept his. I rated him like a fishwife, and though he looked as if he would have liked to knock me down, he answered with perfect politeness."

A PREACHER once in closing his sermon announced: "I want the board to remain a few minutes after the close of the services." When the congregation passed out he saw a stranger who seemed to be waiting for some cause, and so asked him what he desired. "You asked the board to remain, and if there is any one worse bored than I am I would like to see him."

MR. GLADSTONE'S definition of the word deputation, is, "a noun of multitude, which signifies many, but does not signify much."

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"Tell me not of your doubts and discouragements," says Goethe; "I have plenty of my own. But talk to me of your hope and faith."

The tone of complaint is one which we are all too ready to accept, and which is not only injurious to ourselves, but hurtful to others. It never pays to whine, people can't stand it. They will laugh with you or dine with you or play with you, but they will not weep with you. There is no money in the blues, and very little sympathy. Every heart knoweth its own bitterness. Share your joys with others, but never your sorrows. They are too sacred for division or public discussion.

If you have only a dime in your pocket smile as though it were a dollar. Put your best foot forward and sail in. The world loves bravery and the bold die game when they don't win. Patience under adverse circumstances will often bring about favorable results, while complaint only accentuates and fixes the cause of complaint.

Avoid mention of the disagreeable things that may come into your life. If you cannot be patient you can at least be silent. The secret of success is not so much in knowing what to say as what to avoid saying.

It isn't worth while to fret, To walk as behind a hearse; No matter how vexing things may be They easily might be worse; And the time you spend complaining And groaning about the load Would better be given to going on And pressing along the road.

I've trodden the hill myself, 'Tis the tripping tongue can preach, But though silence is sometimes golden, As oft there is grace in speech— And I see, from my higher level, 'Tis not the path but the pace That wearies the back and dims the eye And writes the lines on the face.

There are vexing cares enough And to spare when all is told; And love must mourn its losses, And the cheek's soft bloom grow old; But the spell of the craven spirit Turns blessing into curse, While the bold heart meets the trouble That easily might be worse.

So smile at each disaster That will presently pass away, And believe a bright to-morrow Will follow the dark to-day. There's nothing gained by fretting? Gather your strength anew, And step by step go onward, Let the skies be gray or blue.

Sponge Cream. Take three tablespoonfuls of gelatine, cover with cold water and let soak for one hour.

Dissolve with a pint of boiling milk. Stir in three tablespoonfuls of sugar and the beaten yolks of three eggs.

Add a pinch of salt and the frothed whites. Flavor with lemon, turn into wet tumblers or a mold and set aside to stiffen.

ANOTHER ONE.—"Come here McKinley bill," called a K street woman to a huge mastiff which came bounding through the hall. "McKinley bill?" queried her visitor, "what do you call him that for?"

"Because he's such a protection."—*Washington Star*.

FIRST PREACHER.—How much is your salary?

Second Preacher (sorrowfully). Four hundred dollars; but I don't get it all. How much is yours?

First Preacher (sadly). Four donations; but I'm worse off than you are—I get them all.

WIDOW CASE.—"So, straightening the State line throws my land into Virginia, does it? Well, I'm powerful glad to get out of Callina—it's a mighty unhealthy State, and a body naturally hates to live forever in the same place."—*Puck*.

The World's Turnings. An axis may be a crank, but because the earth revolves on one is no reason why every crank should imagine he is the axis on which the world turns.

A good remedy for damp, moist hands is four ounces of cologne wates and one-half ounce of tincture of belladonna. Rub the hands with this several times a day.

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