



An Ancient Elm.

On the farm of Mr. N. H. Baile, cashier of the First National Bank of New Windsor, is an elm tree supposed to be hundreds of years old. Its trunk is thirty feet in length to the lower limbs, and measures twenty-eight feet nine inches in circumference. Its limbs, or such of them as remain, are as large as ordinary forest trees. Nearly fifty years ago some of these limbs had fallen, and the broken stumps had decayed and become hollow. A swarm of bees took possession of one of these hollow places and deposited a large amount of comb and honey, which were not removed. On July 5 the tree was struck by lightning, but, apparently, little damaged. Several days afterwards smoke was seen issuing from one of the broken limbs, and it was discovered that the tree was on fire. The fire encountered the old honeycomb and burned slowly. It continued making progress, however, and so weakened several of the large limbs that they broke and fell to the ground. After the lapse of three weeks a heavy rain extinguished the fire and the old tree was saved, though considerably mutilated. It is located a mile west of the historic Methodist Episcopal Stone Chapel, in New Windsor district. Judge Isaac C. Baile, the father of its present owner, purchased three-eighths of an acre of ground, including that on which it stands, many years ago, to save it from threatened destruction.

Must Have Been a Meteor.

The Frederick Citizen of Aug. 3, says: Our Fountain Mills correspondent sends us the following account of a queer phenomenon which appeared in that locality several weeks ago: "On Wednesday evening about twilight the 18th inst, a round red ball like fire, capered over Fountain Mills going in a northern course at a very rapid rate and appeared to be about as high in the air as wild geese fly. The ball was about the size of a man's head and did not light up the sky to any great extent. It was observed by a number of farmers in this vicinity."

There can be no doubt but that it was a meteor, a combination of gaseous substances thrown off by the earth, which becomes transformed by their progress through space and it is supposed that the friction caused by the rapid passage, causes them to ignite and take on the fiery appearance which distinguishes them. They have often been seen in this county.

Corn Ahead of Wheat.

A remarkable condition exists among cereals. Corn has gone sky-high, leaving wheat far behind. At the Baltimore Corn and Flour Exchange Tuesday the settling price for corn was 5 1/2 cents higher than the settling price for wheat. Both cereals made advances in the tradings, but the advance for corn was most remarkable, as that grain jumped to 7 cents over the close of Monday. Wheat closed at 50 1/2 cents bid, 57 cents asked for spot and August, an advance of 1 1/2 and 2 cents over Monday's figures. Corn closed at 62 cents bid, an advance of 7 cents. This has not occurred within the memory of the oldest member on the 'Change, and probably astonished everybody. Mr. Lawrence Cramer, secretary of the Frederick Elevator Company, stated Monday morning that the price of corn has not been above that of wheat for thirty years and that the unusual change was due to the crop outlook.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1894.

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Veterinary Medicine.

The law of Maryland regulating the practice of veterinary medicine will go into force next October. The registration of practitioners by the State veterinary medical board will begin September 11. Every practitioner of veterinary medicine in the State is required to register. The following classes of practitioners are recognized by the law:

Those who are qualified by reason of holding recognized diplomas. Those who have been in practice under five years and must pass a satisfactory examination. Those who have been in practice five years or more, who will be registered as existing practitioners. These may elect to be examined. The examinations will be written and oral, theoretical and practical, and upon such subjects as the board may deem necessary as evidence of qualification to practice veterinary medicine and surgery. Graduates of recognized schools of veterinary medicine, who are candidates for registration without being examined, must present their diplomas to the board for examination.

Every person registered by the board will be entitled to receive a certificate of registration stating the class under which he has been registered. The fee to be paid is \$10. The list of registered practitioners is required to be published. —Sun.

To Represent Maryland.

Governor Brown Monday appointed the following delegates to represent Maryland at the Farmer's National Congress, to be held at Parkersburg, W. Va., October 3-6 next:

- First Congressional District—General Wm. McKenney, Hon. G. M. Austin. Second Congressional District—Charles M. Rogers and T. Herbert Shriver. Third Congressional District—Frank Furst. Fourth Congressional District—H. R. Walworth. Fifth Congressional District—Harry C. Forsyth and Hon. W. D. Bowie. Sixth Congressional District—Col. L. Victor Baughman and Dr. H. Wooten. Maryland Agricultural College—Prof. James M. Robinson.

House Cleaning

is considered and acknowledged to be a necessity. The nature of man is opposed to filth. If however, the cleansing of the house is necessary to health, how much more necessary to health, should we consider it to keep the Temple of God—the human body—free from the taint of impurity. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is like the thrifty house-wife, going through every nook and corner, searching out the accumulated filth, purifying the system and restoring perfect health.

It's the only blood purifier, liver and lung invigorator, so sure and certain in its curative action that it can be sold through dealers, on trial, being guaranteed to cure or money returned.

All by Himself.

Capt. A. Freitch, the adventurous young Finlander who built himself a 40 foot sharpie in which to make a trip to Europe, and thereby demonstrate the superiority of United States models for small vessels and their ocean sailing capabilities, started from New York last Sunday afternoon for Queens-town. Capt. Freitch built the Nina alone and took it from Milwaukee to New York by way of the lakes. He will navigate the little schooner rigged vessel across the ocean by himself. He will be his own crew, cook and everything. He calculates on reaching Queens-town in thirty-five or forty days. The Nina has provisions aboard for several months.

Preparing to Catch Oysters.

Annapolis oystermen and those living in the county are preparing for the tonging season, which commences September 1, fifteen days earlier than usual. Under a recent act of the Legislature certain oyster bars in West, Rhode and South rivers are exempted for two years. Similar restrictions had been placed upon Severn river two years ago but are now removed by expiration of the limit. After this rest it is expected the Severn will produce a large supply, ample time having been given, it is said, to replenish the depleted rocks and for an accumulation of young growth.

Charged With Bigamy and Perjury

Last week Charles Myers and Mrs. George Flor, both of Hanover, were arrested at Two Taverns, on the charge of bigamy and perjury. The charges were preferred by Mr. Flor who returned in June from a five year's absence in the West. Myers was given a hearing in Hanover on Thursday and in default of bail was committed to the York county jail for the August term of Court. Upon examination he admitted that he was already married when he entered into the second marriage with Mrs. Flor; that his wife was living somewhere near New Oxford, and that he swore, when taking out a license for his second marriage, that his wife had been dead a year. He left his wife sometime in March. Her maiden name was Judith Lochman, daughter of Samuel Lochman, of New Oxford.

Mrs. Flor did not appear at the hearing by reason of illness caused by the shock and disgrace of her arrest. —Star and Sentinel.

Strength of the Condor.

The enormous strength of the condor is only equaled by his voracity and boldness. This immense bird often pounces upon small animals, but, from the shape and bluntness of his claws, he is unable to carry anything very heavy, so he contents himself with fixing it against the ground with one of his claws, while with the other and his powerful beak he rends it to pieces. Gorged with food, the bird then becomes incapable of flight and may be approached but any attempt at capture is furiously resisted.

It is estimated that 50,000 veterans will attend the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Pittsburg, on September 11. Pennsylvania will have fully 15,000 in line; Ohio, 6,000 to 7,000; New York, 2,000 to 2,500, and other States will be represented in proportion. Pittsburg and Allegheny county will alone have between 4,000 and 5,000. Free quarters have already been assigned for over 11,000 comrades, most of whom are from far distant points.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

A DISASTROUS fire occurred in Philadelphia on Monday afternoon which destroyed the splendid buildings and equipments of the Philadelphia Base Ball Park, the omnibus stables and the car stables of a division of the Philadelphia Traction Company.

ADJUTANT-General Tarsney, of Colorado, who was tarred and feathered several weeks ago, has been released on \$1,000 bail on the charge of contempt of court in failing to appear before the grand jury.



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Slaughter of Sparrows by a Storm.

Last Thursday night a terrific thunder and lightning storm, accompanied by a heavy dashing rain, with a sprinkling of hail, struck Frostburg and continued for an hour. Whether the lightning killed them is not known, but the entire colony of English sparrows was almost exterminated. Two hundred and thirty-one of them were found dead Friday morning in one place.

Indian Relics Unearthed.

Indian relics, which was a pipe-stem about three-fourths of an inch broad and an inch long were unearthed on the farm of Hon. Daniel Logan, in Fulton county. The farm contained once an Indian burial ground.

GEO. FLAGGER, chief of ordnance, United States Army, has issued an official statement that defective fuses caused the explosion of the caisson in Chicago, which killed four United States Soldiers during the recent strike.

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The biennial encampment of the Supreme Lodge and grand encampment of the Knights of Pythias of the world will be held at the National Capital August 27th to September 5th.

For this occasion the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates from all points on its lines east of the Ohio River, August 23rd to 28th inclusive, valid for return trip until September 6th; a further extension of time to September 15th can be secured, provided the ticket is deposited with the joint agent at Washington, D. C., on or before September 6th.

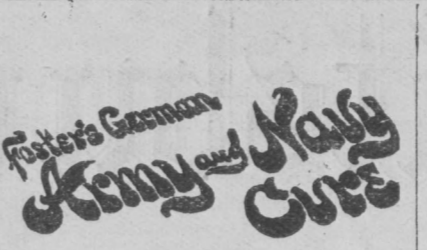
The rate from Philadelphia will be \$4.00, Pittsburg \$8.00, Cumberland \$8.25, and corresponding low rates from all other stations. Aug. 3-4ts.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

# Emmitsburg Chronicle.

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## Emmitsburg Rail Road.

### TIME TABLE.

On and after July 1, 1894, trains on this road will run as follows:

#### TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7.10 and 10.00 a. m. and 2.50 and 5.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 7.40 and 10.30 a. m. and 3.20 and 6.20 p. m.

#### TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8.30 and 10.40 a. m. and 3.30 and 6.36 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 9.00 and 11.10 a. m. and 4.00 and 6.54 p. m.

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Hog cholera is prevailing in Cecil county.

The Coxeyites are returning to their homes.

An effort is being made to break the Baltimore ice combination.

ELIAS FOGLE, of Ladysburg, has been granted an original pension.

HON. WILLIAM C. OATES, was elected Governor of Alabama, on Monday.

A NUMBER of counterfeit \$5 notes are said to be in circulation in this county.

THE wood work on the residence of Mr. Jacob S. Gelwicks has been repainted.

BRUNSWICK elected municipal officials on Monday. Mr. John T. Martin was elected Mayor.

A COMPANY has been formed to construct a bridge across the Potomac river at Williamsport.

MAYOR FLEMING has issued an order forbidding the riding of bicycles on the pavements of Frederick.

THE Democratic Central Committee will meet at the Court House, in Frederick, Saturday, Aug. 11.

THERE were 29 interments in Frederick during the month of July last, 22 of which were in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

MR. CHAS. C. SHRYVER has out thanks for a copy of the Warren County Democrat, published at Monacauch, Illinois.

MRS. AMANDA CARMACK, widow of the late Joshua Carmack, of Double Pipe Creek, died of typhoid fever, Monday morning.

JUDGE WILLS, of Gettysburg, Pa., has been nominated for judge of the Adams and Fulton counties district by the Republicans.

LOST—A Silver watch, a reward given to finder on returning same to D. W. Stauffer. It is an open face watch. The No. of the case is 422,050.

Be sure to attend the bean soup and campfire of Antbar Post, No. 41, G. A. R., which will be held in McNair's Grove, at Fairplay, tomorrow.

EMANCIPATION Day was celebrated at Frederick yesterday, by the colored people. After the procession, speeches were delivered at the Fair grounds.

Gov. BROWN has reappointed Rufus H. Magruder officer of registration for the second district of Frederick county, who had failed to qualify.

On last Saturday night, a colt belonging to Mr. Jacob Baker, of near town, walked against a barb wire fence. The skin on the colt's head was badly cut.

THE Messrs. Patterson Bros., of this place, are preparing to build a two-story addition to their residence, on West Main Street, the work on which has already been commenced.

HENRY NEWCOMER was shot at Williamsport in the hip and cheek during a fracas with Robert Lee, colored. Dr. D. T. Leever extracted the ball. Both Newcomer and Lee are missing.

It is said that Charles H. Roop, of near Sam's Creek, will have more apples in his orchard this fall than will be in all the other orchards in that vicinity put together.

THE Subbridge Bicycle factory, at Hagerstown, was sold on Tuesday to Messrs. M. L. Main, Frederick A. Baker and W. E. McDaniel, three of the mortgagees of the property. Price paid was \$6,000.

MRS. JOHN SENOUB, of this place, sent to the CHRONICLE office last Friday three extraordinary large bean pods of the yard bean variety. They measured respectively 20, 13 and 16 inches.

MR. BENNET TYSON was painfully hurt whilst at work on a building at St. Joseph's Academy, Tuesday. A heavy timber fell, striking him on the head and shoulder. We are glad to report that he was not seriously injured, although he suffered considerable pain from the accident.

GEORGE C. HUBER, local editor of the Hancock Star, and Miss Cora Smith, daughter of Mr. James R. Smith, a prominent citizen of Hancock, Washington county, were married in Hagerstown, Tuesday night the 31st ultimo, by Rev. I. H. Condit. They intended to be married at Martinsburg, but found that they could not secure a license there, neither being a resident of West Va.—Examiner.

WILLIAM D. NEEB, of Frederick, has been appointed bailiff to the August petit jury and John W. Grinder, of Creagerstown, bailiff to the grand jury.

CHARLES DAVIS, an employe of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad bridge crew, cut off his heel with a broadaxe while repairing the high bridge at Keedysville.

The school teachers appointed for Liberty township, Pa., are as follows: Grayson's, A. Louis Mondorff; Tract, Harry Plank; Miney Creek, Lewis B. Flohr; Valley, Thomas McBride; Liberty Hall, not supplied.

ALVA M. ISANOGLE has passed a successful examination for the scholarship in St. John's College to which this county is entitled, and E. Lee Goldsborough has won the Maryland Agricultural College scholarship.

MR. WM. P. NUNEMAKER, of this place, has been appointed warden at Montevue Hospital, Frederick. Mr. Nunemaker will enter upon the discharge of his duties on Tuesday, Aug. 14.

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MR. GEORGE CHRESSLER, a farmer, living several miles north of Hagerstown, seized 100 sheep he found trespassing on his farm and advertised them for sale, but some one visited his premises Sunday night and the sheep disappeared.

### Stable Burned.

Fire in Waynesboro, Pa., destroyed a frame stable with contents, including three valuable horses owned by the Geiser Manufacturing Company and a stable owned by Jacob Bonebrake. Loss \$5,500; partly covered by insurance.

### Business of the Circuit Court.

In the Clerk's office at Frederick during the past month the following business was transacted: Deeds, 44; mortgages, 31; bills of sale, 12; deed of release, 3; incorporations, 2; agreements, 2; lease, 1; deed of trust, 1; marriage licenses, 20.

### Harness Stolen.

Last Saturday or Sunday night some one entered the carriage house on the premises of Mr. Jonas Swimmers, near Harmony, this valley, and stole therefrom a full set of double carriage harness and a pair of good fly-nets.—Register.

It has been learned, that James Walker, the man who recently committed suicide at Montevue Hospital, Frederick, was a brother of Charles K. Walker, of Tiffin, Ohio. He had not been home since he was mustered out of service in the Union Army in 1865.

REV. JAMES ADDISON INGLE, of Frederick, and Miss Charlotte Thomson Rhett, of Charleston, S. C., were married last Thursday, at St. Paul's P. E. church, at Charleston. Rev. Osborne Ingle, of Frederick, father of the groom, officiated.

### Now for Bargains.

Clearing out sale of odd lots. Shoes at cost and less. They must go, I mean summer goods of all kinds, at cost. Some less than cost, and don't you forget that I sell the nicest shoes in town, Clark, Perry & Co., celebrated for their style and comfort. HELMAN, aug10-2t.

### Thirty-Four Cars of Corn.

Mr. James Single, of this place, brought to the CHRONICLE office yesterday morning a curiosity in the shape of an ear of corn. Around one large ear were thirty-three small ears of corn. This peculiarly formed corn was found in the field of Mr. Geo. Rider, near town.

### Republican Primary Meeting.

The Republican district primary meeting will be held at Gelwicks' Hall in this place, on Saturday evening, Aug. 18, at 7.30, for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the county convention, which will be held in Frederick on Thursday, Aug. 23, at 11 a. m., to select delegates to represent the county at the Republican Congressional Convention to be held at Frederick, on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

### The Lost Boy Home Again.

Cyrus Corbett, of Waynesboro, who ran away with tramps Sunday, July 29, stayed just one week and went home Sunday last. The tramps had seen the articles about and descriptions of themselves in the newspapers and concluded the safest plan for them would be to take the boy to his home. So they marched him from Emmitsburg to Ronzerville, told him to go home and started him down the pike towards Waynesboro. He went gladly, being eager to get home again. He was received with open arms and will not soon again run away.

He says that when he and John Ripple met the tramps, Ripple asked the tramps if they did not want two boys. The tramps said they did and took the boys along. Corbett does not explain why he willingly accompanied them.

### Braze the Nerves.

Sedatives and opiates won't do it. These nerves do not make the nerves strong, and failing to do this fall short of producing the essential of their quiescence—sleep. And while in extreme cases—and these only—of nervous irritation such doses may be advisable, their frequent use is highly prejudicial to the delicate organization upon which they act, and in order to renew their quiescent effect increased and dangerous doses eventually become necessary. Host-tier's stomach Bitters is an efficient substitute for such pernicious drugs. It quiets the nerves by bracing, toning, strengthening them. The connection between weakness of the nervous system and that of the organs of digestion is a strong and sympathetic link. The Bitters, by imparting a healthy impulse to the digestive and assimilating functions, promotes throughout the whole system a vigor in which the nerves come in for a large share. Use the Bitters in malaria, constipation, bilious and kidney trouble.

### 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, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers use Syrup of Figs.

Mrs. JOHN SHUFF dropped dead on Saturday last at the picnic near Cave-town, Washington county. She had only been on the grounds for a short time when she complained of a pain in her head. Medical assistance was summoned but she died in twenty minutes. Mrs. Shuff was 55 years and leaves a husband and several children. The funeral took place on Monday, interment was made at Wolfsville, this county.

### The Catholic Picnic.

As already announced, the annual picnic of St. Joseph's Catholic church will be held in Adams' Grove, near town on the 18th inst. Among the many amusements for the entertainment of the picnickers will be running, standing, and high jumps, tug of war between married and single men, and a tournament at 2 o'clock, p. m. Dinner and supper will be served on the grounds.

### New Episcopal Church.

A handsome new Episcopal chapel has just been built at Wolfville, this county. It will be called St. John's Chapel, and the rector is Rev. R. Whittingham. The interior woodwork is yellow pine, and the open timber roof and chancel fittings are bronze green, with polished surface. There is a low bell tower, stained glass windows, and a recess chancel, with a choir on one side and baptistry on the other. The chapel will be dedicated upon the return of Bishop Paret from Europe.

The Catholic picnic held on Wednesday last in the beautiful grove of Hon. H. M. Clabough, near Taneytown, was a great success, as usual. From 8 o'clock in the morning the crowd commenced to gather and by the middle of the afternoon the grove was a great mass of humanity. There were people attended for miles around and everything went off peacefully and good order was observed. All present seemed to spend a day of enjoyment. The gross receipts amounted to four hundred and twenty dollars and the net profit was over three hundred dollars.

### An Exciting Time.

There was quite an exciting time at the residence of Mr. Charles Keilholz, near town, on Wednesday. Mr. Harry McNair, a stock dealer, went to Mr. Keilholz's for the purpose of purchasing some lambs. He was driving a colt which he tied to the wagon shed. Mr. Keilholz with two helpers, was hauling rye from a stack with two horses in a wagon. Mr. Keilholz and Mr. McNair went in pasture, leaving the two men to put the load on the wagon. From some cause or other Mr. McNair's colt made a plunge and fell to the ground. The two men went to the colt to assist it in getting up, and while thus engaged, the two horses in the wagon started to run. The men left the colt lying on the ground and started after the runaway team. The horses ran along a post and rail fence and finally the off-wheel horse jumped over the fence. They ran a short distance with one horse on either side of the fence before they were captured, breaking down three panels of fence, being the only damage done. There was not so much as a scratch on either of the horses, which seems almost miraculous. Mr. McNair's colt was also unharmed, although both shafts of the vehicle were broken.

### Investigation Invited.

Of course it is proper to inquire about what any man says, is it true? The most rigid investigation is invited into the testimonials published in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Special attention is called to the high character of the persons whose testimonials are published by the proprietors of this medicine, as evidenced by their occupations or indorsements. In fact, no matter where a testimonial in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla may be from, it is reliable and as worthy of confidence as if it came from your most trusted neighbor.

JAMES WALSH, aged about fifteen years, son of Mr. Michael Walsh, near Carrollton Station, and a brother of Mr. Michael E. Walsh, of the Westminster bar, met with a serious and painful accident on Friday of last week. He was standing on the rear end of a wagon load of grain in the straw when his feet slipped and he slid to the ground, coming in contact with a steel pitch fork which stood against the wagon with the prongs upward. One of the prongs entered his thigh and penetrated to a depth of five inches, and it required the strength of two men to withdraw it. While the wound is necessarily dangerous, young Walsh, has, as yet, not experienced any alarming symptoms, and his recovery without serious trouble is anticipated.—Sentinel.

### As Intendancy Fire.

Between 10 and 11 o'clock last Saturday night a large bank barn on the farm of Mr. G. A. T. Snouffer, on the Manor, several miles south of Buckeystown, this county, was destroyed by fire, together with three head of horses, one calf, about 150 tons of hay and some farming implements. The fire was the work of incendiaries, to the identity of whom there is no clue. The flames enveloped the barn so quickly and made such progress that it was impossible to remove all the stock. No other outbuildings were destroyed, the flames being kept confined to the one building. This is the third time that the farm of Mr. Snouffer has been visited by a destructive fire within the past year or fifteen months, each time a barn with its contents being destroyed. The fire made a light that was seen for miles around. The building, which was a new one, was insured in the Orient and Springfield Companies for \$4,200. The contents and horses were also insured, the former for \$500. The total loss, it is thought, will be \$2,000 or more.

### Death of Mr. Joshua Stokes.

Mr. Joshua Stokes, a well-known and highly esteemed citizen, of Thurmont, died at an early hour on Friday morning, Aug. 3, at his home in Thurmont, after a lingering illness of more than a year, aged 74 years and 13 days. The death of Mr. Stokes, Thurmont loses one of its best citizens, and it is said that he was the oldest native resident of that town. His wife preceded him to the grave just fourteen years ago on last Saturday. He leaves a family of grown children, consisting of five sons and one daughter. Mr. Stokes leaves two brothers and a sister, namely, Henry Stokes, Esq., of this place, Mr. R. M. Stokes, of Harrison, Ohio, and Mrs. Susan White, of Thurmont. The funeral services took place last Saturday afternoon, and his remains were interred in the U. S. Cemetery at Thurmont. The services being conducted by Rev. Wm. L. Martin.

### A Long, Long Sigh.

Pope talks about waffing a sigh from Indies to the Pole. A long, long sigh that would be. Talk about sighing, why, if all the sighs of the women of the world, for just one day, could be gathered in one sigh, it would be long enough to reach from here to the farthest fixed star. But thousands of women suffer and sigh because the victims of the disease. Others would suffer so sorely and sigh as often if they had not been wise enough to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a wonderful recuperator of wasted strength and of sovereign efficacy in all those derangements and maladies peculiar to their sex, by which the vitality is sapped and the seeds of death are sown.

DR. R. V. PIERCE: Dear Sir—I have taken the "Favorite Prescription" and I can recommend it to any body that suffers with any female disease. I have tried several doctors' prescriptions but none did me the good that yours did. Yours respectfully, MATTIE TERRY, Post Mistress, Sherrer Hill, Dallas Co., Ala.

### PERSONALS.

Miss Sarah C. Annan has returned home from Snow Hill.

Miss Byrle Elder, of Peoria, Ill., is visiting Miss Ponce White.

Mr. Robert Williams, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. J. Stewart Annan.

Mr. Harry Eyer, of Arlington, made a visit to his parents, in this place.

Miss Mary Jordan, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, near this place.

Rev. James Neck, of New York, is spending his vacation with his parents, near town.

Misses Helen and Ruth Hoke are rusticating at Pen-Mar, being the guests of Mr. H. H. Myers.

Mrs. Geo. G. Byers, of Kump's, Carroll county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Smith of this place.

Mr. Jacob Hoke, of near Fairfield, spent Sunday, with his daughter, Mrs. P. G. King, of this place.

Mr. Edgar B. Hoppe, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. F. Hopp, of this place.

Mrs. Minnie Fleagle and two children, of Baltimore, are visiting at Mr. D. S. Gillelan's, in this place.

Lieut. H. J. Emmet and Miss Belle Stewart, of Martinsburg, are visiting at Hon. W. Ross White's, in Liberty township.

Rev. Robert H. Williams, of Baltimore, who was in town attending the funeral of Mr. James C. Annan, was the guest of Maj. O. A. Horner.

Rev. Edw. P. Allen, D. D., who has been sick for 30 days, today, is improving slowly, and is on a fair way to recover.

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Mr. James Cochran Annan, died quite suddenly at his home in this place, about 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, of neuralgia of the heart, in the fifty-eighth year of his age. Mr. Annan was at his store, as usual, until a late hour on Monday night, and was in the best of spirits, enjoying good health, and after finishing his day's work, went to his residence, which is only a short distance from the store, and retired apparently in good health. Sometime during the night he awoke and felt somewhat unwell, and failing to get relief, his brother, Dr. Robert L. Annan, was summoned about 1 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and relief was given. In the morning feeling very little inconvenience from his attack during the night, he arose and was sitting in the room conversing with his family and feeling fine, taking some nourishment, his wife brought him a cup of tea and some crackers, and after partaking of the same, he laid down on the sofa and expired in a quiet and peaceful manner, without the least suffering whatever.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Annan was a great shock to the community, as he was born and raised in this place, and where his long and successful business career, and sterling integrity had inspired the confidence of the business fraternity.

