

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Friends of the administration say that England has assured this government that it will not violate the Monroe doctrine in enforcing its demands upon Nicaragua, but it is noticeable that these same gentlemen express much satisfaction because there is a strong fleet of United States vessels in the neighborhood of Nicaragua to watch the English war vessels known to be on the way there. All of which indicates that the administration is not entirely satisfied with those assurances. A diplomat, privately discussing the matter, said: "It must be remembered in considering those assurances that the English government does not put the same meaning upon the Monroe doctrine that Americans do. Consequently it may do things which it considers no violation of that doctrine, but which may be considered very differently by this government. It would not surprise me if there were shots exchanged by the war ships of the two countries before the affair is over."

A widely mistaken idea is prevalent concerning the duties of the three engineers just appointed by the President, under authority conferred by an amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill of 1895, to investigate the Nicaragua canal. It is not the purpose of these engineers to survey the route of the canal, as many suppose. That has been done long ago. Their duty is to go over the route as it has been surveyed and to verify or disprove the figures, both as to feasibility and cost, made by engineers in the employ of the Nicaragua canal company. It was largely because of doubt about the estimated cost, that Congress did not take action on the subject at the last session. The personnel of the commission—Major William Ludlow, U. S. A., Commander M. T. Endicott, U. S. N., and Alfred Noble, C. E., of Chicago—makes it certain that its work will be thoroughly done and that its report will be followed by definite Congressional action, one way or the other.

Treasury officials stoutly maintain that there is enough money on hand and in sight to meet all obligations of the government without encroaching upon the gold reserve until the next Congress meets in regular session.

A little story is being repeated in Washington that illustrates President Cleveland's dislike of silver. For some time a contest has been going on for the control of the democratic party machinery in Pennsylvania, with ex-Congressman Kerr leading one faction and Hon. W. F. Harry, the present boss, leading the other. Mr. Kerr has managed his fight from Washington, and has claimed that President Cleveland was with him. Saturday Mr. Harry came over to Washington and had a long conference with Mr. Cleveland, after which he stated that there had never been any foundation for Mr. Kerr claiming the support of the President. That was surprising to those who knew that Mr. Kerr had been in almost daily consultation with the President. But it was explained when it leaked out that Mr. Harry had told Mr. Cleveland that Mr. Kerr was in a conspiracy with ex-Congressman Sibley, the suggested Presidential candidate of the new silver party, and other silver men to capture the party machinery in Pennsylvania so as to make sure that the delegates from that State to the next democratic national convention would all be men who could be depended upon not to vote for any candidate who would not pledge himself to silver. Whether this was merely a clever ruse on the part of Mr. Harry to get the support of the administration is more than I can say, but at any rate, it seems to have succeeded.

A REMARKABLE OAREER. "Bat" Masterson is dead. He was born in Illinois in 1854 and was a development of wild frontier life. The man whom all the bullets of angry and drunken cowboys could not kill succumbed at Guthrie, O. T., according to advice just received, of quick consumption. He had been United States marshal and was city marshal of Dodge City in its wildest days. To him was accorded the honor of being the most fearless officer of the frontier, and as leader in scores of chases after Indians, cowboys and cattle herders in the West, he never flinched or weakened.

FOR REASSESSMENT.

J. Semmes Devecman has petitioned the county commissioners to revise the valuation of property for taxable purposes in Allegany county. The petition cites the fact that there are very many inequalities in the taxable basis and submits that as a rule farms are taxed too high and city and suburban property to low. Mr. Devecman cites an instance of one property on Baltimore street in Cumberland, which is assessed at \$12,000 and from which the owner draws an annual rent of \$2,400.

ERIGHT thousand oatmakers of Cincinnati and contiguous towns are on strike.

PARTLY UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

The United States Supreme Court Monday decided that the income tax is unconstitutional so far as it related to incomes from rent, State, county or municipal bonds. It was next ruled that the fact that the law was pronounced unconstitutional in these two particulars did not invalidate the law as a whole. It was announced that in this latter conclusion the court was equally divided and therefore rendered no opinion. The lower court having ruled in favor of the law by a divided court the law would stand except as to rent, and State, county and municipal bonds, and on these two points it was directed that the judgment below be reversed. Justices Field and Harlan rendered dissenting opinions. The opinion of the court was read by Chief Justice Fuller. Justice White delivered an opinion favorable to sustaining the law.

THERE is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

ALLEGANY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The teachers of Allegany county held an institute Saturday in Frostburg, which was the second of a series for the year. It is proposed to hold these county meetings of the teachers every year for the purpose of being in closer touch as members of the profession and to derive mutual benefit on the subjects taught in the public schools. Papers on various subjects handled in the schoolroom were read, and the discussion of the papers was an interesting feature of the session. About 140 teachers were in attendance. The next meeting will be held in Lonaconing the last week of May.

GOVERNOR MARVIL DEAD.

On Monday night, Hon. Joshua Hopkins Marvil, Governor of Delaware, died at Laurel, Del., in the seventieth year of his age. He suffered from a complication of diseases—erysipelas, asthma, Bright's disease, dropsy and heart affection. He had been more or less an invalid for ten years, but his illness did not take a serious turn until about two months ago. Gov. Marvil will be succeeded as governor by William T. Watson, speaker of the Senate, who is a democrat.

The south-bound passenger train on the Passumpsic division of the Boston and Maine Railroad collided with a large boulder on the track near Smith's Mills, Ver. The locomotive was derailed and overturned, and engineer S. J. Rooney and fireman Lewis Emerson were fatally scalded.

TWENTY-THREE miners were killed by an explosion at Blue Canyon Mine, in Washington.

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BURIED IN SAND-DRIFTS.

The railroads have been battling with a new enemy in Western Kansas and Eastern Colorado since last Friday night. It was a combination sand and snow-storm which swept over those regions, completely demoralizing train schedules and causing serious inconveniences and discomfort to travelers. The flakes of snow and particles of sand mingled and were driven across the prairies at a terrific speed by the gale which blew incessantly for two days. There was no loss of human life, because the storm was not accompanied by the usual degree of cold, but many cattle and horses in Western Kansas are reported to have been suffocated by the whirling clouds of sand. The sand and snow filled up the railroad cuts and buried the tracks. The snow melted and the sand settled down in a hard unyielding mass. Rotary snowplows and all the modern mechanical apparatus for battling with snowdrifts were useless against this new enemy, and the railroad companies were compelled to engage men with pick and shovel to remove the sand from the track. The work was begun while the gale was still in progress, and the suffering of the workmen is said to have been intense.—Sun.

IMPORTANT FACTS.

If you have dull and heavy pain across forehead and about the eyes; if the nostrils are frequently stopped up and followed by a disagreeable discharge; if soreness in the nose and bleeding from the nostrils is often experienced; if you are very sensitive to cold in the head accompanied with headache; then you may be sure you have catarrh; and should (immediately) resort to Ely's Cream Balm for a cure. The remedy will give instant relief.

CHARLES MOWEN, aged twenty-six years, son of Daniel Mowen, of Greencastle, Pa., was drowned Sunday afternoon in Conococheague creek. The supposition is that he had been fishing, and was seized with an epileptic fit and fell into the water and was drowned.

JOSEPH DONOHUE, of the banking firm of Donohue, Kelly & Co., San Francisco, died Saturday. He was one of the pioneer bankers of California.

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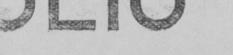
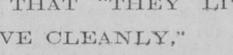
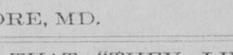
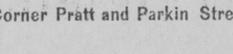
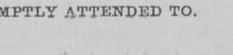
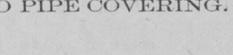
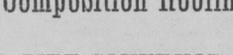
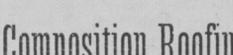
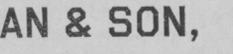
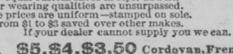
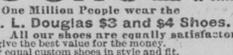
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The public schools in Frederick county closed yesterday.

TO-DAY, Good Friday, is a legal holiday, and consequently the banks will be closed.

Go to the Liberty Roller Mills to buy your feed. I have always a good supply on hand. H. A. NAYLOR. mar 8-3m

At the sale of Gettysburg Bank stock, the prices ranged from 108 to \$113.25. Par value is \$50.

MR. JOHN GLASS moved into Mr. Philip J. Snouffer's house, on Gettysburg street Thursday.

A statue to the memory of deceased soldiers buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Cumberland, will be dedicated May 20.

Six colored families, in Charles county, Md., are afflicted with small-pox. One death has been caused by the disease.

MR. J. THOS. GELWICKS is tearing down the house he recently purchased from the estate of the late George Winter, deceased.

REV. H. MANN gave an illustrated lecture in the M. E. church, in this place, on last Thursday evening on "Scenes in England."

A mad dog was killed on the mountain, west of town, last Sunday. Several dogs are said to have been bitten by it before it was killed.

The thirteenth annual banquet of the Union Veteran Association of Maryland, was held at the Carrollton Hotel, Baltimore, Tuesday evening.

CAPT. JOHN DOTY, who was captain of the Linganore Home Guards during the war, died Sunday, at Unionville, this county, aged sixty-eight years.

ON last Friday, Mrs. G. M. Patterson, of this place, sent to the CHRONICLE office a large goose egg, which measured 8x10 1/2 inches, and weighed 9 ounces.

Pay Director James Fulton, the senior pay officer in the United States Navy, died at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, of a complication of diseases.

YOUR attention is called to the illustrated advertisement of Messrs. G. W. Weaver & Son, of Gettysburg, which appears in another column of the CHRONICLE.

SEPTMAN W. CLARK, surviving executor of John Clark, deceased, was discharged from jail, upon petition of his brother, sisters and niece.—Gettysburg Star and Sentinel.

THREE trainmen were killed and a locomotive and eighteen freight cars demolished Tuesday in a wreck on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad, near Punksatunawey, Pa.

ICE CREAM and cake will be served at Mrs. Andrew Augustus Annan's, on next Tuesday evening from 7 to 10:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the Presbyterian Mite Society Fund.

JOSEPH A. STULL, eye specialist, will be at Mr. George T. Eyster's jewelry store, in this place, on Monday, April 15th. Call on him and have your eyes examined free of charge, all who have eye trouble.

JACOB TENNER, a Western Maryland employe, was attracted to the banks of Conococheague Creek by the floundering of a big fish in the water. Wading in to a depth of three feet, he seized the fish deftly, a fourteen pound carp, and bore it safely to shore.

CHARGED With Firing a Barn. Harry E. Spriggs, a colored youth, is held in Westminster, for a hearing on the charge of having attempted to burn the stable and barn of Mr. Jesse N. Williams, on East Main street, Westminster, on Sunday evening. Fire was started in the barn, but was discovered and extinguished before it had gained any headway. A man was seen to strike a match and run from the barn just before the fire was discovered, and subsequently it was ascertained that some of the wood work had been saturated with coal oil. Spriggs has been in the employ of Mayor Brooks, and it was stated, had threatened to burn his buildings. Mr. Williams' barn is within a few feet of that of the mayor's.

On last Saturday afternoon, Mr. James T. Hays, mortgagee, sold the farm containing 228 acres of land, more or less, belonging to Mr. Joseph Byers, for the sum of \$4,999.50. Mrs. Joseph Byers was the purchaser.

THE horse belonging to Mr. Chas. Hunter, which was so badly injured by running the end of a wagon tongue in its breast several days ago, a full account of which appeared in last week's issue of the CHRONICLE, is getting along nicely and is on a fair way to recover.

Good Canned corn, only 7 cents per can at King's.

YESTERDAY was Arbor Day in Maryland, and the occasion was appropriately celebrated by the scholars of the public schools in this place. Several trees were planted and the exercises connected with the same consisted of singing several appropriate songs.

THE American Sterilized Food Company of Baltimore City has established a canned milk factory in Thurmont. The company owns valuable patents covering processes for sterilizing, which they will also can at their factory.

A HORSE was stolen from the stable of Luther Sowers, a farmer, residing near Charlton, and no trace of the animal could be discovered. About a week afterward Mr. Sowers, directed by a fortuneteller, visited an unfrequented place on the mountain and found his horse.—American.

THURMONT Town Election.

At an election for officers of the corporation of Thurmont Tuesday, J. Henry Cover was elected president of the board and Messrs. John Root, John R. Rouzer, L. R. Waesche and J. Wesley Creeger commissioners. This is Mr. Cover's eleventh consecutive year as the head of the town authorities.

THE Evolution.

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only. For sale by all leading druggists.

MAYOR Keely in his message to the City Council of Hagerstown advocates a street railway, and believes one will come with the revival of trade. He is in favor of a reasonable franchise to capitalists, and believes a street railway would start the town on a new era of prosperity. The line, he thinks, would be extended to near-by towns.

MR. JACOB S. SHANK, aged about thirty-five years, of Lappans, Washington county, fell under the wheels of a wagon from the top of a load of hay Monday afternoon and was fatally injured. His skull was crushed and he was hurt internally. The team was owned by John Hoffman, and Warren Snowden drove it.

ISaac Winebrenner, aged ninety-one years, died last Wednesday night on his farm, between Frostburg and Eckhart mines. He was born near Frostburg and resided all his life in the vicinity of his birthplace. He was the father of eleven children—six sons and five daughters. His descendants number 265.

Much excitement has been occasioned near J. Q. A. Kemp's mills, at Breathedsville, Washington county, by Carlton Rutzahn, tenant, discovering a large cave on the Wolf Newcomer farm. He was plowing when the discovery was made. One of the horses sank into the hole up to its hips and was extricated with difficulty.

On Sunday hundreds of people visited the cave, but none ventured to explore it. Soundings were made to the depth of fifty feet. Another cave was discovered nearby, which proved to be 75 feet deep. The bottom of the last cave is of rock and forms a steep incline.—Sun.

Nearly everybody needs a good medicine. The impurities which have accumulated in the blood during the cold months must be expelled, or when the mild days come, and the effect of bracing air is lost, the body is liable to be overcome by debility or some serious disease. The remarkable success achieved by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the many words of praise it has received, make it worthy your confidence. We ask you to give this medicine a trial. We are sure it will do you good. Read the testimonials published in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla, all from reliable, grateful people. They tell the story.

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Death of an Aged Lady.

Mrs. Catharine Cook, the oldest resident of this place, died at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Margaret Smith on last Saturday morning, aged 92 years, 4 months and 27 days. Her death was due to the general wearing out of the system. The deceased was possessed with a remarkable memory and her mental faculties remained unimpaired until within a short time of her death.

Mrs. Cook's maiden name was Catharine Catron, and she was born at Donegal, Ireland, in 1802, and in 1809, seven years later, she came to this country. She was twice married. Her first husband was the late Mr. John Boyd, and by this union there were two children—ex-Congressman Thomas A. Boyd, of Lewistown, Ill., and Capt. R. J. Boyd, residing at Upton, Pa. After the death of Mr. Boyd she married Mr. Peter Cook, of Mercersburg, Pa., who preceded her to the grave a number of years ago. By this marriage there were no children.

On Monday a short funeral service was conducted by Rev. Alfred M. Schaffner, at the late home of the deceased, after which her remains were sent to Mercersburg, Pa., for interment.

Large Funeral in Middletown.

The funeral of Mrs. Howard Sparrow, whose death occurred Thursday from injuries received by the collapse of the old Brick Hotel stable, took place in Middletown Sunday afternoon. The Methodist Episcopal church was so overcrowded that it was decided to use the Lutheran church instead, and the already assembled congregation proceeded thither from the Methodist church. Rev. L. W. Dice, the new Methodist Episcopal pastor, officiated, assisted by Revs. M. L. Beard, of the Lutheran church, T. F. Hoffmeier, of the Reformed church, and J. R. Ridenour, of the United Brethren church. The floral emblems were numerous and handsome, among them being a vacant chair, surmounted by a large white dove, presented by the citizens of the town through popular subscription.

Death of Mr. Jos. F. Livers.

Mr. Joseph F. Livers, of Littlestown, Pa., came to this place, one day last week to transact some business, and while thus engaged was taken sick at the residence of Mr. George Warthen, residing on the old Frederick road, south of town. He suffered with rheumatism of the chest and heart, and gradually grew worse, until about 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at which time death relieved him of his suffering. He was in the seventy-ninth year of his age. Mr. Livers was twice married, and leaves a widow and several children by the first marriage. The funeral services will be held at Mt. St. Mary's Parish Church to-morrow morning, at ten o'clock.

Reported Discovery of Caves.

Much excitement has been occasioned near J. Q. A. Kemp's mills, at Breathedsville, Washington county, by Carlton Rutzahn, tenant, discovering a large cave on the Wolf Newcomer farm. He was plowing when the discovery was made. One of the horses sank into the hole up to its hips and was extricated with difficulty.

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EASTER AT THE CHURCHES.

Easter services will be held at the several churches in this place, on next Sunday as follows:

At St. Joseph's Church. At St. Joseph's Catholic church, High Mass at 9 o'clock, a. m., celebrant, Rev. P. V. Kavanaugh. Processional March, Mendelssohn, organ: "Vidi Aquam," Lucchesi; "Kyrie," Mercadante's Third Mass; "Credo," Mercadante, offertory, "Easter Hymn," L. Lambillotte; "Sanctus and Agnus Dei," Mercadante; "Recessional March" from Wagner, Vespers—"Magnificat," Est; "O, Filii et Filiae," Greg; "Regina Coeli," Givoza; "O Salutaris" Fr. Curshman; "Tantum Ergo," Lon Dismore. Organist, Miss Maggie Tyson; Sopranos, Misses Blanche Tyson, Grace Lansing, Julia Wadsworth and Jennie Tyson; Tenors, Messrs. Joseph V. Tyson, Willie Tyson, and Frank Hoke; Bass, Messrs. B. Elder and F. A. Adelsberger.

At the Reformed Church. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the Reformed church of the Incarnation on Easter morning at 10 o'clock. Preparatory and confirmation services on Saturday afternoon, preceding at 2 o'clock.

The Sunday school will hold an Easter service on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The programme to be rendered is as follows: Organ Voluntary; Responsive reading; The Apostle's Creed; The Glori Patri; Scripture Lesson; Hymn; Scripture Lesson; Responsive Reading; Collect and Festival Prayer; Hymn; address by the pastor, Rev. Alfred M. Schaffner; offering of the alms; Hymn; Collect and Lord's Prayer; Hymn and Doxology; Benediction.

At the Lutheran Church. Preparatory services will be held at the Lutheran church, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Communion services on Easter Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

In the evening a Sunday School service will be held, when the following programme will be rendered: Introit, by the pastor; Anthem, "The Lord is Risen," by the choir and school; Collect, by Pastor; "Come to Jesus," by Infants; Scripture Reading; Responsive Reading, Singing by Infants; Singing—"Easter Flowers, Easter Carols;" Recitation, "Day Spring;" Singing, "Easter Flowers are Blooming Bright;" Recitation—"Emblems of the Resurrection," by five girls and five boys; Recitation, by Infants; Singing, "Smile Praises O Sky;" Responsive Scripture Reading; Song, "Around the Throne of God in Heaven," by Infants; Singing, "Love on Earth Appears;" Concert Reading; Solo, Mamie Jackson, "Hopes and Promises;" Scripture Reading; Recitation, "The Stream of Death;" Singing, "How Calm and Beautiful the Morn;" Responsive Reading; Recitation, Nellie Eyster; Singing, "The Lord is Risen Indeed;" Concert Praises; Singing, by little girls; Scripture Reading; Recitation, "I Shall Rise and Put on Glory;" Singing, "When Christ Shall Come;" Scripture Reading; Recitation, "The Great Message;" Singing, "Church Extension Song;" remarks by the pastor, Rev. Charles Reinwald, on "The object of church extension and its needs;" collection; Doxology and Benediction.

M. E. Church. The Sunday school of the M. E. church will hold a mission service on Easter Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting programme has been arranged for the occasion.

Easter at the Mount.

An elaborate and highly artistic musical programme will be an attractive feature of the Easter Service at Mt. St. Mary's Church. Miss Moore, the organist, renders for the first time, on Easter Morn, one of Dr. Dielman's unpublished masses. Besides a select offertory piece and Easter Carols, Miss Niema Quinn and Edgar Moore will sing solos. The full choir will be assisted by Prof. Reitz, who will play the violin 'cello and Mr. Harry Manning the trombone and Mr. Lawrence Dielman the flute. A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be preached by Rev. D. Brown. The solemn high mass begins at 10 a. m. The public is invited. Lovers of fine music would do well not to miss the proffered treat.

Death of Mrs. Chas. C. Sefton.

After a week of severe illness, Mrs. Eveline Sefton, wife of Mr. Charles C. Sefton, died at noon on Sunday, aged 27 years, 7 months and 23 days. She was the youngest daughter of the late Henry Dustman, and was married in 1888, to Mr. Sefton. Soon after their marriage the young couple took up their residence in their cozy home on South Baltimore street. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of many warm friends.—Gettysburg Compiler.

Nervous People.

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Installation of a Pastor.

Interesting religious services were held Sunday in St. Mary's Reformed Church, and in connection with the installation of the new pastor, Rev. A. F. Drieschbach, Ph. D., recently called from Shrewsbury, Pa. St. Mary's Church has a membership of nearly seven hundred, and the church edifice was crowded. Revs. C. S. Slagle and H. J. Macalister, of Westminster, and S. M. Roeder, of Manchester, a committee appointed at a special meeting of the Maryland Classis for the purpose, conducted the installation services.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

FAIRFIELD, April 9.—Mrs. Elizabeth Hess, of Black Rock, York county, and Mrs. Amanda Menchey, of Gettysburg, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stoner, of Fairfield.

Miss Irene Riley, of near Waynesboro, Franklin county, and Mrs. Mildred Stoner, of Glen Wood Mills, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Shulley, of this place.

There will be Easter services in the Lutheran Church on next Sunday morning, at Fairfield.

Mr. Wm. Smith has been granted a pension of \$6 per month.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis, are on the sick list.

Mr. Haise Myers, who is clerking in Mr. Hilleary's store, has gone to Hanover.

Mr. J. J. Reindollar, of this place, made a visit to York Springs.

Mrs. J. C. Shterzer, of Mount Holly, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Maria Shulley, who is on the sick list.

Mr. Jessie Buffington, of this place, made a business trip to Mount Holly.

A Mr. Harbaugh, from the valley, is visiting Mr. E. Brown, of this place.

The J. O. O. F. now hold their meetings in Mr. E. Swope's hall. They had used Mr. W. C. Rogers' hall a great many years.

Mr. James Cunningham has moved to our town and will open a store in Mr. Robert Blythe's store house.

Mrs. D. B. Martin, of Fountaldale, is a visitor to this place.

Fairfield cannot be beaten for bicycle riding, for the size of the town.

Your Correspondent attended the anniversary of the battle of Fort Steadman, which was celebrated at Harrisburg on the 9th. He also visited at Mount Holly.

Mr. Harry Peters, who has been in Virginia the past year, is here on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crouse, of Littlestown, are visiting their friends at this place.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shepherd, of Orlanna, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Manherz, of this place.

FAIRPLAY ITEMS.

FAIRPLAY, April 11.—On last Friday Mr. William Scott and daughter, Miss Mary, were on their way to Mr. Lewis Krise's when the colt they were driving frightened at a hog lying by the side of the road near Mr. Ed. Adams' Th. The colt turned around, throwing the occupants out and bruising them considerably, also demolishing the stick wagon and tearing the harness to pieces. Mr. Thomas Ferguson succeeded in catching the horse, and also took care of Miss Scott until the next day, when her father took her home.

Miss Nettie Scott is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James White, at Gettysburg.

Mr. David Rhodes, who has been sick, is improving slowly, and will soon be around again.

Our new Constable seems to be pretty busy this spring. And we would warn our friends to steer clear of Freddie.

Miss Sadie Weishaar, of Uniontown, Md., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Miller, of this place.

Miss Nettie Moritz, spent a few days in Gettysburg, taking lessons in painting, from Miss Elida Zinn.

On last Wednesday Mr. Bert Hospelhorn, driving Hon. W. R. White's, team drove to his father's residence, and tied the horses, and whilst engaged in measuring up some corn, the horses tore the hitching strap, and started up the road at a break neck speed. The team was stopped at Mr. Geo. Plank's. There was but little damage done to the wagon.

Mr. David Bendhoff left on last Monday morning to attend the Normal School at Littlestown, Pa., during the spring session.

Miss Jennie Scott opened a select school at Fairfield. We congratulate Miss Jennie on having quite a nice little school.

PERSONALS.

Maj. O. A. Horner attended the thirtieth annual reunion and banquet of the Union Veteran Association of Maryland, held in Baltimore Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Steckman have gone to Frederick, where they expect to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gillelan were in Gettysburg Tuesday.

Mr. Samuel Bowman, of Minneapolis, made a short visit to Mrs. Catharine Hyder, on Tuesday.

Mr. Bertram Kerschner, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, is spending the Easter vacation with his parents in this place.

Major Horner, Mrs. Horner, daughter Bessie, and sons, Robert and O. A. Jr., spent several days in Baltimore, this week.

Mr. E. L. Annan, wife and son, are visiting in Baltimore.

The Key Monument Association of Frederick, which is working to acquire a fund for a monument to Francis Scott Key, whose body is buried in that city, have been notified that a bill has been introduced in the Illinois state legislature appropriating \$300 for a memorial stone for the proposed monument. The association is getting out a Key button which will be sold for the benefit of the fund.

MARSHALL E. PRICE, a young blacksmith of Harmony, Caroline county, was arrested by Detectives Gault and Seibold, charged with the murder of Miss Sallie Dean. There is very damaging evidence against him. Price had been very active in working up clues in the case, and was a member of the coroner's jury. He has confessed.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The Littlestown Bank Swindled.

The people of Littlestown were thrown into a state of wild excitement several days, when the news spread that there was a shortage in the management of the Littlestown Savings Institution, and that Ferd. Rahter, a former citizen of that town, but now a resident of Baltimore city, had "done" the bank to the tune of \$25,000. After a thorough investigation, we learned that the trouble was caused by the State Bank Examiner refusing to accept a large amount of paper as cash assets. It was at first thought that \$25,000 would cover all the trouble, but it will take \$41,388.94 instead, to cover Ferd. Rahter's fraudulent transactions. How Rahter worked himself into the confidence of Walter Lefevre is not known, as the young man had been warned time and time again by the different members of the Board of Directors. On last Monday Bank Examiner Sheffer, of Harrisburg, inspected the books of the institution, and found that Walter Lefevre, the assistant cashier, and a son of James Lefevre, the cashier, was carrying along a large amount of worthless paper, such as discounted notes, protested checks and drafts as cash assets, when in reality they were not worth the paper they were written upon, as all of it was either signed or "backed" by Ferd. Rahter, who is worth nothing financially. Rahter secured the money by "kiting," as it is termed in banking circles.

Bank Examiner Sheffer found that the paper carried as cash assets amounted to just \$41,388.94. The capital stock of the bank is \$50,000, with a surplus of \$25,000, which after being used leaves the capital impaired to the amount of \$16,388.94. The undivided profit on hand amounts to \$567, when it is also used and will still leave the capital stock impaired to the amount of \$15,821.94, which the directors had to make good, and was done this morning by six of their number: Messrs. George Stonifer, (president), George Kump, Ephraim Myers, Dr. Bishop, Ab. Keny and George Baschore.

Rahter is the same man who was at head of the "Zingaria Bitters Company," which stuck a Harrisburg bank, of which Simon Cameron was at the head, for \$30,000. About 1895 Rahter failed for over \$500,000. He took every cent a Philadelphia millionaire had some few years ago, and it is said, has ruined over one hundred wealthy men during his career as a "kiter."

The stability of the bank is not injured in the least, and it is to-day as solvent as ever.

Walter Lefevre is a young man of about 25 years of age, and is possessed of great financial ability, having the prospects before him of making a great banker. He has the sympathy of the good thinking people of that town, and all hope that he will eventually come out of the trouble with an untainted character.—Hagerstown Daily Record of Monday.

Epidemic of Smallpox.

Two colored men died on Monday in the neighborhood of Cox's Station, in Charles county, along the Popes Creek branch of the Baltimore

AN OBITUARY.

Dead year, upon whose list I lean
A flying chorus round you sang.

How little you were when first we met!
A flying chorus round you sang.

At last the solemn winter laid
Its diadem upon your brow.

At last the solemn winter laid
Its diadem upon your brow.

Now, garbed and silent for the tomb,
You lie before our eyes all white.

What monument to his memory
Could be more appropriate or lasting

In speaking of Darwin at Cornell
University Professor Bart G. Wilder said:

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Washington's Notion About the Senate.
Sir John Macdonald, the first prime

"Of what use is the senate?" asked
Jefferson as he stood before the

"You have answered your own
question," replied Washington.

"What do you mean?"
"Why do you pour that tea into

"To cool it," said Washington; "the
senate is the saucer into which we

Sir Charles Dilke.
Sir Charles Dilke lately astonished

Paris by his progress with the foils.
Although in his fifty-fourth year,

Carried everything before him,
defeating several of the most celebrated

maitres d'armes, who were simply
staggered by his trick of changing

his foil from hand to hand.
For a quarter of a century scarcely a day

has passed that the baronet has not
devoted an hour to this branch of

sport. He is likewise a splendid
carman and is at home in the saddle,

but he has a profound and un-
English contempt for cricket, foot-
ball and tennis.

There are certain tribes," remarked
Professor Pottery in the course of his

lecture, "that have not yet
learned the use of fire."
"I don't believe that," whispered

Freshleigh. "How in thunder could
they light their cigarettes?"—Cincinnati

Lacking the Authority.
"Was I sorry, Willie," said his

FIVE FINGERED JAPAN CHANGES.

They Bore a Remarkably Close Resem-
blance to the Human Hand.

The five fingered orange is a queer
thing. It grows exactly in the shape

of a human hand, with a thumb and
four fingers. It is a half open hand,

that of this curious fruit, and the long
narrow Chinese hand is startling.

Even the nails are identical, hard
pointed and clawlike, tipping the

orange fingers with a length equal
in some cases to three inches. It is

no interloper in a well regulated
family of oranges, but a regular

member, belonging to the osage va-
riety. It has a family name and a

Christian name of its own, but its
proper name is "five fingered orange,"

and nobody but the botanist cares
to call it by the long one which means

the same thing.
E. Gonzalez, who lives out on

Wayne street, found the odd plant a
year or two ago over in Japan. He

thought he had discovered a sort of
missing link, so he brought it home

to put into the conservatory among
his choicest plants, where he guards

it as the apple of his eye. Not a
scale bug or other ravaging insect

has a chance to live on its leaves,
for he had a special bathtub built

for its use, with a sheet iron chimney
in the center, in which he places it

periodically, puts a cover over the
whole thing and gives it a Turkish

bath treatment of sulphur and other
fumes such as would make even the

sturdiest scale bug turn up its toes.
It is a hardy shrub, the outdoor cli-

mate of San Francisco agreeing with
its health excellently well, although

its owner is so choicely of it that he
doesn't give it a chance to sleep out

very often. In its native country it
is usually kept potted, and the Jap-

anese seem to be fully alive to its
value as an ornamental curiosity, for

Mr. Gonzalez found it a difficult
matter to get one to bring to Amer-

ica, and so far nobody else ever did
get one.

STRAWBOARD BOX HIEROGLYPHICS.

Passengers in a Cable Car Relieved by a
Sharp Messenger Boy.

He was a keen faced shop messen-
ger boy in a smart livery and at-

tracted every one's attention on the
Broadway cable car, chiefly because

he carried a flat strawboard box
much bigger than himself. As it

rested on his lap it extended nearly
across the car aisle, and the con-

ductor and every one else who had
to pass found the way nearly block-

ed, which occasioned the boy much
amusement and satisfaction. One

after the other nearly every passen-
ger became interested in the inscrip-

tion scrawled in heavy black char-
coal lines on the cover of the box.

The inscription was this:
"25-15-4:30-1.202-112 E. 17-2

ftbs short. W. Hurry. C. O. D."
Passengers craned their necks to

decipher this, and some audibly dis-
cussed its possible meaning. An old

gentleman who sat opposite the boy,
and whose knees nearly touched the

box, became so mentally involved in
his study of the inscription that he

grew pale and purple in turn and
finally took out a 10 cent piece, laid

it on the box and hoarsely whispered:
"Little boy, that is for you if you'll

tell me what that marking means."
There was an intense silence in

the car, and every one strained his
eye or her attention toward the mes-

senger. That young person eyed the
old gentleman cautiously, took the

dime, examined it carefully, pocketed
it slowly and then said, reading the

figures upside down:
"Twenty-five is the day of the

month."
"To be sure," said the gentleman,

with a breath of relief. "To be
sure, that is a key to the puzzle

which I should have observed."
The boy half closed his eyes and

scrutinized the gentleman, as if to
discover whether he was being "guy-

ed," and then observing every body's
seriousness, resumed:
"and '15' is no number. See?"

PLAYING TRICKS ON PATIENTS.

Sick Persons Sometimes Tell Whoppers to
Their Physicians.

"One meets with many odd freaks
of human nature in my profession,"

said a physician. "Perhaps the most
common is the weakness of lying to

the doctor. When a person goes to
a medical man to be treated, the sen-

sible thing is obviously to help him
to judge of the case by giving all de-

tails as to pains and other symptoms
with as much accuracy as possible.

That anybody should try to deceive
the physician to whom he or she is

applying for advice seems the height
of absurdity. Yet I do assure you

that it is done so constantly that we
have always to be on our guard.

Women are much more given to that
sort of folly than men are. I have

a lady on my list of patients who is
truthful enough, I doubt not, in all

other affairs, but she does not hesi-
tate to mislead me as far as she can

by false statements respecting her
own maladies, though she is ex-

ceedingly anxious to get well. I confess
that it is a psychological puzzle.

"Besides the people who deliberately
and willfully tell lies to the

doctor there are others who are mis-
led to an astonishing extent by their

own imagination. I will cite a case
in point. A lady came to see me pro-

fessionally for the first time. She
told me that her vision was very

bad. Her eyes looked all right, and
I tried her sight by means of a card

with printed letters of various sizes.
From across the room she was un-

able to read even the biggest of the
letters. I put a pair of glasses in

front of her eyes, and she at once
exclaimed:
"oh, doctor, that is wonderful.

I can see ever so much better now."
In fact, she was able to read all

of the letters down to the very
smallest, exhibiting a power of vi-

sion quite up to the normal.
"This is certainly very surprising,

madam," I said. "The spectacles
which have helped your sight so

Hissing a Mark of Applause.

In his book on the Basutos the
Rev. E. Casalis says that hisses are

the most unequivocal marks of ap-
plause and are as much courted in

the African parliaments and assem-
blies as they are dreaded by our can-

didates for popular favor. After a
declaration in accordance with the

general taste of the voice of the orator
is drowned in a burst of shrill

sounds which force one to stop one's
ears. Captain Cook also asserts that

the people of Mallicollo show their
admiration by hissing like a goose.

In Italy the ancient Romans had
three methods of expressing applause

for speakers and at their places of
entertainment—namely, (1) bombas,

a hissing or buzzing noise; (2) im-
brices, noises made with the hollow

hands, and (3) teste, striking of the
hands together. Applause in thea-

ters in Russia is strictly forbidden.

THE PAPER OF THE PEOPLE.
FOR THE PEOPLE AND WITH THE PEOPLE.

HONEST IN MOTIVE.
FEARLESS IN EXPRESSION.
SOUND IN PRINCIPLE.

UNSWERING IN ITS ALLEGIANCE TO
RIGHT THEORIES AND
RIGHT PRACTICES.

THE SUN PUBLISHES ALL THE NEWS ALL
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