





JUDGE RICHARDSON DEAD.

William A. Richardson, Chief Justice of the Court of Claims, died at his home in Washington, Monday, aged seventy-four years. He had been ill for some months with a complication of diseases, and owing to his advanced age, his death had been generally expected.

Judge Richardson was born at Tyngsborough, Mass., in 1821, and was a graduate of the law department of Harvard in 1846, was judge advocate and general's aide in Massachusetts, and was president of the common council of Lowell in 1853-54.

In 1855 he was appointed to revise the statutes of Massachusetts, and subsequently was chosen by the legislature to edit the annual supplements of the general statutes, which he continued to do for twenty-two years. He became judge of probate in 1856, and was judge of probate and insolvency from 1858 to 1873. He declined a superior court judgeship in 1869, and the same year became assistant secretary of the United States treasury. He went to Europe as the financial agent of the government in 1871 to negotiate for the sale of the funded loan of the United States, and made the first contract abroad for the sale of the bonds. In 1873 he became secretary of the treasury, resigning in 1874 to accept a seat on the bench of the Court of Claims, of which he became chief justice in 1885. This position he held at the time of his death. Judge Richardson was the author of a number of publications of a financial and legal character.

THE GREAT SOUTH.

Mr. J. C. Stanton, a wealthy New York capitalist and railroad contractor, was in Augusta, Ga., a few days ago. Mr. Stanton is a great believer in the South, and does not hesitate to say so. In talking of her great prospects Mr. Stanton said that in his visits to New England he had learned that in a certain section much capital had been taken from the cotton manufacturing interest there and invested in the South. At Bethlehem and at Scranton, Pa., large iron and steel manufacturers had told him that as good and better iron could be made cheaper in Alabama than it could be in Pennsylvania. "Now," said Mr. Stanton, "the West is dead, for a time at least. There are cities out there with many handsome buildings and few inhabitants. There is in the East capital which, after the present uncertainty is over, will seek investment. Where will it be placed? Why, in the South, of course. I may not live to see it," continued Mr. Stanton, "but you will realize that what I am saying is so. This section is destined to be one of the greatest in the United States."

LEAPED INTO NIAGARA.

An unknown man jumped into the water at Prospect Park Point Niagara Falls, N. Y., on Monday of last week, and was immediately swept over the American Falls. The act was a deliberate suicide. The man, before leaping over the parapet, coolly took off his hat and put into it his money, amounting to forty cents, and laid it on the stone wall. The only witness were two hucksters. They describe the stranger as a short man, about thirty-five years old, weighing, perhaps, 135 pounds, and wearing a cinnamon-colored overcoat. The body has not been recovered.

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30,000 WERE SLAUGHTERED.

Madji Rabian is a Christian Turk who was one of the passengers on board the steamer La Cagocgne, which arrived in New York, Sunday. Through an interpreter he told about the massacres of Armenians.

He was in Constantinople during the three days' massacres in August last. In those three days 30,000 Armenians, he said, were slaughtered throughout the Empire. Wagons filled with bodies were constantly passing through the streets of Constantinople. Cartload after cartload of bodies were dumped into the sea. The sight was a sickening one, and what added to its horror was the fact that in these wagons were piled the dead and dying. The feeble cries of the wounded for release could be heard coming from the carts. Whether killed or wounded all were thrown into the sea.—Sun.

The Fact that Doctors

frequently advise change of air and climate to those suffering from catarrh is proof that catarrh is a local and climatic disease. Therefore, unless you can leave home and business, you should use Ely's Cream Balm. Applied directly to the seat of the disease, it effects instant relief and a satisfactory cure after short continuance. No mercury nor injurious drug is contained in the Balm.

Apples Kill Cows.

Four cows belonging to Frederick Crawford, near Fayetteville, Pa., were found dead in the barnyard Monday last. A post mortem developed that they had died from inflammation of the bowels. It seems the cattle had been in the orchard and ate ravenously of sour apples. They were excellent high grade milk cows. Several others of the lot were afflicted in the same way, but a veterinary brought them through all right.

The biggest rope ever used for hauling purposes has just been made for a district subway in Glasgow, Scotland. It is seven miles long, 4½ inches in circumference and weighs nearly 60 tons. It has been made in one unjointed and unspliced length of patent crucible steel. When in place it will form a complete circle around Glasgow, crossing the Clyde in its course, and run at a speed of 15 miles an hour.

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COL. WM. B. MANN, who had been prothonotary of Philadelphia for more than twenty years, died Saturday night, aged eighty years. He was district attorney of Philadelphia from 1851 until 1875. During all these years he was the recognized republican leader of the city.

Among the discoveries along the South Branch River since the flood are a number of Indian relics, such as darts and tomahawks, which are believed to have washed out from an Indian burying ground ten miles up the river. During the flood of 1877 similar relics were found.

Our Shed and Shops Burned.

The car shed and shops of the Howells Valley Railway, at Big Stone Gap, Va., were burned Monday, together with an engine and two cars. Loss, \$10,000. No insurance.

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POTOMAC SYNOD.

The final session of the Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church was held at Altoona, Pa., Monday. The fourth Sunday of November was named as temperance day.

The following appropriations were made: Home missions, \$9,436; foreign missions, \$5,086; work among Hungarians and Bohemians, \$1,840; beneficiary education, \$1,840; theological seminary, \$400; Calvin College, \$300; contingent fund of general synod, \$700; harbor missions, \$200; Catawba College, \$1,000; contingent fund of Potomac Synod, \$526, and work among the Germans, \$1,000.

The next place of meeting will be fixed by the synod officers.

Fits Cured

From U.S. Journal of Medicine. Prof. W. H. Beebe, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician. Success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 20 years' standing cured by him. He has a valuable work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferer who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address Prof. W. H. Beebe, P. O. 4 Cedar St., New York.

NOTICE TO Tax-Payers Of Frederick County.

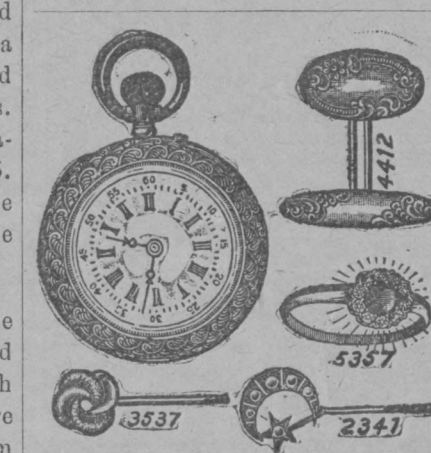
The Collector will visit the following places in the County for the accommodation of the Tax-payers, and hopes that they will avail themselves of the opportunity to pay, as Notices and Distraints will be issued against all persons who are in arrears after January next, for the year 1896. These notices are now in arrears for back Taxes, must positively make settlement on or before the 1st day of December next, or submit to the expense of advertising the same.

EMMITSBURG, at Western Maryland Hotel, Monday and Tuesday, November 9th and 10th.

MECHANICSTOWN, at Gilbert House, Wednesday, November 11th, during day and night.

Tax-payers, look to your interests and meet the Collector, as the trip is intended for your benefit and accommodation.

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No. 4412. Solid Silver Cuff Buttons - 25c.  
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

No. 6612 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1896.

Maria M. Gorley and John C. Gorley, her husband, vs. Mary Sies, widow of Joseph Sies, deceased, George Sies and P. Mary Sies his wife, Ellen L. Lindebach and Shepard Lindebach her husband, unknown heirs of Mary Sies, deceased, unknown heirs of Samuel Sies, deceased, Emma J. Lounsbury, daughter of Benjamin Sies, deceased, and Lounsbury, her husband.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain tract of land of which Eliza J. Claybaugh and Arnold R. Sies were seized and possessed as tenants in common and to distribute the proceeds among those entitled thereto according to their respective rights and interests. 1st. The Bill states that Eliza J. Claybaugh and Arnold R. Sies acquired a certain tract of land situated in Frederick county, State of Maryland, as tenants in common from Daniel Sies, executor of Samuel Sies, by deed dated the 22d day of April, and duly recorded in Liber T. G. No. 8, folio 655, one of the Land Records of Frederick county, a certified copy of which is filed with the Bill.

2nd. That said Eliza J. Claybaugh conveyed all her right, title and interest in the said tract of land to Maria M. Sies, since intermarried with John C. Gorley, by deed dated the 28th day of Oct., 1879, duly recorded in Liber A. P. No. 1, folio 164, one of the Land Records of Frederick county, a certified copy of which is filed with the Bill.

3. That the said Arnold R. Sies in his life time executed a Mortgage on his interest in the said tract of land to his brother, Joseph L. Sies, dated the 8th day of Sept., 1888, duly recorded in Liber W. T. G. No. 15, folio 10, one of the Land Records of Frederick county, a certified copy of which is filed with the Bill.

4. That the said Joseph L. Sies is now dead and left a widow named Mary and several children whose names are unknown. The said Mary is the wife of the said Joseph L. Sies, died testate or intestate is not positively known to your orators, although your orators believe and charge that he died intestate and that the said widow Mary is his Administratrix and is settling up his estate.

5. That the said Arnold R. Sies died intestate and unmarried about the year 1880, leaving no children but the following heirs at law as far as your orators are able to ascertain.

1. The children of the above named Joseph L. Sies, a deceased brother, whose names are unknown to your orators and whether adults or infants is also unknown, who reside in the State of Missouri and are children of the State of Maryland.

2. Ellen L. Sies, a sister who intermarried with Shepard Lindebach, both of whom are adults and reside in the State of Indiana and are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

3. John A. Sies, a brother, whose orators are informed is dead, but whether he left children or not is unknown, and for a long time he was a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and the said children, if any, are also non-residents of the State of Maryland.

4. Mary C. Sies, a deceased sister, who resided at the time of her death in the State of Ohio, and the names of her children, if she left any, are unknown to your orators, and if any, are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

5. Emma J. Lounsbury, a daughter of Benjamin Sies, a deceased brother, who intermarried with Lounsbury, both of whom are adults and reside in the State of Illinois and are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

6. George J. Sies whose wife's name is Mary, both of whom are adults and reside in Frederick county, State of Maryland.

7. Samuel Sies, a brother, whose orators are informed is dead, but whether he left any children or not is unknown, and for a long time he was a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and the said children, if any, are also non-residents of the State of Maryland.

8. Maria M. Gorley, who intermarried with John C. Gorley, a daughter of Eliza J. Claybaugh, a deceased sister, who died intestate, both adults and reside in Frederick county, State of Maryland.

6. That the one-half interest of the said Arnold R. Sies in the said tract of land descended to and vested in the said heirs at law, who are seized and possessed of the same as tenants in common subject to the mortgage lien above mentioned.

7. That the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss and injury to the parties entitled to interest therein and that it would be to the best interest and advantage of all the said parties interested to have the same sold and the proceeds divided among them according to their respective rights and interests therein. It is thereupon this 16th day of October, 1896, ordered by the Circuit Court for Frederick county, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the complainants by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick county, once a week in each of four successive weeks before the 21st day of November, 1896, give notice to the said Mary Sies, widow of Joseph L. Sies and the unknown heirs of Joseph L. Sies, who reside in the State of Missouri, and the unknown heirs of John Sies, if any, non-residents of the State of Maryland, the unknown heirs of Mary Sies, if any, non-residents of the State of Illinois, and Samuel Sies and the unknown heirs of Samuel Sies, if any, non-residents of the State of Maryland, to be and appear in this Court in person or by Solicitor, on the 7th day of December, 1896, to answer said Bill of Complaint and show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not be passed as prayed. (Filed October 16th, 1896.)

JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County. True Copy—

Test: JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk. Oct 23-31s

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Fieri Facias issued to me out of the Circuit Court for Frederick county, Maryland, on a judgment recorded at the suit of George W. Weaver & Son, against Thaddeus A. Wastler, the same being No. 29 Judicials, August Term, 1896, of said Court, to be levied upon the lands and tenements, goods and chattels of the said Thaddeus A. Wastler, I have taken in execution and will sell at Public Auction upon the premises in Sabillasville, Frederick county, Md.,

on Saturday, November 7th, 1896, at 1 o'clock, P. M., all the right, title, interest and estate at law and in Equity of the said Thaddeus A. Wastler in and to all that lot or parcel of land, being 3.68 acres more or less, situated, lying and being in the town of Sabillasville, in Hauer's Election District, in Frederick county, Maryland, adjoining the lands of D. S. Harbaugh and Lewis Crawford, the same being Lot No. 41, on the plat of said town and being the same land which was conveyed to Thaddeus A. Wastler by Lewis Crawford and Ellen N. Crawford his wife, by deed dated March 31st, 1884, and recorded in Liber W. T. G. No. 1, folio 89, one of the land records of Frederick County. This lot is improved by a two-story frame dwelling house and store property, now occupied by Thomas F. Eyer as tenant.

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to be at cost of Conveyancing. ANDREW C. McBRIDE, Sheriff. oct 16-4ts

Order Nisi on Sales.

No. 6629 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1896. In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 12th day of October, 1896.

Vincent Sebald, Assignee of Mortgage from George W. Freeze and wife to Sophia K. Shultz, on Petition.

ORDERED, That on the 7th day of November, 1896, the Court will proceed to set upon the Report of said Vincent Sebald, Assignee of Mortgage, in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, 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 three successive weeks prior to said day.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$808.00.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1896. JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County. True Copy—Test: JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk. oct 16-4t

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FRIDAY, OCT. 23, 1896.

## Emmitsburg Rail Road.

On and after Sept. 27, 1896, trains on this road will run as follows:

**TRAINS SOUTH.**  
Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7:50 and 10:00 a. m., and 2:55 and 4:50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8:20 and 10:30 a. m., and 3:25 and 5:20 p. m.

**TRAINS NORTH.**  
Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8:26 and 10:40 a. m., and 3:31 and 5:56 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8:56 and 11:10 a. m., and 4:01 and 7:04 p. m.

JAMES A. ELDER, Pres't.

A FARMER'S INITIATIVE was organized in Kent county.

MR. GEORGE W. ROWE is having his house repaired.

THE Dundard Love Feast was held at Rocky Ridge Tuesday.

A NEW vein of coal has been discovered in Garrett county by the Borden Company.

THE First Baptist Church and the Masonic Temple at Laurel were destroyed by fire.

SEVENTY Talbot farmers have united to protect partridges on their farms from destruction.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made to place an iron fence around part of the Lutheran Cemetery.

There will be services in the Lutheran church next Sunday, Oct. 25, by the pastor, Rev. Chas. Reinwald.

We are indebted to Mr. J. F. McGinnis, of Minneapolis, for a copy of *The Minneapolis Times* of Oct. 13.

A LARGE number of the young lady students of St. Joseph's Academy were in town yesterday afternoon.

THE festival held at Mt. St. Mary's last week, under the auspices of Mt. St. Mary's Catholic Benevolent Association was largely attended.

JAMES E. R. SMITH, a jockey, was thrown from his horse in one of the races at the Hagerstown Fair, and is suffering from concussion of the brain.

ALWAYS in season, Hopkins' Steamed Herring (Hulled Corned). Elegant lunch in milk. Qt. can, 10c. Oct. 2-4ts

A Little eight-year-old son of John Holdcraft, of Frederick, was knocked down by a buggy driven by two colored men and badly hurt about the head.

THE tax collector will be at the Western Maryland Hotel, in this place, on Monday and Tuesday, November 9 and 10. Give him a call, he will be glad to see you.

DOC CASTLE, a well-known fisherman and guide, caught in the Potomac during the past week with rod and line 312 bass ranging from one to three pounds in weight.

JOHN L. DOLL died at Frederick Monday morning. He was 72 years old, and left three children, Charles D. Doll, proprietor of Doll's Hotel; Clifford Doll and Miss Minnie Doll.

JOHN FREDERICK HOOVER, aged sixteen years, of 2041 Pennsylvania avenue, Baltimore, was struck by a train in Washington and received injuries which necessitated the amputation of one of his legs.

A DEMOCRATIC meeting will be held at Mother's Station tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Mr. J. M. Devine, of Nebraska, and other speakers.

MR. ANNAN HORNER brought to the Chronicle office last Saturday, an ear of corn raised by Mr. Samuel Fietz, which is a curiosity. The ear contains three different varieties of corn—yellow white and sweet corn.

THERE are only eighteen prisoners confined in the jail at Towson. Nine of the number are awaiting trial, two of them for murder, three for felonious assaults, two for common assaults, one for larceny and one for poisoning birds.

WILL PRACTICE IN EMMITSBURG.—Dr. H. Clay Anders will again practice dentistry in Emmitsburg. He has rented the room formerly occupied by him in the Annan Building two doors west of the store. He will be in his office every Friday. Oct. 23-25.

C. H. HANCK was killed at Brunswick, this county. He attempted to cross the track between two cars, when he was caught between the bumpers and crushed to death. He was thirty-five years of age, and a farmer. A widow and three children survive him.

THE cases of the thirteen young men, of this district, who appealed to the court to have their names placed upon the registration books, were heard by the court last Saturday and their names were ordered to be placed on the registration books. This makes the total number of voters in Emmitsburg District 754.

**The Tyranny of the Desk.**  
We will suppose that your occupation is sedentary—that you are chained, so to speak to the desk in some counting house, or perhaps to the loom in some vast mill where you are compelled to labor from morning till night. Sunday is your only day of relaxation. You return home every evening weary mentally and bodily. Your health and strength begin to fail. What will most effectively recuperate your vital energy? The weight of evidence points to no other conclusion than that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is your safest, most reliable sheet anchor. Use it persistently, and your system will soon regain its pristine vigor. Every function will receive a healthy impulse. There is no remedy to equal the Bitters for nervousness and want of sleep, dyspepsia, constipation and biliousness. It cures and remedies all forms of malarial disease, and is a preventive of rheumatism and neuralgia.

**Won a Premium.**  
Miss Ruth Motter, of this place, won a premium at the Frederick Fair, last week, for the best specimen of plain sewing done by a girl under eighteen years.

**Public Sale.**  
On Saturday, Nov. 21, at 12 o'clock, M. Mrs. Sarah T. Wright will sell at public sale at her residence on East Main Street, Emmitsburg, all her personal property. See bills.

**Fire at Hagerstown.**  
Stock in the general store of John D. Saunders, Ringgold, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$500 or \$600, and the building property of John A. Flora, to the extent \$100. The loss is insured.

**K. S. Harp to Go to Arizona.**  
Reno S. Harp, Esq., of Frederick, has been appointed by Governor Lowndes, a delegate to represent the State of Maryland at the Fifth National Irrigation Congress, to be held at Phoenix, Arizona, on December 15, 16 and 17.

**100 Pieces of Glassware to be Given Away in 10 Days.**  
Java coffee 25 cts. per pound, and a piece of handsome glassware given with every package. The prizes are worth from 5 cts. to 25 cts. This coffee is first class in every respect.

P. G. KING.

**A Curfew Law Demanded.**  
At a men's meeting held in the Lutheran church, Williamsport, Md., by the members of the various denominations of the town, steps were taken to have the town council pass a curfew law. By this means it is hoped to protect the young men and women of the town from evil surroundings and influence.

**A Big Hog.**  
Bruce Knepper, of Clear Spring, has on exhibition at the Hagerstown Fair, a hog which weighs 1,213 pounds. It is the biggest hog ever seen in that section of the country, and it is said to be almost as large as a cow. The hog will be kept until it weighs 1,400 pounds, when it will be slaughtered.

**Death from Picking a Pimple.**  
Miss Jennie F. Doub, daughter of Mr. Daniel R. Doub, of near Hagerstown, died at her home on Saturday night of blood-poisoning, caused by picking a pimple on her face a week ago. She was twenty-five years old and was making preparations for her wedding day.

A brake twisted off of a car on the Shippensburg Branch of the Western Maryland Railroad near Altendaw Saturday. The car, loaded with coal, broke from the train and ran "wild" four miles, and collided with engine 46, Henry Gladhill, conductor. The car was knocked off of the track and the engine badly damaged.

The coal shipments from the George's Creek and Cumberland region for the week ended Saturday, October 17, by rail, aggregate 55,271.94 tons, and by Chesapeake and Ohio canal 13,536.19 tons. During the same period 23,708.02 tons of coal and 2,396.10 tons of coke were shipped by rail from the Elk Garden and Upper Potomac regions in West Virginia.

PEGGY STEWART DAY was Monday evening celebrated in Baltimore city by the Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Baltimore Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the former organization holding its annual meeting and banquet at the Hotel Rennett, and the latter a Peggy Stewart tea party at the rooms of the Arndel Club.

**A Cashier's Shortage.**  
The People's National Bank, Hagerstown, has filed its declaration in a suit against Edward Hoffman, Mary Hoffman and J. L. Nicodemus, on the \$15,000 bond of Edward Hoffman, as assistant cashier of the institution. The declaration states that on September 19 Edward Hoffman converted to his own use the funds of the bank to the amount of \$12,000, and, on September 22, \$4,000 of the funds of the bank. Mr. Hoffman has been away from town since the latter part of September. —*American*

**Registration.**  
As a result the various sittings and work of revision of the registers of voters for Frederick county, the total number of citizens who have qualified and are entitled to a vote this year is 12,583—of which 11,124 are white and 1,459 are colored. The registration shows a decrease of 568 from the registered vote of last year, the decrease in the white vote being 556 and in the colored vote 7. —*News*

**Republican Meetings.**  
The McKinley, Hobart and McDonald Club will meet at Gelwick's Hall, tonight at 8 o'clock. John C. Motter, Esq., of Frederick, is expected to be present and deliver an address.

Another meeting will be held at Gelwick's Hall, on Friday evening of next week, October 30, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Capt. John McDonald, republican candidate for Congress, and Hon. Milton G. Urner.

**On The Bare Back.**  
Joseph W. Redden, colored, was given twenty lashes on the bare back for beating last Friday. The punishment was administered by Sheriff Young in the Caroline county jail corridor. The culprit's hands were passed through the grating of one of the cells and hand cuffed on the inside. He is the second one who has received the same sentence within two years. It is having a very wholesome effect on others who have heretofore offended in the same manner.

**Jefferson Davis' Servant.**  
Frederick McGinnis, the old servant of Jefferson Davis, who was killed on last Sunday night by being run over by a locomotive at Hillen Station, Baltimore, was buried with unusual honors Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from Knox Presbyterian Church, Calverton. The remains, which were encased in a handsome casket laid in state in the church from ten o'clock in the morning until the services began and were viewed by hundreds of persons. When the services began a number of white persons were assembled in the church.

**PERSONALS.**  
Dr. Geo. T. Motter, of Taneytown, was in town this week.  
Mr. Elmhurst Kerschner, of Pittsburg, made a short visit to his parents in this place.  
Mr. Wm. Fraley was in Washington last week.  
Mrs. Amelia Birnie and Miss Fannie Birnie, of Taneytown are visiting at Dr. R. L. Annan's.

Miss Anna Motter, of Taneytown, and Miss Yeakle, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday at Dr. R. L. Annan's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew A. Annan and their daughter, Luella, are visiting in Williamsport.  
Misses Helen and Sara Annan, and Mr. Robert Annan, attended the Fair at Hagerstown.  
Miss Lucy Higbee is visiting in Lancaster.

Misses Gertrude, Alice and Anna Annan were in Frederick last week attending the Fair.  
Miss Ivy Sefton of Gettysburg, is visiting Miss Anna Gillelan.  
Mr. John C. Wivell and wife, of Prince George's county, Md., are visiting Mr. Wivell's brother, Mr. W. J. Wivell, and other relatives in this place.  
Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer and daughter, Mrs. Sue Hosler, of Abbotstown, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Chas. E. Gillelan.

**A Little Girl Shot.**  
The six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moody, residing on the Taylor farm, near Elkton, Md., was fatally injured at an early hour last Thursday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Moody awoke Thursday morning about 5:30 o'clock, leaving the daughter and their eight-year-old son upstairs. The children discovered a revolver and began handling it, and while in the hands of the boy it was accidentally discharged. The ball, which was of a thirty-two caliber, struck the girl first in the chin, lodging in her breast, inflicting a very painful but not necessarily fatal wound.

**Badly Cut About The Face.**  
On Thursday morning, Mr. Joseph K. Hays, of near town, our popular dairyman, met with an accident whilst delivering milk which caused him to be badly cut about the forehead and face. Whilst driving along the street the coupling pole on the wagon broke, which let the front part of the wagon drop to the ground. Mr. Hays was thrown forward in the wagon, his head striking a pane of glass, breaking the glass and painfully lacerating his face. The wounds were dressed by Dr. R. L. Annan.

**Fatal Accident.**  
Mrs. Narcissa Harley, widow of Cornelius Harley, a well-known lady residing near Broad Run, Middletown Valley, was thrown from a buggy last Wednesday by a runaway horse and perhaps fatally injured. Her skull was fractured, and she was otherwise hurt. Her daughter escaped serious injury.

**That Joyful Feeling**  
With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old-time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well-informed.

The auditor of the court has restated the case of the Washington County Savings Institution, which went into the hands of receivers several years ago. The sum of \$8,631.40 is yet in the hands of the receivers. The auditor distributed this sum, less \$1,393.93, to holders of certificates of deposit, who will get a little over ninety cents on the dollar. The regular weekly depositors, whom the Court of Appeals decided have received 50 per cent of their deposits, and will not likely get any more.

The Pioneer Hook and Ladder Company of Hagerstown, received a new \$1,500 truck. The old truck was sold to Shippensburg. The new truck has an extra large ladder service, consisting of 35-foot, 42-foot and 55-foot extension ladders. They are complete, with cable and windlass and hand ropes and pulleys. The extensions have wide poles and patent ladder locks. Repeating gongs, bull's-eyes, tubular and water-guarded lanterns, chemical fire-extinguishers, etc., are included in the equipment.

**Fire Near Waynesboro.**  
The large frame barn built two years ago by Oscar Sprinkle, along the Mont Alto Railroad, four miles north of Waynesboro, was burned early Saturday morning, along with all the farming machinery, wheat and other crops, buggies, wagons, thirteen head of cattle and five horses, entailing a loss of about \$4,000. The cause of the fire is unknown. Two years ago a barn on the same site was burned. Mr. Sprinkle is a member of the Methodist church, who make it a custom to contribute among themselves enough money to make good any loss a member of their church may sustain.

**Arrested for Shooting.**  
Alfred Ludder, colored, was taken to Rockville, and lodged in jail last Thursday, by Deputy Sheriff Charles Peyton, charged with having shot John Clements with intent to kill. Ludder was going along the main road, near Scotland, Montgomery county, when Mr. Clements, who lives in the neighborhood, began to question Ludder in regard to some trouble, which he had had in the early part of the summer, and upon Mr. Clements saying that he thought he (Ludder) was in the wrong; Ludder, it is charged, drew his revolver and shot at him, the ball lodging in Mr. Clements' leg. Ludder claims that he was assaulted by Mr. Clements and shot in self-defense.

**Hair Restored to Natural Color.**  
I have used many preparations for restoring hair to natural color, but never had satisfactory results till I used Zulu Vuller; it will restore any hair, and it is natural color in three weeks. If it does not return your hair, so you take no risk. People who have never tried it can get a sample package which contains enough to restore any one's hair to natural color, by sending 21 two-cent stamps, to post postage, etc., to Wilson & Co., New Concord, Ohio.

The regular price is \$2.50 per package. If it does not restore your hair to natural color, I will make any color of hair darker in three weeks, they will return your stamps. This proposition is so fair that thousands are using it. It is harmless, but never fails. Why can't big money be made by selling Zulu Vuller from house to house?

**Love and Revenge.**  
David Pearl, a mulatto, was shot and killed Saturday night at Pondtown, a few miles from Chambersburg, by Harman Calaman. John Beidelman, Pearl's companion, was severely wounded. Calaman and Beidelman are colored.

Pearl and Beidelman went to the home of Otho Calaman, against whom Beidelman had a grudge because of Calaman's refusal to permit Beidelman to marry his daughter. They threw stones and broke every window in the house, besides inflicting injury on Calaman's wife and the infant she was carrying in her arms. In addition, many articles of furniture and crockery in the house were broken.

Satisfied with the damage done to the house of the father of Beidelman's sweetheart, the two men loudly proclaimed that they would go to the home of Harman Calaman, a brother of Otho, who lives less than a hundred yards away, and would "do him up." Harman Calaman evidently overheard the threat of the men, for he went into the garden a few feet from his house armed with a shotgun. When the men began the same fusillade that they had inflicted upon his brother's household Harman blazed away with his gun, killing Pearl instantly. He then went to his barn, reloaded the weapon and shot Beidelman, who had followed him. The load lodged in Beidelman's left leg. Calaman bears a good reputation. He and Beidelman were arrested. —*Sun*

**Corrections.**  
In last week's issue of the CHRONICLE under the heading, "The Work of the Registers," we stated that "Of the thirteen appeals, twelve are students at Mt. St. Mary's College, and were refused registration by the republican registrar." The above statement was made upon information which we considered correct, but we have since found that the statement is erroneous and unjust to the republican registrar. The facts in the case as secured from both the registers are substantially these: That both the republican and democratic register were of the opinion that the students were not according to their interpretation of the law—entitled to registration.

In the same issue of the CHRONICLE, giving an account of the Democratic meeting recently held here, it was stated that Mr. Devine, who was one of the speakers, had always been a republican, etc. Mr. John C. Motter, of Frederick, writes us as follows: "In 1894 he was the Populist candidate for Congress in the Third Congressional District of Nebraska, against W. N. Hensley, Democrat, and George D. Meiklejohn, Republican, and was defeated."

**Tax Rate Fixed by the Commissioners.**  
The board of Commissioners of Frederick county have made the annual tax rate for the current year, fixing the tax rate at sixty-seven cents on the hundred dollars, the taxable basis being \$24,660,756. The tax rate does not include the state tax, which is seventeen cents additional. The receipts of the county for the first year aggregated \$105,227.06, and the expenditure \$165,018.49, leaving a balance of \$208.57. The commissioners, in their report, state that they regret their inability to reduce the tax rate, but call attention to the fact that there has been much to necessitate a maintenance of the old rate. The bonded debt of the county is funded at four per cent, aggregating \$324,300.

**Rural Free Delivery.**  
Postoffice Inspector J. W. Maxwell put in operation Thursday the rural free delivery system for the patrons of the Westminster postoffice, outside of the city limits.

For the present at least this will be the only postoffice in the State whose patrons will enjoy this privilege, Carroll county having been selected as the locality in which to make the experiment of county free delivery. Four carriers are required, and they will deliver and collect at the same time, making a single trip each day. The route of each will be 15 to 18 miles. They will start out every morning after the arrival of the fast mail from Baltimore.

The carriers appointed are: Mark Yingling, Joshua Corbin, David H. Gelman and Samuel A. Tubman.

**Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery** cures Consumption (which is Scrofula of the Lungs), by its wonderful blood-purifying, invigorating and nutritive properties. For weak Lungs, Spitting of Blood, Shortness of Breath, Nasal Catarrh, Bronchitis, Severe Coughs, Asthma, and kindred affections, it is a sovereign remedy. While it promptly cures the severest Coughs, it strengthens the system and purifies the blood.

**Hagerstown Fair.**  
The forty-first annual exhibition of the Washington County Agricultural Mechanical Association began at Hagerstown, Tuesday. The variety of agricultural, mechanical, live stock and household exhibits is as large as usual. The poultry exhibit maintains its supremacy in size, despite the restriction placed upon inferior birds by imposing an entrance fee, and fine fowl are there from many states and from Canada.

There is no gambling in the fair this year, but midway attractions are there. There are one hundred and twenty-five race horses entered, including some very fast ones. Veta, owned by Joseph Henicker, Baltimore, is there. She has a 2:04 record.

**Horses killed by a Train.**  
Three fine horses owned by Mr. J. W. Morris, of Washington, who has a stock farm on the Western Maryland Railroad near Williamsport, Md., broke out of a field at night. They got on the track and were struck by a train and killed. The horses were valued at about \$400.

**Fatal Accidents.**  
Mr. John Benner, an aged and highly respected citizen or the vicinity of Urbana, this county, was thrown from his horse in Urbana on Saturday last and so badly injured that he died in less than two hours afterward.

The accident occurred in front of the property owned by Mr. B. U. Fineour, and occupied as a store by Mr. C. H. Smith. Mr. Benner had been in Urbana attending to some business matters and had just started for home, when he was thrown from his horse.

He fell heavily on his back and shoulders and was immediately rendered unconscious. He was picked up and carried to the porch of Mr. Smith's store and later removed home.

The deceased was about 65 years of age and a well known man in that section.

**The Buxton Murder.**  
An interesting discovery was made Wednesday night of last week in connection with the murder of Sadie L. Buxton and the assault of the family of Richard L. Buxton, which occurred at Gaithersburg, Montgomery county, on the morning of May 25, 1896. It was the finding of the coat supposed to have been worn by Sydney Randolph, the alleged perpetrator of the murder, who was lynched at Rockville on the night of July 3. This coat is thought to be the missing link in the evidence against Randolph. As it was testified before Justice Crawford, of Gaithersburg, that he wore a coat upon passing through town on the day previous, viz. the second day of July, but up to this time no trace of the coat had been discovered and by many it was thought to be the imagination of the witnesses who testified to this fact. Wednesday evening the coat worn by Randolph on the farm of Mr. John T. Mills was found about four miles from Rockville, at a place called Hunting Hill. The coat was found by Mr. T. T. Ward, who was gathering stones from a pile on the lower end of Mr. Mills' farm.

When he discovered the coat at the bottom of the pile, upon examining it it was found to be like one described as being worn by Randolph. The coat was a short cutaway, slightly discolored in places by a few spots supposed to be made by blood and very green from age and exposure. The place where the coat was found is in the direct course taken by Randolph on leaving Gaithersburg on the morning of the murder and within a quarter of a mile where he was captured by Messrs. Ward and Garrett. The coat was sent to Washington city. —*Sun*

The treatment of many thousands of those chronic weaknesses and distressing ailments peculiar to females, at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., has afforded a vast experience in nicely adapting and thoroughly testing remedies for the cure of woman's peculiar maladies.

**Memorial Dedicated.**  
The War Correspondents' Memorial at Gapland was Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock dedicated with appropriate exercises. George Alfred Townsend, the noted newspaper correspondent and author, through whose efforts the memorial was erected at 1 o'clock had as guests at a luncheon a trainload of war correspondents and other distinguished guests, who came by special train from Washington. After the lunch, exercises of dedicatory nature were held at the porch of his residence. Governor Lowndes made the first speech, being followed by Mr. Townsend. Others made informal talks.

The monument stands upon a triangular-shaped piece of ground in Cramp-ton's Gap, on South Mountain, about 1 mile from Gapland and all the country roundabout is historic. It can be seen from the railroad on the west and from many parts of the Middletown Valley.

MADAME CALVE and MADAME MELBA will both appear in the next issue of *The Ladies' Home Journal* with articles on the voice. Madame Melba has written before and is, in fact, no novice with the pen, but this is Madame Calve's first attempt at authorship. She wrote the article in French, and after an English translation had been made of it she had the original manuscript bound between morocco covers as a souvenir of her debut as a writer.

**A Churn that Churns in One Minute.**  
I have been in the dairy business all my life and have many times churned for an hour before butter would appear, so when I heard of a churn that would churn in a minute, I concluded to try it. Every day for a week I used it, and not only could I churn in a minute, but I got more and better butter than with the common churn. This is very important information to butter makers. The churn works easily, and will churn an ordinary quantity in less than 40 seconds. I have sold two dozen of these churns in the past month. Every butter maker that has seen me churn in less than a minute has bought one. You can get all desired information regarding the churn by addressing J. F. Casey & Co., St. Louis, and they will give you prompt and courteous attention.

**FAIRFIELD ITEMS.**  
FAIRFIELD, Oct. 20.—The G. A. R., of Fairfield, will have their first monthly bean soup on Saturday night of this week. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Henry Keener, of this place, is repairing the scales at Mr. Grothly's store house. Some of the old timber being rotted off.

The Town Council of the borough of Fairfield had the town Surveyed on last Monday. There seems to be lots of kicking. The pavements are to be 12 feet in width.

There will be an excursion to Baltimore on October 30, starting from Fairfield in the morning.

It is said that Maj. McKinley salted his pork too heavily. His pork did not keep on account of the Bryan coming to the top, but after the election you will not see any Bryan on his pork.

The Christian Endeavor Society, of Fairfield, held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Musselman on last Wednesday evening. They had a good time.

A birthday picnic was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stahley, in Liberty township, in honor of Mr. Stahley's birthday. The day was spent in dancing, etc. A sumptuous dinner was given and all enjoyed the occasion. Those present were: Katie Plank, Mervin Plank, Alice Bowling, Joe Bowling, Bert Bowling, Frank Stoner, Zac Stahley, Mary Rose, Annie Rose, Oliver McCleaf, Maggie McCleaf, Dollie Peters, Maggie Peddicord, Lizzie Pecher, Maggie Pecher, Fannie Baker, James Bowling, Mrs. Joseph Rose, Mrs. M. Peddicord, Allen Peddicord, C. Peddicord, Alice Peddicord, Rose Peddicord, Mrs. C. Summers, L. Summers, Harry Peddicord, Frank Felix and family, Joseph Hoffman, Mrs. Wm. Baker, Jos. Kemper and family, Mrs. John F. Peters, John Florence, wife and family, James Sanders, wife and family, John Bowling, wife and family. After spending the day they said they had a good time, and after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Stahley long life, they left for their homes.

We are glad to learn that Harry Bohman, who was so badly hurt, is getting along nicely. He is able to be about, but it will be a long time before his arm will be all right.

**Builds Up the System.**  
"Myself, wife and children have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with satisfactory results and we have found it an excellent blood purifier, and good medicine to build up the system and give an appetite. We have never used a medicine which gave such good satisfaction." John H. Hawkins, 771 Vine St., Baltimore, Md.

Hood's Pills are easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect.

**The Voters of the State.**  
Registration in Maryland this year has placed upon the books 213,208 white and 52,109 colored names, being a total of 265,317.

The number on the books last year was 226,014 white, 51,519 colored, a total of 277,533.

The total this year is 12,126 less than that of 1895, but 25,202 more than the vote of that year, which was 240,205.

The white registration is 12,716 less and the colored 500 more than that of 1895.

The whites gained 68 votes in one county only, Allegany; the colored 1,792, of which Baltimore city gives 1,577; Baltimore county, 1; Charles, 52; Howard, 46; Kent, 41, and Montgomery, 95.

The white loss is as follows by counties: Anne Arundel, 550; Baltimore city, 3,586; Baltimore county, 2,442; Calvert, 209; Caroline, 443; Carroll, 363; Cecil, 738; Charles, 164; Dorchester, 420; Frederick, 556; Garrett, 275; Harford, 565; Howard, 117; Kent, 330; Montgomery, 41; Prince Georges, 358; Queen Annes, 144; Somerset, 299; St. Mary's, 193; Talbot, 136; Washington, 22; Wicomico, 464; Worcester, 308, a total of \$11,784. The gain in Garrett of 68 reduces the loss to 12,716. The loss in the counties alone is 9,198, and in the city alone 3,586.

The colored loss by counties is as follows: Allegany, 38; Anne Arundel, 29; Calvert, 87; Caroline, 47; Carroll, 32; Cecil, 38; Dorchester, 185; Frederick, 7; Garrett, 4; Harford, 90; Prince Georges, 91; Queen Annes, 40; Somerset, 65; St. Mary's, 86; Talbot, 95; Washington, 122; Wicomico, 39; Worcester, 102, a total of 1,203. The gains of 216 in five counties reduces this to 987, and the gain in the city of 1,577 changes the loss to a total gain of 590. —*American*

**The National Flower.**  
Mr. Henry Hoizapfel, Jr., of Hagerstown, whom Governor Lowndes selected as one of the delegates from Maryland to the convention which meets next week at Asheville, N. C., to petition Congress to adopt a national flower of America, writes that inasmuch as the floral candidates for the national honor will be numerous, the convention may find it necessary to declare in favor of certain characteristics before taking up the final question. "First of all," he says, "the emblem should be a native of America. The flower should also be a common one, common in the sense that it is independent of cultivation and universally disseminated over the whole country."

Each section of the country will likely favor some flower which is indigenous to its own locality and which perhaps, has become associated with the history of the State. For this reason let it be suggested that each State be permitted to adopt its own emblem.

At present the sunflower, the golden rod, the field daisy and the dandelion are each receiving their share of attention. As the lily of France, the cornflower of Germany, the rose of England and the thistle of Scotland are endeared to these nations, so will America's emblem be known and loved.

## C. S. FRICK,

Sec'y and Treas. of the Frick Mercantile Co., Keithsburg, Ill.

Gives an interesting account of the cure of a severe case of Rheumatism that came directly under his personal observation. Being in the mercantile business he had many calls for the most celebrated "Yagers Cream Chloroform Liniment." He says:—"The first bottle he sold was to a party who came into our place of business suffering intensely with Rheumatic pains. I advised him to try a bottle of the Yager's Liniment, he thought it would be useless, said he had tried almost everything and could get no relief. He insisted on his trying it and informed him if it did not relieve him should cost him nothing. This was about 4 P.M. He took a bottle and started home, he was hardly able to walk. I saw nothing more of him until bright and early the next morning, when he came into our store walking as lively as could be with no signs of suffering about him. I inquired about the Liniment, he said it was the best stuff he ever used, would not take \$5 for the bottle. Said he got home almost done up and as soon thereafter as he could he applied the Liniment, and it gave him almost instant relief, before retiring he applied it once more, went to bed and slept soundly all night, and in the morning bathed the parts affected with soap and water, and was all right whatever. This was about four or five weeks ago. I see the party every few days and he says he is not troubled with Rheumatism any more."

## Yager's Liniment

Large Bottles, 25 cts. Sold by all Dealers. Take no substitutes if you want a cure.

### Convicted of Killing His Brother.

Wesley Wheeler, colored, a lad about twelve years old, was tried Wednesday, at Marlboro, Md., before a jury, charged with the murder of his brother, Roscoe, at their home, near Vansville, on September 30. The jury rendered a verdict of manslaughter, and the prisoner was remanded back to jail. It was in evidence that the two boys and William Hawkins were in the house, and a sharp knife was shown Hawkins. The brother then quarreled as to the ownership of the knife, when Wesley reached for his bird gun, which was hanging on the wall, and shot at his brother, who was standing only twelve yards away. The entire load took effect in the stomach of Roscoe, and after being removed to Providence Hospital, Washington, he lingered for three days and died. The prisoner said that he knew the gun was loaded, as he had used it whilst gunning on the very morning, but that whilst handling the gun when opposite his brother, it was accidentally discharged.

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