



MAKE YOUR CHOICE.

As the election for a member of the House of Representatives will take place Tuesday next, we append the names of the candidates who are before the people asking their support.

While very little speech-making has been indulged in by either the Democratic or Republican politicians, there is still more enthusiasm among the voters than is readily conceived by most people, and it is believed that a large vote will be cast on Tuesday next.

It is possible that the fight for a Congressman in the Sixth Congressional District, will be closer than some political enthusiasts suppose. There has been times in the history of political parties when the surprise was great after the ballots were counted, and that too, when the outlook was as bright for one party as it seems to be in this election.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Representative for the Sixth Congressional District.

GEORGE A. PEARRE, of Allegany County.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative for the Sixth Congressional District.

THOMAS A. POFFENBERGER, of Washington County.

PROHIBITION TICKET.

For Representative for the Sixth Congressional District.

JOHN T. BAKER.

CHINESE IN HAWAII.

Acting Attorney-General John K. Richards has rendered an opinion in relation to the status of the Chinese in the Hawaiian Islands, and with particular reference to their admission and departure from the islands.

It is held that the restrictions placed by our exclusion laws upon the admission of Chinese persons of the exempt classes, and the regulations made under the provision of the treaty between the United States and China providing for the departure and return to this country of registered Chinese laborers, are applicable to Chinese persons applying for admission to the Hawaiian Islands, or to such persons residing there who may wish to depart with the intention of returning.

\$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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KRUPP ARMOR OF AMERICAN MAKE. Bethlehem, Pa., November 2.—Armor plate manufactured by the Krupp process was given its first test this afternoon by the Bethlehem Iron Company at its proving grounds. Many notable engineers witnessed it, beside the Russian ordnance engineers, who came from Philadelphia.

A piece of flannel damped with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with a pain in the chest or side, or a lame back, give it a trial. You are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

A POSTOFFICE ON WHEELS.

A new method for collecting and distributing mail is to be tried in Maryland in about two months, the place selected for the experiment being Westminster and the country immediately adjacent. A small wagon is to be built, with apartments for the distribution and assortment of mail matter, manned by a mail clerk and a driver. The route will be from Westminster to Frizzellsburg, Wakefield, Medford, Avondale, Warfieldsburg, Smallwood, Sandy Mount and Carrollton, a distance of more than thirty-one miles. Mails will be gathered at all the towns named and distributed to boxes set up along the way by farmers and others living within two miles of the road traversed. The return to Westminster will be made in time to catch the most important night mails.

The Postoffice Department explains the system as follows: "The postal wagon will proceed from Westminster to Frizzellsburg, a distance of 4 1/2 miles, then on to Wakefield 5 miles, to Medford 2 1/2 miles, to Avondale 2 1/2 miles, to Warfieldsburg 3 miles, to Smallwood 4 miles, to Sandy Mount 4 miles, to Carrollton 2 miles, and then to Westminster 4 miles, making a circuit of 31 1/2 miles.

"The start is to be made from Westminster at 7 A. M. Before this hour there arrives in Westminster from Baltimore and the East the "Fast Mail," a local mail from the West and mail from the different star routes of the country. It will take from nine to ten hours to go over the route, which will enable the postal wagon to return to Westminster in time to send mail matter on mail trains going east and west. There are eight post-offices on the route, and an exchange of mail will be made at each of these offices; for instance, at Frizzellsburg, the first postoffice on the route, there will be left mail matter from Westminster and points between Westminster and Frizzellsburg. The wagon will collect at Frizzellsburg all mail matter for points further on the route, Westminster and points on railroad.

"As it now is, the mail matter from the postoffice in the postal route comes first to Westminster by the different star-route carriers, and from the Westminster office it is sent out again to its destination. For example, a letter mailed today at Frizzellsburg for Smallwood will reach its destination to-morrow, but by the postal wagon service it will be delivered a few hours after it is received from the office in which it was mailed. Matter can be mailed at any point on the route where a person meets the postal wagon, and mail can be delivered at any point on the route where there is a suitable mail box. Mail boxes can be placed at some point on the route for every farmer living within a mile or two of the proposed route, and mail can be delivered to these boxes and also collected from the same.

"At points on the route where there are villages without a post-office there can be placed a United States mail box for the reception of mail matter, from which box the postal wagon will collect. The convenience of this postal wagon service can only be realized when once it is put into practice. Farmers living on or served from this route can have quick and direct communications with one another through this wagon service, which really takes the place of the post-office; also matter can be mailed direct from one country postoffice to another, and every village on the route that has not a postoffice would be served by this postoffice on wheels.

Edwin S. Schriver, of Westminster, is the originator of the scheme, and has offered to build a wagon, provide a team of two horses, give his own services as clerk and make six trips each week for the sum of \$1,375 per annum. The department has accepted this offer and has instructed Mr. Schriver to begin work at once on the mail wagon. Unless some hitch arises the route should be in operation by January 1.

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VOLUNTEERS TO BE RETAINED.

The request of the First Colorado Infantry to be returned from Manila to the United States cannot be granted by the War Department. It was stated by officers of the army that many requests had been received from volunteer organizations, which enlisted to fight, but did not enlist for garrison duty. Nothing can be done, however, until Congress meets and provides force to take the place of the volunteers. The question of reorganizing the army with a view to securing an adequate force for the new possessions of the United States has already received the President's serious consideration of the President, the Secretary of War and officers of the army.

The President will make recommendations to Congress on this subject embodying the views of those who are in position to give him the very best advice. It is probable that he will recommend an increase of an army to 100,000 men. The demands which have been made upon Senators and Representatives for the muster out of volunteer regiments and the discharge of volunteers in regiments, which have remained in the service, has been very great. It is believed, consequently, that members of Congress will be convinced that a regular army for garrison duty in the new possessions is an absolute necessity.

To be entirely relieved of the aches and pains of rheumatism means a great deal, and Hood's Sarsaparilla does it.

OMAHA EXPOSITION ENDED.

OMAHA, NEB., Oct. 31.—The Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition closed at midnight. It is estimated that 75,000 people crowded the grounds today. It was Omaha Day.

Up to this morning 2,552,396 people had registered at the turnstiles, so the grand total will considerably exceed 2,600,000. The exposition was a financial success, over 400,000 remaining to be divided among the stockholders. Nearly \$2,000,000 has been received and \$1,500,000 expended. The concessions paid the exposition amount to \$300,000, and the exhibitors paid \$200,000. Eighty thousand dollars were received from other sources.

The highest number of people in any one day was the opening day of the peace jubilee, when President McKinley spoke, 98,785 persons being present on that occasion.

THEY WILL BEG \$20,000,000.

Members of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be asked within a short time to contribute \$20,000,000 for a "twentieth century thank offering" fund.

It will be devoted to charitable and educational institutions now maintained by the Methodist Church and will be the largest contribution any organization has ever undertaken. The offering is intended to be an expression of thanks of the people of the Methodist Church for the completion of twenty centuries of Christianity, and this method is believed by the bishops to be the most appropriate expression possible of that sentiment.

The invitations will reach from one corner of the world to the opposite one.

DRYING PREPARATIONS simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents, large for 50 cents. All druggists keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

SENATOR HOAR, in a political speech at Worcester, Mass., made a vigorous protest against any absorption of Spanish territory as a departure from American aims and purposes.

ARE YOU

BANKRUPT in health, constitution undermined by extravagance in eating, by disregarding the laws of nature, or physical capital all gone, if so, NEVER DESPAIR

Tutt's Liver Pills will cure you. For sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, torpid liver, constipation, biliousness and all kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills an absolute cure.

SPANISH-AMERICAN SITUATION.

The American peace commissioners at Paris formally presented a demand for all the Philippine Islands.

Delegates to the Cuban Assembly at Santa Cruz del Sur are said to be in favor of dissolving the insurgent government and putting themselves at the disposal of the United States.

A thousand Spanish troops sailed from Cienfuegos for home and 25,000 are to follow them from that port.

General Wood, military governor of Santiago, is said to be making himself popular with all classes.

Heavy storms are prevailing on the Cuban coast and fears are expressed for the cruiser Maria Teresa, which is on her way from Caimanera to Norfolk.

AN AMERICAN AS ARBITRATOR.

Washington, November 2.—President McKinley received a call today from the Chilean Minister to this country, Carlos Morla Vicuna. He requested the President to give his consent to the appointment of Mr. Buchanan, Minister of the United States to the Argentine Republic, to act as an arbitrator between that country and Chile, should his services be needed. The two South American republics have agreed that each country shall appoint a representative to consider the question involved. In the event that the two representatives cannot come to a satisfactory understanding, it has been decided to call in Mr. Buchanan as the third man. The President expressed his pleasure at the high honor conferred upon the representative of this country, and will give his formal consent, in the event that Mr. Buchanan's services are needed.

Pleurisy

Pleurisy and pneumonia are frequently developed, in a very short space of time, from a common cold; and, if such an acute inflammation of the lungs is not promptly allayed, the worst may happen. With the aid of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, however, you need not have any fear; for this great remedy speedily subdues the inflammation, eases the pain in breathing and always effects a cure in a wonderfully short time.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

Cures Pleurisy and Pneumonia. Does not irritate. Price 25 cents. At all druggists.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS Of Frederick County.

The County Treasurer will visit the following places in the county for the accommodation of the Tax-payers, and hopes that they will avail themselves of this opportunity to pay, as Notices and Disputants will be issued against all persons who are in arrears after January next. EMMITSBURG, at Western Maryland Hotel, Wednesday and Thursday, November 9th and 10th. MECHANICSTOWN, at Miller House, Friday, November 11th. Tax-payers look to your interests and meet the Treasurer, the trip being expensive and intended for your benefit and accommodation. GEORGE L. KAUFMAN, County Treasurer, Oct 14-4ts.

Notice to Creditors.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of

MICHAEL McFADDEN, late of said County deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber on or before the 22nd day of May, 1899; they may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this twenty-first day of October, 1898. DAVID RHODES, Executor, Oct 21-5ts.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of

JAMES A. ELDER, late of Frederick County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 11th day of April, 1899; they may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this seventh day of October, A. D., 1898. JAMES B. ELDER, VINCENT SEBOLD, Executors, Oct 7-5ts

MORRISON & HOKE'S Marble Yard,

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND. Monuments, Tombstones and cemetery work of all kinds. Work neatly and promptly executed. Satisfaction guaranteed. May 29-1yr

Very Bad Case

Catarrh of the Throat Causes Much Suffering

Hood's Sarsaparilla Effects a Complete Cure - Better Every Way. "My disease was catarrh of the throat and it was a very bad case. I did everything for it that I was told but it grew worse. I suffered more than any one on earth ever knew. For 11 months there was not a day or night that my throat was not sore. I could not eat anything but soft boiled eggs or something of that kind that I could easily swallow. My brother's wife persuaded me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, as it had helped her. I felt the effects of the medicine after taking three doses. I kept on taking it and in a short time the soreness disappeared and I could eat anything I wished. I am now feeling very much better and people remark how much better I look." Mrs. E. S. HERRN, Parsonsburg, Maryland.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

is the best - in fact the One True Blood Purifier. are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

On Saturday, November 3, 1898,

The undersigned, Executor of the will of Michael McFadden, deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises, the following real estate: Lot of ground, situated in Freedom township, Adams county, Pa., on the public road leading from Moritz's Store to Taneytown, adjoining the lands of Wm. McNair, John Hoppelhorn, Samuel Moritz and Harry L. Baker, containing

ABOUT 32 ACRES,

improved with a Two-story Frame Dwelling House, nearly new, a Small Barn, and other Outbuildings. It is convenient to stores, schools and churches, and is a desirable home. Sale to begin at 1 o'clock, p. m., when terms will be made known. Any person desiring to see the property can call on the tenant, Wm. C. Scott, residing thereon. DAVID RHODES, Executor, Oct 21-5ts.

Closing-Out Sale

Lumber & Cord Wood

On MONDAY, NOV. 7, 1898,

On the premises of Sarah J. Pfoutz, in Highland township, Adams county, Pa., at H. V. Kepner's Wood Mill, 3 1/2 miles west of Gettysburg, will be sold at public sale.

35,000 FEET OAKBOARDS, PLANK & SCANTLING,

50 Corda Oak and Hickory Slab Wood, Fence Posts, Chips, Chucks, Saw Dust, &c. Also, 20 acres uncut wood, tree tops, etc. In lots to suit purchasers. A credit of three months will be given. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, November 7th, 1898, when terms and conditions will be made known by, Oct. 28, 2ts. A. M. KALBACH.

Closing-Out Sale

Lumber & Cord Wood

On WEDNESDAY NOV. 9, 1898,

On the premises of Isaac Harner, in Freedom township, Adams County, Pa., on the Bullfrog road, near Fairplay, will be sold at public sale,

45,000 FEET OAK BOARDS, PLANK & SCANTLING,

53 Corda Oak and Hickory Slab Wood, Fence Posts, Chips, Chucks, Saw Dust, Etc. Also 14 acres uncut wood, tree tops, Etc. In lots to suit purchasers. A credit of three months will be given. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Wednesday, November 9, 1898, when terms and conditions will be made known by Oct 28-2ts. A. M. KALBACH.

W. J. Valentine,

Dealer in General Merchandise, Grain, Hay, Straw, Flour, Mill Feed, Coal, Potatoes, Plaster, Post and Lumber of all kinds. This week and at all times hereafter my stock will be complete to suit all seasons. No great display. No misleading offers. Only fair and square dealing with all, at prices absolutely the lowest. Shoes and boots a specialty. Highest cash price paid for grain, hay and straw. MOTTET'S, MD.

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American Lever Watches, WARRANTED TWO YEARS, ONLY \$6. G. T. FRYSTER.

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Fire, Life & Accident.

REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned will visit Emmitsburg WEEKLY on THURSDAY; will be found at the Emmit House.

All classes of risks written in the above lines of insurance. Farms, Small Country Homes and Town Properties handled on commission. CASSELL & WATERS, aug 27-1f

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DAUCHY & CO.

STEADY INCOME AT HOME

You can make \$25 per week. Either Sex. I'll start you in the Mail Order Business day or evening. No Peddling. M. Young, 348 Henry St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM

Clears the scalp, restores the hair, promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails. Price 25c. Sold by all Druggists. Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures Scalp Diseases & Hair Falling out. Price 25c. Sold by all Druggists.

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GETTYSBURG, PA.

FROM THE FACT That our CHRONICLE advertisements usually speak of DRESS GOODS, SILKS and WRAPS, and because our recent exhibit in Emmitsburg was entirely of these lines, infrequent visitors might lose sight of the fact that we are a general Dry Goods Store. We therefore desire to bring out in this advertisement two very strong and important lines of goods, both of which we are in a position to give better values in than others because of large operations, which gives us Best Little-ness of Price and Great Variety. Seasonable Hosiery and Underwear. A few descriptions to tell the tale of the whole stock.

100 DOZEN Child's black cotton ribbed undershirt, fast black, size 6 to 10. Heavy, serviceable and right fitting. A regular 15c. value. OUR PRICE 10 cts.

50 DOZEN Extra Heavy rib hose-for hard wear, all sizes, value 17 cts. OUR PRICE 2 Pcs. FOR 14.

30 DOZEN Boys Bicycle Hose-double knee, extra heavy, both in leg and foot, will wear like iron, 6 to 12. OUR PRICE Averages 19 cts.

CHILDREN'S and MISSES' Fine imported, full regular made, Hermsdorf Dye, fine rib, either all black, white foot or white sole. OUR PRICE Averages 25 cts., according to size.

NEW. The celebrated Black Cat Brand, Leather Stockings, both cotton and wool, Triple Knee, in two weights, for boys or girls. Our price 25 cts. according to size.

Ladies and Gents Hosiery in every grade cotton or wool. A better value than most stores can give and besides the variety is such that you can get the kind you'll like best.

35 DOZEN Blue, Grey, Heavy Fleece, three thread double cuff shirts and drawers. This we claim to be the best 50 Cent Value for weight and general goodness ever shown by us.

GLASTONBURY MILLS-Natural Wool 8 & D, made from finest stock-no joggers-the most sensitive skin can wear them. Warm, serviceable, and as near non-shrinking as possible. OUR PRICE \$1.00.

OTHER FINE BRANDS ARE WHITE COME WOOL RIBBED, WOOL FLEECE, SANIA HEALTH UNDERWEAR, &c. MEDIUM WEIGHT UNDERWEAR FOR EARLY USE.

Men's Underwear. We show seven different lines and qualities, all of which we have from small to large sizes. We name a few to tell the story for all.

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GENERAL DRY GOODS AND CARPETS.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

M. F. SHUFF,

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UNDERTAKING A Specialty. Embalming done by the latest, best and most improved method. A fine stock of coffins, caskets, trimmings and burial robes always on hand. I also carry in stock the New Boyd Patent Improved Grave Vaults, made of the best rolled steel, and costs but little more than the walling and cementing of a grave, and is guaranteed to be perfectly air tight, water proof and indestructible. Prices and terms reasonable. Calls promptly answered, day or night. Very Respectfully, M. F. SHUFF.

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BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS

CALL AND EXAMINE

M. Frank Rowe's Assortment

PRICES LOW.

Women's Every Day Pegged Shoes \$1.00, Women's Every Day Oil Grain Shoes \$1.25, Women's Cordovan in Button and Lace \$1.25 and \$1.35 per pair. I have the best 25c. Women's Rubbers that I have ever offered. A new stock of Douglas Shoes in Vici Kid, Calf Skin, Russian Calf, Heavy and Light Soles, Lace and Congress, a Vici Kid Lined with leather for \$3.50, Perfectly Smooth Inside. Shoes from \$1.00 to \$4.00 a pair. Banagans's Rubber Boots and Shoes. Give me a call. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Respectfully, M. FRANK ROWE,

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Office on East Main Street, near the Public Square. At Frederick on Mondays and Tuesdays, and at Thurmont on Thursdays of each week. Special attention given to proceedings in Equity for the sale of real estate. Jan 29-1f.

Emmitsburg Chronicle.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, NOV. 4, 1898.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Oct. 2, 1898, 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 6.34 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8.50 and 11.10 a. m. and 4.01 and 7.04 p. m.

WAL. A. HIMES, Pres't.

NOTICE.—All announcements of concerts, festivals, picnics, ice cream and cake festivals and similar enterprises, not up to make money, whether for churches, associations, or individuals, must be paid for at the rate of five cents for each line. When posters are printed at this office a free notice of such festivals, picnics, etc., will be given in the Chronicle under the proper heading.

Vote early next Tuesday, but not often.

Electron next Tuesday. Vote early and avoid the rush.

A postal wagon will be used experimentally around Westminster.

Everybody will have an opportunity to vote in good time on next Tuesday.

Fifty-four deaths occurred in Frederick county during the month of October.

The scenes of last year's election should keep no one from the polls on Tuesday next.

During the month of October fifty mortgages and sixty deeds were filed in the clerk's office at Frederick.

The hunters were quite successful in bagging rabbits on Tuesday. The rabbit crop is said to be large.

As there are now two voting precincts in this District, there will be no repetition this year of the scenes of the last election.

GARRETT county has produced a good crop of apples. Many of the dealers are holding their fine stock for holiday trade.

A Flower Show will be held in the Rink, at Frederick, Nov. 8 to 11. We return thanks to the Association for press favors.

A dealer in town bought 63 rabbits on Tuesday afternoon and evening. A very good showing for the first day's hunting.

The second semi-annual meeting of the Maryland Public Health Association, will be held at Easton, Md., on November 10 and 11.

Mr. Lewis H. Bennett, one of Frederick's oldest and best known citizens, died at his home on South street, aged eighty-one years, of heart trouble.

Lewis Baker, of York, inventor of the Juniated, Sun-side and Fire Queen stoves, died Saturday evening, aged seventy years. He had amassed a fortune.

Articles incorporating the Myersville Savings Bank, at Myersville, this county, were filed in the Clerk's office at Frederick, Wednesday.

The voting places in town this year will be at the following places: In precinct No. 1, at Mr. Chas. J. Shuff's residence and in precinct No. 2, at Mr. J. M. Kerrigan's coach shops.

It is the duty of every qualified voter to go to the polls on election day and cast his ballot for the candidate of his choice, without consulting the party leaders. That is a privilege enjoyed by every voter, and why not exercise it?

At Eldersburg, Carroll county, there is an exhibition a six-pound Spanish shell, which was taken from the Spanish warship Infanta Maria Teresa, by Nelson E. McClure, gunner's mate on the Dixie.

Every registered voter in this District should make it a point to go to the polls on Tuesday next, and cast his ballot. Every person who fails to vote through carelessness, does an injustice to himself, his family and his country.

The total registered voters of Montgomery county this year is 7,296, of whom 5,015 are white and 2,281 colored. The white is twenty-four less than last year and the colored registration thirty-four more.

TRAMPS KILLED IN A COLLISION.—As freight train 255 was enroute from Shippensburg to Harrisburg, on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, it parted at Boiling Springs. The rear section plunged into the front part of the train, going down a grade. A number of cars were derailed. Brakeman H. S. Feibolt, of Harrisburg, was thrown down an embankment and injured internally. Two tramps, who were stealing a ride, were seriously injured, and another tramp was instantly killed.

HANDBOOK OF THE TARIFF.

The understanding of the complicated provisions of the new tariff has been greatly simplified by the issuance of this manual. To digest the tariff law is no easy task, but to digest the food taken into the gastric receptacle is rendered easy by the use of that stomachic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It prevents and cures malarial, kidney and rheumatic troubles, remedies nervousness and insomnia, and removes constipation and biliousness. Appetite, as well as the ability to satisfy it without subsequent abdominal disturbance, is restored by this fine stomachic, which also accelerates convalescence. Persons in the decline of life, and the infirm of every age and sex, find it of material assistance.

The heirs of the late George Ogle sold a 220-acre farm near Creagerstown, belonging to the estate, for \$10,450. A dwelling in Creagerstown owned by the heirs was sold to George E. Martin for \$1,700. A 217-acre farm was withdrawn at a bid of \$39.50 per acre.

A mysterious disease has attacked all the poultry at Shepherdstown, and chickens and turkeys are dying off in large numbers. Farmer Phil Needy loosing 250 in a day. The fowls, when attacked act as if crazed, and die almost instantly.

The usual pranks were played on Halloween by the boys in this place. It is said that several steps were broken at different parts of the town. It is to be hoped that the breaking of the steps was accidental and not the deliberate acts of the boys.

Rev. P. A. Caye, father of the curfew movement in Hagerstown, makes an elaborate public defense of the law which he is endeavoring to have the city council of Hagerstown pass. Petitions will shortly be circulated and afterward presented to the city council requesting the adoption of the law.

Dr. E. G. Darling presented a bill to the Baltimore county commissioners for \$129.50 for vaccinating 159 poor children in the Canton public school. Dr. Darling advocated the importance of the county supplying anti-toxine for use among the poor as a preventative of diphtheria.

A. N. Johnson is conducting certain road investigations in the Highway Division of the Maryland Geological Survey, and has been in Somerset county taking observations of the roads and the methods of constructing them. A report of his investigations throughout the State will be made to the next Legislature.

GRANT RUSH, a Baltimore and Ohio freight conductor, was struck by train No 1 in South Cumberland as he stepped off an empty engine. His head was crushed and he died in a short time. Mr. Rush had just laid off preparatory to going to his home at Ursina, Pa., having received a message that his wife was sick.

MR. JASPER C. SHRINER, a farmer of Linwood, Carroll county, died suddenly about 7 o'clock last Friday night, aged sixty-three years. He had just eaten his supper and was walking across the floor when he fell and in a few minutes expired. He leaves a widow and five children, viz., Jasper and Arthur Shriners, Mrs. David Royer, Mrs. Rose Uz and Mrs. Susie Shriners, all residents of Carroll county.

MRS. ISAAC DAVIS, residing at Rush, Allegany county, noticed a large number of rats coming out from under a boardwalk, each rat carrying a young one in her mouth. Mrs. Davis' curiosity was aroused and upon having the boards taken up, she found a large black snake curled up in a nest of rats. The snake was swallowing one of the young rats.

This November number of the Cosmopolitan Magazine is full of interesting reading matter, among the articles of more importance may be mentioned: "A Dangerous Mission to Spain," "In Porto Rico with General Miles," by Warner P. Sutton; "Placer Gold and how it is secured," John E. Bennett; "Gloria Mundi," Harold Frederic; "The Tragedies of the Kohinor," Caroline Bonaparte; "Some Types of Beauty," "The Stockton," Ernest Terah Hooley and His Guinea Pigs, etc.

DEATH OF JOSIAH KOLB. Mr. Josiah Kolb, a justice of the peace, of Uniontown, Carroll county, died suddenly on Saturday evening from an attack of vertigo. Mr. Kolb was about sixty-seven years of age and leaves a wife and one son, William Kolb, a merchant at Middleburg, Carroll county.

A GREAT CORN HUSKER. Mr. Wm. Wertenbaker has again proved his ability as a corn husker. On Wednesday he husked for Mr. James O. Harbaugh, who resides on Mr. Jas. Schriver's farm, near town, 52 shocks, making 154 bushels of corn, in 11 hours. Last year he husked on the same farm in ten hours 123 bushels, and tied his fodder. Mr. Wertenbaker is a record breaker.

PERSONALS.

Miss Anna Gillelan is visiting friends in Frederick. Mr. Guy Nunemaker has gone to Washington, D. C., where succeeded in securing a position.

Mrs. Hettie Baker and Miss Lottie Reid, of Fairfield, spent Saturday with Mrs. Margret Riffe, of this place.

POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS.

The gross receipts of the presidential postoffices of Maryland for the last fiscal year show, in most instances, a gratifying increase over the corresponding period of 1897. At Emmitsburg the receipts were for 1897, \$2,206; 1898, \$2,058. Frederick, 1897, \$14,957; 1898, \$15,985.

BRIDGE ARRIVED.

The new iron bridge for the Emmitsburg Railroad arrived last Saturday evening. The bridge will be placed over Tom's Creek and will take the place of the old wooden structure which has rendered service since the construction of the road. Workmen are now engaged in making preparations for placing the new bridge in position.

THE MOUNTAIN TROLLEY.

The directors of the Blue Ridge Trolley Company met Tuesday at Waynesboro'. The project of building an electric road from Waynesboro' to Pentmar, Blue Mountain House, Blue Ridge Summit, Monterey, and Busna Vista was found to be still alive. The proposed line to High Rock and Quirk, on the mountain, has been abandoned. A committee was appointed to go over the proposed route and ascertain the cost of right of way and to report on November 11.

\$14,000 FOR LUTHERAN MISSIONS.

The board of directors of foreign missions of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North America, at St. Matthew's Church, Central avenue and Fayette street, Baltimore Wednesday completed the appropriation list for the coming year. The board decided that about \$14,000 would be needed for the coming year, to be contributed by the churches which are distributed over the entire United States.

Out of this amount one church will be erected at Chandkuri, East India, though the board will ask for further particulars as to the location, &c., before taking action. Another church is to be built by the Christian Endeavor societies of the churches, and the board will erect two dwellings for the missionaries.

HIS BOOKS SHORT \$57,000

A long-hidden deficiency, amounting to about fifty-seven thousand dollars, has been discovered, it is alleged, in the accounts of John H. Alleman, cashier of the First National Bank, of Hanover, Pa., who died about three weeks ago.

The books have been in the hands of an expert accountant since Alleman's death and the shortage was thus revealed.

Mr. Alleman had been cashier of the bank for twenty-eight years, and at no time was he ever suspected of wrongdoing. The deficiencies have seemingly been covered up by the use of drafts on different out-of-town banks, and the bank examiners had never noticed anything out of the way.

Mr. Alleman was under bond of \$30,000, and the bank will, therefore, suffer but little. It has a surplus of \$44,000 over all liabilities.—Baltimore Sun.

RAILROAD OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the directors of the Emmitsburg Railroad Company, held Wednesday afternoon, an election was held to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. James A. Elder, President of the Company. Mr. William A. Himes, of New Oxford, Pa., was elected president, and Rev. Wm. L. O'Hara, president of Mt. St. Mary's College, was elected vice-president. The other officers are: Dr. J. B. Brawner, secretary; Wm. G. Blair, Treasurer, and Vincent Sebold, counsel.

Mr. Himes, the new president of the Company, is a man of some experience in railroad business, possesses excellent executive ability and is well qualified to fill this position.

SEA TURTLE CAPTURED.

William Waldron, while out crabbing Friday afternoon in Miles river, saw the head of a sea monster protruding from the water on the flats outside the harbor of St. Michael's, and, rowing toward the object, found it to be a monster sea turtle. Mr. Waldron in a small rowboat, but succeeded in driving the turtle to the shore, where there began a fight for his capture. Mr. Waldron called a man on the shore to his assistance, and the two succeeded in landing him in the boat. Mr. Waldron took the turtle to St. Michael's, where it was viewed by nearly half the population of the town. It measured three feet across the shell and weighed 400 pounds. Mr. Waldron shipped it to Baltimore.

WILL USE NO MONEY.

The leading Democrats and Republicans of Wicomico county, met on Monday night for the purpose of formulating an agreement not to use money in that county on the day of election for the purpose of influencing voters. E. J. Cooper, Republican, was chairman of the meeting, and W. C. Mann, Democrat, secretary. Resolutions were adopted pledging both parties not to use money in any way to influence any voter, and to prevent, so far as possible, the use of such corrupt means. It was also resolved not to contribute toward defraying the expenses of any voter to or from home for the purpose of voting.

A SURE SIGN OF CROUP.

Hoarseness in a child that is subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Many mothers who have croupy children always keep this remedy at hand and find that it saves them much trouble and worry. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

ELECTRICITY AT THE ACADEMY.

Quite a number of improvements have been made at St. Joseph's Academy, near town, during the past several months, notably the introduction of electricity for lighting the buildings. The plant has been completed and the Academy is now lighted by means of electric lights. Several concrete walks have been laid, by which the beauty of the grounds has been increased. Some minor improvements in laying out and embellishing the grounds, also tend to increase the beauty of St. Joseph's Academy.

A HUSBAND WINS ON HABEAS CORPUS.

Judge Sloan heard the petition of John G. Graham, of Frostburg, to have his wife restored to him, claiming she is kept from him through fear of her father, Dr. C. C. Jacobs. The defendant denied that the woman is being coerced or was under restraint. Judge Sloan said there were evidences of restraint that the husband was entitled to the society of his wife, and that he would pass an order accordingly, taking until Monday to decide upon the form. Mrs. Graham rejoined her father and, with his lawyers, drove back to Frostburg.

If your grate or feeder is burnt out, go to F. A. Adelsberger, he will put it in order.

MEDICAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of the physicians of this county was held at the Court House in Frederick on Saturday afternoon last. Every section was well represented. Dr. Franklin B. Smith called the meeting to order and stated that its object was to organize a medical society and pointed out the necessity and advantages of such. The organization will be known as "The Frederick County Medical Society." Dr. Wm. H. Baltzell was made temporary chairman and Dr. I. J. McCurdy temporary secretary.

Dr. Baltzell on taking the chair made an appropriate address, after which the meeting then proceeded to business by electing the following permanent officers: Dr. William H. Baltzell, president; Dr. J. E. Beatty, first vice-president, Middletown; Dr. William H. Johnson, second vice-president, Adams-town; Dr. Ira J. McCurdy, recording secretary; Dr. William C. Johnson, corresponding secretary; Dr. Franklin B. Smith, treasurer; Dr. Samuel T. Haffner, librarian.

The object of the society is to keep the profession up to the high standard which the status requires, to protect the interests of the public by driving out all quacks, and itinerant practitioners, to keep away so called specialists who so willingly advertise their services "Gratis" and to bring more closely together the medical profession of the county.

TO BEVEL GLASS.

A glass beveling mill, the first of its kind ever in operation in Baltimore, has been started in connection with the show-case factory of F. X. Ganter, Lead-enhall and Stockholm streets. A force of expert machinists Monday completed the erection of the plant, which consists of a rougher, an emery and a smoothing mill. When the works are in full swing a force of about 60 men will be required to operate the mills.

Heretofore furniture manufacturers and others who required bevelled glass had to send the glass to New York to have it bevelled, as there was no plant in Baltimore. This entailed much inconvenience and delay in filling orders. Mr. Ganter was deterred from starting a glass-beveling plant in Baltimore owing to his inability to secure an experienced foreman. Recently he has secured the services of Frederick Hymes, of New York, formerly employed in the beveling factory of Messrs Seaman, Bach & Co., of New York.

The plant, which has been in course of construction for over three weeks, was put up under the personal supervision of Mr. Hymes. The machinery will be used for beveling, mitring, silvering and clipping plate glass.

SERIOUS HALLOWEEN "SPORTS."

The Halloween sports that were indulged in at Sykesville, Md., Monday night by some unknown persons assumed such proportions as to endanger the lives and property of the citizens. On the dairy farm of Mr. Chas. A. Warfield, which adorns the village, the cows were turned loose in the stable and a large rick of straw was set on fire. Fortunately there was no wind and the fire did no other damage than burning some twenty tons of straw. The roads in the village were barricaded with boxes and barrels and barbed wire was stretched across the sidewalks. The bright moonlight of the early morning saved many a traveler from serious accident. Gates were torn from their hinges and many other depredations committed.

THOUGHT TO BE GEORGE UHLER.

Mr. William H. Uhler, of Hagerstown, is confident that the body of the young man found along the Potomac river near Capon, Va., about two weeks ago, was that of his son George, who was on his way from Dakota to visit his parents in Hagerstown. The young man's father believes that his son had a large sum of money on his person and was robbed by tramps and then thrown from the train. George Uhler was twenty-three years old and had been in Dakota for about a year and a half. Wm. H. Uhler is employed on the street force in Hagerstown. His wife is an invalid, and he is afraid to acquaint her with the facts for fear of fatal results.

AN IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE.

To make it apparent to thousands, who think themselves ill, that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort home to their hearts, as a costive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and sold by all druggists.

MRS. SHUPP COWHIDED HIM.

Mrs. Shupp, who is now in possession of the famous Shupp farm, in Washington county, gaining possession while Abram Roth, his son and two farm hands were in jail for alleged forcible entry and detainer, is now charged by Roth with cowhiding him. Roth went to Hagerstown Wednesday after the affair occurred, none the worse for the conflict, to consult his lawyers. Roth said he drove to the Shupp farm to get a load of corn, but was not permitted to do so, but, he alleges, Mrs. Shupp cowhided him. He says she offered no resistance because of her age and sex, and only raised his arm to protect his face from the blows.—Sun.

FROM NEW ZEALAND.

REKPTON, New Zealand, Nov. 23, 1896.—I am very pleased to state that since I took the agency for Chamberlain's medicines the sale has been very large, more especially of the Cough Remedy. In two years I have sold more of this particular remedy than of all other makes for the previous five years. As to its efficacy, I have been informed by scores of persons of the good results they have received from it, and know its value from the use of it in my own household. It is so pleasant to take that we have to place the bottle beyond the reach of the children. E. J. SEANTLER, E. J. SEANTLER, For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

ALL SAINTS' DAY AT MT. ST. MARY'S.

This feast was celebrated in most solemn style at the parish church of the Mount. High Mass began at 10.30 with Rev. Dr. McSweeney as celebrant, Rev. Aloysius Malone, of Boston, deacon, and Mr. Richard Farrell, of Pittsburg, subdeacon. Rev. E. J. Lefevre, C. M., of this place, preached a vivid and telling sermon on the glory of the saints and the way to reach it. He took for his text Apocalypse (Revelations) chapter vii, verse 2, and was heard with marked attention by the large congregation.

The music was quite artistic and so varied as to give play to every voice. It was directed by Miss E. Moore, organist of the church, who chose the Mass in B Flat by Dr. Dielman, for forty years professor of music at the College. Evidently his talent and ability did not die with him, but flourish in the third as in the second generation.

The solo parts in the Gloria, were sung by the Misses Welty and Mr. Peters. In the Credo by Mrs. Manning and Misses Moore and Weaver. In the Sanctus and Benedictus by Mrs. Manning. The Agnus Dei was a solo and chorus, the former by Mrs. Manning. A beautiful motet by Lambillotte, the "Mirabilis Deus" was sung by the full choir.

The weather was delightful, and the church with the devout worshippers, the altar full of lights and fall flowers, the sacred ministers in their gold and white robes, and a dozen graceful altar-boys under the direction of Father Rennolds, made a very attractive and impressive picture.

SUICIDE IN CUMBERLAND.

Charles R. Brooks, a young man of Cumberland, committed suicide Wednesday. He was twenty-three years of age. Two weeks ago he was married to Miss Ivy Jones, a pretty young girl of that city, and since their marriage seem to live happily. Brooks was a member of the Second West Virginia Volunteers. Several weeks ago he returned to his home in Cumberland on a furlough, and after staying a while decided to remain at home, and take the chances of getting a discharge. He secured a position with Mr. G. A. Rinehart, grocer, to drive his delivery wagon.

Wednesday morning, after bringing horse and wagon to the store, he complained of feeling unwell, and requested to get off for the day, which was granted him. He asked for a small sum of money, with which, he said, he wanted to procure medicine. From the store he went to his mother's home, on Columbia street. There he acted strangely, and said he didn't feel well, and was going to put on his soldier clothes and walk about town.

After changing his clothes he left the house. His strange actions attracted his mother's attention, and so informed her son Harry, who went to Rinehart's store and made his mother's suspicions known. This was near the noon hour, and when Mr. Rinehart went home he asked whether any of the family had seen Brooks. He was informed that he had gone up into the hay mow. Mr. Rinehart at once went up into the mow, where he found young Brooks lying on his face and two empty laudanum vials nearby.

The only cause which is assigned for the young man's rash act is the fear and dread of being arrested and taken back to the army and court martialled. He, it is said, remarked that they would shoot him.

A GOOD DECISION.

"I was troubled with a dry hacking cough and was very weak. As I read of the cures made by Hood's Sarsaparilla I decided to give it a trial. When I had taken one bottle I began to feel stronger and my cough was better. I took three bottles and was cured." GEORGE W. DENNUM, Coolspring, Delaware.

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ST. EUPHEMIA'S SCHOOL.

The following pupils are entitled to have their names on the Roll of Honor for October, 1898.

Senior Class:—May Kerrigan, 95; Gertrude Lawrence, 95; Fred Welty, 97; Joe Stouter, 97; Stella Long, 95; Maurice Nusser, 95; Bernard Eckenrode, 95; Mary McCarren, 94; Sadie McGrath, 94; Rose Byrne, 93; Ed Kerrigan, 92; Olivette Weaver, 91; Beatrice Ryan, 90.

First Intermediate:—Gussie Kretzer, 95; Rose Favorite, 91; Allen Seibold, 91; Helen Knode, 90; Rose Tyson, 90; Lena Ott, 90; Alma Metzner, 90; Bernadette Lawrence, 90.

Second Intermediate:—Julia Spalding, 97; Louise Kretzer, 99; Blanche Dukehart, 97; Nellie Felix, 97; Louise Sebold, 96; Josephine Florence, 95; Nora McCarren, 95; Julia Tyson, 94; Joanna Kretzer, 93; Blanche Spalding, 93; Dora Rider, 93; Norbert Mullin, 92; Robert Burdner, 90; Lottie Mullin, 90; Cora Kane, 98; Irene Scott, 94.

Primary A.—Joe Hoke, 98; Clarence Topper, 96; John Zarigable, 95; Charles Gelwick, 95; Edith Bowman, 93; Anna Long, 92; Joe Topper, 90; Lulu Coyle, 90; Roselia Harting, 90; Carrie Favorite, 90; Anna Glass, 90; Georgina Kriz, 90; Fanny Bowers, 90.

Primary B.—James Mitchell, 97; Floyd Cook, 95; Valerie Welty, 95; James Arnold, 94; Guy Seibold, 93; Tom Seltzer, 92; Pauline McCarren, 91; Roselia Burdner, 90; Gertrude Yengling, 90; Mary Bouey, 90; Lillian Gelwick, 90; George Cool, 90; Allen Feltz, 90.

Junior A.—Katharine Baker, Edgar Dukehart, Virginia Sebold, Carrie Gelwick, Mary Rider, Angelo Saffer, Robert Topper, Romanus Florence, Jessie Seltzer, May Hopp, Frank Slate, Roger Mitchell, Maurice Walter, Ward Kerrigan, James Mullin, Isaac Bowers, Allen Gelwick.

Roll of Honor for St. Euphemia's Colored School—Stella Hill, Rose Constance, Mary Richardson, Annie Richardson, Ambrose Hill, Eddie Hill, Anthony Coats, Willie Richardson, Allan Brown, Ward Brown.

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HARNEY ITEMS.

HARNEY, Nov. 3.—On Thursday evening, October 27, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Valentine, about three miles from this place was made happy by the arrival of many friends who came to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Valentine. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Valentine, Mr. William Little, wife and family, Mr. David Ohler and wife, Mr. Edward Hentzer, wife and child, Mr. Luther Hiltbricker and wife, J. R. Ohler and family, Mr. Geo. Valentine, Mrs. Mack Shoemaker, Mrs. Flora Shanbrook, Misses Lillie Valentine, Carrie Cromer, Maud Shriver, Margie Waybright, Ruth Cromer, Ember Waybright, Ruth Snider, Bruce Waybright, Hannah Snyder, Gertrude Benner, Lizzie Boeber, Grace Waybright, Messrs. Ira Stody, Delaney Eckenrode, Harry O. Harner, John I. Ohler, Dallas Shriver, Claud W. Harner, Charles B. Bishop, Walter Shoemaker, Ervin Hess, Homer Hill, Luther Shriver, Harry Allison, Harvey Cromer, John Shryock, Jesse Clapsaddle, Samuel Valentine, and others whose names your correspondent was not able to procure. After participating in various games, by the young, and conversation which proved more applicable to the older, the guests partook of a sumptuous meal, of which there was a large quantity, and then returned home in the wee hours of the night, feeling they had a pleasant time together.

Mr. Edward Shriver and wife, of near Arendtsville, were home on a visit last Sunday, to Mrs. Shriver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hess, on Littlestown street.

Mr. Howard Stoner and wife, of Silver Run, Md., visited friends in this place, on last Sunday.

We are told that there was an unfriendly conflict in this place recently, but no one was seriously injured, perhaps, they were imitating the great war between Spain and the United States. Citizens of Harney are ready and try to avert war, when it is on the verge of existence, so that peace shall reign over the small extent of our village.

On last Sunday evening an excellent entertainment was given by the Christian Endeavor Society, of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. As the shades of evening began to close, and the stars shown forth their brilliant rays and after a day of dreary and cold rains, the people began to gather within our village and advanced to the church, where they were heartily welcomed by the Christian Endeavorers. The program was as follows:

Antem, by the choir; Singing by the Society, "For Christ and the Church," the 107th Psalm was then read by the Pastor; Prayer, by the Pastor, Rev. W. G. Minnick; Address of Welcome; Singing, No. 72; Recitation by Miss Bruce Waybright; Address, by John Spangler; Quartette, by Mrs. Solomon Shoemaker, Mr. John Spangler, Mr. Ervin Hess, and Miss Estella Shoemaker; Singing by the Society, No. 88; Recitation, by Miss Hannah Snyder; Singing, No. 92; Recitation, by Cora Shriver; Address by Harry O. Harner on the World's Curse; Address by Pastor; Offering; Duet, by Mary Hawn and Estella Shoemaker. The church was well filled with people. Notwithstanding the absence of several good speakers, the program was successfully rendered.

GREENMOUNT HAPPENINGS. Mr. Chas. McDonnell is reported sick. Our neighbor, Mr. Clay Bishop is not done sowing wheat. Quite a lot of "cotton tails" have been killed the last few days. Hunters report them very plentiful. Mrs. A. L. Wood and daughter, Miss Helen, of near Emmitsburg, visited K. E. Wood and wife, last week. Mr. Jacob Sharrets, of near Harney, Md., paid us a business trip recently. Mr. Sharrets intends to have sale and quit farming in the spring. Mr. John Hoofnagle, of Virginia Mills, formerly of this place, is visiting friends here. Messrs. Reily and Rider have their building almost completed. The chimney and shelves are to be put in place this week. The prospects are that the store will be stocked by the 15th of this month. The colored man who claims to be sent here by Providence, has not yet given up his mission. He makes himself at home contrary to the wishes of the people. Mr. Geo. Lookinbaugh and wife, of Walnut Grove, visited their son, Mr. O. Lookinbaugh, this week. There is still much corn to be husked in this section. The crop is about an averaged yield, and sells at 30 to 35 cents per bushel.

LECTURE ON ALASKA.

The annual retreat for the students of Mt. St. Mary's College closed Sunday Rev. F. Barnum, S. J., of Georgetown University, conducted the exercises. Before leaving the college Father Barnum gave a lecture on Alaska. Father Barnum spent many years on the missions in the snowfields, and "tundra," as he termed them, during which time he became thoroughly acquainted with the geography of the country and the customs and manners of the natives. His descriptions of the aurora borealis, the glaciers and the general topography of the country were most interesting. He told of the various peculiarities of the natives and of the hardships which Southern people have to undergo to acclimatize themselves to those foreign lands. Of the many instructive and interesting points he touched the most pleasing, perhaps, were his explanation and description of the North. He explained how gold-seekers reached there and told of the difficulties, hardship and dangers they had to encounter.

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