THE LOCAL NEWS FIELD

Our Electric Light, The Electric Light Company here have had numerous backsets in their efforts to accommodate the city with a strong pure light, something that would do way with the necessity of kerosene or any other kind of light. For awhile there was quite a satisfactory service, but as the number of lights increased the quality of light decreased. It is stated the deterioration arose from attempting to force more electricity through the wires than the wires would carry. As a consequence the principal dynamo, which was regarded as a splendid machine, gave way under the pressure and serious injury ensued. company have learned a great deal by experience. They are determined to obviate future difficulties of a similar character and are laying out on broader and more secure grounds. The original wires have been replaced by wires very much larger so that there will be no further trouble in that direction. The dynamo will be thoroughly overhauled and everything put in cap-a-pie order. The electric light has come to stay and now that all parts of the plant have been renewed, with plenty of power, there is no reason why the enterprise should not be successful, financially and otherwise. Coupled with water works a day as well as a night service would be furnished and Ellicott City would be high on the road to permanent prosperity. A little determination on the part of the company to furnish a reliable service and some local pride on the part of our people to see that the enterprise is fully supported would give Ellicott City prestige which would eventually attract capital here and consequently a boom.

The Dog was Mad.

Dr. William H. Welch, professor of pathology at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, said on Sunday last, that he had gotten definite results from the inoculation of four rabbits with the virus obtained from the medulla oblongata of the dog knife and a heavy club. which bit Mr. J. A. Thompson, of Mayfield, Howard county, on New Year's Day. On receipt of the head Dr. Welch put it through a course of preparation, and, with a solution made from the upper part of the spinal cord, inoculated four rabbits. The inoculation was made on January 2, and the rubbits carefully watched for symptoms. They began to grow droopy from day to day, and on Thursday of last week began to show unmistakable symptoms of hydrophobia or rabies, by irregular muscular contractions and gritting their teeth. Dr. Welch said that the symptoms were positive, and the inoculation the only positive test as to whether the dog had rables at the time of death. The rabbits for the past three months, is again at his will live for four or five days, when the disease will kill them.

As has been stated Mr. Thompson was in New York under the Pasteur treatment and has every assurance that he will not suffer from the bite. 123 returned home on Thursday. Entertaining Church Sociable.

The ladies of Trinity P. E. Church, Howard county, entertained their friends at the residence of Mr. Austin Adams Friday evening of last week by the production of "Mrs. Johnson's Birtiday Party." The amateurs were "in color," and the costumes were those of Southern was composed of Miss Edith Adams, the Misses Gardner, Miss Mirrian Poe, Miss Mary King, the Misses Naylor, and Messrs. Irving and Alvin Adams, Hammond Dorsey, Jr., W. C. Poe, Jr., Richard Naylor and Wm. Gardner. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. II. Naylor, Miss Meigs, of Washington; Miss Minor, of Baltimore; Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Poe, Rev. W. F. Gardner, John D. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Kesmodel, Mr. J. H. Blacklock, Miss Lou Gambrill and Mr. and Mrs. B. Rich.

Colonial History by Mrs. Manly. Among the interesting papers read before the Woman's Literary Club of Balti more in session Tuesday afternoon last was one by Mrs. Gaston Manly which gave interesting sketches of colonial Maryland. Among the old organizations she described the South River Club, which was a flourishing society of the early colonial period and was composed of residents in the vicinity of the South River settlement, about ten miles south of Annapolis. Mrs. Manly spoke also of the Fitzhugh family, giving an entertaining description of their home life. She gave extracts from interesting letters written by Farther Andrew White, the Jesuit priest who was chaplain to one of the Lords Baltimore. The letters were discovered in Rome by a member of the McSherry family of Baltimore.

Tin Wedding at Orange Grove. Mr. and Mrs. M. Thomas Phillips, of Orange Grove, Baltimore county, Md. celebrated their tin wedding Thursday evening, 18th inst., with a reception to their many friends, and received many useful and ornamental presents. The house was decorated with ferns and potted plants. Dancing was the principal feature of the evening. Beginning at nine o'clock it was kept up until midnight. Among the many present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Sewall, Mr. and Mrs. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Freeland, Mr. and Mrs. Magruder, Mr. and Mrs. John Bathgate, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harman, Mr. and Mrs. James McGee, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Scellen, Mr. and Mrs. Lydard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Felch, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, Mr. E. Young, Misses Lena Heiner, Annie and Gertrude Hahn, Lizzie Phillips, Maggie Bathgate, Mable Phillips, Messrs. Nebert, Chester and Le Roy Phillips, Howard McGee, Alexander, R. C. and Amos Bathgate, John Nolker, L. Poole, C. D. Sewell, Ferdinand Hahn, August Hahn, Edward Freeland, F. W. Scott, Edward Holland, G. Cromwell Hawkins, B. Lee, Wm. B. Keller, Thos. Holland, Edward Brady and others.

Boulevard News.

The managers of the proposed boule vard and electric railroad to Washington are inviting bids from contractors to construct a road from Baltimore to Hyattsville, where it will connect with the Traction syndicate's electric line which runs out from Washington. The surveys show an undulating line, with a Mrs. Agar. maximum grade of four per cent. The actual line in the vicinity of Laurel has not been permanently decided upon.

The leading spirits of the boulevard movement hold a meeting at Washington, at the headquarters of the company in the McGill building, on Monday. T. Edward Hambleton and David M. Newbold, of Baltimore; Wm. L. Elkins, P. A. B. Widenor and Thos. Dolan, of Philadelphia, were present. It is understood that the plans of the syndicate were discussed as to a number of the details.

Low Rates to Washington via B. & O. Saturday, February 3d, the B. &. O. will sell round trip tickets to Washington on all trains, and valid for return until following Monday at \$1 25.

The best medical authorities say the proper way to treat catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsa-

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claimed a crow with white wings was 336 West Pratt Street, Baltimore, Md. females, as "Female Weakness," periodi-

TOWN AND COUNTY.

THE TIMES is indebted to the creamery company at Gary, Howard county, composed of the Messrs. Dorsey Bros. and II. C. Peddicord, for samples of their butter. Better butter has never been manufactured. It is firm and pure, and, we are told, sent from the creamery in uniform quality. This enterprising firm is laying the foundation of success in that they are putting out goods which in market commands a higher price than the ordinary article. They use the De Laval machine for separating the milk

from the cream. Among the bequests the late Mrs. Piper made was one of a thousand dollars to the Presbyterian Church at Ellicott City. This will be a large lift to the congregation who are straining every nerve toward raising money for needed improvements to the church edifice. Mrs. Piper was a sister-in-law of the late Mrs. Oliver Miller. The amount of money on hand and pledged is estimated at \$1,085, without the

bequest. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Robinson of Mt. Washington gave a dance Thursday night of last week to introduce their daughter, Miss Virginia Robinson. Among the out-of-town guests were Miss Mitchell of Boston, Miss Markey, of pneumonia. Mrs. Brown attended the pneumonia. Mrs. Brown attended the Perrine. California, and Miss Groverman of Ellicott City.

H. B. Shipley, of near Marriottsville, has in his possession a long range tifle and a cavalry sword, which his father battle of North Point. Levi Shipley, of after that of her sister-in-law. Her used in the defense of Baltimore at the near Marriottsville, plowed up an English silver half dollar coined in 1780. Mr. Augustus Potts, a freight conduc-tor on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, accidentally fell from the train at Frederick Junction Wednesday, and was badly cut about the head. He was brought to his home here the same night. His injuries are not serious.

The mad-dog scare in Carroll county in the vicinity of Sykesville, has caused the people in that neighborhood to be unusually cautious; one citizen in partic ular who does not venture to the railroad station without a revolver, bowie

Rev. H. Branch, D. D., addressed temperance meeting Tuesday night at Eutaw Street Methodist Church, Beltimore. The meeting was held in the interest of the local option bill prepared under the auspices of the State Temperance Alliance. Among the visitors in Ellicott City

during the week we note Hon. W. E. Linn, who has removed to Baltimore; Mr. L. D. Kearney, of Sykesville; Mr. Wm. Hobbs, of Cooksville; Dr. S. A. Keene, of Baltimore. The Rev. Dr. John Lanahan, the

venerable agent of the Methodist Epis copal Book Rooms, who has been ill at his home, near Laurel, Howard county, post of duty.

Dr. T. Z. Offutt, of Granite, who is sanitary officer of the Second district, has applied to the county commissioners of Baltimore county, for appointment as vaccine physician of that district. Messrs. Charles A. Gerwig, Henry

Wehland and Frederick Koenig, newly elected members of the council of the German Lutheran church here, were installed Sunday morning last. The Howard county commissioners tract of Mr. Wm. Saker near Hammond's ave accepted the Savage bridge from branch.

the builders, the Penn Iron Bridge iron work, \$2,245, was paid. The drying-room of the Franklin Woolen Mills of W. T. Dickey & Sons, at Wetheredsville, caught fire on Thursday of last week and caused slight dam

age to building and stock. The fourth M. E. quarterly conference of this charge met Monday last, Rev. Mr. Neal presiding. Annual reports were made and officers elected for the ensuing year.

Judging from what our exchanges say it would seem that rabies among the dogs is epidemic throughout the State. Almost every locality has had its scare. There is an epidemic of sore arms in Howard county since Dr. J. W. Hebb was called upon to fulfil the law—that of vaccinating the school children. Mr. John A. Denton, has had carpen-

ters engaged this week in making some material improvements about his dwelling, on Hilton avenue. Miss Jackson, of Baltimore, assisted in

receiving at the debutante reception of Miss Bessie Gorman in Washington Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Jas. L. Britton, living near Sykesville, Howard county, lost a valuable mare last week, dying from some unknown cause. Mr. Thomas Johnson, of this place

spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. A. D. Johnson, who is at Atlantic City. Mrs. Dora L. Reus, of this place, has had her houses repainted. Messrs. Paul

Hewitt and John Phoebus, of Sykesville, did the work. Miss Goodrich and nephew, who were visiting Mrs. Roswell A. Martin, returned this week to their home, Clear Spring, Md.

A valuable hog belonging to Mr. John Gerwig, of Pine Orchard, was killed on Monday night by some unknown person. Mrs. W. S. Hinmon, of this place, who has been confined to her bed with the grip is now able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Laumann, of Baltimore, were visiting relatives and friends at Oella, on Sunday. Mr. Henry Gunther, of Washington,

calling on his old friends. Mr. W. S. Hinmon and Mr. T. C. Grimes, of this place, visited friends in Catonsville Tuesday last. The old frame dwelling opposite Gray's

was burned Friday morning at about four o'clock. Cause of fire unknown. Mr. William Kavenaugh, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, on Westchester avenue. Mr. Daniel Jones, of Washington, D.

Westchester avenue. Miss Elizabeth Weems, of Springfield Institute, Sykesville, spent Sunday with Miss Rose Morrow.

Dr. John Bromwell, of Mt. Airy, was the guest of his sister here, Mrs. II. C. Griffith, Tuesday.

the guest last week of Miss Bell Robinson, he're.

Rev. F. Agar, who has charge of the M. P. Church has removed to Oella with Mr. Evan W. Warfield, of Baltimore, was the guest of his friends at Cooksville

Mrs. A. B. Johnston, of Thistle, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hynes, on Sunday. Miss Maggie Mercer has returned from

two weeks' visit in Loudoun county, had his dog killed and there are great Virginia. The Guy Brothers, will appear at the New Assembly Room, on February 12th. Miss Mamie Brooks, of Sykesville, gave tea Tuesday evening from 4 to 6.

Night services have been started at the Presbyterian Church. The Misses Tyson are visiting friends

n Baltimore. Mr. H. E. Wotton, is reported better. A congested condition of the throat

A congested condition of the dangerous and bronchial tubes is a dangerous symptom. Inflamation of the bronchia misery increased by drugging.

At last, in despair, I committed the sin advertised medicine, Dr. and involve the lungs. Under such cir. of trying an advertised medicine, Dr. cumstances to avert consumption take Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and it Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup regularly according to the directions on the bottle.

We contract for steeple clocks, watches | courage to advertise the fact." At Frizzellburg, Carroll county, it is very best practical men you can find. The medicine mentioned is guaranteed to cure the delicate diseases peculiar to Heintz & Martin.

SYKESVILLE NEWS.

Sykesville, Jan. 24 -Somewhat of a novel amusement, very much to the annoyance of our townspeople, was indulged in by several of our young men several nights ago and as a warning it has been said that instead of the sign reading: "Beware of the dog," the word "Law" has been substituted.

Report has it that the long looked for canning factory will surely go into operation here this spring. Messrs, J. W. Firoved, W. M. Chipley

and M.J. McDonald spent last Sunday evening in Baltimore as the guests of

Prof. T. K. Paul.

Mr. E. M. Mellor continues quite sick but is improving at this writing. Mr. William T. Polk has fully recovered from a severe attack of grip.
The special services at St. Paul's have

continued throughout the week. Several

conversions. Mrs. Rachael Brown, aged 37 years relict of the late Benjamin F. Brown, in-law, Mr. Thomas Thompson, on l. Brown, on Monday, the 15th inst, at death was quite a shock to her relatives | Fryfogle. and many friends, coming so soon of her aged parents on Wednesday. Church on Thursday at two o'clock, Rev. J. D. Thomas officiating. Interment in Springfield cemetery, Funeral

director Weer had charge. FACTS FROM FULTON.

Fulton, Jan. 23 .- Among those visiting in this vicinity lately were school commissioner Dr. J. W. Hebb, tax col-Pindell, Henry McCrossin, Chas. Sheckels, W. Baker, Thos. Baker, Alpheus Ide, J. W. Moore, Rodney Boswell, B. G. Cissel, P. S. Smallwood, Misses Annie R. Moore, Jennie Cissel, Sophie Moore, Emma Childs, Ella Cissel, Gertrude Eyre, Rev. W. R. B. Turner, Lawrence

In this vicinity the many friends of Ion. Henry E. Wootton, are glad to resent illness.

Mr. Chas. Hargett, has moved upon he farm of Hon. W. E. Linn, who rewill occupy the residence and farm the oremises.

Mr. J. W. Moore and Miss Sarah Moore visited friends at Laurel last week. Mr. Martin lager is engaged in build-

ng a barn for Mr. Alfred Moore. Mrs. W. A. Wilson is convalescent from a recent illness. Mr. Welling Iglehart is engaged with his portable steam engine and saw mill in sawing lumber upon the woodland

Company, and the contract price for the Fulton school last .week Including scholars, 45 children were vaccinated by Dr. J. Dorsey, of Laurel. helpful coadjutor, or coadjutrix as the case may be, from the Highland neighborhood will probably send in an account of the "midwinter fete."

GLENWOOD GLEANINGS.

GLENWOOD, Jan. 24.—The Literary and Musical entertainment held at Glenwood Institute on Tuesday evening, the 23d inst., was quite a success, socially and financially, and much credit is due the young ladies who had it in charge. The programme consisted of vocal and them. They are not bonn fide signers, instrumental music, tableaux, recitations and a play. Those taking part were as follows: The Misses Linthicum, tableaux and music; Miss Hammond, Misses | this article to the public, and can vouch Kate and Gertie Mathews, tableaux; the and bring vouchers for its truth. Misses Fite, tableaux; Miss Julia and Mary Mathews, tableaux; Mrs. Hammond, tableau and play; Miss Carrie and Nina Mathews, recitations, tableaux and play; Miss Sallie Warfield and Miss Bracco, tableaux; Miss Rhetta Mathews, tableaux and play; Messrs. Wm. Bank lames Baxley, Chas. Hammond, C. M. Dorsey, Harry Warfield, J. C. Mathews. Edgar Powers, Clark Linthicum, tableaux; Messrs. L. G. Mathews, O. Duvall and Prof. Crocket, recitations and tableaux.

Mrs. Gustavus Warfield, is confined to her bed, with la grippe. Master Jno. Bracco met with quite serious accident at school a few days ago. While playing ball he accidentally

was struck in the neck with a bat, and had to be carried home. The doctors think there are no bones broken but he will have to carry his arm in a sling for some time as his collar bone is very badly bruised. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Cockey, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. War-

field, on Tuesday of this week, at Clif-The farmers in this locality are busy plowing and getting ready for their spring crops and some of them are even talking of planting potatoes soon should D. C., was in Ellicott City on Monday, the ground hog come to stay on the 2d proximo.

Mad Dog Excitment at Henryton. HENRYTON, Jan. 24 .- A great excitement was caused by a mad dog passing through Henryton, Wednesday about 9.30 A.M. The dog was followed from Alpha, by two men. He passed by Mr. R. Williams' place and bit his fine bird dog and then by Mr. C. I. Shipley's house 3. spent Sunday with his parents, on and bit his dog. Then he took the road to Henryton. Messrs. Herbert Oursler and J. O. Sellman were driving along the road and met the dog on a bridge near Mr. Mottu's mill. These men turned around and followed the dog which had just been followed by Messrs. T. J. Hood, Jr., and C. Thomas. The dog pass-Miss Abbie Mitchell, of Baltimore, was ed over Mr. O. Devries store porch and followed the path that leads from the house to the store. He would have been Miss Rosa Wall, of Clarksville, was killed before he got very far but he gainthe guest of Mrs. Thomas E. McClelland, ed on Messrs. Oursler and Sellman. He crossed the railroad just ahead of a freight train. After the train passed be had gotten over the hill and was at Mr. O. Devries' house where he bit Mr. Devries' dog, which was a very fine one. There he was shot, but was still going. Mr. I. W. Strober followed him to Mr. II. Staubitz's house along the soapstone road owned by Mr. Devries. Mr. Strober stopped and got a gun and overook him opposite the soapstone factory where he finished him. Mr. O. Devries

for fear that they have been bitten: A Piece of Her Mind A lady correspondent has this to sav "I want to give a piece of my mind to certain class who object to advertising.

when it costs them anything-this won't cost them a cent. I suffered a living death for nearly two years with headsches, backache, in pain standing or walking, was being restored me to the blessedness of sound

he knows he can cure, has the moral cal pains, irregularities, nervous prostra-

health. I honor the physician who when

tion, spasms, chorea or St. Vitus's Dance, sleeplessness, threatened insanity To permanently cure constipation, biliousness, indigestion or dyspepsia use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

ALBERTON ITEMS. ALBERTON, Jan. 24.—Rev. H. W. Buck P. E. preached Sunday morning and Monday evening at the Evangelical Church. This is the last time that he will exercise his rights of Presiding Elder at Alberton, during this church year. In March conference meets and a new minister will be sent to this place, Rev. Mr. Douty's time having expired. A party was given by Mr. Geo. Lilly, to his daughter Miss Lee, on Friday Jan.

19th. Parlor games, &c , were indulged in. Later in the evening the guests were invited into the dining room to partake of refreshments. The table was beautifully decorated and presented a fine appearance. Among those present and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William were, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lilly, Mr. and Sellman, died at the home of her brother- Mrs. Chas. Conner, Misses Lee, Ella and Maud Lilly, Maud and Maggie Ridings, Tuesday last after a brief illness, of May and Lula Dorsey, Nannie Stewart, funeral of her sister-in-law, Miss Mary Edward Long, Dr. J. T. Waltemeyer, Albert and William McKenzie, Willie Freedom, and went from there to Mr. Bridner, Adolphus Blackburn, John, Thompson's home to spend a week. Her Granville, and Robert Lilly, and John

A mad dog came through our town on Tuesday and bit dogs belonging to Wm. Engle, Chas. Bridner, and Zachariah Davis. Messrs. Engle and Davis killed Funeral services were held at Springfield their dogs. On Wednesday another dog came through the village, and was fired at but not hurt. It still remains at large. There is much excitement over the appearance of these dogs.

We noticed in the last issue of a neighboring journal that a certain gentleman writing under the signature of X has accused us of easting reflections upon certain meeting. We will reply seriatum. X says: "The article in the last issue of THE TIMES signed Ham II., casting lector A. H. Earp, Dr. J. Dorsey, Mrs. J. reflections upon the meeting held by the H. Hall, Mr. Thomas Whalen, Chas. citizens of our place, defined too much bindall Henry McCrossin. Chas. Shectural truth for him." This sentence is not intelligible. Please explain. "If he (Ham 11.) had taken the trouble to inquire into the affairs he would have

found * * * who composed the committee." Ham II. begs leave to say, he did inquire, but no one knew. He has inquired since X wrote his article, but could not find out. He approached one or two of the vice-presidents, but they did no: know a committee was appointed. We learn of his probably recovery from his beg leave to remind X that if his memory will serve him correctly, he will find that no committee was appointed.

X says, "Mr. A. A. Jones made the opening address and appealed to the cently moved to Baltimore. Mr. Hargett Americans who shouted 'America, for will occupy the residence and farm the Americans." X is wrong again. Mr. lones shouted this himself, the people

X says "Their rights were sufficient to convince the most skeptical that sacrificng the Republican policy of maintaining manufactures is beyond reason." N here admits what Ham II, said—the meeting was Republican. It was held under Republican principles, and as Ham II. said in THE TIMES last week "the authors (of the meeting) claimed to come together non-politically, but it was a notable fact that every one that spoke was a Republican." X and Ham II. agree here-the A wholesale vaccination took place at | meeting was held and conducted under Republican principles. One speaker himself accused another of "tearing up himself accused another of "tearing up is the kind of a bill the people want. It the Democratic party." X grants the doesn't matter who the "boy" is named Occurrences are scarce this week. Our point in controversy. By his article, the after.

meeting was Republican. X says again "Ham II. spoke of there WEST FRIENDSHIP. being some signers to the resolutions adopted." Ham H. said "several" not "some." X says "Ham II. failed to state there were 526 bona fide signers." This has been kept a secret. I asked but could not find out. Why so? There may have been 526 names, but not bona fide signers. Ham II. believes bona fide means "in good faith." But Ham H. knows some that signed ignorantly, and hence they were not bona fide signers. Names of 3, 4 and 5 year-old children are on the resolutions. Some one signed for X is wrong. He accuses Ham II. of casting reflections on the meeting, but unfounded assertion. Ham II. submits

LONG CORNER. LONG CORNER, Jan. 21.-Mrs. Addie Moxley, died at her home near Long Corner, Friday Jan. 12. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Charton, at Providence M. P. Church Sunday, Jan. 14. She was buried in the largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The Long Corner Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will hold its next

James Penn's Thursday night, Feb. 1st. OBITUARY.

regular monthly parlor meeting at Mr.

MRS. REBECCA DAVIS. Mrs. Rebecca Davis, aged seventy ight years, widow of Joshua Davis, ormerly of Howard county, died at her ome, in Baltimore county, near Ellicott City, Monday afternoon. For many years Mr. Davis conducted the mills at tchester known as the Bonnie Branch Mills. Four daughters and four sons survive, among the latter being Resin R. Davis, of Baltimore, and Emmanuel Davis, of Terre Haute, Ind.

Her funeral took place from her late esidence at 2 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, Rev. Andrew R. Poole, conducting the services. Interment at Loudon Park. The pall-bearers were Wm. U. F. Herrmann, John Myers and John

Kavenaugh. Thomas E. McClelland, of Ellicott City, is selling the patented and improved spring steel bread, cake and paring knives one of each making a set, at \$1.00, very useful articles as every housewife knows who has tried them.

Birthday Party at the Thistle

Miss Elsie Johnson, of Thistle, celebrated her tenth birthday on Friday, evening the 19th inst. A pleasant evening was passed the guests indulging in amusements, games, &c. A fine supper was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson, Miss Elsie Johnson, Masters, Frank and Norris Johnson, Mr. Hugh Johnson, Misses Mary and Reba Hynes, Wilber Hynes and others.

Much interest is being manifested among the residents of Guilford in the contemplated reopening of the old Gault granite quarries there. The quarries, will preside at the organ. Every one although not having been worked for will be made welcome. Come and many others who are killing their dogs over thirty years, are said to contain an worship with us. almost inexhaustible supply of stone of the best quality for building and railroad purposes. It is stated that in case the purposes. It is stated that in case the project for building the electric railroad between Baltimore and Washington is successfully carried out, contracts will be effected for furnishing the railroad company with stone. Operations, it is said, will commence at once, and a return of the former business activity in that quiet little village is confidently

anticipated. . A Genuine Claim. For indigestion and constipation . Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills are an invaluable remedy, as I have used them in my

family and found them to do all that is claimed for them. J. H. OWENS, Telegraph Operator, Pennsylvania R. R. Havre de Grace, Md.

General business decidedly dull.

DEMOCRATS SHOULD BE DEMOCRATS. Plain Talk from a Correspondent-Other

Topics Discussed. MESSES. EDITORS. I noticed with regret

that two of our representatives in ton, voted with the Republicans to keep | taxation of dogs and to re-enact the same a tariff on coal. It is impossible for with amendments. these gentlemen to reconcile their votes on the coal question with their votes on | Commissioners in the several counties of other industries. The fight is on. The this State, are empowered and directed Democratic position is opposition to to provide for annual licensing of all protection in any shape. The man who dogs and bitches therein (at the annual votes for protection (incidental or otherwise) is a deserter and you can't make | dog, and two dollars for each bitch.) enything else out of him. It is true we Section 158 .- County Commissioners have five hundred million dollars to of the respective counties of this State raise to run the Government. This has shall divide their counties into constabuto be raised on articles coming into the lary districts in accordance with the various articles as a source of revenue only. The moment a Democrat advocates it as a protective feature, that moment he crosses the line and joins the enemy. Besides, Maryland and West lirginia coal can never have any competition but with Nova Scotia. The analysis of Nova Scotia coal shows that it has only 59 per cent. in carbon, 38 per cent. in volatile matter and 1 per cent. of sulphur. Maryland and West Virginia coal has 80 per cent. of carbon and hardly a trace of sulphur. The sparcity of carbon and the undesirable amount of sulphur in Nova Scotia coal places it entirely out of the field of competition with any coal mined in the United States. Besides, what ship now running between New York or Boston and Europe would buy her coal at Halifax if she could get as good coal for her trip at our ports for less money. It is the amount of carbon in coal that makes steam. One ton of our coal has twenty-one per cent, more of carbon than Nova Scotia coal hence its value. These gentlemen are not catching votes. The Democratic voters of this country are not to be deceived. They demand of our representatives to place themselves squarely in line with their party or send

in their resignations. At Annapolis our Solons are making some progress. The attempt on the part of some of the members to instruct our people at Washington was entirely out of their line of business. State and local matters will tax all their time to the ut-

Mr. Wolfe's bill to relieve the inconvenience farmers are put to by the present location of the Hay Scales will not remedy the evil. Reduce the charges of weighing to half a cent per hundred. Let one-fifth go to the State, the balance to the weigher. This will leave a net salary for the weigher, taking the last two years as criterion, of one thousand dollars. Besides the present scales, place one at Catonsville for the benefit of sellers outside the city limits. The State's one-fifth revenue from each scales would be enough to keep up repairs and other expenses. Governor Brown will have no trouble to find men for each place. It never was intended that the scales should be a source of State revenue or a fat political office. It was for the benefit and convenience of the over-taxed farmer. When it fails to accomplish this end, abolish it altogether. The Assessment bill has been discussed pro and con for the last six years on the hustings, in the newspapers and at every road corner. The people want action. Talk is played out. Tax every species of property, exempt none. That

> Respectfully, J. W. II. Jan. 24, 1894.

SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS.

Rev. Dr. Lucien Clark's Comments at Madi son Avenue Church. In his sermon on "The Sunday Newspaper," at the Madison' Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Baltimore, on a recent Sunday night, Rev. Dr. Lucien modern political thought and character let X understand that this is a rank and is determined by it, and if political parties are corrupt and political movements unscrupulous it is largely the fault of the secular press. Its power extends to social life, and it is a power so great that we may safely say that if we had a pure press we should also have pure morals in all departments of modern life. This great engine of power which comes into our homes and affects the principles and happiness of our families should be held to a strict accountability, and the charge

bring is that the Sunday paper is a foe adjoining cemetery. The funeral was to religion, to good morals and to the welfare of society. "Thirty-five years ago the Sunday paper was almost unknown. Two or three unscrupulous publishers began to issue Sunday editions of their dailies, but so vigorous was the protest against them that in some cases the Sunday issue was suspended. But the papers gradually educated the public conscience downward. There are now only four great dailies that I know of which do not publish Sunday papers. These are the Baltimore Sun, the Philadelphia Ledger, the Pittsburg Dispatch and a paper in Boston the name of which I have forgotten. "The Sunday paper tends to secularize the Sabbath and make it like other days. No other agency has done so much to break down the sanctity of the Sabbath in the eyes of the people. It leads its readers to absent themselves from church on the Sabbath. It is a rare thing to find a regular reader of the Sunday papers who goes to church regularly. violates God's law of rest for the body and mind. It also makes it necessary Crawford, Wm. Pierpont, Joseph Curtis, for the daily press with which it is connected to throw the weight of its influence against the Sabbath as a day of rest and in favor of Sabbath desceration, and it opens the way for all forms of Sabbath desecration. The Sunday paper encourages also the materialistic tendency of the times and I think every Christian

should discard it." CHURCH AND OTHER NOTICES.

Preaching at the Presbyterian Church at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. by the pastor. Preaching at Emory M. E. Church Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. D. M. Browning. Evening subject: "See the mote in your brother's eye but can't see the beam in olis, January 9, the following resolutions your own." Preaching at Bethany by

the same at 3 P. M. Rev. F. Agar will preach at the M. P Church here on Sunday next; hours of service and subjects as follows: 11 A , "The Woman from the City;" "The Strange Man;" 2 P. M., Sunday chool; 6.30 P. M., Christian Endeavor. Preaching at Thistle every Friday night at 7.30 o'clock. On Sunday Prof. Easton the college that they look to supply them

here, to-morrow (Sunday) at 11 A. M. by Rev. H. H. Douty, of Alberton, Md.

List of Letters Remaining in the Ellicott City Post Office, Jan. 27, 1894. airs, Atherton Clark, Miss Ella Carney, Mrs. Alice Carey, Miss Mary Canby, Mrs. C. Edith Dorsey, Miss Annie Somerville, Tom Mooney, Mary A Williams. Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

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THE PROPOSED SHEEP LAW. The Talbott CountySheep Breeders' Association Will Offer This Act to the

General Assembly. An Act to repeal Sections 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162 and 163, of Article 81, code Congress, namely: McKaig and Comp- of public general laws relating to the

> Section 157.-The Boards of County rate of not less than one dollar for each

United States but it is levied on the number of constables in each of said counties, and it shall be the duty of said constables to annually enumerate and assess all dogs and bitches in their respective districts at a rate prescribed by the said Boards of County Commissioners of not less than one dollar for each dog and two dollars for each bitch. Section 159 .- The Boards of County Commissioners shall furnish the consta bles of their respective countles with metal tags bearing on their face the year for which they are issued, and the sex of the dog, to be worn by all dogs, and shall also provide each constable with a suitable book to register the full name of every owner of a dog, the sex of the animal and the amount of the license

Section 169 .- All owners of dogs and bitches upwards of two months old shall pay to the county the license as assessed n their respective counties on or before the first day of September in each year, and any dog or bitch kept or staying about the premises of any person with his knowledge, whether such person be the owner or only the occupant of said premises, shall be deemed the property of said person. Section 161.-It shall be the duty o

the constables to collect from every owner of a dog or bitch the amount o license for the same, and to register the full name of the owner, the sex of the animal, and the amount of license paid, and shall also issue to such person a certificate of registration, and a metal tag or tags as provided by the county commissioners and the several constables shall pay quarterly to the commissoners of their respective counties the amount received by them for the licensing of dogs and bitches less twenty-five per cent thereof, which they shall retain as P. Stabler, and treasurer, Bell W commission for collecting the same; he official bond of such constables to be held liable for such collections, and it shall be the duty of the constables to kill any non-registered dog found going at large without such tag, and he shall receive from the county commissioners for each log so killed, fifty cents, on such proof. of killing as said county commissioners may demand; and any person may kill any dog seen worrying or destroying slicep either on his own premises, or those of mother, and the owner of such dog so killed shall be debarred from damages. The neglect of any constable to perform the duties required by sections 158 and 161, shall be sufficient cause of forfeiture of his office, and in case of loss of the tag or certificate issued by a constable for any dog or bitch, duplicates shall furnished on pay ment of ten cents each upon satisfactory evidence that the license has been paid for the current year, for said dog the receipts for issuing duplicates to be paid by constables to county commissioners

as received. Section 162.—The revenue arising from the licensing of dogs and bitches shall constitute a separate fund to be called "The Sheep Fund," all payments made by the commissioners under sec-tions 163 and 165 shall be paid solely from this fund and not otherwise. The sheep fund shall be devoted after payment of the expenses incident to the execution of this law to the remuneration of inhabitants of the respective countles Clark said in part: "The press is one of for loss sustained by sheep being killed the most potent agencies of modern civi- or injured by dogs or bitches, any surlization and progress. The trend of plus remaining over after the exptration of each year shall be devoted to the

Section 163.—Any person having sheep killed or injured by dogs or bitches may apply to any justice of the peace of the county, who shall appoint three disinterested persons to appraise such loss, and they or a majority of them shall under oath state in writing to the been paid in full and will shortly present county commissioners, the number of sheep killed, the extent and character of the injury, if any done, and amount of damages sustained by owner of such sheep, and both they and the owner shall make oath that they believe the sheep to have been destroyed or injured by dogs or bitches, and give the names of the owners of such dogs or bitches, if known to them, and when reports of such preceeding have been filed in the office of the county commissioners, the aforesaid county commissioners, shall review said report, and if in their judgment the amount of damages stated is unfair, they shall award such amount as they may deem fair, to be paid out of the sheep fund, provided that before the commissioners shall award any damages for the killing of sheep, the person claiming damages shall be required to prove to their satisfaction that he does not know or is unable to ascertain with reasonable diligence, the owner of the dogs or bitches which did such damage, or if the said owner is known to prove to the satisfaction of said county commissioners, that it is not practicable to collect the amount of damage sustained by suit against the owner of said dogs or bitches. But no person shall be entitled to compensation by reason of loss | revolutionizing the old profession. or injury to his sheep from dogs or bitches, either his own or kept upon

his premises. Section 164.—All cities, boroughs and incorporated towns having municipal regulations licensing or taxing dogs 'are exempted from the provisions of this

Section 165.-Any person maliciously removing a tag from any dog, or malicionsly destroying any certificate shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall be fined five dollars, or imprisoned in the county jail for not more than thirty days, in the dis-

cretion of the court trying the case. College Students oppose Hazing. At a meeting of the Senior, Junior and Sophomore Classes held in Mc-

Dowell Hall, St. John's College, Annap-

were adopted: WHEREAS, the practice of "hazing, which has so long been a feature of the inner life of St. John's, has been shown to be highly detrimental to the progress and welfare of our Alma Mater, apart from an amount of indignity too often nflicted upon the sufferer, and as we believe that the students should in all cases do all in their power to further the prosperity of the college, since it is to

of St. John's College, in meeting assembled, that hazing in every form or kind shall, from this time forth, cease to exist within the precincts of St. John's College, and that everything will be done to suppress the continuance of this practice, if it be again attempted.

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STATE OF MARYLAND.

SPRING GROVE ASYLUM.-The board of managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, at Spring Grove, have submitted their annual report to Governor Brown. The report devotes considerable space to showing the necessiies for additional accommodations for the insane. The total number of patients in the hospital November 1, 1892, the beginning of the fiscal year, was 427. During the year 122 new patients were The whole number under admitted. treatment during the year was 549, including 298 males and 251 females. The highest number under treatment in one day was 460. During the year 17 males and 8 females were discharged as recovered, 9 males and 7 females as improved and 2 males and 1 female as unimproved. Forty-four patients died during the werage daily number under treatment. October 31, 1893, there remained under treatment 437 patients supported at public charge and 24 supported by friends. The financial statement shows a deficiency of \$11,584 46. This deficiency, it is asserted, exists because some

of the counties will not pay their obligations when due. WILL URGE a REASSESSMENT.—The Farmers' Convention to be held at the courthouse at Towson February 1, says a correspondent of the Baltimore Sun, promises to be a large gathering. The convention was called by the Baltimore County Grange. Taxpayers of every disrict, and the various agricultural organizations throughout the county, including the subordinate granges, are expected to send representatives. The call for the convention says: "The necessity of demading a prompt and general reassessment act for the whole State; the slarm with which all taxpayers view the condition of the county's finances; the rapidly increasing yearly tax levies and the advisability of shortening the terms of future commissioners render the calling of such a convention an urgent necessi-

Woman's Suffrage -The Maryland Woman's Suffrage Association held its sixth annual meeting on the 17th inst. at the Lyceum Hall, Sandy Springs The association was organized in 1893 with thirteen charter members and has steadily grown until now its membership includes many prominent Marylanders of both sexes, and the female suffrage movement in the State is slowly extending. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Mary Bentley

Thomas. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mary Bentley Thomas; vice-president, Rebecca T. Miller; secretary, James Hannun. The association will hold large meeting in Baltimore February 13 which will be addressed by Miss Susan B. Anthony.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

WILL SEER NEW PASTURES .- With Beecher dead and Talmage in retirement, New York and Brooklyn will be with out a certain feature of Sunday preaching that was attractive to many people, especially to strangers in search of musement. Sensational pulpit oratory, however, appears to have lost its hold on the masses, judging, at least, by the decline and fall of Mr. Talmage and his once famous Tabernacle. The establishment is in a bad way financially, and dently shrewd enough to see that its day is over, otherwise he would not with draw and determine upon a season of travel, for that means only a quest for pastures new.—Balt. News

THE LEE ANNIVERSARY.—The anni versary of the birth of Gen. Robert E Lee was celebrated on the 19th inst., by the Confederate veterans in Baltimor New York, Virgina and elsewhere with impressive ceremonies and addresses on themes connected with the life of the great Southern soldier or of the section in whose service he acquired his chief military fame. The leading feature of the celebration in Baltimore was the address of Col. Charles Marshall descriptive of the closing scenes of the war and the surrender at Appomattox, and in New York that of Mr. James L. Gordon, formerly of Virginia, on "The Women of the

CLAIMS FOR SUPPLIES.—Col. Nicholas to Washington's army at Valley Forge. His heirs held a meeting there on the a claim to Congress for nearly \$4,000,-000. About forty interested persons were present. The necessary funds were subscribed to push the claim.

SIAMESE TWINS IN CHINA.-Advices by the steamer Empress of Japan state that a second edition of the Siamese twins, now being exhibited at Hong Chow, are two nice looking boys about ment of flesh near the middle of their sides. They are as much alike in appear ance and as near equal in size as it is possible to be.

CORBETT VICTORIOUS .- Round one-Mitchell confident. Round two Mitchell whipped. Round three-Mitchell knocked out. Such is the brief history of the fight which came off at Jacksonville, Fla., Thursday, and has made James John Corbett champion of the world and saw Charles Mitchell knocked out in nine minutes. The sporting world should rest easier now.

More than five hundred printers are out of employment in Philadelphia. The introduction of type-setting machines by the larger papers and other large printing establishments is completely B. and O. Relief Department.

The Baltimore and Ohio Relief Department in October paid benefits for Grand Opera House during the week of accidental deaths, \$16,000; accidental April 23rd. injuries, \$5,242 59; surgical expenses, \$698 57; natural sickness, \$6,321 93; natural death, \$8,250; general expenses, \$3,291 S1; artificial limbs, \$75 00. Total expenses, \$40,175 10. The receipts were \$31,049 02.

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REV. DR CLARK TO LECTURE. He Will Tell of What He Saw on Ills

World's Tour, Rev. Francis E Clark, D. D., familiary known among Christian Endeavorers as "Father Endeavor Clark," will deliver a lecture in Baltimore at the Immanuel Baptist Tabernacle on Friday, February , under the auspices of the Baltimore Christian Endeavor Union. His subject will be, "What I Saw in My Trip Around the World," and some very fine stereopticon views obtained by him will be presented. Dr. Clark set out soon after the adjournment of the great Christian Endeavor convention in New York City in July, 1992, and was absent about a year, returning just in time to preside year, a mortality of 10 per cent. of the over the Montreal convention last July. He visited almost all the countries of Europe, Asia and Australia, making speeches through an interpreter in as many languages. He was received cordially, and heard attentively everywhere he went, and was enabled to considerably enlarge the field of the Christian Endeavor movement by planting societies in places where it had been previously unknown or received with indifference. He also obtained a great many rare and interesting views, and saw many remarkable and interesting things, which he will make the subject of this lecture. Dr. Clark is the founder of the Christian Endeavor movement, and is looked upon as one of the great men in the re-

> the fact that Baltimore wants the convention of 1896, will no doubt arouse great interest in his appearance in Balti-The lecture will be delivered twice on February 2, in the afternoon as well as at night, and the proceeds will be devoted to missionary causes. The missionary committee of the Baltimore C. E, Union, of which Mrs. M. V. Richards is

chairman, have the arrangements for the

ligious world. This fact, together with

lecture in charge.—Balto. Herald. PUBLICATIONS:

SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE FOR FEBRUARY pens with one of the richest articles it has ever printed -a charming study of the work of Edward Burne Jones, by Mr. Cosmo Monkhouse, the distinguished English critic. Twenty of Mr. Burne Jones's most striking designs and pictures are reproduced by his permission and that of their owners. A number of sketches are here reproduced for the first time, and the whole series, with the accompanying text, gives an interpretation of the exquisite quality of this imaginative artist such as has never been

published in a popular article. An article of unusual interest has resulted from an expedition on behalf of Scribner's Magazine, made by Joel Chandler Harris in company with a skilful artist, Daniel Smith, to the scene of "The Sea Island Hurricanes," off the coast of South Carolina. It was this strange region which was devastated by the great storms last autumn, which killed 2,000 people and left 30,000 homeless and suffering. Among them for the past few months Miss Clara Barton, with a staff of workers from the Red Cross Society, has been dispensing much needed relief. Mr. Harris viewed all the interesting features of this work, and his well-known co character has enabled him to present such a picture of the disaster, the suffering, and the work in progress as no other writer in the South could give. The illustrations present a realistic picture of the curious life on these islands. The article in this number is devoted largely to a description of "The Devasta-Another article in the March

number will describe "The Relief,"

Beautiful Lillian Russell the queen of

FORD'S NEW GRAND OPERA HOUSE. Week of January 29th-Lillian Rusself -First Time in Baltimore of Princess Nicotine-Her New Opera-Direct from the Casino, New York.

song, who will appear at Ford's Grand Opera House during the week of January 29th, in her delightful operatic success, Princess Nicotine, has long been conceded the most beautiful woman on Lotz, of Reading, Pa., furnished supplies | the American stage, to which may be added talents of the highest excellence. In her new opera, Miss Russell is said to appear to the best advantage, and to have won distinction in her art. The libretto, breezy, witty, and amusing, was the joint work of Louis Harrison and Chas. A. Byrne, the music by William Furst has received the highest praise as sparkling with originality, some of the numbers will be long remembered. Miss Russell has surrounded herself with a fine company of singers, a splendid chorus, and has left nothing in the way six years old, bound together by a liga- of richness in scenic effects and costumes to be desired. The fiftieth consecutive performance of Princess Nicotine was

> photograph case containing pictures of Miss Russell in nearly every success she has made. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

Feb. 5, Local Attractions. Feb. 12

recently celebrated at the Casino, New,

York, by appropriate souvenirs-a

Salvini. He May wear his Uncle's Mantle.

Creston Clarke will star next season. Mr. Clarke who is a grandson of the elder Booth, and nephew of the Illustrious Edwin (whom he strongly resembles) recently appeared in Philadelphia as Hamlet, Othelio, Richelieu, Merchant of Venice, etc., etc., for fifty-seven consecutive performances, created unusual interest, by his exceptional performance, crowding the theatre to the doors. He will participate in the Shakespearean Festival to take place at Ford's

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