Three colored men named respectively Charles Hamilton, Henry Williams and Robert Lewis, who had been seen in the vicinity previous to the discovery of the obstruction, were arrested at Plane No. 4. Monday evening and lodged in the Frederick jail.

Pleasant Entertainment.

The Ladies' Mite Society of Emory M. E. Church was very delightfully entertained on Friday evening last at the residence of Miss Emma Hartley. The following program was rendered: Reading, by Miss Virgie Browning; song, by Mr. V. G. Mercier; two violin solos, by Horace Isaac; duet, by Annie and Lakue Browning; trio, by Misses M. Mercier, E. Wilson and A. Browning; readings, by Miss Marie Talbott, Miss Maggie Clark and Mrs. Amy Mercier; male quartet, by Messrs. Mercier, Isaac, Herrmann and Browning. Mrs. Lizzie Herrmann presided at the organ.

Peculiarly Affected.

A peculiar case of supposed hydrophobia has given rise to a good deal of talk especially among the colored people, in Howard county, in the vicinity of Laurel. A colored boy named Benjamin Johnson is the victim. It appears that the boy was not bitten,

but a dog, supposed to be mad, slobbered on him recently, and recently the boy became so violent that it was necessary to chain him to prevent him from injuring himself or others.

The Guy Brothers.

The Guy Brothers after a successful tour of two years will revisit Ellicott City Monday next, giving us one of their unique minstrel entertainments in the New Assembly Room in the evening It takes a good deal to rouse Ellicott City into a mood for attending an entertainment of any kind, but the Guy Brothers never fail to excite a popular interest, for the reason you get the worth of your money. The company is fully equipped with the best talent the country will afford. The entertainment is guaranteed not to offend the most refined taste and, will be made up of the choicest music and the most side-splitting amusement, which reigns throughout. O. Wheary at Simpsonville, Howard The Guy Brothers, it should be remmember, are high class minstrels which seek the most populous centres to give performances and their return is always hailed with delight by the fun-loving public. A fine band will give a street parade during the day.

Orphaus' Court.

The following business was transacted in the Orphans' Court in session Tues-Indenture from Frank P. Clark, father

of Emma J. Clark, to Gilbert G. Flower. Indenture from Frank P. Clark, father of Nettie F. Clark, to J. P. Webb. Indenture from Frank P. Clark, father of Ida May Clark, to Robert S. Max-Letters of administration were granted

to Laura Bowen, on the estate of Cyrus S. Bowen. Letters of administration were granted

to Comfort W. Dorsey, on the estate of the late Mrs. Dorsey. The account of sales of the persona estate of Richard Simpson, as returned

by Annie E. Simpson, administratrix. filed, amounting to \$342,89. The will of Thomas Stansfield was filed for probate. The will, after devising the sum of \$200 to each of his twelve children, gives the residue of his estate consisting of a farm and a considerable

amount of personalty, near Clarkson, in the Third district, to his youngest son. Thomas II. II. Stansfield, who is also made the sole executor.

Messrs. Griffith, Turner & Co.

Elsewhere in this issue will be seen : change of "ad" of Messrs. Griffith, Tur ner & Co. It is scarcely necessary to say that this firm does exactly what it says, It speaks confidently of its tested garden seeds, which are grown under their own supervision. They also mention the "World's Fair Tomato," which ought to command attention. Certainty every one next year will want to grow this tomato, to see what it looks like if nothing else. We suspect it is something first class. The several departments of their business, which comprise, beside their eplendid supply of garden and vegetable seeds, implements and vehicles of the most approved efficiency, and fertilizers that stand the test of trial, contribute to give the firm a standing not excelled by any similar house in the United States.

Road Supervisors.

The County Commissioners in session on Tuesday determined to appoint the road supervisors hereafter in March instead of April. Mr. Reuben D. Johnson, counsel to the board, will prepare an enabling measure to be presented to the Legislature, providing that step be found necessary. The object of the change is to afford the supervisors opportunity for working the roads to some extent before the busy season of the farmers begins.

The Boulevard Electric Road. A number of bids were received in Baltimore Tuesday for the construction of certain portions of the new "Boule vard" electric railroad between Baltimore and Washington, but no awards were made.

Healthy Children

come from healthy mothers. And mothers will certainly be healthy if they'll take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Nothing can equal it in building up a woman's strength, in regulating and assisting all her natural functions. It lessens the pains and burdens of child-bearing, supports and strengthens weak, nursing mothers, and promotes an abundant secretion of nourishment.

It's an invigorating, restorative tonic, a soothing and bracing nervine, and a guaranteed remedy for women's ills and ments In every chronic "femal complaint" or weakness, if it ever fails to benefit or cure, you have your money

Delicate Diseases, affecting male or female, however induced, speedily and permanently cured. Illustrated book sent scaled for 10 cents in stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

For watches, clocks and jewelry call at the new store of Heintz & Martin 336 West Pratt Street, Baltimore, Md.

For a firstelass Alarm Clock, warrant ed for a year, call at Heintz & Martin's, 336 W. Pratt St., Baltimore. Price one -dollar.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

William Carpenter, who Sunday week ince, left the premises of Mr. Leonard Miller, near Waterloo, taking with him a number of articles belonging to the house, including a valuable dog, returned on Friday of last week in a penitent mood bringing the goods with him. Carpenter was brought here and lodged in jail to answer the charge of larceny. Among those visiting Ellicott City during the week were Rev. Mr. Richardsen a former pastor of Emory M. E. Church; W. T. Carr, of Cooksville; Joshua N. Warfield, R. Frank Warfield, Carksville; Mrs. A. Stier, Cooksville; Mrs. J.R. Stier, Daisy; Prof. S. H. Griest,

of St. Denis. A sad story comes from Baltimore of the suicide of Miss Bessie Bantz Ebert, well-known in and a former resident of Ellicott City. She cut her throat on Thursday morning. She had been suffering from Bright's disease by which her

mind had become affected. Daniel A. Scallen, for twelve years the head miller for the C. A. Gambrill Manufacturing Company in their Elli cott City mills, has resigned and will be succeeded by George D. Maxwell, formerly employed by the same company at Orange Grove.

Sheriff G. E. Flower and Mr. John A Denton are authorized by the trustees to solicit contributions to Emanuel M E. Church now in the course of erection in the Sixth district, near Scagg's corner, Howard County.

William Frank Burke, who died on Friday last at his home, near Wetherdville, Baltimore county, was buried Sunday, and the interment was in the family burying ground. The assemblage at the funeral was very large.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James I Bierly on Main street was the scene of a pleasant party Monday evening last, the occasion being a reception given by their daughter, Miss Ada, to a number of her young friends.

William Kurza, seventy-eight years of aged, a native of Hanover, Germany, was found suffering from prostation and and cold, near Mt. Winans last week, having walked from Chicago. The Complaisant Society, of Ellicott

City, has been holding some pleasant meetings of late. Dancing on a restrictedscale is generally the order of the evening.

A grand musical and literary entertainment will be given at Clarksville M. P. Church Wednesday evening, February 14. Admission 15 and 25 cents. The store of Miss Kate Acton, at Rox bury Mills, was entered a few nights ago,

but the thieves were frightened away be fore securing many goods. Mr. John D. Gallaher, a B. and O. employe, had his hand badly cut this week with an axe whilst visiting his brother here, Mr. Jos. Gallaher.

Mr. J. H. Iglehart has been appointed trustee of school No. 3, First district, Baltimore county, vice Wm. T. McCauley, deceased. Miss Annie Martin left Saturday for Philadelphia, called there by the illness

Mrs. Milford D. Shipley is reported critically ill at her home, near Alpha, Howard county. The Laurel city council are considering the scheme of bonding the place for

of a friend

\$30.000 for improvements. Mrs Wheary, wife of Postmaster Wm. county, is lying critically ill from cancer. ing Mr. W. H. Gaither. Don't forget the Guy Brothers Monday evening next in the New Assembly Room, an evening of unadulterated fun. The Volunteer Fire Company will meet Tuesday night next at 8, P. M. at Truck House. Full attendance requested. Mrs. Harvey Anderson, of Baltimore, was the guest this week of Mrs. 11

Branch. Mr. Howard Hughes, of Baltimore;

was the guest of relatives here on Sunday Edward France of THE TIMES, is confined to the house from attack of quinsy The Misses Tyson have returned from

their visit to Baltimore. St. Valentines' Day will occur on Wednesday next. Mr. H. E. Wootton is reported better.

OELLA ITEMS.

OELLA, Feb. 7 .- Miss Amanda Dorsey, of Sykesville, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson several days this week.

Mrs. Amelia, of Baltimore, was visiting relatives here on Tucsday. Mr. George Martin, of Chambersburg, Pa., visited friends here the past week.

Mr. Bradley Schaffer, of Washington, was visiting friends here several days this week. Miss Annie Taylor visited friends in

Baltimore on Wednesday.

Mrs. Caroline Hurdle and daughters. Misses Frances and Mary, visited friends in Baltimore on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Miss Adele Conrad has been quite ill the past week with the grip. The working force at the Oella Mills has been temporarily reduced. Mr. Jarrett Lee lost a valuable cow on

Real Estate Transfers.

Saturday last.

Following are the transfers of real estate as recorded in the Cierk's office for January: John O. Andrew to Wm. J. Martin,

tract containing 127 square perches, consideration \$1000 J. Thomas Clark and Wm. H. Gorman, trustees, to Wm. Steaver, 145 acres, con sideration \$3,500. Job Barnard, trustee, to Josephine G Blake, lot in north Laurel, \$375.

Job Barnard, trustee, to Lizzie P Holloway, lot in north Laurel, \$375. Job Barnard, trustee, to Guy A. Camp, lot in north Laurel, \$400. Job Barnard, trustee, to Jas. F. Kemp lot in north Laurel, \$475

Howard county Triumphant Division No 38, Sons of Temperance, to Thos. S Newton, et al., trustees of Howard Lodge, No. 101, A. F. and A. M., lot in Elkridge, \$1200. Charles D. Pickett to Richard A Fluhart, lot in Poplar Springs, \$250. Hannah Steiger to Frank A. Clark nine acres, more or less, \$900.

John H. Owings to William O'Neill

35} acres, \$1209. George D. Day to Edward W. Day. 121 acres, \$1600. B. A. and William R: Warfield, to Joshua N. Warfield, lot containing 1 acre, more or less, \$150.75. William E. Harman to Henry-H.

Savage, 128 acres, \$5 and other considsiderations. Boston Land Improvement Company end others to Wm. E. Harmon, 125 acres, \$5 and others considerations. Job Barnard, trustee, to Isabel J. Jordon, lot in north Laurel, \$450. Ann S. Kemp to Nathan E. Young Bacres, \$1213 97.

Henry H Savage et al., trustees, to James W. Furley, lot at "Har-Wood," Henrietta M. Banks to Thos. O. Banks, et. al., interest in 350 acres, more or less, \$900.

For ten days Heintz & Martin, will charge but 50 cents for main springs, and 50 cents for cleaning your watch. Work guaranteed for one year. 336 West Prat 11th February, special prayer be made street. Baltimore. Md. Street, Baltimore, Md.

Among new advertisements in THE Times this week is that of Mr. Albert Dogge, whose well-stocked bar is on Camden street, Baltimore, opposite the B. & O. depot. Mr. Dogge has a number of friends in Howard county, and desires to make more, as is indicated by the in- tion Oil is a good remedy for rheumavitation extended in his advertisement.

For \$2.20 we will send THE TIMES and but Salvation Oil vanquished it. I can Cosmopolitan one year. Address True now do as much work as the next sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle.

SYKESVILLE NEWS.

Sykesville, Feb. 7.-An old stable situated on Main street, near the avenue road, has been removed, much to the improvement of that part of town. Mr. F. A. Peddicord, has sold his handsome home situated on Waifield road, above McDonald's store, to Rev.

Father Tower, for a Catholic Church

parsonage, for eighteen hundred dollars. Mrs. A. G. Moorhead, whose illness has been reported, has so far improved as to be able to get about the room. The much talked of mad-dog arrived in our town on Saturday last, and at once proceeded to attend to his-line of business. As a consequence eleven dogs lost their lives one being accorded a burial, two are tied up deprived of their

surrounds their cases. The district meeting of the Epworth League will be held in St Paul's Church, here on Sunday, April 1st. The Howard Minstrels, composed of young men of the town gave a benefit to Springfied Lodge, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday last, realizing quite a handsome sum

as the attendance was large. Mr. Jacob Wetzel, aged 27 years, died it his home near Berret, on Friday, February 2nd, from the effects of flint dust, inhaled while employed in the flint mill at Hood's Mills. This is the second death in the Wetzel family, in 16 months from some cause, his brother Frank having died in this town October; one year ago. He leaves a wife and two children. His funeral took place on Sunday at Brandenburg Church, Revs. Lane, Led. derman and Kraft officiating. Funeral director Weer, had charge. Mrs. Annie E. Gray, aged 67 years, wife of Mr. Danuel Gray, residing near

here, died at her home on Saturday last, of pneumonia. Her funeral took place on Monday from the Catholic Church, Rev. Father Tower officiating. Interment in cemetery adjoining. Funeral director Weer, had charge. Miss Ella Schultz, is spending awhile visiting friends in Washington, D. C. Mr. Nathaniel Chancy, of Plane No. 4 spent last Sunday in our town, the guest of his daughter, Mrs J. W. Firoved.

FLORENCE.

A Pleasant Mite Society Meeting-Som Notes About the People. FLORENCE, Feb. 2 .- The Jennings' Mite Society held its monthly meeting, Friday, 2d inst., at Mr. M. D. Crapster's. The Society was pleasantly entertained with musical selections on the piano by Misses Bessie and Blanche Crapster, Miss Ellicott and Miss Mary T. Dorsey. The latter also recited with pleasing effect "Curfew Shall not Ring To-night." We were pleased to see among the guests present Mrs. W. T. Dorsey and daughter, of the Gienwood Presbyterian Society. We extend a fraternal greeting to our sister societies of that neighborhood and will be glad to have them rep-

the next meeting, which will be held at Mrs. Kate Ellicott's, on the 2d of March. Misses Sadie and Evie Dorsey, of Roxbury, have been spending several vecks at "Coolbrook," the home of Mr. W. S. Black. weather Christians," but one would think so, from the fact that we have not

weather that has prevailed upon the regular church Sundays.

ANON.

ALPHA. A Digest of Happenings as Noted by a Valued Correspondent. ALPHA, Feb. 7.-Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Barlow are spending a few days with

relatives in Baltimore. Mrs. William Fairall, of Baltimore, returned home the latter part of last week after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Charles T. Grant.

Mr. Charles T. Grant is the proud and happy father of a fine young daughter. That the little cherub, Essie Bell, will fully. grow in health and strength, and be a joy to her fond parents, is the wish of their

numerous friends, Mr. Frederick Everett has left the employ of his brother at Monteyue and gone to work in the shop of Mr. Grant, under the direction of Mr. Beal Duvall. Master Fred is kind and obliging? to every one, and added to this, has no lack of industry, which will prove of benefit to his employer and of success for him-

Miss Pindel, teacher of the public school at Woodstock, gave a little entertainment and treat to her pupils on Thursday evening in the half over the store of Mr. Donovan. It was to have been given the children at Christmas but was prevented by sickness in Miss Pindel's family. Prof. T. M. A. Sipe, by invitation, sang several little comic songs which were highly enjoyed by the scholars and others present. The evening was pleasantly spent and the nick-nacks were a thing of the past in a short

Prof. T. M. A. Sipe, organist and direcor at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Carroll's Manor, is organizing a choir among the junior members of the church. It is the aim to have this young choir learn to sing the regular Latin of the mass, and to be ready for the first time to sing at bers, Lizzie Stromburg, Master Willie Stromburg and Mr. George Wills. By the next rehearsal, which will be on Saturday afternoon, the list of members will

be completed. Miss Minnie Murphy, the popular public school teacher at Poplar Springs, peut from Friday until Sunday with Miss Mary Renchan, of Clarks on.

WEST FRIENDSHIP.

WEST FRIENDSHIP, Feb. 7.-Miss Lula Stansfield, of Green Spring Valley, is visiting her aunts, near here. Mrs. Miles Gearhart, of Poplar Springs, is on a visit to her father, Mr. T. W

Ridgely, of West Friendship. The Enworth League at St. James. meets every Sunday night. Mr. M. Isaacs has removed from "Chipmunk Heights," to West Frienddilp, where he will carry on blacksmith-

CHURCH AND OTHER NOTICES. Special week day services during Lent t St. Peter's Church each morning at 9 clock and each evening at half past 4 and Miss Bessie Leishear, all of Lisbon except Wednesday. Wednesday night at 703 The Rev. J. B. Purcell will preach Wednesday night Feb. 14, at 7 30 o'clock. Rev. R. R. Murphy, a former pastor, will preach the missionery sermon at Emory M. E. Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The missionary anniversary will be held at 7.80 P. M. A fine program will be rendered. Everyhody is invited. Preaching at Bethany

The Maryland State Temperance Alliance has recommended that on Sunday, the Temperance cause in the State and specially that the Legislature now in lieve him perfectly honorable in all busisession may pass a general Local Option | ness transactions, and financially able to Law.

Mr. Jacob Gaunt, Medford, Burlington Co. N. J., thus gives his experience: "From experience I can say that Salvatism. I had been almost a cripple for eight or nine months with this malady, person."

FACTS FROM FULTON.

Various News Items of Interest-The History of a Church. FULTON, Feb. 7 .- A lecture will be ield at Zion M. E. Church on Thursday evening 22nd inst. Further particulars will be announced next week. Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. John Amos, of Doughoregan, visited Mrs.

Elisha Brown, and other relatives in this vicinity recently. Among those visiting here lately were and are: Rev. H. M. Strickler, Mr. Wm. Welling, Mrs. J. H. Hall, Mc. N. Soper Childs, Mrs. R. Cross, Messrs, Alfred Moore, Thos. L. Maclin, J. W. Moore, Misses Emma Childs, Jennie Cissel, Annie R. Moore, Sophie Moore, Pattie Haines, Mr. H. R. lager, Sr., Rev. E. C. Ide, Mr. Fred Eyre, Mr. B. Murphy, H.

iterty awaiting results as some doubt McCrossin, Albert Alcorn. Zion M. E. Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Mary L. Harding,a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Harding, of Highland, and Mr. C. W. Richardson, a son of Mr. Chas. Richardson, of the same neighborhood.

for the church that a marriage has taken

years has the church been built and unever been solemnized within its consesacred precincts. In all those years Zion had known but one bridegroom, and spirit had upon several memorable occasions manifested itself in a way that miniscience will doubtless be of interest. Prior to the civil war the church was attended by a large congregation but after ferences took place among members of he church, creating a discord that finally ripened into 'an open rupture and as a consequence the congregation divided—those of northern sentiment retaining charge of the church while those of southern sentiment congregated at Pindell's school-house as Southern - Methodists. By this separation the st: o iger financial arm of support was withdrawn from the church, causing a gradual decline, and finally the few remaining members found it impracticable to continue services and the church practically stood idle for a number of years, services being only held occasionally and at long intervals. About six years ago a consolidation of a few members from both sides took place, and they were instrumental in having the church transferred to the jurisdiction of the M. E. Church, south, and classed as one of the appointments of what is now known at Freedom Circuit. Rev. J. R. Andrews and Rev. J. K. White, were the appointed pastors and they labored energetically and faithfully for the re-establishment of the church upon a firm footing. In the under their ministry which resulted in resented at our future meetings. the conversion of a large number of people and an increase in the membership A full attendance is carnestly desired at of the church from a dozen bona fide members to about seventy. A flourishing Sunday-school was also built up which at one time, including officers and teachers, numbered seventy members; and it can truly be said of the church Mr. Charles Haslup, of Laurel, is visit- that for several years her candlestick was burnished and gave forth no uncer-We are not generally considered "rair | tain light, and the fire on her altar burned brightly. (Omitting here a chapter concerning an alternate progression had services at the Chapel since Christand retrogression of the past few years). mas, owing to the very disagreeable And now, though apparently fire on her altar is only smoldering, it will require but the replenishing oil and the trimming of the individual lamps to cause it to burn brightly in unison with the lamp of His love, thereby enabling Zion to rejoice in having her candlestick readjusted and in having found favor in the sight of her Lord. As one in whose memory arises the recollection of happy incidents and pleasant associations we hope that the recent pleasant break in Zion's

ent pastors, Rev. II. M. Strickler and Rev. R. W. L. Fultz, are laboring faith-

matrimonial record may be an omen for

good and the harbinger of many similar

affairs to take place there and of a renew-

ed spiritual reunion of the church with

Christ. To the latter purpose the pres-

ALBERTON ITEMS. Alberton, Feb. 8. A very pretty dance was given on last Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stauffer, at their residence on Guilofrd avenue. Among those present were Misses Minnie, Hattie, and Lucy Williams, Sadie and Rosa Hickey, Annie and Jennie Higgins, Nellie, Mattie and Emma Patterson, Mamie Stump, Amanda Davis, Misses Sherwood; Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd; Messrs. Hammond Davis, Elisha, Albert and Willie McKenzie, Willard Norton, M. Lutz, Alex. Grove and Eugene Isaac, Music was furnished

by Mr. John McKenzie. Mrs. Scribner, of this place has been lying seriously ill for some time. She is still very sick. A reception was tendered Rev. Mr. and Mrs. II. II. Douty, at the residence of and Nettie Howard, and Blanche Bowers.

A large crowd was present. We noticed in the last issue of a neighboring journal another little item | will be near Randallstown, Baltimore by X. We would not reply only courtesy demands it. We are very thankful or soon after Easter. The members so to X for his high appreciation of our far are Misses Ruth Hebb, Maggie Cham- worth and still more thankful for his good wishes. However we have heard of no special condemnation against us individually, but we will join our prayers with X that he may be saved from a loom like that which Ananias suffered. X did not challenge our last communication, hence we take it that he has hauled in his colors. We will pay no more heed to him. Therefore we declare the fight off. With best wishes to X, and the earnest desire that he "will forsake evil and do good,'

We remain, HAM II.

MAYFIELD MUSINGS. MAYFIELD, Feb. 8 .- E. Fleming of hands at work.

It is understood that Prof. T. M. A Sipe, has organized a choir, connected with St. Mary's Church. · Mr. Wm. Chambers, will shortly move to the farm recently occupied by Judge zawrence Hobbs. Among the recent visitors to Mayfield were Mrs. Knock, Miss Adella Knock

and Mr. Wm. Amoss, of Sykesville. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Flanagan, paid The Misses Wolfe, have been spending some time with friends at Columbia. Mr. Samuel Orem, will take up his future residence at Sixteen Mile House. | ments, &c. ELAIN.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be K. Ridgely, live stock, farming implecured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Chency for the last 15 years, and becarry out any obligations made by their

WEST & TRAUX, Wholesale Druggists Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Whole sale Druggist, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mu cous surface of the system. Testimonials Sold by all druggists.

SAVAGE.

A Pretty Wedding Solunized Amid Con gratulations of Friends. SAVAGE, Feb. 6.-The home of Mr. and M13. John Lenox, of Savage, Howard county, was the scene of one of the prettiest home weddings on Wednesday evening last that has occurred in this vicinity for some time. The house was tastefully decorated throughout with evergreens and potted plants. The contracting parties were Miss Bertha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lenox, and Wm. B. Hayworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hayworth, both of this town. Promptly at eight o'clock the bridal party entered the parlor, the bride and groom being preceded by the groom's best man, Mr. Robert Morang, Jr., and the bridesmaid, Miss Addie Lenox, sister of the bride, to the wedding march rendered by Miss Maggie Jones. The bridal party was met in the center of the room under a floral horseshoe by the Rev. E Richardson, who made the happy couple Is it an omen of bright coming events

one. The bride and bridesmaid were at tired in handsome suits of white and carried bouquets of la France roses. After receiving the congratulations of their many friends they repaired to the in property the legal interest in which place in dear old Zion? Thirty-five elegantly arranged and bountifully sup- is held by non residents and so held to plied dining rooms where a splendid til the recent marriage none other had collation was served. They received numerous presents which were both usecrated walls and but three funeral ful and ornamental. Among those corteges have wended their way from its present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Lenox, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hayworth, Mr. and Mrs that her Lord, and the power of His F. Furguson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Basford, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Was-Zion could truly rejoice as a bride cleet key, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hammond, Mr at the coming of her bridegroom. The and Mrs. Wm. Shorts, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. following brief history and personal re- Penn, the Misses Maggie Biggs, Maggie Jones, Blanche Putnam, Annie Hayworth, Mattie Speck, Fannie Huffman Mamie Hayworth, Laura Phelps, Annie the outbreak of hostilities, sectional dif- McDonald, Belle Reily, Florence Reily, Addie Lenox, Fannie Lenox, the Misses Bounds, Misses Waskey, Misses Pearson, Misses Young, Misses Ash, Miss Daisy Fishpaw, Mrs. Levi Pearson, Miss Eya worth, All bonds and certificates of in-Kemp, of Harper's Ferry, W. Va.; Miss Emma Wheat, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs J. W. Compton, of Washington, D. U.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hayworth, of State and belonging to residents "shall Baltimore; Messrs. E. Fagan, George Fagan, Leonard Williams, T. 7 Basford, Frank Speck, Thos. Bounds, Robert Morang, Jr., Clinton Basford, Charles tificates of indebtedness bearing interest Putnam, John Reily, Albert Biggs, Geo. W. Page, Harry Waskey, Jacob Speck, John Lenox and many others.

GLENWOOD GLEANINGS.

GLENWOOD, Feb. 7.—One of the most enjoyable meetings the Union Mite and Literary Society has ever had was the one held at Mr. A P. Forsythe's, Feb. 3. The Society was called to order by the President. The young people sang a chorus and this was followed with prayer by Rev. R. L. Fultz. The proautumn of 1888 a revival was conducted gram was well carried out as all were prompt to do the parts assigned them. The Society adjourned to meet at Mr. W. E. Fite's, March 3, at 2. P.M. Glenwood has been quite lively this vinter, several social gatherings have brought the young people together which they have enjoyed very much.

Miss Julia Mathews is visiting Mrs lames Mason, of Baltimore. Miss Effic Hammond is visiting her ister, Mrs C. R. Harban, of Miss Kate Mathews is visiting friends in Washington. She will go from there

oudoun county, Virginia. Gathered in and About Gaither's. GAITHER'S, Feb. 7 .- Mrs. August Detme has returned home after a two weeks visit at her mother's, Mrs Katie Sutch. Mrs. Robert Day has been spending a few days with relatives in Howard

county. Master William Hobbs who has been dangerously ill with scarlet fever is much better at this writing. Woodstock quarries are discharging learly all their men. Some have been working on half time. Master Clarence Thomas, broke his arm below the elbow last week while

playing at school. HYMENEAL

PARLETT-SCOTT. A very pretty home wedding tool place on Wednesday, January 31st, 1894, at the residence of Mr. Edward C. Scott, near Simpsonviile, Howard county, Md. the contracting parties being his daughters, Miss Abbie, and Mr. Harry Parlett, of Baltimore county, Miss Carrie Gambrill, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Luther Parlett, brother of the groom, as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. M. Strickler, pastor of M. E. Church south. The bride's dress was of golden brown crystal Marechal Neil roses. The groom wore the conventional black. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Scott Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Parlett, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parlett and family, Mr. and real estate in the State represented by Mrs. Walter C. Gambrill, Mrs. H. W. Gambrill. Miss Emma Earp, Miss Florence Parlett, Mrs. Affred B. Coale, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Howard, by Misses Minnie | Frank Parlett, Mr. Luther Parlett, Mr. Samuel Scott, Miss Annie Gambrill, Mr Jno. Cronmiller and daughters and others. The future home of the couple

OBITUARY.

county.

MRS. J. R GRIFFITH. Died at her home in Laurel, Md., on Sunday last. The funeral took place on Tuesday at two o'clock from Centenary M. E. Church, Interment at Savage Cemetery, Howard County.

a well-known lady of near Woodstock, wife of Mr. Frank Smith, died Saturday evening of pneumonia aged thirty-five years. Her funeral took place Monlay morning, and the interment in the Catholic cemetery at that place.

MRS. HASELTINE TAGGART, one of the best-known and most highly esteemed residents of Granite, wife of Mr. Robert B. Taggart, a leading mer-Delaware, who has purchased the wood- chant of that place, died Wednesday land of Mr. Harper Carroll has a force of morning of consumption, aged thirtyfive years. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. John Day, of the Third district.

WALTER T. STAUBITZ, Infant son of Mr. K. Staubitz, Henry ton, departed this life January 21, 1894, aged 7 months and 4 days.

SALE RECORD. The following sales are advertised in

THE TIMES. On Thursday, Feb. 15, 1894, by Willlying visit to Catonsville, on Monday, liam H. Hobbs, live stock, farming implements, &c. On Friday, Feb. 16, 1894, by William

D. Welling, live stock, farming imple-On Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1894, by Charles I. Richardson, live stock, farming im-On Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1894, by George ments, household furniture, &c.

On Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1894, by Mrs. Frances V. Willard, live stock, household

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

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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furniture, &c.

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SYNOPSIS OF THE HAVES COMPRO-MISE BILL.

It Is Just About the Equivalent of the Two Field Bills-Property Taxed and Exempted-Quadrennial Assessment a Feature-The Week's Work at the Capital-Minding the Business of Congress.

Following is the substance of the Hayes compromise bill, the agreement upon which by Senator Hayes and Governor Brown last week was reported by THE TIMES. The bill specifies as taxable for State,

county and municipal purposes all vessels in or out of port, the taxes to be paid where owners reside; all real estate in Maryland belonging to banks or corporations in or out of the State; all money, belonging to residents of the State, proceeding from sales of stocks or other taxable property, sold to evade taxation; all corporation or bank stock owned by residents, taxes to be paid where owners reside; equitable interests escape taxation in this State; stock of corporations or State banks, located out of Maryland, owned by residents; all and belonging to residents; all investments in private securities; the real property in this State and the personal property owned by any corporation not having a capital stock divided into House of Congress with a view to shares exempted from taxation with said exemption carrying exemption of said realty, and personalty; all certificates of indebtedness issued by corporations, States or foreign countries; the real and personal property of steam railroads, the assessment of bridges to be the same as of equal lengths of roadbed elsewhere, but tunnels to be valued at their actual debtedness, bearing interest, issued by any railroad or corporation, secured by mortgage of property wholly within the be subject to valuation, assessment and taxation to the owner or owners thereof in the same manner as like bonds or cerand secured by mortgage of property partly in this State and partly in some other State or States, are now subject to valuation and assessment under the laws The bill provides that all other prop-

erty shall be taxed except as elsewhere

exempted or specially provided for. WHAT IS EXEMPTED. The exemptions of the bill comprise United States bonds and property, State property and municipalities; houses of public worship, their furniture, parsonages, appurtenant grounds and buildings; cemeteries not conducted for profit; church or family burying grounds; crops in the hands of the producer or his agent; provisions and food for family consumption; working tools of mechanics used by hand; wearing apparel, except diamond and costly jewelry not habitually worn on the person; fish in the hands of the fisherman or agent; buildings, equipment and furniture of hospitals, asylums, charitable or benevolent institutions and incorporated educational or literary institutions, all necessary grounds appu tenant thereto in cities, the ground being restricted to forty acres outside of cities the real and personal property of any to visit her sister, Mrs. C. M. Iddings, of corporation of this State having capita

stock divided into shares when said shares only are subject to taxation under the law; shares of stock in any corporaion exempted by irrepealable contract with the State; corporation property exempted from taxation by the exemption of the capital stock; shares of stock of steam railroad companies which are subject to State taxation on their gross receipts within the State, and to county and municipal taxation on their real and personal properties in counties and cities of the State; book accounts, bills receivable and evidences of debt given merchants taxed on a fair average value of their stock; the value of such portions of shares of homestead or building associations as may be represented by mortgages on real property in the State when such real property is taxed and mortgage debts thus secured, mortgages within the State and mortgage debts thereby secured, except bonds and certificates of indebtedness, bearing interest, issued by any railroad or other

State: stock or corporate property exempted by special act or charter amend-

ment unrepealed. OTHER FEATURES. The method of taxing personal property is in general the same as at present, that is, the tax is paid where the tax payer resides, in the case of residents cord, and she carried a bouquet of and where the bank or corporation issuing the stock is located in the case of non-residents.

It is provided that in taxing corporate

corporation of the State secured by

mortgage of property wholly within the

stock, abatement shall be made for all such stock. The provision for a State tax on the gross receipts of all steam railway com panies and county or municipal taxes on the real and personal property of such companies is made to apply to every telegraph or cable company, telephone company, electric light or electric con struction company, gas company, every parlor, palace or sleeping-car company, every oil or pipe line conpany, every express or transportation company, by

land or water, every title insurance company, and every safe deposit, trust, guarantee and fidelity company of every description incorporated under any general or special law of this State and doing business therein, as well as to such companies incorporated in other States and doing business in Maryland. Where a railway company pays taxes on its gross receipts for State purposes it shall not do so on its stock or real or personal property. Where it pays on its real and personal property for county or municipal purposes, as well as on its gross receipts for State purposes, as re-

quired in all cases, its stock is exempt from county and municipal taxation. "But the capital stock and property of corporations, other than railroad companies, shall be valued, assessed and taxed for State, county and municipal pur poses, like the capital stock and property of other corporations." The law as given governing railway, construction, guarantee and other corporations is to apply likewise to unircorporated associations, partnerships or individuals

engaged in the same business. The gross receipts tax for State pur poses in the case of steam railways is from eight tenths of one per cent when the earnings are \$1000 per mile or less up to two per cent when the earnings exceed \$2,000 per mile. The tax for other companies ranges from one to two per cent on gross receipts. The proportion of gross receipts taxable in case of

There are the familiar provisions for assessors and boards of control and review. The assessors are to fill out the lists after examining the taxpayer under oath,

EO CALLED HOME RULE. Baltimore city seems desirous of provision whereby she may govern the lay

ing of taxes for local purposes. It has I

also been proposed that each county likewise be empowered to regulate local as-To accomplish these objects amendment of the constitution would be necessary and steps to that end, it is announced, will be taken.

TO DEFEAT THE HAYES BILL. It is believed there is a preconcerted novement on foot to defeat the Hayes bill by the tacking on of objectionable amendments. The first open move was by Senator Newman, of Frederick county, who on Thursday offered an amend-

ment providing for the taxation of mortgages. The amendment was adopted by a vote of 13 to 12, Senator Baker being absent. Senator Rogers opposed the Newman amendment, eloquently showing the motives back of the proposed amendment.

MINDING THE BUSINESS OF CONGRESS. A flurry of needless excitement was caused in the Senate last week by a resolution which had been introduced by Senator Bennett, of Carroll county, and referred to the committee an federal dorsement of the Wilson'bill and a demand that it be passed by Congress. When first introduced it was referred to the committee on federal relations who reported it Friday of last week in an amended form, urging that the United | mand. States Senators keep the party faith and carry out the party pledges as to bonds issued by corporations or States tariff reform, but not seeking to confine them to the unamended Wilson bill. Senator Bennett was waiting, however, with an amendment demanding practically that the Senators should not examine the bill as passed in the lower making any changes in it. The demand was for the Wilson bill specifically. As this could be construed by captious critics as an insult to the discretion and intelligence of the Democratic members of the United States Senate and as the arrogation to the little Maryland Senate of the business of the national legislature, four of the most solid Democrats at Annapolis voted against Senator Bennett's resolution as amended by him. These four Senators were President Smith, Senators Hayes, Rogers and Evans. Such resolutions as Senator Bennett's are sometimes a great nuisance. The nore so because they are so often ad-

vocated by well meaning, zealous, but thoughtless people. Their introduction requently indicates that self-conceit, which, with the wave of a tyro's hand, would brush aside difficulties which puzzle statesmen for weeks and months. Or, on the other hand, their introduction may argue lack of confidence in the persons sought to be influenced. The State editorial association which ately met in Annapolis showed deference to the legislature by refusing to adopt resolutions laying down the General Assembly's duty on assessment and other pressing questions. Yet the journalists composing the Association were men who, of all others, know the sentiment of Maryland, because it is their business to know it. There was sufficient confidence reposed in the legislature to accept as a fact that the latter body would act in all things carefully and conscientiously and that no outside dictation or gratuitous advice was

And by the way it might occur to the legislature that it is not out of the woods yet, but has enough to look after in the way of State legislation without puton its Atlanteai shoulders. If the legislature will just mind its own business it will find quite a plenty to do. The Wilson bill, or any other Democratic measure, is not in danger in the United States Senate nor at the hands of Senator Gorman or Senator Gibson.

The Bennett resolution was adopted, a number of timid Senators fearing they night be misunderstood if voting against The resolutions came up on their third reading Tuesday night. By this time their impropriety had become apparent to the more thoughtful Democrats of the Senate and a motion for their recommittal was carried by a vote of 15 to 8. Wednesday they reappeared in amended form and were supported by all the Democratic senators. In their amended form they endorse the Wilson bill "with such amendments, if any, as may be deemed right and proper, the same to be in keeping with the pledges of the Democratic party, as set forth in the Chicago platorm." It cannot be denied that such an outcome is quite amusing. Instead of endorsing the Wilson bill, the amended esolutions endorse in advance any bill which may get through the United States Senate. And the funniest part of all is that the rabid Senators Bennett and Moss, the irreconcilable, throw up their hats over their dish of crow, and say it's just what they've been hankering

SENATOR GORMAN QUOTED. Senator Gorman's attention was called o the action of the legislature and he is ver to say relative to the Legislature of and can take whatever course it deems proper. As a Democrat I can say that whatever it does as a Democratic body is Wilson bill is fully summed up in my speech last week on the bond-issue question. In the closing paragraph of that speech I said that no tariff bill had ever been enacted by Congress without the fullest consideration, and the same consideration will be given the Wilson bill as all other similar measures. I am not prepared to discuss the bill in detail, nor shall. I discuss it until it is before the Senate, but I think it is safe to say that the bill will be considerably changed by the Senate. In what respect do not know, nor does any Senator know, but the fact is apparent on the face of the bill that if it should become a law it will create a deficiency of \$60,000, 000 per annum. It is therefore apparent that something must be done to raise sufficient revenue to meet the expenses of the government. As a result, many articles in the Wilson bill which are admitted free will be taxed. I wish to state, however, that I believe the Democratic party should be faithful to its

which will redeem the pledge of our HOWARD AND ANNE ARUNDEL TRUCKERS. Lower Howard, like Anne Arundel, a largely interested in trucking a growing industry in this part of Maryland, in these days when the competition of the west has made the raising of cereals a delusion and a snare.

pledges for a tariff reform, and I shall do

all in my power to enact a tariff bill

A delegation of truckers has been in Annapolis urging the passage of 🛦 law to sell tomatoes by measure and no: by weight, as at present. The gentlemen of the delegation say they want the baskets in which tomatoes are sold made to hold abushel and a half bushel, respectively, and to be legally stamped as holding the quantity. These baskets then to be accepted by the buyers as containing the quantity they are stamped to hold. The reason for the law given was that there any railway, express, telegraph or other is no means ascertaining whether the ompany whose lines are in this and weight returned is right or wrong. In other States is to be determined by the the delegation were Thomas A. Owens, ratio the length of its line in this State Frank Revell, Wm. B. Chairs, Poter F. bears to its entire length.

The remainder of the bill is substan- Grosvenor Hanson, Henry Marks, John tially as has been explained in THE TIMES. B. Bennett. Charles Pumphrey. Henry Pfeiffor, Michael Norris, Edward Murray.

THE SMITH FREE BOOK BILL. Senator Smith's bill to purchase free and any taxpayer missed by the assessor school books for the school children of must appear before the latter and cause the State was introduced Wednesday. It the property missed to be assessed under appropriates \$125,000 to be apportioned penalty of double taxation. There is among the counties and city of Baltimore provision also for quadrennial assess- as other school funds are apportioned. ment. The assessment districts are the Of course Baltimore city will get the same as heretofore announced in The Hon's share of the appropriation although she already has a free-book system. Allusion to the bill at length has already been made by THE TIMES.

> MARYLAND'S MILITIA. Governor Brown in his special

message to the legislature on the subject of the State militia, says he found sessment and taxation. These are the the militia in debt about \$16,so-called home-rule propositions that 000 when he became commander-in-have been heard of at Annapolis before, chief and therefore had enforced rigid chief and therefore had enforced rigid economy in expenditure. In order to pay off this indebtedness and also to sufficiently equip the militia as to make t available in the event of a call for active duty, he had determined to delay he biennial encampment, called for by the law, in 1893. This had resulted in putting the militia on a cash basis, and if the usual appropriation was made the encampment could be held this summer. His two years' experience had convinced him that there were no advantages to be gained by the organization of the State fishery force as a naval militia, and he therefore disbanded the "Maryland Naval Militia," which he had found connected with the Maryland National Guard. He unhesitatingly recommends that the present appropriation to the

militia be continued. LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The House took up some time Tuesday on a motion that the State printer be authorized to print 1000 copies of relations. The resolution was an en- the new Hayes bill at a cost of \$150. The motion was lost but later reconsidered when it was learned that the State printer has already done the work in anticipation of the de-

Delegate Wolfe, of Howard county, took a hand in the breezy discussion which sprang up and argued that the printer had exceeded his authority and should stand the loss. The appropriawas, however, finally allowed, it appearing that the printer had acted in good

Laurel has had a delegation at Annapolis asking an amendment to the charter of the town. Leave has been obtained to introduce a bill providing for the amendment. The changes contemplated in the charter are that the bailiff and town supervisor be appointed by the town ouncil instead of being elected, as at present. It also provides that the council shall consist of five members intead of nine, one to be elected from each ward and two at large. Under the existing charter each ward elects three members of the council.

The legislature will be asked to pass bill authorizing the county commissioners of Allegany county to issue \$100,000 in bonds to build a new courthouse: also, a bill providing for the issue of \$75,00 0in bonds to pay the floating indebtedness of the county. The Court of Appeals has rendered :a

decision sustaining the Carroll county high license law of 1892 and knocking out entirely the local option law of 1890. Senator Bennett, of Carroll county, as introduced a bill limiting the compensation of the State's Attorney of that ounty to \$1,500 per annum. Senator Rogers has introduced a bill

to sanction a bequest of the late Mrs. Jane Piper, of Ellicott City, to the Presbyterian Church. The bequest is of \$1,000 outright and an interest in the residue of the property of the decedent after all legacies have been paid. Senator Hubaer has introduced a bill o amend the charter of the Baltimore, Catonsville and Ellicott's Mills Passenger Railway; to authorize it to use elecricity; to acquire the right to use the Frederick turnpike and to consolidate it with the City and Suburban Railway Company.

LIKE THE PRECIOUS OINTMENT.

The Conference at Rennert's a Field Day-A Recommendation. Messes. Editors:-

The Brown Conference at Rennert's was a "Field day" for the Hayes' people. A compromise is not a black eye for either party, but is in the spirit of good common sense. All the parties in the assessment muddle evidently hold the good of the people at heart, and are entitled to an equal share of honest intention and now that they have gotten together let the good work go on. "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity. It is like precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard; that went down to

the skirts of his garment." To carry out the provisions of the bill, we must have thirty good efficient appointees, and in that connection I could mention one of our old tried Democrats, who has never held any political position, and, I am sure, would give great satisfaction to anybody in the Third district, Mr. Mahlon Saffell. Whilst classed with our old Democrats, is by no means

in the list of old men. The Baltimore Sun thinks that our Senators at Washington need a reminder from our people at Annapolis as to their duty on the Wilson Bill. It has a sly way of hitting at Senator Gorman. The senior Senator from this State requires no monitor when the interests quoted as stating: "I have nothing what- of his party and country are at stake. The State of Maryland never had a represen-Maryland. It is an independent body tative in Washington that shed more lustre upon her proud history. Any in-sinuations, no matter from what source as to his fealty to party and patriotic inacceptable to me. My attitude on the tentions, will be resented by any true Democrat of his native county. These weekly insinuations seem to amuse the Sun. They don't hurt Senator Gorman. Friend Editors, I suppose it is patriotic and all right to erect monuments to the defenders of our country. But often

> humanity would in my humble judgment be conducive of more real good. Yours truly, J. W. II.

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WEST FRIENDSHIP. Feb. 7, 1894.

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