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SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1888.

Republican Primaries and County Convention.

The Republican voters of Carroll county are hereby notified that primary meetings will be held at the usual places in the several districts on Saturday, May 5th, 1888, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock, P. M., to select Five Delegates in each district to a County Convention to be held in the room of the Westminster Republican Club, Bowers' Hall, No. 49 East Main street, Westminster, on Monday, May 7th, 1888, at 10½ o'clock, A. M., which convention will elect Five Delegates to represent the county in the Second Congressional District Convention to be held in Waverly, Baltimore county, on Wednesday, May 9th, 1888, and also Five Delegates to represent the county in the State Convention to be held in Easton, Talbot county, on Thursday, May 17th, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Four Delegates at large and Four alternate delegates to the National Republican Convention, and two Presidential electors for the State at large.

I. E. PEARSON, Chairman.
JNO. H. MITTEN, Secretary.

Important to Republicans.

In compliance with the registration law as enacted by the recent legislature the registers of voters will sit in the various districts of the county on Monday and Tuesday, the 14th and 15th of this month, for the purpose of Registering in their respective Election Districts all persons who possess, or will before the day of Election next ensuing possess, the requisite qualifications under the Constitution of the State of Maryland and the Laws made thereunder, entitling them to vote in said Election Districts, and for the further purpose of revising and scrutinizing the Registries of Voters of said respective Election Districts and of striking from said Registries the names of all dead and disqualified persons.

We urge the Republicans of every district in this county to give this important duty their immediate attention and see that every Republican, entitled to register, attends to it at once. Do not put it off, but attend to it at once. Full information as to this important duty will be found by reference to the advertisement of the sittings in this issue of the SENTINEL.

Talbot and Anti-Talbot.

Every county in the Second Congressional district has a candidate for the Democratic nomination. Baltimore county has Talbot, who is perennially and eternally with her Cruikshank has carried Cecil; Dr. Shaw is the choice of Carroll, and Stump will have the Harford delegation. Stevenson Archer, the warm friend of Talbot, has consented to let Stump have his own way in Harford. The anti-Talbot people are breaking their heads to unravel what this means. Perhaps Talbot knows; perhaps he doesn't. Friends of the ex-congressman, when the question is asked them, assume a very confident air, and predict that Harford and Baltimore counties will pull together at the right time. Cecil has not had a congressional candidate for twenty years; it is the only county that has been so unfortunate. It is about time for her turn to come. But Talbot thinks he will be the nominee; so does Dr. Shaw. Stump and Cruikshank, though not so confident, are equally hopeful.—*Baltimore American.*

What Is It?

The Baltimore County *Union* of last Saturday says:

"The *Carrolltonian*, a Republican paper published at Westminster, says the fight in the Second Congressional district is between Shaw and Talbott, that a nomination is equivalent to an election, and then proceeds to bring up Mr. Talbott's war record and to otherwise denounce him in an altogether unjust and uncalledfor manner. We like fairness, but in its zeal for Dr. Shaw, (against whom we have not a word to say) the *Carrolltonian* overleaps the bounds of propriety and shows that there is something behind its position that, if it were known, would perhaps not be creditable to itself."

Not far from the truth, brethren; and yet the most natural thing in the world. Why, do you ask? Well, the answer is not difficult. Dr. Shaw is a stockholder of the *Carrolltonian* Company. Rather awkward for that paper, you probably think; but a shrewd thing in the Doctor, as is shown by the editorial referred to. The simon pure character of his Democracy is too well established to be called in question, and the active good will and support of a Republican newspaper are not to be despised, even in a district as thoroughly Democratic as the Second Maryland, especially in advance of the nomination. In saying this we must also say that, while differing radically with Dr. Shaw politically, the SENTINEL respects the consistency with which he advocates principles supposed to be held by his party, yet often evaded by it for the sake of expediency; but we have no mission to espouse the cause of his renomination against any other Democrat. The SENTINEL could not advocate the election of Dr. Shaw; hence it can take no part in furthering his candidacy. But then, brethren, Dr. Shaw don't own any stock in this paper. You see the point, don't you?

President Cleveland has taken the country somewhat by surprise by the nomination of Milville W. Fuller, of Illinois, a close personal and political friend, to be Chief-Justice of the United States. Mr. Fuller has been frequently mentioned as among the possibilities, but his name has at no time taken the leading place in the discussion, and it was announced only a few days ago by the special organs of the Administration that the President did not know yet whom he would appoint. Mr. Fuller's public service thus far has been confined to membership in the Legislature; and his chief connection with politics has apparently been in the local contentions of the Chicago Democracy. If he is to be judged by his official experience and his record as a party leader, the showing, it must be admitted, is not impressive.

State conventions were held Wednesday in Connecticut, Illinois and Iowa, and an anti-saloon republican conference was held in New York.

An Open Letter.

The following letter, written by Messrs England & Bryan to Dr. F. T. Shaw, member of Congress from this district, will explain itself.

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Snow and Earthquake.

ST. PAUL, MINN., April 29.—After three days of rain it began snowing this afternoon, and at 9 P. M. still continues. Specials from St. Peter, Minn., Yankton and Canton, Dak., report a damp snow falling. This is the latest snow of any spring for five years in South Dakota. While it may delay seeding, somewhat, it will not damage crops already in the ground.

OMAHA, NEB., April 29.—A special to the *Bee* from Valentine, Neb., says a severe blizzard was raging there Saturday, making travel almost impossible.

MONTPELIER, VT., 29.—The mercury went up to about 90 Saturday all over Northern Vermont.

BIGGS, CAL., April 29.—The heaviest earthquake shock ever experienced here occurred at 8.45 Saturday night, lasting 75 seconds. The vibrations were from east to west. Plastered buildings cracked.

STOCKTON, CAL., April 29.—Four distinct shocks of earthquake were felt here at 8.40 last evening.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The fact is patent that Grover Cleveland will be nominated by the Democratic party for the Presidency.

The Henry George ticket reads: For president, Grover Cleveland, of New York; for Vice President, Roger Q. Mills, of Texas. Platform: Free Trade straight.

The Board of Health of Indiana has ordered a general cleaning up of that state. The decay of Democratic reform has poisoned the atmosphere out there.

The Democrats of Louisiana have overreached themselves. In stuffing the ballot boxes they put in more majority than there are voters in the election districts.

Ex-Congressman M. W. Field, chairman of the Greenback State Central Committee, of Michigan, has resigned that office on the ground that the importance of the Protection issue forces him to join hands with the Republicans.

Cleveland vetoes private pension bills as rapidly as they come before him. The only pensions the veterans will get so long as he is President are those which they are authorized to receive under laws passed by Republican Congresses and signed by Republican Presidents.

We are altogether convinced that it has been within the power of the Republican party to break up the solid South at any time within a dozen years, and it would seem as if now that there is nothing to be gained at the North by pursuing an opposite course, it would see its opportunity and embrace it.

The Assistant Attorney General of the United States, Mr. Montgomery, made a speech in Washington the other evening in which he denounced the free schools and urged their total abolition. Mr. Montgomery is a Democrat of the old style, and he rightly believes that the schools have caused irreparable damage to his party.

President Cleveland has accepted an invitation to visit New York on the 30th of May to participate in the Grand Army memorial exercises of that city and Brooklyn. Mr. Cleveland has not been on very good terms with the G. A. R., but the election is approaching, and he cannot afford to decline invitations from it just at this momentous period.

There are many Democrats in the South who are in favor of protecting American industries and American interests, and there are many who favor the unconditional repeal of the internal revenue; but, to each and every one of these the success of the Democratic party is more important than Protection or the repeal of the excise taxes.—*Atlanta Constitution (Dem).*

Pensions for Union veterans and the families of those who have passed on to the majority ought properly to occupy considerable attention in Congress, this session. Many of the measures which have been introduced are broad, comprehensive, and of wide importance. Few of them have yet emerged from the committee rooms; and it is now time that the committees should report a good deal of important business for the consideration of the two houses.

The National Democratic platform will undoubtedly contain a plank endorsing the deadly cigarette as an indispensable adjunct to American civilization—that being substantially the position taken by the Democratic Senators in voting against the bill prohibiting the sale of the little pest to minors in the District of Columbia. The Democracy is a good deal of a cigarette party, anyhow—that is to say, it is made of scraps, catches the dudes and creates a bad odor with a smaller expenditure of time and energy than any other appliance known to science.

Reminiscences of Old Taneytown.

Old Brick Academy--Darius Thomas--Dr. Samuel Swope--Old Man Koons--Governor Derr--Susanna Fringer, etc.

Taneytown Correspondent of the SENTINEL.

CLEVELAND, O., April 23d, 1888.—*My Dear Friend:*—I was somewhat surprised to hear of the downfall of the old brick academy, before the march of improvement that is evidently sweeping over your town. I thought it one of the permanent structures, and it seemed to my young mind sufficiently large to accommodate the students of the old place for many years to come. It is gratifying to know, however, that it has been replaced by a more pretentious and modernized structure, and its halls of learning presided over by men of talent and ability. I have very pleasant recollections of that old house, having spent many (to me then) weary days within its walls, poring over difficult lessons and, with other mischievous fellows, devising plans to circumvent the watchfulness of our old teacher—Darius Thomas. He was a man of high attainments as a teacher and a very strict disciplinarian, though his scholars had a profound love and respect for him. He was a highly educated man and was capable of teaching any of the higher branches of a college course. How I would love to hear the old roll called, but alas! many—yea, many would fail to answer present to their names—absent—where—in eternity.

Dr. Samuel Swope was a practicing physician, and a leading one at that day. He also owned and operated a model farm, situated in the suburbs on Emmitsburg street, though he was what might be denominated a progressive or experimental farmer. He was the first to adopt any and all new patent farming implements upon their first appearance in the market, and his confidence in fertilizers induced him to give them all a trial, so that his neighbors might profit by his expensive experiments. The Dr. was a devout christian man, an honor to the community, and I hope he may live long to enjoy the reward of his labors for the relief of sick and suffering humanity. It was never too hot or too cold, too wet or too dry, for the Dr. to go to the relief of the sick; whether rich or poor, whenever called, whether to relieve the bodily ills or to console and comfort in their last hours by his prayers, he was equally able and willing. If there is any man in the old town deserving of a public monument to commemorate his virtues and goodness, it is Dr. Sam. Swope.

Opposite the old stone tavern, on Main Square, was an old frame house which was utilized as a tavern, though it never had the high reputation nor popularity of the first named. The old frame was demolished many years ago and replaced by a fine brick structure which added greatly to the appearance of Main Square. Who it was that acted as landlord I do not now remember distinctly, though think it was Governor Derr, who was a prominent character years ago, and had quite a penchant for that line of business.

Old man Koons, the shoemaker, lived just above the tavern on Hanover street. He shod the pedal extremities of nearly everybody in the town and surrounding country for many years, though I suppose he *waxed* his *last end* long since. A mechanic of good moral character in those days was a respected personage and was admitted into the circle of what is known as polite society, without his occupation being a stigma upon his good name, but in this day of speculation, shoddy and petroleum, affectation and pride, only those who have some sort of prefix or affix to their names are considered worthy of admission into the ("sacred") precincts of what used to be known to us as "quality." I don't know whether these remarks are applicable to your town since it has put on its airs of improvement, but my observation in my various travels justifies the remark as to every town and city of any note that I have visited.

On Hanover street, just above Reindollar's store, was located Polly Shorb's candy, peanut and fire cracker dispensatory. Polly's was headquarters for fireworks on Christmas and New Year's eve, and many a boy's fips and levies went to swell Aunt Polly's purse, while the proceeds went up in smoke and noise. I don't remember Polly's husband, can't recall now whether she ever had one, but if so it was another case of "the gray mare being the better hoss."

Just above Hugh Thompson's, on the same street, were two ancient log houses, the first in the settlement of the town no doubt, but my memory fails me in locating their occupants at the time I knew them. I think my friend Jimmy Rodgers lived there at one time. I suppose, of course, they have been torn down long since, and replaced by modern structures.

Mrs. Susanna Fringer kept a cake and candy store somewhere on York street, near Main Square. It was at her place we boys were first introduced to ice cream. Ice houses were very rare in those days, and the keeping of ice through the hot summer months was as much a miracle to most of us, as the swallowing of the whale by Jonah that Uncle Philip used to frequently tell us of in the Sunday school. Mrs. Fringer was a very pleasant, witty and cheerful woman and deserves much credit for the manner of training up and educating a large family of boys. I hope they have all been a help and comfort to her in her declining years. I am very glad indeed to hear she is still living in your town. Remember me very kindly to her, as I always had a profound respect for Mrs. Fringer.

O. T. B.

We are sorry to say that the prospect for an average wheat crop in this section of the county is a very gloomy one indeed. We are confident that many of our farmers will not make half a crop. On the first of March there was a bright prospect, but the cold rains, high winds and freezing weather since then destroyed thousands of bushels in this section alone.—*Banner of Liberty.*

BUSINESS LOCALS.

WATCH CLUB.—Ladies as well as gentlemen desiring to obtain a good Watch on easy payments should join A. H. Wentz's Watch Club at once. Send in your names or call on him and have the plan explained. This is no lottery; every member gets a Watch—any style he may desire. I now have thirty-five names on the list and they are steadily increasing. Don't delay if you wish a good Watch. A. H. WENTZ,
ap-28-2t Westminster, Md.

WANTED.—500 Cans of Prime Lard, for which the highest market price will be paid. J. D. BOWERS,
ap-28-2t Westminster.

One Dollar Straw Hats for 25 cents at Fred D. Miller & Co's.

500 Dry Store Boxes for sale at your own price at Fred D. Miller & Co's.
ap-21-4t

FOR SALE.—500 Apple and 200 Peach Trees to be sold cheap within the next 20 days by Roop & Zile, Seedsmen, Westminster.

NOTICE.—If you want a good reliable Phosphate for Spring crops, go to E. O. Grimes & Co. ap-7-tf

Hull's Celebrated Horse and Cattle Powders are for sale by E. O. Grimes & Co., Westminster, Md. sep-3-tf

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY SEEDS!

We are packing, mailing and shipping daily from 200 to 300 orders of choice Seed Oats, Corn, Potatoes, Grass and Garden Seeds. Eggs for hatching from well mated hens, $1.75 and $2.00 per setting. Roop & Zile, Seedsmen, 28 West Main street, Westminster. ap-7-tf

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Rev. G. W. Seilhamer will preach in Uniontown Sabbath morning and M. K. Cross, of Altoona, in the evening at 7.45. The ordinance of Christian baptism will be administered in Little Pipe Creek, near Mr. E. B. Garner's, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church.—Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Young People's Meeting at 6.45 P. M. Preaching at 10½ A. M., and 7.30 P. M.
G. W. COOPER, Pastor.

Union Street Methodist Episcopal Church.—Experience Meeting Sunday morning at 9.30 o'clock. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Preaching Sunday night.
R. R. RIGGS, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Services on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock, and in the evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Catechetical instruction on Saturday at 3 o'clock, 4 o'clock and 7.30 o'clock, p. m. Services on Ascension day at 7.30 p. m.
CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

The Methodist Protestants will have preaching in Lyceum Hall, New Windsor, Sunday next at 3 o'clock.
T. D. VALIANT, Preacher.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday night at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Preaching at 7.30 p. m.
P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, May 2nd, 1888, by Rev. D. W. Sollenberger, Mr. Edward G. Richardson, of near Medford, this county, and Miss Cora Miller, of Adams county, Pa.

At the home of the bride, April 26th, 1888, by Rev. A. C. Barron, Mr. Cornelius Miller, of Manchester, this county, and Miss Belle C. Houck, of Baltimore.

In Emanuel Lutheran church, Manchester, April 26th, 1888, by Rev. C. M. Eyster, Mr. Edwin Schaeffer, of Union Mills, and Miss Elva K. Wolf, of Manchester, both of this county.

In Baltimore, April 17th, 1888, by Rev. E. L. S. Trissel, Dr. Frank C. Brissler and Miss Emma Gehring, both of Baltimore.

In Baltimore, April 17th, 1888, by Rev. A. H. Studebaker, Mr. Frank Bennett, of Baltimore, and Miss Nellie Uhler, of Reisterstown.

DIED.

On April 25th, 1888, Julia Ann, wife of Elder Jacob Shamberger, of Baltimore county, aged 68 years and 1 month.

Near Linwood, April 25th, 1888, Elizabeth Crumbacker, aged 86 years, 7 months and 27 days.

In Middletown, April 28th, 1888, Willie G., son of Charles Wilson, aged 9 months and 18 days.

In Chambersburg, Pa., April 25th, 1888, John C., youngest son of Charles F. and Maggie Little, aged 1 year, 11 months and 20 days.

Near Emory Chapel, April 26th, 1888, Agnes M., daughter of Henry Stull, aged 1 year, 8 months and 16 days.

At Mt. Pleasant, April 30th, 1888, Mrs. Frances A. Bankert, aged 32 years, 4 months and 7 days.

Near Silver Run, April 30th, 1888, John Koontz, aged 85 years, 2 months and 25 days.

In this city, April 28th, 1888, Wm. A. Massey, aged 51 years, 9 months and 1 days.

Near Emory Chapel, May 1st, 1888, Edith Grace, daughter of Washington L. and Mary E. Jones, aged 3 months and 15 days.

Near Silver Run, May 2nd, Theodore Myers, in the 23rd year of his age.

Near Tyrone, May 2nd, 1888, John Nusbaum, in the 30th year of his age.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Corn! Corn!

WANTED.—500 Barrels Corn, shelled or on the ear, at $2.75 per Barrel.
my-5-3t N. I. GORSUCH & SON.

Commissioners' Notice.

THE County Commissioners of Carroll county, will meet at their Office, in Westminster, on the FIRST MONDAY OF MAY, 1888, for the transaction of business.
By order, CHARLES BRILHART,
mr-10-4m Clerk.

Public Sale.

The undersigned, Executors of Rebecca Roop, will sell at public sale, at her late residence, on the Westminster and Meadow Branch turnpike, at Roop's Mill, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 23d, 1888, at 10 o'clock, a. m., all her Personal Property, consisting of household and kitchen Furniture, Horse, &c. For particulars see hand bills.
DAVID J. ROOP,
JOHN D. ROOP,
my-5-3t Executors.

Dividend No. 8.

Office Westminster Gas Light Company, Westminster, Md., May 4th, 1888.

THE President and Directors have declared a Dividend of Three Per Cent. on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on and after Thursday, May 10, at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Westminster, free of taxes. Transfer books closed from 4th to 10th, inclusive. JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM,
my-5-3t Treasurer.

Dissolution Notice.

THE Firm of Fred. D. Miller & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm can be paid at their store. All accounts due by the firm settled by their successors. FRED. D. MILLER,
GEO. W. ALBAUGH,
Trading as Fred. D. Miller & Co.

I have this day associated with me my brother, Frank Z. Miller, as a partner in our business, and the firm style will be Fred. D. Miller & Bro. FRED. D. MILLER.
April 30, 1888. my-5-3t

SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Registered Voters in the 9th Election District of Carroll County, called Franklin District.

THE General Assembly of Maryland having passed an act creating a new election district in Carroll county out of a portion of said Franklin district, to be known as Mt. Airy district, No. 13, embraced within the following lines, to-wit:

Commencing at Parr's spring and running northeast, in the middle of the Patapsco river, to the point of the entrance of Gillis' Falls, on said river; thence with the said Falls to where the Cabbage Spring Branch enters said Falls; thence west with said branch to the Poop road; thence with a straight line to the plank bridge on the Buffalo road, opposite Albert Jones' gate; thence in a southwestern direction, along the line between Frederick and Carroll counties, to the place of beginning, Parr's spring.

The undersigned, having been appointed and qualified as the Officer of Registration of said 13th district, this is to notify the registered voters of the said 9th election district to obtain their transfers from the said 9th election district, and the Officer of Registration thereof, in order that they may be transferred and registered in the registry of qualified voters and poll books of the said 13th election district during the times provided by law for the sitting of said officer of Registration, of which the May sitting of said Officer of Registration will be on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, in accordance with the notice of the Officers of Registration published in two of the newspapers of Carroll county and by handbill.

OSCAR M. SPURRIER,
Officer of Registration for the 13th Election District in Carroll county. my-5-2t

NO. 2607 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

Charles T. Reifsnider, Assignee, vs. Ada F. Barnes and Joseph D. Barnes, her husband, Mortgagors.

ORDERED this 3d day of May, A. D. 1888, that the sale of the mortgaged property in the above entitled cause by Charles T. Reifsnider, Assignee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Ada F. Barnes and Joseph D. Barnes, her husband, to Jacob M. Zimmerman and Lewis H. Schultz, dated May 1, A. D. 1885, and recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county in Liber G. A. M., No. 22, folio 316, &c., and duly assigned to him, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 6th day of June, next: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks prior to the 29th day of May, inst.

The Report states the amount of sale to be $1,100.

WM. N. MARTIN, Clerk.

True copy—Test:
my-5-3t WM. N. MARTIN, Clerk.

HIGH GRADE AGRICULTURAL LIME

By a New and Improved Method.

FARMERS intending to Lime and wishing to save money should use the WOODSBORO LIME. Practical farmers say it is the best. The success lies (1) in a superior formation of Lime Rock, possessing superior chemical properties. (2) Our improved process and appliances have enabled us to turn out a grade of Lime that does the work and is unsurpassed for improving the soil. Any amount of this Lime can be had on reasonably short notice delivered to your nearest railroad station. Can ship to all points on any of the railroads on car-load lots ranging from 300 bushels to 475 bushels as desired. Orders and correspondence solicited and promptly attended to. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address
J. W. LeGORE,
my-5-6m Woodsboro, Frederick Co. Md.

Magistrate's Office.

I take this method of informing my friends and the public that I have opened an office for the transaction of the duties of a Justice of the Peace in the Haines & Co's building (next door to the store), nearly opposite the First National Bank, and respectfully solicit patronage. I shall also continue the business of Fire Insurance upon very liberal terms, being Agent for the Royal of Liverpool, North America of Philadelphia and Aetna of Hartford, Conn.
GEO. W. MATTHEWS, J. P.
my-8-4f Westminster, Md.

NO. 2558 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting in Equity.

Charles T. Reifsnider, George M. Pearce and William H. Bell, Jr., Trustees and Plaintiffs, vs. William H. Bell, Sr., and Annie E. Bell, his wife, Defendants.

ORDERED this 23d day of April, A. D. 1888, that the sales of the real estate and leasehold property reported by Chas. T. Reifsnider, Geo. M. Pearce and William H. Bell, Jr., Trustees of William H. Bell, Sr., and Annie E. Bell, his wife, under and by virtue of a deed of trust from the said Wm. H. Bell, Sr., and wife in their third and supplemental report of sale, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 30th day of May, next, 1888: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county aforesaid once a week for three successive weeks prior to the 21st day of May, next.

The Report states the amount of sales of real and leasehold property to be $1,400.00.

JNO. E. SMITH,
Judge of the Circuit Court.
True copy—Test:
ap-28-3t WM. N. MARTIN, Clerk.

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

JAMES SHRIVER, - AGENT,

OFFICE NO. 14 LIBERTY ST.

(In E. F. Shriver & Co.'s Canning Factory)

WESTMINSTER, MD.

As agent of that reliable and favorite Fire Insurance Company,

The Continental of New York,

and the prompt-paying Company,

The Western of Toronto,

with several others of like standing, he desires to call the attention of the public, and especially of those in Mutual companies who desire to change from Mutual to Stock companies, where no notes or assessments are required, and prompt settlements and lowest rates guaranteed.

Ice Cream, Water Ice
—AND—
Pure Spring Ice,

THE attention of the citizens of Westminster and vicinity is called to my well known Ice Cream and Water Ice. New Machinery has been added and none but the best will be supplied. Private families furnished by the gallon or half-gallon. Special attention given to furnishing Festivals or Pic Nics. Orders delivered in the city or at the railroad station free of charge.

I have 500 tons of Ice from Pure Spring Water and free from all washings from the turnpikes or country roads.

Send orders to Postoffice, Box 14. Those wanting Cream for Sunday should send in their orders by 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.
J. D. CROWL,
ap-14-6m Westminster, Md.

OH! JUST LOOK
—AT—
J. D. Bowers'
IMMENSE STOCK OF
STAPLE & FANCY GROCERIES.

The Best Selection in the City and Prices to Suit the Times.

It would certainly be worth while to step in and look over my large assortment. I will do all in my power to suit all parties who may call on me. My motto is "Good goods at bottom prices." My stock consists of

Coffees, Sugars, Teas, Starch,

Yeast Powder, Rice, Peaches, Dried Apples, Corn and Peas, Prunes, Evaporated Apples, Canned Corn, Tomatoes, Peas.

My Fancy Department

is complete, and includes Jellies, Sardines, Salmon, Canned Mushrooms, Spiced Mackerel, Canned Oysters, Succotash, Lobsters, Mustards, Plum Puddings, Canned Peaches, Spanish Olives, Sauces of all kinds, Dried Beef in cans, Imported Sardines, Chow-chow, Mustard Chow-chow, Bottled Onions, Cherkins, Olive Oils, small and large bottles: Catsup, Spices, Fancy Cakes, Graham Wafers, Oatmeal Wafers.

Complete Line of Stationery, Fruit and Confectionery.

MEATS.

Sugar-cured Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Bacon, Country Meat, Smoked Sausage, Bologna, Dried Beef.

Whitewash Brushes, Wooden and Willowware. Cigars and Tobacco wholesale and retail.

Country Produce taken in exchange for goods. Highest market price allowed.

Hoping to receive a call from you, I remain,
Your obedient servant,
J. D. BOWERS,
may-5-6m Westminster, Md.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank at Westminster, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business April 30th, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$109,693 80
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,569 61
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	1,000 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	4,700 00
Due from approved reserve agents	11,683 18
Due from other National Banks	3,357 81
Due from State Banks and bankers	1,945 69
Real Estate, furniture, and fixtures	8,800 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	310 08
Premiums paid	3,555 00
Checks and other cash items	2 88
Bills of other Banks	160 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	6 79
Specie	8,862 00
Legal tender notes	6,345 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	562 50
Total	$184,034 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000 00
Surplus fund	5,393 00
Undivided profits	9,832 37
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250 00
Dividends unpaid	342 25
Individual deposits subject to check	104,466 45
Due to other National Banks	5,658 33
Due to State Banks and bankers	4,184 87
Total	$184,034 25

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, W. A. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. A. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1888.

WM. N. MARTIN,
Clerk Circuit Court for Carroll county.

CORRECT—Attest:
JOSEPH SHAEFFER,
CHAS. B. ROBERTS,
MILTON SCHAEFFER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

First National Bank of New Windsor, at New Windsor, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business April 30th, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$73,865 24
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	719 79
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	55,000 00
Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages	8,090 50
Due from approved reserve agents	15,797 21
Due from other National Banks	96 68
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	6,300 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	774 85
Premiums paid	8,000 00
Checks and other cash items	671 00
Bills of other Banks	8,889 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and cents	35 49
Specie	2,878 00
Legal tender notes	15,630 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of Circulation)	2,475 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	1,600 00
Total	$200,816 70

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$55,000 00
Surplus fund	11,000 00
Undivided profits	6,187 29
National Bank notes outstanding	49,500 00
Dividends unpaid	320 00
Individual deposits subject to check	69,419 33
Due to other National Banks	7,189 99
Due to State Banks and bankers	2,194 09
Total	$200,816 70

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1888.

EDWARD WEST, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
DAVID E. STEM,
JOB HIBBERD,
JAMES ERHARD,
Directors.

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NOTICE

Of the Registrars of Voters of their respective May Sittings for the year 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons qualified to be registered as voters in the various election districts of Carroll county, and State of Maryland, and to the registered voters of said county in the various districts of said county, that the undersigned, Officers of Registration for the respective election districts in said Carroll county, will hold their respective May sittings in each of their respective election districts hereinafter named, from 8 o'clock, a. m., to 6 o'clock, p. m., on each day of

MONDAY, THE 14th, AND TUESDAY, THE 15th, DAYS OF MAY, 1888,

for the purpose of registering in their said respective election districts all persons who will be qualified to vote at the next ensuing election in said respective election districts, and, for the purpose of revising and scrutinizing the said registries of voters of said respective election districts, and for noting and making out a list for striking off their respective registries of voters the names of all persons whom from their, the said registrars', own information, or from information furnished to them from others, they have good reason to believe to be proper to be stricken off said registries of voters. The places and days of said respective sittings will be as follows:

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 1 OF CARROLL COUNTY, CALLED TANEYTOWN DISTRICT,

John P. Gardner, officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, during the hours above named, at the residence of the said Officer of Registration, on Frederick street, in Taneytown.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 2 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING UNIONTOWN DISTRICT,

Harry Weaver, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May 1888, during the hours above named, at the residence of the said Officer of Registration, Main street, in Uniontown.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 3 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING MYERS' DISTRICT,

Jacob P. Hull, the officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, during the hours above named, at the residence of the said Officer of Registration, in Silver Run.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 4 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING WOOLERY'S DISTRICT,

John H. Taylor, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid at Samuel Stansbury's Hotel, in Patapsco, on Monday, May 14th, 1888, and at Jacob M. Engler's store, at Carrollton Station, on Tuesday, May 15th, 1888, during the hours aforesaid.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 5 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING FREEDOM DISTRICT,

Wade H. D. Warfield, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, during the hours aforesaid, at Warfield & Donovan's office, in Sykesville.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 6 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING MANCHESTER DISTRICT,

George Shower, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid on Monday, May 14th, at Jacob Blocher's store, at Alesia, and on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, at his residence in Manchester, during the hours aforesaid, for said purposes.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 7 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING WESTMINSTER DISTRICT,

Charles R. Miller, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, at the residence of George W. Miller, No. 296 East Main street, Westminster, for the purposes aforesaid, during the hours aforesaid.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 8 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING HAMPSTEAD DISTRICT,

James W. Hann, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, at E. Snyder & Son's store, in Hampstead, for said purposes, during the said hours.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 9 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING FRANKLIN DISTRICT,

Lewis C. Franklin, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid during the hours aforesaid, on Monday, the 14th, at David Cover's store, Winfield, and on Tuesday, the 15th at the residence of the registrar, in Franklinville.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 10 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING MIDDLEBURG DISTRICT,

George W. Shank, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit at the Lynn House, in Middleburg, on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, at the said hours for the purposes aforesaid.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 11 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING NEW WINDSOR DISTRICT,

William D. Lovell, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the purposes aforesaid at Samuel Stansbury's Hotel, in Patapsco, on Monday, May 14th, 1888, and at Jacob M. Engler's store, at Carrollton Station, on Tuesday, May 15th, 1888, during the hours aforesaid.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 12 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING UNION BRIDGE DISTRICT,

Theodore A. Clay, the Officer of Registration of said district, will attend and sit for the aforesaid purposes, on Monday, the 14th and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, during the aforesaid hours, at his place of business, in Union Bridge.

IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 13 OF CARROLL COUNTY, BEING MT. AIRY DISTRICT,

Oscar M. Spurrier, the Officer of Registration, will attend for the aforesaid purposes, during the aforesaid hours, on Monday, the 14th, and Tuesday, the 15th, days of May, 1888, at Rudy's Drug Store, in Mount Airy.

JOHN P. GARDNER,
Officer of Registration 1st Election District.
HARRY WEAVER,
Officer of Registration 2d Election District.
JACOB P. HULL,
Officer of Registration 3