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The death of Senator Hearst, of California, will increase the Republican majority in the United States Senate to six over all. The dead Senator was a Democrat and will be succeeded by a Republican, California now having a Republican Governor and Legislature. The Senate will therefore stand 47 Republicans, and 38 Democrats, with the proclivities of the Kansas and South Dakota Senators somewhat uncertain and the Illinois Senatorship election, at this writing, still pending. Judge Peffer, of Kansas, who was elected by the Farmers' Alliance, is a protectionist and has been a Republican. The South Dakota Senator has also, heretofore, been a Republican, but was elected by a combination of Democrats and Independents. He has been dubbed an "Indocrat," a name which practically means nothing.

The general elections in Canada on Thursday resulted in the choice of a Parliament in favor of the government by a small majority. The election turned on the question of reciprocity with the United States, which was opposed by the government. All sorts of misrepresentations were resorted to by the Governor-General, Sir John MacDonald, to influence the votes of the people. The campaign has developed a marked sentiment in favor of annexation to the United States, and now that the Dominion has voted to erect every possible barrier against trade with this country, the people of the provinces will soon find that their only relief from a stupendous blunder lies in a union with the United States. We do not need Canada, and it may well be doubted whether annexation would be advantageous to us. But intimate commercial relations between the two countries are essential to Canada's prosperity. If annexation were desirable the best way to promote it would be to let our neighbor severely alone.

Tin Works at Joliet.

A telegram under date of 2nd inst., from Joliet, Illinois, says: "Contract has just been executed between several Joliet property-owners and Lewis Bros., of Pittsburg, Pa., and Wales, England, by which South Joliet has secured a $500,000 tin-plate plant to occupy 20 acres and furnish a floor space of over 200,000 square feet. The Lewis brothers are members of a family who have been manufacturing plate for many generations in England."

This is the kind of news that rarely finds its way into the columns of free-trade journals, especially in the rural portion of the country. It is not in keeping with their persistent protestations that tin-plates cannot be manufactured in this country. It is, however, another indication that notwithstanding the uncertainty of the character of prospective legislation after the close of the Fifty-second Congress, two years hence, the projectors of tin plate works have confidence in their ability to establish the industry in this country successfully. The wisdom of the McKinley bill is being demonstrated daily by the development of enterprises of this character.

Postal Subsidy.

Among the important measures acted upon by the Fifty-first Congress, during the last few days of the late session, was the postal subsidy bill passed several months ago by the Senate. The bill was amended in the House and the amendments concurred in by the Senate, the only material change being in the rates of compensation, which were reduced one-third from the amounts fixed by the Senate originally. The tonnage subsidy bill was defeated. The provisions of the postal subsidy bill are as follows:

The Postmaster-General is authorized to contract, after advertisement, with the lowest responsible bidders for terms of not less than five nor more than ten years, with American citizens, for carrying the mails on American ships between ports of the United States and such foreign ports (excluding Canada) as in his judgment will best promote the postal and commercial interests of the United States, the mail service to be distributed equitably among the Atlantic, Mexican, Gulf and Pacific ports. The vessels are to be American-built steamships, owned and officered by American citizens, and the crew is to be composed of American citizens in the following proportions: During the first two contract years, one-fourth, the next three one-third, and the remaining time at least one-half. The vessels are to be constructed after the latest and most approved types, divided into four classes, as follows: First class, iron or steel 20-knot vessels of not less than 8,000 tons, (the American-English mails are to be carried on this class entirely;) second class, iron or steel 16-knot vessels of not less than 5,000 tons; third class, iron or steel 14-knot vessels of not less than 2,500 tons; fourth class, iron, steel, or wooden 12-knot vessels of not less than 1,500 tons. Vessels of the first, second and third classes are to be constructed with particular reference to prompt and economical conversion into auxiliary naval cruisers, on plans approved by the Secretary of the Navy, strong enough to carry six-inch rifles and of the highest known maritime rating. The compensation to be paid for mail service is as follows: First-class, $4 per mile; second-class, $2 per mile, by the shortest practicable route, for each outward voyage, third-class, $1 per mile; fourth-class, two-thirds of a dollar per mile for the number of miles required by the Post-office Department to be travelled on each outward voyage. Provision is made for deductions on account of omitted voyages or delays; for the transportation of a mail messenger on each vessel; for carrying apprentices or cadets of American birth (one for each thousand tons;) for the use of the vessels by the United States as transports or cruisers upon payment to the owners of actual value at the time of the taking, and for the assignment to duty on the vessels under furlough pay of naval officers who may volunteer for the service.

The Senate and the McKinley Tariff Bill.

There has been some speculation as to whether the McKinley tariff law is in danger of change or modification by the Fifty-second Congress. Some of the Republican Senators were not favorable to the measure, and with the overwhelming majority of the Democrats in the House and their gains in the Senate, friends of protection have been apprehensive of a movement that might eventuate in the repeal of the measure, or its radical modification. There seems to be little cause for these fears. With Senator Hearst succeeded by a protectionist it is doubtful whether the combined votes of the Democratic Senators and the few anti-protectionist Republicans would be sufficient to pass a new tariff law. The new Kansas Senator is said to be an avowed protectionist, and some of the Democratic Senators cannot be counted with certainty to support an anti-protective bill. But if a majority could be obtained in favor of such a measure it would almost certainly meet a Presidential veto.

A good deal has been said about the duty of obedience to the voice of the people, and the overwhelming Democratic victory last fall has been construed as an expression of their will concerning the McKinley law, and as a protest against its enactment. Practically this is not a fact. That the success of the Democratic party was largely due to the passage of that measure may be conceded, but it is clearly true that many of the people acted, in voting, under a misapprehension of the real character of the law. The gross misrepresentations of the Democrats alarmed many persons who were not properly informed concerning it. There is in existence to-day copies of a circular sent out in Carroll county, under the official authority of the Democratic Central Committee, in which the people are told that the McKinley bill imposed a tax of sixty per cent. upon everything entering into family use, and among the articles specified was sugar, which had been almost totally relieved of tariff duties. This was only a specimen of the misrepresentations made throughout the country.

The people were alarmed by these gross perversions of the truth and many of them remained away from the polls, thus giving the Democrats an easy victory. But their fears have not been realized. Instead of inflated prices the tendency has been downward in almost everything except farm products. The low prices of grain and other products of the soil, that prevailed before the passage of the McKinley bill, were universally considered as fatal to general prosperity. But the farmer and every other consumer of manufactured products was frightened into believing that the law would increase the cost of such products and still further depress farming industries. The complete refutation of this mass of error by the condition of the markets to-day is sufficient justification of the Republicans for adhering to the law passed by the Fifty-first Congress. Instead of inflated prices for clothing, farm implements, groceries and other products, these things were never cheaper than they are now. Grocers all over the country are informing their customers that, after April 1st, a reduction of two cents per pound will be made in sugars; binder twine, which was one of the articles upon which the Democratic newspapers rang the changes and about the price of which they were perpetually condoling with the farmer, has declined 1½ to 2 cents per pound; plows and other farm implements are in the same category, and only a vivid imagination could conjure up a vision of lower prices for clothing at any antecedent period. Even the tin cups, which formed a large share of the stock-in-trade of Democratic journals and orators, cost no more than before the enactment of the great bugaboo employed with such marked effect last fall.

Under these circumstances it is highly probable the McKinley law will stand against the assaults of its free-trade enemies, not only in the halls of legislation during the next two years, but that it will be approved by the people at the polls in '92.

A Defaulting Treasurer and a Great Scare in Delaware.

Little Delaware has been having a big scare about her financial investments. Among her assets are bonds and securities aggregating nearly $650,000. These were supposed to be kept in a tin box in the custody of the State Treasurer. Recently that official has been changed, Mr. Herbert, who had occupied that position for several years, retiring. When his successor examined the box the securities were missing. Mr. Herbert said he knew nothing about them and had never examined the contents of the box. His predecessor, of a dozen years said the same thing. When, or where, or how the securities had disappeared nobody seemed to know. The State had regularly received the interest accruing upon them, and they were not negotiable and could only be hypothecated by the State. Finally Ex-Governor Cochran remembered that they had been placed, for greater security, in the vaults of a Safe Deposit Company in Philadelphia, and, at this writing, it is expected they will be found there. If a receipt was taken for them, however, nobody has any knowledge concerning it. An investigation has been ordered.

But inability to account for these securities is not the only trouble in Ex-Treasurer Herbert's case. He is short in his accounts to the amount of about $31,000, and judgment has been entered against him and his bondsmen for the deficiency. It is said that Mr. Herbert accepted the note of some county official, in lieu of that much cash, in the settlement of the latter's account with the State, and the note has never been paid. But, whatever the cause, he is a defaulter. The State, it is said, will lose nothing; but the development of the facts in the case indicate a looseness in the administration of the fiduciary affairs of the State, about parallel with the similar condition of affairs in Maryland during Stevenson Archer's incumbency of the Treasurer's office. The case only adds another to the remarkable series of defalcations by the Democratic treasurers of Southern States since the war, which amount, in the aggregate, to considerably more than three millions of dollars.

The municipal elections in New York on Tuesday last resulted in large Republican gains in many of the cities of that State.

Indications point to the election of Streeter, the Farmers' Alliance candidate, to the United States Senate from Illinois. The Republicans have agreed to vote for him. He is a Republican in everything but the leading features of the Alliance platform.

United States Senator George Hearst, of California, died in Washington, on Saturday last, after a lingering illness, in the 71st year of his age. Senator Hearst was a native of Maine, where he was born May 5th, 1820. He went to California in 1850, crossing the plains with an ox-cart team. He encountered many vicissitudes, was some times very wealthy, then poor again, but finally became the owner of extensive mines and employed a large number of men in working them. At his death he was possessed of immense wealth. He was a Democrat.

The Fifty-first Congress passed a bill for the appointment of nine additional Judges of the United States Circuit Courts. This increase in the judiciary was absolutely necessary for the relief of the Judges of the Supreme Court, who are overwhelmed with cases. The measure only partially accomplishes that object. Another bill received the approval of the members of the Supreme Court, and passed the House of Representatives. The Senate, however, failed to concur, and rather than permit the much needed legislation to fail the House accepted the Senate's bill. Under the House bill the Supreme Court Judges were relieved from sitting in the Circuit Courts, a feature wanting in the law as finally passed by the two Houses.

It is a little curious that free-trade American journals that regard, apparently, with unbounded admiration, everything English, are wildly indignant at the passage of the postal subsidy bill by the American Congress. England, notwithstanding her free-trade dogmas, is liberal in subsidizing her shipping, as is, also, we believe, every other European maritime power. Notwithstanding the adverse criticisms of the unpatriotic journals that appear to prefer the prosperity of foreign lands above the welfare of our own country, it may be regarded as certain that the step taken by Congress in the passage of this bill will tend to revive American shipping interests and will promote American commerce. It is a step in the right direction if we are to compete successfully with the subsidized vessels of Europe.

The purchase from Spain of the Island of Cuba, and its annexation to the United States, is again being agitated and is finding favor in many quarters. Cuban merchants and planters, it is said, are anxious for annexation and, on that account, opposed to reciprocity, believing union with the United States much more desirable than the most favorable commercial relations possible under the existing status. The same feeling prevails, to some extent at least, in the great commercial centre of this country. The difficulties in the way of the consummation of this project are very great, but may not be insurmountable. We venture the prediction, however, that it will be many a day before Cuba becomes a member of the American Union, or occupies a territorial relation to this country.

Adjournment of Congress.

The Fifty-first Congress expired by constitutional limitation at noon on Wednesday. The closing scenes were full of excitement. The usual compliment of a vote of thanks to the presiding officer was carried by the votes of the Republican members, the Democrats voting against it. Speaker Reed is not the only occupant of the position who has failed to receive the unanimous approval of the House. At least a dozen similar instances have occurred, the great Henry Clay having been the subject of one of them. Mr. Reed received an extraordinary ovation from the Republicans and was probably not charged by the failure of the Democrats to approve his common sense business rulings.

The Fifty-first has been eminently a working Congress and its work will be found, we have no manner of doubt, of immense benefit to the country. We need hardly specify the measures of importance enacted during its existence, foremost among which stands, of course, the McKinley tariff law. The Democratic press is very loud, just now, in its denunciation of the appropriation bills, and Washington correspondents of these journals write glibly about "looting the Treasury." But the honest sentiment of the people will approve the tardy justice of the payment of the French spoliation claims; the refunding of the direct tax paid by some of the States, and not by others, during the war, and the provision for the dependent soldiers of the country, which, in the aggregate go to swell the volume of National expenditures.

The Great Annual Meeting of the German Baptists.

The great annual meeting of the German Baptists will be held this year at Hagerstown, Md., beginning on May 28th, and ending June 6th, at Kee Mar College and grounds. A large tabernacle will be built on the ridge, running south from the college. The tabernacle will be 126 feet long and 114 feet wide, and the five-acre lot in the rear will be used for the necessary buildings and booths. The college campus will be devoted to the convenience of visitors, and the grounds and buildings will be lighted by ten arc electric lights.

It is expected that 15,000 people will attend the meeting from other states and near by localities, and that on Sunday, May 31st, more than 20,000 persons will be on the grounds. The last great meeting of German Baptists was held at Warrensburg, Mo., last year, and no annual meeting has been held by them in Maryland for twenty-five years.

The membership is strongest in Pennsylvania, Kansas, Virginia, Illinois and Missouri. Their main newspaper, the Gospel Messenger, is printed at Huntingdon, Pa., and Mount Morris, Ill., and is taken by most of the members.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

It is sad to think that Nebuchadnezzar after his gay life had to go to grass, but sadder the thought, that so many men of promise and ability find early graves by carelessness in not checking a cold in its early stages by the use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which can be bought for 25 cents.

Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, is universally accepted by horsemen and veterinarians as the *ne plus ultra* of liniments.

Baby shows are fashionable now, but as long as mothers continue to nurse their little ones with laudanum, they cannot expect their babies to look bright. If your baby needs medicine get a good and harmless one such as Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Only 25 cents.

It is not always convenient to call in a physician for every ailment. To sufferers from catarrh, influenza, &c., we would recommend Old Saul's Catarrh Cure. It is without doubt a safe, pleasant, and prompt cure. Price 25 cents.

Bargains in Shoes at Derr's.

If you want to save 25 per cent. in Wall Papers, write to L. Gladhill, practical paper hanger, Westminster, Md. mar-7-tf

If you want a pair of Fine Shoes go to Derr's.

Desiring to decrease my Stock $5000 until April 1st, I will offer 10 per cent. off on Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, from January 1st, 1891.
FRANK J. DEVILBISS,
dec-20-3m New Windsor.

WANTED.—Lard, eggs and country produce, either for cash or exchange for goods.
feb-28-2t Frank Z. Miller.

Ladies' and Children's Shoes at Derr's.

MARRIED.

In the Church of God, Uniontown, March 5th, 1891, by Rev. T. Still, Mr. U. G. Heltibridle, of New Windsor, and Miss Sallie, L. daughter of Rev. G. W. Seilhamer, of Uniontown, this county.

At the Lutheran Parsonage in Manchester, February 25th, 1891, by Rev. C. M. Eyster, Mr. Horatio C. Shaffer, of Melrose, and Miss Sarah R. Wentz, of near Hanover, Pa.

At the residence of the bride's father, Washington, D. C., February 23rd, 1891, by Rev. Dr. Fullerton, Mr. James W. Jordan, of Westminster, Md., and Miss Lillie G. Fenton, of Washington.

On February 26th, 1891, by Rev. G. W. McSherry, Mr. John S. Stuller and Miss Annie E. Nelson, both of this county.

On February 26th, 1891, by Rev. Jas. A. McCauley, Mr. Thos. J. Lindsay and Miss Laura Vansant, both of this county.

At the Parsonage, this city, March 5th, 1891, by Rev. J. U. Asper, Mr. William H. Hutting, of this city, and Miss Florence E. Blair, of Shippensburg, Pa.

DIED.

Near Manchester, February 26th, 1891, Nicholas Sandruck, aged 70 years, 5 months and 27 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Commissioners' Notice.

THE County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their Office, in West. minster, on the FIRST MONDAY OF APRIL, 1891, for the transaction of business.
By order,
CHARLES BRILHART,
mar7-1m Clerk.

House for Rent!

No 18 Carroll street, nearly opposite Lutheran Church. Brick, with six rooms, kitchen, cellar, water, and all necessary conveniences. Garden, fruit &c. Premises now occupied by George Batson.
J. Q. STITELY,
mar-7 3t Westminster, Md.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Fred. D. Miller & Bro. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Frank Z. Miller retiring. All accounts due the said firm must be paid at once. All accounts due by the firm will be paid by Fred. D. Miller.
FRED. D. MILLER,
FRANK Z. MILLER.
Westminster, March 2nd, 1891. mar-7-3t

Notice of Election.

Office of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Dug Hill, Carroll county, Md.,
March 3rd, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members of the Company will be held on the third Saturday, 21st day, of March, 1891, from 12 o'clock, m., to 3 o'clock, p. m., at the Company's office, in Manchester, Md., for the purpose of electing Twelve Directors for the ensuing year. All male policy holders on the date of the election shall be entitled to one vote either in person or by proxy.
JOHN R. STREVIG,
mar-7-3t Secretary.

Transfers and Abatements.

The County Commissioners for Carroll county will meet at their office in the Court House, at Westminster, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 16th, 17th and 18th, and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 6th, 7th and 8th, 1891, to make transfers and abatements. All persons interested are requested to attend, as no abatements or transfers will be made after that time, to affect the levy of 1890. Persons making application for transfers of and abatements on property, will be required to comply with sections 16 and 17 of Article 11 of the Revised Code of Public General Laws.
By order of Board,
CHARLES BRILHART,
mar-7-5t Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, in order to reduce his Stock, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, near Mechanicsville on the Nicodemus road, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1891,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described property:

One Horse 7 years old, will work in all harness, kind and gentle, a good leader, weight over 1300 lbs.; one Horse 4 years old, good worker, weight 1300 lbs.; one Horse 2 years old, will work in all harness, weight 1050 lbs.; the above described Horses are sound and in good condition and sold only want of use; 11 two-year old colt, 2 milch cows, one will be fresh by day of sale; 1 heifer, with calf; 2 yearling Durham bulls; 1 two-horse market wagon, with bed and bows in goods order; 2 sets of huckster harness, good as new; one 11 inch Sinclair hay and fodder cutter, corn by the barrel, and other articles not named.

Terms of Sale:—All sums under 10 dollars, cash; on all sums of ten dollars and over, a credit of twelve months will be given.
mar-7-ts LEWIS H. KNOX.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF A—
HOUSE AND LOT OF LAND
in Uniontown, Carroll county, Md.

BY virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Virginia Davis and George A. Davis, her husband, to the undersigned mortgagee, he will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, situate at the lower end of Uniontown, Carroll county, on

SATURDAY, 28TH DAY OF MARCH, 1891, at 1 o'clock, p. m., all that lot of land, situate as aforesaid, containing

ONE HALF ACRE OF LAND,

more or less, and adjoining the land of Ann Stultz and Henry C. Cover, and fronting on the Turnpike.

The improvements consist of a Two-Story Log and Weather-boarded Dwelling and out-buildings.

It is a comfortable home and well located. Any person desiring a home in town could not do better than examine this property.

Terms of Sale:—Cash on day of sale.
HENRY C. COVER, Mortgagee.
Charles B. Roberts, Attorney. mar-7-ts

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF VERY DESIRABLE PROPERTY—
DWELLING HOUSE, BLACKSMITH-SHOP, &c.,
at TYRONE, Carroll county, Md.

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from John F. Marquart and Ida Elizabeth Marquart, his wife, to John Hesson of A., bearing date March 31st, A. D. 1887, and recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county, in liber W. N. M., No. 25, folio 211, &c., the undersigned Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said John Hesson of A., deceased, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, now occupied by the said John F. Marquart, on

MONDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1891,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., all that Parcel of Land described in and conveyed by said mortgage, containing

3 ACRES, 2 ROODS AND 20 PERCHES,

more or less. The improvements thereon consist of a large and conveniently arranged Two-Story Frame Dwelling House, with Back Building attached, large Stable and Hog House; also a large Blacksmith-Shop and other outbuildings; well of of water convenient to the buildings; all the buildings are in excellent repair, the greater portion of them having been recently erected; Orchard, &c. The land is in a good state of cultivation. This property is well located for a blacksmith, or any mechanical business, a good business having been conducted on the premises. This property is situate in the Village of Tyrone, in Uniontown district, Carroll county, Md., at the junction of the Taneytown road and the road leading from Tyrone to the Stone road. The location of this property, surrounded by a good farming community, makes it worthy the attention of purchasers.

Terms of Sale:—Cash; or, if desired by the purchaser, reasonable credit terms will be given.
JOSIAH UNGER,
Administrator of John Hesson of A., deceased.
Reifsnider & Reifsnider, Solicitors.
mar-7-ts

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, February 26th, 1891.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$67,124 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	441 42
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	55,000 00
Stocks, securities, claims, etc.	28,802 78
Due from approved reserve agents	20,292 32
Due from other National Banks	1,377 83
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	6,600 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	488 51
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	6,600 00
Bills of other Banks	10 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	65 58
Specie	7,457 00
Legal tender notes	6,035 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of Circulation)	2,475 00
Total	$202,859 60

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$55,000 00
Surplus fund	11,000 00
Undivided profits	4,911 36
National Bank notes outstanding	45,300 00
Dividends unpaid	945 00
Individual deposits subject to check	78,830 35
Due to other National Banks	6,872 89
Total	$202,859 60

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 4th day of March, 1891.
J. WINFIELD SNADER, Notary Public.

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

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank at Westminster, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, February 26th, 1891.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$87,340 69
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,846 90
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	8,834 92
Due from other National Banks	2,163 31
Due from State Banks and bankers	530 10
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	11,844 38
Current expenses and taxes paid	239 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,600 00
Checks and other cash items	2 21
Bills of other Banks	710 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	2 66
Specie	7,105 00
Legal tender notes	1,150 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	562 50
Total	$138,831 67

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000 00
Surplus fund	7,034 98
Undivided profits	2,649 30
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250 00
Dividends unpaid	1,096 38
Individual deposits subject to check	55,987 54
Due to other National Banks	6,668 49
Due to State Banks and bankers	184 98
Bills payable	5,000 00
Total	$138,831 67

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 5th day of March, 1891.
BENJ. F. CROUSE,
Clerk of the Circuit Court for Carroll county.

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

WHITELOCK'S VEGETATOR.
On the Market for 30 Years.

We offer you the "VEGETATOR" in fine and dry condition for this Spring's use. It has always given general satisfaction where used on

Early Truck, Potatoes, Oats, Corn, &c.

The application of the "VEGETATOR" to these crops prevents early firing during a drought The yield is very abundant and growth quite active, thus enabling the farmers to reach an early as well as profitable market, and proving the "Vegetator" to be the fertilizer most needed. Manufactured by

Miller, Lippincott & Co.
(SUCCESSORS TO W. WHITELOCK & CO.)
No. 102 South street, - - Baltimore, Md.
FOR SALE BY
E. O. GRIMES & CO., - Westminster, Md.

NO. 54 INSOLVENTS.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County
In the matter of the Petition of William G. Myers in Insolvency.

ORDERED this 27th day of February, A. D. 1891, that the account of the Auditor, filed in this cause, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 16th day of March next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted for two successive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll county.
BENJ. F. CROUSE, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
feb-28-2t BENJ. F. CROUSE, Clerk.

Notice.

Office of the Mutual Fire Insurance Co. in Baltimore county, Jan. 14th, 1891.

The office of the Company has been removed from the "Knapp Building" to the "Hoen Building," No. 304 Lexington street, Baltimore, immediately opposite the north entrance of the City Hall.
FRANCIS SHRIVER,
jan-16-2mo Secretary.

Announcement!

Having purchased the business of Jos. A. Waesche, I will continue the wholesale and retail business of all goods pertaining to house furnishing.

To my stock, which is decidedly the largest in the county, I am daily adding

New Goods,

all from first class importers, to which I invite public inspection.

Desiring to decrease my stock of

Silverware,

for the next 30 days it will be sold at cost. In this department there are many extraordinary bargains.

Queensware

AND HOUSEKEEPING GOODS at astonishingly low figures. Persons in need of goods in this line will do well to examine my prices, as they are much lower than the lowest.

The most complete line of

FANCY GROCERIES

every exhibited in Carroll county, in fact will compare favorably with any in the state. These goods have been bought from the first importer, and shipped direct from New York, and will be sold at prices which defy competition.

A large and varied stock of Drugs and Patent Medicines, at very low figures.

A fine line of

Confectionery and Stationery, Etc.

You are especially invited to inspect stock, and receive our prices.

FRANK Z. MILLER,
Opp. 1st Nat. Bank, Westminster.
☞ Country produce taken in exchange for Goods. mar-7-1y

LARGE SALE
—OF—
PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned, as Administratrix of Jos. A. Hoppe, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, will sell at Public Sale, on the farm of the deceased, near Finksburg, known as the Buckley farm, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1891,

at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following property: 2 Mares, Horse, 3 year old Colt, Colt, Thoroughbred Running HORSE Frank, 4 Mules, 3 Cows, one a Holstein; 3 Heifers, two of which are Holstein: thoroughbred Holstein Bull, Steer, 4 Sheep, 11 shoats, 2 Broadtread Farm Wagons, Spring Wagon, man buggy, top buggy, cutter sleigh, 2 horse narrowtread wagon and bed, 2 sets of breechbands and 4 sets of front gears, 7 collars and 6 bridles, wagon saddle, riding saddle and bridle, plow gears, whip and line, check line, 5 housings, buggy harness, harrow, butt traces, 6 flynets,

ONE DEERING BINDER,

Deering Mower, fodder cutter and fixtures, Bickford & Huffman grain drill, plows, harrows, cultivators, single and double shovel plows, sulky corn plow, springtooth rake, forks, rakes, hoes, picks, mattocks, hay carriage, breast, cow, log and halter chains, single, double and tripletrees, and everything necessary for conducting a first class farm, and all were purchased recently. 50 acres of wheat and 9 acres of rye, growing; 100 barrels of corn, lot of potatoes, lot of hay and fodder, large lot of lumber, dressed and undressed; shingles, lot of cord wood, 200 hewed and mortised chestnut posts, lot of pointed chestnut rails, lot of oak logs, 40 perches of limestone, 45 bushels of oats and 21 bushels of rye, lot of fertilizer.

GEISER PEERLESS TRACTION ENGINE,

nearly new. Also household and kitchen furniture, barrels, tubs, buckets, &c.

TERMS:—All sums under $5, cash; on sums of $5 and over, a credit of six months will be given, purchasers to gives notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.
EMMA M. HOPPE,
Administratrix.
Charles B. Roberts, Attorney and Agent.
John T. Diffenbaugh, } Auct'rs.
R. C. Matthews,
feb28-ts

By the Insurance Department.

STATEMENT

Showing the condition of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, Carroll county, December 31st, 1890.

ASSETS.

Value of Real Estate owned by the Company, less amount of encumbrance thereon		$ 500 00
Unpaid Assessments		675 00
Cash in Company's principal office and belonging to the Company deposited in bank		417 24
Premiums due and in course of collection		144 16
Premium Notes in force		
Gross assets	$308,353 42	
All other admitted Assets detailed in statement on file in this office		60 00
Total Cash Assets		$1,796 40

LIABILITIES.

Losses reported, adjusted and unpaid		100 00
Premium Notes in force		
Gross assets	$308,353 42	
All other claims		1,233 50
Total Liabilities		$1,333 50
Surplus as regards policy holders		$462 90
Total income		$ 8,684 20
Total expenditures		8,980 00
Amount of Policies in force in United States on 31st Dec., 1890		4,114,309 00
Amount of Policies written in Maryland during the year 1890		554,929 00
Premiums received on Maryland business in 1890		74 40
Losses paid in Maryland during 1890		5,996 69
Losses incurred in Maryland during 1890		3,754 19

STATE OF MARYLAND,
Insurance Depart., Commissioner's Office,
Annapolis, February 18th, 1891.

In compliance with the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, of Carroll county, to December 31st, 1890, now on file in this Department.
J. FRED C. TALBOTT,
Insurance Commissioner.

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Corner Sycamore and Green Sts., Westminster, Md. Large grounds, barn, fruit, water &c. A very desirable residence. Apply to
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