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FRATERNITIES ARE HELPFUL.

It is said, and the fact is apparent to all observers, that fraternal orders are rapidly increasing in numbers and membership. This increase is quite noticeable in Maryland, and particularly on the Eastern Shore. The good that these societies may do is almost boundless, and they are to be heartily commended. Speaking of these organizations the Centreville *Observer* says: "These societies are themselves but a secular or temporal expression of what the church is teaching. They have launched no new doctrines, they are advocating no new morality. These societies are endeavoring simply to delineate the methods by which men may practice what they profess. Experience has taught us the excellence of fraternity. No one denies the angelic sweetness of its power. And yet those who recognize its perfection are not always the most fraternal in action. In many instances those most loud in the laudation are often the most fierce in the practice of persecution. They sing songs of love, they practice deeds of hate. They crown their heads with a halo of brotherly love, they arm their hands with the weapons of vindictiveness. Personal bitterness, hostile grudges, the most unrelenting prejudices are passions which too often throttle the life and existence of fraternity. The hand of forgiveness, the proffer of assistance, the playing the role of the 'good Samaritan,' are god-like actions not seen so often as their vicious opposites. Men are ready and eager to censure or condemn. They are slow and tardy in their actions of defense. A fallen brother needs help and sympathy. More frequently he suffers the dagger thrust of hate. Is this fraternal, is this human, aye, indeed, is this anywise christian? Fraternal help is not always essential when a man is firmly erect in the strength of his prosperity. The most beautiful exercise of fraternity is when it is extended a brother in hours of his misfortune. Those who refuse it then are woefully lacking in the true fraternal spirit.

DEATH OF MR. HOLMAN.

One of the country's most useful public men, Hon. William S. Holman, died in Washington on the 22nd instant. His name was a household word and a synonym for honesty. For thirty years he was a member of Congress, as a Democrat, and his constituents were faithful to him to the last. In the Republican sweep of 1894, James E. Watson defeated him, but he was again elected in 1896. It was noticed upon his return that his health was failing, and during the present session he has not been able to apply himself as usual to his congressional work. In years gone by no reckless waste of the public money, whether proposed by Democrat or Republican, or in a Republican or Democratic House, ever went unchallenged by Mr. Holman, and especially in the days when Republican special acts were plentiful, did Mr. Holman most to earn his title of "Old Objector." The services of more Holmans are ever needed in the national legislature.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Surveyor Buchanan Schley, of the Baltimore Custom House, on Friday of last week was removed from office, at the instance of Secretary Gage. While Col. Schley's office was kept in excellent condition in every particular he was often compelled to be out to his home at Hagerstown; and the official who worked up the case against him found in this a sufficient ground to urge the charge. The dismissal of Col. Schley in no way lessens the esteem in which he is held by his many friends, a number of whom reside in this section of the State. There are said to be in all more than a half dozen candidates for the place. One of prominence is Mr. B. G. Stevens, of this county. The Baltimore *News* says: "He is looked upon with considerable favor by the politicians. Mr. Stevens has been a close friend and supporter of Senator Wellington, and has been promised something good. He will press his claims without delay for the surveyorship." Mr. B. F. Parlett and Mr. M. M. Higgins, of Talbot, are aspirants for the office.

A Kent county, (Del.,) grand jury has at last realized the fact that it is against the law to buy votes. On Monday last three bills of indictments were handed down to court for attempts to buy votes at the last election. It is said that the accused men are Addicks Republicans and that the evidence against them is conclusive. This action of the Delaware grand jury is quite remarkable; indeed, it is quite startling. What if other grand juries should take it into their heads to follow up their oaths and prosecute offenders in other places!

Miss Mary Ellen Carroll, daughter of Ex-Governor John Lee Carroll, of this State, was married in Paris, France, on Monday.

It is said Ex-Congressman Willis has about concluded to abandon his contest for Congressman Handy's seat in Congress.

The national event of the week was the Grant memorial celebration in New York last Tuesday, in which about a million people participated, and in honor of which there was a great naval display. A prayer was said by Bishop Newman, there was music by an orchestra of 100 pieces and a choir of 1,000 voices, an oration by General Porter and a speech by President McKinley. The casket of General Grant now rests in a marble sarcophagus.

It is no doubt a source of pleasure to many thousand of citizens of citizens of the United States to know that our country is not one of the powers encouraging the blood-thirsty Turk in the war upon the Christians of Greece.

The President on Monday last appointed Edward G. Bradford, of Wilmington, to be judge of the district of Delaware. Hon. Henry C. Conrad, W. C. Spruance and others were prominent candidates.

Since the Carson City fight three pugilists have been killed in the ring. If this thing keeps up people will begin to change their minds about the Marquis of Queensbury matters.

John S. Wilson has been elected president of the B. C. & A. Company. He succeeds John E. Seales.

POLITICAL NOTES.

President Jackson has nearly completed the committee of one hundred which will act in an advisory capacity during the campaign. The list will probably be announced this week. It will contain the names of a number of the most prominent Democrats of the city, and many who last year could not subscribe to the financial plank of the party platform will this year be most active in work for the ticket.

During the next thirty days or so Democratic leaders will probably devote some careful study to the selection of leaders for the state and city committees. Chairman Harry Welles Rusk, of the city committee, has announced his intention of retiring from that responsible position, and the friends of Chairman Hattersley W. Talbott, of the state central committee, have known for some time that he has performed the duties of that office at no little sacrifice, and will probably ask to be relieved this year.

Ex-Governor Frank Brown has been spoken of by his friends in connection with the chairmanship of the state central committee. There is one thing, however, which makes this not feasible: He will sail for Europe, with his son and daughter, on May 8, to spend the summer. The chairman of the Democratic state central committee is needed at his post, not alone during September and October, but during the summer months as well.

The names of Gen. Lloyd L. Jackson and Mr. Thomas S. Wilkinson are mentioned as possible successors to Mr. Harry Welles Rusk. The chairmanship of the city executive committee is not a bed of roses, but involves much hard work. There will probably not be any great rush of candidates for the position.—*Baltimore American.*

Mrs. Samuel Stamm, of Loganton, Pa., bore her thirty-four years of suffering with courage and fortitude. Her trouble was rheumatism in the knee. In consequence her limb had become so stiff that she could hardly walk. Mr. Stamm is a well-to-do merchant, and had spared no pains or expense to relieve her, but with little success, until one night when it grew so painful that she could hardly endure it, he persuaded her to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The effect was magical. The first application relieved the pain, and its continued use has removed all stiffness and given her the free use of her limb once more. If you have a friend who is troubled with rheumatism insist on giving this remedy a trial. You can do them no greater favor, as it is sure to give prompt relief, and if they are a little patient it will effect a cure. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by W. E. Brown, Denton; H. Duffey, Hillsboro, and R. J. Colston, Ridgely.

Harry Rieman has an altogether new, and at the same time successful, way of capturing foxes. Several days ago he, Powell Hollyday, Warfield Rieman, and two of his guests from Baltimore, Gilbert Rieman and Baldwin Homer, who had come over to enjoy a fox-hunt, were walking on Long Point farm. They saw a fox coming up the beach, and Harry Rieman threw a chip at it to turn its course. The missile struck the fox and knocked it senseless, much to the astonishment of the party. They picked it up and took it home, where it soon recovered. The next day they turned it out and had a lively chase.—*Easton Ledger.*

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A Great Linen Sale RIGHT NOW, because conditions favor it. Tariff new or old, linens will cost more before snow-time comes again—maybe long before. We gathered very great stocks when days were darkest, and find ourselves able to make very interesting prices on housekeeping linens. The selling started last week. It will continue until you have taken the lots at command. Not a cent's worth of goods in this store is ever held for speculation. Details follow.

The town is talking linens and buying linens.

Even our recent low prices are discounted in these new comers—the final price-drop, as we believe, that the linen markets will know for years. The whole range of housekeeping linens is included in this spring movement.

Judge the stock as you would a melon—take a plug from any part. In Towel buying 25c hasn't done such work. The picking is from these lots—

Huck Towels, hemstitched ends.
Damask Towels, fringed or hemstitched.
Huck Towels, hemmed or with knotted fringe.

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38c a yard—Good-looking bleached German Damask that we formerly sold at 50c. 60 in. wide.
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NAPKINS—
95c a dozen—Grass-bleached German drill Napkins. 18. in. square. The sort that gives years of service. Not equaled at $1.25.
$1.25 a dozen—Fine bleached damask Napkins; made of the best of yarns. 18 in. square.
$2 a dozen—Large German grass-bleached Napkins in several neat and pretty patterns. 22 in. square. Only 250 dozens.
$3.23 a dozen—Fine Flemish bleached damask Napkins. Several new and pretty patterns. These match the $1.25 damask.

TOWELS—
12½c each—Scotch Huck Towels. Splendid quality and over one yard long. Good for many purposes.
20c each—Fine all-white Irish Huck Towels, with pretty damask borders. 22x41 inch. Worth 30c.

Corsets YOUR dressmaker is wonderfully helped if you help by getting the CORSET right. The Lillian Corset is perfection—but you could go wrong even in buying the Lillian. That is why we carry eleven models of it. That is why we ask you to freely use the advantages of our fitting rooms and the services of the expert people we have here to serve you.

Lillian elegance! Corsets of silk and satin, tricked off with laces and ribbons. Boned with real whalebone. These finest Corsets in sizes from 18 to 24. Prices $10 to $20.
Lillian Corset for bicycle riders; sizes 18 to 26, at $1.75.
Lillian Corsets, coutil; medium length; corded bust; heavily boned. $2.
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Well, we have brought the whole business here, since the new store year—cutters, tailors, managers, order books, measures and all. We believe we can serve particular men better than ever. A man who isn't particular does not help a clothing store much.

The spring suit? Is it ready? $20 for a satisfactory business suit and the fewest possible dollars more for the dressier clothes.

John Wanamaker

Notice.

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COMM'RS, DENTON, MD., Apr 23, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the county commissioners will receive sealed proposals at their office in Denton until May 4, 1897, to be opened at 1 o'clock of that day, for building a new county road as follows: In the Third election district, laid down by Thos. L. Chaffinch, James T. Sylvester and Wm. F. Liden, beginning at the corner of Wm. B. Nuttle's and Wingate Neal's heirs' lands, on the north side of the county road from Andersontown to Williston, and running northerly on the division line between said lands and thro' Wingate Neal's and Mrs. Elizabeth Dixon's land in the most advantageous route to the county road from Watts' Creek to Andersontown at the corner of the lands of Philip W. Downes, S. Hobbs and Elizabeth Dixon on said road. The contractor must cut the road and work 30 feet wide and whenever it is necessary to make a causeway the ditches must be cut out to the line of 30 feet on each side, and furnish the lumber and material of every kind and put in all bridges, trunks and drains necessary to make a good dry road. The road and bridges all to be completed and accepted by the county commissioners or some one authorized by them to inspect the same, before any money is paid. Lumber for bridge to be good white oak.

By order County Commissioners,
GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk.

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the regulor 12c. kind; our price, while it lasts, only 8c. A better grade at 12c.

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Pique Remnants, 10c.,
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from 5c. up.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE,
IN THE
TOWN OF PRESTON.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from James H. Douglass and wife to Perry D. Taylor, bearing date the 28th day of July, 1883, and by the said Perry D. Taylor assigned to Emily Nichols, Clarence Nichols and Elmer Nichols, and by them assigned to Francis Nichols for collection, which said mortgage and assignment are duly of record among the Land Records of Caroline county, Maryland, in Liber L. H. G., No. 47, folios 221, &c., as by reference thereto will fully appear, the undersigned, as assignee as aforesaid, will sell at public sale in front of Lednum's store, in the town of Preston, Md., on

Saturday, the 8th day of May, 1897,

between the hours of 2 o'clock p. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of that day, the real estate mentioned and described in said mortgage (less that part of said property heretofore sold to Mrs. A. Laura Lednum and released from the operation of said mortgage) as follows to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated in and adjacent to the town of Preston, in the Fourth election district of Caroline county, Maryland, adjoining the property of Jerome A. Cox, the heirs of Dr. H. F. Willis, dec'd, lands of J. Frank Lednum, and others, containing

12 Acres of Land,

more or less. It being the same land mentioned and described in a deed from Perry D. Taylor and others, commissioners to divide, &c., the lands of the late James E. Douglass, to James H. Douglass and described therein as Lots Nos. 1 and 3 upon the plat filed in said case, as will appear by reference to said deed recorded in Liber L. H. G., No. 47, folios 125, &c.

This property will be first offered in three lots or parcels as follows:

No. 1—All those two lots immediately adjoining the land which J. Frank Lednum bought of E. T. Moore, trustee, the lands of the heirs of Dr. H. F. Willis, and fronting on the county road leading from Grove to Preston and separated from No. 2, hereinafter described, by a division fence, and containing SIX ACRES OF LAND, more or less.

No. 2—All those two lots fronting on the public road leading from Grove adjoining lot No. 1, lands of the heirs of Dr. H. F. Willis and lot No. 3, hereinafter described, containing FIVE ACRES OF LAND, more or less.

No. 3—All the rest and residue of said land not included in lots Nos. 1 and 2, fronting on the Main Street in the town of Preston, adjoining the property of Jerome A. Cox and Mrs. A. Laura Lednum, containing ONE ACRE OF LAND, more or less.

The improvements on lot No. 3 consists of a large two-story

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This property will be first offered in parcels, as above, and then as a whole, and will be sold in whichever way it brings the most money.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

If sold in parcels, as above, a deposit of twenty-five dollars will be required on lots No. 1 and 2 each, and $100 on lot No. 3, on day of sale; and if sold as a whole a deposit of $150 will be required on day of sale. Title papers at expense of purchaser.

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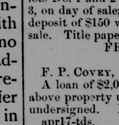

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EASTWARD. Daily Except Sunday.		BALTIMORE FERRY.	WESTWARD. Daily Except Sunday.	
Leave P. M.	Leave A. M.		Arrive A. M.	Arrive P. M.
4.00	5.20	BALTIMORE	10.20	9.15
Arrive P. M.	Arrive A. M.	TO	Leave A. M.	Leave P. M.
6.20	7.50	QUEENSTOWN.	8.00	6.45

RAILROAD DIVISION.

Leave P. M.	Leave A. M.	STATIONS.	Arrive A. M.	Arrive P. M.
6.30	8.30	QUEENSTOWN	7.50	5.50
F 6.36	F 8.40	BLOOMINGDALE	F 7.44	F 5.40
F 6.44	8.50	WYE MILLS	F 7.36	5.30
6.50	9.00	WILLOUGHBY	7.30	5.20
6.59	9.15	QUEEN ANNE	7.21	5.05
7.03	9.18	HILLSBORO	7.18	5.02
7.10	9.26	DOWNES	7.11	4.54
F 7.13	F 9.31	TUCKAHOE	F 7.08	F 4.49
7.20	9.42	DENTON	7.02	4.38
7.30	10.00	HOBBS	6.52	4.20
7.38	10.14	HICKMAN	6.44	4.06
F 7.42	F 10.21	ADAMSVILLE	F 6.40	F 3.59
F 7.47	F 10.28	BLANCHARD	F 6.34	F 3.52
7.55	10.40	GREENWOOD	6.25	3.40
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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NORTH EAST, MD., Jan. 23, 1897.
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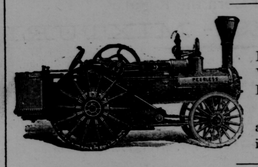

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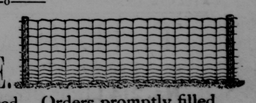

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