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BEL AIR, Md.

Friday Morning, - - - - February 4, 1887.

—Upwards of 300 persons were drowned on the 11th of December, by a collision at sea, off the coast of Brazil.

—Rev. J. G. Hamner, D. D., a well-known and able Presbyterian clergyman of Baltimore, died in that city, on Friday, of apoplexy.

—President Cleveland has appointed Mr. Edward W. Mealey, of Hagerstown, consul at Munich. Mr. Mealey is a close personal and political friend of ex-Gov. Hamilton.

—Gen. Sherman says he has resolved to keep out of politics—a very wise conclusion. If his no less distinguished brother were to come to the same conclusion it might be a good thing for the country.

—A communication from Mr. Edward M. Allen, a rejoinder to Mr. Dennis's communication of last week, has been received, but it was impossible to get it in type in time for publication this week.

—Philadelphia politics are inexplicable.—Col. Banes having declined their nomination for mayor the Democrats have nominated Geo. DeB. Keim, a stalwart Republican, who failed to get the Republican nomination.

—The right has triumphed at last Indiana, Hon. David Turpie having been elected United States Senator, on Wednesday, by the Legislature of that State. The Democrats carried the State and were entitled to name the Senator.

—The Sheriff of Chicago having refused to permit the marriage in prison of Miss Van Zandt to the condemned anarchist Spies, the parties were married by proxy by a magistrate, a brother of Spies representing the bridegroom.

—Secretary Manning, it is stated, will soon retire from the Treasury department and accept a bank presidency in New York.—His place cannot easily be filled, and it is a cause for regret that failing health compels him to lay aside the burden he has borne for the past two years.

—Hon. Geo. H. Pendleton, our minister to Berlin, in a recent interview in New York, said that the powers of Europe are making immense military preparations. He did not think any one in Germany desired a war, and that Bismarck would accord heartily with any proposition of peace with honor.

—The Baltimore trunk mystery has been cleared up. The headless remains were those of August Bohle, who was murdered in New York by his friend Edward Unger.—The latter, being confronted with the trunk, the hammer with which he committed the deed and the knife he used in dismembering his victim, broke down and confessed the crime.

—The strike at New York is extending.—The freight handlers on the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the New York, Lake Erie and Western and certain others employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company demanded an increase in wages from 17 to 20 cents an hour. Their demands being refused they struck. The indications are that the strike will be more extensive before a conclusion is reached.

War Talk.

There is considerable war talk in Congress and in the newspapers over the fishery troubles with Canada. Until our sea coast is better fortified and our navy rebuilt it would be very unwise to go to war with England.—Besides, the Canadians can be brought to their senses in a much more economical way, by severing all commercial intercourse with them. The honor of the country does not seem to be involved at present and nothing else could justify war with England. We could whip any troops she might land on our shores, but she would have the advantage over us along the seacoast. Her armored ships could reduce New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore to ruins in a few hours. It would be exceedingly bad policy to go to war, even in a just cause, with no adequate means of defence and still less of attack.

Local Affairs.

LITTLE LOCALS.

—Mr. Wm. Kerr, of York county, Pa., has rented the Fishel Mill, near Clermont Mills.

—Mr. Samuel James, of Dublin district, recently injured his wrist severely, while engaged in baling hay.

—Our Delta neighbors are making a vigorous effort to establish a bank there. The *Herald* favors a national bank.

—Mr. John Mordew, while baling hay, near Upper Cross Roads, had one of his hands so severely injured that it is feared it will have to be amputated.

—Mr. Euclidas Scarboro, of the fifth district, whose severe illness has been reported, is convalescent, being able to sit up for a short time each day.

—The concert by the Smith Family, announced to take place in the Court House, to-night, has been postponed until Tuesday night of next week, February 8th.

—Wm. Baxter, colored, living near the Rocks, had a leg broken recently above and below the knee, caused by the fall of a horse on which he was riding.—*Delta Herald.*

—The inclement weather, Wednesday and Thursday nights, interfered materially with the success of the oyster suppers for the benefit of the Bel Air M. P. Church and Union Chapel.

—The protracted meeting in Norrisville M. P. Church, Rev. Mr. Yingling, pastor, is still in progress. Services are held every evening, except Saturday. About twenty-five conversions are reported.

—Rev. James M. Maxwell, formerly editor of the Baltimore *Presbyterian Observer*, now of Monangahela City, Pa., will preach at Deer Creek Harmony Church next Sunday morning, 6th instant.

—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Darbie has received a new commission as postmistress at Clermont Mills, Harford county. She has for some years past held a commission in her former name, which was Mrs. Elizabeth M. Glenn.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Hugh C. Ramsay, Sr., living near Cambria Station, accidentally fell, while walking in the yard at his residence, and broke his arm between the elbow and wrist. Mr. Ramsay is 77 years old.

SLATE QUARRIES BOUGHT AND LEASED.—Mr. Moore, of Lancaster City, has bought Mr. Duncan's interest in the Eureka Slate Co's quarry. Enos Frey and partner have bought John A. Barnett's interest in the Enos Frey quarry and leased the same to John Jones & Co., for a term of years.

BUSINESS CHANGES.—Mr. George Shure, of Shuresville, has purchased the interest of Messrs. J. C. Smith & Bro., in Berkley Store, and expected to take charge of the same this week. Mr. John G. Pritchard, formerly clerk for Messrs. Smith & Bro., will take charge of the business at Berkley Mills.

ACCIDENT TO A BREAKMAN.—James Gorman, a brakeman on the Maryland Central Railroad fell from his train while passing Stony Run, last Thursday, and broke his left leg in two places, above and below the knee, and injured himself internally. He was attended by Dr. Norment, of Mt. Vernon, who considered his condition critical.

COAL FROM DELTA.—Several car loads of coal have been received at Bel Air, within the past week, from Delta. It was shipped by Mr. C. R. McConkey and was consigned to Messrs. John G. Rouse and P. F. Ball. This coal was brought from York, Pa., over the York and Peachbottom Narrow Gauge Railroad. The price to consumers in Bel Air was $7 a ton.

WEDDING CARDS.—Mr. and Mrs. George R. Goldsborough, of Baltimore, have issued invitations for the marriage of their niece, Miss Hortense H. Hardesty, to Mr. Wm. W. McIntire, of Baltimore. The ceremony will take place at Christ P. E. Church, Baltimore. Miss Hardesty is a daughter of the late Richard C. Hardesty, of this county, and was a ward of Dr. E. Hall Richardson, of Bel Air.

REORGANIZED.—The Musical was reorganized at the residence of Capt. R. E. Bouldin, in Bel Air, Monday evening, with thirty persons in attendance. The choruses were practised, led by the directress Miss A. V. Hallock, assisted by Mrs. John S. Young. The members decided to give a public concert in the near future. A very pleasant evening was spent. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Jacobs, on Monday evening next, at eight o'clock.

HORSE STOLEN.—Mr. D. W. Shertzer, of Mount Washington, Baltimore county, Md., was in Bel Air, on Wednesday, looking for a horse which was stolen from his stable, on Thursday night of last week. A wagon bridle was also taken. One of Mr. Shertzer's neighbors had a pair of collars stolen the same night. Mr. Shertzer bought the horse from his father, Mr. Jacob Shertzer, of Churchville, and thought the horse might have been turned loose and wandered back to his old home. He could hear nothing of the animal.

A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.—On Tuesday morning about 30 of Mr. Hugh T. Heaps' neighbors, near Pylesville, visited him in a body, prepared to give him a birth-day dinner. Mr. Heaps was surprised but gave them a hearty and hospitable greeting, offering them the freedom of his house, telling them if they saw anything they liked to take it. About noon a sumptuous feast was spread and enjoyed. The visitors remained until late in the afternoon and left for their homes pleased with the success of their surprise. Miss Martha Heaps was mistress of the occasion.

LARGE SALE OF TOWN LOTS.—Messrs. J. S. and C. L. Dallam, real estate agents, Bel Air, have sold for Messrs. Wm. F. and George A. Hays all of the remaining building lots belonging to them in Hays' Addition to Bel Air, comprising from 12 to 15 acres. This property has been purchased jointly by Messrs. S. A. Williams, F. R. Williams, Frank H. Jacobs, Alex. S. Bell, Charles M. Hinkle and C. Augustus Kennedy, for $4,600 cash. The new owners say they propose to divide it into convenient building lots, which will be sold at reasonable prices.

THE SPICER BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—The members of the Spicer Building Association of Harford county, met at the Court House, Monday night, and adopted a Constitution for the regulation of the association. The Constitution, as prepared by the committee, contained a provision charging an entrance fee of twenty-five cents per share. This was amended by making the entrance fee ten cents per share, which is intended to cover the expenses of organization, such as providing the necessary books, &c. The entrance fee will be paid in at the next meeting, of which notice will be given by the directors. The number of shares, which had been limited at 1,800, had all been subscribed for, and the number being increased to 2,000, all of the 200 additional shares except ten or twelve, were taken on the spot.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—The Commissioners were in session on Monday, all of the members of the board being present.

Messrs. R. J. Walker and Thomas Pool reported the bridge near Roberts' Mill to be in a dangerous condition, and upon their report the board determined to build a new bridge. The Commissioners authorized the acceptance of proposition of George Bailey to build the said bridge.

Dr. Wm. P. Taylor was granted permission to place telephone poles on the side of the public road leading from the Philadelphia thurpike to Edgewood.

A petition, signed by Geo. M. Hardy, John C. Herbert, Alex. P. Norris, F. Gunther, Geo. N. Emmord and many other citizens, was presented, asking that the P. W. and B. Railroad be required to place a flagman at the Edgewood crossing of said road. It was filed for future consideration.

The board will meet on Monday, February 14th.

EXAMINERS' REPORT ON A PROPOSED NEW ROAD.—Messrs. Hosea Barnes, Geo. B. Silver and Thos. E. Cathcart, examiners on the proposed public road near Havre de Grace, beginning at or near Mrs. Mary B. Hitchcock's lane, on the road from Level to Havre de Grace, running through the lands of the said Mrs. Hitchcock, John Mitchell, Jr., James F. McCabe and the heirs of Bernard Mitchell, until it intersects the road from Havre de Grace to the Chapel, near the Havre de Grace depot of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, reported, "that they reviewed the ground and measured the distance to the B. and O. depot, and found that a new road where it could be located would only shorten the distance about one-eighth of a mile, and also that the cost of said road, including damages to parties through whose lands it would pass would be very heavy, and far exceed all advantages of the road."

The examiners also say that "the principal advantage of the road would be to the B. and O. Railroad, and there is a general opinion that if said road is made it should be made by the B. and O. Railroad and not at the expense of the county, and that the danger of crossing under the railroad bridge can be averted by causing a flagman to be put on said bridge."

INSPECTING HARFORD CATTLE.—Dr. F. W. Patterson, Inspector, of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, is in Harford, for the purpose of ascertaining whether any contagious diseases exist among cattle here. Dr. Patterson has visited Bush River Neck and the entire eastern section of the county, as far as the Pennsylvania line, including the neighborhood of Delta, Pylesville and the Rocks. So far he states he has found no contagious diseases of any kind in the parts of the county he has visited. The cattle, of which he found a larger number being fed than he expected, are in fine condition. The exemption of Harford county from the scourge pleuro-pneumonia he attributes to accident, as many of the cattle now being fed here were bought directly from stockyards where the disease is rampant.

Dr. Patterson has been giving much attention to the swine-plague, and read a paper thereon at the Farmers' Convention. He favors the passage of a law to compel farmers to bury deeply every hog which dies of cholera. He condemns the practice of some farmers of hauling the dead animals into the woods, from whence the disease may be carried over the whole country by dogs and buzzards; and the equally dangerous practice of throwing the carcases of hogs which have died of cholera into streams, to be washed away, carrying infection with them.

Dr. Patterson's headquarters for the present are at the Grangers' Hotel, Bel Air.

OPINION FILED IN THE WHITEFORD-RAMSAY CASE.—On the 27th of January Judges Watters and Fowler filed their opinion in the case of Samuel and H. Clay Whiteford vs. Samuel J. Ramsay. It was in favor of the plaintiffs, Whiteford & Bro.

The suit, which was to enforce the compliance by the defendant with the alleged terms of a verbal contract with the plaintiffs, was begun in 1885. The testimony was taken in writing before Commissioner Lee and filled several hundred pages of foolscap. The complainants alleged that by the verbal contract Dr. Ramsay agreed to lease to them certain flint lands; to build and maintain a dam and mill for grinding flint, &c.; that they were to pay him a rent of $1,000 a year for the buildings and a royalty of 50 cents a ton for the flint quarried. The allegations of the plaintiffs were positively denied by the defendant, Dr. Ramsay, who admitted that there was a verbal agreement, but it was in many essential particulars different from the agreements alleged by Whiteford & Bro.

Judges Watters and Fowler, in their opinion, say they think that the contract, as proved, is fair and reasonable in all its parts, and conclude by saying they think the defendant is required by equity to comply with his verbal agreement to execute to the complainants a written lease, embodying the provisions of the contract set forth in the complainants' amended bill of complaint, &c.

Since the suit was brought Dr. Ramsay has died.

GROUND HOG DAY.—Believers in the ground hog theory of the weather will take great comfort from the fact that Wednesday was a cloudy day and the ground hog, if foolish enough to have emerged from his comfortable winter-quarters, could not see his shadow, and if true to tradition remained abroad, in the confident belief that the back-bone of the winter is broken and smiling spring will put in an appearance earlier than usual.

From a period beyond which the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, the legend goes that on this day, at noon, the ground hog will come out of his hole and take an observation of the weather. If he sees his shadow on the snow he will go back, and curl up for six weeks more of cold weather; but if he sees no shadow he will not go back, for he will know there will be little more cold weather this year.

The 2d of February is known in the calendar of the church as Candlemas Day, or the festival of the Purification of the Virgin. The name Candlemas is derived from the ceremony in the church of Rome of blessing candles by the clergy and a distribution of them amongst the people, by whom in some places they are carried lighted in solemn procession. This ceremony is understood to refer to the declaration of Simeon that Christ was to be a light to lighten the Gentiles.

SERIOUS CUTTING AFFAIR.—Early Monday morning Elijah Harvey, a colored teamster employed by Mr. Joshua Husband, near Dublin, was seriously cut in the neck by George Whittington, also colored. Harvey lives in a house on Mr. Husband's farm. Whittington, it is said, frequented Harvey's house more then was agreeable, the attraction being Harvey's wife. Finally Harvey ordered him to leave. On Monday morning, while Harvey was seated in a chair before the fire, Whittington came up behind him and without a word of warning made a savage cut at him with a jack-knife, inflicting a terrible gash in Harvey's neck. The wound was an inch deep, five inches long, extending from the middle of the neck, behind, around under the angle of the jaw, on the right side, severing an artery.

The wounded man immediately mounted a horse and rode to the residence of Dr. O. B. Carcaud, near the Hickory, a distance of several miles, the blood streaming from his neck at each bound of the horse. When he got there his clothing and the saddle were saturated with blood and even the horse was covered with it. Dr. Carcaud sent at once to Bel Air for medical assistance and succeeded in staying the flow of blood somewhat until Dr. R. D. Lee came, and together they took up the severed artery. The wound is regarded as very serious. As soon as he had committed the deed Whittington fled and has thus far escaped arrest.

THE ICE GORGE AT PORT DEPOSIT.—The rain last Saturday, it was thought, would start the ice in the Susquehanna, and consequently on Sunday there were many sight-seers at Port Deposit and Lapidum. They were disappointed, however. The river was obscured by a dense fog, and the muddy water having cut a passage way on each side of the great body of ice, the hummocks remained intact. To reach Port Deposit visitors from Havre de Grace had to walk four miles. There were no services in any of the churches. Those in the upper end of the town were surrounded by water and the congregations of the others were afraid to venture out.

The water and ice had covered the tow-path of the canal, and when the water subsided a little two large breaks were discovered between Lapidum and Havre de Grace, one of them being sixty feet long and eight feet deep.

Messrs Barnes & Archer lost some lumber from the Harford side, but everything that could be moved had been taken out of harm's way.

On Monday morning a slight movement took place in the ice near Rock Run, but the gorge opposite Lapidum did not move. The muddy water, however, began to get in its work and channels were cut in the ice near Havre de Grace, through which numbers of cakes passed on their way to the bay.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Wm. M. Edelin, of this county, has accepted an agency for the Chesapeake Guano Company, of Baltimore, his territory embracing Harford and Baltimore counties. Mr. Edelin will sell his stock and farming implements at his farm, near Fallston, on the 24th instant.

Mr. D. E. Wiley, son of the late David Wiley, of Norrisville, has removed to Baltimore, where he will engage in the provision business at No. 428 Calvert street.

Mr. S. M. Lee, of Thomas' Run, returned on Tuesday from a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. Harry Wilson, in Talbot county.

A daughter of Mr. Wm. M. Thompson, formerly of Harford county, is very ill at Hampden, Baltimore county.

Mr. Harry F. Lee, of Baltimore, paid a visit, this week, to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Lee, of Bel Air.

Mr. Joseph M. Page has rented the farm of Dr. Thomas H. Roberts, near Churchville, and will remove from his present residence, near the Hickory, about March 1st. Mr. Page will have a sale February 15th.

Mr. Wm. S. Smith, of Akron, Ohio, who has been spending about two months at his old home, near the Gunpowder, Baltimore county, expected to leave to-day for Ohio. Mr. Smith is successfully engaged in the trucking business in the suburbs of Akron.

It is reported that Dr. Andrews is about to give up his drug store in York, on account of ill health, and resume the practice of medicine in the vicinity of Mill Green.

SUDDEN DEATH OF STEVENSON ARCHER, JR.—Mr. Stevenson Archer, Jr., the eldest son of Hon. Stevenson Archer, died suddenly, on Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of his parents, Hazel Dell, near Bel Air, of an affection of the kidneys. He had been suffering for some days, but on Thursday of last week was well enough to take a drive. He grew worse, however, and his uncle, Dr. Lewis J. Williams, of Baltimore, was sent for, last Saturday, to consult with the family physician, Dr. E. Hall Richardson. Mr. Archer's condition was not such as to cause immediate alarm to his family until Tuesday night, and on Wednesday morning it was evident to his physicians that he was dying. He was fully conscious of his approaching end and passed peacefully and quietly away.

Mr. Archer was a student at the Bel Air Academy, where he was being prepared to enter Princeton College.

Mr. Archer had never been robust, but his friends hoped he had outgrown the constitutional weakness which threatened his earlier years, and was about to enter upon a long and useful life, for which his talents and his many excellent traits so eminently qualified him.—During his last illness, of not more than three weeks, he so resolutely resisted his disease as not to be confined to bed until three days before his death, which therefore, came upon his friends with the added shock of an unexpected blow.

In his home life Mr. Archer was a devoted son and loving brother, and as eldest son was, in his father's absence, a kind and hospitable host. At school, his rare sweetness of temper, and his originality and his strength of mind, made him to be loved and respected alike by his teachers and fellow-students. In society, his amiability and integrity of character and his strong Christian principles won for him the affection and esteem of all who knew him; and the memory of "Stevey" Archer, as he was familiarly known among his associates, will always be dear to those among whom his brief life was spent. Though only nineteen years of age he was possessed of self-control and fortitude which would have been remarkable even in an older man, and which never deserted him. Mr. Archer had been for several years a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and in the whole tenor of his life showed that his faith was not of words alone but of deeds also. Finite wisdom cannot scrutinize the Infinite. It is only the far-seeing eye of faith that can see the hand of an all-merciful and all-wise God in thus removing from the earth in the first bloom of his manhood one endowed with so many qualities fitted to win and adorn success in life.

His death has cast a feeling of deep sadness over the entire community, whose heartfelt sympathies go out to his bereaved family in their great sorrow.

The funeral will take place Saturday morning, at 10½ o'clock, from his parents' residence. The interment will be in the family burial lot in the Churchville Presbyterian burying ground. Friends of the family are invited to attend, without further notice.

JURORS FOR THE FEBRUARY TERM.—On Saturday Judge Watters, in the presence of members of the bar and others, drew from the jury box the following names of those who are to serve as jurors at the February term of the Circuit Court for Harford county, which will begin at Bel Air on the 14th of this month:

	District.		District.
Chas. W. Treadwell,	3.	James Hopper,	6
David Swartz,	1.	Morgan Mitchell,	2
Wm. Gibson, Sr.	4	Wm. A. Wells,	2
Alvin Rigdon,	5	John A. Mitchell,	2
John Dalton, Jr.,	4.	Henry Z. Silver,	2
Michael S. Haviland,	1.	J. R. McFadden,	5
John H. Cochran,	1.	Dr. Geo. W. Davis,	4
James Wiles,	2.	Augustus W. Walker,	2
David Wilson,	4.	James Pool,	3
Henry D. Hanway,	4.	Abel D. Wilson,	3
John A. Bennett,	5.	P. F. Smithson,	5
Benjamin Dixon,	4.	Joseph Archer,	2
John A. Benner,	1.	C. Worth Shrodes,	4
Martin Murphy,	5.	John Barrow, Sr.,	3
Jacob E. Bull,	3.	Thomas Kehoe,	3
James Morris,	5.	Wm. A. Durham,	4
Henry A. Price,	1	Cornelius Courtney,	2
Asbury Slade,	4.	Wm. A. Nelson,	4
J. Cullum, of Jesse,	1.	Dr. W. S. Forwood,	5
B. A. Gilbert, of Wm.	2	Lemuel W. Murphy,	6
Geo. Edward Carr,	5.	Nicholas D. Amos,	4
Kennedy Bay,	5.	Daniel Carroll,	3
Wm. T. Blake,	3.	Wm. F. Kessling,	3
Wm. I. Davis,	5.	Amos Thompson,	2

The first district, it will be seen, gets 6 jurors; the second, 10; the third, 9; the fourth, 11; the fifth, 10; the sixth, 2. The list of two hundred names from which the above were drawn was as follows:

First District.

John Concannon, Jesse Cullum, of Jesse, Jeremiah Sullivan, Patrick Callahan, Ralph L. Wilson, Wakeman Martin, John Weber, J. Nelson Demoss, Samuel S. Bevard, Edward C. Hanway, David Swartz, Henry A. Price, John A. Benner, Joseph Mouisdale, James H. Archer, Henry Dill, Mitchael S. Haviland, Daniel Lynch, of John, John H. Cochran, Albert Magness.

Second District.

Henry Z. Silver, James R. Smith, Augustus W. Walker, Morgan Mitchell, Henry C. Hall, William A. Wells, John A. Mitchell, Benjamin Jonager, Jacob James, Charles H. Armstong, Joseph Archer, James H. Wilkinson, Luther Osborn, Norris H. Anderson, Bennett Nelson, James W. Wells, Amos Thompson, William E. Robinson, James Wiles, George Gerwig, Wm. H. Greenland, Charles W. Walker, Christian Smith, George B. Osborn, James E. Worthington, William Stephenson, Calvin Cole, C. C. Cronin, Wm. H. Arnold, George Walker, Robert A. Mitchell, George Chauncey, Luther B. Holloway, Hosea Barnes, Bennett A. Gilbert, of Wm., Cornelius C. Courtney, Charles Osborn, Richard M. Taylor, Ambrose Cooley, James L. Richardson.

Third District.

Zaccheus DeBow, George Archer, Edward Ferry, James A. Watters, Charles W. Treadwell, Elwood T. Anderson, Edward T. Monks, Jacob E. Bull, Daniel Carroll, John P. Flowers, Parker F. Forwood, John C. Stonebraker, Thomas E. Smithson, W. Arthur Trago, Wm. D. Harryman, Elijah B. Whistler, Daniel M. Mitchell, Albert B. Forwood, James Poole, John Stein, Jr., Thomas L. Beaumont, Thomas Kehoe, Thomas McKenna, John Barrow, Sr., James Smithson, James F. Haviland, James G. Favour, James Amos, James Norris, John H. Reckord, John Quinn, Wm. F. Kessling, Wm. Watson, Patrick Howard, Abel D. Wilson, Wm. Dean, Alexander Smith, Charles M. Grafton, William T. Blake, Albert B. Forwood.

Fourth District.

J. Wiley Norris, Frank McAtee, John Dalton, Jr., James W. Taylor, Richard H. Wiley, Asbury Slade, Bailey J. St. Clair, John Caughey, Dr. Thos. B. Hayward, Patrick Kennedy, C. Worth Shrodes, Benj. Ayres, of Thomas, Jos. A. Tolley, Samuel Townsley, Charles Wilson, James B. Luckey, Benjamin Dixon, Joseph H. Mullinix, William Stansbury, Wm. Gibson, Sr., James H. Patterson, James R. Barton, John T. Ward, Dr. Geo. W. Davis, George W. Fowble, Alfred J. King, A. J. Wiley, Nicholas D. Amos, Wm. H. Nelson, Jacob C. Hey, Wm. A. Durham, David Miller, George W. Blaney, Thomas H. Poteet, Wm. A. Cathcart, Alexander McComas, Nathan Heaps, Jacob H. Hess, Henry D. Hanway, J. Payne Cathcart.

Fifth District.

Geo. Edward Carr, William H. Wilson, Hugh E. Dooley, Jonas C. Huff, Martin Ryan, Richard T. Dunwoody, John O. Stearns, William A. Forsythe, John R. McFadden, Walter B. Chamberlain, John A. Bennett, Joseph Burkins, of John, Alvin Rigdon, Robert D. Orr, Theodore Walker, Alonzo Huff, Hugh Stokes, Joshua C. Smith, John G. McCoy, Brinkley McCann, Samuel J. Norris, Dr. W. Stump Forwood, Kennedy Bay, James Morris, Robert E. Evans, Martin Murphy, Geo. Henry Gorrell, John W. Carter, Joseph James, Richard C. Murphy, Wm. H. H. Whiteford, Wm. R. Jones, Andrew Torbert, Stevenson A. Whiteford, Basil G. Treackle, Parker F. Smithson, Wm. J. Davis, Isaac Wilson, Joseph Robinson, Thomas A. McNutt.

Sixth District.

Peter Summers, Sr., James W. Barnes, John Reddington, Dr. Daniel W. Hopkins, J. Frank Donnelly, Amos D. R. Spencer, Samuel R. Adams, Wm. S. McCombs, Francis J. Boyd, Robert Cross, Joseph R. Carver, John S. Touchstone, J. Frank Jones, Thomas Gleason, Arthur Vosbury, James Hopper, Frederick W. Reasin, Lemuel W. Murphy, Henry Shure, Jos. McVey.

ANGLESIDE SCHOOL.—The following is a report of the progress of the pupils of Angleside Public School, Fallston, Miss Helena Link, Teacher:

No. of pupils on roll 33; average attendance 24. Eleanor Watters, Carrie Scarborough, Alex. Watters and Ollie Scarboro were present every day during the term. Jennie Rahll, Wilson Rahll, Herbert Loflin and Willie W. Amoss were present every day but one. Maggie Amoss and Annie Loflin missed two days. Warden Boyd and Lany Ward missed three days. Of those who did not enter at the beginning of the term, George Rahll, Harry Tayson and Daniel Spicer were present every day from date of entrance. Florence Amoss, Willie P. Amoss, Ollie Amoss and Andrew Kelly have been absent one day, Finny Tayson 2, and Michael Rahll 3 days. Of those on roll at the close of this term, Carrie J. Scarborough has not missed a day since the beginning of school, Sept. 6, 1886. The pupils whose names have not been mentioned attended as regularly as the distance and weather would permit.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

—East Harford Southern Methodist Church.—Next Saturday and Sunday, February 5th and 6th will be the occasion of the fourth quarterly meeting. The Presiding Elder, Rev. Thos. E. Carson, will preach at Aberdeen, Sunday, 11 A. M., and at Perryman, 7½ P. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

—The fourth Quarterly Meeting of Aberdeen Circuit will be held at Aberdeen M. E. Church, Monday, February 7th, at 10½ o'clock. Preaching by the Presiding Elder, Rev. Wm. Speaks.—He will also preach on Sunday, February 6th, at 3 P. M., and also at 7½ P. M. C. C. Cronin, Pastor.

—East Harford Circuit.—Preaching at Abingdon, 11 A. M., and at Calvary, 3 P. M., Feb. 6th, by Rev. Joseph P. Wilson, of Bel Air. Rev. G. L. Cuddy will occupy Mr. Wilson's pulpits on the same day.

—Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. S. A. Hobliter, Pastor.—Preaching, 6th.—Bel Air, Sunday School 9½ A. M.; preaching at 11 A. M., and Revival Service at 7.15 P. M., to be continued every evening during the week, except Saturday. Rev. D. L. Greenfield, of Baltimore, will assist the Pastor next week, and other ministers from abroad are also expected during the meeting. Service at Mt. Carmel at 3 P. M. Quarterly Conference at Bel Air, Saturday morning, February 5th, at 10½ o'clock.

"But oh! what damned minutes tells he o'er,"
who suffers, but waits: who writhes, yet moans,
before he makes up his mind to send out for just
twenty-five cents worth of Salvation Oil, the pain
cure.

They say the average politician is getting
hoarse talking about tariff and no tariff; but he
cures his cold every night with Dr. Bull's Cough
Syrup, and begins afresh next morning with the
lark.

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DIED.

GUILLOT.—In Bel Air, January 26th, 1887, CLARENCE DOUGLAS, infant son of Eugene F. and Ella M. Guillot, aged 1 month and 1 day.

Lovely babe, how brief thy stay;
Short and hasty was thy day;
Ending soon the journey here,
Pain and grief no more to bear.
Hard it is from thee to part,
For it rends an aching heart;
But as heir of glory gone,
Let the will of God be done.
Little Clarence was our darling,
Pride and joy of heart and home,
Yet an angel came and said,
Darling Clarence, do come home.

BY HIS MOTHER.

IN MEMORIAM.

On January 26th, WILFRED, third and youngest son of Charles and Kate Smith, departed this life, at the residence of his parents, near Rock Run Church.

Wilfred was in his fifteenth year and was a studious, industrious boy, and beloved by all who knew him. A few years ago, while living in Lapidum, he met with a painful accident, by which he lost an eye and also had a finger amputated. He bore this affliction with great cheerfulness. He was an obedient son, and a kind, loving brother. While he had many traits of character to endear him to those around him and to fit him for a useful life, God in His mercy saw fit to remove him to a better world in his youth, ere the evil days had come. Ho was

Up and away with the grim rider, death,
Ere his young life was begun;
God has taken him away, in mercy, He saith,
Ere the evils of this life were known.

On Friday, January 28th, at 10 o'clock, the funeral services were conducted at the Rock Run Church, by the Rev. Mr. Cronin. The interment followed in the Rock Run Cemetery, with the following pall-bearers: Oliver Knight, Augustus Ward, Robert Tolliver, Charles and Scott Silver and Harry Osborn. Our sympathies are with the afflicted family.

HIS FIRST TEACHER, A. M. E. P.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber having rented his farm, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, near Hopewell Cross Roads,

On Tuesday, March 1st, 1887,

At 10 o'clock, A. M., the following

STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c., to wit:

One Horse, 8 years old, large, good Work and Driver; 1 good Brood Mare, 12 years old; 2 thoroughly good Work Horses, 2 remarkably large Chester Colts, one two and the other three years old; 1 Osborn Single Reaper, nearly new, 1 Wheat Drill, in good order, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Grindstone, 1 Family Carriage, for one or two horses; one two or three-horse Wagon, 1 one-horse Wagon, 1 Horse Rake, 1 double worker Plow, also other Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Shovels, Mattocks, Picks, Forks, Rakes, Grain Cradles, Post Diggers, Chains, 1 set of heavy Stage Harness, 2 sets Lead Harness, 1 set of Single Harness, 1 Hay Fork, double rigged, with four Blocks and rope; 1 Iron Vise, 150 barrels Yellow Corn, with many other articles; 15 head of Stock Cattle and 3 Milk Cows may be offered. All will be sold without reserve.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of $10 and under cash; on sums over that amount a credit of eight months will be given, purchasers giving their notes, with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale and payable at the Havre de Grace National Bank.

RICHARD R. FOLEY.

Wm. S. Bowman, Auctioneer. feb4

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Harford county, the undersigned, as Executrix of Samuel J. Ramsay, late of Harford county, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises of the said deceased, near Castleton, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16th, 1887,

Commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

The following PERSONAL PROPERTY, to wit:

Two Work or Driving Horses, 2 Cows, coming in profit soon; 2 large Steers, 1 Durham Bull, 1 Rockaway Carriage, 1 No-top Buggy, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Horse Cart and Harness, 1 Cider Mill, 1 set of Carriage Harness, 2 Halters, 10 Cow Chains, 2 Log Chains, 2 Cultivators, 1 Slate Meat Tub, 3 barrels of Cider Vinegar, 4 Ox Yokes, also 100 bushels of Oats, 50 barrels of Corn, 25 tons prime Timothy Hay, a lot of Fodder and many other articles, too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of $10 and under Cash on day of sale; over that amount a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving note, with security to be approved by Executrix, and payable at Harford National Bank of Bel Air. No goods to be removed until settled for.

ANNA E. MIFFLIN, Executrix.
J. MARTIN McNABB, Attorney.
R. S. McNutt, Auctioneer. 4feb

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned having rented his farm, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, near Hall's Mill,

ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21st, 1887,

At 10 o'clock, A. M., the following

STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c., to wit:

Two good Work Mares, 1 Colt, one year old in May, 4 Cows, one will come in by the middle of March; 1 large Brood Sow and six Shoats, 1 two-horse Road Wagon, 1 Horse Cart and Harness, 1 No-top Buggy, 1 Sleigh and Bells, 1 Jump Seat Carriage, Pole and Shafts, 1 Horse Rake, 1 Wheat Drill, 1 Wheat Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Champion Grain Reaper, 1 Wheelbarrow, 1 Oliver Chilled Plow, 1 Harrow, Iron Axe Cultivator, with attachments, 1 Iron Double Shovel Plow, 2 sets Single Harness, 3 sets Plow Harness, 1 set Breeching Harness, Bridles, Collars, 2 sets Driving Reins, Riding Saddle, Double and Single Trees, Shovels, Mattocks, Picks, Hoes, Cross Cut Saw, lot of Potatoes by the bushel, 1 single-horse Bird Gun, 1 Corn Barrel, small lot Bacon and many other articles. Also Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of $10 and under cash; on sums over that amount a credit of eight months will be given, purchasers to give their notes, bearing interest from the day of sale, with approved security and payable at the Harford National Bank of Bel Air.

JOHN H. BRADFORD.

J. S. Richardson, Auctioneer. 4feb

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned having rented his farm, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, on the road leading from Watervale to Forest Hill, one mile from the former place,

ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22d, 1887,

At 10 o'clock, A. M., all his

STOCK AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS, to wit:

HORSES.

One good Work Horse, 1 good Mare, 5 Cows, four of them fresh by day of sale; 4 Heifers, two fresh this spring, 4 Yearlings, 2 of them steers and 2 of them heifers; 1 Jersey Bull. This is all first-class dairy stock, some of them being full Jerseys.

WAGONS AND CARRIAGES.

One two-horse narrow tread Wagon, with Hay Carriage, 1 good Dayton Carriage.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

One Champion Self-Binder, in perfect order, has been run only two seasons; 1 Hay Tedder, 1 Steel tooth Horse Rake, 1 Mowing Machine, 1 Hunt Corn Drill, 1 Wheat Drill, 1 Sulky Cultivator, 2 one-horse Cultivators, 1 Hay Press, 1 set of Heavy Breeching—Collars and Bridles, Halters, Chains, Hay Forks, &c.

Dairy Implements, including 1 Barrel Churn, 1 Davis Swing Churn, capacity of each ten gallons; 1 Butter Box, capacity 40 lbs., together with many other articles.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of $15 and under Cash on day of sale; on sums over that amount a credit of eight months will be given, on notes bearing interest from day of sale, with security approved by the Auctioneer. Notes payable at the Harford National Bank of Bel Air.

Five per cent. discount for cash on all sums over $15.

Positively no articles to be removed until settled for.

SAMUEL K. FENDALL.

J. S. Richardson, Auctioneer. 4feb

PUBLIC SALE.

In pursuance of