

Saturday, February 8, 1890.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS. The serious legislation to come before the Legislature is being perfected by the various committees to which it has been referred .-Some of the press of Baltimore, with a few Republican Mugwumps, are unduly exciting themselves and making use of unjust innuendoes because a certain ballot reform bill in which they are interested is not reported nolens rolens. There is no doubt an earnest desire among not only Democrats, but all classes of people in Baltimore, that elections in that city shall be pure, and made so by any reasonable amount of machinery; but it is the duty of the Democratic majority in the Legislature to carefully scan any new-fangled notions clamored for by those sweet-voiced Republican syrens, whose hands are thrown up in holy horror at the fearful amount of alleged rascality which the Democrats are alleged to commit at each election! We do not observe any disposition among the Democrats to refuse to pass any reasonable safeguard to protect the right of franchise. No man can deny that the last election in Baltimore city, especially, was positively fair throughout the city, (except as indicated by Mr. S. Davies Warfield's report to the Baltimore Committee of One Hundred made up by detectives hired from New York as spies, the usual campaign literature,) and absolutely so in the counties. The Republicans were assisted by a cortain citizens' reform movement, and with this against them the Democrats snowed the whole thing under .-Nevertheless, we trust the Democratic majority will pass such legislation as shall throw

the demand of Republican syrens who sing so sweetly to luil to sleep the Democratic watchmen. Whilst it may be desirable to pass a law for the city embracing features of the Australian ballot law, there is no demand whatever from any county that such law is needed for a single county in the State, except such counties as are controlled by the Republicans, who will vote for anything they think will break the power of the Democracy in Maryland. On Tuesday 4th inst. the following members of the Business Men's Democratic Association visited Annapolis and appeared before the various committees having in charge important financial and political legislation. These honorable gentiemen were warmly received and attentively listened to and their recommendations will have great weight when the various bills are reported and considered.

Of the business men there were: Ex-Judge William A. Pisher, President; Douglas H. Thomas, John A. Hambleton, Maj. R. M. Venable, James L. McLane, Lloyd L. Jackson, W. T. Biedler, Capt. Thomas P. Baldwin, Gen. John Gill, Albert Ritchie, John K. Ober, Danl. Miller, William H. Baldwin, Andrew Reid, Dr. Boykin, Charles D. Fisher, John C. Legg, Edward C. Heald, President of the Corn and Flour Exchange; Harry F. Turner, W. M. Wylie, Andrew D. Jones, James S. Woodside, David Ambach, Findlay H. Burns, George May, W.C. Carroll, H. A. Parr, Clinton P. Paine, Jos. Walter, John E. Hurst, W. C. Carroll, Geo. H. Bear, Louis Muller, ex-President of the Corn and Flour Exchange; Edward J. Codd Irving A. Buck, Robert C. Cole, Edward Key and Dr. Hill. The Knights of Labor were represented by J. G. Schonfarber, James R Hussey, John McCantry, J. H. Wrightson, Jas. T. Reilly and Peter Mulcahey.

MISSISSIPPI SAMBO ON TOP.

President Harrison has imitated Mr. Cleveland when he was President and appointed a negro as Recorder of Deeds for the District of Columbia, sending to the Senate the name of ex-Senator B. K. Bruce, of Mississippi. Presiclose proximity to his head, his Republican friends being very bitter in consequence of his act. The same dissatisfaction existed when Mr. Cleveland appointed his New York negro. Two prominent white men of Washington were applicants for the place, either one of them proper to appoint, and recommended by every court officer in Washington, with hundreds of prominent citizens—but the Mississippi Sambo carried off the prize.

DEMOCRATIC EDITORS.

The Maryland Democratic Editors' Associa tion met at Annapolis on Wednesday 5th inst. in the room of the Committee on Corporations. Those present were R. H. Collins, of Chestertown Transcript; P. E. Porter, Maryland Gazette; G. W. Crulkshank, Cecil Democrat; J. M. Street, Harford Democrat: Dani. Brattan, Cecil County News: W. B Usilton, Kent News; Geo. Colton, Olive Branch; I. B. Wilson, Marthoro' Gazette; Fred. Sanscer, Prince George Enquirer; Paul Winchester, Easton Demo-C. H. Vandeford, Democrat Advocate; Geo. E. Haddaway, Easton Ledger; H. A. Almony, of the Rockville Advocate; Elihu H. Riley, of The Record, Annapolis; A. J. Merrill, Peninsula Ledger; J. L. Hill, Times, Ellicott City; E. W. Warfield, W. Scott The Association discussed matters of genera

interest and moment to the Democratic press. The members then went to the Maryland Hotel, where they enjoyed a handsome colla- the City Court-this same power, instead of having

AFTER JOHN BARLEYCORN

On Wednesday 29th Hon. J. V. L. Findlay and Messrs. W. W. Spence, Arthur George Brown, Michael A. Mullin and John J. Dobler. representing the Committee of One Hundred of Baltimore city upon liquor license reform, appeared before the Senate Finance Committee and advocated a High Liquor License bill similar to that now in operation in Philadelphia. The rates of licenses are fixed in the bill at \$1,000, \$500 and \$250. It provides for a Board of License of three persons, to be appointed by the Mayor. There is scarcely a doubt that a large majority of the citizens of Baltim ore want such a bill to pass, notwithstanding the opposition of the Prohibitionists and the proprictors of the low liquor saloons. CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO CANAL.

When the hour came to open bids for leasing the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, it was found there was but one-that by the Washington and Cumberland Railroad Company, for \$1,400,-000. Mr. Colton, Chairman of the Committee riedly hoisted. Lines of hose were quickly on Corporations, at once offered a bill to amend the charter of the Washington and Cumber- | was rushed into the flaming mass. In ten minland Railroad Company, so that should the utes those whom it was possible to save had Legislature ratify the lease the railroad company can lay a track along the line of the their injuries could be cared for. When the canal. A bill will also be offered for the sale of firemen could enter the building they found the canal. All these propositions will be controlled by Chief Judge Alvey's expected

THE CAPTAIN STILL LIVES.

The Doylestown (Pa.) Democrat in a recent issue in speaking of a subscription made up to fit Doylestown Guards for the Mexican War says: "All of that noble band are dead except Dr. Harvey, who, with Capt. Mann, raised the company and started the subscription list for the families of the two or three men who went in other companies." The Democrat is in error in placing Capt. Mann among the dead, as he is still living, bright, active, and hearty, although in his 81st year.

The serious charges made by S. Davies Warfield against the Police Commissioners of Baltimore as to their quasi participation in a enumerated number of rascalities alleged by hired New York detectives to have been committed at the last municipal election, will very likely receive attention. Hatred of Senator pay Mr. Campbell £200 damages besides meet-German seems to actuate much of the report. ne well as to operate upon the Legislature to for Mr. Parnell, as it carries with it all the Moroe it to pass the Australian ballot law.

CALAMITY AT WASHINGTON. Secretary Tracy's Residence Burned-Mrs. Tracy Suffocated With Smoke - Miss Tracy and a French Maid Burned to Death-Narrow Escape of Secretary

On Monday morning 3d inst. about 7 o'clock the residence of Hon. Benj. F. Tracy, Secretary of the Navy, situated on I street near the White House, was discovered to be on fire.— The firemen soon responded. The whole house from the first floor was filled with smoke. The fire seems to have smouldered for some time. The smoke penetrated the sleeping apartments of the Secretary and Mrs. Tracy and when found by the firemen they were both apparently dead. Mrs. Tracy jumped from a rear window, and was taken to a neighbor's where she died in about an hour, having been asphyxiated by the smoke. The body of Miss Mary Tracy and a French maid were found on the floor of her room lying together, both having been burnt to death. The body of Miss Tracy was not so badly burnt as was that of the maid, who was scarcely recegnizable. A fireman also found the body of Secretary Tracy on the floor and carried it out in the open air. He was found to be alive, but un-

conscious, and nearly dead. He was removed promptly in attendance, and, after an hour vania railroad ticket-offices. spent in applying restoratives, he slowly but slightly recovered. After further efforts he recovered full consciousness and recognized those around him. He piteously begged that ng aware that they were dead.

As soon as President Harrison was made acquainted with the circumstances he walked to | ple : a man goes to Baltimore with a load of where his Secretary had been taken and him- hay, and not finding a purchaser until night self communicated the terrible intelligence of the death of Mrs. Tracy and her daughter. It was a terrible blow to the Secretary, and for awhile he became unconscious, but afterwards | yard, to protect his load, as he will not be al-

Mrs. Wilmerding, who is a daughter of Scc- | again there is danger of fire, against which he retary Tracy, and her daughter were also in has no protection. All this adds to his expense the dwelling. 'Upon being awakened by the and reduces the price he obtains for his load .smoke they rushed to the second-story win- | Some sort of provision might be made in the dows and screamed for help. They made form of a regular hay yard, on the edge of the efforts to jump, but the firemen and others city, with high brick walls, scales and a comshouted to them not to do so as ladders were around the ballot in the city such safeguards being put up, but in the excitement of the moas may be demanded at the present, but not at ment Mrs. Wilmerding, not hearing the fire- of people. This would insure a regular and men, jumped and fell in a grass plat in front of stable market and give a chance for the farmer the house, breaking her left wrist. By this time a ladder was up at the window when Miss | middlemen. These few suggestions are given Wilmerding, in great excitement, also jumped, and in her fall struck the ladder and fell on the grass plat on her side. Beyond the shock | publication. she austained no apparent injury.

The news of the fire becoming known, it drew thousands to the scene. The President requested that the bodies of Mrs. and Miss Tracy should be taken to the White House, and it was accordingly done after they had been prepared for burial.

Tracy should be removed to the White House, but the physicians stated that it would be dangerous to do so under forty-eight hours. Late Tuesday afternoon Mr. Tracy was removed to the White House, where he now is. The bodies of his wife and daughter being placed in the

The Secretary was allowed to see the body of his wife, upon whose face he gazed in a most agonized manner for several minutes. The body of his daughter was so terribly charred that the casket was hermetrically sealed and no one allowed to gaze upon it, as it was a terrible sight. It was a sad scene, these two bodies, side by side in the East Rocm. Sad funeral services took place on Wednesday, friends of the family, officers of the Army and Navy, Senators and Representatives, only being admitted .-The bodies were temporarily deposited in a

vault in Oak Hill Cometery. sult in his withdrawal from the Cabinet, as he would be unfitted for the transaction of business with such a disaster preying upon his

On Tuesday the Senate and House of Delegates of Maryland unanimously passed resolutions of condolence and ordered them sent to Secretary Tracy.

dent Harrison has now a big hornet's nest in THE BELT LINE RAILROAD PROJECT. President Wm. Gilmor, of the Maryland Central Railway, was before the Committee on Corporations of the House on the 4th inst.. when he made the following statement in reference to the bill of the Belt Line Railroad now before the Legislature:

"The present general railroad law limits the fare to three cents a mile. The change asked for is five cents a mile, in order that there may be a five-cents fare between stations less than a mile apart. The Baltimore and Potomac Railroad tunnel charge is 50 cents a passenger. The present law provides that no elevated railroad can be constructed without the special act of the Legislature in that section. The term 'surface road' is used so as to throw nossible doubt on the construction of tunnels.

is quite certain that the true definition is that tunnels can be built, but to remove a doubt the Legislature is asked to pass the measure now Owing to the great cost of the road it must have the power to borrow all the money requisite for its onstruction, improvement and future operation and development. Hence the provision. Express authority is asked to permit the connection of the tracks with other railways and to make traffic arrangements for the use of the road. This is done because it is a terminal line to be used by other ines. It is not intended for either lease or consoli dation. The existing law in regard to condemna-

tion by railroads provides for condemnation in the counties and it is desired that the word county shall be construed to include the City of Baltimore ence authority is given to the Circuit Court of the city to confirm or reject inquisitions. The bill proses to give to the common law courts-namely he Court of Common Pleas, Superior Court and it exercised exclusively by the Circuit Court, which Mr. McCabe has made two amendments to the oill. One is to change the rate of toll from 10 cents between stations to 5 cents, and the other to em

wer the company to raise money. TERRIBLE FIRE AT BOSTON.

On Saturday night 1st inst. about midnight terrible fire took place on North street, Boston, in a tenement occupied mostly by Italians, by which ten persons were burnt to death .-There had been a drunken row when one man was seen to throw a lighted coal oil lamp at another. The burning oil set fire to the build-

The scenes which occurred among the in mates when they were awakened were of the most exciting description. There was no way for them to get down, and as they ascended to the attic the flames followed swiftly upon them. Shrieks of terror, groans of agony and cries for help filled the air. Men, women and children filled the windows and piteously pleaded for help. Some of the more venturesome even hung from the windows by only a slight hold on the sills. Ladders were hurrun off, and pipe from the chemical engines been taken from their positions of peril, and the wounded had been taken to places where

the charred remains of ten persons. THE LONDON "TIMES."

When the case of Mr. Parnell, the great Irish leader, against the London Times for slander, was called for trial in London on the 3d inst, the counsel in the case announced that the suit had been compromised by the Times paying Mr. Parnell £5,000 damages. The announcement of the result of the action caused a sensation in the Court Room, which was crowded. Mr. Mr. Parnell was present and was in excellent health and spirits.

A withdrawal was also announced of the action brought by Mr. Henry Campbell, Mr. Parnell's Private Secretary, against the Times for damages for statements affecting Mr. Campbell made by Attorney-General Webster, counsel for the Times, in his opening speech in the case of O'Donnell against Walter, proprietor of the Times, and for charges made against the plaintiff in an editorial published by the Times in July, 1888. It is stated that the Times will

ing all the costs. This is a complete and substantial verdict costs in the case, which amount to about £1,000, I-mine.

PENNSYLVANIA BAILBOAD TOURS. A striking illustration of advance in a decade is the fast time and equipment of the special trains used by the Pennsylvania Railroad in its serial personally-conducted tours to Jacksonville. The train is connected by the vestibule feature, which destroys all annoying motion, and is composed of drawing-room, sleeping, and smoking cars, and a dining car, on which meals are prepared by a chef, whose popularity extends not only to the epicure, but to all. The accompanying Tourists Agent and Chaperon, an original idea with this company, have

received such marked praise that a tour now would not be compete without them. When consideration is given the exceptionally low rate of \$50 from New York, and \$48 from Philadelphia, including the above-described mode of travel, and meals en route in both directions, it is a wonder more business worn men and women tired with exacting social duties, don't avail themselves of this opportunity for a rest. Despite the mild Northern winter, the first and second tours were filled up, and the third, which left Tuesday, the 4th., carried its full

The next tonr is announced for February 18th. Details can be obtained from S. W. F. Draper. 849 Broadway, New York, or W. W. Lord, Jr. 205 Washington Street, Boston; while itineraat once to a neighor's where surgeons were | ries can be procured from any of the Pennsyl-

A HAY MARKET NEEDED.

One of the greatest needs of the day of the farmers is an established hay market. The his wife and daughter should be saved, not be- | great difficulty experienced by farmers in disposing of their hay is the want of adequate quarters for a regular hay market. For examcatches him, he is obliged to accept the inadequate price offered by the scalpers or drive out of town, 3, 4 or 5 miles, to the nearest wagon lowed to leave it on the street. And then petent weighmaster, with stabling accommodations and a hotel to suit the needs of this class to meet the buyer without the intervention of for what they are worth, and we shall be pleased to give the views of any persons interested in the matter if sent to the JOURNAL office for

SECRETARY BLAINE'S

Mrs. Coppinger, eldest daughter of Secretary Blaine, and wife of Col. J. J. Coppinger, of the United States Army, died at her father's residence, Washington, on Sunday morning 2d The President also desired that Secretary | inst. from pneumonia. Mrs. Coppinger was of delicate constitution. When her brother Walker Blaine died she came on from the West where her husband is stationed to attend the funeral and took a cold which developed into pneumonia. The whole country will sympathize with Mr. Blaine in the sad bereavements to which he has been recently subjected. On the 31st of December last the Secretary's brother, Mclville G. Blaine, Principal of the Indian Training School, died at Salem, Oregon: on the 15th of January, ult., Walker Blaine, his son, died at the residence of his father, and now his daughter, Mrs. Coppinger. On the 4th of March, 1885, the Secretary attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Eliza Blaine Walker, wife of Maj. R. C. Walker, which event oc-

CITY REGISTER JOHN A. ROBB. Last week the Baltimore City Councils in joint convention unanimously re-elected Mr. Throughout the entire country the deepest | John A. Robb as City Register (Treasury.)sympathy is expressed for the Secretary, and | Mr. Robb has held the position for the past hundreds of telegrams have been received. It | twenty years, and the hope of the citizens of is a terrible calamity, and will quite likely re- | that city should be that he may live twenty years longer and be able to discharge the important duties of the office. Men of his stamp are not made to order, they are created from a

curred at Baltimore.

happy that they have such a man as John A. Robb to preside over their cash box.

material called integrity. In the light of

what is taking place all around us in finan-

cial matters in these days the people of Balti-

more ought to, and we believe they do, feel

TARIFF vil. THE MECHANIC. The Providence Screw Company finding themselves doing a losing business, established a branch in Canada, where they could get their steel wire without paying a tariff tax, and hence a large establishment goes out of the country and a large number of people who cannot follow them are thrown out of work and must turn their hands to some other employment or become tramps. And yet there are men who say the tariff is a protection to

WEST VIRGINIA GOVERNORSHIP.

The long-drawn contest for the Governorship of West Virginia was settled on the 4th inst., the final vote being Fleming 43-Goff 40. This settled the matter. Mr. Fleming was inaugurated on Wednesday. The contest has been going on since November, 1888.

Jake Kilrain, Baltimore's "Gladiator," had a friendly fisticust with one Felix Vacque lin at New Orleans on Sunday 2d inst. and came off victor in three rounds. There was a big crowd, estimated at 1,500, to witness the "mill." It took place in the West End Theatre. The accounts state that there were present prominent educators, members of the Ex-

is now in the city purely an Equity Court and does change and bon-ton clubs, Federal, State and not deal with this class." city officials, militia men, athletes, and a large number of racing men. The gladiators fought with "soft" gloves. Jake got a purse of \$2,000 The match appears to have been gotten up by Jake's lawyers in order to pay their fees for trying Jake's case before the Supreme Court.

There is not a doubt that our city con temporary, the Sun, is correct in its demand that if the Legislature grants the City Passenger Railroad Company's request to be released from the provision in its charter giving the city the power, every fifteen years to purchase its lines, if it so desires, it should provide, under a heavy bond, that the company should give the people rapid transit within a given time-

t least this side of the millenium. WE'RE AWFUL GLAD .- By the Sun on Monday 3d we have been informed that the Ground Hog came out of his hole at Druid Hill Park on Sunday, and, not finding the sun shining, went back to his lair, and "wrapping the drapery of his couch around him laid himself down" to a. pleasant dream of six weeks. Though we thank the Sun for this information, it is rough on us poor devils who have to tramp over our mud

roads for six weeks longer. Astronomers state that the Star of Beth lehem, which made its appearance at the birth of Christ and was the guide for the wise men of the East to the birthplace of the Saviour and which only becomes visible once in a period of 316 years, will be visible during the present year. For three weeks it will shine with a resplendent brilliancy, wane and disappear.

Gov. Jackson on the 30th ult. tendered the Chief Judgeship position, now held by Judge Stone, but vacant on Friday 7th inst., to Richard H. Edelen, of Charles county, but he respectfully declined to accept the position. It is believed by many that Mr. John P. Briscoe, of Calvert, son of Mr. James J

appointed. Mayor Davidison, of Baltimore, is tak ing part in the effort to have a high license bill passed for that city. There is no doubt majority of the citizens of Baltimore are 4n favor of it for the purpose of getting rid of the low groggeries as well as for a source of

much revenue to the city. By an explosion of gas in a colliery bersychau, England, on the 6th instant 10 miners were killed. There were 300 in the

OUR ANNAPOLIS LETTER.

ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 6th, 1890. Speaker Hubner is looked upon as a legisla ive hustler, and, he holds the House well in hand. The members all willingly aid him in a careful attention to the business before the House. By this means the Speaker is enabled to keep his desk clear of bills that find their way to him each day. He is anxiously looking forward to the day when, the more important legislation shall be presented to the House -such as the assessment law, an amended election law, a bill having the essential features of the Australian ballot law. We do not discover that there is any desire to avoid the gratification of the people of the State in passing all three of the above measures, and especially to pass such an assessment law as will tend to more equitably distribute the burdens of those ax-payers—the farmers—who cannot escape. Delegations from Baltimore city and elsewhere throughout the State are beginning to pour in upon the session of the Legislature, appearing before the various committees, urging various matters now before them. The Merchants and Manufacturers' Associa

on, among whom were Mesers. Michael A Mullin, Coi. Wm. A. Hanway, Henry M. Bankard and others, who came down on Tuesday, 4th, had an hour's session before the Committee upon Inspections, where Mr. Michael A. Mullin made a lengthy speech upon taxation and its importance at the present time. THE YORK ROAD BAILWAY. A bill was presented on Tuesday by M: Jones, of the city delegation, providing for the giving of power to the York Road Railway

Company to increase its capital stock to an

amount not exceeding \$500,000 for the purpos

of giving more rapid transit on the line of that

oad. The following is the bill: AN ACT. Providing for more rapid transit upon the Railways of The President, Managers and Company of the Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike Road, enlarging the powers of the said corporation. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland. That the President, Managers and Company of Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike Road are hereby authorized to use for the propul tion of cars on their railway tracks in Baltimore county and Baltimore city any motive power of system of traction whatever, and to lay down as dditional railway track upon the bed of their furnpike Road where the present only a single track exists; provided that no motive power or system other than horses shall be made use of by the Baltimore without the consent of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore. Section 2. And be it enacted, That the said Presi deut, Managers and Company of the Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike Road, in order the better to nable them to exercise the powers above conferred shall have power from time to time to borrow

money to an amount not exceeding five hundre

housand dollars, and to issue their bonds for the

same bearing interest and secure the paymen thereof by mortgaging their property and fran hises, or any part of the same Section 3. And be it enacted. That this Act shall ake effect from the date of its passage. Two years since a bill was passed by the Legslature giving power to that Company to use steam motor known as the Roberts Steam. Noiseless and Smokeless Motor, but up to the present time the Company has failed to avail of the powers granted it. There is no doubt

that the long-suffering people who live along the line of that road should have prompt lief from the slow, dusty mode of horses. No one complains of the poor persecuted horse for the slow time he makes, as he has done his best, but this is an age of mighty progress. The the season, reaching far into the spring, will be city in this country, being almost straight north from North Avenue to Towson, and the grades are not unusually heavy. A more rapid mode than that of horses should be adopted at this age of the world, and especially for such a here yet this year, it would have been rather peautiful section as the York Road traverses .-Several members of the House termed the bill an old chesnut. Mr. Samuel H. Tagart, President of the road, and Mr. Fred. von Kapif, were present urging its passage.

THE COLTS. It is acknowledged on all hands that Messrs. Ching of St. Mary, Richardson of Hartord, and Collins of Talbott, are the Colts of the

THE CITY PASSENGER RAILWAY. Ex-Gov. Bowie is present nearly every day. ooking after his railway bill. The city delegation are in a quandary about it, and it is not known what may be its fate.

Feb. 3d.—Bill presented.—A bill entitled an Act to re-enact with amendments Sec. 5. Article 3, Public Local Laws, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Birds and Clame." Read a first time and referred to Senators Bennett. Lindsay and Dawson. CONDOLENCES TO SECRETARY TRACY.

Mr. Lindsay offered the following, which was unanimously adopted: "Whereas the country has learned with unfeigned sorrow of the great calamity which has beiallen Hon. Benj F. Tracy, Secretary of the Navy of he United States, in the tragic death of his wife and daughter by fire at Washington on the morning of Monday, February 3d, instant; Therefore Resolved by the Senate of Maryland, That this body hereby extends to the Honorable Secretary its of error. That to us light means knowledge, deepest sympathy in the hour of his sad bereavement, with the hope for his speedy recovery.

And be it further resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit this preamble and resolutions Bill introduced-By Mr. Lindsay, to provide for appointment of appraisers of the property of decedents of the Orphans' Court, and to regulate their pay, which shall not exceed \$3 per day; also, to make a verbal correction in | may have had a spiritual meaning. But even the law relating to guardians of infants not residing in the State. Feb. 5th.—Bill introduced—By Mr. Lindsay. to reduce the salary of the County Commis-

sioners from \$1,000 to \$700. Also to provide that the Judges of the Orphans' Court of Baltimore County shall not receive mileage. Also to provide that 9 jurors may render verdict in any civil case. Senate bill read a second time-To pay Chas. T. Cockey for one-half of fence between his property and the Pikesville Arsenal.

Feb. 5th.—Bill introduced—By Mr. Poe. to

provide for a general assessment of property in the State. Unfavorable reports-The Finance Committee reported unfavorably the two Senate bills to tax mortgages. Mr. Urner moved to substitute the bills for the unfavorable reports, and to make the motion the special order for Tuesday at 10 o'clock, which was carried. Second bills appropriating \$10,000 for a statue to Francis Scott Key at Washington, and in-

creasing the appropriation to the Blind Asylum by \$5,000 were reported unfavorably and the reports adopted. Senate reading of bill-To amend the game law of Baltimore county. There was a lengthy debate in the Senate upon the proposition to give the appointment f School Commissioners in Calvert and St. Mary counties to the Governor and take it from the Judges. The favorable report of the Com-

HOUSE. Feb. 3d,-Petitions-By Mr. Rich from John Pearce and 141 others, citizens of Baltimore county, praying submission of a Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors. Referred to Committee on Amendments to Constitution. By Mr. Rich from Wm. A. Foster, Edward A. Fisher and I. Frank Matthews, protesting against the repeal of any prohibitory laws now in force. Referred to Committee on Temper-

CONDOLENCES TO SECRETARIES TRACY AND BLAINE. After roll-call Mr. Shaw, of Carroll county, arose and said:

"Mr. Speaker-Inasmuch as a calamity almost without a parallel among men has befallen a member of the Cabinet of the President of the United States, I deem it fit and proper that the first business transacted by the House this morning should be the expression of its sympathy with the afflicted. I therefore present this resolution."

The resolution was read as follows: Whereas we have heard with profound sorrow of the great calamity which has befallen the Hon. Benjamin F. Tracy, a member of the Cabinet of the President of the United States, which bereft him of wife and daughter, and afflicted him with sorrow al the recuperative hand of Time; Therefore be it Resolved, by the House of Delegates of Maryland. That we tender to him our deepest sympath in his sore distress and sincerest condolence wit Resolved. That the Speaker cause a copy of these resolutions to be immediately transmitted to the

On motion of Mr. Rich, the resolutions were adopted by a standing vote. Mr. Norwood submitted the following resolutions, which were also adopted by a rising vote: "Whereas we have heard with profound sorrow of the sad bereavements which have recently befal-len the Hon. James G. Blaine, the Secretary of State of the United States, in the loss of a son and daughter : Therefore be it Resolved, by the House of Delegates of Maryland

That we tender to him our deepest sympathy in his great distress and our sincerest condolence with Resolved. That the Speaker cause a copy of these resolutions to be immediately transmitted to the Hon. James. G. Blaine." Leave to introduce bill-By Mr. Jones, of the city delegation, providing for more rapid tran-Briscoe, formerly Secretary of State, will be sit upon railways of the Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike Road and enlarging the powers of said Company.

House bill reported favorably—To give an

additional Constable to the 2d District. Balti-

First reading of Senate bill-To give the

more county.

Governor power to vato any single item in appropriation bills without vetoing the entire Feb. 5th.-By Mr. Swindell, of the city delegation, from 150 citisens of Baltimore, favorable to the passage of the bill preventing a charge for transfers by street railways. Leave for a bill-To Mr. McCabe, to reduce the salary of the Treasurer of Baltimore County from \$8,600 to \$2,000 per annum. Second reading of bills-Allowing the Drum | ship, seating Marquis, Democrat.

[Correspondence of the Maryland Journal.] Point Railroad an extension of time to com- [Correspondence of the MARYLAND JOURNAL.] plete the road To provide for an additional Constable for

the 2d District, Baltimore county. Chesapeake and Ohio Canal—A communication from Gov. Jackson with reference to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal was read. A communication to the Board of Public Works from the Washington and Cumberland Railroad Company, embodying a proposal for the lease of the Chesapeake and Ohio Cana was also read. On motion of Mr. Shaw, both communications were referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

· On motion of Mr. Rich, the message of the Executive with relation to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and the accompanying documents, were ordered spread upon the journal. Feb. 6th.-Leave to report a bill-To Mr. tiyde, to require the Commissioners of Anne | of Smith vs. Jackson before the House. The Arundel and Baltimore counties, jointly, to | fight has been very exciting, and the dramatic erect a bridge over the Patapaco River at the present site of Smetser's Bridge. To Mr. Shaw, to strike from the books of the Comptroller taxes that stand charged to incorporated institutions in the several counties for

the years from 1865 to 1888, and which cannot be collected. Bill passed-To provide for an additional Constable in the 2d District, Baltimore county. [Correspondence of the Maryland Journal.]

Concerning Candlemas.—The Ethics Light -- Comparative Luminosity --- An Electrical Creed-So-Called Sabbath Reformers-Some Curious Deductions-Turning the Tables-A Fortunate Contingent -A Case of Free-Will-Mr. R. Stockett BALTIMORE, February 7th, 1990.

OUR BALTIMORE LETTER.

The reason why "every dog has his day," is quite evident, of course; because there is a time in the year when the Dogstar rises and sets with the sun, and this potent star being empowered by the astrologers to rule over the destinies of the canine races, it is quite proper that everything should "go to the dogs" in the season of the dog-days; or at least that these animals should have things their own wav at this particular period. And it follows naturally, too, that it should be customary for dogs to run mad at such time, since even humans cannot be allowed to have their full awing without rushing into all sorts of extravagant and insane excesses. All this is very simply and logically reasonable, to be sure; but it does not explain to us the reason why the Ground-hog should have a certain day of the calendar set apart as his particular property; or why he should be privileged, upon that day, to exercise so great an influence over the next forty days of weather. What relation he can have to astral potencies. or how he can weave trustworthy prophecies

and shadow, are questions which no one, as yet seems able to elucidate. It is a fact, however, that Candlemas-day which falls on the 2d of February also, has from time immemorial been famed, all over Europe, for its efficacy in prognosticating the nature of the wather. One of the old proverbs

out of the immaterial substances of sunshine

'If Candlemas is fair and clear There'll be two winters in the year.

Which means, of course, that the remainder of York Road is the most beautiful road out of any one of wintry severity, whereby we shall be served with a double dose of rigorous weather. Hence, we may observe the wisdom of Nature in making last Sunday a dark and rainy day. For as we have not had the first wintry season difficult to see how we could have contrived to get up a second edition thereof, under such circumstances. O admirable Nature! But the relevancy of the sunshine and shadow associated with the ground-hog; and the blessing and carrying of candles on Candlemas-day, must point back, of course, to the old reverence of our race for light; and to the "once universally prevalent worship of the sun and of fire." It is well for us once in a while, perhaps, to recollect that the human race is essentially one, and that we are the descendants of the world's first fathers, however much we may succeed in modifying the natures which we

have derived from them. So when we reflect that the oldest antiquity deified and worshipped the sun, moon, and planets, and all the heavenly hosts; and that ur not very remote ancestors recognized two kinds of fire, or light, the unhallowed and the holy; and that they used blessed lights for the purpose of frightening away evil spirits from among men; when we think of all this, we can see in our custom of corpse-lights, for instance, the survival of the bolief that the evil spirits were always on the alert to injure souls on their exit from the world, as well as upon their entrance into it. It may be explained, of course, that in this enlightened age, our use of material lights is only symbolical; that the lights on the altars

of our churches, for example, are only intended to suggest the Light that is to lighten the Gentiles, and rescue the world from the darkness understanding, intelligence, wisdom, while the old superstitious of our fathers were only pitiable, childish ignorance.

Well; perhaps so. But only perhaps. The ancients may possibly have had something behind their material emblems, notwithstanding our scorn and sneers. It is probable that for some of them, at any rate, the material things if such were not the case, we have no right to exalt ourselves above them, unless we are as scrupulous in observing the laws of our creed as they were in obeying theirs. And it would be preposterous for us to claim that we "live up to our lights" as conscientiously and consistently as they did to theirs. This is not the last word that is to be said

upon this subject, however. For in the midst four modern enlightenment, and regardless of our spiritual development, there has actually sprung up a set of people who are trying to elaborate a religion out of electricity. They teil us about their Electric Creed, with the devoted lives which it requires of them, and the miraculous marvels which they can accomplish by means of it. They profess to have access, through electrical science, to the secrets of the universe; and to have established an electrical communication between the human senses and the unseen world and its inhabitants. Whether they have really discovered a hithertounknown law of nature, or have simply inherited the inatincts of their fire-worshipping fathers, remains to be seen.

The so-called Sabbath Reform Union held a Convention in Washington, last week, in which the pious delegates mourned over the desecration of Sunday by the use of street cars, and newspapers, and the indulgence in social pleasures. And after freeing their minds on the subject of these wickednesses they proceeded to petition Congress to deal with such sins, and

put a stop to these iniquities. Of course these are all good and well meaning people, and like the similarly pious and benevolent Prohibitionists, they are conscientiously trying to promote the best interests of humanity. Their intentions are praiseworthy. certainly; but it is a very amazing thing that these good people cannot see the utter futility of endeavoring to legislate goodness into people The effort has been made, over and over again, throughout the world's history, and it has failed ignominiously, just as often. And yet people think that by prohibiting some outward act, and cutting off the occasion, they can produce those results which are to be attained only by the means of inward and spiritual graces. But this is not the whole of the case. These very good people make another prodigious mistake. By some sort of fallacious deductions. they seem to have arrived at the conclusion that pious persons have an indisputable right to rule the world, while evil-doers are entitled to no privileges whatever in the conduct of EGGS..... mundane affairs. Whereas, if the exact reverse of this arrangement is not the literal fact, it is at any rate quite certain that by the celebrated law of equalty the wicked have quite as much right to rule as any one else possesses; while upon the famous theory that the majority should rule, they are entitled to conduct this world's affairs exactly as they please. The truth is that the world's great masses o evil-doers have the God-given right to exist on the earth, and the man-derived authority to govern its people. It is therefore quite within their province to arrange things to suit themselves, and the piety people may consider them-selves fortunate in being permitted to be good to their hearts' content. It would be dreadful, to be sure, if they were compelled to ride in the street cars, and read Sunday papers, and indulge in Sunday socialities. But they are not : they do all these things voluntarily. Our winier is drawing to a close, it is true but not without accomplishing a number of lamentable deeds. The sudden death of Mr. R. Stockett Mathews, in astreet car, last Saturday. has quite appalled the large circle of friends whom the talents and graces of this brilliant orator, and genial legal gentleman, had drawn around him. Mr. Mathews was a man of so powerful a personality that he might almost be said to have had many friends among his enemies. As a leader in politics, and in various

other capacities, he leaves a vacant place in Baltimore which it will be difficult to fill. The entire Illinois delegation in Congress are mightily displeased with President Harrison because he appointed a Mr. Clark as Collector of the Port of Chicago without consulting them.

Col. Wm. H. Norris, a prominent member of the bar of Baltimore, died at his residence, Charles street, on the 31st ult., aged 80 The Democrats in the Ohio Legislature

have won the case of the Lieutenant Governor-

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 3d, 1890. The great Congressional fight is now fairly n, and the Democratic members of the House are battling nobly for the right of having a code of rules adopted for the government of the House before going any further with legislation, and they have, in caucus, determined to stand by their guns to the bitter end. Of course they recognize the fact that if the Republicans succeed in their intention of seating all the Republican contestants before the rules are adopted, they can then adopt any sort of rules they may desire, but they will have a hard time before they do it. With all of Speaker Reed's unfair decisions, it took them three days to get the contested election case scenes have been frequent on the floor of the House. "Stand by your guns," is what ex-Speaker Randall wrote from his sick-room to the Democratic caucus. Representative Bynum. of Indiana, but voiced the sentiment of his Democratic colleagues when he said, "You, sir, pointing to the Speaker,) have violated more than any man on this floor parliamentary rules and practice. You may consummate what you have undertaken. You have the power.

backed by a mob, on the floor of this House.-Men have tried to consummate such proceed ings before. At the hour of midnight a Federal the Waverly M. E. Church, under the auspices the EPWORTH LEAGUE, judge made a ruling which perpetuated the Republican party in power, but his name is now forgotten; and more than that, this proceeding is in keeping with your action when you stole the Presidency. You have gone forward. You have usurped power. You have mutilated the record of the House in order to carry out the beheats of the Chairman of the Republican National Committee to turn out the Representatives of the people elected to tion will be taken. Feb. 8.—1t seats on this floor. Now proceed in this matter: but, in the language of the immortal Emmett, we propose to dispute every inch of ground, burn every blade of grass, and the last intrenchment of liberty shall be our grave." Ex Speaker Carlisle has drawn up an address the public in justification of the action of Democrats of the House in resisting Speaker Reed's usurpation. There is also talk of making a test case in order to have the Supreme Court decide upon the constitutionality of Mr. Reed's actions.

Many Republicans openly condemn Speaker Reed's conduct, and at least two members the Cabinet-Blaine and Rusk-are known to e opposed to it. The Democratic Senators are aiding the members of the House in every way possible. President and Secretary Noble are greatly alarmed over the condition of affairs in Oklahoma and anxious that immediate action shall be taken on the Oklahoma town-site bill, which has already passed the House, also the bill providing for a territorial form of government for Öklahoma now pending in both House and Senate.

apple orchard and other fruits.

The land is in good condition, and it has upon it It is expected that the House Committee on eform in the Civil Service will to-day, set a and attic, and the smaller one having three rooms, with a good Barn and other outbuildings. date for beginning the investigation of the Civil Service Commission. Secretary Windom is said to be very much chagrined at the opposition already developed tion of the sale, and the balance in six months from day of sale, with interest, or all cash at the option to his silver bill, and Mr. Harrison has become of the purchaser. changed his mind about sending a special mes-

sage to Congress in its favor. Secretary Rusk has received from Europe a large consignment of silk-worm eggs. He will distribute them free to all persons desiring to raise silk worms. He will also furnish books of instruction in silk culture to applicants for them. Ex-Senator Platt, of New York, paid Washington an unexpected visit last week. All the depublican politicians are cudgeling their prains to discover what brought him here. Representative Dibble, of South Carolina, has a bill before the House Committee on the election of President and Vice President, which provides for two Vice Presidents. In arguing favor of his bill Mr. Dibble stated that the United States has been without a Vice Presi-

dent twenty-five years during its one hundred Senator's Vance and Hampton spoke on the race question last week in reply to the recent speech of Senator Ingalis on the same subject Mr. Vance was the recipient of a very handsome basket of roses attached to which was a card with the following inscription: "To the Hon. Z. B Vance, the honorable, faithful and impartial defender of the welfare of the sons of Ham." Representative McAdoo, of New Jersey, thinks his resolution providing for the holding of Presidential and Congressional elections on the third Tuesday of October would accomplish great good by preventing national elec-

tions from conflicting with local elections. **M**arried. CROSS-FORD.-On January 20th, 1890, by the Rev-George C. Stokes, at the Church of the Redeemer JOHN R. CROSS, of Govanstown, and KATIE M. FORD, of Talbott county.

Bied. There is a Resper whose name is DEATH,

And, with his sickle keen, He reaps the bearded grain at a breath, And the flowers that grow between. PERKINS.-Fell asleep in Jesus, February 1s 890, LUCINDA B., in the 56th year of her age, daugh ter of the late John and Loretta Bowen, of Towson STIRLING .- On February 1st, 1890, at "Montrose." Baltimore county, FRANKLIN A., in the 27th year of his age, third son of Archibald and Annie L.

THOMAS.-At his late residence on Jenkins' Lane. on February 2d, 1890, REINHARDT C. THOMAS, in the 19th year of his age, beloved husband of Mary C Phomas, and a native of Behringen, Saxe en Hein-WYSHAM.—At Catonsville, Baltimore county, on February 3d, 1890, MARY REGINA, daughter of Dr. county road seading from the county road running from the York Turnpike past William Flade's to the E. and Mary E. Wysham. Old York Road, and about 3 miles from White Hal Monss.-At Reisterstown, Baltimore county, o Station, on the Northern Central Railway.

The improvements consist of a comfortable February 2d, 1890, MARY ANN McCausland, in the 5th year of her age, wife of the late Rev. Jacob B.

Morss, and daughter of the late John Southgate, lathed and plastered, two and one-half stories high, containing six rooms, Log Stable, Wagon Shed and Corn House, Hay House and other outbuildings. There are TWO FINE YOUNG ORCHARDS on this DORSEY .- On January 31st, 1890, Mrs. ELIZA DOR-SEY, in the 82d year of her age, wife of Michael (Dorsey and daughter of the late David Jones, "Cedar Grove," Baltimore county. property and in good bearing condition. There is an excellent spring of never failing water near the DAY.—At Kansas, Mo., on January 28th, 1890, Dr door, and a good Stone Spring House. About acres are heavily timbered and the balance JOHN ORSO DAY, youngest son of Wm. Y. and Charlotte Orso Day, of "Taylor's Mount," Baltimore under cuitivation. The land is kind and easily im proved. There is an abundance of water on the NORRIS.—In Baltimore, on January 31st, 1890, Col. WILLIAM HENRY NORRIS, in the 80th year of his

GILL.-At Millington, Baltimore county, on January 30th, 1890, MARY MAGDELENE, beloved wife of STOCKSDALE.—At Reisterstown, Baltimore count on February 3d, 1890, of pneumonia, MORDECAL STOCKSDALE, aged 65 years, 9 months and 9 days, beoved husband of Miranda Stocksdale. THOMPSON.-At Kingsville, Baltimore county, or Sebruary 4th, 1890, ALBERT L. THOMPSON, in 24th year of his age, beloved son of Charles H. and

The Markets. BALTIMORE MARKET. THURSDAY, Feb. 6th, FLOUR—Howard Street Super...\$ 2.25 @ \$ 2.75 " Family... Patapaco Extra..... Family..... RYE FLOUR..... CORN MEAL-City Mills..... WHEAT—Southern Red..... Western Red..... CORN-Southern White..... Yellow.... Western.... ()ATS-Southern..... Western RYE..... 50 MILL FEED—Per Ton..... 13.00 Express daily, 19.15 A. M., Express 7.80 P. M.
For Washington, week days, 5.10, 6.20, 6.80, 7.20, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15 and 12.00 A. M., 12.15, 1.50, 2.10, 8.00, 4.10, 4.15, 5.00, 6.00, 6.20, 7.10, 7.80, 8.80, 8.85, 10.20, 10.25 and 11.00 P. M. On Sunday, 6.80, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15 A. M.; 12.00, 12.50, 1.50, 2.10, 1.50, 1.50, 2.10, 1.50, 1.50, 2.10, 1.50, 1.50, 2.10, 1.50, 2.10, 1.50, 2.1 PROVISIONS—Shoulders..... Hams..... POTATOES-Per Bushel..... BUTTER, Reported for the JOURNAL by N. B. Merryman, Eastern Hay Scales, Greenmount Avenue. TIMOTHY HAY-Per Ton..... 10.00 @ 12.00 VER HAY-Per Ton..... 8.00 8TRAW-Wheat..... 7.00 " Rye...... 10.00 @ Okt..... 8.00 @ CORN—Per Barrel..... 2.00 @

TOWSON MEAT MARKET. THE OLD STAND, York Road near the Post Office. We are selling to our customers and the public BEEF, VEAL, LAMB, MUTTON. SMOKED BEEF TONGUES,

PORK, BACON, SMOKED SAUSAGE. &c. All of the best quality and at the lowest prices.
ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.
Meats delivered within a reaonable distance C. HARRIS COLLINGS, Successor to L-tf SAMUEL COLLINGS

Bew Advertisements,

ABATEMENT OF TAX ASSESSMENTS

BALTIMORE COUNTY.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BALTIMORE Co., TOWSON, MD., February 5th, 1890. The County Commissioners of Baltimore County Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 17th, 18th, 19th, 80th and 81st, 1890, For the purpose of receiving applications for ALTERING AND CORRECTING ASSESSMENTS ON REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY to be taxed for the year 1890.

The Transfer Book will be closed on the 1st day of March, 1890, and remain closed until May 1st,

JOHN SMITH, BOBERT MAGRUDER, mers of Baltimore County. M. F. CONNOR

THOMAS TODD,

Acw Advertisements.

IVERPOOL & LONDON GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. Statement of United States Branch. January 1st, 1890. ASSETS. 858,275 00 State and City Bonds.....

.......

...\$4,516,668 14

S. C. TOMAY, Towson, Agent for Baltimore County, Md

LIABILITIES.

WAVERLY M. E. CHURCH.

On Thursday, February 13th, 1890,

At 7.45 o'clock P. M.

"INDIAN RAILWAYS

CHATS WITH NATIVE PASSENGERS."

No charge for admission, but a basket collec-

Yellott & Offutt, Attorneys, Towsontown and 108 E. Lewington St., Baltimore.

TRUSTRE'S SALE

A NICE FARM.

SIXTH DISTRICT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Bal-

timore County, passed in a cause wherein Sarah E. Standiford et al., were complainants, and Edith J.

Standiford and others were defendants, the under-

On Saturday, the 15th of February, 1890,

At 12 o'clock M.,

ALL THAT NICE LITTLE FARM

Of which the late Adolphus M. Standiford died

FORTY-FIVE ACRES OF LAND,

ley's to Freeland's, and about one mile and a half

The place is well improved, and has on it a good

TWO DWELLING HOUSES

fair condition, the larger one having six rooms

It is a nice little farm for any one desiring such a

Terms of Sale.—One half Cash on the ratifica-

TREASURER and COLLECTOR of TAXES

BALTIMORE COUNTY

FOR THE Month of January, 1890.

In accordance with the requirements of An Act passed January Session, 1876, the Treasurer and Col-lector of Taxes for Baltimore County hereby makes

report to the County Commissioners of the amount

received and disbursed for the month of January

Cash received from all sources during the

month of January, 1890:

Cash on hand Dec. 31st, 1889..\$22,961 4

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.
Rec'd of A. H. Cole, produce sold at Alms

ADDITIONAL TAXES, 1889.

Thos. P. Ellicott, Executor S. E. Handy... Edwin Warfield, agt., redemption of prop-

Levy of 1889......\$4,143 45

Salance January 31st, 1889..... 16,118 73

Thomas J. Hunter, Attorney, Towsonlown

TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN THE 7TH DISTRICT.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Bal-

others vs. Almony, the undersigned, Trustee, will offer for sale, by Public Auction, on the premises,

On Tuesday, 4th day of March, 1890,

At the hour of 11 o'clock A. M.,

ALL THAT VALUABLE FARM.

1473/ ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS,

f which Ann Almony died seized, situated on the

LOG DWELLING HOUSE.

ALL THAT OTHER VALUABLE FARM.

CONTAINING 95 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

n the county road leading from Burke's Mill, near

White Hall Station, to Shane P. O., and about miles from White Hall Station. One-half of this

land is heavily timbered and balance under culti

and the usual outbuildings.

Terms of Sale as prescribed by the decree are:—One-third Cash on the ratification of the sale

one-third in twelve months and the balance in twe

years from day of sale, the deferred payments

bear interest from day of sale and to be secured the satisfaction of the undersigned, or all cash a the purchaser's option. A deposit of \$250 will be

second farm on the day of sale.
THOS. J. HUNTER, Trustee.
EDWIN C. HAWKINS, Auctioneer.

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1st, 1890.

LEAVE CAMDEN STATION:

For Chicago and Northwest, Vestibuled Limited Express daily, 10.15 A.M., Express 8.30 P.M. For Cincinnati, St. Louis and Indianapolis, Ves-

tibuled Limited Express daily, 2.10 P. M.: Express

For Pittsburg and Cleveland, Vestibuled Limited

4.15, 5.00, 6.20, 7.10, 7.80, 8.80, 8.35, 10.20, 10.25 and

For way stations between Baltimore and Wash-

ington, 5.10, 6.30 and 8.30 A. M.; 12.15, 8.00, 5.00, 6.20

and 11.00 P. M. On Sunday, 6.80 and 8.30 A. M. 12.50, 5.00, 5.20 and 11.00 P. M.

Trains leave Washington for Baltimore, 4.00. 5.00, 6,40, 7,20, 8.80, 9.20, 9.45, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00, 12.10 2.00,

230, 8.15, 8.25, 4.25, 4.80, 4.85, 5.80, 6.20, 7.10, 7.45, 9.00, (0.30, 11.30 P. M. Sunday, 4.00, 7.20, 8.80, 9.20, 9.45, M., 12.00, 1.15, 2.00, 2.80, 8.25, 4.25, 4.85, 6.20, 7.10,

For principal points on Metropolitan Branch, †5.10, 9.15, \$12.00, A. M. †3.00 and †4.15 P. M. For Annapolis, 7.20, 9.15 A. M. 12.15 and 4.15 P. M. On Sunday, 9.15 A. M. and 5.00 P. M.

F.M. On Sungay, 9.16 A.M. and 5.00 P.M.
For Ellicott City, Mt. Airy and way points, *4.10, †8.20, †9.80 A.M., †1.30, †a4.25, *5.25, *6.80, *11.15 P.M. a Stops only at principal stations between Relay and Frederick Junction.
For Frederick, 4.10, 8.20 A.M., 1.80, 4.20 and 5.25 P.M. On Sunday, 9.80 A.M. and 5.25 P.M.
For Virginia Midland Railroad, and South, via Danville, *915 A.M. and *8.20 P.M.

inday. For Winchester, †4.10, †9.15, A. M., †4.20 P. M.

For Luray, Roanoke and all points on the Shen-andoah Valley B. R. *4.10 A. M. and *7.30 P. M. For Hagerstown, †4.10, †8.20, †10.15 A. M., †4.15

For Curtis Bay and intermediate points, 6.85 and

10.10 A. M. and 2.20 P. M. Sundays, 8.20 A. M., and 1.40, P. M. Leave Curtis Bay 7.50, 11.80 A. M., and 1.50 P. M. Sundays, 9.00 A. M. and 5.00 P. M.

Trains arrive from Chicago, Columbus and the Northwest daily, 1,00 and 5,20 P. M.; from Pittsburg, *8,20 A. M., *8,00 P. M.; from Cincinnati, St. Louis and the West, 4,50 A. M.: 2,55 P. M. daily,

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA DIVISION.

For New York, Trenton, Elizabeth and Newark, N. J., leave *5.00, †8.85, *10.15 A. M., *12.50, *8.20, *4.55 and *11.50 P. M. (Sleeping car open at 9.00

o'clock on the night Express.)

Trains leave New York for Baltimore, *8.30, †11.00

A. M., *2.00, *8.20, *5.00, P. M., *12.15 night.

For Atlantic City, *5.00 A. M., *12.50 P. M.

For Philadelphia, Newark, Wilmington and Chester, *5.00, †8.36, *10.15 A. M., *12.50, *8.20, *4.55, *8.05, *8

1.50 P. M. For way stations, 7.15, \$8.80 A. M

2.40 and relies F. m. Express trains leave Philadelphia for Baltimore, 1.40, *8.15, *11.10 A. M., †1.85, *8.40, *4.40,*6.05, *7.40

Camdeo Station, and No. 280 S. Broadway. CHAS. O. SCULL.

45, 9.00, 10.80, 11.80 P. M.

Danville, *915 A. M., and *8.80 P. M.

Feb. 8.—ts

The improvements consist of TWO SMALL DWELLING HOUSES

the 7th District, containing

WHITE HALL, BALTIMORE COUNTY

Two Valuable Farms

GEORGE W. YELLOTT,

Treasurer and Collector.

erest........................

JOHN I. YELLOTT,

m each of said stations.

MONTHLY REPORT

the day of sale.

1890. as follows :

Feb. 8.-1t

situated on the public road leading from Bent-

signed will offer at Public Sale, on the premises,

A. W. RUDISILL will deliver a lecture i

nearned Premiums.....\$3,222,615 54

Expenditure, 1889..... 4,102,971 87

The subject of the Lecture will be

Surplus..... 3,088.907 80

All other Liabilities

Income, 1889.

Feb. 8.—1t

ECTURE

The undersigned, on account of going to Pennsylvania to live, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises above named, on 831.952 86 Other Admitted Amets..... 705,208 98 Saturday, 15th day of February, 1890, At 1 o'clock P. M., The following described Personal Property, viz.: Chairs, Rockers, Bedsteads and Bedding, lot of Dishes, lot of Glassware, lot of Carpet, 1 Eight day Ware, lot of Carpet, 1 Eight day Wood Chesi, Sink Bench, Hand Wagon, Butter Churn, Dough Tray, Iron Kettle, lot of Apple Butter, lot of Canned Fruit, lot of Barrels, Hay Knife, and Jumpanya other small satisface. and numerous other small articles. Terms of Sale.—All sums of \$8 and under, cash on all sums over that amount a credit of 6 months on notes with approved security, bearing interest

Bew Advertigements.

A. M. Ruby, Auctioneer.

LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

PUBLIC SALE

CANNED FRUIT, &c., &c.,

AT THE "PALACE FARM." ON DOVER ROAD

ADJOINING HOFFMAN'S HOTEL,

IN THE 4th DISTRICT. BALTIMORE COUNTY.

GEORGE WEAVER Feb. 8.-1t* Brown & Brune, Attorneys, 222 st. Paul St., MORTGAGE SALE.

VALUABLE FARM KNOWN AS

"MOUNT JOY." IN THE 7rh DISTRICT, BALTIMORE COUNTY By virtue of a power contained in a mortgage dated May 31st, 1883, recorded among the Mortgage Records of Baltimore County, in Liber W. M. I., No. 104, folio 285, &c., from Andrew B. Cross to Geo. Wm. Brown and Stewart Brown, Trustees, the subscriber, Frederick W. Brune, the attorney named in aid mortgage, will sell by Public Auction, at the court House door, at Towsontown,

On Tuesday, March 4th, 1890. At 12 o'clock M., THE TWO CONTIGUOUS PARCELS OF LAND IN SAID MORTGAGE MENTIONED, which are particularly described by metes and bounds in the two deeds to the said Andrew B. Cross in the said mortgage referred to, to wit: one from Wm. Meade Addison, Trustee, dated the 8th day of March, 1855, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber H. M. F., No. il, folio 101, &c... of a tract containing about TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTEEN ACRES OF LAND, and the other from Mary Mampson and others, dated the 26th day of August, 1856, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber H. M. F., No. 16, folio 365, &c., of a tract containing about ONE HUNDRED AND TWELVE ACRES OF LAND, excepting a small portion of the last mentioned tract which was by deed dated May 2d, 1884, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber W. M. I., No. 144, folio 205, sold by Andrew 3. Cross with the amount of the mortgages.

The two tracts together contain about 826 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS The said property is situate on both sides of the road leading from Whitehall to Jarrettsville, about 2 miles east of Parkton, 1½ miles from Whitehall and 1½ miles from Burns' Switch, on the N. C. R. R. t adjoins the village of Stablersville and the lands of Messrs. Stade, Wright, Palmer, Pierce, Burns and It is susceptible of division into several tracts, each ronting on county roads and all well watered and

Terms of Sale as prescribed by said Mortgage:—One-third Cash on day of sale, balance in six and twelve months, the notes of the purchases with interest and satisfactory security to be given for the credit payments, or the whole purchase money may be paid in cash at the purchaser's option. A deposit of \$100 will be required from the purchaser at the sale
FREDERICK W. BRUNE, Attorney named in said Mortgage, 222 St. Paul St., Baltimore. Feb. 8.-ts

W. Gill Smith, Attorney at Law, Towson-town, Md. SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES THE SIXTH ELECTION DISTRICT, BALTIMUKE ON THE ROAD LEADING FROM ROCKDALE MILL TO MIDDLETOWN, AND ABOUT FOUR MILES FROM MIDDLETOWN By virtue of the power contained in a Mortgage

from Henry S. Baker, Jr. Sarah C. Baker, his wife, and Anna Baker, widow of Henry S. Baker, Sr., deceased, to Wesley Royston and Wesley A. Royston, dated 18th July, 1881, and recorded among the Morigage Rocords of Baltimore county, in Liber W. M. I., No. 95, folio 82, &c., which said Mortgage was duly assigned by said Mortagees to the under-signed by assignment, dated January 23d, 1890, and duly recorded among said Mortgage Records of Baltimore county, the undersigned, Assignee, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, AT THE DOOR OF THE COURT HOUSE IN TOWSONTOWN. On Tuesday, the 18th of February, 1890, At the hour of 12 o'clock M., ALL THE FOLLOWING TRACTS, PIECES, PAR-CELS OR PARTS OF TRACTS OF LAND, Situate, lying and being in Baltimore county

ALLTHAT PIECE OR PART OF A TRACT OF LAND, Called "Stiltz's Deer Park," or by whatever name fully described in a deed from Henry S. Baker. Br. and Anna, his wife, to Henry S. Baker, Jr., dated on or about the 13th day of June, 1867, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore county, in Liber J. H. I., No. 55 folio 485, &c., containing in one piece 47 ACRES AND 30 PERCHES OF LAND, more or less, and in another piece

ACRE. 3 ROODS AND 25 PERCHES OF LAND, ALSO, ALL THOSE TWO PIECES OR PARCELS Described in a deed from Jacob S. Baker and Elizabeth, his wife, to said Henry S. Baker, Jr., dated about the 10th day of October, 1877, and duly retimore County, passed in the cause of Almony and corded among the Land Records of said county, in Liber J. B., No. 104, folio 59, known as "Stiltz's Deer Park." or by whatever name the same may be called

e first piece containing 39 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS. And the other containing 2 ACRES AND 78 PERCHES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

ALSO. ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND Described in a deed from Ann Hughes and Geo. A. Hughes, her husband, to said Henry S. Baker, dated on or about the 13th day of December, A. D. 1876, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore county, in Liber J. B., No. 104, folio 56, &c., known by the name of "Lovely Plains Enlarged or whatever other name the same may be called ntaining 17½ ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS. The said land described in said second and third pieces are also described in a confirmatory deed from Jacob S. Baker and others to said Henry S. Baker, dated on or about the 16th day of July, 1881. and recorded among the Land Records o more county. Excepting out of the aforesaid par-cels of land one acre, deeded by said Henry S. Baker to the School Commissioners of Baltimore county, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore county, in Liber J. B., No. 97, folio 98, &c., being all and the same land described in the aforesaid mort-

gage, containing in the aggregate about Improved by a comfortable LOG DWELLING HOUSE, STABLE, SPRING Some fruit and well watered. This property is situated in a healthy and flourishing neighborhood, convenient to churches, schools, postoffice, and would make a comfortable home and snug farm, and is in a good state of culti-Terms of Sale :- One-half Cash, balance in one year, or all cash at purchaser's option, deferred payrequired of the purchaser of the first described farm, of the undersigned. A cash deposit of \$250 will be and a deposit of \$150 from the purchaser of the required on day of sale.

Assignee of Mortgagees
JOSEPH E. TRACEY, Auctioneer. Venable & Packard, Attorneys, 207 N. Cal-vert St., Baltimore. MORTGAGEE'S SALE FARMING LAND, SECOND DISTRICT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY. ONE AND-A-HALF MILES NORTHEAST OF ALBERTON, ON THE B. & O. R. R.

required on day of sale.

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Gerard Emmart and wife to Samuel K. George, dated March 29th, 1880, and recorded among the Mortgage Records of Baltimore County in Liber W. M. I., No. 88, folio 242, &c., and which, by assignment duly recorded among said records, was, on January 16th, 1890, assigned to me, the un-

Wednesday, February 19th, 1890, At noon. at the Court House door, in Towson, seil by Public ALL THAT PROPERTY IN THE MORTGAGE
AFORESAID DESCRIBED, lying in Baltimore county, that is to say—
1713/ ACRES, known as the home plantation, which was, by the will of William Emmart, dated December 31st, 1841, devised to the said Gerard Em-25 ACRES, which, by deed dated February 1st, 1855, and recorded among the Land Records of said county, in Liber H. M. F., No. 1, folio 450, was conveyed by Joseph Brown to the said Gerard Em-

211/4 ACRES, which, by deed dated September 21% AURRO, WHICH, Dy deed dated September 20, 1847, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber A. W. B., No. 387, folio 389, etc.. was conveyed by John Stinch-comb to the said Gerard Emmart.

122 ACRES, which, by deed dated October 9th, 1855, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber H. M. F., No. 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 folio 172 man conversable 12 half of the 12 h No. 13, folio 172, was conveyed by John G. Pauline to the said Gerard Emmart.

814 ACRES AND 76 PENCHES OF LAND, which, by deed dated July 8th, 1873, and recorded as a foresaid in Liber J. B., No. 92, folio 300, etc., was consaid in Liber J. B., No. 92, folio 300, etc., was veyed by Caleb Emmart and wife to the said Ge IN ALL THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHT AND ONE-HALF ACRES OF LAND.

saving and excepting the land described in the two following deeds, viz:—Deed dated January 14, 1858, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber G. H. C., No. 118, folio 80, from Gerard Emmart and wife to Samuel Widerman, conveying 25 acres; and deed dated Nov. 15, 1864 and recorded as a foresaid in Liber J. H. L., No. 43, folio 377, from Gerard Emmart and wife to Henry Schisler, conveying 12 acres, 2 roods and 35 square perches leaving clear THREE HUNDRED AND ELEVEN ACRES OF LAND, more or less, the same being FINE FARMING LAND and well improved with comfortable and SUBSTANTIAL DWELLING HOUSE and necessary farm buildings, and which will be

sold as a whole.

Torms of Sale—One-fourth Cash and the balnce in three equal instalments in one, two and three years, deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured to the estimation of the undersigned; or all cash at the purchaser's option. A deposit of \$250 required from parchases at time of sale.

P. M. PExcept Sunday. Sunday only. Daily. Baggage called for and checked from hetels and residences by Union Transfer Company on orders left at Ticket Offices:

N. W. COR. CALVERT AND BALTIMORE STS., JOSEPH PACKARD, JR., Langues of Sam'l E. George, Morigage