

Saturday, April 5. 1890.

HIGH LICENSE AND ROAD LAW As soon as we can procure certified copies of our recently passed Road and High License laws we will publish them, probably next

THE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS.

The session of the Legislature of 1890 closed at 12 o'clock midnight on the 31st ult., having expired by constitutional limitation. It was a body of faithful representatives and deserves the good will of the people of the entire State. No vicious legislation has been enacted, but much that is good, which will eventually receive the commendation of the people.

Among the important measures demanded by the citizens of Baltimore especially was a new registration of voters, precinct registration being secured; and when the people have an opportunity to read the law they will be satisfied that it is a reasonable measure, calculated to secure greater purity of elections .-The same may be said for the counties. Added to this is a modified and fair Australian Ballot law, not the complete law as demanded by some few who are never satisfied with anything unless they themselves originate and carry it out; but a fair measure and a long step forward to make the voter more independent of either the boss employer or the political boss, and of the two the latter is the most objec-

tionable.

Another important law desired by the people of the State is the Assessment law, so that all shades of property might be brought to bear its share of the public burdens. It is now a mooted question whether a new assessment law is needed at this time, as land as well as all classes of business is at a very low ebb, and, therefore, it is deemed an inopportune time to subject the property in the State to a new assessment in fear that such re-assessment would reduce the basis. There is no doubt that much stocks and bonds regularly escape taxation, but they are of such ubiquitous character that they are like some ignus fatus, "now you see them-now you don't." And whilst it might take a Herschell telescope to discover them before the day of making a tax levy in either | county, Walter Preston of Harford, Geo. Colthe city or the counties, yet they are as a city ton, Jas. H. Preston, Charles Carter, Edward set upon a hill for the balance of the year .- | D. Fitzgerald, John B. Keplinger, Charles J. The Governor, however, announces that he will hold the re-assessment bill for some time and ascertain whether it is really necessary; as, should the Assessors be appointed, a reduction of assessment would quite likely be the

result throughout the State, and this the Governor thinks would never do. Other measures adopted are five different acts submitting to the voters proposed amendments to the Constitution, viz: Authorizing the Governor to veto items in appropriation bills; authorizing the Board of Public Werks to sell State securities; authorizing the imposition of uniform taxes on property of the same general character, and giving the General Assembly the power to levy an income tax; authorizing the election of County Commissioners for periods of six years, so that experienced members will always be in each Board prohibiting legislation in favor of any corporation holding exemption from taxation until the said corporation surrenders all such ex-

As far as Baitimore county is concerned her delegates asked for but two important measures-one a modification of her road laws, and another a High-License law, for the better control of the liquor traffic, both of which she secured. Some local legislation failed for want of a constitutional majority, and some unfavorably reported by committees; but nothing of a vitally important character failed. Her Sena tor and Delegates did what they thought best for the interests of the people, each one laborbeneficial. As a matter of course they will not escape criticism, but when the people have an ing in his sphere to accomplish what he deemed opportunity to inspect the general results of

the session, they will accord them praise. It is with great pleasure that we refer to Speaker Hubner, who presided over the deliberations of the House in an able, conscientious and dignified manner, which has received the commendation of the whole House, without regard to politics. He showed that he was not only a parliamentarian but that he possessed common sense, suavity of manner, and absolute impartiality, justice and courtesy to every member. It may be remarked that only in two instances was his rulings appealed from, in both of which he was sustained by the House. Delegate Rich also took a high position, and proved himself one of the ablest debaters of the House. He was the peer of any man in the House

tablished a reputation that stamps him as a leader in thought and a breadth of view which takes the highest rank in legislative bodies .-When we take into consideration that the present was his first appearance in a legislative assembly the Democracy of Baltimore county can well congratulate itself that Mr. Rich was selected to represent the people. No mer. ber of the House was more faithful in his duties, and as a member of the Ways and Means and Election Committees he performed exacting and important duties. He was the right-hand man of Dr. Shaw, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, and was faithful in his attendance. No member of the House for many years has performed more important duties. Col. McCabe took but little part in debate, but he was literally a working member. His championship of the Belt Line Railroad bill engaged his undivided attention until he saw Gov. Jackson sign it in presence of the Presi-

dent of the Senate, Speaker of the House and the Secretaries of those respective bodies. Col. McCabe has made a faithful and intelligent representative and will receive the commendation of the citizens of the county, as well as of Baltimore city. The same earnestness of purpose characterized the acts of Messrs. Wm. Slade, Frank Parlett and Dr. J. H. Drach, each of whom were faithful attendants, and whilst they took but limited part in debate, (with the exception o

accordance with the best dictates of their judgment as questions presented themselves, which is all that can be asked of any legislator. Senator Lindsay was in a world to himsel where he was obliged to be responsible for everything passed upon by him, and where there was no divided responsibility. This made the duties of the position exceedingly onerous and important, but he did not hesitate to do what he deemed best for the interests of the people of Baltimore county especially, and of the

Dr. Drach,) yet by their votes they acted in

State at large. Taken as a whole upon review of the situation by the people the highest praise will be accorded our delegation for the redemption of their pledges during the canvas that they would pass such laws as were demanded for the material prosperity and general morals of the body politic, as well as those safeguards thrown around the elective franchise as shall produce absolute purity in results as expressed at the ballot box. Though Baltimore county was exempted from the operations of the Australian ballot law, the good results claimed for it in Baltimore city cannot but have a most beneficial effect upon elections in this county. Not a single petition was sent to either our Senator or Delegates asking for the law; upon the contrary there were letters from all portions of the county from representative Democrats exactly with the charges against me in the Companying that there was no necessity for the populations of the law in Baltimore county, on State, where under my sole and exclusive control. secount of its expense, as well as upon the no other person ever having had access to them | der. That might likely bring down the coon.

ground that elections in Baltimore county are fair and the votes counted as cast. There is the smallest modicum of irregularity or fraud upon the day of election in this county, and every person who is entitled to a vote usually gets it, with here and there an exception from omission or carelessness of a Register to make an absolutely correct copy of his books. On the 29th ult. Speaker Hubner expressed to a correspondent of the Baltimore Morning

Herald, upon interrogatory, what he thought of the Legislature of 1890. His reply was: "I am delighted with it. I am more than pleased when I stop to consider the work done by that branch of the General Assembly over which it has been an honor and a pleasure for me to preside.—
As for the Legislature as a body, I think it has been very economical and has conscientiously endeavored to lessen the burdens on the tax-paying com-munity as much as was consistent with efficient administration of public affairs. For the members of of the House, I can say that they have at all times treated me with utmost respect. For myself, I have tried to be impartial in all my rulings. The members of the House are an industrious and well meaning set of men. As for party p'edges, the record shows for itself. We have passed a good, honest, fair and for user. We have paration law, given to the people the equitable registration law, given to the people the Australian ballott system, a measure demanded by

ntelligent public sentiment, and to-day, as rowning act, we have passed the high license law esides these measures may important revenue bills Do you think the gas legislation tended to cast ave been passed. any reflection upon the Legislature? asked the There was, said the Speaker, a very decided effor on the part of some newspapers to do that, but in my opinion the bill passed this House on its merits I do not believe that the measure received a sing vote that did not voice the true sentiment of th man who cast it. The county members were, o course, and rightly, too, influenced in casting their votes by the Baltimore city delegation, a large ma jority of whose members spoke and worked for the passage of the bill. I say it without fear of contra diction that corruption hasn't touched the mem-bers of the House, and I have a like opinion of the

senate. I am glad the work is over, but sorry part with so many of the warm friends I have made in this old place during the past 90 days." After such testimony as the above the ill grained innuendoes of one Baltimore journal as to the depravity and corruption of the members of the Legislature, especially as to the gas bill, will be completely offset. The Speaker certainly had excellent opportunities of observation, and it cannot be innuendeed

that he was "in the soup." Baltimore city sent to the House several able young men who distinguished themselves for the ability they exhibited and the caution they observed as to the best interests of the people of Baltimore. Among these we take pleasure in noticing Messrs. James H. Preston, Charles Carter, Edward G. Fitzgerald, John B. Keplinger, Charles J. Philbin, J. Henning Jones. If we go to the Republican side of the Houre it was a pleasure to notice that Washington county sent one of the ablest men in the House in the person of Mr. M. L. Keedy, and from

🗪 ederick Mr. F. C. Norwood. In summing up we might say the De who led the House were Hon. John Hubner, Speaker, Philip D. Laird of Montgomery, Edward N. Rich and L. B. McCabe of Baltimore Philbin and J. Henning Jones of Baltimore city, and upon the Republican side Messrs. M. L. Keedy, C. F. Norwood and Wm. A. Meloy. There were other able men in the House, but they observed a quiet attitude, though none the less carn est in behalf of the people who

TREASURER ARCHER'S DEFAL-CATION.

No event of late times has so stirred the peo ple of Maryland as the recent defalcation of Stevenson Archer, Treasurer of Maryland .-The high reputation for honor and probity which Mr. Archer has enjoyed for forty years or more and the deep love of the people of not only Harford county but throughout the State, has made his downfall the more poignant .--From the highest pinnacle of confidence he has fallen to the depths of financial dishonor. Even in the midst of disgrace there goes out to him from a wealth of loving hearts the deepest sympathy, that whilst upon the couch of suffering he may be spared than which his shattered physical powers may be unable to bear. Mr Archer still continues in a weak, debilitated condition. Dr. Hollingsworth, his physician allows but few to see him beyond his family. On Saturday morning 29th the special com mittee appointed by the Senate and House to examine the box in the vault of the Safe Deposit Company, Baltimore, made their report to each House as follows: To the Honorable the General Assembly of Maryland :

The joint special committee appointed to take into consideration the subject matter of the mesime. Your committee proceeded to Baltimore, and in the presence of the bondsmen of the Treasurer opened the boxes in the rafe Deposit and Trus ompany of Baltimore and counted and examined the securities therein contained. In the various sinking funds there should have been, according to he statement furnished by the Comptroller. We irginia and Pittsburg Railroad bonds in the amount of \$84,000; we found \$75,000, showing a deficit of \$9,000. Of Frederick City four per cent. bonds there should have been \$133,000; we found 3116,000, showing a deficit of \$17,000. Of Baltimore and Ohio Car i rust bonds there should have been \$128,000; we found \$91,000, showing a deficit of \$17. 000. Of Piedmont and Cumberland Railroad bonds there should have been \$100,000; we found \$97,000 showing a deficit of \$3,000. Of treasury relief loan bonds there should have been \$127,000 we found \$66,000, showing a deficit of \$61,000. Of these five lasses of bonds there should have been a total of \$572 000; we found \$415,000 showing a deficit o \$127,000. This amount is exclusive of coupons on

some of these bonds not accounted for, amounting perhaps to several thousand dollars more.
Your committe deem it their duty to make this partial report in order to relieve public anxiety, and that there may be no delay in the announce for clearness of views, ability in the expression | ment of the state of the case as far as they have ascertained it, and that the General Assembly may of them, and fearlessness in debate; courteous take action in the premises, Subsequent investiand respectful; impassioned and firm, he es- gation may show some change in the figures above given, but that there exists a heavy defalcation there is no room for doubt. Your committee deem it proper to acknowledge the courtesy with which they were received by President Newcomer, of the Safe Deposit and Trus Company, and the facilities he afforded them for

the conduct of the work in hand." JOHN WALTER SMITH, of the Senate. FRANK T. SHAW. on the part PHILIP D. LAIRD, Of the House

For the time being the above will satisfy the people until the committee makes its full re port to Governor Jackson. It is not now known whether the shortage will be more than the \$127,000 named. An exhaustive examination will be made. The committee resume work next week.

Mr. Archer's bondsmen are Col. Edwin H Webster, Henry W. Archer, Jr., Allan Hoffman, Stevenson Archer Williams, Murray Vandiver, J. Thomas C. Hopkins, Joseph M. Streett and Patrick Howard. It is the opinion of many persons that the bordsmen are not liable for the amount of Mr. Archer's defalcation, and base that opinion upon the fact that Gov. Jackson failed to interrogate Treasurer Archer and Comptroller Baughman as to the treasury accounts as provided for in Section 18 of Ar ticle 2, of the Constitution, which says:

"It shall be the duty of the Governor, semi-annually, (and oftener if he deems it expedient) to examine under oath the Treasurer and Comptroller of the State on all matters pertaining to their respec-tive offices; and inspect and review their bank and

It is also the opinion of many intelliger t gentlemen that the banks which loaned Mr. Archer money upon hypothecated State securities may be compelled to surrender them. They claim that as Mr. Archer was merely the custodian sented the Speaker with a valuable gold chain of these securities with no power to hypothecate them except by express law, the banks as follows: F. L. Hancock, Ed. O'Mahoney, could not legally accept them as collateral se- | Elijah Lizear, T. H. Edmondson, L. J. Usilton, curity for loads. The State securities being F. A. Crawford, George Merrill, Fulton Kelly, in the possession of the bank, the State George W. Truitt, E. E. Bradley, G. R. Cragg, s bound to recover its property, and the bank must lose the money losned Mr. Archer. If the hypothecation by Mr. Archer be regarded in the light of a breach of trust, the securities are still the property of the State and are liable to be recovered by either the State or the

The bondsmen will no doubt make a legal fight over the matter. The full report of the committee to the Governor ought to develop the entire legal status of the unfortunate affair. On Tuesday 1st inst. Mr. Archer's resignation was sent to Gov. Jackson by mail. . When Goy. Jackson returned to Annapolis he made the letter public. It is as follows:

BELAIR, MD., March 81st, 1890. o His Excellency, Elihu E. Jackson, Governor of Sir—I herewith tender to you my resignation as Treasurer of Maryland. During the four years of the incumbency of the office by me, over \$18,500,000 have been received and disbursed by my office, every dollar of which has been scrupu counted for by the efficient, laborious and honest employes in my office, so that the books correspond

since I have been in office. Any irregularity in the funds in those boxes is attributable to me alone. If this cannot be explained, then I must submit

myself to the majesty of the law.

Respectfully,

STEVENSON ARCHER. OPINION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL WHITE. Gov. Jackson having asked Attorney General Whyte his opinion as to the propriety of accepting the resignation of Treasurer Archer, or hold it, the Attorney General makes the OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, !

BALTIMORE, April 2, 1890. To the Governor:

Dear Sir-1 have received the letter of the Secretary of State of the let instant covering copy of the resignation of the State Treasurer, and asking at your request for my opinion as to whether you should "accept it, or simply hold it for the present." While the acceptance of the resignation will, in my judgment, not affect the relations of the Treasurer to the State, nor impair the obligation of his sureties, yet, as the legislative committee is invested with the duty of ascertaining the condition of the State bonds in his keeping, and instructed, upon proper proof, to make charges against him of mal-feasance or misappropriation of the funds, as the case may be, in order that the constitutional mode of vacating the office, under such circumstances, shall be exercised I do not think you would be justified in accepting a resignation pending such inquiry now in progress by that committee. I recommend, therefore, that the resignation be held without acceptance on your part.

Very respectfully your obedient servant.

WILLIAM PINKNEY WHYTE.

Attorney General. From Republican sources it was intimated that possibly Mr. Archer had devoted some of the money realized from the State's securities to political purposes—that is, contributed it to the general fund of the Democratic State Central Committee. It comes from Mr. Archer, however, that not one cent was so appropriated It is stated that when the campaign closed he was short of funds to the amount of about \$1, 000 to pay for orders of the Committee.

The Baltimore American stated on Thursday 3d that it had been reported that the investigating Committee had received information that Mr. Archer's deficit would amount to about \$155,000. The American also states that Mr. Archer carries a large life insurance of between \$50,000

and \$75,000. This has dwindled to about \$7,000. Col. E. H. Webster, believed to be the wealthiest among Mr. Archer's bondsmen, was terribly shocked when he learned of the defalcation of his friend. They had been boys together and life-long friends. He could not take his love from him now, but it was as warm and generous as ever. The press throughout the State refer to the unfortunate affair more in sorrow than anger, shough all condemn appropriation of the State's property and urge the Committee to

make a full and exhaustive examination and report, that the responsibility may rest where it belongs. Up to the hour of going to press (Friday P. M.) Mr. Archer had somewhat improved mentally, but still physically weak. It is the opinion of some that when Mr. Archer is sufficiently strong to contemplate the wreck he has caused, he will make a full statement. At no time has he attempted to shield himself, but it is recognized that he alone is concerned in this

most unfortunate, and to him, fatal effair. ONLY JUSTICE ASKED. There has been a long but patient cry among thousands of small householders and men of limited means in Baltimore, especially in that part recently annexed, for some circumstance whereby they might be somewhat relieved of the heavy burden of taxation which rests upon them like an incubus, almost crushing the life out of them. Their property cannot run away, neither can they hide it as the possessors of bonds and other evidences of wealth of that character can and often do. The Appeal Tax Court knows just where to find him, and it does not neglect to do so. But some dealers in bonds always snuff the air when the first of May hovers in sight, when, presto! change they're gone! With conscious pride he can swear he "hain't got 'em." So they can't be included in the tax levy of that year at least. Then, some time after, lo! presto! change here we are! "I just stepped in to see you, hope I don't intrude." To relieve the terrible weight which bears upon the small property

owner is the sequel for the formation of taxpayers' associations, banded together to see if something cannot be done to relieve them.-They hailed with pleasure the information that the Legislature would likely pass a new assessment law, and now that it has been passed and it is intimated Gov. Jackson may not sign the bill because he is informed by some interested parties that a new assessment will decrease the tax levy, he looks blue and feels blue. Should the Governor conclude to veto the bill the same injustice would continue to go on. The poor man who has struggled so long to provide a roof over the heads of his family would continue to be the prey of the taxing power and he would be compelled to continue to stint himself and his family, whilst his hond-hold-

ing neighbor escapes. Gov. Jackson should carefully reflect upon this branch of the subject before he concludes o gratify Mayor Davidson of Baltimore that f he signs the bill the tax levy in the city would be decreased. All the poor man asks is simple justice. And he will get it with a vengeance if the Governor fails to sign the bill! It looks as if he would have to grin and

We think if Gov. Jackson were to read the edtorials of nearly every county newspaper in the State upon this subject they will tell him a different state of facts than those learned from

Mayor Davidson. We believe Gov. Jackson to be a fair and just man, and we trust he will take into consideration the suffering real estate taxpayers who seem to have no friend save the SILVER TEA SET AND GOLD WATCH. Hubner of the House were treated quite roy-

ally upon the adjournment of their respective Houses on Monday night. In the Senate Mr. Randall, of Anne Arundel, on behalf of his Senatorial brethren presented President Brattan with a handsome teaset. Senators Stake of Washington and Urner of Frederick (Republicans) paid President Brattan high compliments for his dignity and impartiality, as did also Senator Poe. Mr. Urner then, on the part of the employees, presented the President with a silver punch bowl. President Brattan and Clerk Guither made suitable responses.

In the House at 10.30 P. M. Mr. Keedy (Re publican) from Washington county in a neat address paid a deserved compliment to Speaker Hubner for the ability and partiality with which he had presided over the deliberations of the House, and, on behalf of the members. presented him with a handsome gold watch suitably inscribed. Col. Kilgour of Montgomery then stepped in front of the Speaker's chair and in a most eloquent address remarked that in the duty which he was about to perform he assured the Speaker "came to him as the fragrance of a bouquet fresh from some rich and rare partere." on behalf of the employees preand locket. Col. Kilgour named the employees M. P. Foley, W. J. Broom. W. S. Merrick, W. E. Easter, J. A. Gernand, J. H. Mackey, J. W Nelson, Henry Deering, U. A. Garrett, F. I Curtis, J. P. Hopkins, G. A. Lewis, C. R. Disharoon, W. H. Taylor, J. N. Sullivan, B. B. Sevier, Walter R. Townsend, C. H. Whitby, Harry Irvin, C. H. Nicklas, Harry Taylor,

These little pleasantries produced a very happy feeling throughout the House. Speaker Hubner made a suitable reply thanking his fellow members and the employees for their hand-

iome remembrance. BIG COLUMBIADS SHOT OFF. Senstor A. P. Gorman was at the Carrollton Hotel. Baltimore, on Tuesday, 1st inst., in conpultation with Gov. Jackson. It was at first thought that he had come over from Washington to confer with the Sun in reference to that double-leaded columbiad shot at him a couple. of weeks since. But it was noticed he never went near the Sun office. "That was bad." On Thursday the Sun shot off another doubleleaded columbiad. As the gunner's first shot didn't seem to hit we suggest that the Sun use a charge of the newly invented smokeless pow-

[Correspondence of the Maryland Journal.] OUR ANNAPOLIS LETTER. ANNAPOLIE March 31st, 1890. With this week we close the proceedings of the session of the Legislature of 1890. SENATE.

March \$8th.—Bills passed — To punish persons stealing rides on railroads.

Making appropriation for the Confederate Home at Pikesvil To amend the local law of Baltimore county re ating to weights and measures. . To amend the law relating to bond of county To authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to buy parts of turnpikes now in the limits of March 20th.—House bills read a second time—Making appropriation for the Children's Country Home The High License law for Baltimore county.

To authorize the County Commissioners of Baltimore County to build a fire engine house in the 18th ore County.

THE ARCHER DEFALCATION. Mr. Poe, under a suspension of the rules, intro luced a bill to continue the committee to investigate the accounts of State Treasurer Archer during he recess of the Legislature, and to pay the expen es of said committee, which committee shall repor the Governor; and under a suspension of th ules, the bill was read a second time, amended naking meetings of committee open to public as

The Conference Committee on the Australian Ba ot bill reported that the Senate had adopted the louse amendment to said bill (exempting five additional counties) and it was passed as amended by a vote of sixteen to five, all the Republican, present except Mr. Randall voting against the bill.

Murch Stal.—Unfavorable report upon House bills

To amend the Treasurer law of Baltimore county; Also as to the length of the sessions of the Grand Jury; adopted. (This killed both bills.)

ARCHER INVESTIGATION.

AUSTRALIAN BALLOT.

Mr. Poe's bill for a continuance of the committee to investigate the defalcation of the State Treasurer came back to the Senate with the amendment proposed by the Attorney-General, the amendment being that the committee should, as soon as sufficient acts are in their possession, prefer charges of malsavance against the Treasurer, so that the Governor may try and remove him. Bills passed—To repeal the charter of the Balti-nore and Hampden Railway. To regulate the sale of liquor in Baltimore couny; to provide that it shall not be necessary in an lictment for violation of liquor laws to specify the particular kind of liquor. To authorize the County Commissioners of Baltimore County to build a fire engine house at Mt. Vinans, 18th District. House bills passed-Making an appropriation \$500 annually for two years to the Children's Counry Home of Baltimore County. To prohibit railroad companies from compelling mployees to pay for insurance.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE. The Conference Committee on the Appropriation ills for 1891 made a report, in which both Houses had agreed to recede from certain amendments, and

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S PORTRAIT. Mr Lindsay offered an order to appropriate five lollars to append to the portrait of General George Washington in the Senate Chamber the name of the lonor, Hon. John Wethered. It was reported favorably and adopted. Senate bill passed-Amending the charter of the Trust Deposit, Security, Guarantee and Insurance Company of Baltimore County.

TO IMPEACH TREASURER ARCHER. Melov (Republican, offered a resolution viding for the impeachment of Treasurer Archer by the House and trial by the Senate. The resolution was discussed by Messrs. Laird. Rich and Preston, (Democrats,) and Messrs. Meloy, Keedy, Norwood and Gantt, (Republicans,) and finally rejected by a party vote of year 28, nays 58.

ADJOURNMENT. At 11 P. M. Mr. Randall (Republican, of Anne Arundel,) arose and said that it was his pleasant and agreeable duty to offer a resolution expressing the appreciation of the fair, just and impartial manner in which the President had presided over the deliberations of the Senate. Mr. Randall put the motion himself and declared the resolution carried An executive session was then held when a few appointments were confirmed.

At 11.55 President Brattan said : Senators:—I rise for the last time as your presiding officer. The pinety days allowed for our deliberations have expired—the session of 1830 has ended. In some respects it has been one of the most eventful for many years, and those who have participated in its legislation are not likely ever to orget it. Much was expected from it because most as been done, but whether or not enough to satisfy hose expectations remains to be seen. The highest ense of honor and duty to the State, I am sure, has been the controlling influence of this Senate, and while there has been an honest difference of opinion at times as to what was the best to be done, the ommon object was the public good. It is certain that many will complain and criticise our enactments, both of commission and omission, but there has never been a time in the history of the world when the same would not have been more or less the case. No words which I can express to you can convey my deepest gratitude for the indulgence and kindness every member upon this floor has shown me from the first moment I became your presiding officer. I have often realized my mistakes, which you are kind to pass by unnoticed. While I have one the best I could, yet it might have been done better. My associations and relations with each one of you have been of the most pleasant charac er, and I shall bear with me hereafter the warmest feelings of kindness and good-will for you all. T he officers I must say that they have done their duty very well-indeed, they could not have done better-and to whom every praise should be extended for their great assistance to the Chair and to us all. With my best wishes to each and all of you here and hereafter, with a safe return to your homes,

March 28th .- Second reading-For local option to Bills passed-Authorizing the Clerk of the Circui Court for Baltimore County to destroy certain pol To provide for the better sanitary condition Failed-Senate bill to change the name of the Trust Deposit Loan, Security, Guarantee and Insurance Company of Baltimore County, and to enlarge its powers, failed to pass for want of a constitu-

tional majority. HIGH LICENSE FOR THE CITY. At the night session the High License bill for the ity was taken up. The debate was participated in nearly all the members of the city delegation. at times the debate was very bitter and acrimonious etween Messrs. Fitzgerald, Carter, Preston, Philin, Colton, and others. Upon Mr Carter's motion the license fee was r inced from \$600 to \$400—yeas 49, nays 86. The county members becoming very tired of the bitter debate, Mr. Preston, of Harford, called the previous question upon an amendment of Mr. Colton to strike out the Police Board and requiring the issuance of license by the Court of Common Pleas. This brought Mr. Colton to his feet, as he desired to discuss his amendment, but Speaker Hubner decided that under a call for the previous quesion no debate was allowable. Upon this decision Mr. Fitzgerald appealed from the decision of the chair, but the House sustained the Speaker. There was at this time great uproar both on the floor of the House and the lobby, members talking loud and some in the lobby swearing and using other ugly language. It was a perfect pandemonium for a short time, but was finally quieted by the A motion was then made to adjourn and the ques-

tion went over to Saturday morning.

March 29th.—Failed—House bill for local option at Hoffmanville, Baltimore county, failed for want of a consistational majority. High License—The Senate High License bill was amended so as to fix the license at \$250, and provides for the appointment of a Commission, consisting of two Democrats and one Republican. The bill was then passed.

Senate bill passed—Incorporating the Collegiate
Institute for Young Ladies and Preparatory School
for Little Girls under the direction of the Sisters of Mercy, at Mt. Washington, Baltimore county.

March 31st .-The Committee on Ways and Means reported favorably the Senate bill providing for a full investiration into the accounts of Stevenson Archar, State reasurer, by the joint committee during the recess the General Assembly, and appropriating \$1,500 defrav expenses. Mr. shaw moved to suspend the rules and put the Mr Shaw offered an amondment as follows:
And be it enacted that the joint investigating committee be and are hereby instructed that whenever

they are satisfied, upon the evidence before them that the said Treasurer has been "guilty of malfer sance in office" or "misappropriation of the funda" of the State, should the Legislature then not be in session, they shall forthwith, and without waiting o conclude their investigation as to the exten hereof, prefer charges of such malfeasance or mis ppropriation against the said Treasurer to the Gov rnor, to the end that the Governor may proceed execute the power lodged with him by Section 6, 4
Article 8, of the Constitution of this State; adopted Mr. Shaw offered another amendment, which was also adopted, appropriating \$2,500 for expenses instead of \$1,500. Mr. Shaw stated that this amendment was at the instance of the Attorney-General who believes that the investigation will occupy more time than was at first thought. The bill was then passed.

TO PROTECT THE SINKING FUNDS. The Senate bill providing for a more perfect pro ection of the bonds, certificates of stocks and other securities belonging to the sinking fund and to the treasury of the State reported favorably and passed. Mr. Meloy's (Republican) resolutions calling upon Gov. Jackson to inform the House when he last examined the Treasurer on oath as to his accounts, was discussed by that gentleman and Mosers. Laird and Rich, and by a strict party vote referred to the BT. MARY AND CALVERT SCHOOLS. Senate bill authorizing the Governor to appoint School Commissioners for St. Mary and Calvert counties was taken up and after a short and sharp

iscussion passed at the evening session by a vote of yeas 47, Days 86. At the afternoon session the Baltimore County High-License bill, as slightly amended in the Senate, was finally passed. One amendment was that any person applying for a license was required to be a divisor of the county at least three months before citizen of the county at least three months before such application. The Governor will undoubtedly sign the bill. deported favorably—Senate bill authorizing County Commissioners of Baltimore County to borrow to an extent not exceeding \$35,000 for the purpose of meeting any deficiency in the School Board fund so as to prevent the School Board from borrowing to meet any deficiency in its quarterly payments

THANKS TO THE SPEAKER. Mr. Kaufman, (Republican,) of Frederick, offer he following resolutions:

Resolved. That the thanks of this House are due. and they are hereby tendered, to the Honorable John Hubner for the faithful and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of Speaker, for the uniform courtesy that has distinguished his official conduct, and for the fairness and equity of his designation. Resolved, That the members of this House extend their best wishes to Speaker Hubner for continued

teachers and for general running expenses.

prosperity and success in all the relations of life, and congratulations for duty well and honestly performed.

Resolved. That the thanks of the House be also extended to the officers and employees thereof for the courteous and faithful performance of their respective duties, and further that these resolutions be entered upon the journal of the House.

No. 1 find the performance were be-Mr. Laird presided while the resolutions were being acted on. Mesers. Keedy, Beauchamp, Norwood, Meloy, Dryden, Mullin, Brown and Swindell

resolutions, each viewing with the other in their praise of the uniform fairness of Speaker Hubner. After the Republicans had finished speaking a number of Democrats also made complimentary apseches upon the kind treatment they had received at the hands of Speaker Hubner. The resolutions were then passed by a unanimous vote. SPEAKER HUBNER'S FAREWELL.

At 12 o'clock the Speaker delivered his farewell

address, and then the House adjourned without day, Speaker Hubner closing the session in the following address: Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:
In rising to perform the last duty of the position to which you kindly called me ninety days ago, it may not be out of place for me to say we have had an unusually busy session, and, in my opinion, our abore and their results will compare more than favorably with those of almost any previous Assembly in the history of this State. We have enacted many important and much-needed laws, and we can safely promise that they will inure to the great henefit of our State and her people. By them the burden of taxation will be more equitably distributed, to the much needed relief of a greatly depressed agricultural community, but without opression upon any. We have taken all proper steps to keep the people of our State fully abreast of the times in all legal reforms and advancement. The result of our efforts to secure fair registration and a pure ballot must be satisfactory to all, and by a series of proposed amendments to the Constitution we have endeavored to secure to the fundamental government of our State those which many of our sister States already enjoy .-While I entered upon the performance of the duties of the high office to which you called me with an oppressive weight of fear to do justice and right to you all, and have therefore earnessly wished for the l, yet, now that the end of the session has come and in reviewing the past, I find that you have at all times treated me with courteous consideration and endeavored to make pleasant and easy the duties of my position, and that none but pleasant nemories are clustered around our association that I hold none but kindly and affectionate feelings oward you all. It is, indeed, with feelings akin i

declare the House adjourned without day. [Correspondence of the Maryland Journal. OUR BALTIMORE LETTER.

saduess that I now bid you all farewell and formally

The Spiritual Calendar—Au Animal Specta cle-The Meaning of an Anomaly-Motion Along Lenten Lines-Dissolution of our Legislature-A Case of Justification by Works-Baltimore to Bourgeon-Sorrow for Mr. Archer-The Louisville "Powers That Be." BALTIMORE, April 4th, 1890.

Over the dial of the Church-year the shadow f another Lent now lies at its darkest phase, though just about to fade away in the glories of the Easter morning. Says a recent writer upon the subject: "The world has its spiritual calendar no less than its visible record of days and months, and in that calendar the chief events are those which concern the life of Christ." And "that which makes the life of Christ so infinitely inspiring and consoling is the completeness with which it interprets all other lives. What we strive for he attained: what we hope for he realized; he remains the one unchanging ideal." We admit that "we cannot understand the mystery of the Passion and the Cross," though "there is nothing else so clear to us as the certainty, and joy, and the everlasting victory of the Resurrection.' For, "while the causes of dark things are concealed, their glorious result stand out all the more definite and inspiring cloud of mystery behind them. There is food for reflection in these few thoughts. The annual spectacle of our Lents must prove to the world that there is something in Christianity, no matter what scoffers and skeptics may say to the contrary. It must mean something that for six weeks at a time our churchs are thronged by daily visitors; and that thousands of people present them elves there for the express purpose of being reprimanded for their misdeeds, and directed to some way of betterment of life. We have rapidly by means of electricity, and thus get

pleasure are irresistibly attracted by these ap- question will be taken up for consideration. parently repellant forces. What can be the meaning of this anomaly, if it be not true that people realize in some degree, however feebly, that there is something wrong with them; and recognize that the system of Christianity is suited to their needs, and brings them help and hope? Lent shows us a sick world turning to its physician, and even submitting to the surgeon's terrible knife, in order to recover the great boon of health The great througs of busines-men who crowded where hundreds were turned away, and the the city treasury, in the aggregate about church was so packed that it was said "it \$450,000. would have been difficult to get in an additional umbrella," must certainly indicate something of this sort.

And, what is especially surprising, this great congregation was composed entirely of men: who are generally supposed to be practically indifferent to religious questions. Though it is currently reported that the feminines filled the vestibule to catch such droppings from the sauctuary as might filter through. Which turning of the tables may be noted, in passing, as an ther evidence of the progress of the woman's movement. There was no music, either, except some hymn singing, led by a few boys' voices. And if we attribute these throngs to the powers of Phillips Brooks, why, there was Mr. Moody, in the very same town. preaching daily to two immense noon day conregations, having to drive rapidly from the one to the other. Does not this mean something, too?

Of course, all these things do mean that the people of to-day are very much interested in the subject of religion. But we are not, on the other hand, to argue too much as to the piety that prevails in our day and generation. For the inhabitants of the civilized world are also, at the present date, exceedingly interested in all the concerns of business, and politics. and fashion. The truth seems to be that our era is one of enormous activity, and that religion is simply coming in for its share of the

quickening impulses that are running along And truth compels us to admit that the undesirable elements are developing their forces quite as rapidly as the desirable ones. In fact. at this very moment there comes up a wail from the clergy over the counter currents of worldliness and gayety that have characterized the keeping of this identical Lent. Galileo was right: the world does move. But the odd thing about it is that it appears to be moving in two opposite directions at the same time. What is to come of such motions, who shall That all things have an cud, however, has

been exemplified by the expiration of this winter's session of our able and industrious. but much-maligned Legislature. All history is illustrative of the fact that goodness does not prevent people from having enemies, nor secure them from the malice of such. And the General Assembly of Maryland, whatever it does, or leaves undone, can always be sure of the animosity of certain foes. It has, however, at BUTTER...... the close of this session, the satisfaction of being highly complimented by Gov. Jackson upon the work that it has accomplished, while its presiding officers have received the encomiums of friends and foes, alike. It is safe to say, though, that all fair minded people who inform themselves of the facts will admit that this winter's Legislature has done a large amount of excellent work. It very fairly kept the pledges made to the people in last fall's campaign, and has passed a

number of bills whose workings will probably prove most beneficial to the interest of our city and our State. The record of this session's work includes the passage of the reform ballot law for Baltimore : the new precinct and registration laws; the bill against the pool-rooms, that shut up those soultraps with the snap of a spring-lock; and the comparatively low high-license law, which is a long stride in the right direction; besides numerous other bills providing for the establishment of new railroad facilities, and in one way or another conducing to the peace, order, con venience, or resources of the community. S that, thanks to the labors of this efficient Legislature we shall now be able to enter upon

new era of prosperity. The disastrous complications in which Mr. Stevenson Archer has involved himself are source of great grief to his many warm friends in this city. It appears that everbody who knew him loved and trusted him; and that he would have been the last person whom any of them would have suspected of wrong dealing. He was so plain in his tastes, and so simple in his habits, so kind, and friendly, and generous, to everybody, that he is generally pitied quite a much as he is blamed; and his warmest friends are hoping that he will die of bis present illness, rather than survive to live through his disgrace. One of the young monied men of Harford

county was in town talking of Mr. Archer's case, the other day, and saying how thoroughly he esteemed and trusted this prominent and genial man. Somebody said to him, in the course of the conversation: "I suppose you would have gone on Mr. Archer's bond if you had been asked to do so." "Why, I would have considered it an honor," replied the young gentleman, enthusiastically. The Louisville storm has been a source of nuch anxiety to such of our people as have friends in that region, as well as a subject of horror to everyone hearing of that dreadful catastrophe. It is all well enough for us to have a signal service bureau, to be sure, but it is extremely humiliating to find that with all our scientific knowledge we cannot prevent such fatalities. And the fact that we are not even able to bring any suit for damages against the powers of Nature, or to inflict upon them

an instructive comment upon human impo-ARMY REGISTER FOR 1890.—We are indebted to Mr. Wm. G. Spottswood, of the Adjutant General's Office, Washington, D. C., for a copy of "The Official Army Register for the year 1890," which is published by order of the Sec-

any punishment for their destructive deeds, is

THE STATE TREASURYSHIP. It is stated that in view of a vacancy being declared in the office of State Tressurer in a lew days, at most, Gov. Jackson on Wednesday | FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

tendered the position to Hon. Robert F. Brattan, President of the Senate, but that he has declined the tender, desiring to devote his entire attention to his law practice. The Baltimore American states that the name of Hon. E. W. LeCompte, Secretary of State, is mentioned in connection with the position, and it also connects the name of Hon. Frank

T. Shaw with the office of Secretary of State should Mr. LeCompte be appointed Treasurer. It is stated that Gov. Jackson on Thursday 3d expressed his intention to appoint a State Treasurer who would reside regularly at Annapolis. The former mode of a Tressurer coming to Annapolis one day each week would not do. The Governor was said to have also expressed a decided preference for Mr LeCompte for the position. There is one thing connected with the office of Treasurer, and that is, the salary is too low -\$2,500 per annum is not sufficient for the important resposibilities of the position. The Comptroller, also, is paid too scant a salary. THE FLACKS SENTENCED.

Gov. Hill has appointed Gen. Daniel Sickles Sheriff of New York city vice James A. Flack. disgraced by being convicted of atptemting to fraudulently procure a divorce from Mrs. Flack. The first official act of Sheriff Sickles was to take Flack into custody and present him to Judge Barrett for sentence. Judge Barrett first took up the case of Dilworth Cheste. a reporter of the New York World, who was found secreted in the jury room where the Flack jury were deliberating upon a verdict. and sentenced him to pay a fine of \$250 and be mprisoned four months in Ludlow Street Juil for contempt of Court. The Judge then sentenced James A. Flack to pay a fine of \$500 and be imprisoned in the city jail for two months. Joseph Meeks was sentenced to pay a fine of

\$500 and to be imprisoned in the city prison for one month. Wm. L. Flack was sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and to be imprisoned in the penitentiary for four months. Counsel for the prisoners obtained a stay of proceedings before Judge Brunt, who held each

THE LOUISVILLE DISASTER. The deaths by the terrible cyclone at Louis-

to bail in \$7,500.

ville last week were 150 persons. The loss is estimated at from \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000.-Great distress prevails, but the citizens of Louisville are looking after their people without outside aid. The destruction to the city is of the most terrible character. It is believed that about all the bodies in the ruins have been recovered. The greatest loss occurred in the dancing academy, in which were about three hundred men, women and children. One man lost his wife and three daughters, one daughter being saved.

YORK ROAD RAPID TRANSIT. Gov. Jackson having signed the York Road Railway Rapid Transit bill there is now reasonable hope that ere long the patient people along the line of the road will be propelled no joyous festival that lasts so long as this season of humiliation and self-denial. It dispenses with the customary lights, flowers, and as that would cost enormously. In a few music; gloom, penitence, and sorrow are its days the President, Mr. S. H. Tagart, will call prevailing characteristics; and yet the lovers of a meeting of the Board of Managers when the

2868 SALOONS. Whilst the high license question was being agitated in Baltimore befor the meeting of the Legislature, Marshal Frey was requested to have a count of the saloons in the city by the police, and their return showed that there were 2868. It is estimated that about onefourth of them will be closed by high license. the noon-day services at Trinity, New York, It is also estimated that license will furnish to

> Died. "For when the breath of man goeth forth,

He shall turn again to his earth, And then all his thoughts perish." JENKINS.-At his residence, 737 Dolphin street Baltimore, April 1st, 1890, WILLIAM F. JENKINS, aged 30 years, son of the late Henry W. Jenkins. MAYES.—In Baltimore, on April 2d, 1890, John 1 MAYES, aged 35 years. BLUNT-In Baltimore, on April 1st, 1890, Nelson BLUNT, formerly of Baltimore county. GREEN.-On the 23d of March, 1890, at the resi dence of her sister. Mrs. Hare, Phonix, Baltimore county, Md., Sarah, wife of John Green and daughter of Sarah and the late Wm. Curtis, in the 30th year of her age. Sister, we lay thee in the silent tomb,

Sweet blossom of a day; We just began to view thy bloom When thou wert called away. Thou minglest now in that bright throng With your little ones before thee gone, And join the everlasting song

Around the eternal throne Oh! who could wish thee longer stay In such a world like this, Since thou hast gained the realms of endless day, A pure and undying bliss. Farewell, dear sister, a long farewell,

Until we meet thee in the skies, With thee and our dear Jesus dwell, Where pleasure never dies. The Markets. BALTIMORE MARKET. THURSDAY, April 3rd,

FLOUR-Howard Street Super...\$ 2.00 @ \$ 2.50 Family.. l'atapsco Extra..... 5.00 Family.... WHEAT—Southern Red......
Western Red..... CORN-Southern White..... Western.... Western RYE.... MILL FEED—Per Ton...... 16.00 @ PROVISIONS—Shoulders..... Sides.... Hams.... Reported for the JOURNAL by N. B. Merryman, TIMOTHY HAY-Per Ton..... 8.00 @ 12.00 LOVER HAY-Per Ton..... 8.00 STRAW-Wheat.... Rye..... 10.00 Oat..... 8.00 CORN-Per Barrel..... 2.15 @ TOWSON MEAT MARKET.

THE OLD STAND, York Road near the Post Office. We are selling to our customers and the public who may favor us with a call 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 distan C. HARRIS COLLINGS, Successor to SAMUEL COLLINGS. Jan. 8.—tf

Mew Advertisements.

A DESIRABLE PROPERTY 13 ACRES, On the turnpike and county roads between Rei terstown and the Hannah More Academy, with GOOD 2-STORY FRAME DWELLING, STABLE and all necessary outbuildings; APPLE ORCHARD AND GOOD WATER. TRUMS EASY.
Address. Rev. ARTHUR J. RICH,
April 5.—1m Reisterstown, Md. EEEE EEEE EEEE

Sugar Corn. PRIZETAKER TOMATO. CARROTS RADISHES
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AND ALL OTHER SEEDS. MANGEL WURZEL. SUGAR BRETS. FIELD PUMPKING. SUPERIOR * FOR * CATTLE * FOOD.

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Bew Advertisements.

Having sold his Farm, the Rev. GEO. MORRI-On Wednesday, 9th of April, 1890, At 10 o'clock A. M. STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, At Morrison Station, 11th District.
SAMUEL G. WILSON,

John F. Gontrum, Attorney. TREASURER & COLLECTOR'S SALES FOR TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1888.

Under and by virtue of the provisions of the several Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1870, Chapter 179; at the January Session, 1878, Chapter 494; at the January Session, 1880, Chapter 196; at the January Session, 1882, Chapter 136; at the January Session, 1882, Chapter 186; at the January Session, 1882, Chapter 1882, 1884, Chapter 490; at the January Session, 1886 Chapter 212, and under and by virtue of the provi sions of the Code of Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub title County Treasurer," Sections 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50 51, 52, 58, 54, 55, 56, 57 and 58, the undersigned, as Treasurer of Baltimore County and Collector of State and County Taxes for said oun-ty, will sell at PUBLIC SALE, AT THE DOOR OF THE COURT HOUSE, TOWSONTOWN, BALTI-MORE COUNTY, for taxes due for the year 1888 the following described lands and premises and lots of ground upon which State and County taxes were due and owing for the year 1888, and which said lots of ground were levied upon by George W. Morgan, late Treasurer of Baltimore County and Col-

Ninth District. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Simate in the Ninth District of Baltimore county and situate on the southeast corner of Susquehanne and Washington Avenues. Towson, and IMPROVE-MENTS THEREON ERECTED, being the same and described in a deed from Washington Town send and wife to C. Bohn Slingluff, dated July 4th, 1874, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. B., No. 87, folio 495, &c. Assessed to C. BOHN SLINGLUFF for the year

lector of State and County Taxes for said county.

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in the Ninth District of Baltimore county and situate on the east side of Washington Avenue north of Chesapeake Avenue, lot 25 feet by 100 feet, improved by a STONE OFFICE, located in Towson, being all and the same land described in a deed dated February 15th, 1869, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber E. H. A., No. 62, folio 898, &c., and being all and the same land described in a deed of a one-half interest in said property from C. Bohn Slingluff to Fielder C. Slingluff, dated May 20th, 1869, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber E. H. A., No. 62, folio 401, &c. Assessed to SLINGLUFF AND SLINGLUFF for

Tenth District. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in the Tenth District of Baltimore county on the west side of the Old Manor Road, near Knoble's Store, containing 12 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, improved by a FRAME DWELLING HOUSE AND LAWN, being part of the same land described in a deed from Ezekiel F. Daniels to Anna Adelaide Johnson, dated January 1st, 1868. and recorded among the Land Records of Baltiore Count Assessed to ADOLPHUS JOHNSON for the year

And I hereby give notice, that on Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1890, Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., shall offer for sale the several lots or parcels scribed, at the hour and place aforesaid, in pursu ance of the said Acts of Assembly and the said pro visions of the said Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR GEORGE W. YELLOTT, Freasurer of Baltimore County and Collector State and County Taxes for said County.

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county, and which said lots of ground are particularly described as follows: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on south side Fourth Street, improved by one three-story BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 455 Fourth Street, being one of the lots described in an assignment from Charles A. Carpenter to Isabella Turner, dated April 28th, 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. 9., No. 151, folio 528, &c.
Assessed to ISABELLA TURNER for the year

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the east side of Saint Paul Street, and improved by one three-story BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 116 (old No.) and new No. 2227 Saint Paul Street, being one of the lots described in a deed from William liam W. Spence et al. to Joseph Turner, dated March 14th, 1884, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber W. M. I., No. 140, Assessed to JOSEPH TURNER for the year 1888.

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the east side of Saint Paul Street, and improved by one three-story BRICK DWFLLING, known as No. 108 old No.) and new No. 2219 Saint Paul Street, being one of the lots described in a deed from William W. S. Spence et al. to Joseph Turner, dated March 14th, 1884, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber W. M. I., No. 140, Assessed to JOSEPH TURNER for the year 1888. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently

county, and described as follows: Situate on the south side of 4th Street, and improved by one two-story mansard BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 317 4th Street, being one of the lots described in a lease from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, WM. SEEMULLER & CO., Auctioneers. dated January 12th, 1887, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. Assessed to SHANNON BROS. for the year 1888. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the south side of 4th Street, improved by one two story mansard BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 331

4th Street, being one of the lots described in a lease from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, dated January 17th, 1887, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. S., No. Assessed to SHANNON BROS, for the year 1898. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND, ituate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the south side of 4th Street, and improved by one two-story mansard BRICK DWELLING, known as No. atory mansard BRICK by BELLING, andwer as No. 8 825 4th Street, being one of the lots described in a lease from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, dated January 12th, 1887, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. S., No. 158, folio 42, &c.
Assessed to SHANNON BROS. for the year 1888.

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formely part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the east side of North Street, improved by one two-story BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 2287 North Street, being one of the lots described in a lease from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, dated January 12th, 1887, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. S., No. Amessed to BHANNON BROS. for the year 1888. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND, Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, described as follows: Situate on the east side of North Street. Improved by one two story mansard BRICK DWELLING, known as No. 2029

North Street, being one of the lots described in a lesse from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, dated January 12th, 1887, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. S., No. 158, folio 42, &c. Assessed to SHANNON BROS. for the year 1888. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND. Bituate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore county, and described as follows: Situate on the south side of 2d Street, and improved by one two-story mansard SRICK DWELLING, known as No.

303 2d Street, being one of the lots described in a lease from Frank W. Trimble to Alice H. Shannon, dated June 24th. 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. 3, No. 152, folio 591, &c. Amened to SHANNON BROS, for the year 1888. And I hereby give notice, that on Tuesday, the 99th day of April, 1890, Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., shall offer for sale the several lots or parcels of

land and premises hereinbefore mentioned and de-scribed, at the hour and place aforesaid, in pursu-ance of the said Acts of Assembly, and the said provisions of the said Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR GEORGE W. YELLOTT, Treasurer of Baltimore County and Collector State and County Taxes for said County.

April 5,—is

Best Zävertinennen A SHEPHERD DOG, half grown, balck and tan; white face; some, white on legs. Five dollars rewards Llambletonian Stallion, "GARRISON."

RECORD \$1251/4. BY ORANGE BLOSSOM. Dam, QUEEN BESS. Will make the season of 1890, commencing APRIL 1st, and ending OCTOBER 1st, at the OWNER'S STABLES, 8 miles from Baltimore, on the Reisterstown Turnpike, where mares will be cared for at

\$2.00 per week. TEMMS.-\$50.00 THE BEASON, with return For further particulars address, CHARLES T. COCKEY "Garrison Stock Farm," Pikesville, Md. April 5.—6m Wm. Seemuller & Co., Auctioneers, 11 S. Charles St., Baltimore. MORTGAGEE'S SALE Real, Leasehold

Chattel Property at Waverly. AMES E. SINCLAIR AND SARAH C. SINCLAIR. By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage from James E. Sinclair and Sarah C. Sinclair to David Stewart, dated February first 1886, and recorded among the land Records of Baltimore County, in Liber J. W. S., No. 135, folio 275, &c., the undersigned Mortgagee, will sell at public auction, on the premises, at Waverly, on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, A. D., 1890 Beginning at 4 o'clock P. M., Successively, the following lots and property: A TRIANGULAR LOT at the northwest corer of the York Road and Merryman's Lane, front-

ing thirty-six feet and one-half of an inch on the ork Road and fifty-five feet on Merryman's Lane, improved by a TWO-STORY BRICK BUILDING. divided into two stores; being the same lot leased by Robert Riddell Brown to James E Sinclair, June 14th, 1887, (Liber J. W. S., No. 162, folio 71,) and being subject to the \$60 ground rent thereby created A TRIANGULAR LOT on the southwest side of Merryman's Lane, now improved by Sinclair's Machine shop and a Hall, bearing the sign "Unirersal Pump Works", being the same lot leased by David Stewart to Sarah ". Sinclair, May 28, 188" (Liber J. W. S., 160, folio 403, &c.,) and being subject o the \$80 groundrent thereby created.

III. A LOT on the west side of the York Road, beginning ninety-six feet and one-half inch north of Merryman's Lane and running thence north along said Road thirty-six feet and seven and one-half inches by an even deptu of one-hundred feet to a three foot alley, in fee and unimproved IV. A LOT on the northeast side of Merryman's ane bounded by Merryman's Lane and the hreefoot alley parallel with the York Road and onehundred feet westerly therefrom, and the lot conveyed by Sinclair to McAnemey, and the line of the Public School lot, in fee and improved by FOUR FRAME TWO STORY DWELLINGS.

V. A LOT on the west side of the York Road beginning one-hundred and thirty-two feet and eight-inches north of Merryman's Lane. and runand four inches by an even depth of one-hundred feet to a three foot alley, being improved by two adjoining
TWO STORY BRICK RESIDENCES, comprising the four loss leased by David Stewart to James E. and Sarah C. Sinclair, February 1st, 1888, (Liber J. W. S., No. 167, folio 402, &c...) and being subject to the aggregate groundrent of \$252 thereby

VI. A TRIANGULAR LOT on the southwest side of Merryman's Lane, running northwesterly from the aforesaid three-foot alley, bounded by said Lane by Maier's Lot and by the western boundary !ine of Sinclair's original property, being improved by TWO FRAME TWO STORY DWELLINGS. being the same lot lessed by Robert Riddell Brown to James E. Sinclair, December 22d, 1887, (Liber J. W. S., No. 167, folio 165,) and being subject to a groundrent of \$50 thereby created.

VII. ALL THE TOOLS, ENGINES, LATHES, IACHINERY AND APPURTENANCES IN SIN-CLAIR'S SHOP, at the S. W. corner of Merryman's Lane and the York Road. (Said machinery having een used for the Manufacture of Pumps, &c., and being a Machinist's equipment).

IX. ANY OTHER CHATTELS OR PROPERTY of said Sinclair which may be discovered. A full description and plat of the above named lots is filed in the Circuit Court of Baltimore City i he foreclosure suit of David Stewart vs. James E Sinclair, &c., and may be obtained from the under signed.

The first four loss above named will be sold subect to a \$3,500 mortgage, as to the release of which ne undersigned has authority to agree with intend Terms of Sales .-- For Real Estate-One-thire cash, balance in one year, satisfactorily secured.

For Chattels.—ALL CASH. A deposit of \$50 on each lot sold will be required at the time of sale. Taxes, insurance, ground-rent, mortgage interest, &c., adjusted to day of sale.

DAVID STEWART, Mortgagee.

213 St. Paul Street, Baltimore. WILLIAM SEEMULLER & CO., Auctioneers. March 15.—ts Wm. Seemuller & Co., Auctioneers, S. Charles TRUSTRES' SALE EIGHT VALUABLE TRACTS IN THE 12th ELECTION DISTRICT OF BALTI-ABOUT 6 MILES FROM BALTIMORE.

JOHN & DAVID STEWART, Soliciton

A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY TIMBER The undersigned, trustees, by virtue of a decree The undersigned, trustees, by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County, will sell by Public Auction, at the REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE. in Baltimore City, (122 E. Fayette St...)

On Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1896,

Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M.,

ALL THOSE TWO VALUABLE TRACTS OF LAND, Situated in the 12th District of Baltimore County, containing in the aggregate
ABOUT 178 ACRES, I ROOD AND 16 PERCHES. on the Philadelphia Turnpike Road, and sub-divided into 8 tracts or parcels as follows:

NO. 1-CUNTAINING 20 ACRES. -CONTAINING 24 ACRES, 3 ROODS, 16 SQUARE PERCHES. O. 4 CONTAINING 23 ACRES, 0 ROOD, 37 NO. 5-CONTAINING 20 ACRES, 27 SQUARE PERCHES. NO. 6-CONTAINING 24 ACRES, 8 ROODS, 16 SQUARE PERCHES, NO. 7-CONTAINING 22 ACRES, 0 ROOD, 25 SQUARE PERCHES. NO 8-CONTAINING 28 ACRES, 0 ROOD, 15 SQUARE PERCHES. For title see Liber E. H. A., No. 66, folio 411, &c. The soil is well suited for Market Gardening, and is now covered by a healthy growth of Oak and Chestnut Timber. Terms of Nate.-One-third Cash, balance in 6 and 12 months, with interest from day of sale and approved security, or all Cash, at purchasers option A plat of the property can be seen at the Situate in that part of the city of Baltimore recently annexed thereto, and formerly part of Baltimore office of the Auctioneers.

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A deposit of \$50 will be required on each lot of the Auctioneers.

at time of sale.

W. H. DAWSON,
W. S. G. WILLIAMS,
Trustees. March 15—ts R. H. Hooper, Attorney, 30 E. Lexington St., PUBLIC SALE

626 ELM AVENUE, BALTIMORE, MD. In pursuance of the power contained in a mort-gage from Anna W. Templeman to Charles T. Belt, dated the 30th day of August, 1882 and recorded among the Land Mo tgage Records of Baltimore County, in Liber W. M. 1, No. 100, follo 539, &c., the iber, as Assignee of said mortgage, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on Monday, the 21st day of April, 1890,

At 4 o'clock P. M., ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND, situated in Baltimore city, (in that portion thereof formerly a part of Baltimore county and recently annexed to the city of Baltimore), which is decribed as follows, to wit: Beginning for the same at the northeast corner o the whole ground which is described in a deed from the said Belt and wife to said Matthews, dated 14th day of June, 1882 and recorded among the Land Records of said county, in Liber W. M. I., No. 129, folio 519 &c., and running thence west along the north line of said whole lot 165 feet to centre of a ten-foot alley; thence south along centre of said alley, with use thereof in common. 35 feet; thence east parallel with said north line 165 feet to Rim Avenue, and thence northerly on the west side Elm Avenue 85 feet to beginning. Improved by a 2 story and basement FRAME DWELLING.

Ground rent \$35.

Terms of Sale.—One third of the purchase money in Cash, and the balance in two equal pay-ments in six and twelve months, with interest; or all Cash, at purchaser's option.

JOSEPH MATTREWS, ROBT. H. HOOPER.

20 E. Lexington St., Baltimore.

TAYLOR & CREAMER, Auctioneers.

March 29.—ts

OLD MATERIALS. In accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of Maryland, 1876, Chap. 399, I hereby give notice that I will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, on Monday, the 14th day of April, 1890, At 1 o'clock P. M., ALL THE MATERIALS IN THE FOLLOWING BUILDING3 in the bed of Goreuch Avenue, between the Old York Road and the York Turnpike, viz: ONE TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING, about 16 feet by 48 feet.
ONE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING, about 10 feet by 16 feet.
ONE TWO-HTORY FRAME DWELLING, about

20 feet by 16 feet.
ONE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING, about 20 feet by 16 feet.
ONE TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING, about 14 feet by 40 feet.
ONE TWO-STORY AND A-HALF FRAME BLACKSHITH SHOP, about 20 feet by 35 feet. ONE TWO-STORY AND A-HALF FRAME DWELLING, about 15 feet by 28 feet.
AND ONE SMALL FRANK HOUSE, about 16 feet by 10 feet.
Terms of Sale to be \$25 Cash, and the balance on the day that full postession is given.
WM. H. SHIPLEY.

WM, SEEMULLER & CO., Auctions March 29,—8t