Maryland Journal

TOWSON, MD.

Saturday, April 12, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

SALES TO TAKE PLACE.

Monday, April 14th.—Wm. Seemuller & Co., auctioneers, Wm. H. Shipley, Examiner, on the premises, materials in 8 frame buildings on the bed of Gorsuch avenue, in Waverly.

Tuesday, April 15th.—John I. Yellott, John F. Gontrum, trustees, at the Court House, lot of ground near the Relay House, B & O. R. R.; improved by a comfortable dwelling, &c.

Friday, April 18th. Wm. Seemuller & Co., auctioneers, Henry W. Fox, attorney, on the premises, lot of ground in Waverly; improved by a frame cottage.

AMUSEMENTS.

Ford's Grand Opera House, Week of April 14th, "Shenandoah."—"Shenandoah," Bronson Howard's latest and best play, which will be presented at Ford's Grand Opera House for one week, commencing Monday evening, April 14th, is the same complete manner as it has been seen for the past eight months in New York city, has taken undisputed rank as the one great success of the dramatic season. Nothing like the enthusiasm this play creates has ever been known in the history of the American drama. It is a play that is said to charm all classes alike, and possesses that intrinsic something that takes hold of the public's heart and makes every one feel better for having seen the play. It is as full of bright comedy as it is of stirring situations. Matinees as usual. No extra price of admission.

April 21st, Kellar, the world-renowned magician.

Cleveland Tariff Reform Club.—At the regular meeting of the Cleveland Tariff Reform Club of Baltimore County held at Centennial Grange Hall, Towson, on Tuesday night, 8th inst., Washington Stevenson, President, S. C. Tomay, Secretary, the new members, who had been reported favorably by the Committee on Membership, were elected; Messrs. Geo. H. Jerryman, Fredk. von Kapff, Edw. S. Peerce, Julius Rudiger, Sr., Geo. Rudiger, J. Alex. Parlett and James E. Green, Jr.

The Treasurer, Mr. R. M. Isaac, made a report on the financial condition of the Club.

The names of the following were proposed as new members and were referred to the Committee on Membership, viz: Prof. John E. Talbott, Chas. Stoltz, Chas. S. Grason, Thomas J. Hunter, Thomas C. Bruff, Otis Stocksdale, G. Wilson Selpp, J. H. Lytle and Morris Shanklin.

The President reported a number of public documents of interest which had been sent to the Club by the Hon. Herman Stump, Member of Congress from the 2d Congressional District.

The following gentlemen were elected members of the Executive Committee: Messrs. H. C. Turnbull, Jr., Chas. E. Fendall, James E. Green and Wm. M. Risteau. The other members of the committee are Mr. Washington Stevenson, President, R. M. Isaac, Treasurer, and S. C. Tomay, Secretary.

After discussions by Messrs. Chas. E. Fendall, H. C. Turnbull, Jr., Wm. M. Risteau, and others, Prof. Green read an interesting article taken from the *Kingman Democrat* entitled "A Kansas Farm Reverie."

The Club then adjourned to meet on Tuesday night, 22d inst., at 8 o'clock.

A New View of the Road Question.—The *Scientific American* in discoursing on "The Need of Good Country Roads," has the following: "College professors, civil engineers and magazine writers are directing public attention to the subject of country highways, and the Vanderbilt University in Tennessee has gone so far as to provide for the free instruction in road engineering of one person from each county in that State, and it is stated parties who made the subject a study that the power required to draw a wagon weighing with its load one ton on a level, macadamized road of broken stone is sixty pounds, while it increases to two hundred pounds on a common dirt road. Prof. Ely of Johns Hopkins University, estimates that poor roads cost the farmer, on an average, $15 per horse, and Prof. Jenks, of Knox College, Illinois, argues that with good, permanent roads freight could often be hauled ten miles on wagons cheaper than it could be taken one mile on a dirt road to a railroad station, unloaded, put on cars and hauled to its destination. Of the social influence of good roads, he says that 'a large part of the mental inspiration of farmers depends on their ability to attend church lectures, concerts, and social gatherings at a distance; and really good roads, by enabling them to go so much more easily, would doubtless raise the whole intellectual tone of the farming community, besides keeping within the healthful influence of the farm many who are now forced into towns."

Easter Monday Vestry Elections.—The following gentlemen have been elected Vestrymen and other officers of the several Protestant Episcopal Churches in Baltimore county as far as received:

Reisterstown Parish, Rev. Dr. A. A. Rich, Rector.—*Vestrymen*—Chas. T. Nairn, Cornelius Cook, James C. Kinnear, Edward N. Rich, J. Smith Orrick, Chas. Reese, Wm. E. Wyatt Edward H. Cockey.

Wardens { Senior—Arthur A. Rich, Jr. / Junior—James M. Currie.

Treasurer—J. Smith Orrick.

Delegates to Diocesan Convention—Edward N. Rich and Wm E. Wyatt; Alternates, J. Smith Orrick and Charles T. Nairn.

Church Tax Committee—Daniel Yellott, A. A. Rich, James M. Currie, Brent Keyser.

Trinity Church, Towson, Rev. W. H. H. Powers, Rector.—*Vestrymen*—Wm. S. Keech, Dr. G. M. Bosley, Dr. Jackson Piper, John Ridgely of H., Hon. David Fowler, Henry C. Turnbull, Jr., William Grason, (vice Charles H. Mann) Robert Feast.

Register—Wm. S. Keech.

Treasurer—Robert Feast (vice Dr. J. Piper).

Wardens { Senior—Wm. S. Keech. / Junior—Henry C. Turnbull, Jr.

Delegate to Diocesan Convention Dr. G. M. Bosley. Alternate, Henry C. Turnbull, Jr.

The resignations of Col. Mann from the Vestry and Dr. J. Piper as Treasurer, were accepted with much regret.

Easter at New Market.—Easter service was observed at New Market M. E. Church on Sunday morning by reorganizing the Sunday School with the following officers:

Superintendent—W. H. Whitcraft.
Assistant Superintendent—W. T. Day.
Secretary—Harry Fulton.
Assistant Secretary—Levin Heathcote.
Librarians—Ferd Briggs, Robert Reed.
Treasurer—Miss Mary Bond.
Secretary Missionary Society—Miss Martha Lee.
Pianist—Mrs. Mary Johnson.
Organist—Miss Lulu Crook.
Assistant Organist—Miss Mary Bond.

The following are the teachers and their assistants: First Female Bible Class—Pearle Wright; Assistant, Dr. M. H. Barton. Second Female Bible Class—Miss Alice Rutledge; Assistant, Miss Alice Heathcote. Third Female Bible Class—Miss Mary Bond; Assistant, Harry Fulton. Adult Class—Miss Laura King; Assistant, Mrs. Mary Johnson. First Male Bible Class—Scott King; Assistant, Bill Sampson. Second Male Bible Class—Miss Lulu Crook.

At night Rev. James Wrightson preached a sermon to a large audience from Corinthians 15th chap. 20th verse. The music by the choir was excellent. The chancel was tastefully decorated with potted plants.

The Cowpens Road.—The matter of the opening of the Cowpens Road from Cowpens Station, on the M. C. R. R., to the Harford Road was heard by the County Commissioners on Wednesday, 10th inst., and from the evidence taken it was decided best to send the matter back to the Board of Examiners for a new report.

Mr. Thomas J. Hunter appeared as counsel for Mrs. M. R. Ewing in opposition to the opening of the road. Mr. Richard H. Pleasants, Mr. Edward von Kapff and Robert Moore also entered protest against the award of the Examiners in the case.—The Examiners were instructed not to assess any landowners but those who are directly benefited by the proposed avenue and not to assess the County Commissioners for any part of the cost of the work.

McDermott's Return.—It will be remembered that a couple of years back several parties were indicted for the felonious appropriation of a lot of chickens belonging to Mr. Elijah Collins, of Texas. Among the parties indicted was Jacob McDermott, who disappeared for a time, but recently turned up again and has made himself obnoxious by his riotous conduct, so much so that a new indictment has been brought against him, and on the 10th inst., on motion of F. I. Duncan, State's Attorney, the stet that was entered to the indictment in the chicken matter of 2 years was stricken out by order of the Court and a bench warrant was issued for his immediate arrest. The return of McDermott will not prove to be as much of a pic nic as he expected it to be.

Electrical Display.—On Wednesday afternoon 9th inst. about 3 o'clock the sky being covered with broken, dark clouds, there was a sudden brilliant flash of lightning and a terrific clap of thunder followed immediately by a second. It appeared very much like two immense cannons being discharged almost simultaneously. There was then a heavy downpour of rain which lasted about thirty minutes. Brilliant electrical display has been reported at different points throughout the country.

Edison's Phonograph in Towson.—A very pleasing exhibition by Edison's phonograph was given at Towson Public School on Thursday night, 10th inst. The instrument reproduced speeches, piano and band music, cornet solos, whistling, singing, the banjo, &c., and it was attentively listened to by the large audience present. Its singing of "McGinnty" and a song with laughing chorus was loudly applauded and was repeated several times on call.

Napoleon Bonaparte Sent to Spring Grove.—An old negro man, who gave himself the name of Napoleon Bonaparte and who is said to have gone through the last war on the Federal side, has been confined in Towson Jail for some time. On Thursday, 10th inst., he was declared a lunatic, and, on representations being made to the Court that he was considered dangerous at times, he was ordered to be sent to Spring Grove Asylum.

A Policeman Fined.—On the 9th inst. the County Commissioners investigated the charges preferred against Officer Henry Miller, preferred by Mr. Charles J. Thorne, who charged the officer with failing to serve a warrant, and, from the nature and gravity of the offense, the Commissioners imposed a fine of $10 on the officer, with a warning against any similar infraction of duty.

A Fair.—The ladies connected with the Methodist Protestant charge, at Epsom Chapel, Towson, held quite a successful fair the past week, in the vacant store of Mr. Adam DeBaugh. Messrs. Isaac H. Moss and Charles McRoberts, florists, Govanstown, made large donations of both potted plants and flowers. They also received a donation from The Lutherville Florist Company.

New Assessments.—John S. Wilson, Assessor 1st District, has made the following returns to the County Commissioners:

Mrs. Mary F. Garrett $1,400. Frank Hense $1,250, E. A. Blackshaw $1,050, Benjamin Whitely $800, Jesse F. Hampton $300, Paul Behm $315, Dr. F. W. Pearson $500, Geo. I. Loane $800. Total $7,215.

Compliment to a Baltimore County Member of the Bar.—The Messrs. Abell, proprietors of the Baltimore *Sun*, have selected Mr. John I. Yellott, of the Baltimore County Bar, as their counsel in legal matters. This is a high compliment to Mr. Yellott's well-known legal abilities.

DOVER P. O., Baltimore Co., April, 1890.

Dear JOURNAL:—Now that the genial sun is blessing us with his invigorating rays is the time for the denizen of the large city to visit our section and cast about for some lovely nook as a place of sojourn for his family for the summer. Here he can in a short time reach his place of business in the city, carrying with him an abundant reservoir of fresh air in his lungs to last him through the day, and can afford to his over-worked wife and to his children lagged out by the year's schooling the comfort and recreation so needed to begin the next winter on; where they can have abundant supply of fresh milk, good *unfiltered* water and fresh air, which is as much a food as is fresh beef.

You can scarcely ride along our roads without seeing in some form or other mineral matter which with care and capital could be made available. To even the amateur geologist and mineologist this section of our county is replete with beautiful specimens, and it would be a source of much purchase, pleasure and future profit in manhood if each boy would give some little time to the search after and study of quartz, the different forms of sand stone, of the various marbles which abound throughout our hills and the vast quantities of valuable iron ore which will soon come into market by the help of our new railroad.

Sections far less interesting and productive than the 24th District have developed wonders in phosphate rock, gypsum and marl, simply by having a few residents who give attention to such deposits and think enough of them and of the welfare of their State to bring them to the notice of fertilizer manufacturers. Much wealth has thus been poured into the lap of South Carolina by her phosphate developments and into the pockets of the northern neck of Virginia by her fish manures. At one time it was unpleasant to ride along the roads of some of the eastern rivers of North Carolina, the fields on each side being covered inches deep with decaying refuse of fish caught in the Chowan and other rivers. Just as there is nothing like fish food to develop the brain, so we have the best results from spreading fish manure over the land. See how certain forms of guano some 30 years ago were filled with the bones and feathers of the wild fowl which bred upon and hovered about the Patagonian shores, showing the make up of the manure and see the immense fortunes made.

We are blessed in this section in escaping the destructive blizzards and cyclones which devastate large districts in the West and along the Ohio Valley, and the vast inundations we have lately been treated of along the great streams as that in Bolivar Co., Miss., with crevasses a third of a mile in width, flooding the beautiful town of Greenville more than a foot in depth, the water making its way across the pavements even into the stores. In some neighborhoods along the great river whole families are rendered homeless and destitute, their little savings of last year's crops being washed miles down the muddy waters—indeed, such flood occurring since 1851. Here our land is elevated, our soil firm, our grass not stable, and we can sit in our comfortable houses and laugh at the raging storms. We are not even troubled like some of our city neighbors by the passage of the Pool bill. Our occupations are too stable to be affected by such enactments. We are content to profit by the work of our horses and not by winnings on distant competing steeds.

Our railroad meeting was held at Glyndon lately with results already announced to you. We have no expectation but that soon our slumbers will be lightly disturbed by the whistles of the many trains passing along our Dover Valley, bringing us fairly within the suburbs of the city proper. To us this Baltimore is doing a good thing in requiring that the Union R. R. shall cross the streets above ground in thickly settled portions of the city, and it is to be hoped that the benefit of another portion of our county that the coming Belt R. R. will be required to do much of its work in an underground way.

An excellent thing for our State generally is the appointing by our Governor an Arbor day, which, if properly observed, will do much to compensate for the wholesale destruction of our forests, which is often the cause of disastrous floods permitting the too rapid shedding of water during protracted storms. It is to be hoped, too, that the effect will be to deter much of the destruction by belting and other means of our forest trees now standing, by inducing our farmers to cultivate to a more age of land and culture we fear it will be thoroughly. This is the secret of good farming in England and in the North. Canada did well in giving a start to this idea of Arbor day.—But Arbor day more especially refers to the planting of fruit and shade trees, and we leave the notice of fertilizer manufactures. Much wealth has thus been poured into the lap of South Carolina by her phosphate developments and into the pockets of the northern neck of Virginia by her fish manures. At one time it was unpleasant to ride along the roads of some of the eastern rivers of North Carolina, the fields on each side being covered inches deep with decaying refuse of fish caught in the Chowan and other rivers. Just as there is nothing like fish food to develop the brain, so we have the best results from spreading fish manure over the land. See how certain forms of guano some 30 years ago were filled with the bones and feathers of the wild fowl which bred upon and hovered about the Patagonian shores, showing the make up of the manure and see the immense fortunes made.

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Monkton Items.—Good Friday, which made its advent on the 4th inst., came in dark, gloomy and dreary, a fit emblem of mourning, and in keeping with the sad and memorable event of more than eighteen hundred years ago. However, the day of joy and gladness to every Christian heart because of a risen Savior, came in bright and beautiful, and the weather-man seemed to have been on his very best behavior for that day at least. The Rev. Edward Hays of Hereford Circuit, M. E. Church, preached very acceptably at the Monkton Church in the morning to a large congregation from Matthew, 28th chapter, 6th verse: "He is not here: for he is risen" &c. Fragrant flowers in full bloom were placed on the altar stand by the ladies, adding vastly to the beauty of the occasion.

A social gathering of the people of this vicinity was held at the parsonage of this village on last Friday night, 4th inst., which would have been attended by a very large crowd but for the wretched condition of the roads, which made it impossible for many from a distance to be present. The affair is highly spoken of. Among those that attended were: Mr. Samuel Bosley and wife, Mrs. Thomas Kauffman, Mrs. Samuel Miller, Misses E. A. Tipton, Hattie H. Miller, James Bacon, Katie Hutchins, Clara Hutchins, Hattie Young, Lizzie Winstanley, Grace Bosley, Mary Carrick and Mr. Frank Sparks, Mr. Clarence Bosley, Mr. Paul Edward, and others. Two or three hours were thus pleasantly spent in vocal and instrumental music, &c. An abundance of cake and other sweet things were on hand to fill up "vacancies" as they manifested themselves.—The company rose for a separation at about 11 o'clock, much please with their experience. Try it over.

Mr. Thomas J. Miller, of this place, who has three children buried at St. James' Cemetery, P. E. Church, "My Lady's Manor," had them taken up some time ago and restored and a handsome monument placed over their remains. The Rev. George K. Warner, Rector of the church, superintended the proper disposal of the work.

A musical and literary entertainment, under direction of Mr. Wm. R. Bishop, of Baltimore, will be held at the Monkton M. E. Church on Tuesday evening next, April 10th, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. The proceeds will be devoted for the benefit of the cemetery.

The Monkton and Hereford base ball teams played a friendly game at Piney Hill on Wednesday last, 7th inst. At the close of the game Hereford stood 24 to Monkton's 6. The Monkton fellows talk base ball very cautiously just now.

Mr. Charles W. Kay, a well-known engineer on the N. C. R. R., arrived here last Saturday night on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Nancy Kay, but his stay was short, as he had to leave again for Baltimore on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Bond, child and servant, of Baltimore, also arrived on last Sunday on a short visit to their parents, Mr. Samuel Miller.

Mrs. Eli Mathews, of this place, has been quite ill for some time. She is making some headway now toward recovery, but very slowly.

Mrs. Edward Bowley, near here, has been laid up. She is better, but not able to leave her room yet.

Lucy B., the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Winstanley, of this place, is critically ill at this time, and grave doubts are entertained of her recovery.

Mrs. Nicholas Miller is visiting among relatives and friends at Ashland, Alabama.

Miss Hessie Young is having a good time among friends in Baltimore and other places.

Mrs. Mary A. Mitzell, who has been a resident of this place for a number of years, has moved to Seitland, York county, Pa., her former home. Mrs. Mitzell's husband died here about three years ago.

Several of our farmers have commenced sowing oats, and everything else in the farming way would only take a turn for the better and stay so for awhile farm work could then go on uninterruptedly. J. F. H.

Shane News.—The farmers in this section are busily engaged in plowing for corn and oats. Mr. Reuben McCullough was the first to get oats in.

On March 28th the house and contents belonging to Thomas Cordery were destroyed by fire. The fire was discovered about 9 o'clock at night. All their meat was burned. Cordery and his wife are aged, and no one living with them but a boy about 10 years of age.

Mrs. Mary Hulshart, an aged lady, died on the 31st ult. and was buried on the 2d inst. The interment took place from West Liberty, the Rev. Mr. Roberts and the Rev. Mr. Wrightson officiating.—Messrs. Arthur & O'Keefe were the undertakers. The pall-bearers were—H. S. Wright, J. Kirkwood, E. S. Miller, S. Tyson, E. Wilson and M. McGinness.

A little child of Mr. Wm. McCann after dinner went out with the other children to play. Its mother went out shortly afterwards to bring it in, and as she lifted it up into her arms she did not notice anything wrong with it, but it died before she got into the house. The child was about one year old, and was buried at Dry Branch on the 4th inst., the pall-bearers being four little girls.

The dwelling house owned and occupied by Mr. Oliver Low near this place was destroyed by fire on Sunday night, 9th inst. All the contents were saved. It was covered by insurance.

Mr. Jacob Hilldrup, of this place, has purchased a small farm in York county, where he intends moving in a few days.

Mr Samuel Billingsly, who has been under the weather for some time, is out as brisk and lively as ever.

The Rev. Mr. Wrightson, junior preacher of Parkton Circuit, preached his first sermon at West Liberty on the 6th inst. to a large congregation.

WEATHER IN MARCH.

1. Cold; clear.
2. Cloudy and cold.
3. Clear; coldest day.
4. Clear and cool.
5. Snow in morning and evening.
6. Snow in morning; clear and cold in evening.
7. Cloudy and cold.
8. Clear and cold.
9. Cool but pleasant.
10. Cool and cloudy.
11. Warm rain.
12. Very warm.
13. Warm, with rain in evening.
14. Rain all day.
15. Snow in morning; clear and cold at night.
16. Cold, with snow squalls.
17. Cloudy and cold.
18. Clear and cool.
19. Snow in morning; clear and cool in evening.
20. Clear and cool.
21. Rain in morning; clear, warm evening.
22. Heavy rain and warm.
23. Cool and windy.
24. Clear and cool.
25. Cloudy; rain at night.
26. Cool and windy.
27. Warm, with rain at night.
28. Warm rain showers.
29. Cool; windy; snow squalls.
30. Cool and windy.
31. Cool, with snow and rain. S. M.

Perry Hall News.—The Special Committee, Messrs H. A. Bachtel, Levi Ferguson, Abram France, appointed by Mr. Anthony Bult, President German Permanent Building Association No. 2, to examine the books of the Secretary, Treasurer and Comptroller, met Wednesday afternoon, 9th inst., and found the same correct and declared a semi annual dividend of 3½ per cent. on a basis of $29 000.

Albert, the eldest son of Mr. V. B. Rittenhouse, having completed his first year at Sadtler's Commercial College in Baltimore, has returned to his paternal fireside, bearing with him evidence of close application and gentlemanly deportment.

Mr. A. Lohr, our genial mail carrier, was imposed upon by a sharper in the city, who sold him what he pretended to be a well disposed horse, but which proved to be a complete relic of the past, and kicked until he demolished his new wagon.—The wreck was brought to Perry Hall by Mr. Edward Bell.

Mr. J. Burgan is suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. at Robinson's Hall, Cowenton, was a decided success. Cowenton will be a very dry place in the near future, as the saloons now in operation will close in the near future the result of moral sentiment, with a liberal supply of high license.

Highlandtown Notes.—The services at the M. E. Chapel on Easter Sunday were conducted principally by Rev. Z. T. Brantner. In the morning the Sunday School scholars received from him colored eggs and beautiful Easter cards. They also sang many beautiful Easter hymns. Rev. John Davis preached at night, after which an Easter piece called "Christ is Risen To-day," was sung by Miss Mollie Brice and Messrs Brantner and Bruce. The flowers used in decorating the church was kindly loaned by our enterprising florist, Henry Frederick.

On Easter Monday the Maryland Gunning Club and Benjies Club met on the Philadelphia Road for a clay-pigeon match. The Benjies beat the Maryland by one bird, but that one bird was enough to make the Marylanders angry and the Benjies happy.

A crowd of our sporting men, among whom were ex-Treasurer George W. Duncan, Squire Hevern, Charles Kollhepp, Wm. C. Fink, John Gegner, Alex. Hughes and others, went to Marshy Point on a ducking expedition on Easter Monday. They returned Tuesday morning very much tired out, after killing 190 ducks. It is very doubtful whether any ducks remain after such successful sport. L.

Glyndon News.—The annual meeting of the Glyndon Permanent Building Association was held on last Saturday evening, 5th inst., and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—J. Smith Orrick.
Vice President—Wm. T. Burns.
Secretary—T. Reese Arnold.
Treasurer—Wm. T. Haughey.
Attorney—Edw. N. Rich.
Directors—John T. Ensor, John T. Marshall, Jr., J. M. Seymour, J. T. Whitle, Patrick Dyer, Henry Davis, F. D. Orrick.

The Association is in a flourishing condition and has been a benefit to the town and community in many ways.

Walter Penn and Bartley Mettam are quite ill with pneumonia; also the little daughter of Mr. Jacob D. Geist.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Townsend are spending the Easter holidays in Richmond, Va.

The P. E. sunday School held a special service on Easter night. Revs. Dr. A. J. Rich and Dr. G. Trapler made interesting addresses.

Miss Fannie Gill is quite ill.

Black Horse Items.—Benj. Williams, colored, died on Friday, 4th inst. He was buried on Sunday, 6th inst., at Union Chapel.

Last Sunday being Easter it was a very pleasant day. Easter services were held in all of the churches.

Mr. Benj. Palmer has had for several days past a very sick child. It is better at this writing. Dr. Price is in attendance.

Mr. Thomas Turner is erecting a new fence around Wesley Chapel graveyard.

Rev. Thomas Henderson, of Black Horse, has purchased a fine 2-year-old Harry Arlington colt.

The Mite Society of McKendree M. E. Church met on last Thursday night at the residence of Mrs. Hall Hildt. A large turnout of members was present and a good time had.

On last Thursday night, 3d inst., the members of McKendree M. E. Church proceeded to the parsonage of Rev. T. E. Peters and presented him with many good and substantial things of life. H.

PERSONAL.

Among Collector Marine's visitors on Monday was Judge Fowler, of the Court of Appeals.

Collector Marine was the recipient of an Easter egg on Easter Monday, laid right square on his table before his eyes. The egg was prodigious in size and somewhat surprised the amiable Collector.

Among the young Misses who attended the Bal Poudre at Lehman's Hall, Baltimore, on Easter Monday night, given by Talbott Smith and Rese Cassard, was Miss Florence Ensor, of Towson, who appeared in yellow silk with roses. The Bal was composed of young gentlemen and young ladies yet in their teens.

Capt. James Hall, formerly a citizen of the 7th District, Baltimore county, but for several years past a Committee Clerk in the First Branch of the Baltimore City Council, now lies seriously ill at the residence of his son, Mr. E. Quincey Hall, Baltimore. The Captain is suffering from a general decay of the physical powers.

The health of Rev. Dwight E. Lyman, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Govanstown, Baltimore county, is failing somewhat and Rev Theodore T. Mead will assist him in his ministerial duties.

Baptist Services.—Baptist Mission of Towson meets in the Prohibition Tabernacle every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock; preaching by the city pastors. Rev. A. C. Dixon will preach next Tuesday evening, 15th inst. The Sunday School meets at 2 P. M. and preaching at 4 o'clock.

OBITUARY.

William Galloway.

William Galloway, who was in the service of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for over half a century as a locomotive engineer, and was about the oldest engineer in the world, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Rachel Hardy, 883 Mt. Henry street, Baltimore, on the 7th inst. from apoplexy, aged 81 years.

Mr. Galloway had been in his usual health, and on Sunday afternoon took a short walk on the Washington road. He returned in the evening to the house of his daughter. At 1.30 Monday morning he was taken sick, and within a few minutes expired. Mr. Galloway's life is one full of interesting incidents, and well worth being recorded.—He was born in Baltimore county, September 25th, 1809. He was of English descent, his father having emigrated from the mother country. Mr. Galloway was connected with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for 54 years.

He began his railroading career January 23d, 1833, at the age of 24, as car despatcher at Mount Clare Station, when horse cars were run over the rails and before the iron horse had appeared to revolutionize travel. The present depot on Camden street had not then been erected and Baltimore's population did not reach 100,000. The land west of Eutaw street was nothing but forests and farms. After serving for some time as a dispatcher, Mr. Galloway commenced driving one of the old-time double deck cars of the B. and O. from Baltimore to Ellicott City. When locomotives were introduced he succeed horses he took charge of the first engine ever made. The run was from Baltimore to Ellicott City, and the locomotive was a "crab" engine it is now at the Mount Clare Shops. Afterwards, when the B. & O. completed its tracks from Washington to Baltimore, this venerable knight of the throttle was put in charge of Lafayette engine No. 13, and commenced making regular trips to the National Capital, and from that time until he retired he was continuously employed on the road, almost continuously ran on the Washington Branch.

Mr. Galloway ran between Baltimore and Washington for 45 years. During this time he made 38,272 trips. Each trip being 40 miles in length, he travelled over 1,530,880 miles. He is credited with having but two accidents occur while in the engine cab. Both were rather singular and nobody was hurt. A cow got on the track in front of his engine at Elkridge Landing in 1857. The engine was thrown from the track, turned upside down into a ditch and Mr. Galloway went with it. At the foot of Eutaw street, in 1863, his engine was thrown from the track, but the train was not injured.

It is also said of Mr Galloway that he never ran over anything alive, except the cow before mentioned. On December 7th, 1882, Mr. Galloway lost his wife, who had been his companion for over 49 years. In his 54 years of active service he had never been sick and always made his trip, with the exception of four times, when something went wrong with his engine, and the road had to be given to the next train.

Mr. Galloway had twelve children, six boys and six girls. Ten of them are yet living. One son is a conductor on the Baltimore and Ohio, and another is the "hoss" of a machine shop in Baltimore. He has a grandson a brakeman on the B. & O. and one in the office of D. F. Maroney, Superintendent of Car Service. The old gentleman was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church but his people are Episcopalians. For many years he belonged to Scott Street Church.

Mr. Galloway was sent to the Chicago Railway Exhibition in 1883 along with the noted "crab" engine, by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, and the two venerable relics of the infancy of engineering attracted much attention.

In 1887 he was retired from the service on a pension, and since then has been staying at his daughter's house on McHenry street. In figure he was compactly built, rather thin and short, with a bright eye, light step and a pleasant voice.

In his boyhood days Mr. Galloway was a companion of the late John W. Garrett and played with him in the Garrett store on N. Howard street. Last September, in the Exposition parade, he appeared on one of the B. & O. Driving the antique double deck horse car which he drove across the hills of Western Maryland half a century before.—He was highly esteemed by the officers of the Company.

John Williams.

John Williams, Secretary to the Powhatan Manufacturing Company at Powhatan, 24 District, died suddenly of heart disease on the 10th inst. He had retired to bed apparently well at 10 o'clock, and shortly after was attacked with heart disease and died immediately. He was about 60 years of age, a gentleman. Some few years since he was a member of the Democratic Executive Committe for the 24 District. He took a warm interest in politics, but never held office.

He Returned to Jail.—Out of the batch of tramps who were sent to the House of Correction by the Justices, one, alias William, Miller was discharged because it was shown that he had at one time worked with Mr. Balls, the butcher at Govanstown. The same afternoon Miller went back to Govanstown for release from jail, and had filled up by some means with "tangle-foot" and proceeded to liven up public highways, when Officer R. F. Cole, who is ever on the lookout for disorderly characters, pounced on Miller and locked the innocent Herman B. L. Everding who committed him to jail in default of payment of fine and costs for being drunk and disorderly. Miller was landed again in jail by Officer Cole, and later on Sheriff Johnson appeared before the Justice and made complaint that Miller had assaulted her. She stated that he had forced his way into her house and that she pushed him out and on his return to her house she used a stick to keep him off, whereupon that she cut his scalp clean through his hat. Deputy Sheriff George C. Tracy took Miller down to Govanstown before Justice Everding under the warrant sworn out by Susan Johnson, who charged him with attempting an indecent assault upon her. Miller was again committed to jail in default of security to answer the charge before the Grand Jury. This shows that it is a mistake always to turn out the poor tramps to prey upon the community, and a year in the House of Correction would prove a wonderful incentive to mend their ways when they served out their sentence.

Arrest of Tramps.—On Saturday night, 5th inst., Officer Wm. H. Murray, of Towson, arrested seven tramps, who had assembled in the empty house on the Seventeenth Regiment Armory, in Towson, 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.

John I. Yellott and John F. Gontrum, Attorneys, Towson.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A VALUABLE Residence Property —NEAR THE— RELAY HOUSE, IN BALTIMORE COUNTY.

By virtue of a decree passed by the Circuit Court for Baltimore County, in a case wherein the Real Estate and Improvement Company of Baltimore City is complainant and Robert Graham and others are defendants, the undersigned, Trustees, will sell at Public Sale, at the Court House, in Towson, on *Tuesday, the 15th day of April, 1890,* At 12 o'clock M., THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

Beginning for the same on the west side of Catonsville Avenue at the S. E. corner of the lot of Reynold James McDonald to John S. Reese, in 1884, and running thence south 47¾ degrees west bounding on said avenue 70 feet to lot No. 1 of the three lots laid off by A. C. Rodgers, May 3d 1879; thence north 52¾ degrees west bounding on said lot No. 1 175 feet; thence north 47¾ degrees east parallel to said avenue seventy feet to the lot conveyed to John S. Reese as aforesaid, and thence south 52¾ degrees east binding on said lot 175 feet to the beginning, it being the lot of ground conveyed in fee by James McDonald, Sr., to Robert Graham, by deed dated February 2d, 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, and is the property being the same now occupied by Robert Graham.

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