Maryland Journal

TOWSON, MD.

Saturday, November 1, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

SALES TO TAKE PLACE.

Wednesday, November 5th.—Geo. W. Stockdale, auctioneer, C. C. Rhodes, attorney; in Worthington Valley on the Mary R. Johnson farm, near St. John's Church: horses, cows, hogs, farming implements, hay, corn, &c.

Thursday, November 6th.—R. J. White, auctioneer for Caleb C. Burton; near Greenwood, in the 8th District: horses, colts, cows, heifers, shoats, chickens, harness, farming implements, &c.

Saturday, November 8th.—Matthews & Kirkland, auctioneers. D. G. McIntosh, attorney, John H. Fowler, trustee; at the Exchange Salesrooms, in Baltimore: 135 acres of land, divided into lots, with frame mansion, six cottages, &c., on Wilkens avenue, one-half mile from Baltimore.

AMUSEMENTS.

Harris' Academy of Music—Week of November 3d, "Castles in the Air."—We take pleasure in announcing the engagement in Baltimore of the De Wolf Hopper Opera Company at Harris' Academy of Music, beginning Monday 3d, with matinees Thursday and Saturday afternoons. The appearance here of this eminent organization will be one of the most important events in the theatrical season. "Castles in the Air" enjoyed a run of 112 nights at the Broadway Theatre, New York, and will be produced in Baltimore with the original cast, and all the magnificent scenery which made the piece so attractive in New York. It has been well said by an eminent critic that "the music in 'Castles in the Air' tickles the ear and sets one's head and feet in perpetual motion, while the comedy element in the hands of Mr. Hopper and his associates is so excruciatingly droll that the veriest stoic must laugh in spite of himself."

Ford's Grand Opera House.—Week of November 3d, the Boston Howard Athenæum Company.—That clever organization known as The Boston Howard Athenæum Company will make their appearance at Ford's Grand Opera House during the week of November 3d. They have been enthusiastically received everywhere they have appeared this season. Their performance is such as will suit and please the most fastidious. The Company has been somewhat changed since last season, and some exceedingly clever persons have taken the places of the performers who have left it conquevalit still remains. Some of the most prominent artists are—Frank Polaski brothers, Arthur Forrest, Dutch Daly, Bob Slavin, the Bolssett troupe, Miss Belle Black, the beautiful and charming comedienne; Miss Kate Davis, with her wonderful vocal imitations, etc. Matinees—Wednesday and Saturday.

Nov. 10th—Local.

A Happy Bridal Party.—Monday, 25th ult., the routine of Mt. St. Agnes Collegiate Institute was most agreeably broken by a visit from one of the former graduates of the college, who, as a bride, came to visit her scholastic home. Miss Bettie Belle Atkinson was one of the most accomplished young ladies who within the last twenty-five years, bore away the graduating honors of Mt. St. Agnes College, nor were Miss Atkinson's personal charms inferior to her accomplishments—A few weeks before she spent two years in Cuba, and upon her return to her native Virginia she met and became engaged to Mr. Wm. T. Coulehan, of Cumberland, Md., and on Wednesday, October 15th, they were married in nuptial mass at the Catholic Church, Front Royal, the wedding taking place from the home of the sister of the bride, at the above named place. The happy couple left for a tour North, and were on their return home when they visited "The Convent." Here they were entertained by the former teachers of the bride, an elegant supper being served in the Convent to the bridal party. The bride wore a handsome traveling suit of plum-colored cloth, with plum-colored trimmed in ostrich plumes to match, and looked fairer, if possible, than when as a school girl a few years before, crowned with her graduating honors, she bade a last farewell to Mt. St. Agnes. We cannot more highly compliment the happy groom than by asserting that he is considered by those who know him best to be worthy the possession of the fair prize he has transplanted from the beautiful valley of the Shenandoah. Mrs. Coulehan, whose father, the late Robert Atkinson, was an English gentleman of high social standing, is a niece of Rev. Mother Alphonsus Atkinson, Mother Superior of the Maryland Sisters of Mercy, and the groom is a brother to Sister Mary Antonia.

Suicide Near Catonsville.—On Monday afternoon, 27th ult., the body of a man was found in Armiger's woods, near Catonsville, by Mr. W. A. Wilson and two boys, Paul Coskery and Richmond Spears, which proved to be the corps of Mr. John Scheidle, who had committed suicide by shooting himself with a gun.

Justice Albert Smith, of Catonsville, was notified and held an inquest on the remains. The jury rendered a verdict of suicide.

The deceased started out Monday morning to go gunning, and in the afternoon his body was found seated against the trunk of a tree, the barrel of the gun grasped in his left hand. The right hand appeared to have dropped to his side after it had pulled the trigger. The gun must have been overloaded, for over the head of the dead man the branches of the trees were torn and shattered by the shot after it passed through his head. By his side on the ground lay a piece of paper, on the back of which was scribbled in German: "John Scheidle, born March 12th, 1812, 79 years old. I will shoot myself dead." No reason can be assigned for the deed. Scheidle lived with his son, Henry Scheidle, and had a comfortable home. For nearly thirty years he lived at Catonsville, and during the winter he had charge of many of the country residences as overseer.

His remains were interred in the cemetery of Salem German Lutheran Church, Rev. H. Eberling officiating.

The Wheelmen at Sparrow Point.—On Sunday last 26th ult. the Maryland Division of the American League of Wheelmen took a spin to Sparrow Point. They started in line from Druid Hill Park, with Chief Consul Albert Mott at the head, there being 105 wheels in line. They made the run in two and a half hours. They were shown through the works, and after a good dinner started on the return trip. As they came in the Shell Road at a rattling pace, in regular parade, they presented a fine sight, and attracted much attention from persons who were taking a Sunday afternoon drive. The run was given as an experiment, and every League cycler in the State was entitled to have a place in line. The Maryland, Baltimore, Chesapeake and Centaur Clubs, of Baltimore, and the Viator Cycle Club, of Relay Station, were represented. The Centaur Club had thirty-seven men among the paraders.

The Motor on the York Road.—On Sunday afternoon last, 26th ult., the new motor, of the Rapid Transit Company of Baltimore, which has been operating on the York Road Railroad, for a week or two past, was again out on a trial trip, running between the stables and the switch at Govanstown. It hauled the car filled with passengers up and down the road, and seemed to act pretty well. A slight defect in a belt at times caused the motor to go slow, but this has been remedied. The trips between the points named were made in from 6 to 8 minutes, including stops. If a steel rail and a good ballasted track were provided, there is no doubt the motor would ascend all the grades on the road with ease and be a success. Mr. Nelson Perin, the President of the road is carefully observing the operations of the motor. He gives no indication of what he will do.

Rowdyism on a York Road Car.—On Tuesday night 28th ult. as Jean Counters, a driver on a York Road car, was passing Greenmount Gate, in the city limits, four young men got on the car and refused to pay their fare. He left his horses and went to them, but they refused to pay him. At that moment George Myers, an agent of the Company, came to the relief of the driver and put two of the men off the car. In the scuffle one of them struck Mr. Myers in the mouth. Whilst the driver and Mr. Myers were struggling with two, one of the others went to the driver's cash box and took out $1. The parties all managed to make their escape. It looks as though robbery was the object in getting upon the car.

The Elkridge Club at Sherwood.—On Saturday last 25th ult. the Elkridge Fox Hunting Club had a meet at Sherwood, and a drag hunt was laid out over a pretty stiff piece of country. It led in a semicircle around the country west of Sherwood to the Falls Road, Ruxton, and then eastward towards the York Road. The finish was near The Kennels on Charles Street Avenue. All the starters were in at the death, as follows—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whistler, Prof. Henry Rowland, Gerard Hopkins, Jacob Ulman, Eugene Levering, Miss Laura Merryman, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. S. Jackson, Miss Lulu Merryman, Isaac Tyson, Richard Pleasants, Jr., James McK. Merryman.

A Lecture on the Passion Play.—The Very Rev. Dwight E. Lyman, R.D., pastor of St. Mary's Church, Govanstown, will deliver a lecture in the church on to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at 3 30 o'clock on the "Passion Play." It is almost needless to add that from the well known eloquence and descriptive powers of the Rev. Father Lyman a rare intellectual treat will be enjoyed by those who attend. The lecture is given for the benefit of the parochial school. Father Lyman witnessed the Passion Play at Oberamergau several years since.

Another Effort at Habeas Corpus.—Michael T. Dorsey, who is serving a sentence in Towson Jail for selling liquor without license at Sparrow Point, was taken to Annapolis on Monday, 27th ult., by Sheriff Charles J. Beckley under a writ of habeas corpus before Judge Oliver Miller. Dorsey was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and costs, and the Court afterwards reduced the fine to $300 and an imprisonment of five months. His counsel contend that this change of sentence was illegal.

Neighborhood Improvement Association Meeting.—There will be a meeting of the Neighborhood Improvement Association No. 1, Joshua Horner, Jr., President: H. C. Turnbull, Jr., Secretary, held in the Court House, at Towson, on Tuesday night next, 6th inst., at 8 o'clock. Every citizen within the radius of the territory of the Association ought to attend the meeting, as affairs of importance to every tax-payer in the District will be submitted to the meeting.

Women as Lay Delegates.—An election took place in the Towson M. E. Church on Wednesday night, 28th ult., whether women shall be admitted at lay delegates in the General Conference of the M. E. Church. There were 96 persons eligible to a vote, 41 of whom were present, the vote standing 28 for admission and 18 against.

Towson P. O.—The following letters remaining in the Towson Post Office will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, at Washington, if not called for:—Samuel M. Anderson, Cynis Eaton, W. Fiba, Mrs. Francis Morgan, Miss Julia Garrick, John Kearney, James Ramsey.

Had Better Have Observed the Law.—John Murphy, who keeps a saloon on the Falls Road, in the city limits, was found guilty of a violation of the high license law by keeping a side-entrance, and was fined $100 and costs, which he paid.

A Note for Advertisers.—There is no necessity for arguing the question of whether advertising pays or not. If you think it don't, take in your signs and pull down the blinds. Keep quiet—the goose may lay a golden egg in your woodshed!

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING AT TOWSON.

On Wednesday night, 29th ult., the Court House was filled with an audience, many of whom were ladies, who listened with the utmost attention to the speakers at the Democratic Mass Meeting held under the auspices of the Cleveland Tariff Reform Club of Baltimore county.

The meeting was called to order by the Hon. J. Fred C. Talbott, as a member of the State Central Committee, and the following list of officers were elected by acclamation:

President.—Washington Stevenson.

Vice Presidents.—John W. Shacklin, Edward S. Peerce, Frodk. von Kapff, Dr. G. M. Bosley, H. C. Turnbull, Jr., Wm. S. Cowley.

Secretary.—S. C. Temay.

Hon. J. Fred C. Talbott, in calling the meeting to order said there was no doubt but that the next Democratic National Convention would accord the nomination for the Presidency to that fearless man and staunch Democrat, Grover Cleveland. [Cheers.]

Mr. Stevenson then introduced the Hon. Herman Stump, present member of Congress for the Second Congressional District and the present nominee, who made an effective speech on the tariff tax. He said:

Ladies and Gentleman:—Two years ago I had the honor of addressing you on the vital subjects of the hour and you accorded me a hearing, and Baltimore county gave me a large majority for the Democratic ticket, and I feel that I am going to receive a majority in Baltimore county that will be beyond cavil, and for which I shall ever esteem and honor the Democracy of Baltimore county. It is a wise provision of the government established by our forefathers that this is a government established of the people, by the people, and for the people, who alone shall govern it, and it is beyond question one of the wisest of its provisions that its elective officers should have to return to the people for an election after having served a short term, for then only can the people call upon them in the light of their service. And I say to you that many members of the Republican party after the 4th of next November will find the seal of condemnation put upon their nefarious acts by the people who sent them to Congress to legislate for the public good and not for the gigantic trusts and monopolies, and Quay and Dudley and Carnegie and Wanamaker and others who are now profiting by the vicious legislation rushed through under the autocratic dictatorship of speaker Reed, who, when it was necessary to have a quorum, did not hesitate to count the coat and umbrella of a Democrat if it was hanging on the rack in the cloakroom as a member. It was under such infamous rulings as this that all this burdensome tax was laid upon the people to pay back the robber barons for the money contributed to defeat Grover Cleveland. [Cheers for Cleveland.]

Mr. Stump spoke at considerable length on the tariff question and its relation to labor, which our limited space we are not able to give.

Hon. A. S. Ort was next introduced and he held the audience for nearly two hours in lucid explanation of the tariff question, going back to the time of the Moorish and Algerine pirates in the island of Tariffe, who first exacted tribute from passing vessels and became so bold and heavy in their exactions that they became powerful and until they were crushed out by a combination of Christian nations. And now another horde of pirates in the shape of 150,000 manufactures who contributed to the spoils which defeated Grover Cleveland, have combined and laid tribute upon over 60,000,000 of the American people and get back with treble interest the boodle put in the hands of Wanamaker, Quay, Dudley and others.

He showed the differences in the tariff tax from 1789, when it was 8½ per cent. to the year 1812, when the war with Great Britain compelled a tax to be levied to meet the expenses of that war, and the tariff tax was raised to 16½ per cent., in 1817 to 24 per cent., in 1824 to 32½ per cent., in 1828 to 43½ per cent., and that taxation created so much antagonism and such a furor throughout the entire country that it led the cry of nullification, and there was a new tariff tax act passed in 1842 reducing the tax to 20 per cent. and the Walker tariff tax bill passed in 1846 maintained the rate at about 20 per cent., and from that time until the year 1861 it is a matter of history that was the most prosperous period in the annuals of the country, and Mr. James G. Blaine admits that in his work "Twenty Years in Congress." During that time we waged a heavy and expensive war with Mexico at a cost of $16,000,000, paid Mexico $15,000,000, under the treaty of Gaudoloupe acquired Louisiana, and California and labor was well paid and prices were on an economical basis. My friend, Mr. Talbott suggests, that a Republican administration acquired Alaska. Tis true that I forgot we paid $5,000,000 for several miles of ice-bergs, and the only account it has been is to create a gigantic trust and monopoly in the fur seal fisheries owned by a few men. Baltimore clippers sailed over the known world and the commerce of every clime was found in our ports. Now where is that shipping to-day, and how stands Baltimore; why it is scarcely known in foreign marts. Then it was that the sound Democratic doctrine of no money collected beyond the actual necessities of the Government and the Government was economically administered and the era of prosperity was highest. The great maxim of the Democratic party is justice to all and favoritism to none.

In 1862 there came a great change, and war broke upon the land, and under the stress of the burden of an expensive war, when the expenditures reached $3,000,000 per day, of which $1,000,000 was for actual, and the other $2,000,000 found its way into the pockets of contractors, speculators, &c. Justin S. Morrill, in the Senate, and Thaddeus Stevens, in the House, introduced the Morrill Tariff Tax bill upon trade and commerce and everything else that could be reached from the cradle of the infant to the coffin of the aged dead, when a manate his breakfast on a taxed plate, with a taxed knife and fork, and drank out of a taxed cup, and to even up this tax on the merchants and manufacturer a tax was then laid on imports under the most solemn promises that when the exigencies passed away the tax should be wiped out, but was it, ah! no! A few leeches found it enabled them to bleed the multitude and they organized and fought to maintain these war taxes, and now these same leeches wish to add to the burdens, and they propose to raise tax even higher than it was considered necessary during the war. To do this Republican partisanship and dastardly act they throttled debate and stifled the action of the Members of Congress who were opposed to the iniquitous measure. Like Solomon of old, who, in his gorgeous and lavish expenditure, weighed down his people with taxes until they cried out in very anguish for relief, so are the people of the country now sore oppressed. The Morrill tax for war purposes was 48 per cent., and now this Republican party propose to add to the burden, and have increased the tax to 61 per cent. 'Twas just such acts as this that led to the French revolution, and the grinding acts of the task masters is even now putting a burden of taxation upon them greater than they can bear, and to prepare for this discontent and to perpetuate their power the Republican party brought up the Lodge Force Bill, and it has its business end. But the cloud has rent in twain in the West, and the ray of sunshine will sweep this black beseem of destruction out of the path of the people. The people of Baltimore county have but to be true to themselves, and the majority piled up for the Hon. Herman Stump will be larger than ever.

Mr. Knott spoke in rapid strain for fully two hours, and his able and lucid explanation of the tariff tax was favorably commented upon by all those who had the good fortune to hear him.

The front portico of the Court House was decked with a high banner lettered by Mr. Charles E. Bowen, of Towson, bearing the inscription, "Death to McKinley and the Lodge Force Bill!" In the rear of the Judges' seats in the Court Room, where the orators made their speeches, another large banner bore the inscription "Cleveland and Tariff Reform!"

Prof. Burgoyne's Towson Band, with their musical proficiency for which it is duly celebrated, enlivened the occasion with music.

Mr. R. R. Boarman entertained both the speakers at his house. Both gentlemen were warmly congratulated by prominent citizens for the able and dispassionate manner in which they spoke upon the issue of the hour.

A Question of Registration.—The case of Mr. William M. Isaac, whose name had been stricken from the Registration Books of the 2d Election District appeared before his Honor, Judge Burke, on the 30th ult., on the following petition filed by Mr. Isaac in the case:

WM M. ISAAC vs. HENRY B. FRYFOGLE, Register of Baltimore County Voters.

John W. Shanklin, Esq., Clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County:

To the Hon. the Judges of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County:

The petition of William M. Isaac respectfully represents, that he is a native of the State of Maryland and a resident therein all his life; that on or about the 1st day of May, 1861 he removed from Howard county to the Second District of Baltimore county, where he has since had his home up a permanent residence and has ever since voted, and which permanent residence he has never abandoned. That Henry B. Fryfogle, Register of Voters for the 2d Election District of Baltimore county, did, at his sitting as such Register on October 3, 1890, unlawfully strike the name of your petioner from the list of qualified Registered votes of said District, and did at his sitting on October 20th, 1890, unlawfully refuse to insert your petitioner's name on said Registration lists, although requested to do so by your petitioner in person while sitting as such Register. He avers that by such action of said Register he has suffered an injury which he has no means of having corrected save through the medium of an application to your Honorable Court. He therefore prays the Court to pass an order directing and requiring said Register of Voters to replace the name of your petioner on the list of qualified Registered Voters of the 2d Election District of Baltimore county. He appends thereto two notices of said Register which were received by your petioner and addressed to him through the mails, one showing the action of the Register in striking the name of your petioner from said list, the other is supposed to be a copy of entries on the registration book of said District.

Mr. Fryfogle made answer that he had stricken the name from the list in the belief that Mr. Isaac had moved from the 2d into the 6th District.

Mr. Isaac appeared in his own behalf and testified that he had a furnished dwelling in the 2d District, which he had at different times occupied and that the house in Towson was advertised for sale and if sold he would undoubtedly move back into the District permanently.

Mr. F. I. Duncan, the State's Attorney appeared as counsel for the Register of Voters and made but a short argument on the case, and Mr. Isaac replied.

Judge Burke in delivering his opinion said: "As the time for the reinstatement of the name on the books is so limited I cannot give that formal opinion in the case which I would like to and so will decide it at once. The Court of Appeals in a recent decision has laid down an opinion which harmonizes all the meanings on the question and intent of residence, and under that opinion this question is quite plain. This is no question of a man having moved out of the State, is within the State, and the word residence in this connection cannot be taken in the actual and physical sense but in all its intents. Mr. Isaac having been properly and lawfully registered in the 2d District in 1861, and having property in the District, and having an interest in the affairs of the District, and bearing his share of the public burden of taxation, and being interested in the welfare of the District, he certainly is to all intents and purposes resident of the District, and that as he has always maintained his determination to retain his residence there, he certainly is entitled to remain upon the books of that District as a qualified registered voter, and the Court in accordance therewith passed an order reinstating Mr. Isaac's name upon the registration.

Upon the decision of the Court Mr. Duncan, the State's Attorney consented also to have an order passed reinstating the name of Mr. J. Dickson O'Dell upon the books of the 2d District.

Washington County Branch, (B. & O.) Railroad.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington county branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, held at Hagerstown, on the 27th, the following were elected as the officers for the ensuing year:

President.—C. K. Lord.

Secretary and Treasurer.—F. M. Hildebrandt.

Directors.—William F. Byrne, C. K. Lord, W. S. Kennedy, Edward W. Mealey, J. A. Miller, J. W. Stonebraker and John H. Fowler.

The report of the Directors shows that the earnings for 1889 and 1890 were $122,739.99 and the expenses for the same period were $194,014.73, leaving a deficit of $71,274.68, which is accounted for by the extraordinary expenses incurred in making additional terminal facilities at Hagerstown, costing over $10,000.

Ashland Presbyterian Church.—There will be services at Ashland Presbyterian Church on the 2d inst. at 3 P. M. by the pastor of Chesnut Grove Church. Sunday School at 2 P. M.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Hood, formerly of Baltimore, but for several years past a resident of Philadelphia, celebrated their "silver wedding" at their residence, 1724 South Fifteenth street, on Thursday 30th ult. Mr. Hood is one of the best known artists in the country, and was for several years upon the editorial staff of the Baltimore *Sun*. He is now upon the editorial staff of the *Record*.

Mr. John A. Smith, of Reisterstown, who has been in the Cumberland Valley, Tennessee, on a railroad contract, has returned home for a short visit.

A. Davidson Hook, son of Mr. R. Edwin Hook, (recently Equity Clerk in the Clerk's Office, Towson,) of Owings' Mills, and his cousin, Frederick A Davidson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., have joined the U. S. School Ship St. Mary, stationed at New York. The ship will make a trip in the spring to Lisbon, thence to Gibraltar, the Mediterranean Sea, Maderia, New London, and return home.

There is an unusual flutter among the fair damsels of "My Lady's Manor" over the wedding of Miss Lossie A. Pearce, daughter of Mr. Jacob M. Pearce, and Mr. Marcus Denison, which is fixed for Wednesday 12th inst. The ceremony will take place at St. James P. E. Church, Rev. Geo. K. Warner officiating, assisted by the Rev. Dr. A. J. Rich, Dean of the Convocation. There will be six bridesmaids as follows—Misses Ida C. Holmes, Grace Purnell, Jane Dubarry, Bess Holmes, Louise Dubarry, Zoe V. Armstrong. The best man will be David Denison; the ushers—Charles Ridgely, Harry Pearce, Benjamin Williams and Marcus Russell, of Troy, New York.

It is stated that Misses Rebecca and Charlotte Williams will spend the coming winter in Europe.

Mr. O. F. Breese has returned to Baltimore after a pleasant summer spent at his country place at Catonsville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Albert have decided to spend the coming winter at Catonsville.

Miss Michie, of Washington, will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John S. Gittings, in Baltimore during the coming winter.

Col. Wm. Norris, of Pikesville, on the 28th ult. entertained the officers and members of the Confederate Home at Pikesville, Baltimore, with a handsome dinner. Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, Wm. H. Fitzgerald, August Simon and James R. Wheeler accompanied the old soldiers. Col. Norris was the Chief Signal Officer of the Army of Northern Virginia, C. S. A., during the war, and is the author of a valuable and interesting pamphlet which gives a graphic description of the naval battle between the Confederate ironclad Virginia and the U. S. gunboat "Monitor," in Hampton Roads in 1862.

Miss Sara Ruby, of Chambersburg, Pa., after a pleasant sojourn of three months spent among relatives and friends in Towson, returned home on Tuesday, 28th ult.

Mrs. John Swan and Miss Nellie Swan are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Glimor, at "Summerfield," M. C. R. R.

The marriage of Mr. W. S. G. Williams and Miss Belle Deford it is stated has been fixed for the 12th of November.

Dr. R. R. Maynard, of the 3d District, after a pleasant summer's sojourn at Oakland, Md., has returned to Arlington, his Baltimore county home.

Miss Jennie Moores, of Glencoe, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Moores, of Towson, for the past two weeks.

Mr. S. N. Hyde and family, of Long Green Valley, on Friday last 24th ult. moved to their city residence, 102 W. North Avenue, for the winter months.

Mr. Wm. B. Krout, of the Baltimore *Sun*, and Mrs. Krout, have gone on a short trip to New York city, accompanied by Miss Nettie Cooper, of Towson.

Col. O. P. Macgill, President of the Stronnia Mining Company, will spend the winter with his son-in law, Mr. J. Taylor Albert, at his beautiful residence, near Catonsville.

Mr. A. B. Whitelock, who was taken into the city of Baltimore by the annexation of the Belt, could not stand the pressure and has quietly taken a place in the 3d District and is building a comfortable dwelling thereon, in which he intends to reside and become once more a citizen of Baltimore county.

Mr. Zachariah Ewing (brother of Mr. Charles E. Ewing) who formerly lived at Texas, but who has been west for the last thirty years, ten of which he spent in Ohio and the last twenty years in the State of Texas, is now on a visit to friends in Baltimore county and he took a look around Towson the past week. He noted a good many changes everywhere he visited.

Mrs. John W. Carter, of Indianapolis, Indiana, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph B. Herbert, Towson. Mrs. Carter is a prominent worker in the W. C. T. U. of that city and also a member of the Daughters of Rebecca, I. O. O. F.

Miss Mary Isaac has returned home after a pleasant visit to Philadelphia.

Among the audience on Wednesday night, 29th ult., at the Democratic Mass Meeting in Towson, were Prof. Jos. A. Turner, A. M. Principal, and Prof. G. V. Yonce, of the faculty of Lutherville Seminary.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Deeds and Assignments.

Canton Company of Baltimore to Chas. F. Savage, $9,983.34.

James Kittenhouse and wife, &c., to Sarah Ann Bevan, $225.

Same to John R. Myers and wife, $125.

Heinrich Hartman and wife to Michael Kafer and wife, rent $22.50; $500.

Helen Culver to James Golden, $1,080.

Edwin Higgins to Jas. Handy, rent $50; $5.

The Canton Company to Frederick Stump, $6,080.

Frederick Stump and wife to John H. Paston, rent $27.19.

Canton Company to Eben B. Hunting, $2,629.81.

Canton Company to same, $5,500.

Elizabeth Stamm to Jacob H. Face and wife, $1,300.

Francis White and wife to Thomas C. Weaver, $1,600.

C. Bohn Slingluff, trustee, to Paul R. Buttner, $5.

Augustus Rice and wife to Augustus Towner, $1,000.

Archibald Davis to Mary Davis, $110.

Robert J. Bennett and wife to Arthur U. Butts, $110.

Arthur U. Butts and wife to Caleb Henry Johnson, $120.

Mortgages.

Chas. K. Savage to the Canton Company of Baltimore, $7,946.08.

Michael Kafer and wife to Confidence L. & S. A., $600.

Philip T. Tilyard and others to Martha J. Kraft, $500.

James Golden and wife to The Bevan Street Permanent Building Association of Baltimore City, $700

John Amnahausen and wife to Govanstown L. L. and B. A., $520.

Fredk. Stump and wife to John M. Heighe, $4,500.

John H. Pace and wife to Franklin Homestead Association, $780.

Paul R. Buttner to Mary Homberg, $1,075.

John T. Isaac and wife to Hazeltine Taggert, $545.

Simon Naurot and wife to Mutual Building Association of Granite, $400.

J. Edw. Albright and wife to Mutual Building Association of Granite, $1,000.

Chas. S. Grant and wife to Mutual Building Association of Woodstock, $1 200.

Release of Mortgages.

Martha Coggins and husband to Theodore German and wife.

Harriet R. Chew to Archibald Davis.

Central Union P. B. A. to Elizabeth Stamm.

Martin Homberg to Paul R. Buttner, &c.

The Registered Vote of 1890.—The following table gives the total number of registered voters by Precincts and Districts for 1890:

District	Precinct	White	Colored	Total in Prct.	Total in Dist.	Reg. in 1889
1st	1	689	201	890	1,549	1,524
	2	320	45	365		
	3	268	26	294		
2d		939	166		1,105	1,073
3d	1	168	24	192	979	917
	2	297	51	348		
	3	368	71	439		
4th		864	154		1,018	1,184
5th		589	27		616	632
6th		533	2		535	554
7th	1	336	20	356	867	902
	2	446	65	511		
8th	1	877	140	1,017	1,540	1,582
	2	468	55	523		
9th	1	238	112	350	1,826	1,843
	2	808	251	1,059		
	3	359	68	427		
10th	1	257	60	317	753	749
	2	385	51	436		
11th	1	536	77	613	1,206	1,243
	2	274	24	298		
	3	236	59	295		
12th	1	1,150	40	1,190	3,446	3,251
	2	345	186	531		
	3	418	24	442		
	4	251	12	263		
	5	446	10	456		
	6	244	79	323		
	7	190	51	241		
13th	1	295	56	351	822	778
	2	328	143	471		
					16,272	16,177

NUPTIAL NOTES.

Smith—Wisner.—Epsom M. P. Church was filled with the relatives and friends of the contracting parties on Wednesday evening, 29th ult., to witness the marriage of Frederick O. Smith and Miss Fannie Wisner, only daughter of the late Jacob Wisner. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. D. Dick, pastor of the church. Miss Annie Wisner, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march. The bride was dressed in cream-colored cashmere, trimmed with brocade satin, and carried a beautiful boquet of flowers in her hand. The ushers were Messrs. Edward and Benjamin Bowen, cousins of the bride. The church was handsomely trimmed with flowers and presented a neat and beautiful appearance.—After the ceremony a number of the friends went to the residence of the bride's mother, where refreshments were served, and an enjoyable time spent in social conversation until a late hour.

Smith—Jones.—On Monday, 28th ult., Mr. J. Frank Smith and Miss Minnie Jones, daughter of Mr. Reuben Jones, of Catonsville, were married at the Catonsville M. E. Church by Rev. John L. Walsh, assisted by Rev. D. A. Foard. The ushers were Messrs. R. F. Walters and Wm. Beaumont. The bride wore a brown cloth travelling costume, with hat and gloves to match, and carried a boquet of La France roses. After the ceremony a reception was held at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, on Newburgh avenue.

Martell—Adams.—On Tuesday, 28th ult., the third daughter of Mr. Michael Adams (Miss Lena) was married to Mr. Alexander H. Martell, son of Mr. Justis Martell, of Patapsco Neck. The ceremony was performed at St. Bridget's Catholic Church, Canton, by the Rev. Father Jourdan, after which a reception was given at the residence of the bride's parents, Mt. Carmel Road, near Canton, and the following large number of relatives and friends of the respective families were present and enjoyed themselves until a late hour: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mr. and Mrs. John Schorr, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Schorr, Mr. and Mrs. Justis Martell, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Martell, Mr. and Mrs. John Selig, Mr. and Mrs. August Weis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schlafer, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hesse, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Willing, Miss Annie Scully, P. H. Garvey, Geo. Keen, Geo. W. Morgan, Justice Cook, Col. Conrad Hullsmeyer and many others.

Basket Supper.—The ladies of the M. P. Church at the Poplar appointment will give a basket supper at Warren in the Prohibition Hall, November 8th, at 7.30 P. M. A cheap supper with a good time. Come all.

MONKTON, October 27th, 1890.

Mr. Ruby:—Will you kindly give space for a few lines to one of those unworthy sisters? I think our Monkton correspondent, "J. H.," must have had a fit of indigestion caused by bad cooking, and dreamed dreadful things. Surely one is led to believe from his letter that church matters are in a fearful state. Now! this is not *correct*, for the kindest feelings prevail among those awful sisters. If there is anything it is with the brethren, and we know nothing of it. There was nothing said or done which should have called forth such a tirade from "J. F. H." All voting was done in an orderly manner. If there was anything indecorous it must have been among those who had neither part nor lot in the matter. The church has given us the privilege of voting and we have done so. We have done so by doubling our vote here. Perhaps this is the part he calls a farce. All the ladies who voted had, or have had, husbands and their buttons are, or were, all sewed on. My dear sir, we don't want your places. We do not wish to be Bishops. We are only contending for our own. And we *do* know that life means more than to eat and drink. God has commanded, "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." Then is it not right that we do what we can? Who dares dispute God's command? Why, one would think the way some men talk that women were made to be yoked with the oxen in the plow as they do in some parts of Germany. As for the church going to ruin if woman is accounted man's equal, is all nonsense. Take the women out, and how many are left in the church? This is why our prayer-meeting has been turned into a Song Service, (not Praise-Meeting, as stated.) The brethren have been too busy (they say) to come out and attend to the duty of singing. James Starr and John Demoss, intending to get possession, took such deeds to themselves whereby the title to a one-half of said 15 acres of land remained in said Sarah W. Tudor, who, we believe, is not forbidden. Now as to household duties: What true mother, wife or sister would neglect her home? Our platform is—God, Home, Church and all Humanity. Those who have left the faithful abroad is *sure* to be faithful at home. She just knows too well how to touch the key in life's discord. What mother's heart is not touched by the contrast between her own healthy, well-clad children, and those who have no care? What is the home-life of those women abroad as well as at home, and then one of those whose cry it is, "you had better work at home." I leave you to note the contrast. There are women who cannot work outside, we admit, but there are also those who *can*. Why not let the latter class do what they can? In this world of sin and sorrow there is enough labor for all. The Master says, "The Harvest is Great but the Laborers are Few." How many women have raised large families that have been a credit to them? I think "J. F. H." knows of *one* family, at least, whose noble mother, though not in high office, speaks through her children. Whose prayers and dutiful life made her children what they are? Oh! my friend, you are blind as many others are. View the question from both sides. Our children will see the day when they will be more proud of their mothers, if those mothers have been faithful in "*all good works*," than they will be of their mended clothing. I had rather ten thousand times that some one would mend my child's breaking heart, than that I take trouble, than to mend its clothes. "Consider the lilies of the field; they toil not, neither do they spin."

Killed on the Shell Road.—On Sunday last, 26th ult., Miss Mary E. Roche, aged about 20 years, was accidentally killed on the Shell Road, in the 12th district, and her companion, Miss Josephine Donohue, was seriously injured. It appears that two young men named James Dorsey and Henry Carmody took the girls riding in a surrey wagon with a spirited pair of horses. On their return from up the road when the carriage reached the crossing of Forest Road and Shell Road it ran into a deep rut jolting it violently. The horses took fright at this and leaped to one side, throwing Dunlevy, who was driving, out. The horses had things their own way and ran like lightning, their terror being increased by the screams of the frightened females.

Young Carmody, who was in the rear seat with Miss Donohue, attempted to climb over the front seat in order to get hold of the reins, but in this seat he was thrown out, and a moment later the two women leaped from the flying vehicle. Miss Roche struck on her head and, falling over on her side, lay unconscious.

Miss Donohue, who was only stunned, soon regained consciousness and attempted to raise Miss Roche up. She was limp and helpless, but Miss Donohue grasped the girl under the arms and body, and by this time their two male companions came up and assistance was summoned.

Miss Donohue then went to the house of Mrs. Manning, where Messrs. Samuel Tracey and J. G. Gracen, of Arlington, Baltimore county, who were at Barranger's restaurant, took Miss Roche to the Canton police station in their buggy, and upon their arrival there Keeper Brown, of the station, advised them to take the lady to the city, as it was not at that time known she was dead.

The young men then drove to the Eastern police station where it was ascertained Miss Roche was dead. Coroner Cockrill was summoned, and found that her neck was broken. Justice J. P. Dorsey, of Canton, was notified. The body was laid out on a plank in the yard of the station.

Miss Donohue had in the meantime come to the city in company with Dunlevy, Carmody returning alone. Marshal Frey issued orders to arrest the young men pending the decision of the inquest and they were picked up at a late hour by Sergts. Toner and Gluticus. They were afterwards found in the Canton police station pending the inquest.

"Lutherville Seminarian."—The October number of the *Lutherville Seminarian* has put in an appearance, and it is an excellent number, as it usually is in it. The corps of editors are Misses Margaret Boyer, Jennie Trees, Stella Nolan and Allie Fox, class of '91; Misses Mabel Shaw and Annie Smith, class of '92; Misses Margaret McDowell and Anna L. Zwelzig, of the Alumnæ. The class organization is as follows:

Senior Class—Miss Pettit, President; Miss Eggers, Vice President; Miss Josephine Trees, Treasurer; Miss Holford, Secretary.

Junior Class—Miss Grimm, President; Miss Porter, Vice President; Miss E. Hollman, Treasurer; Miss G. Lee, Secretary.

Sophomore Class—Miss Sh