WASHINGTON LETTER.

Some News Collected at the National Capital by Our Regular Correspondent.

[W]ASHINGTON, July 23rd, 1900.—...sians, Japanese and Chinese fighting side by side again[st] Europeans, for the maintenance of the Chinese Empire, is one of the possibilities of the near future in China," remarked an European member of the Diplomatic Corps. That is probably an extreme view, but it is certain that the European powers, whatever may be their professions, wish to divide China among themselves, while the United States and Japan would prefer that the Chinese Empire remain as it is.

The situation in China at this time so far ... know, is largely a matter ... Officials believe that the ... received from Minister Con[ger] ... saying that himself and other [for]eign ministers in Pekin, were safe, although much in need of assistance, was genuine, while nearly everybody else regards it with suspicion and not a few as being a bit of Chinese trickery. The one bit of absolute fact in sight is the disappointing cablegram from Admiral Remey, saying that the allied forces would not begin the march to Pekin before the middle of August, owing to lack of harmony among the allies. Gen. Chaffee will probably arrive at Taku early next week, but he can do little without the assistance of others, as he will have less than four thousand men.

Americans do not monopolize important industrial discoveries and inventions. The United States Consul General to Germany, in a report to [th]e Department of State, briefly de[scri]bes a new and successful method [of w]elding cast iron pipes, tramway ... etc., which is both cheap and ... The process is thus de[scribed] in the report: "Briefly stated, [it consi]sts in mixing powdered alu[minum w]ith oxide of iron and add[ing] ... an easily ignitable substance. ...er is put into a clay cruci[ble and ign]ited by a match. The re[sulting che]mical action renders the ...id, and this liquid is ...round the place to be ... assumes a white ...ding is done by a ...ratus. The welded ...ame firmness as the ... manifold applica[tions] is possible."

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...Am... ...n... ...ad ...e for ...oubts ...n to ...one, ...et ...ot ...of ...hat ...een ...overn... ...overn... ...e unreserved ...e others, and ...d by all as being ab[solutely with]out selfish motives in [it]s policy towards China. Mr. Tower ...id of the Trans-Siberian Railway, [wh]ich the Russian government will [co]mplete in two years: "Americans [wi]ll profit much by the commercial ...ld it will open to them, although [Vl]adivostock is to be the real end of [th]e road, another terminus will touch [T]alney on the Gulf of Pechili, near [Po]rt Arthur. That will be a free ... and a stretch of territory around ... to be set apart for the use of [manu]facturers desiring a base for [manu]facturing the products import... there from the rest of the world. [Th]at means a great opening for [Am]erican materials."

[T]he official announcement that [the g]overnment will get out of Cuba [a]s soon as the Cubans set up a government of their own and [th]e election for delegates to the Constitutional convention, [which w]ill construct the framework ... [gover]nment will be held in ...eems to effectually dis... ...he stories about this gov... ...couraging the annexation [mo]vement. That annexation will [eve]ntually come is the opinion of ...y of those who have deeply stud[ied] the matter, but it now looks as [tho]ugh it would not be until after [the] Cubans had full opportunity to [tr]y alone long enough to determine themselves.

...f Mr. W. W. Rockhill, who has ... given a diplomatic commission [as s]pecial envoy, ranking something [like] an ambassador, and ordered to [proc]eed to China at the earliest pos[sible] moment, can't get information [from C]hina which is what he is to go ... probably no outsider can. He [is o]ne of the few white men who can [spea]k and write the Chinese language [thor]oughly.

Bryan a Wonderful Man.

[W]illiam Henry Newnam, Esq., a ...g anti-silver Democrat of Queen [Ann]e's and one of the best posted ... in this section on national poli[tics] and farming, dropped into the ...s office, Thursday morning and ...ted on current events. The pear ...t, said he, is noticeable every[wher]e; the only remedy is to cut off [a]ffected twigs or limbs, and take ...ll trees too far gone to save. ...h trees with premature fruit ...d be dealt with in the same ... "I shall support Mr. Bryan ...tly," said this veteran Demo... "I don't like some of ...

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Local and Other News of Interest for Our Readers in a Brief Way.

One Minute Cough Cure is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. Try it. J.S.Denny

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for liver and bowel troubles. Never gripe. J.S.Denny.

There are no better pills made than DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Always prompt and certain. J.S. Denny.

For burns, injuries, piles and skin diseases use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original. Counterfeits may be offered. Use only DeWitt's. J. S. Denny.

In another column will be found the examiners' notice on the public road leading through the lands of Dr. W. K. Carroll and Mr. John P. Arrington.

Cantaloupes and watermelons are now in market. Housekeepers look with favor on any addition to the bill of fare, as the drought has made vegetables scarce.

There is said to be much sickness in this section, caused principally by the excessive hot weather of last week. The sickness is not of a dangerous character, however.

Representatives of the Bee Line Telephone Company were in town Thursday asking permission of the Town Fathers to erect poles along the sidewalks—which was granted.

The drought which has prevailed in this section for the past five weeks, was broken by local showers this week. The temperature has been materially reduced, and life is again worth living.

A Kent county constable imbibed too freely of a refreshing drink called "Orange Soda," and after an hour in the hot sun people said he was drunk and he was arrested. The Justice was of a different opinion, and said "not guilty."

The schedule of the local Sunday train No. 11 over the Queen Anne's R. R. to Rehoboth has been changed. The train leaves Queenstown at 8 a. m., or one hour earlier than formerly, thus giving excursionists one hour longer at the Beach.

Ollie, the 10-year-old son of Mr. Wm. B. Chance, while riding a man's bicycle, Thursday, met a team and became frightened; in attempting to get off the wheel fell against the curbing, dislocating his elbow. Dr. Davidson reduced the fracture.

The followers of Isaac Walton are having fine sport in hooking rock, perch and crocuses in our river. Three young men with two handseines caught thirteen bunches in the stream near the residence of Mr. Thomas A. Embert, on Thursday.

It has been demonstrated by experience that consumption can be prevented by the early use of One Minute Cough Cure. This is the favorite remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, grippe, and all throat and lung troubles. Cures quickly. J. S. Denny.

"Any pensioner, the victim of strong drink and dissipated habits, who makes a public nuisance of himself, may be investigated by Uncle Sam and if found guilty is likely to be dropped from the pension rolls." This is the latest ruling of the department sent out to pension agents.

Two colored men on the farm of Mr. Frank W. Draper, near town, got into a quarrel Tuesday, when Wm. Jones used a pitchfork to check the mad career of Dallas Green. Green is on the pension list with a cut scalp, while Jones is in the county jail awaiting results of his victim.

The farmer who has a very full wheat crop will get on a few dollars at present prices. Pay up back dues. Pay the newspaper a year in advance. Fix the family up in dress and sundries. Then tie the balance up in bank. Next year may be a short wheat year. Don't spread any new sail yet awhile.

The newspapers continue to be filled with stories of how unsuspecting people are swindled by dealing with strangers who travel about the country with all sorts of schemes. The only safe plan is to do your buying with the local business firms that are fixed in the community and whose interest is to treat their customers fairly.

The boys who congregate at the Queen Anne's R. R. pier on the arrival of the steamer, perch themselves on the bumpers to get a good view. Wharf-master Thompson had warned the boys to get off Wednesday evening, when George Aker slipped, falling against the shape edge of an oak sill badly cutting his elbow and bruising his side.

There will be a grand tournament at Easton Fair grounds on Wednesday, August 1, for the benefit of the Catholic Church, Easton. Knights will ride in glittering uniforms. There will be two classes—one professional, the other ametuer. $15 in cash, first prize for professional; $12 in cash, first prize amateur. Everybody invited to come.

Mr. Charles Bridges, while assisting Mr. Thos. E. Chance, the blacksmith at Wye Mills, to cut a heavy piece of iron was struck in the forehead by a heavy chisel. Mr. Chance was in the act of striking the iron when the chisel came off the handle landing on Bridges forehead, cutting a gash three inches long and knocking him unconscious. Restoratives quickly revived him.

A singular and perhaps serious accident occurred to Emory, the 8-year-old son of Mr. Towers, who lives on the Bloomingdale farm, near town. He was in the barnyard when one of the driving mares made for him and before he could get out of [the w]ay she grabbed him by the head [with her te]eth, and when the child was ... helpless. The at... ...Davidson, ... chance for ...ver.

LOTS OF BOYS IN TOWN.

The First, Second and Third Regiments are Encamped Here and Drawing Crowds.

The First, Second and Third Regiments of the United Boys' Brigade arrived here on the steamer Queen Anne, of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company, Saturday morning. They were lined up and marched from the steamer to Camp Kakel, their quarters for one week. After arrival at quarters they went to work arranging for their sleeping quarters, and were busy most of the day carrying cots and baggage from the pier to the camp, while the thermometer stood 100 degrees. They removed their coats, hats, collars and overshirts, and the hot rays of the sun soon had its effect on their exposed flesh, and by evening they were so badly burned that they could hardly bear the weight of the clothes.

The boys have excellent quarters, and enjoy the fresh air of the country very much, and after duty they are out for a good time, bathing, crabbing, fishing and rowing.

On Sunday morning they were awakened by the salute gun, a three inch brass field piece at 5.30; at six o'clock lined up for a march, and seven o'clock mess was served. At 8.30 services were held by Brigade Chaplain Charles L. Pate. At ten o'clock they again lined up and marched to the Methodist Episcopal Church, where they attended services in a body. After services they returned to camp and were relieved from duty, except picket, until 7.30 P. M., when they were lined up for dress parade, which was witnessed by one of the largest crowds ever seen in this town. During the encampment regular military routine is followed every day.

This is the first general encampment and it has been a grand success.

Major-General William F. Fuller is in command. Lieut.-Colonel J. E. Pearson commands the First Regiment, Col. Thomas Morris the Second and Lieut.-Col. Elmer E. Hatter the Third. Capt. D. F. Pennington, of the Fourth Regiment Maryland National Guards, acts as quartermaster.

The regiments consist of seventeen companies and about two hundred boys. The boys will return home to-day. Wednesday a special excursion was held from Baltimore and the proceeds will be used in paying the expenses of the encampment.

A number of military and Boys' Brigade officers are attending the encampment. These include Colonel Spicer and Adjutant-General F. W. Gerhard, of the Pennsylvania Boys' Brigade, of Philadelphia; Lieutenant-Commander Geer and other officers of the Naval Militia; Captain Peter Leary and United States Army officers from Fort McHenry. Adjt.-General Saunders and a number of officers from the Fifth and Fourth Regiments.

After the dress parade, Tuesday evening they marched to the pier and gave the excursionists aboard the Queen Anne a serenade.

A dance was held Thursday evening in the pavilion and was well attended. Music was furnished by the Second Regiment band.

Yesterday was a great day in town as a special dress parade was in order, and the Queen Anne's Railroad brought a large crowd of excursionists from all along the road to give them an opportunity to witness military life according to United States regulations, with lads for soldiery.

The encampment has been of great benefit to our boarding-house keepers and ice cream and soda water men. Every available room in our town is taken by relatives and friends of the boys, and to-day this town has one of the largest floating populations ever known in its history, notwithstanding this is the oldest town on the peninsula. People began to arrive in town early Saturday afternoon from all sections, and by six o'clock one would have thought a large circus was in town. Through the liberal terms offered by the Queen Anne's Railroad Company and the efforts of General Passenger Agent William David Uhler the Brigade was induced to encamp here which has induced hundreds of people to visit our town from the city and surrounding country.

Companies H and K, of the Fourth Regiment, Maryland National Guard in command of Capts. W. A. Burck and Harry E. Haynes, respectively will arrive on the Queen Anne this afternoon and go into camp here at once and remain until Tuesday evening. On Monday the companies will entertain Col. Willard Howard and staff at dinner. On that day the camp will be known as Camp Howard.

Easton Fair in August.

The Talbot County Fair Association has arranged for its exposition to be held at Idlewild Park, Easton, on the last week in August, and prior to the Delaware State Fair at Dover. This will probably be the only fair on the Eastern Shore of Maryland: Elkton Fair having been abandoned and it will leave Dover and Easton as the only fair towns on the Peninsula this year. Colonel Robert Hough, well known to horsemen throughout this section, will be the starting judge at both tracks. Entry books for the Easton Fair will close on August 21st, and the horse entries will be to compete for six $300 purses, two $200 purses and one $100, the latter a prize for the Talbot county wagon race. A peculiar attraction at the Easton track every day will be a mule race.

After many intricate experiments, scientists have discovered methods for obtaining all the natural digestants. These have been combined in the proportion found in the human body and united with substances that build up the digestive organs, making a compound called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and allows all dyspeptic to eat plenty of nourishing food while the stomach troubles are being radically cured by the medical agents it contains. It is pleasant to take and will give quick relief. J. S. Denny.

PINEY NECK NOTES.

Some Interesting Items From Bryantown and Winchester.

Miss Lizzie Tarr is visiting relatives near Queenstown.

Miss Ida Beeks, who is on the sick list, is much improved.

Mrs. Mary R. Clark is visiting her brother on Kent Island.

Mr. Owens Pinder spent Sunday with friends in Baltimore.

Miss Grace Anthony spent last week with Miss Bettie Butler.

Mrs. John Rhodes has been very much indisposed for the past week.

Miss Minnie Adams, of Middletown, is the guest of Miss Ida Beeks.

Mrs. Clara Moon, of Baltimore, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jones Baxter.

Samuel Ford, Esq., of Baltimore, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Prudence Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hill were the guests of Mrs. Samuel W. Dadds this week.

Mr. James Burns, of Baltimore, is spending part of the week with his grandparents.

Mr. Morris Hampton and wife, of Baltimore, are the guests of Chas. C. Hampton, Esq.

Miss Cecelia Baker and friend, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. Thomas Vansant.

Mr. Aris Nelson, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with his uncle, Capt. W. W. Nelson.

Our people welcomed the several rains of this week which were a great relief to suffering humanity.

Two of our young men became involved in some words on Wednesday which ended in a fight with fists.

Several of our young men accompanied by their lady friends enjoyed a delightful sail to Queenstown on Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Burns and Fletcher Benton, of Baltimore, who have been visiting Miss Lucy Burns, returned home, Thursday.

Tent meetings began at Perry's Corner M. E. Church last Sunday evening in charge of Rev. W. C. Poole. The meetings are largely attended every evening.

Mr. Otis Saddler has added the undertaking business in connection with his wheelwright and blacksmith business. His stock arrived this week and he is prepared to wait on those in need of his wares.

William B. DeCoursey, Esq., of Rock Hall, who is visiting his father-in-law, Wm. O. Coursey, Esq., met with an accident one day recently while cutting some kindling wood. The axe caught in the clothes line and, when gotten loose, descended striking him on the ankle, cutting a long gash to the bone.

The Art of Talking Well.

It is better to be frankly dull than pedantic.

One must guard one's self from the temptation of "talking shop" and of riding one's "hobby."

Whatever sets one apart as a capital "I" should be avoided.

A joke or humorous story is dependent upon its freshness for appreciation. Some emotions will not bear "warming over."

It is no longer considered good form to say a word against any one. An ill-natured criticism is a social blunder. Gossip, too, is really going out of fashion.

True wit, is a gift, not an attainment. Those who use it aright never yield to the temptation of saying anything that can wound another in order to exhibit their own cleverness. It is natural and spontaneous. "He who runs after wit is apt to catch nonsense."

Talk that has heartiness in it and the liveliness and sparkle that come of lightheartedness and innocent gayety, is a fairly good substitute for wit.

Offer to each one who speaks the homage of your undivided attention. Look people in the face when you talk to them.

Talk of things, not persons. The best substitute for wisdom is silence.

It is a provincialism to say "yes, sir," "no, ma'am" to one's equal.

Have convictions of your own. Be yourself and not a mere echo.

Never ask leading questions. We should show curiosity about the concerns of others only so far as it may gratify them to tell us.

Draw out your neighbor without catechizing him. Correct him, if necessary, without contradicting him. Avoid mannerisms.

Strive to be natural and at ease. The nervousness that conceals itself under affected vivacity should be controlled, as should the loud laugh.—Mrs. Burton Kingsland, in the August *Ladies' Home Journal.*

Rescued from Drowning.

On Sunday afternoon Henry Evans, son of John H. Evans, of Rolph's wharf and two ladies made a narrow escape from drowning in Chester river. The three were out sailing in a small bateau near Rolph's wharf, when a flaw of wind struck and capsized the boat. By heroic efforts the gentleman succeeded in saving both ladies. Mr. Evans has only one leg which made his task exceptionally difficult and his final success somewhat remarkable.

Lightning Strikes a Barn.

During the thunder storm, Monday night the barn on the farm of John W. Councill, near Centreville, was struck by lightning and burned. Besides the building, Mr Councill lost about 300 bushels of wheat, 18 or 20 tons of hay, lot of blades, a new binder, corn sheller, lot of smaller farming utensils, and a lot of harness and plow gear. The barn and wheat were insured but the rest of the things mentioned are a total loss.

The law holds both maker and circulator of a counterfeit equally guilty. The dealer who sells you a dangerous counterfeit of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve risks your life to make a little larger profit. You can not trust him. DeWitt's is the only genuine and original Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and all skin diseases. See that your dealer gives you DeWitt's Salve. J. S. Denny.

SHOT, BUT NOT FATALLY.

A Negro Man Shoots a Negro Woman for Saying He Was a Worthless Negro.

William Jones, a young colored man from New Jersey, is now in the county jail awaiting a hearing for shooting Emma Allen, colored.

Jones, Emma Allen and her husband lived with and worked for Mr. Henry M. Anderson, who lives about two miles this side of Chestertown on the road from Church Hill to Chestertown. On Sunday morning about six o'clock, Allen called to Jones to come down stairs and help him to milk but Jones refused to do it. Allen's wife then made the remark that he (Jones) was a very unaccommodating and worthless negro. Shortly afterwards Jones came down and demanded of Emma Allen to know what she had been saying about him, remarking that "she must think she had a good thing with him." After some words he went upstairs and returned with a pistol. The colored woman became frightened when she saw the weapon and started to run, when he fired, the bullet taking effect in her back near the left side. She ran into the house and hid behind the stove when Jones fired two more shots at her. Her husband appeared about this time and Jones deliberately fired at him.

Jones was caught several hours afterwards by Mr. Silas Weller and delivered to Officer Roe, of Church Hill, who took him to jail.

Dr. W. Frank Hines, of Chestertown, attended Emma Allen and located the bullet but did not remove it. He stated that the wound was not necessarily fatal.

State's Attorney J. Frank Harper and Sheriff James E. Meredith drove to the scene of the shooting, Sunday and investigated the affair.

Jones does not deny the shooting, nor does he give any reason for it, other than that the Allen woman called him a "worthless negro." He will be given a hearing in Church Hill in a few days, the time depending upon the condition of the Allen woman.

Determined to Have Connections.

President William H. Bosley of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company went to Philadelphia on Monday night to complete the details of the extension of the line from Lewes, Del., to Cape May, N. J. Mr. Bosley, in discussing the matter, said Monday:

"We must have an outlet for the tide of travel to Rehoboth Beach, which is far exceeding our expectations. If there had been fifty more boarding-houses at the beach Saturday night the crowd of visitors would not more than have been comfortably accommodoted. There were only two boats in our waters adapted to passenger traffic on this cross passage to the Cape and we had one of these secured with terms and everything agreed upon. In fact, the contract was ready to be signed when the Pennsylvania Railroad Company officials learned of the purpose for which the boat was to be used.

"The Pennsylvania Company controls the boat and orders were issued breaking off the negotiations. We are determined, however, to establish connection between Rehoboth and Cape May. Not more than fifty minutes will be required to make the run each way, and as we now give daily excursions six hours at the Beach, a couple of hours of this time may be spent at the Cape if desired without hurry."

The steamer Endeavor left here Thursday evening for Cape May via. Chesapeake & Ohio canal, arriving at Lewes, Del., yesterday afternoon. She will be put on the route between Cape May and Lewes. Regular schedule will be in effect the first of next week.

Nurseries in Good Condition.

State Pathologist Charles O. Townsend, aided by State Entomologist W. G. Johnson, Assistant Entomologist H. P. Gould and Assistant Pathologist Guy L. Stewart, has inspected the nurseries in Kent and Caroline counties. He reports that these nurseries are in good condition as far as he can determine. The nurserymen are growing about the same amount and kind of stock as heretofore and are doing their best to prevent future destruction by any and all of the dangerous pests.

The officials hope to finish the inspection of the nurseries of the State next week at furthest. Professor Johnson will finish inspecting on the Eastern Shore and Messrs. Townsend Gould and Stewart probably began on the Western Shore nurseries the middle of this week.

Mr. Townsend says that apples are as a rule very scarce this year in this State, but that in visiting some of the different nurseries on the Eastern Shore he saw some orchards that were as full of fruit as he has ever seen.

Fell Overboard and Drowned.

John Hall, colored, known among his friends as "Rat" Hall, a stevedore who helped out on the wharf of Queen Anne's Railroad Company in Baltimore, was drowned Friday morning of last week. He was on the saloon deck of the steamer Queen Anne, hauling in a fender when he lost his balance and fell overboard. The fender was thrown to him by a deck hand, and efforts were made by the crew to save him, but he never came to the surface. After some little time the body was recovered by the crew of the police boat Lannan and taken to the morgue. Hall was thirty years old and lived in Baltimore.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Names of People Who are Visiting Here and our People Who are Visiting.

Mrs. Charles F. Davidson and son, James, are spending a few weeks at Rehoboth Beach.

Mr. Frederick B. Startt is doing the wheelwrighting for Thomas E. Chance at Wye Mills.

Mrs. Lottie Thompson and son, Randolph, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. W. J. Pinder near town.

Mrs. Charles W. Spence, of Claiborne, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Delahay on Wednesday.

Mr. Herman L. Reed, who left here last week, has secured a position as auditor for a railroad in South Carolina.

Mrs. John Crouch, of Kent county, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick B. Startt several days this week.

Mr. Clairvoy C. Waller is spending a few weeks at the Henlopen hotel, Rehoboth, Del., trying to recuperate his health.

Mr. Harry Gardner and Mrs. Jennie Chance visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. H. Taylor in Baltimore last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George W., and Mrs. John W. Walker and daughter, Mary, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mrs. John M. Aker, Tuesday.

Miss Mamie F. Davidson a trained nurse at the Baltimore City Hospital, is the guest of her brother, Mr. O. Tilghman Davidson, cashier of the Queenstown Savings Bank.

The Rev. F. P. Kervick, of Baltimore, has been appointed pastor of St. Peter's Catholic Church near town to succeed Father William J. Scott who is to become pastor of St. Joseph's Church on the Brandywine near Wilmington, Del. Father Scott will leave for his new charge about the middle of next week and Father Kervick will take charge of the work here about the same time.

Drink Water Slowly.

As a rule it is much better to sip water than to swallow a glassful at one draught. The exception to this rule is in the morning, when one should drink a glassful or two of moderately cold water in order to flush the stomach while it is tubular. At other times, however, sipping the water is much more stimulating in its effect on the circulation. During the action of sipping the nerve action, which slows the beating of the heart, is temporarily abolished, and in consequence the heart contracts much more quickly and the circulation in various parts of the body is increased. Another advantage in sipping is the fact that the pressure under which the bile is secreted is considerably raised. It has been stated on good authority that a glass of cold water slowly sipped will produce a greater acceleration of the pulse for a time than will a glass of wine or spirits taken at a draught. Sipping cold water will, in fact, often allay the craving for alcoholic drinks—a point worth remembering by those who are endeavoring to reform.—August *Ladies' Home Journal.*

Mr. Pardee in Paris.

Mr. J. S. Elliott Pardee, of Sudlersville, left last week as the representative of the Baltimore *News* at the Paris Exposition. Mr. Pardee will furnish his paper with a series of fine pictures of Exposition buildings with an interesting account of each. Mr. Pardee was a graduate of Washington College two years ago, and has since been engaged in teaching. He was recently appointed principal of the Winchester graded school one of the finest schools in this county. Though Mr. Pardee's journalistic career has been confined to the summer he has shown a striking adaptability for the work as shown by his present important mission.

A gentleman recently cured of dyspepsia gave the following appropriate rendering of Burns' famous blessing: "Some have meat and can not eat, and some have none that want it; but we have meat and we can eat.—Kodol Dyspepsia Cure be thanked." This preparation will digest what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures indigestion and all stomach disorders. J. S. Denny.

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Loans and discounts	$11,987.35
Stocks, securities, etc.	3,587.50
Furniture and fixture	427.75
Due from National Banks	1,193.38
Legal tender notes, specie, etc.	2,071.71
Total	$19,267.69

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 5,000.00
Surplus funds	1,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes	109.88
Individual deposits, subject to check	10,528.69
Time certificate of deposit	2,129.12
Total	$19,267.69

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I, O. T. DAVIDSON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. T. DAVIDSON, Cashier.

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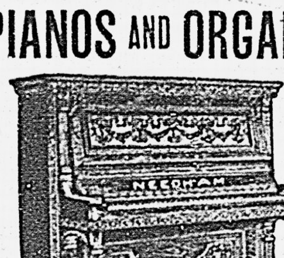

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Notice to Fishermen.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OFFICE,
CENTREVILLE, MD., July 10, 1900.

ORDERED, this day that all persons who shall use any of the Public Bridges in Queen Anne's county for fishing or crabbing by standing or lying on same or in any way obstruct said bridge by laying clothing, fish or crab nets and lines on any of aforesaid bridges, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of same before any Justice of the Peace in and for said county shall be fined One ($1.00) Dollar for each offense,

GEORGE A. DEVER,
JOHN F. GODWIN,
J. LOUIS RHODES,
Commissioners for Q. A. Co.
JOS. M. PARVIS, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
JOS. M. PARVIS, Clerk.

Your Attention!

Have been engaged in the milling business a number of years, and now running Sallie Harris' Mill, I am prepared to furnish everything in my line, and guarantee my goods will compete with any on the market, both in quality and price. A trial will convince you. My wagon will run to Queenstown and Winchester, placing my goods at the merchant's door as cheap as the cheapest. A share of patronage is solicited by

Yours truly,
W. O. BROWN.

Shorthand AND Bookkeeping
BY MAIL.

THE BALTIMORE BU... will give you, by mail ... Fifteen Lessons in S... Fifteen Lessons in ... PAYABLE $1 on ... each week thereaf... We have any n... earning from $50... keepers and Ste... son why you ca... us $1 and stat... take and we w... Address all ... BALTIMORE ...

The White Front.

To our Patrons:

The cheapness of our goods is being a household talk, and the true text tells—known for our bold progressiveness buying in such large quantities—we are able to give our customers the benefit of our shrewdness in buying. The following prices we ask are within reach of all and the child with his nickle will receive the same kind treatment as the man with his dollar:

Canned tomatoes, 6½c. can
Corn, the best, 8c. can.
Lobsters, per can, 25...
Salmon, 12½c. p...
1lb can Yeast Powders for 5c
Coffee, 12c. per lb.
Nice fresh Prunes 3lb for 25c
2 large bars Soap for 5c.
Corn Starch 5c. per pkg.
5lb bucket Jelly, 25c.
5lb bucket Preserves, 35c.
Macaroni, 8c. per package.
Celebrated Tar Bell Cheese 18c. per lb.
Early June Peas, 7c. a can.
Large Sack Family Flour, 50c.

We also handle the brand BEST IN THE WORLD flour. The finest on earth.

You will find a full line of Fancy Pickles and Salad Dressing always on hand, in fact, everything kept in a first class grocery.

Our line of Fresh and Cured Meats are complete. Boneless Ham already for the table can be bought of us.

A full line of Fruits and Vegetables can be found at our store in Season.

Peach Baskets always on hand.

Bring your money along and go away pleased.

Thanking you very much for past favors, we are still striving to save our customers money.

PERRY.

BROKEN BRIC-A-BRACS.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's Cement.

The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them because they are too expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another costs $2.65 a gallon, while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue upon the market are nothing more than sixteen cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and, in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials.

Major's cement retails at fifteen cents and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make large profit.

The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising, which now amounts to over $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876.

Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off-hand advice from a druggist.

If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are a good deal more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and any other rubber and leather articles, with Major's Rubber Cement and Major's Leather Cement.

And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will thus save.

If your druggist can't supply you, it will be forwarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

Young Men Wanted

with fair education and good character, to

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Lexington, Ky.

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Worked to Death!

Those who run a family sewing machine out-of-date, old style, takes the power of a horse and makes the noise of a corn sheller. Why not be in the twentieth century with the rest, with a new

IMPROVED BALL-BEARING
Wheeler & Wilson.

The lightest running, simpliest in mechanism and construction, with longer durability and the cheapest machine ever put before the public. For sale on your own terms by

Wm. Coleman, Agent.