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We are glad to be able to present to our readers, this week, a statement of county expenses for the past fiscal year, which will give them reason to congratulate the Board of County Commissioners upon the good judgment and economy with which they have managed the affairs of the county.

It is reported that Messrs. Montgomery Blair and James Harvey have made arrangements to commence the issue of a Democratic daily paper in Washington, about the end of May, in the interest of the Hon. Samuel J. Tilden.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections for the city of Baltimore have determined to remove everything that would give the elections in that city the semblance of unfairness.

A weekly paper, edited by Mr. Allen E. Forrester, entitled The True Democrat, made its first appearance in Baltimore on the 5th inst., and its reception, by the journals of that city, it says, was "truly wonderful."

Mr. Frye, of Maine, and there are many such, have been industriously circulating a vile catch-penny newspaper published in Okolona, Mississippi, known as the States. This paper is chiefly edited by an imported yankee fanatic, who is hired by the republican party to supply it with electioneering material.

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Had the President signed it, freedom of elections would have been gained for the people, but no political capital would have been gained for the Democratic party.

But as party gain was in no wise the purpose of the Democrats in sending this bill to Mr. Hayes for his signature, they, and the country as well, have very serious cause to call him to account for withholding that signature.

The report of Messrs. Ketchick and Bierly and the Register, appointed for that purpose, to audit the books of the city and report the actual condition of affairs was made and accepted.

Leaving a balance in his hands \$9 22 The Register was ordered to pay Baltimore Gasoline company amount of bill, \$19 56, and that of F. Dean & Co., \$9 91; also the salary of policeman for the month of April, \$40 00.

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A DANGEROUS TONIC.—Tonic or inactivity of the kidneys is seriously dangerous to those organs, since it is the precedent of diseases which destroy their substance and endanger life.

LOCAL AFFAIRS. B. & O. R. R. LOCAL TIME TABLE. East.—Freel. Acc. 7:05 A. M. (Daily); E. City Acc. 8:10 A. M. on Sunday at 9:00 A. M.; Winchester Acc. 10:12 A. M.; E. City Acc. 11:30 P. M.; Way Train, 3:04 P. M.; Mail Acc. 4:31 P. M.; Milk Train Acc. 6:25 P. M. (Daily). West.—Way Train arrives 5:52 A. M. leaves at 6:25 A. M.; E. City Acc. arrives at 7:05 A. M.; on Sunday arrives at 8:35 A. M.; Mail Acc. arrives at 8:35 A. M.; E. City Acc. arrives at 2:10 P. M.; Winchester Acc. arrives at 4:57 P. M.; Daily. W. Army Acc. at 5:57 P. M. (Daily). Theatre arrives at 7:00 P. M. (Daily). Theatre arrives at Ellicott City at 12:00 P. M. On Sunday night Mr. Army Acc. train leaves Baltimore at 9:00; arrives here at 9:10.

City Council Proceedings.—The Council met at 8 o'clock P. M. Monday, May 13th. Mayor E. A. Talbot in the chair; roll call and absentees noted. Proceedings of last meeting read and approved.

Amount of money received by G. O. Isaac as register and collector, for the year ending May 1st, 1879, \$181 92. Amount of money expended 172 70 by him.

Alberton Items.—The exhibition for the benefit of the Alberton S. School, will extend three evenings, beginning May 22nd.

Jottings.—The crops throughout the county are looking quite promising. The friends of Master John B. Dennis who sailed on board the Gray Eagle from Baltimore, on the 25th of March, will be pleased to learn that he arrived safely at Rio Janeiro on the 5th inst.

Temperance Notice.—Believing that a large majority of the people of Howard county desire Local Option, and as it can only be effected by permission of the State Legislature, to vote upon it, we, therefore, desire to send four delegates to the County Convention to be held in the Town Hall, Saturday May 31st at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Patapsco Dramatic Association gave its farewell entertainment, for the season, on Thursday evening last, and it was attended by quite a large and appreciative assemblage of ladies and gentlemen of the city and the surrounding neighborhood.

Installation of Officers.—On Tuesday night of last week the following were installed officers of Patapsco Lodge, O. G. T. of this city, for the ensuing three months: C. T. J. Gaither; V. T. Miss A. Fettingler; R. S. Mrs. Reynolds; A. R. S. Milton Ogle; F. S. Benj. Marston; T. G. W. Mercer, Sr.; C. Edward Balderson; M. Frank Isaac; D. M. Miss E. Norris; G. Miss Sue Isaac; O. G. Wm. Duanehart; R. H. S. Miss Mamie Norris; L. H. S. Miss Hattie Buckley.

Poplar Springs Items.—The new building that has been erected in our village by Mr. S. Catowille, is now in complete action, and adds much to the looks of the place.

Married.—On May 11th, at Eldersburg, Carroll county, by Rev. E. Engle, PHILIP F. SMITH to Miss JENNIE ARINGTON.

Died.—On May 6, 1879, at Savage, MARY TERESA, aged 10 months and 6 days, daughter of WILLIAM T. and ELEAN M. FISHER.

ELICOTT CITY RETAIL MARKETS. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. J. LAMKIN & CO. ELICOTT CITY, Friday, May 16, 1879.

Patapsco Family... Chesapeake... Orange... Cauden Super... FEED... GRAIN... MISCELLANEOUS... TRUSTEES SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM IN HOWARD COUNTY, NEAR POPLAR SPRINGS.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Howard County, sitting in equity, the undersigned, Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, on Saturday, June 7, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M. at Poplar Springs, the Farm owned by the late Jesse Hall, deceased.

Insane Paupers in the Maryland Hospital.

Recapitulation. Penalties. Sundry Accounts.

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Obituary.—The following we have taken by request from the West Virginia Register: Mrs. Israel Shaffer who died suddenly at her husband's house, near Kingwood on the 16th of April, was well known to the people of our town.

Nervous Debility.—Vital weakness or depression; a weak exhausted feeling, no energy or courage; the result of mental overwork, laboriousness, or excess, or some drain upon the system, is always cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

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STATEMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF THE HOWARD COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MAY 1st, 1879.

Made out and published by order of the County Commissioners of Howard County in pursuance of Sec. 9, of Art. 23, of the Code of Public General Laws, which provides that the County Commissioners shall make out and publish annually in at least two newspapers published in their respective counties, if there be two, a detailed, minute and accurate statement of the expenses of their said respective counties, specifying therein each particular item of expense and for what and to whom paid, &c.

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New Advertisements. Gallaher Jos court house Jailor 240 00. Galt Mathew lumber for bridges 75 70. Grimth G S & Co carpenter for court house 50 70.

Isaac Columbus constable's account 63 35. Isaac & Volt constable's account 35 35. Iglehart Elizabeth a road account 97 00. Iglehart Wm building bridge 1 00. Isaac John H poleman 1 00. Isaac Geo Wrier of Court 150 00.

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