American Sentinel.

WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND.

W. L. W. Seabrook - Editor.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 16 1895.

Mr. Johnzee E. Baesman, of Freedom district, a member of the House of Delegates and secretary of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, is said to be a candidate for the nomination for State Senator from this county.

The American merchant steamship Allianca was fired upon by a Spanish gunboat when off the Island of Cuba on her run to New York last week. Her commander, Captain Crossman, put on steam and ran away from the Spaniard. Spain will be required to apologize, unless the Secretary of State perpetrates another blunder, which is by no means unlikely. An uprising against Spanish authority in Cuba was the occasion of the outrage.

White longshore strikers have been making murderous assaults on negro laborers along the levees in New Orleans. Many negroes have been killed and the city authorties either cannot or will not protect the men thus assaulted. The merchants and business men of New Orleans are generally indignant at the mayor and the police department for their inefficiency or sympathy with the strikers, and have called on the Governor of the State to interfere. There has even been some talk of appealing to the President.

Bids for $200,000,000 were made in the United States and $600,000,000 in England, for the $62,000,000 of bonds issued to the American and English Syndicate. The bids were at 112, while the goverment only realized 104½. The great demand for the bonds, at the higher prices, is ample evidence of the strength of the public credit. The bonds, it must be understood, are not payable in gold. It is reasonable to suppose that only the unnecessary panic of the President and Secretary prevented the country from realizing their full value.

Hon. Henry Stockbridge, Sr., died at his home in Baltimors on Monday night in the seventy-third year of his age. Mr. Stockbridge was a native of Massachusetts, but resided in Baltimore for fifty years, and was prominently identified with the bar during most of that period. He was also active in public affairs and in politics. He was originally a Whig, but acted with the reform movement in Baltimore and was a candidate for the Legislature in 1859. The election was subsequently declared void. He became a strong Union man and Republican, and acted for a time as Judge of the Circuit Court for Baltimore county during the illness of Judge Emory. He was a man of marked ability and high character. His only son, Henry Stockbridge, Jr., was elected to Congress as a Republican in 1888.

How it Works.

During the month of January, 1895, the imports of English products into the United States exceeded in value the imports during the corresponding month of 1894 in the sum of $5,062,450. Exports from the United States to England during January, 1895, were $2,305,485 less in value than the exports in the corresponding month of 1894. Thus England is gainer in trade between the two countries, under the new tariff, to the extent of$8,367,935 in a single month, or at the rate of nearly $100,000,000 per annum. Not only American manufacturers and working men, but American farmers suffer under the new conditions resulting from Democratic free trade legislation. Great promises of the enlargement of foreign markets to American producers were made by the free trade theorists, as sure to follow their sort of tariff reform, but the actual effect has been the reverse of their theory. The Wilson-Gorman tariff law is an admirable agent for the promotion of Enzlish prosperity, but it isn't worth a cent to the American producer. On the contrary it circumscribes his markets and overwhelms him with adversity.

One Way to Help the Farmer.

The Wilson-Gorman tariff law reduced the duty on eggs from five to three cents per dozen. The natural result is an increase of twenty-three per cent. in the quantity of eggs imported from Canada within a given period. For the four months from September 1st to December 31st, 1893, 1,105,408 dozen were imported and during the corresponding period of 1894, 1,365,096 dozen. These were the first four months of the new tariff law, and the Canadians are confidently predicting increased development of the business to their great advantage. The *Canadian Trade Review* of February 15th says:

We seem to be getting back our egg market across the border. Last week ten carloads were shipped from Montreal to New York, and realized a net profit to the shipper of 3 cents above what he could get at home. The demand there is still far from exhausted, and further supplies from Canadian points will probably find a rising market. This reminds us of old times. Before the passage of the McKinley act our egg exports across the border ran into quite large figures, amounting in 1889 to 14,011,017 dozen, of the value of $2,156,725. The 5-cent duty of that Tariff cut down the exports to the value of $324,355, in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1893. The present duty is 3 cents a dozen, a rate which should not make it impossible to do an egg trade of the former magnitude with our neighbors.

Under a residuary clause in the will of Dr. Lyttleton F. Morgan, the larger portion of his estate, it is said, will go to the Woman's College of Baltimore. The estate is very valuable. Dr. Morgan made many bequests to relatives and friends.

Middletown, Md., had a mixed specimen of weather on Saturday morning last—lighting, thunder, rain, hail and snow, accompanied, for a brief interval, with a tremendous wind storm.

The Mother House of Deaconesses of the Lutheran Church in this country, which will be opened early next fall, will be located in Baltimore.

For the SENTINEL.

Mr. Devilbiss Replies to Dr. Ward.

To the Editor of the Sentinel:—Concerning the expression of opinion from our revered ecclesiastic, Dr. Ward, appearing in the SENTINEL of March 2nd, suffer a comment from me, written not in the sprit of that egotism which exacts all, and resigns nothing, but with that freedom of investigation which never settles, but ever unsettles; recognizing nothing as *fact* however dogmatic, either from pulpit or forum, until corrobcrated by existing evidence. That dogmatism which declares and settles (?) with a wave of the hand, "a fallacy," without offering palpable reason, falls a dead letter in an age of the Higher Criticism. It is easier to denounce than to reason, but which throbs more with high and stately manhood?

The citizen of the world sees the *sweep* of life, not the one mile track of the individual only, and his *range*, but not intensity of mental and moral vision, determines the man's influence. It is the comprehension of the needs of humanity that makes a Church sympathetic, not *ohservations*. Such a one does not endeavor every minute to save the world, but gives humanity an opportunity to serve it. "Trust men and they will trust you." I am an optimist, and my faith in humanity is unbounded. I believe in individual regeneration, but it does not thrill me with such hope as the slow, sublime evolution of the human race.

The recent interference of "clericalism" in Westminster, in attempting to "boycott" the constituency who would endorse the characters of those who apply for liquor license, savors of attempted revolution, as opposed to evolution. It smacks of religious fanaticism, which naturally subverts the end aimed at and instead of educating and entreating humanity to a higher level, it would pulverize by Plymouth Rock ideas, and grind with uniform loyalty. That the church should stand with sealed lips upon the liquor question, is far from my meaning, but the powerful influence exerted by her, is not at high-tide when she espouses coercive measures to save the world in a bound, and thus descends beneath her intellectual and spiritual heritage.

The Dr. says, "it requires only a little examination to prove the fallacies of Verbum Sap." From the Dr's. article one would suppose that he evidently gave it only a very little examination, and disproved nothing. "Ardent spirits," he says, "are in their very nature unfit for use as a beverage." To this statement "Verbum Sap," E Plumbus Unum and myself will agree upon general principles with slight variations. He states that many eminent physicians claim that ardent spirits are rarely beneficial as a medicine. If a preponderance of testimony adds weight to a case, then his statement is a fallacy, and the *onus probandi* still hangs heavily upon his shoulders. It is a matter easily proven that the "consensus of the competent" agree that liquor or alcohol in one of its many forms, is one of Heaven's best blessings to mankind. To eliminate it from the dispensary, would be a retrogression of a thousand years. It would be a turning back of the hands on the dial of Therapeutics. Why, wasn't it Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes who said: "Were all the drugs which are administered to the human race, save Alcohol and Morphia, cast into the sea, 'twould be better for man, but worse for the fishes." He was, of course, referring to the unskilled practitioner, whose name is legion.

The Dr. advises total abstinence. Then I must abstain from bread because a loaf may be thrust down my throat. Because my brother becomes a glutton, must I seek to legislate out of existence, both the baker and his bread? When suffering the pangs of a thousand deaths must I curse the molecule of morphia which relieves me, because I may afterward be unable to resist a grain? Weak man that! Let us build man on a higher plane, and "turn on the light," not by legislation, but by the power of noble precept and intelligent moral training. Legislate men christian, and they become civilized heathen. Inculcate high standards, and we have a christian citizenship. It is a lowering of the standards, for the church to resort to petty methods. All government is a compromise, because we cannot all think alike, and we must accept that which is not ideally perfect. Jesus said "Render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's." Now, the Roman government was not an ideal one to Him, yet the great Nazarene supported it knowing that His germinal ideas were as leaven in the loaf, and society would be finally revolutionized. He exhibited no signs of impatience, or of offense, and used no questionable means of domination, even when Power to him was at no premium. When the pastors and other prominent church officials put the trumpet of Jehovah to their lips, and sound the note which wakes humanity to a common brotherhood, which sees in God a common fatherhood, the tidal wave will soon surge and sweep away every social grief.

When men do right from principle, that is internal, and determines character. When they do right by law, that is external, which mechanically moulds conduct. A strong character is the one built in the face of constant exposure to temptation. A race is stronger which has risen to self-government whilst being subjected to the dangers of a thousand pit-falls. Temptations are stepping stones of strength. Who would praise the goodness of an archangel, while even common politeness in a coxcomb, we would applaud. Man is protected only by the power of resistance developed within him, and as the average man outwardly sustains the enormous atmospheric pressure of thirty thousand pounds unconsciously, so in the gradual development of his inward strength will he be protected commensurate by an armor and a shield from every social grievance.

FRANK J. DEVILBISS.

New Windsor, 7 March, 1895.

Dr. Ward and "Verbum Sap."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "SENTINEL."

DEAR SIR:—I presume it will be expected by your readers that I should take some notice of the article in last week's Advocate, in which reference is made to what was published from my pen in the SENTINEL of the week previous, and was substantially the same that I had also written to the editor of the Advocate at the same time that I wrote to you, expressing my approval of the effort of the ministers of the gospel to persuade our citizens to discountenance the continuance of licensing the sale of ardent spirits as a beverage in our community.

The correspondent's use of the good old proverb from the Latin, of which, in part, he takes his pseudonym, "Verbum Sap," I cannot think was intended to suppress free discussion. "A word to the wise is sufficient," if it be a wise word; but, in my humble opinion, his was not such, nor is that of his second communication. I did not write against alcohol in any of its legitimate uses; nor against any man or set of men, in work as men among men, for the welfare of man—"neighbors loving each other as themselves;" but against the employment of alcohol to unman men and cause them to do evil and not good.

When some one said to John B. Gough, "Oh, Mr. Gough, you must admit that a little of the 'cretur' wont hurt you much," he made the wise answer: "If you don't take any, it will not hurt you at all." I want to do all in my power to persuade my fellowmen not to use ardent spirits as a beverage, nor encourage any one else to use them as such, because all history and experience prove that the use of them as such is one of the greatest curses of society. I do not want any man, and certainly not any good man, to be engaged in so bad a business as selling ardent spirits to be used as a beverage. "Verbum Sap" thinks good men in the business would not sell to any who would become drunken, if their friends would ask them not to sell to such. But I have known not a few instances in which wives and mothers, in tears, have pleaded with the sellers of ardent spirits not to sell any more to their husbands and children, who were turned away with refusal of their requests, and even with bad treatment for making the requests.

It would be a sin to mince words on this subject; and the most astounding of sins for any professed lover of the gospel to do anything by word or act to encourage the use and sale of ardent spirits as a beverage, now that facts in superabundance have demonstrated this use and sale to be one of the greatest causes of hindering the success of the gospel.

"Verbum Sap" has as much right to his opinion as I have to mine, and, thinking as he does, he may regard me as a fanatic on the subject. But I love "Verbum Sap," and all who think with him, too much, as my neighbors and fellow-immortals, to withhold from them my honest and candid expression of conviction, that they are wrong in seeking to make it appear that the saloons are needed, and that good men are justified in keeping them, and other good men in asking the court to grant them license to do so. I can but indulge the hope that the time will come when the laws of our land at least, will have eliminated from it every word that mentions the making or selling of alcohol in any form to be used as a beverage. We know it has proper uses; but we know fully as well that as a drink for drink's sake alone, it is out of its proper place. I blush to think that any one should advocate its use as a beverage; and I devoutly pray that every such one may be speedily and permanently converted.

It will not be deemed improper, I think, for me to state, that as a resident of Westminster for twenty-nine years, my observation and experience fully warrant the opinion that our city and vicinity would have been decidedly better off to day, if there had never been a saloon in it. I could write a long chapter of sad facts that occurred here, within my knowledge, illustrating the direful effects of the sale of ardent spirits as a beverage. Both as a minister of the gospel, and educator of the young, I can testify to the harm done to the bodies and souls of men by this business; and it has fallen to my lot to stand with weeping friends and relatives at the graves of some who were prematurely brought to death by the direct influence of the baneful traffic. Persons who say, "Oh, it was only the intemperate use of liquor—not its use—that ruined them," forget the fact that but for the saloons these victims would, in all probability, never have become drunkards.

March 11th, 1895. J. T. WARD.

For the SENTINEL.

Letter from Sunbury, Pa.

SUNBURY, PA., March 11, 1895.

DEAR SENTINEL.—On my arrival here I found a copy of you awaiting me, and I read, I think, every word in it, I was so glad to hear, from our little city down in Carroll county, the news in a general way—being always posted about my own family by its members. Well, here I have been up in the hills for the last fornight or more, with plenty of snow and ice on every hand, huge piles lying along the river banks for many miles. I failed to see a big gorge, and yet there is so much of it that it seems as if there might be plenty of it left up to June.

Sunbury is quite a nice town and is headquarters for the Sunbury Division of the Pa. R. R. The Reading R. R. also crosses the Pennsy here. Through the courtesy of my old schoolmate, Dr. Wm. B. Stoner, formerly of Stonersville, I was shown through the town. Among the objects of interest visited was the court house, a large building admirably adapted to its intended uses. Also the jail, a massive stone structure erected in 1876. A portion of it is fitted up for manufacturing purposes—carpet-weaving, &c., in which long-term prisoners are employed, under a special act of the Legislature, I believe. I also saw the curved railroad bridge, which was the first structure of the kind built in the United States, although I think there are now several others. At the time of its erection it was regarded as a great engineering feat.

Dr. Stoner, through whose kindness I was enabled to see these and other objects of interest to the best advantage, has, I am happy to say, quite a reputation as a physician here and holds several important positions in which he is identified with the leading industries of the town. But notwithstanding his success in life he is the same genial fellow as of yore.

The hotels here are fine and the people, who mostly term themselves Pennsylvania Dutch, are clever, shrewd in business and ever ready to help build up their town. Society is good, schools first-class and the streets well paved within the burough limits. It is like all Pennsylvania towns—solid and full of business.

But our own little Carroll county city only lacks one thing to eclipse them all. In climate, business houses, good water, fine surrounding country for agricultural purposes, &c., it cannot be exceeded. All we need is factories to give employment to our citizens and bring money into the place. If our moneyed men would invest a little more in home industries and enterprises, instead of developing other localities by investments of their surplus capital, we would have a little city that could be surpassed by none. I hope the time will come when it will be said of it, truthfully, "Westminster is up to date in everything."

Our Republican friends here generally congratulate us on recent political results in our old Commonwealth. W.

Bishop Andrews, the presiding officer of the Baltimore Annual Conference, which closed its sessions in Baltimore a few days ago, preached at Mt. Vernon Place Church on Sunday morning and ordained a class of six young preachers to the diaconate. They were: Revs. Lodia E. Dutton, John T. Easor, Amos E. Speilman, L. Emory Bennett, Frank R. Hurtt and Wilson Thomas. Revs. L. E. Dutton and J. T. Easor have been located on circuits in this county. On Sunday afternoon Bishop Andrews ordained nine elders, the ceremony taking place at Bennett Memorial Church, and Rev. Dr. John H. Dashiell preaching the ordination sermon. Those ordained were: Revs. Thomas E. Copes, Frank R. Isaacs, James L. McLain, Edward C. Gallagher, George C. Harris, John T. Marsh, John W. Jones, Leyturn M. Bennett, and George T. Leech. Revs. T. E. Copes, E. C. Gallagher and J. T. Marsh are well known in this county, having filled appointments on circuits here for several years.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children she gave them Castoria

John D. Bowers' is the place to get first-class Meat. Hams 12½ cents, Shoulders 9 cents. Dried Beef a specialty at cut prices.

I have just received a full line of Patent Medicines. Will sell at bottom prices. John D. Bowers.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL, FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 15th, 1895.

W. Scott Heywood the Cornetist with the Dewey Heywood Concert Company which plays in Westminster, this Friday night (15th of March) at Odd Fellows' Hall, under the auspices of Charity Lodge K. of P., undoubtedly has the greatest endurance of any Cornetist living unless it be "Levy" the king of Cornetists. Reserved Seats at Boyle's and Huber's Drug Stores.

REDUCED RATE—THREE DAY EXCURSIONS

Baltimore to Washington and Return via Pennsylvania Railroad, on Saturday and Sunday, March 23rd and 24th. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell at all their Baltimore Ticket Offices—excursion tickets valid going and returning on all regular trains, and good for return passage until following Monday, March 25, (inclusive) at low rate of $1.25 for the round trip.

GLEE CLUB! GLEE CLUB!!

Assisted by the Banjo and Guitar Club of Western Maryland College, will give its annual concert in College Auditorium, on Friday Evening, March 29th. The program will consist of Quartets and Choruses by the Glee Club; Violin Duets, choice selections by Banjo and Guitar Club. Thirty in the Clubs. Doors opened at 7.30 p. m. Performances at 8 o'clock. Reserved seats 25 cents. General admission 15 cents. Tickets for sale at Boyle's and Huber's Drug Stores.

Class No. 1 of Trinity Reformed Sunday School, Manchester, will hold a supper and festival, in the rooms of Mrs. Julia M. Motter, South Main street, this, Saturday, evening, 16th inst., for the benefit of the class and to increase their talent. They will be grateful for a liberal patronage from the public.

The ladies of Grace Lutheran Church will hold a festival in the store room formerly occupied by Cornelius Hull, West Main street, this city, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, March 14, 15 and 16.

HOUSE FOR RENT—On Pennsylvania av., $5.00 per month. Apply to E. J. LAWYER.

Hickory Wood at $4.50 per cord. Leave orders at Smith's Lumber Yard. H. C. Albaugh.

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BARK WANTED

Schlosser Tannery.

We will pay Six Dollars ($6) per Ton of 2,000 lbs., for Prime Chestnut or Spanish Oak Bark,

of this year's peeling, delivered in good order and condition at the SCHLOSSER TANNERY, before the first day of July, 1895.

JAMES S. BAER, Superintendent. ENGLAND & BRYAN, Proprietors. mr-16-6t

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WESTMINSTER, MD.



ATTENTION FARMERS AND FRUIT GROWERS.

I have a fine assortment of Apple, Peach, Plum, Apricot, Pear and Cherry Trees, Blackberries, Raspberries, Japan Wineberries, Lucretia Dewberries, Juneberries, Asparagus, Currants, Gooseberries, H. P. Roses and Climbing Roses, and all kinds of Ornamental Trees, all in thrifty condition.

You can save a large per cent. by buying Home Grown Stock, getting it Healthier and Cheaper than by buying stock raised and sold by foreign agents.

My trees are ready as soon as the weather is fit, to plant this spring.

Thanking my customers for their past patronage and hoping to have their future trade, I am, Respectfully,

E. STONER, Office 163 West Main street, se-15-1y. Westminster, Md.

A GOLD MINE

FOUND IN WESTMINSTER

would doubtless be a happy find, especially at this time, but the next best thing is to call at

JOS. E. SHREEVE'S

NEW GROCERY STORE,

69 E. Main St., Westminster, Md.

Piles of new fresh goods of every description to eat:

Staple and Fancy Groceries and Provisions,

Choice Confectionery, Flour, Fruit, Fancy Cakes, Bread and Rolls, Drugs and Patent Medicines, Cigars and Tobacco.

Highest prices paid for Eggs and Lard in exchange for goods.

☞ Goods delivered free of charge.

Please give me a call. No trouble to show goods. Thanking the public for their past patronage, I solicit a liberal share in the future.

Yours Respectfully, mr-16-1y JOSEPH E. SHREEVE.

Public Sale

OF

Personal Property,

In Finksburg, Carroll county, Md.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale at his residence in Finksburg, Md., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27th, 1895,

at 1 o'clock, p m., sharp, the following property: About 60 barrels of Corn in the ear; 100 to 150 bushels of White Lilly Potatoes, suitable for table or planting purposes; one



Mare, nearly 5 years old, fine driver, both single and double, and good worker; Mare Colt 1½ year old; 4 Yearling Steers, Yearling Heifer, one Sow and Pigs; new 6-horse Iron Axletree and Broadtread Wagon, with large corn bed; hay carriage, 4-horse broadtread wagon, 1 Dayton.

Terms of Sale:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; eight months credit on all sums above $10 upon the purchaser giving his note with approved security bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until satisfactorily settled for.

SAMUEL J. H. FRAZIER. P. A. Gorsuch, Auctioneer. mr-9-ts

Chas. E. Fink, - - Solicitor.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF A—

FARM,

Near Taneytown, Md.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Milton D. Hawn to Edward E. Reindollar, dated June 16, A. D. 1877, and recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county, Md., in Liber F. T. S. No. 10, folio 444, &c., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 6th, 1895,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, all that parcel of land situate, lying and being in Carroll county, in the State of Maryland, about three miles from Taneytown, containing

61 ACRES, 2 RODS and 21 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less. The improvements thereon consist of a good Dwelling House, an excellent Barn,



Wagon Shed and other outbuildings. This is a very desirable property for any one wanting a small farm, and is conveniently located for schools, churches and railroad.

Terms of Sale.—One-third cash upon the day of sale or upon the ratification thereof, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash if desired by the purchaser.

EDWARD E. REINDOLLAR, Mortgagee.

J. N. O. Smith, Auct. mr-9-ts

PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

THE Prohibitionists of Carroll county will meet at Carroll Hall, Westminster, Md., on Saturday, March 23rd, 1895, at 10.30 a. m. W. C. T. U. service at 10.30 a. m. Address by State Chairman, T. M. Prentiss. In the afternoon important campaign business, music, etc. At night mass meeting, addressed by W. Frank Tucker. Every Prohibitionist should attend this most important convention.

CHAS. R. WOODS, County Chairman. m-9-3t

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Another Great Bargain Sale,

Saturday, Mar. 16th, '95.

We hav bought a fu jobs in Glassware. The prices at which tha wil be sold will astonish the univers.

We start them out Saturday. Be on hand.

Smal or medium siz Lamp Chimneys, each, 4c., or 3 Chimneys, for 10c. Large siz Chimneys, worth 10c, only 5c.

A Butiful asst. ov Butter Dishes, Jelly Dishes, Sugar Bowls, Spoon Holders, Goblets, Mugs, etc., etc.

Not a piece in the lot but wud bring 15c. if we chos tu ask it. Yor choic for 5c.

Another lot ov those Butiful China Rose Bowls, worth 25c., 10c.

Butiful larg Glass Water Pitchers, can't be matched anywher under 39c. Our pric 19c.

Sugar Bowl, Cream Pitcher, Spoon Holder, and Covered Butter Dish, the four pieces for only 19c.

Blown Glas Tumblers, butifully engraved, wud be very chep at 81c doz., to-da per doz. only 60c.

A fin asst. ov Pepper and Salt Shakers, sel right along for 10c, to-da only 5c.

Gud siz Tin Wash Basin, 4c.

Galvanized Iron Buckets, wurth 50c, to-da cut tu 19c.

Pins per paper 1c.

25 Gud Needles for 1c.

Tin Jacket Glas Oil Cans, wurth 39c anywhere, cut tu 25c.

Large Box Matches, sel everywher for 2c. Our price 1c.

Thes R only a fu ov our values. Sorry we can't mention more, but havn't the spac.

This sale lasts 1 da only.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1895.

Yours for Bargains.

NEW YORK *BARGAIN* HOUSE, DEPARTMENT STORE, No. 44 West Main Street, Westminster, Md.

T. W. MATHER, PROPRIETOR. sept 29-6m

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

First National Bank of New Windsor, at New Windsor, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, March 5th, 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$71,469 79
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	291 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	55,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	7,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	31,455 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	6,600 00
Due from approved reserve agents	2,074 30
Checks and other cash items	4 00
Notes of other National Banks	700 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	106 47
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz: Specie $ 8,885 00	
Legal tender notes 1,150 00	10,035 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,475 00
Total	$187,710 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$55,000 00
Surplus fund	4,250 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,234 13
National Bank notes outstanding	49,500 00
Due to other National Banks	3,931 19
Dividends unpaid	702 48
Individual deposits subject to check	70,593 15
Notes and bills rediscounted	2,500 00
Total	$187,710 95

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1895.

J. WINFIELD SNADER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

SAMUEL HOFFMAN, JOS. A. STOUFFER, JAMES ERHARD, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

First National Bank of Westminster, at Westminster, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, March 5th, 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$198,514 74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,349 19
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	32,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	75,913 75
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	26,994 93
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	5,789 62
Due from State Banks and bankers	1,824 64
Due from approved reserve agents	7,210 66
Checks and other cash items	241 63
Notes of other National Banks	1,560 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	285 95
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz: Specie $ 15,709 95	
Legal tender notes 10,025 00	25,734 95
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,440 00
Total	$378,859 06

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$125,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,296 62
National Bank notes outstanding	27,780 00
Due to other National Banks	2,005 80
Due to State Banks and bankers	10,939 67
Dividends unpaid	1,205 62
Individual deposits subject to check $ 154,185 81	
Certified checks 6,454 54	160,640 35
Total	$378,859 06

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, GEO. R. GEHR, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. R. GEHR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1895.

HUGO E. FIDDIS, N. P.

CORRECT—Attest:

WILLIAM LAWYER, GRANVILLE S. HAINES, SAMUEL ROOP, } Directors.

J. T. Orndorff's Sons.

It makes no difference where you have been, or what you have seen, the fact cannot be gotten around that we have got the

Largest and Finest Stock in Town.

We have made a special effort this season in

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

The result has already been very satisfactory. It has been said of our Dress Goods and Silks that it is the most complete line and affords a wider range of selection than any that was ever displayed here.

One of the most stylish things that we are showing is a

French Novelty,

IN STRIPES AND FIGURES,

SILK AND WOOL, MIXED,

Exclusive Patterns, $1.00 Per Yd.

One of the cheapest things in trimmings you ever saw is a

Changeable Figured Fancy Silk,

20-inch, 50 cents per yard.

Vandyke Laces and Collars

in jet-black and ecru, will be all the go. If you want to get on a dyke come to us.

J. T. ORNDORFF'S SONS,

THE OLDEST, LARGEST, MOST RELIABLE, SQUAREST AND CHEAPEST STORE IN TOWN.

NEAR R. R. DEPOT,

WESTMINSTER, - MARYLAND. sep-8-1y

J. T. Orndorff's Sons.

TRIMMINGS

of every description.

Correct Things in Summer Fabrics for this season are:

Scotch Lawns, Favilla Pongee, Tela-Vela Duck, Knotted Swiss Muslins, Tettis Brocades, Calli Dimities, Drape Dizmar, Crepe Brocades, Printed Muslins, Percales, Fancy Satines, Manilla Crepes, Black, Fancy and Figured Crimpalines. The newest things in decorations are Satsuma, Japanese Golden, Purdah, Cameo and Hamilton Draperies.

SHIRT WAISTS.

all colors and sizes, from 25 cts. to $1.98.

Japanese Wash Silks for Waists,

Habutais, Plain, 33 cts. yard, corded 50 cents, beautiful colorings.

Ladies' Fine Shoes and Slippers a Specialty.

Nobby Shoes for men in black, russet and patent leathers.

ALWAYS THE LATEST IN GENTS' FURNISHINGS AND HATS.

We can save you money on

Carpets and Mattings.

No matter how hard you may be to please, if you want a Trunk come in and let us show you our Roller Tray Trunks.

Our leader now is COTTONADES at 12½ cents, which others are asking 18 and 20 cents for.

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Miller Bros.

Prices, quality and quantity combined tell the tale—not prices alone. It is an easy matter for a "shop keeper" to buy all low grade of goods, seconds, jobs, the "common run of the mills" and say that he is cheaper than others, while at the same time he is making a better profit off you than the merchant that sells you first-class materials.

You are not after this low class of goods—you want the Frabrics that are worth the money and time expended on them—whether it be Apron Gingham, Wool Dress Goods or Silks, you want the reliable quality. You want to see a reasonable assortment of styles, colors, grades—not one or two pieces of a price. And last of all you want them all at the right prices.

We offer you a proposition to-day and the solution of it you make will be entirely satisfactory to us.

We propose that you shall inspect our stock of colored Dress Goods, of wash Fabrics, of black Dress Goods, of black Silks, of colored Silks, of Trimmings, of Nuns Veilings and Veils, of Hosiery, Gloves and Embroideries, of Underwear, of Domestics of every description, of new Spring Wraps, &c, &c. And if the claims we make for our stock in point of larger variety, better quality and lowest prices is not substantiated we'll have nothing further to say.

Miller Bros.

POPULAR STORES. fe-1-95-3

SPRING OPENING

—AT—

OAK HALL.

NEW WINDSOR, MD.

Housekeepers Look to your Interest.

If you wish to make your hard earned dollar bring you big returns you must come to Oak Hall. Our stock of

CARPETS AND MATTING

is full and much lower than ever before.

A good Rag Carpet, Frysinger's, 23 cents.
A good Flowered Carpet, 25 to 35 cents.
The best all Wool, extra super, 60 cents.
Half Wool Carpets, 38 to 50 cents.
Brussels Carpets, 50 to 75 cents.
A splendid Matting, 10 cents and up.
We are selling Queensware lower than ever this spring. Stock complete.

We have added Wall Paper to our stock and can save you big money. A beautiful paper at 5 cts. per roll.

Our Stock of Spring Dress Goods,

Edgings, Percales, and White Dress Goods, is full, at low prices.

A beautiful line of Dress Goods, from 25 to 50 cents.

46-inch fine French Serge and Henriettas, black and colors, 50 cents, former price 75 and 85 cents.

Come and see us if in need of any goods this spring. There is no house in the county can offer you a finer selection and no one who will appreciate your trade more than we will.

We can supply you from cellar to carret.

Syrup as low as 10 cents per gallon, Sugar good. Our entire stock will be full at the lowest possable prices.

Come and see us. We will save you money.

Respectfully, GEORGE C. ANDERS, ap4-16-93 New Windsor, Md.

STATEMENT

Showing the condition of Mutual Fire Insurance Company in Baltimore County, Md., December 31st, 1894.

ASSETS.

Stocks and Bonds absolutely owned by the Company (market value)	$ 14,288 00	
Interest due and accrued on Stocks, Bonds and other securities	23,611 64	
Cash in Company's principal office and belonging to the Company deposited in Bank	1,471 40	
Premium Notes in force $882,469.00		
All other admitted Assets detailed in statement on file in this office	1,000 00	
Total Cash Assets		$ 40,371 04

LIABILITIES.

Losses reported adjusted and unpaid	$ 430 00	
Premium Notes in force $882,469.00		
Borrowed Money	34,700 00	
Total Liabilities		$ 35,130 00
Surplus as regards policyholders		$ 5,191 04
Total Income	$ 43,008 42	
Total Expenditures	42,247 75	
Amount of Policies in force in Maryland on 31st December, 1894	5,478,950 00	
Amount of Policies written in Maryland during the year 1894	776,784 00	
Premiums received on Maryland business in 1894	16,900 52	
Losses paid in Maryland during 1894	14,034 53	

STATE OF MARYLAND, Insurance Depart., Commissioner's Office, Annapolis, February 28th, 1895.

In compliance with the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company in Baltimore County, Md., to December 31st, 1894, now on file in this Department.

I. FREEMAN RASIN, mr-9-3t Insurance Commissioner.

HORSE BILLS. We have a number of Fine Horse Cuts and print bills cheap.

FLOUR AND MILL FEED.

Encourage Home Enterprise

AND BUY

Home-Made Flour.

Prices as low as the lowest and quality unsurpassed.

FRESH BRAN

AND

WHITE MIDDLINGS

on hand and delivered at the lowest market value!

Farmers Exchange Business

especially solicited. Let every farmer try a barrel of our choice

FAMILY FLOUR,

which we exchange for

Five Bushels of Wheat

and give them feed besides.

Very Respectfully,

N. I. Gorsuch & Son,

WESTMINSTER, MD.

MAGUIRE & CO.,

PRACTICAL SAIL MAKERS,

House and Steamboat Awnings, Dray and Wagon Covers, Hay Covers.

No. 216 Light Street Wharf, mr-31-1y BALTIMORE, MD.

W. B. Wooden, C. E.,

Civil Engineer and Surveyor.

All kinds of Land and Town Surveying done on shortest notice. Am equipped with first-class modern instruments and have access to most valuable papers in the county. Terms reasonable. P. O. address, Box 46, Hampstead, Md. ma-2-tf

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The undersigned hereby notifies all persons in arrears for taxes that they must pay the same promptly, or he will proceed to collect according to law. He can be seen at his residence, Westminster, every day after 2 o'clock, P. M., and on Saturdays all day.

WM. G. RINEHART, mr-2-4t Collector 7th District.

Commissioners' Notice.

THE County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their Office, in Westminster, on the FIRST MONDAY and TUESDAY, and THIRD MONDAY of MARCH, 1895, for the transaction of business.

By order, JOHN J. REESE, feb-9-1m Clerk.

AT $1.00 PER BUSHEL.

Now is your chance to procure Pure Early Freeman and Rural New Yorker No. 2 Potatoes, at half the price charged by Seedmen. For description see seed catalogues.

THOS. H. ROUTSON, ja-5-3m Uniontown, Md.

Baltimore Markets.

Md. Flour—Extra	$2.20@	$2.40
" " Family	2.60@	2.75
" " High Grade Family	3.65@	0.00
" " First Grade Extra	3.40@	0.00
" " Rye Flour	2.90@	3.10
Wheat	58@	61½
Corn	45@	47
Oats	32@	37
Rye	50@	60
Hay	9.00@	13.00
Straw