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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR,
LLOYD LOWNDES,
of Allegany county.

FOR COMPTROLLER,
ROBERT P. GRAHAM,
of Wicomico county.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL,
HARRY M. CLABAUGH,
of Carroll county.

COUNTY TICKET.

FOR STATE SENATOR,
DR. JACOB J. WEAVER, JR.

FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
CHARLES H. SMITH,
CHARLES J. H. GANTER,
WILLIAM F. COVER,
DR. CLOTWORTHY BIRNIE.

FOR SHERIFF,
WILLIAM D. SLACK.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY,
ARTHUR FISHER SMITH.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
ISRAEL C. RINEHART.

FOR JUDGES OF ORPHANS' COURT,
ALBERT SCHAEFFER,
WILLIAM Y. FRIZZELL,
WILLIAM WALLACE NAILL.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
ALFRED T. BUCKINGHAM.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,
WILLIAM A. ROOP.

ELECTION TUESDAY NOVEMBER 5th.

The Democratic bosses are rapidly wrecking the party they profess to serve. The truth is they are much more concerned about their own retention of power than they are about the future welfare of the party.

The Democrats who are fighting for the overthrow of bossism and for fair elections in this State deserve the earnest and unanimous assistance of all the Republicans. Let us have a full vote and a vote to rid the State of political dictators and corruptors of the ballot.

Senator Bennett is asking Republicans to vote for him on his record of eight years in the Maryland Senate. He is flooding the mails of the county with a 4½ by 7 inch printed circular, addressed to Republicans, and containing that record. He certainly accomplished very little in a service of such length and his influence in procuring the passage of the great measure for the relief of the people from unjust taxation was a cipher. There is no warrant for supposing that it will be any greater if he shall be given a third term. It is time for the county to try a new man, and that man is Dr. J. J. Weaver, Jr., who should have the vote of every Republican in the county and of all Democrats who are tired of boss domination.

Secretary Carlisle positively declines to speak for the Democratic ticket in Kentucky. In that State there is a Democratic revolt, as there is in Maryland, but the causes are different. Here it is an uprising against bossism. There it is on the financial question. Kentucky Democrats are divided in their views on the subject of free coinage. The matter was hotly contested in the State convention, but the sound money wing won a victory and adopted a platform in opposition to the silver men. Then, to placate the latter, they nominated Gen. Hardin, a free silver man for Governor. He accepted the nomination, but repudiated the platform. Senator Blackburn sustains him and is making a very bitter canvass, in which he denounces Secretary Carlisle very freely. The Republicans will probably carry the State.

Stripped of all false pretences there is a single issue in the present campaign in Maryland—the people against bossism. The rights of the people have been usurped by the bosses who are using the Democratic party to maintain their own personal ascendency. This fact has been acknowledged by the dominant faction of the Democratic party in Carroll county, which has denounced Gormanism and Gorman methods in unmeasured terms. No Republican speaker or writer in this campaign has been more emphatic in stating the fact than were the Carroll county Democratic conventions of 1894 and 1895, and the present chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, in his speech before the convention last year. It is one of the anomalies that men who recognize and denounce such a condition should be engaged in earnest efforts to perpetuate it, as is the case in Carroll county at this time. Partisanship can no farther go.

State Senator Bennett, in his 4½ by 7 inch record of eight years in the Maryland Senate, claims, among other things, to have "caused a provision to be inserted in the Hayes reassessment bill by which $100,000,000 of property in mortgages was added to the assessable basis for taxation." He should have said would have been added, if the Democratic bosses, whose candidate he is now supporting, had permitted the bill to pass. Furthermore, this very candidate, Mr. John E. Hurst, was one of the most decided opponents of the bill and headed a committee of leading citizens of Baltimore who went before the Senate Committee, which had the bill in charge, and protested against its passage and was largely instrumental in procuring its defeat. If Mr. Bennett wants Republican votes on the feature of his record referred to, he ought to be consistent and oppose the election of this man who stood so prominently in the way of legislation for the relief of the tax-payers.

The appointment of Mr. Charles J. Bonaparte as a member of the Board of Supervisors of Election, in Baltimore, is bearing fruit in his exposure of the thoroughly partisan methods of his associates Bians and Lanahan. These men have no higher conception of their duties than the notion that they were appointed to serve the Democratic party. Their conduct is sufficient in itself to indicate that the last thing the bosses want is a fair election. Mr. Bonaparte will do his best to obstruct attempts at fraud and will be a valuable officer in that respect—not to the Republican party, but to the people, whose rights are denied by Gorman methods and Gormanism.

Such Democrats in Maryland as Ex-Governor William Pinkney Whyte, Col. Charles Marshall, Senator W. Cabell Bruce, Wm. Keyser, Joseph S. Huisler, Robert T. Banks and thousands of the best element of the Democratic party in the State are making a determined effort to deliver their party from the domination of the bosses and to bring about honesty and fairness in elections. In this effort they should have the earnest support of the Republicans, who can only render assistance in the matter by polling their full strength throughout the State, and polling it solid for their own nominees, whose election is the only method by which the power of bossism can be broken.

In one of its issues last week the Baltimore *Evening News* published a copy of a circular, signed by Mr. Hattersley W. Talbott, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, which the *News* says was addressed to all the Democratic saloon keepers of Baltimore. It was an appeal for contributions to the bosses' campaign fund, and promised repayment in the future—by "repayment" meaning, of course, increased privileges and exemption from punishment for violations of the liquor laws. Yet some Christian Prohibitionists in Carroll county, it is said, mean to desert their own party and vote the ticket of the bosses who make this shameful proposition.

Is This Ignorance?

The *Advocate* of last week, in the usual elegant style and the courteous manner for which it is so remarkable, said:

"The Baltimore *Sun*, the leading organ of the Lowndes—Clabaugh—Watty Black and Tan Party, has virtually given up the fight. It is preparing an excuse to give for the route of itself and party, and is getting up bogus reports of an army of repeaters gathering in Baltimore to be ready to vote on election day. On the morning of November 6th, when the returns will show a Democratic majority of about 15,000, it will charge that there was fraud, and in big head-lines, too."

The *Sun*, on the very same date that the above appeared, said:

> As the campaign approaches its culminating point the Gorman orators show by an increasing display of bad temper and worse taste in their speeches that they fear an adverse verdict from the people. Nor is there much doubt that such a verdict is now ready to be rendered at the polls if the schemes of the bosses for swamping the honest vote of the city of Baltimore by fraudulent ballots can be thwarted *as there is good reason to hope that they will.*

The Carroll county organ of the ballot-stealing bosses was slightly off in attributing surrender to the *Sun*, as the above extract from the latter paper proves; but then the readers of the former are expected to accept its statements without question and to know no better.

Instigating Violations of Law.

President Cleveland is credited with being the author of the principle that "public office is a public trust," but the principle itself has always been in existence and has been known to every student of the Government. The Statutes of the United States and the Rules and Regulations of the several Departments of Government, made in pursuance of the statutes and having the force of law, carefully guard all public offices against prostitution to personal or partisan uses. The department which is most closely connected with all the people, and with which almost every citizen has frequent official intercourse, is not only no exception to the general rule, but seems to have special safeguards thrown around it to prevent the rights of one citizen being invaded by another. We allude, of course, to the Postoffice Department. These reflections are called forth by recent occurrences in this county, in which successful attempts have been made to instigate violations of the postal laws by inducing postmasters to furnish lists of subscribers of the SENTINEL to Democratic Headquarters in this city. Following is a copy of a type-written request, forwarded to us by one of the postmasters to whom it was addressed:

> DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS,
> WESTMINSTER, OCT. 14th, 1895.
>
> POSTMASTER:—Please send us a list of all Republicans taking the Westminster SENTINEL at your office, also Republicans not taking the SENTINEL.
>
> By request of Democratic Committee.
> Address, Democratic Headquarters,
> Westminster, Md.

State Senator Bennett is our authority for saying that this, or a similar, request was made of the postmasters of the county generally, and that most of them have complied with it. The Senator boasted that he had made use of the names thus received, to get the circular containing his public record into the hands of Republicans of this county. Whether he prompted the request that went out from Democratic Headquarters is not material. The circumstances indicate that he was cognizant of the proceeding and knew that the postmasters were called upon to violate the laws which they were officially obligated to observe, and he himself is authority, as already said, for the statement that he took advantage of this violation to send his circular to Republicans who take the SENTINEL.

The fact that, in all probability little harm has been done to the Republican cause, or to any candidates on the Republican ticket, by the proceeding, does not mitigate the offence. The culpability lies in the act itself, not in its consequences, and the postmasters implicated in the transaction are liable to removal, if not to prosecution.

One of the provisions of Section 462 of the Postal Laws and Regulations is as follows:

> "Postmasters and all others in the service are forbidden to furnish information concerning mail matters received or delivered, except to the persons to whom it is addressed, or to their authorized agents or postoffice inspectors. A disregard of this regulation will render the offender liable to removal."

A more emphatic portion of the same section is that which declares that postmasters and others are "strictly prohibited from making public any names, addresses, or private information obtained by them in the discharge of their official duties."

Clearly then, postmasters who have been persuaded by the circular from Democratic Headquarters to grant the request therein contained have made themselves liable to removal, if not to a worse penalty. Senator Bennett says all evidences of the transaction have been destroyed at the headquarters, and that he will protect the postmasters who have assisted him in the matter. There are methods, however, by which the desired evidence can be obtained if further inquiry be considered desirable, but apart from that, who is to relieve the Senator and the Democratic Committee from the impropriety of their share in the business? The chairman of the committee is a lawyer and is assumed to have had a knowledge of the law which the postmasters were requested to violate. Mr. Bennett has been a State Senator for eight years, an exalted station, and ought to have sufficient intelligence, without a knowledge of the law, to understand that postmasters should not disclose the affairs of their offices, or give information gained therein, in this improper fashion. Let the Republicans, whose votes he is soliciting on the record which he sums up in a 4½ by 7 inch circular, set the transaction herein recited over against that record and cast their ballots against him.

Lowndes vs. Hurst.

The attempt of Democratic journals and speakers to divert attention from the boss-ridden condition of the Democratic party in Maryland, by charging that Lowndes' nomination for Governor was forced upon the Republican party by bossism, is about the baldest sham of the canvass. Mr. Lowndes was, unquestionably, the choice of a majority of the Republicans of the State. Mr. Wm. T. Malster, of Baltimore, a Republican who deserves the respect of all men, was his principal competitor for the nomination. Mr. Malster had many friends, and a creditable representation in the convention. When these delegates found that a majority of the votes would be cast for Mr. Lowndes, they promptly made his nomination unanimous. The proceedings were utterly unlike those of the Democratic convention. The delegates voted for the candidates in whose favor they were chosen by the people who elected them. Mr. Lowndes was the choice of the majority and was made the standard-bearer. Few Republicans doubt the wisdom and propriety of his nomination, and the vaporings of an anonymous writer, assuming the title of "A Malster Republican," cannot change the overwhelming sentiment in his favor, or throw a shadow of doubt upon the integrity of his nomination. There is a great contrast between the manner of his selection as the head of the Republican ticket and that in which Mr. Hurst was named, by the Democratic convention. Mr. Hurst's name was not before the people as a prospective candidate. The delegates were without knowledge that his name would be before them until the convention met. They, with scarcely an exception, favored other candidates. But they were restrained from voting for the men of their choice, and for whom the Democrats elected them to vote, by a power superior to, and that controlled, their wills.

Now, there is not an intelligent Democrat in the State who does not know the source of that power. Two men, who were not elected by the Democrats to represent them in the convention, commanded and the delegates obeyed. There was no pretense of obedience to the wishes of the people. In fact the people and their preferences were repudiated and the dictation of the two bosses was accepted with scarcely a remonstrance. It was the convention of Gorman and Rasin, not of the Democratic party, and every real Democrat was made free, by its action, to vote against the nominees, without violating his fealty to his party.

It was an exhibition of the power of Gormanism and, as the recent Democratic convention in this county declared, a shameless usurpation of the rights of the people. Torture and twist the facts as they may, no conscientious Democrat can believe that the two candidates for Governor present only a choice between different forms of bossism. The one was nominated by the convention of his party after fair and open competition before the people. The name of the other was never brought to the attention of the people for their consideration. His candidacy, under the circumstances, is a thorough usurpation and a reversal of the true theories of Democratic government. To vote for him is to put on the collar of Gorman and Rasin.

A Specimen Colored Democrat.

The thin-skinned Democratic orators and journalists, whose peace of mind seems to be sadly disturbed by visions of mixed schools and negro policemen, are apparently not much aggrieved by the conduct of a colored Democratic rough during the registration at Gardenville, Baltimore county, two weeks ago. In fact they refrain from all allusion to the matter, although the man, whose name is J. H. Caldwell, mingled freely with his white Democratic friends and assisted them materially in preventing Republicans from registering. Cadwell was at the registration office again on Monday, intimidating Republicans, but with not quite as much success as on the former occasion, as the police gave some show of protection. Still, there were threats of violence and timid men were driven away as a consequence and failed to register. Caldwell was recognized as an assailant of another colored man named John H. Gresham, whose clothing he cut to shreds, at the former sitting of the registration officers. Gresham pointed him out on Monday and he was arrested, but was soon released on bail and was back at the registrar's office repeating his threats. In fact, he was "hand in glove" with the white Democrats and they seemed to enjoy the association. Couldn't some of our Democratic cotemporaries get up a little show of indignation against the adherents of their own party in this case?—not because they interfered with the rights of Republicans, you know, but because they associated with a negro in doing it. Some such stand ought to be taken or the "bugaboo" of negro equality will lose its potency, and fail to scare voters "wuth a cent."

Of course Caldwell is a hero with the ballot-stealers and their apologists, but it won't do to let that be known, or the stock in trade of some journals will suffer serious depletion. There should be just a seeming of indignation against this bold colored Democratic assistant, because of his independence in placing himself on an equality with white heelers. We suggest to our Democratic brethren of the press that they speak out promptly, or the best part of their campaign material will be seriously damaged.

A Rattled Statesman.

The Baltimore *Sun* says: "Mr. Gorman said on Monday night that the reason The *Sun* opposed his compromise tariff bill and advocated a radical measure was because it did not want any tariff at all. Mr. Wm. L. Wilson and the House of Representatives also opposed Mr. Gorman's bill and advocated the same sort of measure that the *Sun* did. So also did Grover Cleveland. So also did the democratic national convention. According to Mr. Gorman's logic the House of Representatives, the national convention and the President were all really opposed to tariff reform and attempted to defeat it by advocating and supporting it. There was clearly a small supply of logic available when Mr. Gorman was evolved. Such a floundering statesman has rarely been on exhibition in this or any other country."

Mr. Philip D. Laird, a Democrat who has been frequently honored by his party, says "the defeat of Mr. Hurst means a true Democratic victory." It will certainly be the defeat of the worst anti-Democratic combination in the history of Maryland. Mr. Laird is Commissioner of the Land Office, by appointment of Gov. Brown.

The henchmen of the bosses, who have exerted their best efforts to embitter the friends of Mr. Wm. T. Malster against Hon. Lloyd Lowndes, must realize the futility of their labors in that direction. Mr. Malster, himself, spoke for and with Mr. Lowndes at Elkton, on Thursday.

From our Regular Correspondent.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24th, 1895.

The time is now nearly here when the issues will be joined and the battle of ballots fought. The Republicans will go into the fight this year with that serene confidence born of a consciousness of strength and right, while their opponents were never so demoralized or disheartened upon the verge of conflict. The campaign now about to close has been a succession of triumphs for the Republican leaders. They have outgeneraled the foe at every point. There have been three pitched battles, so far, between the parties, not to speak of numerous minor skirmishes, and in all of these the Republicans have won signal victories. Surely, this should be an augury of success on November 5.

Have you noticed how completely the Republicans have outgeneraled the Democrats during the campaign? The enemy first started out with all the bravado and insolent disregard of law and order of former years to have the voting lists fixed up as they pleased, and to exclude Republican watchers. But the courts and public opinion rose up, and smote them such a blow that they have not yet completely recovered. And then the strange scene was witnessed of these arrogant Democratic bosses crawling on their knees to Mr. Wellington, asking for a "compromise," under which watchers of both parties were to be permitted in the registration office. Mr. Wellington knew he had them, however, and his contemptuous spurning of their advances is still ringing in their ears. That was one defeat for the Democratic bosses, and a very bad one.

Just here, in passing, stop for a moment to compare the two mass meetings held in this city by the contending parties. The Democratic Hurst ratification meeting was disappointing in size, and almost frosty so far as enthusiasm and zeal were concerned. The Republican meeting, at the same place the following week, was like one great spontaneous uprising of the entire people. The great hall was packed to suffocation, and fully five thousand voters were unable to get inside, and held an overflow meeting in the streets. The enthusiasm was remarkable, and the old politicians said they never saw such a meeting. That was another triumph for the Republican cause.

In forcing Governor Brown, against his will, to appoint Mr. Charles J. Bonaparte as the Republican supervisor of election for Baltimore city, Mr. Wellington and the Republican leaders played a trump card, and won, perhaps, the greatest victory of all. The entire Democratic machine rose up en masse to fight Mr. Bonaparte, and to be compelled to take him was the bitterest dose that could have been forced down their throats. The moral effect of the appointment of such a brainy, keen, wide-awake, fearless and sturdy advocate of good government, clean methods and pure elections as Mr. Bonaparte has always shown himself to be, has already made itself felt in all directions, and is a serious menace to the continuance in power of men who thrive only on fraud, and have held power for thirty years only by the most barefaced outrages upon the freedom of the ballot.

The democrats have placed over 8,000 fraudulent names on the registration books this year, and they expect that their repeaters will vote on most of these. In fact, some of their leaders openly acknowledge that in this way they expect to counterbalance the disaffection in their ranks. From some houses in the neighborhood of Marsh Market Space as many as seventy men are registered from a single house, and the majority of these were never known there. Chief Hofstetter, of Baltimore county, resigned last week because public opinion blamed him for allowing the fraud and violence at the registration offices in his territory, when he and his police were under secret orders from the Democratic county commissioners to keep hands off, and not interfere with the plans of unscrupulous politicians. All these things are simply straws, showing that the Democrats are desperate, and determined to resort to any kind of fraudulent practices this year in order to win. Mr. Gorman said very significantly in his speech to the seventeenth ward Democrats on Monday night: "We have got control, and we intend to keep it." That, however, rests with the people, no matter how Mr. Gorman may be disposed to leave the people out of his calculations. Some prophets early in the campaign asserted that the Republican cause would take a great tumble in October. Well, October is nearly gone and, unless all signs fail, Mr. Lowndes is stronger to day than ever. He is making friends daily, and there is not the slightest indication anywhere that the great number of Democrats who have made up their minds to vote for him are changing. The great silent vote is still silent, but it is still determined to wipe Democratic bossism in Maryland off the face of the eath.

President Hood Re-Elected.

The directors of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, who were elected at the stockholders' meeting, October 16, organized on Wednesday.

For the twenty-third consecutive term Mr. John M. Hood was elected president and general manager. Mr. George H. Baer was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

Mr. Hood was also elected president and Mr. George H. Baer secretary and treasurer at meetings of the directors of the following branch lines: Western Maryland Tidewater Railway Company, Western Maryland Railroad Terminal Company, Baltimore and Cumberland Valley Railway Company, Potomac Valley Railroad Company of West Virginia, Potomac Valley Railroad Company of Maryland.

The following statement of the Western Maryland Company's earnings and expenses for September last was issued:

	1895.	1894.		
G. earnings	$135,369.11	$133,517.39	Inc.	$1,851.72
Expenses...	75,273.05	70,584.74	Inc.	4,688.31
N. earnings	$60,096.06	$62,932.65	Dec.	$2,836.59

For the twelve months ended September 30, 1895, compared with the corresponding months of the previous fiscal year, the statement is as follows:

	1895.	1894.		
G.er'ngs	$1,275,469.27	$1,203,174.34	In.	$72,294.93
Expen's.	820,145.86	784,784.96	In.	35,360.90
N. er'ngs.	$455,323.41	$418,389.38	In.	$36,934.03

Accompanying these figures was the following statement: "It is probable that the net earnings for September, 1895, will be somewhat improved when we come to substitute the actual for the estimated earnings from business "interchanged with other roads."

Potomac Synod Reformed Church.

The twenty-third annual session of the Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States, began in Frederick, on Tuesday, Rev. Wm. M. Detrick, D. D., president; Rev. T. F. Hoffmeier, secretary; Rev. S. S. Miller, [illegible]urer. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. W. I. Stewart, of Baltimore. The treasurer of the Society for the Relief of Disabled Ministers and Widows reported receipts for the year, $3,352; disbursements to 42 annuitants, $2,633.42; invested fund, $36,000. The Potomac Synod comprises 160 ministers, 302 congregations, 35,625 members, with 183 Sunday Schools and 26,785 scholars. The report of the year's work of the board of education showed that several young men had been aided in their ministerial studies and the work had been carried on successfully. Rev. Dr. E. R. Eschbach, president of the Woman's College, reported the receipts the past year $12,297.13 and the expenditures $11,955.74. The scholars enrolled number 141. The members of the synod visited the Woman's College. Wednesday an interesting service took place in the church, when the annual meeting of the Missionary Society was held and the Maryland Classis ordained Licentitate Christopher Noss to the foreign missionary work in Japan. The address was delivered by the Rev. W. E. Hoy, missionary to Sendal, Japan, and the charge to the new missionary was delivered by the Rev. Dr. James I. Good, president of the foreign missionary board. The Rev. Mr. Noss responded. He and his bride will sail for Japan December 1.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

A very cold Winter is coming, according to Hicks;
Those unprepared with fuel it seriously afflicts;
Now to guard against freezing and such like woe
Go buy cheap Coal of Bennett & Co.
(SHORT-FELLOW.)

Attention is directed to a Free Lecture by Evangelist Howard Stewart, next Sunday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall. These Lectures are addressed to all who believe in Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God. Thousands in all denominations of the Christian Church are looking for and expecting the early appearing of our Lord, but have confused and indefinite ideas upon the subject. So much fanaticism, disorder and rejection of what is good has been connected with public teachings on this subject, that many shrink from looking farther into it for fear of being identified with what is not sober minded. An effort will be made in these addresses to explain what is taught in the Scriptures, to clear up confusion in the mind and give good reason for believing that Our Lord's Second Coming is near at hand.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church, New Windsor, will hold their annual oyster supper on Thanksgiving Day, in the lecture room of the Church, and continue Friday and Saturday evenings. Dinner will also be served on Thanksgiving Day.

An oyster supper for the benefit of the Warfieldsburg Cornet Band will be held on the schoolhouse grounds, at Warfieldsburg, this afternoon and evening. The band will play some of the best music in its repertoire, on the occasion.

The ladies of Sandy Mount M. P. Church will hold their annual Oyster Supper, in the basement of the church, on Saturday evening, November 2nd, 1895, and also the following Tuesday, all day and at night.

An oyster supper for the benefit of repairs being made to the M. P. Church at Uniontown will be given Thursday and Friday nights, and Saturday afternoon and night, 31st inst., and November 1st and 2nd. Come and see what good things you can get for 25 cents.

FOR SALE.

Forty fine Shoats and Pigs, by DAVID H. ZIMMERMAN Lauver, Md.

"Exposition Flyer" to Atlanta via Pennsylvania Railroad.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on and after Sunday, October 6th, place in service the "Exposition Flyer" between New York and Atlanta via Washington and the Southern Railway. The train will be composed of through Pullman sleeping cars between New York and Atlanta, passenger coaches between New York and Washington, and Pullman sleeping cars and vestibule coaches between Washington and Atlanta. The through sleeping car will be run on trains Nos. 51 and 35 between New York and Washington.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A one-horse Wagon, in good condition, Apply to GEO. W. LAMOTTE, 305 E. Main St.

Bennett & Co. have on hand now the largest, finest, and cheapest stock of lumber that has been offered in Westminster for ten years. Call and see it.

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

MARRIED.

At St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Camden, N. J., October 24th, 1895, by Rev. Mr. Pinnick, Mr. Charles E. Hering, of Westminster, Md., to Miss Louise G. Vinton, of Camden, N. J.

At Silver Run, October 17th, 1895, by Rev. A. F. Dreisbach, Ph. D., Mr. Verley J. Brown, of Taneytown, to Miss Delia A. Baum, of Cherrytown, both of this county.

At the M. E. parsonage, Hampstead, October 17th, 1895, by Rev. Emory Buhrman, Mr. Harry Murray, of Hampstead, to Miss Emma R. Wampler, of Houcksville.

At the M. P. Church, Union Bridge, October 23rd, 1895, by Rev. Dr. J. J. Murray, Mr. Claude Billmyer to Miss Josephine Smith, both of Union Bridge.

At the bride's home, October 17th, 1895, by Rev. C. M. Eyster, Mr. Richard M. Martin, of near Hampstead, to Miss Lillie May Palmer, of Bachman's Mills.

At the home of the bride, in Uniontown, October 20th, 1895, by Rev. G. W. Baughman, Mr. Nevin G. Hiteshew to Miss Beryl E. Lefevre, both of this county.

At Smallwood, October 17th, 1895, by Rev. S. S. Henry, Mr. Edward Niner, of Smallwood, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Zeller, of Fenby.

DIED

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions of regret on deaths charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published gratuitously.

In Baltimore, October 20th, 1895, Thomas C. Thomson, formerly of this county, aged 52 years.

Near New Windsor, October 7th, 1895, Mrs. Eleanor M. Davidson, aged 52 years, 7 months.

At the residence of his grand-father, Henry Marker, near Warfieldsburg, October 21st, 1895, J. Harry, son of Owen P. and Jennie McGrain, of Baltimore, aged 3 years, 1 month and 27 days.

"Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on His gentle breast;"
There is our darling, Harry,
Safely there at rest.

In loving remembrance of my little nephew, Norman Myerly, only and beloved child of Benton and Callie Myerly, who departed this life September 4th, 1895, aged 1 year, 10 months, 1 day.

Gone, but not forgotten.

Dear is the spot where Norman sleeps,
And sweet the strains the angels pour;
O, why should we in anguish weep?
Norman's not dead, but gone before.

You are not forgotten, Norman, dear,
Nor ever will you be;
For as long as life and memory last,
I will remember thee.

Forget thee! O when life shall cease,
To thrill this heart of mine,
And not till then, will we forget,
One look or love of thine.

Our feet will oft times wander
Toward that sacred mound,
Where sleeps that form we cherished,
In consecrated ground.

Then on thy peaceful pillow,
The bitter tears will fall,
As we think of our dear Norman,
The idol of us all.

—By his aunt, Addie Shaw.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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 NOVEMBER, 1895, for the transaction of business.

By order, JOHN J. REESE,
oct-26-1m Clerk.

For Sale Cheap.

A Trotting Buggy, in first-class condition, with seat for two. Sold only for want of use. Apply to
CHAS. T. REIFSNIDER, JR.,
oc-26-4t Westminster, Md.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of

NOAH SCHAEFFER,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1896, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands, this 22nd day of October, 1895.

GEORGE K. SCHAEFFER.
FERDINAND D. SCHAEFFER,
oct-26-4t Executors.

THE MIDNIGHT CRY!

Free Lecture

by the Evangelist Howard Stewart,

SUNDAY AFTERNOON NEXT,
OCT. 27th, at 3.30 o'clock, in
ODD FELLOWS' HALL,
Westminster.

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

Not so-called Second Adventism. oc-26-1t*

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, in the city of Westminster, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9th, 1895,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described Personal Property:

THE HIGH BRED TROTTING STALLION HAPPY JAKE,

Brood Mare Mossy Forrest, Record 2.32; Bay Mare, 6 years old, good leader; 1 pair Grey Geldings, fine drivers, well matched, full brothers; Bay Horse, good worker in all harness; three-year old Mare, by Happy Jake, broken to single harness; one two-year old Mare, well bred; 1 one-year old Gelding, by Happy Jake; dam of both the last mentioned, Mossy Forrest; 12 head of Fine Berkshire Shoats, two Broadtread four-horse Wagons, two Hay Carriages, one Family Carriage, Stone Bed, four Dump Carts and other articles not mentioned.

Terms made known on day of sale.

oc-26-ts EDWARD LYNCH.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on the premises in and near the city of Westminster, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16th, 1895,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described HOUSES, BUILDING AND PASTURE LOTS:

No. 1. Brick Front with Frame Back Building, No. 45 Liberty street, now occupied by M. J. Lynch. No. 2. Brick House, No. 43, Liberty street, now occupied by Joseph P. Yingling. No. 3. Brick House on Liberty street, now occupied by Simon Reese.

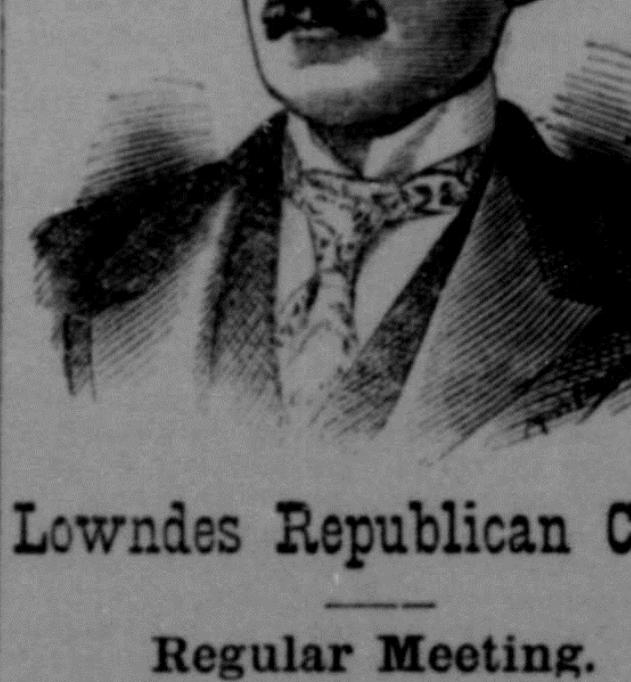
Also the following described Pasture Lots: No. 1, contains about four acres; No. 2, about 3 acres; No. 3, about 2½ acres—these lots adjoin the lands of George C. Crass and lie between the Western Md. Railroad and the road leading to the Goodwin quarries—No. 4, 3 acres; No. 5, 3 acres. These lots adjoin the land of H. E. Morelock and lie between Western Md. Railroad and Long alley.

All these lots are in the highest state of cultivation, have running water upon them, and open roads to them make them very desirable pasture lots. Also the following described Building Lots:—2 Lots on Liberty street, fronting 45 feet each; one on same street fronting 60 feet; 6 Lots on George street fronting 40 feet each; one on southwest corner of Green and Madison street, fronting 45 feet on Green and 198 feet on Madison.

Terms made known at sale, when a plat of the whole will be shown.

oc-26-ts EDWARD LYNCH.

WESTMINSTER



Lowndes Republican Club.

Regular Meeting.

The regular weekly meeting of the
LOWNDES REPUBLICAN CLUB
will be held at
ODD FELLOWS' HALL, on
MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 28th,
at 7.30 o'clock. Speeches will be made
on the occasion by
COL. THOMAS S. HODSON,
of Baltimore;
HON. J. COOKMAN BOYD,
of Baltimore;
DR. GEORGE T. MOTTER,
of Taneytown.

Republicans from every district in the county are requested to attend this meeting. Citizens of all parties are cordially invited to be present on the occasion. Ladies will be welcome. The singing of campaign songs will be a feature of the meeting.

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

GRAND

CLEARING OUT SALE.

Right in the height ov the season—now while U need the goods—we R going to start the most gigantic Bargain Sale ever known in our history.

The reason: We laid in a tremendous stock ov fall goods. From floor to ceiling our store has been literally packed and jammed.

Up to this time the exceptionally warm and open weather has caused fall trade to cum in sumwhat slowly, so we must hurry it up a little. U kno we R to do the Christmas trade ov the town this year, Our Christmas goods R already cumming in and our shelves and counters

MUST be CLEARED at ONCE

to make room for them. Reduced prices will do it, and this plan, while relieving us, will also benefit U.

This sale iz not to make money for us, but to dispose of goods and make room for our immense Christmas stock. It iz our fault that we hav gotten into this hole; we should not hav bought so largly.

We will offer sum special bargains each day, to be announced each day by a bulletin board in front ov our store and circulars which will be sent to yor door. Watch for them.

Here R a few starters:

Men's Red Flannel Undershirts, actual value 45c, clearing out sale price, 19c.

Ladies' Corsets, made by the famous Warner Bros., actual value 50c, C. O. S. price 37c.

Men's Black Derby Hats, just from the makers' and positivly the latest stile, after xamination U tell us their value, C. O. S. price $1.13.

A small lot ov Brooms, worth 25c, C. O. S. price 12½c.

Men's extra weight Canton Flannel Drawers, actual value about 30c, C. O. S. price 17c.

Ladies' fine Dongola Shoes, actual value anywhere $1.25, C. O. S. price 75c.

Extra larg tin Wash Basins, worth 10c, C. O. S. price 5c.

Etc., Etc. In every department of our store U will find immense reductions.

And in addition to all this we will, during this sale, giv to every customer 5 per cent. discount. This virtually means that when U purchase $5,00 worth we make U

A PRESENT OV 25 CENTS IN
COLD HARD CASH,

while at the same time we giv U the most stupendous bargains U ever received. This ov cors involves great loss to us, but we can't help it.

This sale will commence to-day,
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26TH,
and close November 9th.

Don't forget the special announcements each day and the 25c, and we will giv yor money back if U want it.

Yours for Bargains.
NEW YORK *BARGAIN* HOUSE,
DEPARTMENT STORE,
No. 44 West Main Street, Westminster, Md.
T. W. MATHER, Prop.

CHAS. E. FINK, - - SOLICITOR.

Trustee's Sale

OF DESIRABLE

HOUSES AND LOTS,

In Union Bridge, Carroll county, Md.

The undersigned Trustee, by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, sitting in Equity, passed on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1895, in a cause wherein Mary H. Moore is complainant and Helen J. Moore et al. are defendants, will offer at Public Sale on the premises, on

SATURDAY, OCT. 26th, A. D. 1895,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following two parcels of land with the improvements thereon, all situate in the town of Union Bridge, in Carroll county, Md.

1. All that lot of land containing

6930 SQUARE FEET,

more or less, situate on the west side of Whyte street, in said town, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Mary T. Clary and Mrs. Eliza J. Smith, and is improved with a large Brick House finished in modern style.

2. All that lot of land containing

15,463 SQUARE FEET,

more or less, situate on the west side of South Main street, in said town, improved with a Large Double House, Frame Weather-boarded, built for two families. This lot has an ARTESIAN WELL OF WATER near the door.

Both the above mentioned properties are part of the estate of Joseph Moore, late of said county, deceased, and all are under good roofing and in good repair.

All taxes due up to day of sale will be paid by the undersigned.

Terms of Sale as prescribed by the decree: One-third cash on the day of sale, or upon the ratification thereof; one-third in one year, and one-third in two years from day of sale, with interest, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with security to be approved of by the trustee.

CHARLES E. FINK,
oc-5-ts Trustee.

Small Farm at Private Sale.

I offer at private sale my Farm, situated on the public road leading from Pleasant Valley to the Plank road, about ½ mile from the former place, and 5 miles from Westminster, containing 65 Acres of land, beautifully located and improved with a large Brick House, with 8 rooms, basement and cellar; large bank barn with wagon shed attached, hog house, dairy, etc. Running water at barn. The buildings are all as good as new and conveniently located. The land is in a high state of cultivation, and is conveniently watered by never failing streams. Fruit of all kind. About 3 acres is in heavy timber. For further particulars call on or address,

THEO. J. MYERS,
oc-5-4t* Box 27 Pleasant Valley.

NO. 3377 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

James A. Diffenbaugh, Extr., etc., assignee, vs. Mary M. Catzendafner and husband, mortgagors.

Ordered, by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, sitting as a Count of Equity, this 7th day of October, A. D. 1895, that the sale of the mortgaged property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James A. Diffenbaugh, executor of John Henry Diffenbaugh, deceased, assignee of administrators of mortgagee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 11th day of November next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Carroll county, Md., once a week of three successive weeks before the 4th day of November, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $680.00.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

True Copy—Test:
oc-12-3t BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

Westminster Conservatories.

Having completed my new Greenhouses, I am now prepared to furnish any kind of Cut Flowers. Keep on hand Choice Roses, Carnations, Smilax, Chrysanthemums, &c. I am also prepared to furnish any kind of funeral or wedding design. Finest in the county at moderate prices.

Greenhouses, Cemetery Gate, Westminster, Md. Flowers for sale and orders also received at A. H. Wentz's Jewelry Store.

Respectfully,
oc-19-tf MARIA A. BROOKS.

Miller Bros'.

Popular Stores.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY
INVITED TO VISIT
OUR STORES

SATURDAY, NOV. 2nd, '95,

And all during the following Week. As a Special Attraction we have prepared a treat for all lovers of

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

We purchased last February, from MRS. JOS. D. BROOKS, the well known florist of this city, 400 Plants, and they will be on exhibition at our Stores from

SATURDAY, NOV. 2ND, TILL SATURDAY, NOV. 9TH.

MILLER BROS'.
Popular Stores.
Leaders and Originators.

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PROHIBITION STATE TICKET

For Governor,
JOSHUA LEVERING,
of Baltimore City.

For Comptroller,
J. D. NICODEMUS,
of Frederick county.

For Attorney-General,
W. FRANK TUCKER,
of Baltimore City.

COUNTY TICKET.

For State Senator,
FRANK K. HERR.

For House of Delegates,
THOMAS W. MATHER,
JOHN W. ANGEL,
WASHINGTON RIDGELY,
LEWIS N. BAILE.

For Sheriff,
JOHN BURGOON.

For State's Attorney,
CHARLES R. WOODS.

For County Commissioner,
JOHN HARTSOCK.

For Judges of Orphans' Court,
JACOB M. HOFF,
D. MARTIN BUFFINGTON,
GEORGE W. RILL.

For County Treasurer,
J. ALBERT ANGEL.

For County Surveyor,
WILSON R. STRAW.

Abraham Price,

(SUCCESSOR TO JAS. W. LOCKARD,)

DEALER IN

Furniture, Sash, Doors, Blinds,
Sewing Machines, &c.,

WEST MAIN ST., - NEAR RAILROAD,
WESTMINSTER, MD.,

will keep constantly on hand Chamber Suits, Parlor Suits, Dining Sets and all kinds of office Furniture,

At the very Lowest Prices.

Also Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c., which I will sell as low as they can be bought anywhere in the State. Call and get prices before purchasing. oc-12-1y

The Standard,
BEST AND
MOST ECONOMICAL
CORN HARVESTER
ON EARTH.

1 HORSE AND 2 MEN WILL CUT 5 TO 8 ACRES IN A DAY.

All metal with SAFETY GUARDS. It will pay you to write us for circular and prices.

THE STANDARD HARROW CO.,
UTICA, N. Y.

Special Notice.

J. J. LYNERD has returned to Manchester, and will open a Harness Store at the old stand, where he will be pleased to see his friends and the public. oc-12-3t*

J. W. Shunk's

LEADING

Harness and Turf Goods House

has just received, direct from the factory, a magnificent assortment of

Robes, Blankets and
Turf Goods

for the fall and winter trade, of the best quality and lowest possible prices, consisting of

Galloway, Bear, Fox, and Goat
Robes, Plush and Wool Robes,
5A Horse Blankets,

from the best to the cheapest grades.

Not wishing to carry a large lot of

HARNESS AND BUGGIES

through the winter we will close out the remaining stock at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

to make room for our winter goods. We have

All the Leading Brands of
Cattle Powder,

which we will sell at a Big Reduction.

Call early and get the benefit of choice.

Respectfully,
J. W. SHUNK,
Opposite Catholic Church,
my-4-1y Westminster, Md.

WE CORDIALLY INVITE YOU

TO EXAMINE OUR

Goods and Prices

BEFORE YOU MAKE YOUR PURCHASES.

OUR FALL
AND
Winter Goods

are ready now for your inspection, and we are positive that we can sell you better Bargains this fall than we have ever done.

Remember our stock of goods embraces

Dry Goods, Notions,
Clothing, Cloaks,
SHOES, BOOTS, HATS.

Overcoats for Men and Boys
a Specialty.

Yours for Bargains,
BOSTON BARGAIN HOUSE,
No. 50 and 54 West Main St., Westminster.
LOUIS BLUMBERG & BRO., Proprietors.
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