American Union

THURSDAY, Dec, 1st. 1892.

Persons inquiring of merchants or others, for goods advertised in these columns, will confer a favor by mentioning that they saw the advertisemen in the "Union."

Fox hunting has begun.

Weather-wisers predict nine snows for this winter.

The farmers are getting off their grain quite lively.

The stores, public offices and bank were closed on Thanksgiving Day.

Special services were held in Christ Church on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. T. P. Fisher, and Geo. A. Deakyne visited Baltimore this week.

Some of our merchants have already placed their orders for Christmas goods.

Miss Ella Harrison, of Preston, was the guest of the Eisses Whitbys on Sunday.

The new A. M. E. Church is to be dedicated Dec. 4th, Bishop Wayman is expected.

Preparations for Christmas entertainments will soon begin in the Sunday Schools.

Rev. Jas. H. Rich preached in tha M. E. Church on Sunday morning and at Central at night.

Miss Laura Beachamp, of the State Normal School, Baltimore was home for Thanksgiving.

L. B. Towers and Ben. F. Field, of Philadelphia, spent Thanksgiving with their parents in town.

The weather was not favorable for viewing meteoric showers on the 23 and 27 in this vicinity.

The Steamers of the Maryland Steamboat Company now stop at Kingston on the Choptank river.

Mr. Thos. Killiam, of Dover, is working on trial as an apprentice with carpenter W. J. Roe, of this place.

Mr. J. A. Trazzare; of this place, is painting in Delmar, where the burned district has been replaced with new buildings.

Ormond Downes, of Shortlidge Academy, and F. Clarence Ramsdell, of Dover, spent the Thanksgiving holiday at their homes.

The ladies of Christ P. E. Church netted 25 dollars from the basket supper that was given in the Town Hall on Thanksgiving evening.

The schools were closed on Thanksgiving Day and also on Friday, the Teachers Association being held at Federalsburg on the latter day.

Persons who neglect to pay their taxes during the present month will not only have the full amount to settle after Jan. 1st, but four months interest in addition.

The postal regulations require that unclaimed letters shall be kept in the postoffice to which addressed for thirty days. By having a card printed on the envelope business men can save a greater part of this time.

Mr. W. H. T. Wilson, formerly of near Denton, is now with one of Baltimore's prominent Furniture dealers, C. C. Waskey, at 105 North Howard Street, where he will be glad to see his Caroline friends when they visit the city.

John Y. Todd, of the *Easton Democrat*, is an applicant for the Easton postoffice. Geo E. Haddaway wants his old place as collector of Internal Revenue, and we understand brother J. D. Plummer, of the Greensborough *Free Press*, is an applicant for the position of Postal Clerk on D. & C. R. R. Well isn't the newspaper man entitled to something.

The end of the year is fast approaching.

Four fine shoats for sale. Inquire of F. C. Ramsdell.

The squeal of the hog can now be heard on every hand.

The heaviest fall of snow of the winter came on Wednesday night.

Mrs. E. C. Fields visited friends in Federalsburg on Saturday and Sunday.

Choptank School will hold a Festival on the 2nd and 3rd, of Dec., beginning at 7 o'clock p. m. Proceeds for purchasing books for "School Library." All are cordially invited.

Commissioner Hagadone was not present at the session of the county commissioners on Tuesday. Mark E. Noble, J. M. Everngam and John B. Scott were appointed examiners on road in in the Fifth district petitioned for by E. E. Goslin and others.

From Ridgely.

The Tyler-Shaw trial now in progress in Easton is largely attended by our citizens, much interest is centered in it.

Dr. Herr vaccinated about fifty of our school children last Monday.

There is a rumor that we are to have another livery stable in town.

Our citizens contemplate raising another flag pole.

Real Estate Transfers for November

John W. Stevens, Sheriff, to John D. Rhodes, quanity not named, $880.

Ridgway Nichols and wife to Hutchinson Trice, consideration $50.

Ann M. Barcus to Sarah E. Carter, Greensborough town property, $350.

Geo. M. Russum and Henry R. Lewis to Thos. L. Framptom, 200 acres, $1200.

J. A. Wright and wife to Mary E. Craft, Choptank town property, $100.

Geo. M. Russum, et al., to Thos. E. Pritchett, 23 acres, $210.

L. H. Gadd and Henry R. Lewis to Robert Jarrell, consideration $250.

Francis Nichols and wife to Robt. Patton. 132 acres, $1,530.

Wm. H. Towers and wife to Wm. R. Willoughby, 25 acres, $400.

Cropper T. White and wife to John Collins, Federalsburg town property, $800.

T. Pliny Fisher, Assignee, to A. J. Greenley, 5 acres, $60.

A. J. Greenley to P. W. Downes, 5 acres, $50.

John L. Rhodes and wife to Ernest Downes, quanity not named, $888.

Elizabeth M. Howard and husband to Drusanna Stayer, 59 acres, $1,770.

James N. Todd to George W. Raughley, Denton town property, $255.

Henry Torterah and wife to Benj. Coursey, quanity not named, $72.

Wm. S. Carrow and wife to Margaret E. Wedge, Henderson town property, $150.

James Wright and wife to Wm T. Legates, Federalsburg town property, $25.

Wm. Nichols and wife to Ella Nichols, 103 acres, $800.

Matthew Semple and Robert A. Semple to L. H. Gadd and Henry R. Lewis, First district property, $1,125.

A. J. Rich to Christanna Eveland, Greensborough property, $237.

J. T. Todd and wife to Isaiah Christopher, 48 acres, $500.

Luranna G. Wright to James A. Longfellow, Ridgely town property, $175.

Robert Dean to Nicey Murphy, nominal consideration.

Aaron Willoughby and wife to P. W. Downes, 50 acres, $200.

Susan Clark to R. Y. Collins, 10 acres, $287.50.

J. I. Ledumn and wife to P. W. Downes, Denton town property, $500.

COUGHING LEADS TO COMSUMPTION.—Kemp's Balsam stops the cough at once.

"GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY."

Tyler Arrianged in Talbot Court--The Trial Still Goes On.

On Monday morning of last week the Tyler-Shaw murder case was called at Easton, Talbot county, whence it had been removed by the defence. Monday of this week at 12 o'clock was set as the time when the case should come up and witnesses were satisfied that they were not expected to attend until that time.

Early on Monday morning Sheriff Stevens left Denton with the prisoner who was turned over to the sheriff of Talbot county. Before the appointed hour arrived the court finished up the business on hand and new business taken up to fill in the time, postponed the calling of this case until 11 o'clock on Tuesday.

The prisoner was brought into court and formally arraigned on the indictment as found by the last Grand Jury, plead "Not Guilty" and demanded a jury trial. After challenging 13 jurymen and excusing two whose consciencious scruples in regard to hanging, would prevent them from rendering a fair and impartial verdict should the evidence justify a verdict of guilty as indicted, a jury was finally secured about 12 o'clock.

The following gentlemen compose the jury.

Zebulon Stafford, foreman; W. Beckwith, Thomas F. Chance, Denny Williams, Isaac W. Bryan, E. W. Hughlett, Samuel J. Slater, Thomas H. Hughlett, Thomas C. Stevens, George C. Moore, George H. Tarbutton and Edward G. Lowe.

Robert J. Jump, State's Attorney for Caroline county opened the case for the State, and in a speech of nearly an hour explained to the jury the bearing of the law upon the principle points of the indictment. George M. Russum, also of the Caroline Bar, opened the case for the defense, showing the difference in the oath taken by the jury in this case and in a civil case; Stated what the defense expected to prove, and cited instances in which a man was justifiable in defending himself with deadly weapons.

Up to present (Tuesday night) the State has examined but four witnesses, and have produced no special points in evidence. They are evidently reserving the greater part of their testimony for rebuttal, after the witnesses for the defense shall have been called. Those examined have been Levi Replogle, Dr. Hardcastle, Dr. Dunning, Perry Wright, colored, and Mrs. Shaw. Mr. Shaw was on the stand at the adjournment of court at 2 o'clock. An evening session was to be held on Tuesday night. The case will not occupy less than two more days and may perhaps last longer.

Strength and Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permaneet relief by taktng Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles on 50c at George & Redden's Drug Store.

Marriage Licenses.

Clerk Fields issued marriage licenses to the following couples during the month of November:

WHITE.—Charles E. Wright and Mollie H. Todd,

Hackett Morgan and Minnie M. Wheeler.

Francis T. Flowers and Susan H. Reed.

George T. Redden and Susie E. Finn.

Benjamin D. Armstrong and Sallie Fleetwood.

Jacob Smith and Sallie Chaffinch.

Robert M. Jester and Rosa L. Wheeler.

COLORED.—Thomas H. Davis and Frances Hutchens.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

Wm. F. Towers presented the renunciation of his right to administer on the estate of E. Madison Towers, ordered to be filed.

Letters of administration were granted to J. E. Towers on the estate of E. Madison Towers.

Jas. E. Williamson administrator of Mitchell Williamson, deceased, presented sales of personal estate.

Mary N. and Wm. T. Hignutt, administrators of Elijah Hignutt presented inventory and appraisement of personal estate.

Wm. J. Layton administrator of Sarah A. Layton obtained permission to sell personal estate.

John Horsey administrator of Tilghman Hubbard of P. presented list of sperate debts &c., and a first and partial account of administration, all passed.

Court meets again Dec., 13th.

Maryland Dashes.

——The date of the execution of the Dr. Hill murderers to be hanged at Chestertown, has been changed to Jan. 13th.

——Gen. McKenney has purchased the White House farm, in Queen Anne's county. Price paid about $21,000. The farm contains over 1,000 acres.

——The National Prison Association of the United States will hold its annual congress in Baltimore, beginning on the evening of December 3 and ending on the evening of December 7.

——Not troubled with rheumatism any more.—Judge Gatewood, 84 Avery St., Cincinnati, Ohio., writes thus: "I bought a bottle of Salvation Oil for rheumatism, with which I was afflicted. The first application gave relief and I have not been troubled since."

For headache, billiousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, the blues, scrofula, the blood and all skin eruptions Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic never fails. Warranted to satisfy or money refunded. Sold by George & Redden.

Delaware Dashes.

—Georgetown is to have a creamery.

—Dover's Hosiery factory is advertised for sale.

—Dogs are killing sheep on the farms of Sussex county

—J. B. Clark editor of the *Sussex Journal*, is sick with pneumonia.

—Peter L. Cooper, Esq., Wilmington, and John H. Layton, of Sussex are applicants for the clerkship of the Delaware House of Representative.

—C. S. Biggs is erecting a new lot of buildings on his farm at Summit Bridge, which will occupy the site of those destroyed by fire a few months ago.

—United States engineers are or have been, locating the route of the Inland water way from Cape Henlopen City, Delaware, to Ocean City, Maryland. Congress appropriated $75,000 for this waterway.

—Richard Campbell, a brakeman on the Delaware railroad, fell from a freight train at New Castle on Saturday evening and broke his thigh. He was brought to this city and removed to the Delaware Hospital. He will recover.

—The adaptation of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup to the cure of all diseases of the throat and chest is certainly marvelous. For cold, cough croup, whooping-cough and incipient consumption it is incomparably the best preparation made.

—Many people suffer for years from troublesome and repulsive sores, boils, and eruptions, without ever testing the marvelous curative properties of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The experiment is, certainly, worth trying. Be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla and no other.

—The smallest "cat-boil" is large enough to show that the blood needs purifying—a warning which, if unheeded, may result, not in more boils, but in something very much worse. Avert the danger in time by the use of Ayer's Pills. Cured others, will cure you.

—Bishop William Taylor, of Africa, filled four engagements Sunday. In the morning he spoke at the M. E. Church at New Castle; at 2.30 p. m. at Union Church, Wilmington; 5 p. m. at Mt. Pleasant, and at night at Grace. In his address in Union Church Bishop Taylor spoke principally of the mission work in Africa. He is a tall and well built man and wears a long beard.

—The Rev. Clarence T. Wilson, pastor of the M. E. Church at Seaford, Del., has been transferred by Bishop Newman to Fort Smith, Ark., and left for his new field of labor last Monday. It is rumored that the Rev. Geo. W. Bounds, of the Second M. E. Church, Dover, will be transferred to fill the vacancy at Seaford, and that the Rev. R. W. Todd will fill the vacancy at Dover occasioned by the transfer of Mr. Bounds.—*Dover Index.*

A Little Girl's Experience In A Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach Mich., and are blessed with a daughter four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Deiroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly until she was a mere "handful of bones" —Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at George & Redden's Drug Store.

A Grand Offer.

The greatest offer ever known to Journalism in this county will be seen by reference to an advertisement in this issue headed "Presidential campaign of 1892." By this it will be seen that we have arranged with the New York Weekly *Tribune* one of the best and most widely known weeklies of the country, to furnish it and the AMERICAM UNION for the subcription price of a single paper. The only conditions being that subscription must be paid invariably in advance. All subscribers who will settle arrearages and pay one year in advance secure both papers for the price of one. New subscribers paying $1 in advance get the AMERICAN UNION and New York *Weekly Tribune* for one year.

One hundred and fifty (150) worms from two doses of Dr Fenner's Pleasant Worm Syrup See his circular. Money refunded if satisfaction not given. Sold by George & Redden.

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If you may wish an easy shave,
As good as barber ever gave,
Just call on us at our saloon,
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We fix and dress the hair with grace
To suit the contour of the face,
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