American Union.

Thursday Morning, May 6 1880.

We Want the Public to Know

That the UNION has now a circulation larger than that of any other newspaper published in this county, and its list of subscribers is steadily increasing. If this statement is questioned we are prepared to prove it.

THE Orphans' Court of Caroline county will meet on Tuesday, 11th of May.

The Editor's Hash.

—May parties are now in order.

—Dog-days commenced last Saturday.

—Two large sturgeon were caught in the Wicomico last week.

—One melon grower in Wicomico county expects to plant 20,000 hills the present season.

—Endorsed by the people as a safe, reliable, harmless and cheap remedy. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

—Jas. A. Pearce, C. T. Wescolt and J. K. Aldridge were last week elected commissioners of Chestertown.

—Constipation, sick headache, and biliousness cured by "Sellers' Liver Pills." Try them. 25c. per box.

—A little steam yacht, called the Experiment, with a steam man as one of her crew, has visited Crisfield.

—The new school house at Preston, said to be the finest in the county, is now completed and ready to be occupied.

—The estimated cost of the new railroad from Elkton to Middletown is put down in round numbers at $200,000.

—Princess Anne, Brinkley's, Lawson's and Crisfield districts, Somerset county, voted on local option on Tuesday last.

—Edward Stell has sold a small farm near Smithville, in this county, to Mrs. Lave, of Philadelphia for $750.00 cash.

—The Masons of Cambridge have chartered a steamer and intend having an excursion to Baltimore on the 1st of June.

—Mrs. Sarah A. Wilson, wife of John T. Wilson, of Wilmington, was buried at Greensboro', Md., on Saturday afternoon.

—The Republican State Convention to nominate candidates for President and Vice-President, meets at Frederick city to-day.

—After all, a gentle purgative is the best means of curing headache, liver complaint, biliousness, &c. Use "Sellers' Liver Pills."

—Some one has presented the editor of the Easton *Gazette* with a ginger cake and stick of candy for which the editor returns thanks.

—Jas. and John Ahern and John Short, of this county, indicted in Dorchester county Court for riot, were tried last week and acquitted.

—The Democratic State Convention meets in Baltimore June 9th. The Congressional District Convention meets at Salisbury on the 1st of September.

—Mrs. Rachæl M. Reynolds, mother of Joseph W. Reynolds, Esq., and sister of the late Mrs. Jacob Tome, died at Port Deposit on Friday last, aged 69.

—Base Ball games are being revived in different localities on the peninsula. Hope no such foolishness will take hold of the minds of the young men of Denton.

—They had a fish glut in Baltimore on Saturday. One hundred thousand shad and about one million herring were received and sold during the day's transactions.

—Crabs are plentiful in Elk river as far up as Locust Point. Their early appearance is attributed to the mild winter, as they are not often caught there before July.

—The type, presses and fixtures of the Maryland *Citizen*, Centreville, Md., was sold on Tuesday last to Geo. T. Melvin & Bro., editors of the Denton *Journal*.

—The building boom has struck Oxford. A number of new buildings are being erected and various other improvements are being pushed to completion and in contemplation.

—The people of Prince George's county voted on the subject of local option last week. Result 133 majority for local option and in opposition to the licensed sale of ardent spirits.

—The peach growers in Middletown report one-third to half a crop; Smyrna one-third of a crop, and Harrington one-fourth. The yield in Milford, Georgetown and Lewes will be very light.

—A lad, the son of Franklin Gray, who lives near Salisbury, while handling a loaded pistol, on the 24th ult.. accidentally discharged it, the ball entering near his hip. The wound is not dangerous.

—Mr. E. Thomas, of Thomas Brothers, crab packers, has been at Oxford this week to begin to get ready for another season's work. Mr. Thomas expects to begin with crabs in about three weeks.

—Jos. H. Morris was tried last week in Kent county court for selling whiskey in violation of the local option law—fined $100 and costs and to stand committed until the same shall be paid.

—Dorchester county has resolved to have an oyster police boat to protect her oyster beds in Fishing bay, and Dorchester and Talbot counties will join in the expense of having one in the Choptank.

—A cargo of two hundred tons of ice arrived at Seaford last week. This amount of ice ought to cool off the burning sensation of whiskey consumers in that place during the heat of summer.

—Mr. Sam'l. C. Brannock, formerly of this county, but now a justice of the peace in Kent county, recently received $760 as back pay on pensions, and will hereafter receive $4 per monthduring life.

—Mr. W. H. Simpson at Greensborough received a few days ago from Master Winder Goldsborough 5 years of age, son of W. Elwell Goldsborough, Consul to china, an old Chineese coin, said to be 150 years old.

—A petrified oyster shell, weighing two pounds, taken from the earth sixty feet below the surface, is being exhibited at Salisbury. It was unearthed near summit Bridge, on the Delaware and Chesapeake canal.

—A valuable deposit of yellow ochre, from which mineral paints are made, has been discovered in McConaughey's iron ore pits on Chestnut Hill, Cecil county. It is said to be worth $20 per ton when washed.

—According to the latest reports of the Maryland peach crop, Sassafras Neck, Millington and Sassafras river sections will supply a full crop. These sections embrace portions of Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

—Dr. Geo. R. Dennis, of Somerset county, shipped a lot of lambs last week to New York and got $5.50 and $6 apiece for them. The Doctor says there would be more profit in raising sheep in Somerset than any other stock if it were not for the dogs.

—A business boom struck Wilmington last week. The Forepangh show spread itself all over the city and about ten thousand of her denizens witnessed the performance. The next boom was the explosion of one of Dupont's powder mills. Nobody hurt.

—Mr. John E. Wilson has, at his Idlewild farm, a mare which has a colt and which she refuses to acknowledge. Mr. Wilson directed that one of his milch cows be driven in a pen. The colt was placed in the same pen and nurses the cow without being dogged.

—The oldest temperance organization now in existence on this Peninsula is perhaps that at Friendship Church in the 4th district in this county. It was organized in 1832 and has been kept in existence ever since. It has elected its officers regularly at every anniversary and remains in fact to the present time.

—During the storm last Monday morning, the house of S. D. Cranor, near town, was struck by lightning. The bolt passed down the chimney, then crashed through a window from which it followed a tree to the ground, where it spent its rage by killing a dog and some chickens. The house was not fired.

—They have had a little unpleasantness in one of the public schools at Lewes, between the teacher and one of his pupils. The *Light* reccommends the teacher to "lick the boys and if their dads complain kick them down stairs and throw the boys out at the window." There must be some incorrigible lads about Lewis.

—There is a talk of establishing a temperance saloon at Salisbury at which nothing but lager beer and ale will be sold. This would be a queer temperance saloon. It would only be selling the milder drinks to create the appetite for something stronger. A saloon of this kind would be but the vestibule to the inebriate's hell.

—The Potomac Steamboat Company, it is announced, have ratified a contract with the Harlan & Hollinsworth company, of Wilmington, Del., for a new steamboat for the Potomac river. It was also stated that Mr. Mattingly, agent, was empowered to secure another steamer for the Choptank route, in addition to the Georgeanna.

—The Salisbury *Times* says a petition is being circulated by the friends of Jesse L. Woodcock in that vicinity for his pardon and is being rapidly filled with signatures. It is reported here that the jury which convicted him will almost unanimously sign a petition to the Governor asking executive clemency. The *Times* expresses the hope that the effort may meet success.

—The storehouse of Mr. J. W. Stevens at Andersontown was entered by thieves on Friday night last by boring holes in a shutter and slipping the bolt. The robbers after gaining an entrance helped themselves liberally to such articles as they desired, taking muslin, shoes and various other articles to the value of from one to two hundred dollars. They secured about thirty dollars in cash.

—The stocklaw passed at the recent session of the Legislature, operative in the third and sixth election districts of this county, went into effect on the 10th day of last month. There are now four districts in the county where the stocklaw is in full force, and the other two districts had as well make up their minds to accept this changed condition of things. Revolutions never go backward.

—Sam Townsend, the Lord Mayor of a little village in Delaware and the great mogul of Appoquinnimink, in a letter declining the nomination of the Greenbackers of that State for Congress, gets off his highfalutin bombast about the Democracy of Jefferson and Jackson, blue blood aristocrats, white men and negroes, Grant and a third term and other nonsensical twaddle. Sam's afflicted badly with negrophobia, and the Greenbackism of Dr. Welch won't save him.

—Worcester county is said to have become unintentionally a local option county. The law passed by the last legislature is reported as providing that all applicants for license to sell liquor must first be reccommended by the grand jury at the term of court next preceding the first day of May. As the time has passed, no licenses can be recommended before next spring. There is considerable anxiety among the tavern-keepers, and they have closed their bars until the true state of affairs can be ascertained.

—Kate Stevens, a young girl of Goldsboro', Caroline county, was found on Tuesday night on the steps of a Northern Central train shortly after leaving that place. She was stealing a ride to Harrisburg, her object being, as she said, to see a young man, who was evidently very dear to her. She exhibited letters and presents she had received from him. The conductor gave her a seat in a car, and, being suspicious that she was weak in intellect, handed her over to the police on reaching Harrisburg. Her father was summoned by telegraph, and he has taken her home.

—A gentlemen living on the Little Choptank river, a few seasons ago bedded a quantity of oysters, and when he came to take them up he found they had all been stolen. Suspicion rested strongly on the colored man that bedded them, but there was no proof. Next spring the same oysterman solicited the job of again covering the oyster bed with oysters, stating that he would do it for 10 cents per bushel.—"Well,' said the farmer, "if you are willing I will make you a special offer. I will pay you what you ask per bushel and you may afterwards steal one half the oysters, but I'll be hanged if I will furnish you the bedding ground and pay you 10 cents a bushel if you want all the oysters after they grow and fatten." The colored oysterman indignantly paddled off saying, "I don't incline to any special bargains" —*Cambridge News.*

Have We a Whiskey Mill in Town?

The scenes that are occasionally witnessed by some of our citizens of half-grown boys, and in some instances of those of more tender years, staggering and reeling in our streets under the influence of whiskey, demands that a searching inquiry be instituted to ascertain who it is in this community who is so far lost to decency and common sense as to thus descend so far beneath the dignity of common manhood as to debauch innocent childhood and prepare them for the prison and the scaffold. These scenes occur at night and in a retired part of the town, and are therefore known only to a few persons who at an unseasonable hour, happen to pass in that vicinity. These drunken orgies have been of such frequent occurrence of late that they have attracted the attention of older persons and has drawn forth the inquiry, "Where do these boys and children get their whiskey?' Thus far the question is unsolved, but suspicion rests upon a colored man in town, about whose place are seen lurking those who on more than one occasion have been seen under the influence of liquor. Whether these suspicions are well founded or not we have no positive information, but it is the imperative duty of the officers of the law to keep a vigilant eye on his premises, and if these suspicions are found to be correct, he should be arrested at once and made to suffer the fullest penalty of the law. We also advise parents and guardians to look after their boys and wards after nightfall and find out what company they keep. A little restraint now is better than a loose rein with unbridled passions which hurries them on to swift destruction.—One or two vicious bad boys can do more mischief in our town than the combined efforts of our ministers. "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he gets old he will not depart therefrom."

This place about which suspicions are entertained was a subject of investigation by the recent Grand Jury, but through what loop hole he escaped is known only to that body.

For the Union.

Preston Letter.

In answer to the suggestions made in my letter two weeks ago, quite a number of ex-soldiers belonging to various regiments that fought in the late war, assembled in the dining room of Mr. Geo. W. Sitzler, who recently came to this place from Baltimore, and organized the meeting by calling S. J. W. Hawes to the chair, and appointed Dr. A. Stafford Secretary. After informally discussing the subject of organizing a Grand Army Post at this place for some time, and the benefits arising from a society set fort by Mr. Sitzler and Mr. Sanford Downes, both of whom are, or have been, connected withe the order, the following resolutions were offered by the Secretary, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, late soldiers and sailors of the Army and Navy of the United States, organize a Post of the Grand Army of the Republic at Preston, Md.

Resolved, That it shall be called and known by the Reynolds Post, No.— G. A. R.

After which the meeting adjourned to meet at Preston next Saturday afternoon 8th inst.

A newspaper letter from Preston at this time with no reference to the charges lately published against the management of our public schools in it, would be like the play of Hamlet, with Hamlet left out. One does not know just what is best to say in the matter, for fear of doing injustice, either to the Board of School Commissioners or to the public; or to your correspondent, X, who appears to be representing the public. I can say this much, however, that since last Thursday the subject of public schools has been discussed more in this part of the county, than ever before, in the same space of time. There is a good bit of growling over that part of the report which shows that more books were furnished free, to the people of the two lower districts, than were purchased. In fact, some few have even reached the swearing point over it, and say that the whole report is a miserable botch, and so mixed up that four Philadelphia lawyers can't tell anything about it. Who is right and who wrong I don't pretend to know, and I shan't tear my shirt to find out.

The Art Entertainment at the Academy on Monday evening, for the benefit of the M. E. Sabbath School was well attended, and quite successful. NORWOOD.

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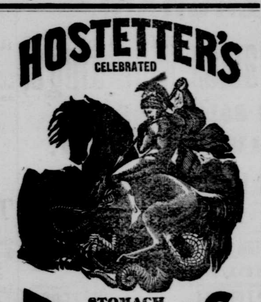
Marriages.

TUFF—DEAN.—On the 28th ult., at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. R. D. Bradley, MR. WILLIAM TUFF and MISS LIZZIE DEAN, both of this county.

DAVIDSON—JUMP.—At "Ramsey," Talbot county, April 27th, 1880, by Rev. G. H. Zimmerman, REV. JOHN H. DAVIDSON, of the Baltimore Conference M. E. Church, South, to MISS M. AUGUSTA JUMP, daughter of Hon. C. M. Jump.

Deaths.

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