American Union

COUNTY CALENDAR.

Orphans' Court will meet March 24
School Board will meet March 24
Levy Court will meet March 17

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1903.

LOCAL NEWS.

A square man is seldom a rounder.

Duty and inclination seldom shoot the same shute.

Seed oats at Flour and Feed exchange; read new ad.

Mr. J. W. Harris, barber, has a card in today's issue.

If you want seed potatoes read the adv. of the Nuttle Hardware Co.

Congressman Houston, of Delaware, was in town on Wednesday.

The St. James Savings Fund will have a new advertisement next week watch for it.

Machinist R. E. Smith, of Ridgely, is putting in a kerosene engine in the Journal office.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Owens, of Harrington, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Dewcese.

The peach prophets have begun to kill the peach buds. Some of them declare that one-half of the buds were killed by the February cold snap.

Mr. Wilson Saulsbury, one of the teachers at the High School, has been ill for several days and his position has been filled by Miss Roberta Hobbs.

The public school at Henderson was closed yesterday morning by order of the Board of Health, on account of a case of smallpox near the town in a family by the name of Dill.

Herring were selling in town on Tuesday for 30 cents per dozen. They came from the fish traps at the mouth of the river. Very few are caught here, as the fishermen say it is almost impossible for them to get up the river.

The steamer "Vesper," the new freight boat, arrived here on Friday last with a cargo of 150 tons of fertilizer, a part of which went to Greensboro. She went on up the river and returned on Monday, leaving here for Baltimore on Tuesday morning.

Mr. T. L. Trice, of Seaford, has rented the room recently occupied by the post office and will open a full line of dress goods, trimmings, etc., in a few days. The shelving is being put in this week. Mr. Trice and his son arrived yesterday and hopes to be ready to open by Saturday.

Carpenters have just completed a new ceiling in the jewelry store of Mr. C. H. Bullock. The plaster froze when it was put on at the time the house was built, and a large piece fell off and smashed a show case about a week ago. The new ceiling is of wood and painter G. Lacy Stevens is doing the painting.

T. Somerset Slaughter has resigned his position with the Hughes Lumber and Coal Co., to take effect April 1st. Mr. Slaughter will be freight agent at this place for the Baltimore & Eastern Shore Transportation Co., of which he is secretary. We understand he is to be succeeded by Mr. Bradford Downes, who is now in Baltimore.

Mrs. Araminta Smith died at the residence of her son, M. Bates Smith, at Burrsville on Sunday, aged nearly 87 years. The deceased was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends and relatives, to whom she had endeared herself by a long life of self sacrifice and Christian devotion. The remains were interred in the Methodist Protestant burying ground at Burrsville.

Prof. M. Bates Stephens is reported to be recovering rapidly from the effects of the recent operation, and his physicians have strong hopes that he will soon be out of danger and in better health than for a number of years. He was visited on Thursday last by his brother, Mr. John Stephens, and Mr. T. P. Fisher, who found him quite cheerful and able to take considerable nourishment. His sister, who is with him, wrote to Mr. Fisher on Tuesday stating that he was improving very rapidly and his physicians expect him to be able to sit up in another week.

The following are the officers of the Denton Volunteer Fire Company: T. Pliny Fisher, president; R. T. Carter, vice president; Earle Smith, secretary; Wm. P. Draper, treasurer; John T. Carter, Gilbert Hagadone and H. L. Cooper, trustees. Officers of the fire fighters are Z. Potter Steele, chief; A. G. Towers, deputy chief; S. F. Cole, captain of Hose Company No. 1; H. A. Roe, captain of Hose Company No. 2; Albert T. Reichman, captain of the Hook and Ladder Company. In each company there are to be twenty five men. A reel house for the storage of a hose reel is to be built in the east section of town as suggested in the UNION some time ago. The fire department also wants an alarm bell.

About Those You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McShane are in Washington.

Mr. C. W. Byrn, of Baltimore, was in town on Wednesday.

Rev. T. C. Smoot, of Marydel, spent Monday and Tuesday in town.

Henry Wilkinson, of the Caroline Sun, was in town on business Monday.

Mr. Elisha Cleaves, aged 58, died at his home near Greensboro on Saturday last.

Mr. Fred Masten, of Harrington, was the guest of Mr. H. W. Hughes on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Boggs returned on Wednesday from a visit with friends near Preston.

Mr. R. H. Dill, of Burrsville, has been quite ill for several weeks but is now improving.

Prof. Roe Rickards, of Denton, will give an organ recital at Hobbs tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Marc Bryant and children are visiting Mrs. Bryant's mother, Mrs. Annie Rochester, in Philadelphia.

Cashier Thomas C. West is in Philadelphia, where he is being treated for an abscess which has been troubling him for sometime.

Dr. and Mrs. Alex Hardcastle returned on Tuesday from an extended visit with friends in Philadelphia, New York, and Washington.

Mrs. Cora Butler, formerly of this county, has been confined in a hospital at her home in North Adams, Mass., where she has been treated for anpendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Thawley attended an all-day holiness meeting in Harrington on Tuesday. Evangelist Rees, who drew such large crowds in Denton last week, conducted the services.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of La Grange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, its the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by R. J. Colston, Druggist, Denton, Md.

Church Items.

Rev. G. P. Smith, pastor of Wyoming M. E. Church, was invited by the fourth quarterly conference to return for the third year.

Prof. S. T. Ford, the noted lecturer, will deliver a lecture in the Town Hall on March 20, under the auspices of the ladies aid of the M. P. Church.

Rev. A. Lee Gray, pastor of the Holiness Mission of this place, is preparing to go to India as a missionary. He will probably leave for his new field of labor some time in September.

Asbury M. E. Sunday school, Smyrna, held its annual missionary anniversary on Sunday, March 1, and contributed $311 28 for missions; which, added to the amount raised during the year, made a total of $466.

Rev. J. T. Richardson will leave next Tuesday for the annual session of the M. E. Conference, which meets in Easton next week. Rev. Mr. Richardson has been selected to preach the annual missionary sermon at this session.

Rev. A. W. Lightbourn, for twelve months pastor of Cordova circuit, M. E. Church, has reluntantly decided not to return at the close of the conference year, having accepted an urgent call to Epworth Church, Wilmington, Del.

The vestry of Holy Trinity parish, Greensboro, has extended to Dean Rich of Trinity Cathedral, an unanimous call to become their rector. Dean Rich served as rector of this parish for several years, leaving there to accept the office of Dean of the Cathedral at Easton.

What's in a Name?

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises all skin diseases, DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine.

Levy Court.

The members of the board were all present at the meeting on Tuesdy.

C. E. Turner, of the Fourth district, was notified to repair some bad bridges on the road from Union Grove Cemetery out to James Webbs'.

Mr. L. R. Towers and a delegation from the Eighth district were before the board asking the board to meet on a proposed road through the lands of P. W. Sullivan, et. al.

The board named Tuesday, March 24, Tuesday, March 31, and Tuesday, April 7, to sit for transfers and abatements.

FEDERALSBURG.

The stockholders have decided to shut down the creamery because of the scarcity of milk. Ten years ago when it was started it was well patronized but as the markets have gradually improved on fruits and vegetables, the farmers are cultivating more and grazing less of their land, thus shutting out the cow. The butter made at the creamery has always brought the highest prices, the brand being well known in the best markets.

The drama, "Clover Farm," given in Music Hall March 4th, the proceeds of which are to be used towards erecting and equipping our fire engine house, was a great success. The receipts were about $150. Not since Sam Small lectured has our hall been so densely packed, about one hundred were turned away.

Mr. H. B. Messenger's schooner, Maguire, came up last week loaded with bricks from the Wicomico Company's brick yard at White Haven. The most of the cargo was paving brick to be used in town.

Mr. S. A. Maddrix, of Crisfield, District Deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, was in town last week in the interest of the lodge here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Webster, of Cambridge, are visiting Mrs. Webster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Mrs. Emma Davis and daughter, of Cambridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis.

Preston.

Miss Julia M. Kelley recently sent a very pretty white apron to a cousin in California. It will be sold at the "Apron State Fair," of the Ladies' Aid Society of a Baptist Church. The apron is cut rounding, with pockets and ruffling, and was designed to represent Maryland and was tastefully trimmed in insertion and orange and black ribbon, the Maryland colors, with bows, orange silk embroidery, etc. Other aprons, from the different States, will have the flower, emblem, motto, etc., hand-painted or embroidered on them, to designate from whence they came.

It is claimed by the knowing (?) ones that Col. A. W. Sisk has recently erected the first building on what, in a few years, is destined to become the Main Street or Pennsylvania avenue of Preston. This street running parallel with Cannery avenue and the present Main street (the future quiet, retired Church street) might easily be made to run to a street joining the Easton road on the north and to the Back Landing road on the south. Railroad avenue and Railroad avenue extended (toward Choptank) remaining the residential section of the town.

Mr. J. H. Barrow has commenced his warehouse, corner Railroad and Cannery avenues, opposite the depot. It will be 30 x 60, two stories, and with glass front. The lower story will be for agricultural implements and his miscellaneous goods, and the second story will be his vehicle repository. It will be quite an addition to that part of our town.

Mr. Samuel Parker, commission merchant of Baltimore, visited his father from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. Robert P. Taylor has deeded to the Bible Holiness Union seven acres of land in connection with the Holiness Church recently built on a part of his farm.

Pupils on the roll of honor at the Preston Academy last month were: 6th Grade, Martha Patton, Myrtle Fluharty, Lizzie Majors; 5th Grade, Lillie Colbourne, Alice Maisel, Grace Dennis, Pearl Cohee, Jessie Wright.

Mr. Carmine, manager of Phillips & Douglass' planing mill, and family will occupy the rooms above Mrs. Noble's millinery store until a new house on Railroad avenue is completed for them.

Owing to the rural delivery system extending from Denton to Williston, the Denton-Preston mail route was discontinued last Monday, the route now extending only to Williston, from Preston.

A building boom seems to have struck Preston this Spring. There will soon be a solid block of buildings on Railroad avenue, from Main Street to the station.

Mrs. Emma E. Moore and her daughter, Mrs. Claude Lee, of Easton, were guests of Mrs. Wm. Tuff last Wednesday.

Capt. Charles W. Wright, of Baltimore, visited Preston and Choptank friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Todd, who have been visiting friends in Atlantic City, have returned home.

Mrs. Walter Todd and son, Dorsey, spent several days in Philadelphia last week.

Messrs. Thomas Sisk and Joseph F. Sisk, of Cordova, visited Preston friends last week.

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Dennis on Thursday.

Hartley.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a festival and oyster supper next Saturday evening, in the store room of R. A. Davis. All are cordially invited to attend. Proceeds for the benefit of the M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Williams returned to their home in Wilmington after attending the funeral of their father, James Williams, last Tuesday.

Miss Elsie Price, of Barclay, spent a part of last week with the Misses Taylor.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson, of Barclay, was entertained last Friday by Mrs. Joseph Taylor.

Mrs. Joseph Taylor and Mrs. Wm. Carter were entertained at the home of Mrs. George Short, at Downes' Chapel, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keith, of New York, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith, last Saturday.

Mr. E. C. Daly, National Organizer P. O. S. of A., was in Wilmington last week.

Prof. Chas. A. Brothers spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, Mr. Wm Brothers, in Dover.

Miss Julia Hargadine was entertained at the home of Mrs. Edward Carter, near Henderson, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Clark visited relatives in Kenton last Thursday.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Greensboro.

Miss Ida J. McIlvaine, of Denton, spent several days with friends in town last week.

Captain Brockway has returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

Mrs. W. H. Lowe is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Helen Naylor, of Trappe, who has been visiting her sister, has returned to her home.

The town Improvement Company met last evening (Wednesday).

The remains of Mrs. Charles Wheeler were buried in the cemetery on Friday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Hoffecker officiated.

Mr. Joseph F. Cropper and Miss Margaret E. Raughley, of this place, were quietly married at the M. E Parsonage on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. F. P. Roe visited friends in Middletown, Del., and Philadelphia, several days last week.

Shouting Christians.

Some Christians, who formerly shouted, no longer do so. Some never shouted. Some do not approve of it; others are never well, never in buoyant, hopeful spirits, so don't feel like it. Rev. Jno. S. Rush, Yellow Creek, Pa., says: "Victor Liver Syrup is still healing the sick. It seems as if God's blessing is upon it. Listen, women that have been sick for years are now at work and singing God's praises, and men are living a new and happier life. Good reports from the Victor Remedies everywhere." All live Druggists and Merchants keep them.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

At the meeting of the Orphans' Court on Tuesday, there being present Judges Sigler, Day, Dennis and Register of Wills Robert. J. Jump, the following business was transacted:

Hugo Kleinwather presented an exemplified copy of the Will of William F. Claus, deceased, for record.

Orena Ross and Thomas E. Ross, executors of William F. Ross, presented a first and final account of administration which was passed.

Fred R. Owens was appointed administrator of Celia Nichols, deceased.

Levin W. Williams and Thomas H. Chambers, executors of Elisha W. Andrew, deceased, presented a final distribution of the estate, which was passed.

Mary E. Noble and William T. Kelley, administrators c. t. a. of Isaac L. Noble, deceased, presented a list of sperate debts, account of rents and final account of administration, which were approved and passed.

Crowned with Success.

Success, to most people in this the Dawn of the 20th Century, is the synonym of happiness. He is most happy who is most prosperous. This is true, at least, if the baby is well and cheerful, the home is full of sunshine. O. V. Waltz, Hartford City, Ind., says "I believe that Victor Remedies stand ahead of all others. Victor Infants Relief has been crowned with success in every home;" Its a grand Digestive Tonic for the baby, rests the nerves, and is unsurpassed in teething. Your Merchant and Druggist keep it.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

TOMATOES FOR PROFIT.

To the Editor of The Union.

HILLSBORO, MD., Mar. 10, 1903.

In the interest of many farmers we beg a small space in the columns of your most excellent paper in which to make a few observations and suggestions relative to the growing of tomatoes as a crop for profit. But before doing so we beg to state that we have of late read many articles in various magazines and newspapers, in each of which the writer sought to show that there is much money to the farmers in growing tomatoes for market. Indeed so nearly similar were these articles that we could not resist the conclusion that they were written by parties having much more interest in buying tomatoes than in raising them to sell. To use the King's plain English there are some prospective buyers who would have us plain farmers believe that we can grow tomatoes at a profit at any price they may name—whether that price be one or twenty dollars per ton. We merely suggest to those writers, if, like the witches in Macbeth, they "can look into the seeds of time and say which grain will grow and whihc will not," to point out to us farmers wherein we may derive any profit whatever from their growth and sale in the raw or uncanned state. We venture the assertion that packers last year paid on an average in Baltimore and elsewhere $15 to $20 per ton. We also declare that $8 per ton last year was no more to growers than $8 per ton the year before, as labor was both scarcer and higher. Certainly there is much money in tomatoes when packed, but none generally in growing and selling them in thier raw state.

Let us see: One basket of good tomatoes makes 10 cans which at the present price of .07½ a can makes .75 cents per basket. 60 baskets make a ton, or 600 3-pounds cans, which foot up to $45 per ton. It will be seen that a ton of good tomatoes loses 200 pounds in packing. In growing them for others to can there is absolutely no profit to the grower, none to the tenant because it takes his part to pick and deliver the crop, and beside the tenant oftimes suffers much loss by being kept out of his other crops. Nor does the landlord fare any better. He is required to furnish fertilizer at a cost of five dollars per acre, which when added to the loss he sustains by reason of the tenant's inability to properly prepare his land for wheat and do other necessary work, will quite offset the profit he may receive from his part. But, we repeat, there is good money to the grower of tomatoes when he manufactures or cans his products, $1,000 can easily be made out of a small patch with an inexpensive outfit, costing less than $50. Such a machine, with little help, will handle a thousand or more cans per day. Those who may not have a little money to begin with, can obtain cans and money to be paid for out of the canned goods. Our suggestion therefore is to pack your own product or let their production "severely alone."

TENANT.

A Remarkable Case.

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength."

Maryland Day.

At a meeting of the State Board of Education at the Normal School last week a resolution setting apart March 25 in each year as a day to be devoted in all public schools in the State the effective presentation of some particular event in the history of the State was adopted.

It was also recommended that the Association of School Commissioners and Examiners and the State Teachers' Association join in requesting the General Assembly of Maryland to appoint March 25 as "Maryland Day," and to provide for its appropriate annual celebration.

Prof. E. B. Prettyman, of the Normal School, suggested March 25 as the most suitable day, this being the date of the landing at St. Mary's, in this State.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at R. J. Colston's drug store, Denton, Md.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

A Jackie's Experience at Sea.

Dixon Garey, of the training ship Topeka, writes of his recent experiences to his father, Mr. T. Fred Garey.

CHARLESTON, S. C.,
March 3, 1903.

As I haven't much time before the mail goes out and the only one, therefore I will not stop to answer the many questions in your letter, that I received about two weeks or so ago. We got here Sunday afternoon and find it is very cool compared with where we have been. About two weeks ago I wrote a letter to Bess while at Guardamar, and no sooner than I dropped the letter in the box we got a telegram to go to sea at once, so we set to work at once coaling and pulled out to sea. The Alexander was disabled and we were to search for her between Florida and here. We were at sea eight days and ran in here for coal, and found out she was found four days before by an English tramp.

Now we are ordered to Boston, to be there by the 16th, in a parade to celebrate when the English were driven away. It seems very cold to us here. Just think of coming out of a very hot climate and jumping in a cold one. Where we were two weeks ago it was so warm we could not walk on decks. We had a rough trip of it, but not as rough as it was from Cartagena to Kingston, but I know we will catch it on the way to Boston, about five days run, it will go tough with us but the orders are here and that is a go. The navy is like everything else, there are two sides to it; one good and the other bad. The thing that I most dislike is the confinement, but we are off every fourth day when in harbor—which is all right. I have enjoyed the cruise in the West Indies very much and have been on shore at every port we have been in except Cartagena; there is a revolution going on there, so we did not get to go, of course. The people of the West Indies are all very poor, they mostly live on fruit and scarcely wear any clothing.

I will mention some of the places I have been: San Juan and Ponce, Porto Rico; Ponte a Pitre, of Guadeloupe; Port of Spain, of Trinidad; Williamstadt, of Curacao. When we left Guadeloupe we went past Martinique and the destroyed city of St. Pierre. The captain ran the ship very near so we could get a good view of the place. We could see walls of some of the houses and a stream of lava flowing down the hillside. It looked like a plane of snow. Kingston is the best place of all; more fruit and more different kinds than any I have seen. Many kinds that I never heard of before. It is a British possession and more white people live there than in any other one. But the people are so queer—the natives look like large monkeys. The navy is a great place. It is all right sometimes and again not. First sea sickness is a very bad disease; second is to get food, at some ports we can't get any fresh provisions and have to eat hard-tack and salt beef, which don't go very good; third I have to wash my own clothes and make my own bed (or hammock). But there are lots of good points to it. Must close or this will not get in this mail. Best regards to all.

The Courier of Charleston contained the following concerning the boys, many of whom are Marylanders:

"The training ship Topeka, which arrived here Sunday afternoon after a long cruise through the South Seas in search of the United States collier Alexander, disabled at sea, is awaiting orders from the department before sailing. The officers and men alike hope to spend some time in Charleston, as the cruise which they have jtist made lasted about six months and the men are pretty well used up. A ten-days' stay has been asked for and one of the officers expressed himself as feeling sure it would be given.

"The Topeka has in the neighborhood of three hundred men on board, including the ship's crew and officers. These, with the exception of a small body to take care of the boat, will be given leave to come ashore today and will spend sometime in the city. What is known by the men as a "liberty party" will be given and the "Jackies" will have a chance to see Charleston, not only in the afternoon, but by gas light. The leave of absence will extend over night and from 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon until 9 o'clock the next morning the Jackies will be given a chance to enjoy themselves to the best of their ability. The paymaster visited the ship on Monday and the men have been paid up. This will help them to better enjoy life on land.

"Capt. Nichols says he had an excellent trip and all of the men are in the pink of conditon. After leaving the Navy Yard some of the men were taken sick, but have gotten over it now, and from the present outlook will make splendid sailors All of the boys seemed to be enjoying themselves aboard ship."

Edgell-Davis Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Ivah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin M. Davis, of Adamsville, Del., to Mr. James Herbert Edgell, of this place, was solemnized at Todd's M. E. Church on Thursday of last week at 1.30 p. m. The church was decorated with holly, cedar and potted plants.

Promptly at the appointed hour the bridal party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, rendered by Miss Corinne Starkey, of Andersontown, who was a schoolmate and intimate friend of the bride. Miss Mary Poteett, of Philadelphia, was maid of honor, and Mr. C. D. Murphy, of Farmington, and Mr. Arthur Hayes, of Andersontown, were ushers. The bride was beautifully attired in white French cashmere trimmed in lace and ribbon and carried white carnations The maid of honor wore old rose cashmere and carried carnations.

Shortly after the ceremony the happy young couple took the train for Baltimere and other points of interest, returning to Denton, where they will make their home. Mr. Edgell is a partner in the firm of Davis & Edgell. The bride received many valuable and useful presents, among them a farm from the father of the bride.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, O. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by R. J. Colston, Druggist, Denton, Md. Price 50c and $1.00 Trial bottles free.

A Daring and Faithful Minister.

Rev. Dr. J. D. C. Hanna, formerly of the Wilmington M. E. Conference and well known throughout this Peninsula, did not hold service last Sunday. He was quarantined. Dr. Hanna is now in the Philadelphia Conference and is stationed at West Chester, Pa. The Board of Health of the city quarantined him because of his heroic action in visiting a girl dying from black smallpox. Mr. J. B. Taylor, the father, was stricken with the disease about two weeks ago and was sent to the hospital. His two daughters, one a school teacher and the other a stenographer, were also taken with the disease a few days later and were also taken to the hospital. The disease developed into black smallpox, and Thursday the father died. The condition of his daughters grew worse. Friday afternoon, realizing that they were near death's door, they requested that a minister be summoned, as they were anxious to be baptized and to receive spiritual consolation. After four or five ministers, conferred with over the telephone, had refused to obey the call, Dr. Rothrock communicated with Dr. Hanna, who promptly responded, spending an hour with the afflicted sisters. One of the young women has since died, and the other is hovering between life and death. When it became known that Dr. Hanna had visited the Taylor sisters the minister was both criticised and praised. Then he was placed in quarantine. Dr. Hanna has issued this statement: "I went there about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and was met by Dr. Rothrock, who conducted me into the house for convalescents. There I removed my clothing and donned some that had been provided for me. Then while my own clothing was being disinfected I went up stairs and found the young women on seperate cots. I found them both exceedingly anxious that they should have a clearer understanding of the way of salvation and I talked with them of that. When both expressed faith I baptized them. I was there about an hour after being disinfected, and following all the instructions of Dr. Rothrock, I came away. I asked Dr. Rothrock if there was any danger to the community in my making the visit and he said not. I had no fear for myself. So far as I am concerned I would make a visit of that sort if I knew I would contract the disease."

Will Not Have to Kiss Bible.

Governor Hunn, of Delaware, will probably sign the bill which has passed both Houses dispensing with the kissing of the Bible in the administering of oaths in that State. There was some opposition to the bill at first when it appeared in the House and again in the Senate there was a fear that it was the first step toward dispensing with the Holy Book in the courts, but the advocates of the bill assured the opponents that the Bible must be retained in the courts, and this was only a precaution for the public health.

AT PRIVATE SALE

A fine pair of Mules 7 years old, about 17 hands high, weigh about 1100 pounds each. Well broken, well matched and fast walkers. Will be sold on terms to suit the buyer.

CHARLES H. TODD.
3 12] Fowling Creek, Md.

PENINSULA PARAGRAPHS.

—Officers in Easton raided a gambling den on a Sunday night recently and arrested 12 men.

The first month of Spring. Put your system in shape now and escape the ills that springtime brings. For this use Ramon's Tonic Regulator. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

—A new National Bank with a capital stock of $50,000 has been organized at Salisbury.

For bruises, cuts, burns, wounds of any sort—for rheumatism, stiff joints and sore muscles, Ramon's Nerve and Bone Oil is a prompt remedy. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

—Miss Cora Rhodes, of Laurel, was fatally burned on Friday last while burning rubbish in the yard of her home. Her dress caught fire and she was terribly injured.

If you have catarrh, rheumatism kidney trouble, or any disease caused by impurities in the blood, take Rheumacide. This wonderful remedy destroys the root of the disease At druggists.

—It is suggested that county roads be named as are town and city streets. If every main road and every cross road had its official title it would be as easy to locate a farmer as a city resident.

Clean out all the waste matter that heavy winter eating has left in your body and tone up your system by a course of Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets. These are the best spring medicines. 25 cents. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

—Smyrna's water plant netted the town about $1,000 dollars last year but the electric light plant went behind about $1,100. High priced coal and costly repairs are said to be the cause of the deficit.

Accidents, trifling and serious, are always happening. In homes there is often need for a quick effective remedy for bruises, cuts, burns, scalds, etc. Ramon's Nerve and Bone Oil is the best remedy for all sorts of wounds and hurts. 25c. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

—The trustees of the Chestertown Public School have appointed Prof. Edward Reisler as principal of the school to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. J. L. Smyth The new principal is about 45 years of age and taught in the Easton High School for six years.

Thousands of women have learned the great value of Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets, have told their friends about them. Thus has the fame of this great Modern Treatment been extended throughout the country without much advertising, and women everywhere have been relieved of much pain and suffering by their use. Complete Treatment—medicine for a month—25 cents. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis Ridgely.

— Farmers in the neighborhood of Wye Mills, Queen Annes county, are entering strenuous objections to the establishment of a rural free-delivery there. It is understood that they have no objections to the system in itself, but are unwilling to have the postoffice at Wye Mills discontinued.

With the first warm days of spring you begin to feel dull, tired and worn out. It's because your blood is thick and clogged with impurities it has collected from the body during the past winter. Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets will clear out the impurities and clean up the system. Complete treatment—two medicines—25 cents. R. J. Colston, Denton; J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

—Worcester county has been divided into three road districts, and instead of nine road supervisors, as formerly, there are now only three. For each road district $2,500 is appropriated. Each supervisor is required to keep eight mules and three men at all times at work on the roads in his district. Road machines and material are furnished by the county.

W. L. Yancy Baffled the Physicians.

W. L. Yancy, of Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave me immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." Sold by Preston Pharmacy, Preston; C. H. Redden, Denton.

—The Postmaster General has received a petition from the residents of Kent Island asking that the name of the post office on that island be changed from Kent Island to that of Stevensville.

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