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THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 30, 1903.

THE latest reports state that the entire coal supply of Germany is now under the control of one monster syndicate. The government as well as other consumers, is now at the mercy of this gigantic corporation. It will be interesting to note how this state of affairs are dealt with by our friends across the water.

THE new Board of Town Commissioners should thoroughly investigate the cost of lighting the town with the gas now furnished by the Citizens Light and Fuel Company. One of the most imperative needs of the town is good lights on the streets. It is quite probable that the lamps now used could be utilized at a considerable saving in the cost of installing the new light, and it has been pretty thoroughly tested so that there is no doubt of the superiority of the light furnished over that now used.

CARNEGIE'S latest gift is $600,000, to the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, of Alabama. The sum is to be a part of the endowment fund of that institution, and is given without reservation except that suitable provisions be made from the fund for the wants of Booker Washington and his family during his own and his wife's lifetime. "I wish that great and good man," says Mr. Carnegie, "to be entirely free from pecuniary cares that he may be free to devote himself to his great mission." The gift was made about a week ago and has been most favorably commented on by the leading papers and writers of the country.

THE era of good roads has come and Maryland must join the procession. Pennsylvania has provided for the spending of $1,000,000 per year for six years for the improvement of the highways of the State. Better roads means more travel, and in Pennsylvania the fact has already been demonstrated, by the liberal expenditure of several liberal townships, that there is a big return to the public for every dollar expended on the building of good roads. There is a saving in time and in horse flesh, and a brisk demand for horses for pleasure. It is almost impossible to make a mistake in liberal expenditures for fine roads

THE large attendance at the political meetings in Baltimore is a sure indication that the people are deeply interested in the municipal contest now going on. Last week the Democrats had an overflowing meeting in Music Hall, on Monday night the Republicans duplicated it. The attendance at all the meetings is unusually large and both sides are using their most convincing speakers. The Democrats are kept busy explaining why their candidate is not a ring nominee and just as good as the independent Republican who is his opponent in the canvas. Many voters are reported to be attending the meetings of both parties, and these, of course, are an uncertain quantity when it comes to counting noses. Republican victory in the city this spring virtually means Republican victory in the State this fall. The Democrats know this and the campaign is being made one of the most hotly contested that the city has experienced for many years.

THE retiring Board of Town Commissioners has acquitted itself with honor. There is scarcely a citizen of the town who would see the water plant removed for twice what it cost. The number of those who are getting their supply from the plant is far beyond what the most sanguine predicted, and the cost is very reasonable indeed. The only thing in which there has been any disappointment is the insurance rate. The companies doing business here, some of them at least, have been unusually slow in adjusting a new rate. This will only react upon these companies in the end, however, and it is not the fault of the fire protection offered. The tax rate is high of course, but that is a matter that will be adjusted as soon as the expense of the improvements is provided for and the town owns its water system, and whatever revenue there is will go to meet this indebtedness. We hope the new board will catch the progressive fever which has struck the town and will not let it lag in future advancement.

WE are in receipt of senatorial courtesies from Hon. L. E. McComas, for which he has our thanks.

Churches to Unite.

The organic union of the Congregational, United Brethren and Methodist Protestant denominations now seem to be a foregone conclusion.

Rev. Dr. F. T. Tagg, of Baltimore, who attended the general committee meeting at Pittsburg last week one of the accredited representatives of the Methodist Protestant Church, has returned and expressed the sentiments of the entire committee when he said that there was every reason to believe that the union would go through in short order. Rev. Dr. Tagg also said that the meeting was harmonious, and that the members of the three committees were ready to lend their hearty support to the consolidation scheme. As a result of the meeting a subcommittee was appointed to work out the preliminary details of a union. This committee will meet in Washington on May 27 to complete the work. The findings of this committee will then be reported to the general committee, and it in turn will make known its decision to the general bodies of the three churches.

The subcommittee made the following report:

"The Congregational, Methodist Protestant and United Brethren denominations represented in this meeting agree and recommend that a subcommitteee shall be appointed by the general committee to work out the preliminary details of a union looking to the ultimate and complete organic union of these denominations in accordance with the following ideas:

"First. The formulated statements of doctrine as held by each of these denominations at present, though phased differently, yet being essentially the same, are to be affirmed.

"Second. The union for the present is to be expressed in the organization of a council to be composed of representatives elected from the respective denominations. These denominations shall retain their present name and their autonomy in respect to all local affairs, but they shall add to their official title, "in affiliation with the General Council of the United Societies."

The Cup Defender.

In a 15-mile beat to windward down Narragansett Bay, out to sea and a long run before the wind back to her moorings, the Reliance, the new aspirant for the honor of defending the America's cup, was given her first builders' trial Saturday.

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The weather conditions were perfect. In a 12 southwester, close hauled in the beat down the bay on a broad reach with the wind abeam, or running free under spinnaker, she rendered a splendid account of herself and gave abundant promise of being a formidable candidate in the trials for the choice of a cup defender.

Her performance demonstrated that, despite the apprehension that she would be stiff because of her supposed scowlike features, she heeled readily and easily to her sailing lines in a very moderate breeze Once down to these lines she refused to heel further, giving evidence of the power which her broad flat-floored hull was designed to impart. She was quick to come about, averaging about 27 seconds in stays, made some fuss under her bow at times and steered with only one man at the helm. Designer Nat Herreshoff and Capt. Charles Barr alternated at the wheel.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Denton National Bank will be held at the banking house of the said Bank, in the town of Denton, Caroline county, Md. on the 5th day of May, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering a proposition to increase the capital stock of said Bank from $50,000 to $75,000.

T. C. WEST, Cashier,
4 2] Denton, Md.

Order of Publication

BELLE T. HUTCHINS
vs.
CHARLES F. HUTCHINS.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity.

The object of this suit is to procure a divorce A VINCULO MATRIMONII by the complainant from the respondent.

The bill states:

(1) That on January 13, 1886, she was married to the respondent in the State of Delaware and resided in Caroline county, Maryland, with him until August, 1898.

(2) That though her conduct toward her husband, the respondent, has always been kind, affectionate and above reproach, he, without just cause or reason, abandoned and deserted her, and that such abandonment has continued uninterruptedly for more than three years last past, is deliberate and final and the separation beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation.

(3) That she and the respondent have one child born to them from said marriage which is now living with complainant.

(4) That she does not know where the respondent now resides, but believes from information received by her that he is a resident of the State of New York and is not a resident of the State of Maryland and does not reside therein.

(5) That the complainant is a resident of Caroline county and State of Maryland and has been since the year 1886

(6) That she is informed that she is entitled to be divorced A VINCULO MATRIMONII from the respondent.

It is thereupon this 15th day of April, 1903, ordered by the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity, that the complainant by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 16th day of May, 1903, give notice to the absent respondent of the object and substance of this bill warning him to be and appear in this Court in person or by solicitor, on or before the 1st day of June, 1903, to show cause, if any he has, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

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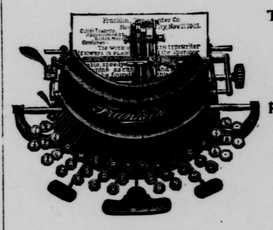

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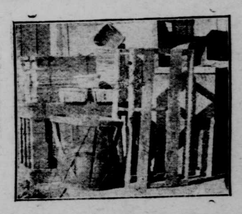

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