THE JOURNAL.

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EASTON, SATURDAY MORNING, March 13, 1875.

THE election in New Hampshire on Tuesday last seems to have been very close. There has been no choice of Gov. by the people and the duty of selection will devolve upon the Legislature which will on joint ballot be Republican by from 6 to 12 majority. The Democrats have gained one Congressman.

IN the United States District Court, on Monday, the grand jury which was sworn in contained for the first time in Maryland three colored men, as follows: John W. Locks, president of the Chesapeake Marine Railway Company; he is a dark, stout looking man about fifty-seven years of age; Rev. Harrison H. Webb, a minister of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and formely cashier of the National Freedman's Savings Bank in this city; Wm. H. Bishop, proprietor of a barber's saloon on Pratt street. The last two are light-complexioned and are intelligent looking men.

THE new tax bill was passed it is said by the Presidents securing two or three votes by his own personal efforts. It is declared that the whiskey people have more especial cause to be grateful to the President for his efforts in securing the passage of the bill than any [illegible] in this way.—There are 30,000,000 gallons of whiskey and spirits in the hands of manufacturers and wholesale dealers. This pays only the old tax of seventy cents per gallon, while all manufactured after the passage of the act pays ninety cents a gallon. Thus 20 cents a gallon on the 30,000,000 on hand is given to the manufacturers and dealers who are in possession of it. This little present in the way of legislation only amounts to $6,000,000, not one dollar of which goes into the national treasury.

THE Baltimore *Sun* of Saturday, in answer to questions of a correspondent, states that the first building rented and occupied as an office for the *Sun* was on Light Street, and contained 700 square feet. The present buildings, mainly occupied and owned by the *Sun*, front on Baltimore street 74 by 75 feet deep on South street to an alley. The original iron building covers 4,200 square feet, and the additional brown stone front building on Baltimore street contains 1,365 square feet, making a total of five thousand five hundred and sixty-eight square feet in the present *Sun* buildings, exclusive of three thousand three hundred and sixty-six feet underground and outside of the main buildings, and occupied by presses, engines, boilers, folding machines, &c., being a grand total of eight thousand nine hundred and thirty-one square feet on the ground floor.

Special Session of the Senate.

The United States Senate was convened in special session on Friday of last week by presidential proclamation. This is the usual course, the Senate being assembled for the purpose of considering treaties with foreign powers and such other business as pertains especially to the Senate. A number of new Senators, the most conspicuous of whom is ex-President Johnson, take their places in this body. The talents and character of a majority of them render them a valuable addition to the Senate. When ex-President Johnson advanced to the Vice-President's chair to be sworn in he was greeted with tumultuous applause, and when he took his seat he found his desk decorated with exquisite flowers.

MONDAY

It was proposed to send a committee of Senators into the Indian Territory during the recess of Congress to investigate affairs there. The resolution for admitting Pinchback as a member of the Senate was taken up and discussed until the hour of adjournment.

TUESDAY.

In the United States on Tuesday it was announced that the Vice President would be absent for some days, and Mr. Ferry, of Michigan, was elected Vice President pro tem. The Democratic vote was cast for Mr. Thurman. The credentials of Hon. Newton Booth, Senator elect from California, were presented, and Mr. Booth was admitted to a seat.

WEDNESDAY.

In the Senate on Tuesday the open session was exclusively occupied by Mr. Merrimon in continuation of his argument against the admission of Pinchback.

S. M. PETTINGILL & CO'S Advertising Agency has long been known as one of the most correct and honorable houses in all its dealings with its numerous friends and customers that has ever had an existence in the country. It gives us sincere pleasure to commend this firm, with its extensive capacity, correct habits and extreme business courtesy to all who wish to sontract for advertising.

Since first taking hold of the JOURNAL we have had constant dealings with this firm and it affords us pleasure to say that it is liberal, correct, and prompt at all times.

The Civil Rights Bill.

The following is a copy of the Civil Rights bill as finally passed by Congress:

WHEREAS, It is essential to just government we recognize the equality of all men before the law, and hold that it is the duty of Government in its dealings with the people to mete out equal and exact justice to all of whatever nationality, race, color or persuasion, religious or political, and it being the appropriate object of legislation to enact great principles into law; therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That all persons within the jurisdiction of the United States shall be entitled to the full and equal enjoyment of the accommodations, advantages, facilities and privileges of inns, public conveyances on land or water, theatres, and other places of amusement, subject only to the conditions and limitations established by law, and applicable alike to citizens of every race and color, regardless of any previous condition of servitude.

SEC. 2. That any person who shall violate the foregoing section by denying to any citizen, except for reasons by law applicable to citizens of every race and color, and regardless of any previous condition of servitude, the full enjoyment of any of the accommodations, advantages, facilities or privileges in said section enumerated, or by aiding or inciting such denial, shall, for every such offense, forfeit and pay the sum of five hundred dollars to the person aggrieved thereof, to be recovered in an action of debt, with full costs and shall also, for every such offence, be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars or shall be imprisoned not less than thirty days nor more than one year. Provided, That all persons may elect to sue for the penalty aforesaid or to proceed under their rights at common law and by State Statutes, and having so elected to proceed in the one mode or the other, the right to proceed in the other jurisdiction shall be barred. But this proviso shall not apply to criminal proceedings, either under this act or the criminal law of any State.

And provided further, That a judgment for the penalty in favor of the party aggrieved, or a judgment upon an indictment, shall be a bar to either prosecution respectively.

SEC. 3. That the district and Circuit Courts of the United States shall have, exclusively of the courts of those several States, cognizance of all crimes and offences against and violations of the provisions of the act, and actions for the penalty given by the preceding section may be prosecuted in the Territorial, District or Circuit Courts of the United States, wherever the defendant may be found, without regard to the other party. And the District Attorneys, Marshals and Deputy Marshals of the United States, and Commissioners appointed by the Circuit and Territorial Courts of the United States, with power of arresting and imprisoning or bailing offenders against the laws of the United States, are hereby specially authorized and required to institute proceedings against every person who shall violate the provisions of this act, and cause him to be arrested and imprisoned or bailed, as the case may be, for trial before such court of the United States or Territorial court as by law has cognizance of the offense, except in respect of the right of action accruing to the person aggrieved; and such District Attorneys shall cause such proceedings to be prosecuted to their termination as in other cases. Provided, That nothing contained in this section shall be construed to deny or defeat any right of civil action accruing to any person, whether by reason of this act or otherwise. And any District Attorney who shall wilfully fail to institute and prosecute the proceedings herein required, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay the sum of five hundred dollars to the person aggrieved thereby, to be recovered by an action of debt, with full costs, and shall, on conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and be fined not less than one thousand nor more than five thousand dollars. And provided further, That a judgment for the penalty in favor of the party aggrieved against any such District Attorney, or a judgment upon an indictment against any such District Attorney, shall be a bar to either prosecution respectively.

SEC. 4. That no citizen possessing all other qualifications which are or may be prescribed by law shall be disqualified for service as Grand or Petit juror in any court of the United States, or of any State, on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude; and any officer or other person charged with any duty in the selection or summoning of jurors who shall exclude or fail to summon any citizen for the cause aforesaid, shall, on conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and be fined not more than five thousand dollars.

SEC. 5. That all cases arising under the provisions of this act in the courts of the United States shall be reviewable by the Supreme Court of the United States without regard to the sum in controversy, under the same provisions and regulations as are now provided by law for the review of other causes in said court.

Letter from Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 9th, 1875.

MR. EDITOR:—

Those of our citizens who have been burning for a new sensation, have been amply gratified during the past week. On Thursday morning many thousands of our citizens residing in the upper wards of the city awoke from their slumbers to find the front of their residences decorated with sundry mysterious devices or symbols—in some cases, a simple number, ranging from one to nine; in others, a cross, with a number, whilst still in others a dagger, a coffin, or a skull and cross-bones would greet the vision. The thing was so general and so systematically done that the more nervous people were thrown into the greatest excitement. What it really means, or whether it means anything, your correspondent will not pretend to say.

Health Officer Addicks has at length transmitted to Councils his annual report of the births, marriages and deaths occurring in the city during the year 1874. The report, which is a very elaborate one, speaks thus of the city's sanitary condition:

"The general sanitary condition of our city has been good, and will compare favorably with any other of the larger cities, the actual mortality being ing 15,288, giying the rate 1 death to every 50-86 of the population, or equal to 19-66 to every thousand living persons, a decrease from the previous year of only 14, and 749 less than the year 1872."

About the commencement of the year I gave you the number of deaths occurring in the city during the year 1874. The official statement puts the number at 16,315. The number of births during the same period was 19,387—10,231 males, and 9,156 females; the number of twin births was 219. Number of marriages during the year, 6638.—The ages of the parties married were as follows:

	Men.	Women.
Under 20	32	1,274
20 to 25	2,407	2,876
25 to 30	2,047	1,187
30 to 40	1,235	640
40 to 50	333	167
50 to 60	122	41
60 to 70	36	4
70 to 80	11	..
Not given	416	450

Of the eleven men between 70 and 80 married, one married a woman between 20 and 25; one married a woman between 25 and 30; two married women between 30 and 40; three married women between 40 and 50; two married women between 50 and 60; and two married women between 60 to 70.

The ceremonies employed in these marriages were performed by ministers of the Gospel, 5,606; Justices of the Peace, 1,032; Mayors, 1; Aldermen, 1; Judges, 2; Members of Assembly, 1; Members of Congress, 1; Catholic, 696; Catholic, 1,844; Episcopal, 840; Presbyterian, 714; Baptest, 531; Lutheran, 527; German Reform, 372; Aldermen, 322; Hebrew, 108; Independent, 68; Mayor, 60; Evangelical Association, 361; Dutch Reformed, 30; Moravian, 25; Universalist, 21; Unitarian, 12; Friends, 10; Church of Christ, 6; Second Advent, 5; Congregational, 3; New Jerusalem, 3; Bible Christian, 2; Mennonite, 2; French Church, 1; Independent German, 1.

In business matters there is but little stir, though hopes of a fair spring trade seem to be generally entertained. The miserable weather which has prevailed since winter first set in, has been a sad draw-back to the retail trade, and hence many of the smaller tradesmen have had hard work to keep on their feet.—The closing of navigation for so long a period has contributed its share towards the general depression.

The warm spell of some ten days ago filled the Schuylkill with floating ice, which, becoming gorged in the vicinity of Manayunk, so backed up the water as to inundate a considerable portion of that business suburb. The consequence was that most of the cotton and woolen mills were forced to suspend operations, thus for a time throwing thousands of industrious operatives out of employment. The flood having subsided, the mills are now again in operation.

Col. Alexander K. McClure has purchased the Age newspaper of Dr. Morwitz, and will soon assume its chief editorship and management. It is to be called the "Times," and will be published as an *Independent* Republican paper. Those who know the Colonel well, and his present relations to the Republican party, know very well what that means. Determined, shrewd and able, Col. McClure will make the Times a lively daily, it is believed, which will find much more favor with the Democrats than with Radicals and Ringsters of the Republican party.

Our State House of Representatives has, by a vote of 106 to 57, passed a bill repealing the Local Option law of tht State. About an equal number of each political party voted for the repeal. The temperance people—both men and women—are now beseiging Harrisburg to induce the Senate to withhold its sanction from the bill. As to the result of their efforts we shall presently see what we shall see.

On this subject the Sunday Despatch, a high-toned and influential paper, with decided Republican proclivities, says:

"The House of Representatives of this State has passed a law repealing Local Option law which the temperance fanatics obtained some years ago. A proper license law is to be substituted in its place. The Act was unjust in principle, establishing differences between various portions of the State, which are unreasonable and have been found to be ineffectual. It is to be hoped that the Senate will sanction the bill. Local Option has now had a fair trial it Pennsylvania, and has been found wanting."

Number of deaths in the city last week 403, of which 59 were of consumption of the lungs.

GALLATIN.

[COMMUNICATED.]

MR. EDITOR:—

The Baltimore *Sun*, in noticing the communication of "Eastern Shoreman" in reply to the comments of the *Sun* on the earnestness of the advocacy of the Eastern Shore and Delaware papers of the peninsula ship canal, accuses "Eastern Shoreman" of unseasonable warmth, and advises that correspondent that the first newspaper article advocating the canal was published in the *Sun* years ago.

Your correspondent congratulates himself that he has generated sufficient heat to pass a genial ray to the great dispenser of universal heat and light, thus early in the spring, and would, in common with his fellows, mourn the loss of but a tithe of the warmth the *Sun* so freely dispenses, and which is so gratefully appreciated on the 11th of March 1875.

Your correspondent must, however, Mr. Editor, dissent to the idea advanced by the *Sun* that Congress needed thawing out even on the coldest day of cold last winter, the sun it is true was south of the Equator, but then Africa lies [illegible] and below the Equator and there [illegible] been no freezing. Rights still attests this fact.

I did not mean to say in my last article that the *Sun* and other papers of Baltimore took no interest and said nothing in advocacy of the canal project, but that they did not attach, in my opinion, that importance to the matter which its magnitude as affecting the interests of Baltimore City demands, nor did I make even the charge of indifference without qualification, for I said distinctly, "those papers which came under my observation"; the *Sun* is now of that number, for alas failing sight has forbidden a continuance of my subscription.

Mr. Editor, I am very sure that the *Sun* will not be left behind in the effort which must be made by the press to awaken the people of Maryland and Delaware to the great importance of this ship canal, and this must be the first step taken to further the project. When the Representatives of Maryland and Delaware unite in pressing the [illegible] on the attention of Congress, [illegible] higher objects for their consideration and legislation than party [illegible] as a national work of improvement become fully understood, we may hope to see the big ditch dug.

The New York *Times*, in comparing the commercial advantages of New York over Baltimore City, names, as a leading one, the measures of the former to the ocean. Let Baltimore get nearer the ocean through the Peninsula Ship Canal, and in a few years Baltimore will rival New York in growth and commerce. The prosperity of Baltimore will be felt through all the State, and the Eastern Shore will reap her full share in catering to the wants of the extra thousands who will become consumers of her vegetable products, and be relieved of the burden of taxation in due proportion to the increase of the taxable wealth which will flow into the State.

EASTERN SHOREMAN.

At an early hour on Saturday morning last flames were discovered issuing from the banking-house of Hayes & Willis, Johnstown, New York. The flames were subdued when the charred remains of Edward Yost, a brother-in-law of one of the partners, were found. The bank presented a sickening appearance with its blood-besmeared walls, doors and counters, and the smell of the burned furhiture and bedding. Yost was last seen about 12 o clock the night previous, when he went to the bank, where he occupied a rear room. When the body was found there was a gag in the mouth and the arms were bound. The person of the murdered man was robbed of $500 in money, a valuable diamond pin, and a watch worth $250, but there was nothing to indicate an effort to rob the vault.

The average number of cigars smoked each hour in the United States is 5,168,000. During the last fiscal year the import duties on cigars amount to 6,150,060 41. The total amount of taxes on cigars in currency was 33,242,875 62. Grand total 39, 392,936 03. The increased taxes on cigars, which have just gone into effect, will doubtless in no wise lessen the consumption.

Grant's third term tax bill—taxing the people of the country 40,000,000 to keep up the present extravagance of the Government for two years longer, in addition to the present burdens—finally passed Congress and was signed by the Presicent.

NEWS GLEANINGS.

There is an unusal scarcity of oysters in the New York market just now.

Anchor sweeping is the most profitable business at Lewese now. Five good anchors were caught by one boat in a day.

The New Castle Presbytery, embracing all the churches of that order on the Peninsula, will hold its annual meeting in Lewese, on the 23rd 25th of April.

Senator Johnson, of Tennessee has requested his friends to refrain from any demonstrations in his honor at this time, as he much prefers to receive their congratulations in a quiet way.

The bodies of forty persons who died at St. John's, N. B., this winter have been temporarily interred in the snow, which lies in such immense quantities in the cemetries as to prevent the opening of graves.

In the Superior Court, at New York, it was decided last week that a street railway company has a perfect right to eject intoxicated persons from their cars, and that the company is not responsible for damages in the event of the fatal injury of a person ejected under such circumstances.

A member of the New York Legislature [illegible] all the statements, and testimony thus far given in the Tilton-Beecher suit, being satisfied that the truth cannot be known until Mrs. Tilton has been allowed to testify, has introduced a bill which it is supposed will accomplish this result.

Noting the revival of the franking privilege for the remainder of the present year, the New York Times says: "So far as our observation goes, there has never been any demand for the restoration of the franking nuisance, except on the part of Congressmen. * * We can scarcely beleive that it could be possible for Congress to pass a more superfluous measures than this."

Mrs. Ann Carroll Fitzhugh Smith the widow of the late Gerrit Smith, died at Peterboro', New York, on Saturday, surrounded by her children, grand-children, and other relatives. Mrs. Smith was married in Hudson, N. Y., to Mr. Fitzhugh, of Hudson, Md., on the 11th of January, 1805. She was the daughter of William Fitzhug, a wealthy citizen of this State, who removed to western New York in 1812, where he purchased large tracts of land, which have since become very valuable.

DENTON MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY FOR THE DENTON JOURNAL.

DENTON, Feb. 20th, 1875.

Corn, per bushel	75@80 cts.
Meal, " "	90 cts.
Beef, per lb.	10@16 cts.
Pork, fresh, per lb.	10@12 cts.
Lard, per lb.	20 cts.
Butter, per lb.	35 cts.
Chickens per lb.	12½ cts.
Ducks, per lb.	10 cts.
Turkeys, dressed, per lb.	14 cts.
Geese, per lb.	10 cts.
Honey, per lb.	16 cts.
Onions, per bushel	2.00
Oysters, per gallon	80 cts.
Apples, dried, per lb.	7 cts.
Sweet Potatoes, per bushel	1.00
Irish Potatoes, " "	80 cts.
Cabbage, per head	5 cts.
Beans, white, per quart	10 cts.
Peas, black-eyed	6@8 cts.
Eggs, per dozen	30 cts.
Feathers, per lb.	45@60 cts.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

GRAIN—	
Wheat—white, choice	$115@130
" red, choice	115@125
Corn—white good to prime	79@83
" yellow	75@80
Rye,	98@102
Oats,	66@68

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Wanted.

A TEACHER for Hog Creek school, in the Fourth Election District of Caroline county. Apply to JAMES L. PAYNE; J. E. PHILLIPS, L. W. ROBINSON, Trustees.
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TAKE NOTICE.

THE tax-payers in the 5th Election District of Caroline county, who have not settled their taxes for the year 1874, had better settle the same by the 1st day of April next, or they will be closed in the shortest manner by the way of distress.
ELIJAH HIGNUTT, Collector.
mar13-tf.

Notice to Creditors.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

ELIJAH CHANCE,

late of Caroline county, dec'd. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the 20th day of September, 1875, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, as the directions and requirements of the law on my part will be strictly complied with.
JOHN T. SANGSTON, Adm'r C. T. A., of Elijah Chance, dec'd.
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Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE firm of Horsey & Massey has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, James Massey withdrawing.
JAS. C. HORSEY, JAS. MASSEY.

The undersigned has the books of the late firm in hand for collection. All persons indebted to them will please come forward and settle their bills without delay. Having assumed payment of all debts due by the firm I must have money.
JAS. C. HORSEY, Greensborough, Md.
mar13-tf.

THE WHEAT CROP.

Wheat growers who have applied manure of an inferior quality can renovate their crop by the application per acre of a single bag of

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Its use is highly recommended on

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Caroline county and to me directed at the suit of John G. Clark and William H. Jones co-partners, trading under the name of Clark & Jones, against the goods, chattles, lands and tenements of Jacob Alburger, I have seized and taken in execution and will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door in Denton, on

SATURDAY, 3rd day of April, 1875,

between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock, P. M., the following property to wit.

All the right, title and interest of Jacob Alburger, in and to all that tract or parcel of land, messuage and premises situate and being on the North side of Gay street, in the town of Denton, containing

ONE-HALF ACRE OF LAND,

more or less, and being the same land conveyed to the said Jacob Alburger by Jno. Rumbold, as by reference to deed duly recorded in Liber J. H. F., No. X, folios 473 and 474, one of the land record books of Caroline county. The improvements are a

ONE AND A HALF STORY DWELLING,

and the usual outbuildings in fair order.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the said Jacob Alburger and will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, on the above named day to pay and satisfy said writ, debt, interest and cost now due and to become due thereon. Attendance given by JAS. E. JOHNSON, Sheriff.
mar13-tds.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Caroline county and to me directed at the suit of Wm. D. Noble, use of Jno H. Powers, in part, against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of John H. Twiford, I have seized and taken in execution and will offer at public sale at the Court House door in Denton, on

SATURDAY, 3rd day of April, 1875,

between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock P. M., the following property to wit All the said John H. Twiford's right, title, interest and claim of in and to all that tract, part of a tract, or parcel of land, situate lying and being in the 5th Election District of Caroline county, and whereon John Marcus Davis now resides, it being the same property that was allowed to the said John H. Twiford and Catharine his wife, in right of the said Catharine, daughter of the late Joseph Vickers, by the Commissioners appointed by the Court to divide &c., the lands of the said Joseph Vickers, containing

175 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS,

reference being had to the return of the Commissioners recorded in Liber J. E., No. D., folios 283 &c., one of the Commission record books for Caroline county will fully appear.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the said John H. Twiford, and will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, on the above named day to pay and satisfy said writ, debt, interest and cost now due and become due thereon. Attendance given by JAS. E. JOHNSON, Sheriff.
mar13-tds

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, and to me directed, at the suit of Saulsbury Hobbs against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Wm. H. Emerson, George W. Haughley, Thos. F. Garey, and John R. Wyatt, I have seized and taken in execution, and will offer at public sale, in front of the Court House door, in the town of Denton, on

TUESDAY, the 30th of March,

1875, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M., all of the said George W. Haughley's right, title, interest and claim of, in and to all that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Tuckahoe Neck, adjoining the lands of the Griffith heirs, containing

530 Acres, more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the said George W. Haughley, and will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, on the above named day to pay and satisfy said writ, debt, interest and cost now due and to become due thereon. Attendance given by JAS. E. JOHNSON, Sheriff.
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REAL ESTATE OWNERS who wish to sell this season will do well to communicate with the subscriber at his office in Denton on Tuesdays and Saturdays. In consequence of arrangements with influential parties at the North considerable immigration is anticipated the coming season to our county and all who place their property at an early date in my hands, as attorney for sale, will have an opportunity afforded to realize upon it.

I desire descriptions as soon as practicable, that are not exagerated, with reasonable terms and fair prices. Upon this basis I propose to operate. I desire my efforts to be mutually beneficial to both seller and buyer. Upon my part I offer the pledge that a most extensive communication will be opened with Northern and Western men and if any of my clients have property they desire to sell they shall be put in the way of purchasers. By a thorough correspondence and intimate association with responsible parties at the North, I am prepared to carry to the very doors of large and desirable sections all information respecting properties in my hands for sale as attorney.

I shall issue a special catalogue of all such properties the last of the present month, for distribution among my correspondents at the North. All who wish to sell and have not made other arrangements will do well to communicate with me at once.

If you have the right kind of property and the right kind of prices I can render you service.
WM. S. RIDGELY, ATT'Y., Denton, Md.
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