THE JOURNAL.

DENTON, SATURDAY MORNING, May 15, 1875.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE Orphans' Court for Caroline Co. will sit on Tuesday, 18th of May.

SCRAPS.

—A Lady Washington Tea Party was held in Easton on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

—We desire to call special attention to the advertisement of Horsey & Lowe in this weeks issue.

—The Colorado potato bug is present and has already commenced a vigorous campaign upon the young potato vines.

—Any one wishing an advertisement inserted in the Journal will please inform us personnaly by letter or some *friend*, otherwise we may never hear of it.

—The steam mill of Mr Patton near Woolenhawk, Del. exploded, on Saturday last, killed one man and wounded two others. Loss supposed to be about $25,00.

—Mr Fell proprietor of Brick Hotel was presented on Tuesday last by Mr. Dan Stevens of Harmony a large rock fish weighing over 53 lbs. This was a Choptank fish and we think pretty hard to beat.

—Mrs. Stafford and Miss Smith, Bursville whose card as Milliners was inserted last week we learn has returned from Philadelphia with a nice assortment of goods the public is invited to call and examine for themselves.

THEY say business is dull; sugar and coffe are selling slowly. Not so with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; we understand our druggist can hardly supply the demand.

THE SCARCITY OF MONEY.—As an evidence of the hard times and the scarcity of money, Mr. James Wooters, the clerk of the court informs us that the cash receipts for fees during the session of the court did not exceed $12. —*Centerville Record.*

THE *show* here on Thursday as expected was largely attended. Whilst their stock of wild animals did not come up to their advertisement, the affair as a whole gave pretty general satisfaction, most of persons (having heard unfavorable reports) were agreeably disappointed, and thought they got their "money's worth."

AT the recent term of the Circuit Court for Queen Anne's county four persons were indicted for selling spirituous liquors efter the adoption of the Local Option law. Three of the cases were tried, one was acquitted and two others were convicted and fined $50 in each case. They were also warned that for future violations of the law, they would receive the highest fine, $500.

DWELLING ON FIRE AT KENT ISLAND LANDING.—Col. John N. Denning who arrived from Chestertown yesterday on board the Steamer George Law at 12 M., reports the frame barn and dwelling belonging to Wm. Harris Legg, at Kent Island Landing, Queen Anne's county, on fire at 10½ o'clock A. M., and by all appearances would be entirely consumed. Loss about 3,000. —*Baltimore Sun of Thursday*

JOHN GOOTEE drove to town last Sunday night bringing two ladies. After church he found that his horse and carriage had been stolen. He was compelled to walk home and the ladies were by the kindness of some friend of the neighborhood returned to their homes. Taylor Robinson a colored man raised on Kent Island and the former slave of Pere Winchester of that place, has been arrested and is in Cambridge jail as the guilty party.

THE AMERICAN FARMER for May is apon our table, filled with its usual well assorted complement of seasonable material for the planter, farmer and gardener. Scarce a topic of country work but received some notice, proportionate to its importance, and the editors, with the aid of their numerous correspondents, make a number fully equal to the average of this standard farm paper. The publishers, Samuel Sands & Son, Baltimore, will send specimen numbers free on application. Subscription, postage paid, $1.60 a year or $1.10 to clubs of five or more.

NEW MAP.—The draft of the map of Caroline county is nearly completed and will go to the printer shortly. The plans of Denton, Greensborough and Federalsburg have been added to the map; also, table of distances from Denton to various points in the county, and a table of statistics giving populations; amount of assessments, and miles of road. The whole presents a very neat appearance, and will, no doubt, give satisfaction to the subscribers. This enterprise is one that entitles Captain Isler, who at considerable trouble and expense has gotten this county map up to the thanks of every Caroline man.—We shall be disappointed if the map does not meet with a large and ready sale in this county.

As a valuable remedy for Dyspepsia, Sick Headache Torpid Liver, and such like diseases we can recommend Dr. Bull's Vegetable Pills. They are for sale by all druggists at 25 cents per box.

THE QUEEN ANNE'S MATHEMATICIAN.—Mr. E. H. Coursey, of Piney Neck, Queen Anne's county, writes to us and says that our Caroline men are very expert in figures, and submit the following questions:

Question 1. I want to know how many rails it will take to make a circular field that for each rail of the fence there shall be one thousand acres of land in the field, for every pannel of the fence there shall be five rails to each pannel and the rails ten feet long or ly-

Question 2. I want somebody to put down in a straight row 17 figures and take the square root of the 17 figures, the whole process of doing it, and the answer included shall only be 18 figures.

THE ORPHANS' COURT.—Court met—present their honors, Wm. A. Ford, Robert Jarrell and Daniel Sparklin.

R. R. Edgell, guardian to J. T. W. Horris, presented third guardian account.—Passed by the Court.

James C. and Nathaniel Horsey, executors of S. H. Horsey, presented account of sales of deceased estate. Passed by the Court.

Wm. A. Ford presented second account of sales of persoual estate of Levi Dukes, deceased. Passed by the Court. Also presented inventory of the real estate of deceased. Passed.

Henry Wilson, gdardian of John E. Collison, presented first and final guardian account. Passed.

AN ASSAULT.—Casper Miller of Potters Landing was assaulted on Wednesday morning last by a young man named Phil Marble who had been employed by Mr. Miller as a fisherman during the spring. We learn that a misunderstanding had occured the day previous and that Mr. Miller assaulted the young man (aged about 18) and discharged him and that Marvel claimed the amount due him before he quit. Marvel remained declaring that he would not leave until he received his money, and that he would make Miller pay him or take it out of his hide. On Wednesday morning Mr. Miller went into the store of Mr B. G. Stevens to buy something and Marvel was in there. As Miller was leaving Marvel asked him to pay him, Miller refusing to pay what Marvel claimed was due him he took an axe helve and assaulted him inflicting several deep and ugly cuts about the face and head, Mr. Miller was for some time rendered insensible and it was supposed his wounds were of a fatal character. He at last revived and soon obtained strength to walk, took a gun leaving his home and family went in search of Marvel. Marvel was yet at the store and informed of his coming he prepared cooly and calmly to receive him. He took a double barrel gun took aim at Miller as he approached, declaring that as soon as Miller raised the muzzle of his he would shoot him. The coolness and calmness of the young man under such circumstances is reported as being of an extraordinary character. When the men were expected momentarily to fire upon each other as Miller approached the store door by a son of Mr. Stevens was closed, thus doubtless saving the life of one or the other of the men.

Miller came to town and had a warrent issued for the arrest of Marvel placed in the hands of constable shields but as yet he has not been arrested. He resides in Deleware.

A REMARKABLE DREAM.—A colored local preacher named John Andrews, of Georgetown, Del., on Sunday night of last week murdered his wife through jealousy, and concealed himself effectually for several days, though a most diligent search for him was made. His hiding place was at last discovered by a most remarkable dream as reported by several of our exchanges. The facts as stated are as follows:

Henry James who had with others been in search of the missing assassin, dreamed that he was concealed in the attic of the colored church. No one knew of the church having an attic, but, after James dreamed that he found Andrews there, he took some friends and a ladder and discovered an aperture leading to the church loft, which he opened and called out, "John, come down."

A full bloodad echo came back, "I will if you won't hurt me," which caused Mr. James to take two steps—one down the ladder, the other one clear into the street. Notwithstanding the "dream-reader's" fright his friends ascended to the attic and captured the echo, "darkey" and all, and have him incarcerated in jail at the present time. He states that he has had nothing to eat since the murder, and explains the tragedy as a mere accident. He claims he threatened to shoot his wife, when she told him she had taken the cap off the gun. She picked up the powder-horn and ran. He pulled the hammer back as she reached the door, and it slipped out of his fingers, and the gun was discharged and she fell. He did not stop to see if she was shot or had only fainted, but fled at once. When found she had the powder horn in her hand. Andrews is a mulatto, rather fine looking, thirty years of age, has been married seven years, has no children, and was quite jealous of his wife, evidently without cause.

His wife's funeral services took place in the church on Thursday of last week. He says that he was just preparing to leave the loft when the man on the ladder discovered him. He says also that from his hiding place he saw his wife's coffin on the day of her funeral, heard every word of her funeral, sermon. "I felt an almost irresistible desire at that time, to come down from my perch and confess the crime. I can't tell why I committed it." Many think Andrews insane.

From the 4th District.

The young folks of Preston and vicinity enjoyed a ... association on the 6 and 7 under the leadership of Mr. R. O. Christian and Miss M. E Medford Principal and assistant in the Academy and a number of the young gentlemen and Ladies of the neighborhood. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity; and everybody was delighted.

Mr. James H. Douglas has purchased the Drug store of Christian & Wingate in Preston and removed to the store house of his father, which has been refitted and refurnished in a tasty manner. Mr. Doughlass has purchased a large stock of Medicines, Paints, Oils, Fancy articles, Hardware, Queensware, Glass, and a large stock of Groceries. The store is now quite complete and its owner manifests a desire to please.

The past few days have been more spring-like and the wheat, grass, gardens and Strawberry patches look more promising. It really does seem to be time for growing weather for here is the middle of May, almost and things so backward. Some years ago it was not uncommon to have ripe strawberries from the 16 to the 20th of May. Well it wont do to grumble.

In passing the farm of Mr. Levin W. Williams near Friendship M. E. Church between New Hope and American Corner a day or two ago, we were tempted to assert that Mr. W. had the finest field of wheat in the county, when a friend told us to wait until we had seen Mr. P. D. Taylor's at Union Grove.—Not having seen the latter yet, we can only say if it is better than the field of Mr. Williams, it has been growing of nights.

By the way how some land does improve. That little farm of Mr. W's once went begging at $10 per acre!—Guano, lime and clover with plenty of muscle in the direction of plow and shovel have done the work.

The Colorado bugs are beginning to appear on the young potato vines. We hear of them in place as waiting for the vines to appear above ground and as soon as up they are devoured. To fight the pests now is the watchword. Paris Green is said to destroy them. It is well to remember that this article is *poisonous* and should be used very carefully.

The "Aphis" or Peach louse is appearing in innumerable numbers upon many of our orchards. The outlook in the peach direction is anything but pleasant; as yet no remedy is known to the public, and indeed the origin of the pest is not at all understood. Some believe the "lady bug" to be the parent, while the etomologists insist that the bug is the fruit growers principal hope in destroying the aphis. We can't decide yet—one thing we do know, where the bugs are there are the lice. If the bug does not deposit them on the peach buds she follows very speedily. Who will enlighten us?

DIED.

DOWNES.—At his residence in Frederica, Del., suddenly with appoplexy Capt. James S. Downes, aged 79 yrs and 9 months.

DOWNES.—On Wednesday, 28th ult., near Marydel, Mr. John W. Downes, over 60 years of age.

Mr. Downes was born and resided in Queen Anne's county until within the last few years, when he removed to Delaware. He had many friends, as he was a man of fixed principles, intelligence and character. He several years since acceptably represented Queen Annes in the Legislature.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. Abiel Bowen, Dentist, is at Denton Tuesdays. Office in the building recently occupied as the Episcopal Church. Greensborough Saturdays.—Office at R. Plummer's residence. Persons wishing Dentistry other days can be waited on at my residence or at either of the above places by engagement.

Six Cents Reward.

RUN AWAY from the subscriber the 25th of December, 1874, a bound apprentice boy by the name of Martin F. Bradley. Any person apprehending said apprentice and returning him to the subscriber shall receive the above reward.

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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,

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Estray.

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apr10-tf. Tuckahoe Neck,

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and everything else that my customers have for sale.

I mean to do a strict cash business. I am at less expense than my rivals in trade, as I pay no clerkship or hire. This is the secret of my selling so low, and paying such large prices for trade.

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