THE JOURNAL.

SATURDAY,.....JANUARY 5, 1878.

LOCAL INTELIGENCE.

THE Orphans' Court for Caroline county will meet on Tuesday the 8th January.

SCRAPS.

—The days are lengthening.

—Now is the season for good resolutions.

—Subscribe to and advertise in the JOURNAL.

—The county Commissioners will meet on the 15th inst.

—Quarterly meeting in Denton on the 20th and 21st inst.

—The Somerset county jail has ten inmates, ours has none.

—The Easton *Star* of this week publishes fourteen marriages.

—There will be four eclipses during this year, two of the sun and two of the moon.

—Active preparations are being made to build the Lewes and Rehoboth Railroad.

—The Lewes (Del.) *Light* says good coal can now be bought in that town for $3 per ton.

—The health of the people of Denton and vicinity was never better than it is at this time.

—The steamer Kent will be withdrawn from the Choptank route after to-day's trip.

—The Chancery Term of the Circuit Court for this county will commence on the 15th inst.

—The diphtheria is spreading in some parts of the peninsula to an alarming extent.

—*The Democrat*, published in Hagerstown, is advertised for sale next Thursday, the 10th inst.

—There were about as many persons died in this county last year as there were couples married.

—People often miss a chance to make money by not taking a paper and reading the advertisements.

—Wheat in Kent county, Del., is growing so finely that some of the farmers are pasturing their cattle on it.

—According to a New York jury, wedding presents belong to the wife, and not to the husband and wife jointly.

—Mr. Kemp Williams, constable for this district, bonded last Tuesday and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

—Tilghman N. Chance, Esq., has resigned the office of Register of Wills of Talbot county. The vacancy will be filled by the Orphans' Court.

—Elbin's Mill at the head of Miles river, in Talbot county, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night last together with machinery and a lot of grain.

—Mr Frank Wilson has just finished several jobs of painting in town, and his work gives entire satisfaction. He does first-rate work and charges moderately for it. [4t.

—On Tuesday last while Mr. John Harris was driving a team near Marshy Hope Bridge, it ran away with him, and in his efforts to stop it, he fell and broke his leg.

—We invite the attention of real estate buyers to the sale of valuable property advertised in another column by Messrs. Sherman and Jump, to take place next Tuesday, the 8th inst.

—We are requested to announce that the Rev. W. H. D. Harper, of Easton, will preach in the M. E. Church South at Hillsborough, to-morrow, (Jan. 6,) at the usual hours morning and evening.

—Medical men often puzzle themselves over the large sale that Dr. Bulls Buby Syrup enjoys. Its great popularity is due only to the excellent qualities possesed by this household medicine. 25 cents.

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—The protracted meetings which have been in progress at the Potter's Landing M. E. Church, for the past several weeks, have been wonderfully successful. Almost the entire neighborhood have been converted.

—As we have heard of no other time for the meeting of the Fishermen's Convention, we take it for granted that the time and place suggested by the Easton *Star*, namely, Jan. 8, at Easton, is generally acceptable. We hope the delegates will all attend.

—A medicine, like a man, is judged by the good it accomplishes. The wide-spreak testimony as to the efficiency of Keller's Vegetable Life Drops, and its continuous use wherever introduced constitute a reason sufficiently strong for the endorsement of so valuable a preparation; since no inferior compound, however well managed, could meet with the remotest degree of favor compared with that with which the Life Drops were received.

LOST.—December 29, in the town of Denton a butcher's book, the finder will please return to Henry Irwin.

BUTTER TAFFY.—Two cups of white sugar; three quarters of a cup of vinegar, not too strong; three-quarters of a cup of butter. Boil until brittle; pour into buttered pans.

THE BRADLEY PROMETHOR.—We learn from a friend in Preston that the fishing tug, "R. D. Bradley," Captain Dunham owner and master (with the Bradley Promethor as its motor) made the trip from Medford's Wharf to Cambridge in one hour and forty minutes. The boat is bound for Baltimore, and afterwards to the fishing waters of North Carolina.

CONTINUED.—The steamer Georgeana will her after be run by the owners, the Potomac Steamboat Co. It was reported sometime since that the Farmers' and Planters' Transportation Company had purchased the boat, but such was not the case. She will be continued on the same route heretofore run, and under charge of the same officers.—*Easton Ledger.*

CHANGED OWNERSHIP.—W. W. Busteed, Esq., founder of the Centreville *Observer*, one of the best county papers in the State, has withdrawn from the editorial fraternity, and sold his paper to Messrs. P. B. Hopper and W. Hopper Gibson. While we are sorry to part with our genial friend Busteed, we gladly welcome in his place Messrs. Hopper & Gibson. Mr. Hopper, only a short time since, made a brilliant debut at the bar.

HILLSBORO' GRANGE.—At a meeting of the Hillsboro' Grange, No. 19, held Dec. 29, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—W. M., J. W Knotts; Overseer, W. E. Barton; Chaplain, A. A. Matthews; Secretary, J. T. Anthony, Jr.; Treasurer, H. S. Fisher; Steward, W. J. Dukes: Ass't Steward, C. R. Wooters; Gate Keeper, C. H. Fleming; Lady Ass't Steward, Miss Belle C. Jump; Ceres, Mrs. Fannie Knotts; Flora, Mrs. L. J. Wooters; Pomona, Mrs. M. E. Fisher.

DRAMATIC.—The Preston Amateur Dramatic Association gave an entertainment in the Academy on Wednesday evening of last week. "A match in the dark," "Dick Turpin," and "Betsy Baker" were played to a well filled house and to the entire satisfaction of all; indeed some of the personation of the characters were well worthy of older members of the histrionic art. On Thursday evening following, "Ten nights in a bar-room" was performed. The proceeds, $50, go to the fund for a town library.

SINGULAR OCCURRENCE.—One afternoon during Christmas week the family of Mr. Willis Noble, residing near Preston, was away from home, leaving a cow and one sheep in the pasture. Upon their return at night the cow and sheep were found in the pound, the sheep fearfully mutilated, but not dead, and by its side lay a strange dog, dead. So far there is no way of solving the mystery except by inferring that the cow killed the dog, as it had a rent in the side as if made by some such means as the horn of the cow or a stake. It is seldom that justice is so promptly meted as in this instance.

THE DOMESTIC MONTHLY.—The publishers of this deservedly popular magazine are certainly imbued with a liberal and progressive spirit. They have again enlarged it, both in the number and size of the pages, making what was heretofore an exceptionally cheap publication, a marvelously cheap one. We feel safe in saying that no other magazine gives such a variety of fashion intelligence, such full and complete reports, or more adequately supplies the wants of the ladies at so little cost. The literary contents are rare and excellent. Blake & Company 859 Broadway, N. Y., are the publishers. It only costs $1.50 a year.

READABLE BOOKS.—We are indebted to Lee & Shepard, 45 Franklin St., Boston, for handsomely bound volumes of the very popular works, "That Husband of Mine" and "That Wife of Mine." After the former volume was published, over 135,000 copies of it were sold in a single month, showing how aptly it fits the popular want. The latter, "That Wife of Mine," really marks a decided advance in authorship. Its incidents, its characters, its language are of the every day sort; its very symplicity and naturalness give it a charm to the ordinary reader; and it is, we think, pure and healthful in its tone. We pronounce both excellent books of their kind.

[COMMUNICATED.]

The following letter from our esteemed Preston correspondent should have appeared in last week's JOURNAL but failed to reach us in time. We gladly give it room this week:

Dear Journal:—As the week closes the year 1877 permit an old friend to wish you and your readers, in heartfelt sincerity, the compliments of the season. He trusts that all may be able to enjoy the festivities, ordained and sanctioned by usage in all Christian countries, around peaceful and happy firesides.

And while enjoying Christmas as is proper, and indeed essential, with good cheer, it is also a good time to take a retrospective view of the past twelve months and see wherein we might have been the instruments of rendering some of our fellows less unhappy than they have been, had we possessed more of the spirit of Him whose advent we now celebrate, of whom the Angel said "Behold I bring you good tidings of great joy which be to all people." Have not all of us missed many blessed opportunities of smoothing the pathway of some suffering fellow creature, who, like us all, is traveling, through toil and pain, it may be towards the great Beyond? Let us make a note here, and for the time to come vie with each other in good deeds one to another. Surely this is the way to bring the world to the Blessed Redeemer: this way of walking and living would establish the Kingdom of Heaven on earth, and fill the hearts of all people with "good tidings of great joy." That every reader of the JOURNAL may take up this train of thought and resolve to begin the new year with more disire for the good of others, with hearts filled with Faith and Hope and Charity, is the earnest wish of an

OLD CONTRIBUTOR.

December 27, 1877.

THE GRAIN CROP OF 1877.—Although an unusually large proportion of the grain crop of 1877 is still in first hands, the deliveries of wheat at the Atlantic seaboard ports, from September 1 to December 22, inclusive, were unprecedentedly great, reaching 33,445,107 bushels, against 13,548,942 for the corresponding period in 1876. The visible quantity of the wheat and corn in store, on the last named date was as follows:

	Wheat, bush.	*Corn, bush*
New York,	2,669,745	1,317,272
Baltimore,	459,545	819,934
Philadelphia,	100,000	793,000
Boston,	88,837	217,241

To this supply, available for immediate export, must be added 450,000 bushels of wheat, and 85,000 bushels of corn afloat in New York harbor.

MARRIAGES.

SAULSBURY—BROWN.—At Dover on the 26th ult., by Rev. J. H. Caldwell, Dr. Theo. Saulsbury, of Burrsville, Md., and Miss Hannah L. Brown, of Dover, Del.

REYNOLDS—RHODES.—On the 19, of Dec. at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Father Henchy, J. E. Reynolds, of Talbot and Annie E., eldest daughter of W. W. Rhodes, Esq., of Queen Anne's county.

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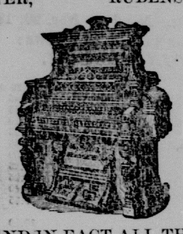

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