DENTON JOURNAL.

Saturday Morning, May 30, 1885.

☞Items of news from all parts of the county solicited under this head.

THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

A Steamboat War Predicted.—It is whispered around that a cut rate war to the very hilt of the knife is soon to commence on the Choptank river.

Church Notes.—If fair weather favors Rev. Edward Henchy will hold service at the Catholic church tomorrow.

—The Mite Society of the M. E. church, Denton, are making arrangements for an entertainment to be given in the Town Hall about the middle of June.

Dorchester Wins the Suit.—In the case before the Talbot county court of the commissioners of Dorchester county vs. Thomas H. Cox and sureties, J. Willett Harris, Thomas H. Fluharty and Jeremiah B. Fletcher, for failure to build the draw in the bridge over Cambridge creek and not returning the first payment of $500, the verdict was in favor of the county for $650, with the costs to be paid by each of the parties to the suit.

Gathering of Grangers.—The members of Denton Grange met at Grangers' Hall, Tuckahoe Neck, on Wednesday afternoon last. Mr. Edward Saulsbury presided, and introduced the speaker of the occasion, Mr. Dawson Lawrence of the State Grange, who addressed the farmers. The discourse was well received. Refreshments were served and the afternoon was very pleasantly passed. A lecture in the evening at the Hall was also well attended.

Baltimore Grain Markets.—Offerings of Southern wheat are comparatively liberal in quantity, but below the average in quality, the inquiry being indifferent, and the market dull and easy. Common to fair wheat sold Thursday at 87 and 93c.; good to prime fultz at 96 and $1.01, and good to choice longberry at $1.08 and $1.10. There was but a scanty offering of Southern corn, and the market was quiet and firm. The sales were at 64 and 65c., mostly at the inside figure, for white, and at 53 and 54c. for small lots of yellow. Oats brought 39 to 40c., and rye 82 to 84c.

New Advertisements.—Read the card of Mrs. A. E. Morris, Denton's popular dressmaker.

—As Col. Oswald Tilghman was unable to attend the sale of the Armstrong land, for which he is attorney, the property was not offered last Tuesday. It will be sold on June 20.

—Henry R. Lewis, Esq., trustee, advertises sale of store goods at Merrickton in another column.

—Denton has a new barber. See card elsewhere.

—R. W. Hargadine, nurseryman, Felton, Del.

—A. C. Yates & Co.

Visitors in Town. — Mr. and Mrs. George J. Meekins, of Cambridge, were in Denton several days this week.

—Emory Burnite, Esq., of Talbot, was in town Thursday.

—Howard Bryant, Esq., is spending a few days in Denton.

—Mrs. Joseph E. Douglass, of Preston, is spending a few days in Denton, the guest of Mrs. William E. Dunnock.

—Mr. Thos. J. Roe, of New York city, formerly of this county, was in Denton last Monday.

—Rev. G. P. Smith, of Crumpton, formerly of Preston, was in Denton several days this week.

Let Us Celebrate the Glorious Fourth. As Independence Day—a day so dear to many for reasons so multitudinous as a day of good feeling and patriotic demonstration—has in many of our wide awake rural communities almost lost its significance, it has been suggested that our citizens make the effort this year to revive the the celebration here in Caroline. With organized effort there will be no difficulty in the way to a creditable demonstration in which the whole county would participate. It is suggested that in order to take some definite steps in the matter all interested assemble at the court house on Saturday afternoon, June 6, at 2 o'clock and give the projectors the beaefit of their advice and help.

Personal Mention.—Mrs. George M. Russum is visiting Mrs. George J. Meekins, at Cambridge.

—Col. Joshua W. Bryant has been in attendance at the Court of Appeals at Annapolis this week.

—The Messrs. Crossy have returned from a very successful professional tour to their summer residence.

—Mr. M. S. Mutchler was in attendance at the Court of Appeals this week.

—Messrs. Russum and Downes, of the Caroline bar, have been engaged at the Easton court this week.

—Addison A. Christian, Esq., of the Greensboro' Free Press, has been appointed justice of the peace for the Second District, vice Mr. Robert J. Orrell, deceased.

—On motion of Attorney-General Roberts, Mr. Howard Bryant, formerly of Denton, now practicing at the Hagerstown bar, was last Wednesday admitted to practice in the Court of Appeals.

Templeville Topics.—Wheat is looking very finely in this vicinity and the despondency of the farmer has disappeared. Some of our neighbors have not yet planted their corn, but I presume they will be in time if they give it proper attention afterwards.

—Our postoffice is now in full blast under the new administration. Our clever Jas. Perkins manipulates the mail matter now.

—John Golt died a few days since from the effects of the wound he inflicted upon himself at the hotel in Millington under the influence of remorse and shame.

—Rev. Mr. Mowbray, preacher in charge of the Marydel circuit, is working his way up in the opinion of his congregation, and that his mission may be profitable is the hope of all.

Orphans' Court.—At the session of court on Tuesday last Judges Moore, Johnson and Willis were present.

Notice to the creditors of Jane Cochran, deceased, was ordered to be given by John W. Knotts, executor.

M. Hooper Gray, executor of Sarah Hitch, deceased, presented inventory and appraisement of real estate.

M. Annie Jones, administrator of James D. Jones, deceased, presented list of sperate debts and interest account, and first and final account of distribution, which were passed.

Letters of administration on the estate of John Cade, deceased, were granted to Elizabeth A. Cade, widow, and John W. Clark.

Warrant to appraise real estate of Daniel Stevens, deceased, was issued to Francis S. Todd and John A. Tribbitt to ascertain collateral tax.

James F. Fountain and William Lockerman, administrators of Catharine M. Fountain, deceased, passed account of sales of personal estate.

The court will again be in session on Tuesday, June 9.

Dashes Here and There.—The time for holding Oakland camp meeting is not diffinitely fixed. The meeting will be opened between July 20 and August 10, it is thought.

—Mr. G. P Andrews, of the Mutual Relief Society of Rochester, N. Y., established a local board of the Society in Denton last Saturday evening. Mr. John S. Barnhart, president; Thomas C. West, secretary and treasurer, and Dr. Enoch George, medical examiner, were the officers appointed by the board. The Society has within the past three years paid two membership losses here, namely, those of the late Charles A. Dunning and James Parnell.

—Mr. James Swann has finished his examination of all the public schools of the county, and the majority of them are found to be in good condition.

—The Federalsburg Courier is advertised for sale. The proprietor, Mr. H. P. Chambers, intends retiring to his farm near town.

—Mr. Wm. E. Lord has the thanks of the JOURNAL for a basket of very fine strawberries left at our office Wednesday morning last.

—The farm lying between Mr. Jonathan Longfellow's home farm and Whiteleysburg has been purchased by Mr. Longfellow. The price paid was $3,000.

—The school board advertise for proposals for the construction of a school house at Oakland.

—The prettiest field of wheat in the Bethlehem neighborhood belongs to Mr. William T. Hignutt.

—James Park & Co. have received their new machinery for the broom factory.

—Our county schools closed yesterday.

Preston Points.—On Monday last the Preston Grange had a visit from the lecturer of the State Grange, Mr. Dawson Lawrence, of Howard county. Owing to the failure of the notice to be generally circulated the turn out was not large. Those who were present had not only the pleasure of being instructed and entertained in the secret workings of their order, but also enjoyed a rich treat in the evening in listening to a lecture upon the subject, "From the Subsoil Up to the Stars." The effort was a grand one, and there was a general desire expressed to have the lecturer come again.

—Prof. S. T. Ford, the elocutionist, gave one of his delightful entertainments in the Academy building in Preston on Friday evening of last week. Owing to disagreeable weather and the short nights the audience was not as large as is usually given the Professor in Preston. All who were present, however, were much pleased with the readings of their favorite, who has evidently improved since he was here last year.

—A young man named Foster, a workman in Foster's saw mill, near Preston, was on Saturday struck by a flying slab thrown from the circular saw and hurt in the side. The injury was not dangerous.

—The growing wheat in this section continues to improve and the prospect for a fair yield is good. The peach crop is apparently safe.

Hillsborough and Vicinity.—"T," a Queen Anne Station correspondent of the Centreville Observer, says that it is perhaps a matter of the greatest general interest that the whiskey business at the Talbot store between that place and Hillsborough was legally discontinued by the good people of Talbot on the 1st instant. This augurs well for that county and for Chapel district, as it and its sister Queenstown, in Queen Anne county have been notoriously in favor of the rum trade in the past. From this may we not cherish the hope that they will both speedily agree with their temperance neighbors that a community is better off without this business, and may we not expect to see, at no distant day, the benign influence of prohibition here as well as in the surrounding districts?

—The railroad company have had a florist at work for several weeks at this station, laying out their beautiful grounds, arranging plants and preparing and sowing flower beds under direction of their architectural florist, who passes from station to station as superintendent of this interest. It is the reputed purpose of the company to make this station the gem of the road. The business here, though largely in advance of most others, is steadily increasing in response to the company's efforts to accommodate the people. They are now freighting 225 tons of rock from Port Deposit, for repairs on the Centennial mill dam, at boat prices.

—Hillsborough Grange No. 10, P. of H., is to receive a visit from State Lecturer Dawson Lawrence to-day, and the members have arranged for a free public entertainment, consisting of a lecture by Mr. Lawrence on some topic of general interest, vocal and instrumental music, &c. Members of other granges and the public generally are invited. The meeting will be held at the academy. Lecture at 7.30 p. m.

—Early planted corn is looking well. Wheat never was known to make more rapid improvement than has been witnessed during the last month. Should favorable weather continue till harvest the prospect now is that some fields will measure up very nearly to a full crop.

Local Political Topics.—"Norwood" presents his views of the political situation in Caroline in the following letter to the Cambridge Chronicle:

Until within the past two weeks, the prospective wheat crop was the favorite theme, with an occasional speculative opinion touching the probable outlook for peaches; but since the afternoons became balmy and men could sit in store porches and whittle goods boxes with some degree of comfort, questions having a political bearing have engaged the attention of good citizens who take an interest in local politics.

Within the Democratic household the question frequently asked is who will be our next candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court. This nomination, as all your readers know, is the biggest plum in the pudding, and a hard fight will be made for it. The present incumbent, Luther H. Gadd, is in the lead for the nomination. Other candidates mentioned are County Treasurer Clinton Cook and Edwin C. Fields, both popular young men. A strong contest will be made both at the primaries and in the county convention, but the current of popular favor seems to be with Mr. Gadd and in all probability he will carry off the prize. There is no good reason for turning him out beyond the plea of rotation in office. By this the Democrats would run a risk of rotating themselves out of office altogether and putting some Republican in.

For Senator, if he accepts the nomination, Col. P. W. Downes will be the man. It will not be difficult to elect Col. Downes Senator, unless he is handicapped by factional contests over the minor places on the ticket.

There has been but little talk, as yet, in regard to candidates for the House of Delegates, Sheriff, County Commissioners, &c. It is thought, however, by people in this part of the county, that if Mr. Cook fails to get the nomination for Clerk he will accept that of County Treasurer. So would Mr. Fields.

The leading Republicans in this locality—and this is the Republican stronghold of the county — profess to believe that they will have considerable difficulty in filling their ticket. One or two names have been suggested for Clerk, provided they can be induced to serve. I guess when their convention assembles there will be no dearth of candidates. Capt. Chas. W. Wright, of the steamer Chesapeake, has been mentioned as a suitable candidate for the House of Delegates, on the Republican ticket, from the Fourth district.

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The launching of the anti-bribery barque in Caroline's placid political waters has been widely and pretty thoroughly discussed since our last issue. In Denton and elsewhere it has been the principal topic of conversation. There is a very wide and no doubt honest diversity of opinion concerning Ballots also of ridding the county of election bribery, yet the general awakening to a knowledge of the disgrace of bartered suffrage will doubtless have a wholesome effect on the public mind and will not be barren of results. A variety of anti-bribery recipes have been proffered. One was as follows: Let the anti-bribery people organize at once and put a ticket in the field—before either of the others are brought out — pledging their strength to the party which afterward accedes to their demands. If both the Democratic and Republican county conventions make anti-bribery platforms then the anti-bribery ticket may be withdrawn from the field, except to aid in the detection of violators. Ten or a dozen detectives — members of the anti-bribery party—would doubtless prove a great hindrance to the suffrage traffic. These men should hold themselves aloof from the contest; they should have nothing to do but see that their anti-bribery injunctions are carried out.

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"Reflex's plan lacks practicability," said another. "What is the use of running a ticket? Can you find a good man anywhere, whether he has bought votes or not, who would not be glad if a barrier to bribery could be made effectual; but the nomination and even the election of the county ticket would not do it. Might as well try to get up an anti-chicken-stealing party to prevent depredations of the farmer's hennery. We have got to have a law that can't be dodged if we have an honest election in Caroline county this side of the millenium. Bribery is a political leprosy that moral suasion will not reach. I claim that a law sufficiently specific may be made by which both seller and buyer will find their occupation gone on election day." A gentlemen who has more than once contested for county office and is thoroughly versed in political manœvering said he was of the opinion that a compact could be made between the opposing tickets by which the desired end would be accomplished. Let both tickets be composed of gentlemen who will respect the earnest, honest endeavor of the people, now fully aroused upon the evils of bribery. "Everybody knows that the corruption fund is raised by the candidates themselves on the night before the election, after which no legitimate expenses are incurred."

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On inquiry of Mr. Elias W. Williamson, who was named in the proposed anti-bribery ticket last week, whether he was in accord with the project, he said: "I am fully in accord with any movement that will stop the great and growing evil of bribery. And it can only be done by the united efforts of the honest and honorable voters, irrespective of party. I am willing to unite with any honest effort for that purpose."

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Being similarly interrogated, Mr. Charles H. Whitby, whose name has also been used in connection with the movement, replied: "I am as much opposed to bribery at elections as any one, but am not prepared to say to-day what would be the best plan to break it up." Mr. Whitby farther stated that he was not a candidate for the office of register of wills or any other place now.

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"They'll keep a-talkin' on this anti-bribery nonsense till they put the price of the fifteen dollar votes up to twenty," observed a jocular skeptic who also gave in his experience.

The Seventeen-Year Locusts. — The seventeen-year locusts have already made their appearance in some parts of the Eastern Shore. A few days ago myriads of some sort of insect were discovered in Tuckahoe Neck. Mr. Greer Cooper saw swarms of an insect which he at first mistook for bees. He attempted to lodge them by beating a tin pan. As they did not pitch he climbed a tree and knocked one of the bugs down. Its shape and color indicated that it was a seventeen-year locust.

The jacket is a great encumbrance and he is not a full-fledged seventeen-year locust, ready for business, until he gets outside of it. It seems that the creatures, in their larvæ state, are particularly susceptible to cold and moisture. Accordingly, through their seventeen-year sleep, they keep very far under ground, and as they begin to work their way up and out of their dark subterranean retreats moisten their chambers with something that appears to make it water proof. Their final appearance is often postponed on account of the weather. But in plowing and otherwise many of them have been turned up prematurely, and after getting some sustenance by hanging on to roots, as is their wont, they have determined to "go higher," and have gone up trees. In a few cases the sun has dried them enough so that they have been able to split their jackets in the back, which they do by gradually tearing a rent with their hind legs. After this is done a little more sun for the drying process enables the insect to unfold his wings and fly about.

The last "visitation" in this section, as that is the word commonly used, was, according to a number of authorities, in 1868, and it was Prof. C. V. Riley, the entomologist of the Agricultural Department at Washington, who first announced that they would surely appear in different parts of the country this year.

But the "Cicada Septemdecim," which is the name that Linnæus gave it, is not a locust at all, but of the same family as the common harvest fly, which is its second cousin. The mystery that has always attended the creature and its strange peculiarities have led to many popular errors. Of all the trees in the forest Mr. Cicada Septemdecim likes the oak the best, and it is a little strange that the monarch of the wood should be so assailable by a mere nasty little grub. Still he, or rather she—for it is Mrs. Cicada who does the business—resorts occasionally to other forest trees and to frequently to shrubs, even on shrubs. Indeed, there seem to be no trees or shrubs that are exempt from its attacks, except those of the pine and fir tribe, which they let severely alone. It is Mr. Cicada who makes the noise and Mrs, Cicada who makes the havoc. The gentleman of the family is a drummer by profession, and the lady, strange to say, is a boss carpenter. While the male cicada keeps up a tattoo on his drum the female, who is said to relish this music amazingly, saws out a neat little egg basket. A gentleman belonging to the Academy of Sciences, who is so old that he has seen four successive crops of these strange insects, which most of the present generation never saw in their lives, says that close to the side of the body of the male seventeen-year-old there is a little opening like a pocket, in which is situated a little drum, which is played upon and beaten by valves. In the hinder part of the body of the other insect is a wonderful implement called a piercer, and having the combined power of an awl and a double-edged saw. The end is spear-shaped and the sides have sharp little teeth. They bore their hole obliquely in the pith of a tree, at an angle of forty-five degrees, and deposit their eggs in pairs, separated by a little wooden partition. It takes about fifteen minutes to prepare one of these nests and fill it with eggs, but it is not unusual for one insect to make forty or fifty fissures in the same limb. She goes thus from limb to limb and from tree to tree until her store of from four to five thousand eggs is exhausted. Then she lies down and dies. According to most authorities in 52 days, though some say 42, the young insect is hatched out and is a yellow white grub, which, with an infallible instinct, like that which takes the duck to the water, drops to the earth and burrows, no matter from what height. "This insect," said Professor Joseph Leidy, the eminent scientist, yesterday, "is not a locust. The locust of the Bible is our common grasshopper. This grub appears in different parts of the country every year, but it takes it seventeen years to develop in any one place. Some years it covers a larger territory than others. It does not eat the leaves. In fact, in its perfect state it eats nothing. Its only mission is reproduction. Before it comes up it sucks the roots of trees. It injures trees by the female boring them to deposit her eggs. All the bored limbs and branches soon drop off."

MARRIED.

HOWARD—GRIFFITH.—On May, 20, Near Federalsburg, by Rev. A. A. Fisher, Mr. John Howard and Miss Annie M. Griffith, both of Caroline county.

JONES—VOSHELL.—At the parsonsonage at Marydel, on Wednesday afternoon last, by Rev. A. S. Mowbray, John W. Jones to Miss Ella Voshell, both of Kent county, Delaware.

--A Caroline county justice of the peace aspires to a Utah judgeship.

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SPRING WITHOUT BLOSSOMS.—Late in Life to Look for Joy—Yet Never too Late to Mend: Readers of Hawthorne's 'House of Seven Gables' will recall the pathos with which poor Clifford Pyncheon, who had been unjustly imprisoned since his early manhood, said, after his release: "My life is gone, and where is my happiness? Oh! give me my happiness." as gleams of warm sunshine occasionally fall across the gloom of a New England autumn day. In a letter to Messrs. Hiscox & Co., Mr. L. H. Titus, of Pennington, N. J., says: "I have suffered untold misery from childhood from chronic disease of the bowels and diarrhœa, accompanied by great pain. I sought releif at the hands of physicians of every school and used every patent and domestic remedy under the sun. I have at last found in Parker's Tonic a complete specific, preventive cure. As your invaluable medicine, which did for me what nothing else could do, is entitled to the credit of my getting back my happy days, I cheerfully and gratefully acknowledge the fact." Mr. E. S. Wells, who needs no introduction to the people of Jersey City, adds: "The testimonial of Mr. Titus is genuine and voluntary; only he does not adequately portray the suffering he has endured for many years. He is my brother-in-law, and I know the case well. He is now perfectly free from his old troubles, and enjoys health and life, ascribing it all to Parker's Tonic. Unequalled as an invigorant; stimulates all the organs; cures ailments of the liver, kidneys, and all diseases of the blood. 5-16-3t

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Her coming is heralded by the musical notes of the feathered warblers, who sing themselves into ecstacies of delight at her approach, and continue their musical festivities until the now young and blushing maiden blooms into full womanhood of Summer, and are her constant attendants thro' the watchful and careful period of Autumn, and depart with her when old Winter throws his icy mantle over the form of this once young and charming daughter, and she passes away; but to be heralded again by the faithful harbingers, whose concerts always precede her return.

Thus it is with all Nature; we bud, blossom, bloom and our places are filled by others who come after us, little knowing that we ever preceded them, but when the gray hairs of the autumn of life admonish us of the approaching winter of death, we thoughtfully look, as if to peep into the coming future and wonderingly inquire: "Have we the necessary requirements which adorn those whose abode in that future is one of joy and gladness throughout an endless eternity?"

Our feelings are naturally averse to the bleak and chilly blasts of winter, and we instinctively turn to the genial warmth of approaching spring, and with all nations hail with joy her lovely advent.

The farmer now looks forth with anxious longings when the level fields shall be broken up and prepared for the reception of the coming grain.

The busy hum of business generally will supersede the dull, monotonous months just passed away, presenting a much coveted aspect.

While every business, professional and otherwise, have received a fresh impetus by the return of spring, the active merchant has also been moved and his merchandise put into proper trim for the spring campaign; large accessions of new goods of the latest designs have been received and ready for the trade, and the readers of this article are kindly invited to inspect the grand exhibition of all the latest designs in Ladies' and Gents' Dress Goods now on exhibition at the Grand Emporium of

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