The Easton Gazette.

Easton, Maryland, February 27, 1897.

SENATOR GIBSON.

His Opposition to the Immigration Bill in The Senate.

Senator Charles H.Gibson,of Maryland, on Wednesday of last week,bitterly opposed the immigration bill in the Senate. Mr. Gibson appealed to the democrats on the democratic side of the chamber to vote against the bill, and declared it was as bitterly partisan as the force bill.

This immigration bill, he imagines, was conceived a year ago for the purpose of being serviceable in the last election, and in the execution of the law would require millions in appropriation. The bill was, however, passed by a vote of 34 yeas, 31 nays. The law provides:

That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any male alien who has not in good faith made his declaration before the proper court of his intention to become a citizen of the United States or to come regularly or habitually into the United States by land or water for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical trade or manual labor, for wages or salary, returning from time to time to a foreign country.

That it shall be unlawful for any person, partnership company or corporation knowingly to employ any alien coming into the United States in violation of the next preceding section of this act. Provided that the provision of this act shall not apply to the employment of sailors, deck hands and other employes of vessels, or railroad train hands, such as conductors, engineers, brakemen, firemen or baggagemen, whose duty requires them to pass over the frontier to reach the termini of their runs, or to boatmen or guides on the lakes and rivers on the northern border of the United States.

Violations of this law is made a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of $500, or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both fine and imprisonment. The law is to take effect July 1st, 1897.

Oxford Items.

Miss Flavia A. Welby, of Easton High School, spent Washington's birthday with her sister, Miss Edith L. Ford.

Mr. Wm. S. Jackson and sisters, Misses Mamie and Nellie, were some of Talbot's teachers who spent the recent holiday at their homes in Oxford.

Miss H. L. Mellier was in Oxford on Friday and Saturday last as the guest of Miss M. W. Stewart.

Mr. N. Price Turner was in Baltimore from Saturday until Monday.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new building which is being erected by Mr. W.M. Bergman, as well as upon the new store and dwelling of Mr. L. J. Roberts.

Col. J. C. Mullikin, of Easton, was in town on Thursday.

Misses Sarah and Willimene Seth left Oxford on Friday of last week for Baltimore and Washington where they expect to spend several weeks.

The Eureka Dramatic Association, of Oxford, have announced an entertainment on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week to be held at Tred Avon Hotel.

To the Ex-Confederates of the Shore.

A second meeting of ex-Confederate soldiers will be held in Easton in the office of Col. Oswald Tilghman at 11 a. m., Saturday, March 6th.

It is earnestly hoped that all the old soldiers of the Peninsula, who wore the gray, will be in attendance, or, if unable to be there, will write, sending their names and address that they be put upon the roster.

Address ADJUTANT OWEN NORRIS,
Charles H. Winder Camp.
Eastern Shore papers please copy.

Of Interest to Farmers and Fruit Growers

Seeing the San Jose Scale and other pests are destroying the fruit and fruit trees, Mr. A. H. Larrimore has secured the agency for the best spray pump on the market. He also has the agency for the sale of Whale Oil Soap. This soap is recommended by the United States Agricultural Department as the most effective compound for the destruction of these pests. With this pump and soap the raising of fruit and tomatoes will no longer be a problem. He also offers fruit trees, shade trees and ornamental stock from one of the best nurseries in America. 1-16-4-16

"Potash in Agriculture"

Is the title of a pamphlet published by the German Kali Works, 93 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y. This book is known to many of our readers from its first edition, published a few years ago. The second edition contains many valuable improvements.

The contents embody a collection of results obtained with fertilizers at our Experiment Stations. It would appear from these conclusions that many brands of fertilizers now on the market do not contain as much potash as they should for the production of the best results. It would certainly pay every farmer to write for a copy of this book, which we understand is sent free.

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Highest prices paid for country produce by Frampton & Cannon.

CAPT. REUBEN PHILLIPS DEAD.

For Many Years Pilot with Capts. Leonard and Wheeler.

Captain Reuben Phillips,one of the best-known pilots of the state,died at the home of his son, Captain Samuel Phillips, at Denton Bridge, at an early hour Sunday morning, of paralysis. Captain Phillips was born in Dorchester county in 1821, and when a young man became interested in sailing vessels from Little Choptank River to Baltimore. His knowledge of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries gave him a prominence with transportation interests, and guaranteed him good positions with steamboat lines as long as he was able to follow the water. During the Civil War he commanded a government provision boat called Hugh Jenkins which was afterward known as the Kent Island. His first connection with steamboating began as mate with Captain Fairbanks, of the Baltimore and Fredericksburg Steamboat Line,which was in the fifties. In 1867, after leaving the government service,he became mate with Captain Griffith on the steamer Champion. In 1869 he was appointed first mate on the steamer Highland Light,of which Captain E. T. Leonard was master. At the same time Joseph Armiger was named as second mate,who continued as such until his death, that occurred a few years ago. Captain Phillips remained as pilot with Captain Leonard until the company put two steamers on the Choptank route. Because of his experience Captain Phillips became pilot of the second boat, of which Captain Crosby was master. He held the same position with Captains Kirby and Wheeler until about five years ago, when, owing to poor health, he retired from active service. At one time he was captain of the steamer Kent, which plied between Taylor's Island and Baltimore.

He was well posted, and could always delight his passengers by telling anecdotes which were humorous as well as historical. Captain Leonard spoke of him as a highly efficient pilot. He was pilot of the Joppa when that boat collided with the yacht Gleam, from which T. Harrison Garret was drowned, in 1888. Captain Phillips was exonerated from all blame in the matter. He leaves two daughters and one son,Captain Samuel Phillips, who is mate on the steamer Joppa.

LINCOLN'S INAUGURATION.

There Were Grave Fears of His Assassination as He Rode to the Capitol.

The contrast in the condition of the country between the time of Lincoln's first inauguration and that of President-elect McKinley is said to be vividly portrayed in an article by Stephen Fiske for the March *Ladies' Home Journal*. In telling of "When Lincoln was First Inaugurated," Mr. Fiske graphically describes Mr. Lincoln's journey from Springfield, Ill., to Washington, and the incidents of the inauguration and the attendant festivities. There were grave fears that Lincoln would be assassinated as he rode in the inaugural procession to the Capitol, and every possible precaution was taken for his safety. Mr. Fiske will recall the safeguards placed around the President. Special officers and detectives in citizen's clothes were stationed in numbers among the crowds that lined the sidewalks, and sharp-shooters occupied positions of vantage on housetops, etc., along the route of parade. The military escort of the president-eiect was heavily armed, ready to meet any hostile demonstrations, and the crowds were kept a distance from the President's carriage—so far that they could not distinguish Mr. Lincoln from Mr. Buchanan, who rode beside him. The police were instructed to arrest all persons making opprobrious threats against Mr. Lincoln, or uttering disloyal sentiments. The tension was great and the whole country was in a state of suppressed excitement.

Mixed Pickles.

The editor of the Willmar, Minn. Argus lived in a house located between a Methodist church and a dance hall. One evening there was a gathering in both places. It being too warm for comfort indoors, the editor sat on the veranda and took in the situation. This is what he heard:

"Let us pray—all salute—we beseech thee to join hands and draw near—circle to the left—listen to us—first forward and back—as we all promenade—kneel before thee and balance all—present our petition—grand right and left—for Christ's sake—seat your partners."

The editor was more than saddened at the degeneration of the village and went off and joined a baseball club in order to be neutral.—*Press and Printer.*

Baltimore Grain Markets.

The following quotations are from the last sales made yesterday:

Oats	@18
Corn	24½
Wheat	83¾
Pork, dressed	4½
Chickens,dressed	8@9

Pure Country Lord, own rendering, only 8 cents per pound at Norris's Citizen's Depot.

THEIR COLDEN WEDDING.

Poem Dedicated to Their Fifty Years of Married Life of Our Worthy Friends.

The following stanzas are respectfully dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Thompson, who were married February 18, 1847:

'Twas a bright day in winter, how pleasant the view,
The sunshine seemed gilding the horizon blue;
The cool zephyrs wafting o'er the meadow and hill,
And the serpentine course of the silvery rill,
Combined to give beauty and song to the breeze,
As the wierd strains of music came forth through the trees.

Aye! such was the winter day; how time has sped!
When we think that a full half century has fled:
Then bright eyes, and sweet smiles, played on every face,
The memories of which Time can never efface.
Now glance at the scene; it is a bright, festive hour,
The place is all fragrant with bud and with flower.
Loving kindred and dear ones now crown eventide
And shower their greetings upon groom and bride.

While the warm benedictions of friends are still ripe
Their barque was launched out on the sea of life;
No cloud was in sight,—the horizon was clear,
As the vessel sped on, each day brought its cheer.
Soon winter passed by, and the beauties of spring
Awakened the warbler, its praises to sing;
Then followed the summer, with its sweet-scented dell,
And all was harmonious as the soft marriage bell.

The years came apace, and the days flew along,
And the bright, cheerful hours were happy with song;
True, some dreary days, and then sunshine was found,
But always did God's love and favor abound.
As a beautiful garden, revived by fresh showers,
Luxuriant with life-giving fragrance and flowers:
So the home circle grew, as the years passed along,
And the hearth-stone was filled by a young, happy throng.

Yet in all bygone years, let us note it as true
That old Time has dealt with us tenderly too;
If sometimes were meted out sorrow and pain,
The recompense was—sunshine after rain.
'Tis a part of each life to have trials and care,
And the lot of God's children, in sadness to share;
But let this sustain us,and soothe the heart's sigh,—
When oppressed with life's burdens, hold up the cross high.

But grey hairs and feebleness plainly unfold
One fact which is marked, that we're all getting old;
Along "pilgrim pathway," the steps all tend down
To the valley;—but yonder is the bright golden crown!
We celebrate wedding days;—stamp them with gold;
And recount all the past, with blessings untold:
A little time hence, then, life's changes all o'er,
When the loved ones shall meet us, on yon golden shore.

And now in review, may it not be in vain
To give to our Father this grateful refrain,
For the way He has led us, from youth to old age;
Let our hearts tuned with praises sincerely engage.
So e'en to the future thus let us record
The faithfulness, goodness and care of the Lord:
Assured in our souls there awaits us a rest,
In mansions prepared and reserved for the blest.

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Napkins, fine double damask, 26 in., $4 a doz.

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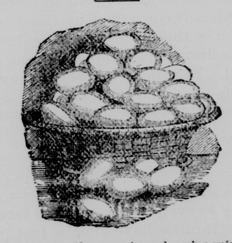
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EASTON, MD., Jan. 5th, 1897.

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Transfers and Abatements

of property on the assessment books every Friday, beginning with Friday, January 15th and ending with Friday March 26th. These meetings of the Board on the days above named are for the sole purpose of hearing applications for Transfers and Abatements, and all persons having business of this character are requested to bring it forward on these special Fridays and not on the regular Tuesday meetings.

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