The Transcript.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1905.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Secret of a Happy Life.—An exchange speaks of a man who always paid for his papar a year in advance. As a reward he was never sick in his life, never had a corn on his toes, or toothache, his potatoes never rot, the frost never kills his pears, his babes never cry at night, his wife never scolds, and he has succeeded in serving three terms on the school board without being criticised. We don't know whether such a happy result would follow paid-up subscribers to this paper or not, but it wouldn't do any harm to try it.

Sale of Fine Farm.—Dr. George F. Nickerson, real estate broker, of Easton, on Monday negotiated the sale of Ellenborough, the fine farm of Col. F. Carroll Goldsborough, three miles and a half from Easton. The farm is beautifully situated on the Tred Avon river, and contains 236 acres of the finest land in Talbot county. The price paid was $30,000. Mr. Charles C. Nickerson, vice president of the Easton National Bank was the purchaser, and will remove his family there about May 1. The price paid for the property far exceeds any prices ever paid for a farm in Talbot county.

Steamer Endeavor Sold.—The twin screw steamer Endeavor, of the Queen Anne's Ferry and Equipment Company, was sold last week to the Norfolk & Atlantic Terminal Company, of Hampton, Va. She is one of the three steamers which the above company offered for sale after the absorption of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company by the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company. It is presumed she will be used between Hampton, Old Point, Norfolk and Newport News. The Endeavor was built by Charles Hillman in Philadelphia, in 1896, and was orginally intended for a fishing steamer on the coast.

Maryland Day in Schools.—Maryland Day was observed with approprite exercises in the schools throughout the county yesterday and at Washington College. A programme appropriate to the occasion was rendered at the Chestertown public school and Prof. Jefferson Lawrence Smyth delivered a spendid address upon a subject appropriate to the occasion. The programmes in all the schools were of a pleasing character and patrons were present in large numbers to enjoy the occasion. At Washington College the president, Dr. Cain, delivered an address upon Religious Toleration in Maryland, and other exercises appropriate to the occasion were held.

Stewart Fruit Company.—The Stewart Fruit Company recently moved into its handsome new quarters 118 to 120 East Pratt St., Baltimore, and now has one of the most finely equipped commission houses in the United States. The officers of this company are as follows: President, D. B. Stewart; vice-president, R. G. Nicholson; secretary and treasurer, H. M. Thompson; attorney, Hyland P. Stewart. Mr. D. B. Stewart gives his individual attention to commission goods, while Mr. Thompson, who for many years has been credit man for Spragins, Buck & Co., will look after the shipping interests. Mr. E. T. Comegys has recently connected himself with the Stewart Company and will be glad to look after the interests of all his Kent friends.

WEDDING BELLS.

BONHAGE—HAMMOND.

Miss Elizabeth Gray Hammond, daughter of Mrs. Myra Hammond, 1250 North Broadway, was married to Mr. Frederick Bonhage Wednesday night at the broadway Methodist Protestant Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Trout, of Philadelphia, assisted by Rev. G. Q. Bacchus.

The bride who was given away by her brother, Mr. William Hammond, was attired in soft white satin, trimmed with lace and wore a white tulle veil. She carried bride roses. Mrs. Lottie Wright was matron of honor and Miss Audrey Hammond, niece of the bride, was maid of honor. The bridesmaid was Miss Ethel Trout, of Philadelphia. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bonhage left for Atlantic City. The bride is well-known in Chestertown where she visited in former years Col. and Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort and others.

W. C. Base Ball.

The first game of base ball of the season will be played on the college campus next Tuesday afternoon between Washington College and Villanova College, of Pa. The W.C. team has not yet been entirely made up but there is enough good material at the college to select a much stronger team than they have had for years. Manager Gill has arranged games with St. John's, Western Md., Md. Agricultural, Mt. St. Joseph's and other strong college teams and the season will be a most interesting one. Everybody go to see the game next Tuesday.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*There is more *gas* talk in Chestertown.

*†*Mr. James H. Sides has purchased of Mr. Samuel Cooper four small dwelling houses on Lynchburg street for $800.

*†*The trial of John M. Simpers, on the charge of murdering Albert Constable, of Elkton, will begin on Monday.

*†*Before the equinoctial storm the roads were getting in good condition. The recent rains have made them somewhat sloppy.

*†*The Port Deposit Line will begin running about March 29th. The ice is out of the Susquehanna River and no damage has been done to their wharves.

*†*Mr. Snyder, blacksmith for Mr. Samuel Hicks, has removed his family from Baltimore to town and is occupying Mr. Frank E. Duyer's property on Queen street.

*†*Mr. Charles E. Kirby has removed to the store room on the corner of High and Queen streets, formerly occupied by Mr. John Bartley. Mr. Kirby is ready for business.

*†*Mr. Walter T. Pippin and force of workmen are putting a new roof on the building occupied by Mr. Jas. D. Lucas, the clothing merchant. The building is being otherwise improved also.

*†*Mr. Wm. J. Sappington is painting the outside woodwork and display windows of Mr. John Bartley's large furniture, paint and wall paper store opposite the Voshell House.

†"Melodious Chimes," the fine racing stallion owned by Mr. James Merrick, of Sudlersville, and well-known in Kent, is suffering with strangulated hyrnea. He was taken sick on Monday but is improved.

*†*State Veterinarian, Dr. G. Allan Jarman, has purchased of Mr. Richards, the keeper of Chester Bridge, his handsome sorrel driving horse for Baltimore parties, and took him to Baltimore on Monday morning.

*†*The fire alarm brought a great crowd on the streets on Tuesday evening shortly after six o'clock. The alarm was caused by burning soot in the chimney at the home of Albert Hynson, near Janes M. E. Church, colored.

*†*The first electrical storm of the season visited this section last Sunday evening. There were numerous vivid flashes of lightning. No damage was done in the county, though the storm was very severe in the city and vicinity of Philadelphia.

*†*The sale of the personalty of the late John P. Vandyke on Wednesday on his farm near Lynch's, as advertised in the TRANSCRIPT, was largely attended, and auctioneer Charles H. Hurlock got good prices for everything that was sold.

*†*Mr. George Brice has removed his dog kennel from Brice's mill to the vacant lot on Cannon street in the rear of Mr. J. K. Aldridge's hardware store. The large kennel house was successfully removed on wheels, and if you want to see a fine looking set of hounds take a walk around on Cannon street.

*†*The annual report of Camps of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, of Maryland, just issued by the State Secretary, shows a total membership in the state of 3926 which represents an increase of four in the number of Camps. The next session of the State Camp will be held in Westminister, August 8-9.

*†*Sir Walter Rawleigh and force of workmen of the firm of Duyer Brothers, contractors and builders, began tearing down the property recently occupied by Mr. Charles E. Kirby, as a grocery store, and which Mr. Harry Jefferson purchased sometime ago of Mr. Jas. D. Lucas. Mr. Jefferson will erect a fine brick storeroom and on Sept. 1, will open an up-to-date dress goods, notions and millinery store.

† The Chestertown Athletic Club began active practice on the diamond last Saturday, March 18th, for the baseball season of 1905. The captain, John Barnes, and manager, Maxwell Blakeney, are doing all in their power to make this team one of the best in the county. They have placed an order for uniforms which will arrive in time for their first game which will be with the second team of Washington College on April 8th.

*†*The statement of the Second National Bank, which appears in another column in this issue shows loans and discounts to the amount of $436,381.92 and individual deposits subject to check $530,619.09. The bank has a surplus fund and undivided profit account of $31,859.23, more than half of their capitol stock. This is a most excellent showing for this bank, and shows a large volume of business.

*††William F. Jackson, a farmer and canner near Ridgely, Caroline county, has sold his peach crop for 1905 to Mr. J. Harry Hemmons for 10 cents. The orchard contains 550 young trees, all which yielded well last year. Mr. Jackson is to deliver the fruit to the purchaser at the Ridgely siding. The severe cold weather is believed to have killed all peaches in that section, which is the reason Mr. Jackson sold for such a trifling sum.

*†*The Storey Cotton Co., a concern claiming to coaduct a brokerage business in cotton, and with investors in nearly every State in the Union, has been adjudged bankrupt. The petition for a receiver alleges that the company has liabilities of more than $300,000 with less than $30,000 assets. The creditors number 10,000 or more. There were quite a number of patrons of the concern in Chestertown, many of whom "smelled a mouse" several weeks ago and withdrew their investments.

Court of Appeals Unanimous in Favor of the Constitutional Amendment.

By a unanimous vote the Court of Appeals on Wednesday decided that the Constitutional Amendment must be submitted to the vote of the people. This means that the case was settled favorably to Gen. Murray Vandiver and that the Governor will be required to promulgate the amendment. The Democratic managers of the State are very much elated over the decision of the Court of Appeals and they will immediately begin a stirring campaign in the interest of the adoption of the amendment by the people at the polls in the coming fall election.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. F. T. Tagg, D. D., editor of the Methodist Protestant, and President of the General Conference, filled the pulpit in Christ M. P. Church on Sunday last, preaching excellent sermons both morning and evening.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor. The pastor hopes to be able to preach to-morrow (Sunday) morning, but there will be no preaching at night. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe are suffering with a severe attack of the grip.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Christ M. P. Church held a delightful social at the home of Mrs. H. S. Barnett on Wednesday evening and a large number of young folks enjoyed a delightful occasion. The feature of the evening was the spending of $50 in bogus money for the purchase of articles sold. Not a cent of genuine money was made by the society at the sale, but every one bought what he pleased and had a fine time. Refreshments were served.

The Ladies Aid Society of Kennedyville M. P. Church was entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. I. Barwick on Friday evening of last week. A number of friends were present and all spent a very pleasant evening.

The general officers of the United Societies of Christain Endeaver in Boston have been busy securing a number of great speakers for the coming convention in Baltimore in July and have secured the folllowing:

Governor Warfield.
Mayor Timanus.
Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark, of Boston, president of the World's Christain Endeavor Union.
Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Brooklyn.
Rev. Dr. Floyd W. Tomkins, of Philadelphia.
President Henry Churchill King, of Oberlin College.
Rev. John Pollock, of Belfast, Ireland.
Rev. Albert Swift, of London, England.
Rev. Dr. R. A. Hume, of India.
Rev. Gerald Willoughby, of South Africa.
Rev. J. D. Lamond, of Cork, Ireland.
Rev. Carey Bonnor, of London, England.
Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden, of Columbus, Ohio.
Prof. Herbert L. Willett, of Chicago.
Rev. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, of Philadelphia.
Mr. Fred Smith, T. M. C. A. evangelaist.
Hon. Charles J. Bonaparte, of Baltimore.
General Secretary Von Ogden Vogt, of Boston.
Prof. Amos R. Wells,
G. B. Graff.
William Shaw, treasurer of the United Societies
Bishop Alexander Walters, colored.
Bishop B. W. Arnett, colored.
Rev. Dr. William Patterson, of Philadelphia.
Rev. Dr. Tenis S. Hamlin, of Washington.
Rev. Dr. F. D. Power, on Washington.
Don O. Shelton, of New York city.
Rev. Howard B. Grose, of New York city.
Rev. Dr. W. T. McElveen, of Boston.
Harry Wade Hicks of Boston.

Other speakers who have been invited and have the matter under consideration are President Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton; President W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University; Dr. John Balcom Shaw, of Chicago; President John Finley, of New York, and others.

The ladies of the Wesleyan Chapel Improvement Society served their regular monthly supper at the parsonage on Thursday evening of last week. In every way it was a splendid occasion. The supper was delicious and the charming smiles and courteous attention of the ladies added zest to the affair and made one feel that he was not only in the midst of luxuries but in the midst of rare and choice spirits. Socially it was equally brilliant. Young and younger mingled in their innocent glee; but alas! about eleven o'clock the brilliant scenes closed, the curtain fell, the choice spirits departed and left the pastor all alone with a feeling of loneliness lingering in his bosom. The meeting of this week is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Wood, Jr.

Fairlee W. C. T. U. requests it members and friends to meet at Salem Church on its regular day, first Saturday of April, at 2.20 o'clock. Long delayed business of importance requires attention.

WILMINGTON CONFERENCE.

Bishop Goodsell Announced his Appointments at the Close of the Session on Monday evening.

The sessions of the Wilmington Conference were closed last Monday evening by the reading of the plan of appointments by Bishop Goodsell, the presiding officer. There were some changes especially in the Wilmington Churches, and these necessarily caused surprise. One of the greatest surprises is the appointment of Rev. H. A. G. Westerfield to Asbury, Wilmington. There are also several changes in the pastors of the county. The following are the appointments for the Easton District and Wilmington:

EASTON DISTRICT.

W. G. KOONS, Presiding Elder.
Bayside, Md.—S. J. Moore, supply.
Betterton, Md.—D. J. Ford.
Bozman and Neavitt, Md—Milton McCann
Cecilton, Md.—W. F. Dawson.
Centreville, Md.—H. G. Budd.
Chestertown, Md.—W. L. White.
Cheswold—A. Goodhand.
Church Hill, Md.—W. C. Poole.
Clayton—V. P. Northrup.
Cordova—J. W. Gray.
Crumpton, Md.—O. T Baynard.
Easton, Md.—E. P. Roberts.
Fairlee—W. E. Habbard.
Galena, Md.—T. C. Smoot; assistant, A. P. Prettyman.
Greensboro, Md.—S. P. Shipman.
Henderson, Md.—W. B. Harris.
Hillsboro, Md.—D. J. Given.
Kent Island, Md.—F. C. McSorley, Kenton D. F. McFaul.
Marydel—E. H. Collins.
Middletown—A. W. Lightbourne.
Millington, Md.—Edwin Gardner.
Odessa—W. E. Gunby.
Oxford Md.—W. T. Lewis.
Piney Neck—G. S. Conaway.
Pomona, Md.—E. B. Taylor.
Queenstown, Md.—E. W. Jones.
Ridgely, Md.—G. R. Ellis.
Rock Hall, Md.—Warren Burr.
Royal Oak, Md.—J. C. McCoy.
St Michaels—G. W. Bounds.
Smyrna—Robert Watt.
Smyrna Circuit—Albert Chandler.
Still Pond, Md.—T. S. Holt.
Sudlersville, Md.—W. O. Bennett.
Tilghman's Island, Md.—J. D. Reese, Townsend J. W. Jones.
Trappe, Md.—Robert Roe.
Wye, Md.—Daniel Wilson; supply, C. A. Grice, superintendent of the Maryland Anti-Saloon League member of Eastern Quarterly Conference.

E. C. Macnichol is returned to Cambridge, L. E. Barrett to Dover, H. A. G. Westerfield, formerly of Northeast, goes to Asbury, Wilmington, C. T. Wyatt, formerly of Middletown, goes to Harrison street, becomes president of Union College, A. W. Lightbourne formerly of Epworth, Wilmington succeeds C. T. Wyatt at Middletown and L. P. Corkran goes to Epworth, J. M. Arters, formerly of Crumpton, goes to Madeley, Wilmington, O. H. Baynard succeeds Mr. Arters at Crumpton.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The County Commissioners met on Tuesday.

The following accounts were passed:

Harriett A. Brown, pension	$10.00
W. L. Povier, paint use of bridges	17.85
Jas. F. Jewell, road work repairs	5.13

With Our Advertisers.

Bradford Pierce, Galena, will have a special shoe sale next week. See his advertisement in another column. He offers you some rare bargains at rock bottom prices.

Mr. C. C. Ball, who recently removed to Kennedyville, opened on March 23rd a first-class Ladies Department Store. He has a full and complete line of new spring and summer goods, and asks the patronage of the public. See his advertisement in another column.

Nothing like seeing what you buy, Harrisons' Nurseries, solicit you to call and see their trees at Berlin, Md.

As will be seen by change of adv. of the Tolchester schedule, the spring schedule of the Sassafras River Line went into effect on Saturday March 18, making three trips a week.

Commodore Stephen Decatur was a man of his day. Harrisons' trees are grown on the farm of his birth-place, and are the trees of this day.

Sparks & Jefferson will have their annual spring opening of dress goods, notions and millinery next week. A splendid stock of goods has recently been received by this firm and they will be ready for inspection next week. Watch their display windows. They tell us they will be beautiful.

Mr. Adam F. Huey, of Massey, has a new advertisement in this issue. Mr. Huey is one of the leading merchants of the upper section of the county, and his experience is such that he is a splendid judge of all articles carried in his line. He has a splendid line of carriages upon which he is offering inducements.

Mr. George Z. Roland has recently purchased a lot of fine beef cattle. He guarantees an excellent quality of steak. See his card on page 1.

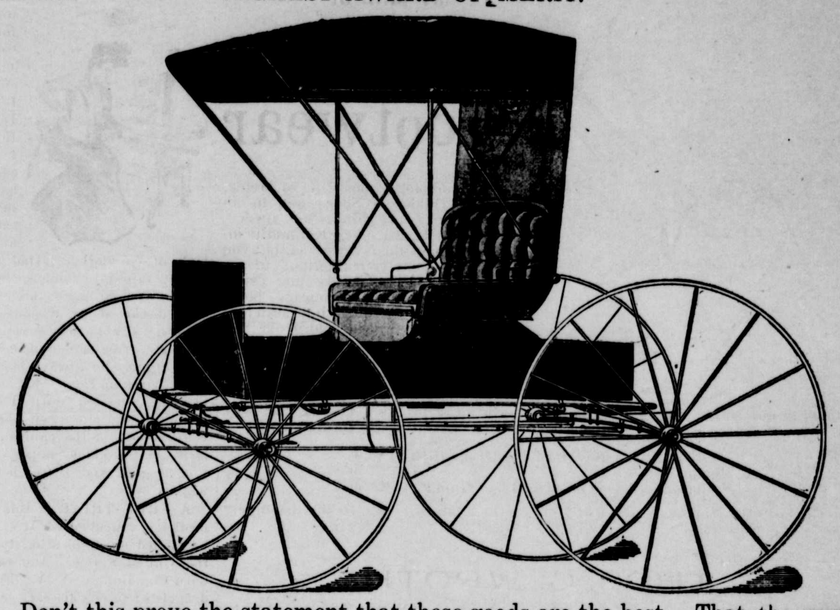
Don't forget the Baseball team's festival to-night (Saturday.) Give the boys some help. They will have a strong team this year and will do credit to themselves and patrons.

W. S. & A. M. Culp advertised a new 8 room house situated in the residential portion of the town for sale. See advertisement on editorial page.

A. F. HUEY.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, BUGGIES, VEHICLES and FARM SUPPLI S.

The Columbus Buggie Company was awarded the gold medal at the World's Fair in St. Louis. HIGHEST AWARD OF MERIT.



Don't this prove the statement that these goods are the best. That the work is prize work. I have the exclusive sale of this celebrated line on the peniusula north of Queen Anne's county, Md. You are invited to come to my store and look at not only these goods but a large line of Buggies of every grade. FARM WAGONS, IMPLEMENTS, SEEDS, Etc.

A. F. HUEY, Massey, Md.



HATS,

and Hats and Caps and Hats. All the new

Spring Shapes and Shades.

Selling lots of them.

Come look them over.

STILL

disposing of Winter Suits and Overcoats at getting-rid-of prices.

Respectfully,

Moody & Lusby,

Directly Opposite Court House Chestertown, Md

GEORGE W. SMITH. HARRY R. GRAHAM.

Always in Season.

The Empire King Pump with barrel attachment. The best Spraying Pump made. Always give perfect satisfaction. Just the thing for Peach Orchards.

READY-MADE HARNESS,

and sell at the smallest margins. Also make a specilty of

$10 HARNESS.

Also all kinds of strap work, collars, bridles, traces, and all furnishings used on the farm.

A splendid line of Robes, Horse Blankets and

All Kinds of Horse Goods.

LOADED SHELLS for Gunners and Sportsmen.

Leather Belting and Lace Leather.

OILS OF ALL KINDS

SLEDS that steer—the greatest Sleds of the time. Strong and durable.

Pumps of the most approved pattern. A large quantity of

Fodder Yarn, Corn Baskets,

and everything necessary to husband the crop, or that is useful on the farm.

SMITH & GRAHAM,

LIASON BUILDING, CHESTERTOWN, Md.

SELLING OUT!

TO CLOSE BUSINESS.

I have determined at the earliest date to quit business, hence, I offer for sale in

ANY QUANTITIES,

my entire stock, consisting of

GROCERIES

SUCH AS

Coffee, Tea, White Beans, Heinz's Can Beans, Lamp Chimneys and Burners, Wicks, Gold Dust, Washing Powder, Yeast Powder, Molasses, Syrup, Vinegar, all Package Cereals, such as Rolled Oats, Vigor, Zest, Force, Pettijohn, Cream of Wheat. All Heinz's Pickles, 15c. size, 3 for 25c. All 10c. Can Goods, 8c. R. R. Plum Pudding, 25c. size, 20c. 50c. size, 40c. 25c. Can Lard, 20c. All GROCERIES REDUCED in same manner.

TOBACCO.

Big rake off in prices. Schnapp's Tobacco, all you want, 37c. lb. Smoking Tobacco, 5c. bags, some 8 for 25c. Best 5c. Cigars $1.75 box. Best 2 for 5c. Cigars 75c. box. Pipes and Stems 5c. dozen.

CANDY 10C POUND.

This is Clark and Jones' best goods. Also Chocolate Drops 10c. box. All our 40c. Chocolate 25c. lb., 13c. half lb., and no less sold. Chocolate Almonds 40c. lb., 20c. half, 10c. quarter lb. All Lowney's 40c. 1 lb. boxes. Now's your time. Here's your chance and our's the place to come to. GLASSWARE AT HALF PRICE! A grand assortment of Table Plates at 10c., 3 for 25c.

TOYS at a sacrifice. All goods must go.

CHAS S. SMITH.

STORE FIXTURES for sale. $1500 worth go at one-third price.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Att'y.

ORDER NISI.

Hope H. Barroll, Assignee of the Prudential Building & Loan Association,
vs.
The Rock Hall Cooperative Company.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

No. 1576.

ORDERED, this 16th day of March, 1905, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the real estate of the Rock Hall Co-operative Company made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, assignee, attorney and trustee, under power contained in a mortgage from The Rock Hall Co-operative Company of Kent county, to the Prudential Building & Loan Association, of Baltimore city, and duly assigned to Hope H. Barroll, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of May, next:—provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county once in each of three successive weeks before the 21st day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $450.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True copy—test: JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
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TOLCHESTER COMPANY SCHEDULE.

In effect March 29, 1905.
WEATHER PERMITTING.



SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE.

Leave Fredericktown Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7.00 a. m., Betterton 8.15 a. m., Buck Neck 9.30 a. m., Tolchester 10.15 a m. Returning leave Baltimore Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 2.45 p. m. (Does not stop at Buck Neck or Tolchester on Saturdays; does stop at Gales.)

POST DEPOSIT LINE.

Leaves Port Deposit Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7.00 a. m., Havre de Grace 7.30 a.m., Betterton, 8.45 a. m., Tolchester 10.15 a. m. Does not stop at Tolchester on Saturday.

Returning, leave Beltimore, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 2.45 p. m., for above landings.

SATURDAY SPECIAL EXCURSION DAY,

Leave Tolchester at 9 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. Leave Baltimore at 7 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY,
Pier 16 Light St., Baltimore, Md.

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