THE EASTON STAR.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1887.

Items of Local Interest.

"Perfect" is the word to apply to our fall stock of Ready-Made Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Hats. Call early and take your choice.
J. J. Wright.

Visit Gootee's Restaurant, Dover st.

Go to Hayward & Bro's. for a good cigar.

Toys, Toys, Toys—Cheap at Gootee's in a few days.

The best cigars for sale at Hayward & Bro's., druggists.

You can get all flavors and varieties of Taffies at Gootee's.

A full stock of Blank Books at F. P. Robson's, from 1 cent upwards.

A splendid line of Cakes, Candies, Nuts and Fruits at Gootee's, Dover street.

For the best 5 cent cigar in town go to F. P. Robson's news and stationary store.

Gootee, on Dover St., opens the largest line of Toys in a few days ever seen in Easton.

A splendid meal any hour served at Gootee's Ladies' and Gents' Restaurant, Dover street.

Go to Jarrell & Nichols for Blankets and Comforts. White Blankets as low as $1.12½ per pair.

It is a fact that Gootee can put up the finest box of Candy in Easton. Always and fresh.

Corn shellers and fodder cutters at reduced prices by Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Company.

F. P. Robson is showing at his store, as fine a line of Box Papetries as has ever been seen in Easton.

The Salisbury Electric Light and Power Company have nearly completed their plant at a cost of $27,000.

Headquarters for guns, implements and ammunition at Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Co. Stock the largest, prices the lowest.

Two persons have been arrested in Cecil county for malicious destruction of school property. They are held for the action of the grand jury.

Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Co. has the largest Stock of fur robes, plush robes and hair blankets at the lowest prices ever offered in this market.

The nurserymen of Milford, says the News, are finding a readier sale for peach trees than ever before, with the single exception of the fall of 1885.

The "boss" pumpkin so far reported was raised by Mr. William Hopkins on his farm near Whiteleysburg. It tips the scales at 102 pounds.—Denton Union.

Among the personal effects of Mrs. Ellen Moore, deceased, of Snow Hill, was a piece of the outer coffin of George Washington, which was removed in 1831.

One of the attractive features of Railroad Avenue is the electric light lamp in front of Mr. Charles T. Wrightson's house. It speaks for more of the same kind.

Just received by Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Co. one hundred fine wolf and other fur robes, also fine plush robes, one hundred and fifty horse blankets, which they are selling at much reduced prices.

Mr. John W. Todd has opened a new restaurant on Dover street, and is prepared to furnish any kind of a meal, including oysters in all styles, beef steaks, &c. He can supply oysters in any quantity; family supplies a specialty.

It will pay you to buy your clothing of Jarrel & Nichols, they received some of the cheapest suits and overcoats this week we ever saw. Go and buy your winter suit of them. They also carry one of the largest stocks of Boys' suits and overcoats in town.

Harry B. Elston claims to be the brag cutter of the Eastern Shore, having learned the art under the first tailor of New York, and all his work is made in the best and most fashionable style. Shop opposite the M. E. Church in Easton. Call and leave your measure and try him.

The Maltby House is conveniently located for all persons visiting Baltimore by steamers from the Eastern Shore or elsewhere. It is also desirably situated in the business portions of the city. Meals can be obtained upon the European plan. The comfort of guests carefully looked after.

W. H. Buell of Farmington is at Princess Anne, Md., for the purpose of collecting holly twigs with berries on them. He has five men in his employ. The twigs are packed in small boxes made for the purpose and shipped direct to Chicago, St. Louis and Canada, and are used for decorating purposes. Those who have holly are making a good thing out of it, as he pays a good price.—Milford Chronicle.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is particularly recommended for children It cures coughs, colds, croup, sore throat, and whooping cough. It is pleasant to the taste, and acts like a charm. 25 cts.

"Jack shall pipe and Gill shall dance" just as long in the open barn as they please. The free born American citizen don't fear neuralgia with Salvation Oil to the front. Price only 25 cents.

O merchant in thine hour of e e e,
If on this paper you should c c c,
And look for something to ap p p p
Your yearning for greenback v v v,
Take our advice and be y y y,
Go straightway out and advert i i i,
You'll find the project of some u u u,
Neglect can offer no ex q q q,
Be wise at once, prolong your d a a a
A silent business soon d k k k.

One of the best-known and oldest advertising agencies—perhaps the best-known and oldest—is that of George P. Rowell & Co., New York City. This firm undoubtedly has a larger and more thorough acquaintance with the newspapers of the United States than any other agency in the country. Naturally, therefore, the announcement that the twentieth annual issue of the American Newspaper Directory, published by Messrs. Rowell & Co., is now under way, has unusual interest for those business men and general advertisers who, for the last twenty years, have looked upon that publication as an authority when placing their business where it will do the most good.

Roofing and Spouting.

Nicols & Brother have in stock a large lot of the best material for roofing and spouting, and are prepared to fill all orders at short notice and the very best manner. All kinds of sheet iron work and repairing of stoves done promptly, add satisfaction warranted.

Circuit Court for Talbot County.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE NOVEMBER TERM, 1887.

REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY.

To the Honorable Judges of the Circuit Court for Talbot County:

We, the grand jury for the November term of this court 1887, beg leave to submit the following report for your consideration.

We have carefully investigated all violations of law that have come before us.

We have examined 118 witnesses, investigated 42 cases that have been before us, and have made 84 presentments and passed on 21 true bills or indictments.

The work of the grand jury was greatly facilitated by the clerk of the court furnishing us with a docket of the recognized cases.

We have visited the county jail and found the buildings and surroundings in good order. The cells of the prisoners are clean and well kept, and the surroundings indicate that the sheriff, as well as his deputy, W. T. H. Lee, have discharged faithfully the trust imposed upon them. We have recommended iron railing around the corridor in front of the cells to be repaired, as it is not safe in the condition we found it. We also recommend the brick floors of the cells be laid in cement, as Mr. Lee, the deputy sheriff, informs us his experience of six years at the jail found them hard to keep in order.

There were at the time of our visit 14 prisoners in jail. Of these 4 were committed for larceny, one for forgery, one for assault, one for attempting to burn a house, one for burning and larceny, one for selling whiskey and receiving stolen goods, one for rape, and one as accessory, two serving out sentences of the court, and one, Perry Johnson, insane. In the case of Johnson we ask that a jury de lunatico inquirendo be granted him.

We recommend Kilby Calloway, of Skipton; W. J. Callahan, of Cordova; Henry Zeigler, of Longwood; Z. T. Reynolds, of Longwood; John M. Beaven, of Cordova; John H. Morgan, near Hillsborough; W. A. Willis, Lewistown, and Mrs. Rilla A. Craft, of Chapel, all of Chapel district, as suitable persons for license to sell spirituous liquors in quantities not less than a pint,—the clerk of the court to issue the licenses to those wishing them from this date.

The public roads of the county during the past spring and summer have been thoroughly drained and a great deal of work put upon them. The roads on account of being properly worked are in excellent condition, which reflects much credit upon the present board of county commissioners.

The grand jury again desire to call attention of the county commissioners to the necessity of remodeling and repairing the court house. The legislature by chapter 411, acts of 1884, authorizing the commissioners to make a levy for this purpose. The condition of the court house is such at present as to render it both unsafe and unhealthy to tet it go longer in its present condition, and we therefore earnestly recommend the repairing as soon as it can be done.

The grand jury feel constrained to tender to the State's Attorney, Major William E. Stewart, their thanks for the promptness and courtesy with which he has responded to every demand upon his time, by this body, thus facilitating the business before us and avoiding much inconvenience and expense.

All of which we respectfully submit.
JOHN C. HARPER, Foreman.

TUESDAY, Nov. 29.—Present as yesterday. Case of State vs. Willis; concluded; verdict guilty.

State vs. Andrew J. Willis, for arson, commenced.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 30.—Present same as yesterday. Case of State vs. Willis; concluded; verdict not rendered.

State vs. Charles H. Brown; larceny; guilty.

Adjourned until 8 P M. Application to the bar was made by Mr. W. D. J. Morris, passed creditably. Admitted.

THURSDAY, Dec. 1.—Present Judges Wickes and Stump.

State vs. John Turner, larceny of clothing. Before the Court. Guilty. Sentence to four years in the Penitentiary.

State vs. James Lloyd; larceny of clothing—accomplice with the above. Guilty. Sentence to four years in the Penitentiary.

State vs. James Summers. Indicted for receiving stolen goods. Gibson & Carrington for defence. Before the Court. Not guilty.

State vs. James Summers, for selling whiskey to John Turner. Before the Court. Not guilty. Counsel as above.

State vs. Eliza A. Warner for selling whiskey to John R. McQuay. Before the Court. Held sub curia.

Martin Schall, a native of Germany was naturalized.

FRIDAY, Dec. 2.—Present same as yesterday. State vs. Samuel Hart, colored; for forgery of orders, 2 cases, 2 years in penitentiary for each case.

State vs. Samuel J. Conner, for violation of the local option law; verdict not guilty.

SATURDAY, Dec. 3.—Present same as yesterday. State vs. George Blakeman, for malicions destroying property, 2 cases, verdict not guilty in both cases.

Mullikin and Tharp vs. Gibson & Carrington and Wooters, action on a replevin bond; jury trial; not finished.

State vs. Andrew J. Willis for burning the Paper Mill property, tried before the court; Verdict guilty, sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

State vs. Andrew J. Willis, larceny 3 cases, sentenced to 4 years in the penitentiary for one case, and 1 year each in the two other cases.

State vs. Charles H. Brown, larceny, sentenced to penitentiary for one year.

State vs. Eliza A. Warner, violation of local option law, sentenced to House of Correction for 8 months, any pay a fine of fifty dollars.

MONDAY, Dec. 5.—Present same as on Saturday.

Mullikin and Tharp, trustees vs. Gibson & Carrington and Wooters, concluded; Verdict for plaintiffs for one cent damages and costs.

Otto Duker & Co. vs. Frank & Jacob Dilahay, sci. fa. or mechanics lien, issue joined and tried before the court. Judgment of non pros

Asbury Coward vs. Geo. A. Armes, nar and agreement; issue joined, tried before the court. Judgment for plaintiff for $134.40.

C. W Willey vs. J. W. K. Cummings et al. Nar filed; tried before the court. Judgment for plaintiff for $571.67.

A Long Sentence.

Andrew Jackson Willis has been convicted on four indictments for robbing and burning the Easton Paper Mill, and has been sentenced to 18 years in the Penitentiary. He has since confessed his guilt, and stated that he and his pal had other jobs under discussion, one was to rob Mr. J. L. Walker's store, another was to murder Mr. E. Green, and the last but biggist job was to rob the Easton Bank and murder Gen. Thomas, the cashier, if he refused to surrender the keys of the vault. No doubt Willis is rascal enough to do these infamous things, but that there is any truth in his stories is another matter. He managed to break out of jail before court, but was captured before he left the premises, and the sheriff had better look out for him or he will be out and gone before he is aware of it.

The New Chesapeake Ducking Suit

A splendid suit designed specially for Sportsmen has just been introduced by Oehm's Acme Hall, Baltimore's Largest Clothing House. It is made of a cloth manufactured on purpose, dyed the right color, and of the exact weight required. The prices are $10, $12 and $20 according to quality, and they can be obtained only at the above house, West Baltimore Street, one door from Charles.

Notice.

I am paying the highest cash price for grain, wheat corn and oats.
C. R. LEONARD, Easton, Md.

PUBLIC BUSINESS.

County Commissioners.

Last Tuesday the new Board of County Commissioners met for the first time in the discharge of their duties. Col. J. C Mullikin was appointed counsel. Col. Hughlett furnished certified copy of the report of the Grand Jury for the November Term of the Court. Sundry accounts were examined and passed, including court expenses as far as date.

Orphans' Court.

The orphans court met on Tuesday, all the judges present.

Messrs. Ormond Hammond, John C. Bartlett, and James L. Hand, the newly elected Judges of the Orphans' Court for Talbot county, having qualified according to law appeared and took their seats as Judges of this court for the ensuing four years.

The following proceedings were then had:

Ruth A. Leonard, guardian to Minnie M. Leonard, now deceased, presented her 3rd and final account with her ward which was duly passed.

Annie E. Rathell was appointed guardian to Lilian Estelle Rathell, and filed her bond as such which was duly approved.

Chas. H. Leonard was appointed admr. of Minnie M. Leonard, dec'd, and bond was fixed in the sum of $1,000.

The court passed release of Oliver S. Gallup to Annie V. Gallup his guardian.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of James Auld, dec'd, was filed for probate.

In the matter of John T. Price and others vs. Wm. J. Price, admr. of Sarah Countess, dec'd, the court passed an order directing the Register of Wills to enter up judgment on the verdict of the jury in the above entitled case rendered on the 4th day of June, 1885, with costs against the respondent.

After passing sundry creditors claims the court adjourned.

The American Agriculturist for December, 1887,

closes its annual volume with a most attractive and entertaining Christmas number, describing and illustrating the various customs of celebrating Christmas in many lands, in olden as well as in modern times. Quarantine Commissioner David W. Judd contributes a profusely illustrated description of the New York Quarantine Establishment and its management. Joseph Harris urges farmers to grow their own sugar; Seth Green relates his experiences in cross breeding of fish; P. W. Reasoner gives an account of cocoa nut culture in Florida, illustrated by a full-page engraving (by Mueller); Prof. Chas. E. Bessey, Peter Henderson, and forty other well-known writers, representing twenty States and Territories, Cadada, England, Germany, France and India. Fifty-five engravings, representing various farm animals; plans of buildings, new implements and labor saving appliances, new fruits and plants, home adornments, etc., embellish this number. A leading feature is a description, by Chester P. Dewey, of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant as a Farmer, accompanied by a large, beautiful plate engraving of his early farm home. The Household, and Boys' and Girls' columns are even more interesting and entertaining than usual; and in the Humbug Department various old and new frauds are fearlessly exposed. Price $1.50 per year, English or German; Single numbers, 15 cts. Address American Agriculturist, 751 Broadway, New York.

The Maryland State Farmers' Association

Resolved at its annual session in January last, that on account of the inclement weather usually prevailing in that month and closing navigation, its next meeting should be held in the City of Baltimore, on Wednesday, December 7th, 1887, to which date the called meeting of September 14th also adjourned..

A meeting will therefore be held on that day, commencing at 11 A M, in Concordia Hall, South Eutaw street, one block from Baltimore street.

As the constitution of the Association makes provision for the election of delegates and members only in January of each year, there will be no change in the composition of the body, except to supply any vacancies existing.

All persons interested in the objects of the Association are invited to attend.

The usual arrangements for reduced fares on the several railroad and steamboat lines will be made.

Those desiring orders for excursion tickets on the railroads should apply by mail to the Secretary.

WM. T. HAMILTON, President.
WM. B. SANDS, Secretary,
224 E. Baltimore St., Baltimore.

Leading Attraction.

It cannot be denied that Jarrell & Nichols' store room is one of the leading attractions of Easton, they have the finest line of Ladies Dress Goods, Wraps and Millinery Goods ever shown in this market. Their Carpet and Rug Department cannot be equaled, you can get almost anything you ask for in that department. Their Domestic Department is the largest in town. Their Ready-Made Clothing is considered the cheapest in town. Boys Suits from 4 to 14 years in short pants.

Advertised Letters.

Letters remaining in Post-Office, Easton, Dec. 3d, 1887.

Persons calling for letters in the following list will please say that they are advertised, otherwise they may not receive them.

Benson, Mrs. Dapheny	Johnson, John W.
Butler, Mary E.	Koltz, Miss Bertha
Chambers, Miss Amanda J.	Leonard, Geo. W.
	Lewkins, Thomas
Cox, Mrs. Elizabeth	Medley, John H.
Cooper, Mrs. D. W.	Miller, Wm.
Davis, Geo. E.	Straiter, Fredk.
Dobson, Miss Martina	Thomas, L.
Goldthorp, Geo	Willis, Frank A.
Harris, Miss Alice	Young, Geo. W.
Howard, Miss Mary	

JAS. H. COVINGTON,
Postmaster.

The New Treasure Range.

This is the range that has given such universal satisfaction. It can be put up with or without a water back for hot or cold water, as purchasers may desire. For sale by Nicols & Brother, Dover street, who also have a full line of all kinds of cooking stoves of the most approved patterns.

Public Sale.

We invite attention to the sale of stock and agricultural implements advertised by Col. R. Rough, to take place on the 6th inst. at Knightly. Col Hough has been in the forefront of farmers in raising thoroughbred stock and his sale should attract a host of purchasers from all parts of the State.

Beautiful Teeth

Are more to be desired than riches; in fact, they insure health, by properly performing mastication. Minot's Dentifrice—price 25 cents—is the finest in the world. It beautifully whitens the teeth, and insures healthy gums. Sold everywhere.

Sale of a House and Removal.

Mr. Harry Mason has bought of Mr. Walter H. Thompson the John F. Kersey house, on Railroad Avenue, with the intention of occupying it, and Mrs. Margaret Roberts has moved from it to Mr. Antonio DePasquale's house, corner of Railroad Avenue and Aurora Street.

Wanted, Engagement to Commence January 1st, 1887, by

Jarrell & Nichols' a young man who thoroughly understands the Dry Goods Business. Apply at once.

THE TROUBLES OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

President Grevy Resigns—Balloting in the General Assembly for a New President.

On Friday last, President Grevy, of the French Republic, tendered his resignation and departed from Paris. He held on until he found it impossible to organize a government, then he handed in his checks.

The financial interests pronounced in favor of M. Ferry as the successor of M. Grevy, but those in favor of a Russian Alliance bitterly opposed M. Ferry. In the Assembly M. de Freycinet was the favorite. Before his resignation President Grevy convened the Senators and Deputies to meet in Congress at Versailles on Saturday to elect a president.

On Friday members of the two chambers to the number of 324 held a Session in the palais Bourbon after the adjournment for the purpose of balloting for President preparatory to the election by the Congress at Versailles to-morrow. The Congress will embrace 850 members, of whom 630 are Republicans of various shades and 220 Reactionaries.

The first ballot opened at 8:30 p. m. and closed at 4:30. The result was:

M. Flequet	101
M. de Freycinet	94
M. Brisson	56
M. Sadi-Carnot	49
M. Ferry	19
M. Fallieres	3
M. Grevy	2

A second ballot was then taken with the following result:

M. de Freycinet	190
M. Brisson	84
M. Sadi-Carnot	27
M. Flequet	27
M. Ferry	11

The Senators and the Moderate Deputies abstained from voting.

THE FRENCH PRESIDENCY.

The President of the French Republic is elected for a full term of seven years, by a joint convention or Congress of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. There are no stated dates for the beginning and ending of the term of office, as in this country, and when a vacancy occurs by death or resignation, the new incumbent is elected for the full term of seven years. Marshall McMahon was originally elected president by the old Assembly on May 24, 1873, after the overthrow of M. Thiers. His election was for an indefinite term, but on November 19, 1873, he was again elected for the definite period of seven years. This was before the adoption of the present Constitution, which provides for a division of the Assembly into a Senate and Chamber of Deputies, and the election of a President by a Congress of these two bodies. Marshall McMahon's term would not have expired until Nov. 19, 1880, but he was compelled to resign in January, 1879, as an alternative to consenting to govern the country through a Republican Ministry, and M. Grevy was elected his successor on the 30th of that month. In December, 1885, just before the expiration of his first term, M. Grevy was re-elected, and his present term would not expire by limitation until January 30, 1893.

The President of the French Republic is well paid for his services. He receives a salary of 600,000 francs, ($120,000), a free residence in the Elysee Palace, and an allowance of 300,000 ($60,000) for household expenses. His powers are large, although circumscribed by the requirement that every official act must be countersigned by a Minister. He has the initiative of legislation concurrently with the two Chambers; promulgates the laws when they have been voted, and insures their execution; has the right of individual pardon, but cannot proclaim a general amnesty; disposes of the armed force, and appoints to all civil and military posts; and may dissolve the Chamber of Deputies before the expiration of its four-year term, with the consent of the Senate; but he cannot declare war without the previous assent of the two Chambers. The ministers as a body are responsible to the Chambers for the general policy of the government, and personally for their individual acts, while the President can be called to account only on the charge of high treason. Notwithstanding this nominal immunity from the censorship of the Chambers, President Grevy has been rendered helpless in the present emergency by the constitutional requirement that his acts must bear the countersignature of a minister. As long as he was unable to command the services of a Cabinet, supported by a majority in the Chamber of Deputies, he was unable to exercise any executive powers, and was thus rendered as responsible to the majority in the Chambers as were the ministers themselves.

M. Sadi Carnot Elected President of the French Republic to Succeed M. Grevy.

The French Congress on Saturday at Versailles, on the second ballot, elected M. Sadi Carnot President of France, to succeed M. Grevy, resigned. The first ballot was as follows: Sadi Carnot, 303; Ferry, 212; Gen. Saussier, 148; M. de Freycinet, 76; Gen. Appert, 72; M. Brisson, 26; Scattering, 26. After the first ballot M. Ferry and M. de Freycinet withdrew in favor of M. Sadi Carnot, and on the second ballot he received 616 votes, which elected him. The election of M. Sadi Carnot gives great satisfaction throughout republican France and Europe. He is moderate in his political opinions, but a sterling republican. The Rouvier cabinet was appointed temporarily, in order that the public business might progress. The new President qualified and entered at once on the duties of president.

Why Was it Done.

From the N. Y. Star.

The Tribune unlike nearly all our newspapers, has from the begining of President Clevelands administration, treated the Canadian fishery question from a partisan aspect. It has indeavored to fasten on the Democratic party responsibility for all the woes of our fishermen lost important fishing rights and liberties by the treaty of 1818, which was negotiated by Mr. Gallatin and Mr. Rush, under the authority of Mr. Monroe as President and Mr. John Quincy Adams as Secretary of State; but by a treaty negotiated in 1854, under the authority of Mr. Pierce as President and Mr. Marcy as Secretary of State, our fishermen recovered all they sought. But the Republican party, under the lead of Mr. Sumner, denounced that treaty and put an end to it in 1868. Why was it done?

Again, and in 1871, a treaty was negotiated under the authority of General Grant as President and Mr. Fish as Secretary of State, by which our fishermen recoved, a second time, all the fishing rights they sought. We had to pay, to be sure, five and a half millions therefor, but nevertheless the Republican party put an end to that treaty in 1885, and what we paid was after that a dead loss. Why was it done?

During the periods from 1854 to 1866, and from 1871 to 1885, our fishermen had no troubles in Canada.

Will the Tribune explain?

The Democratic Congressional Caucus.

The Democratic House Caucus met on Saturday in the Capitol, and made the following nominations, which were doubtless ratified by the House on its organization yesterday; Speaker, John G. Carlisle, of Kentucky; John B. Clark, of Missouri, clerk; J. P. Leedom, of Ohio, Sergeant at arms; A. B. Hurt, of Mississippi, Door Keeper; Lycurgus Dalton, postmaster, and Rev. W. H. Milbourn, chaplain.

The Art Amateur

For December contains a charming colored plate of 'Pansies,' find studies of 'Holly and Mistletoe' and 'China Asters,' and a page of timely and useful suggestions for Christmas decoration. The other designs include a beautiful extra size classic figure (Hero)—the third of a series of six panels for painting or outline embroidery; an admirable arrangement of 'Orange Lilies,' for a vase or embroidery, a very pretty fish-plate decoration—one of a set of six; a large and bold design of blackberry (vines and fruit) for wood carving; three musical cupids for tapestry painting, a fine pomegranate altar-frontal and superfrontal design with full directions for treatment, and some pleasing diaper motives for curtain embroidery. Specially notable features are an excellent drawing of Knaus's 'Holy Family' in the Catherine Wolfe collection four delightful studies of children by Lubrichob, and two pages of very attractive studies of furniture and interior decoration for the ordinary home. There are valuable practical articles on still-life painting (dead game) and flower painting in oils, tapestry painting and artistic picture framing. The collector receives particular attention in a new deparment called 'The Cabinet,' which includes a fully illustrated article on Japanese 'Snuff Bottles,' a curious account of 'Collecting in China, and numerous interesting notes. The Metropolitan Museum Exhibition, art in Boston, Mrs. Wheeler's show of embroideries, and other current topics receive due notice, and 'My Note Book' bristles as usual with fresh and piquant paragraphs. A special illustrated series of articles on the furnishing and decoration of the average country house is announced to begin with the January number. Price 35 cents. Montague Marks, publisher, 23 Union Square, New York.

REDUCE THE TAXES.

Democratic Platform, State of New York, 1887.

The unnecessary federal taxation of the last fiscal year exceeded $100,000,000, and unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation.

Therefore the Democracy of New York demand that federal taxation be straightway reduced by a sum not less than $100,000,000 a year, and also respectfully urge upon Congress that a measure shall be adopted which will, in the language of the President's inaugural address, "relieve the people from unnecessary taxation, having a due regard to the interests of capital invented and workingmen employed in American industries."

The taxes to be first reduced or altogether removed are those or imported raw materials which now assist and promote foreign competition with ourselves in our own market, and prevent or hinder the sale of our surplus products in foreign makets.

Along with those taxes should forthwith be remitted or reduced the taxation which increases the cost to our wage earners of the common necessaries of life and the price of the common daily clothing of all our people.

Besides these there are several hundred articles among the 4,182 articles now taxed which should be swept off the tax list into the free list, thereby diminishing the cost of collecting all of our seaport taxes, and casting away those which are pretty needless and vexatious.

A KITCHEN BOILER EXPLODES.

One Person Killed and a Number of Others Injured.

MILWAUKEE, Nov 28.—At the Kirby House this morning a boiler in the kitchen range exploded, entirely wrecking the rear end of the building, burying a number of people beneath the ruins, fatally wounding several. The explosion blew out a portion of the rear wall of the building, thirty feet in width, and extending from the ground to the floor of the fourth story. One end of the dining-room was wrecked, but most of the guests had finished breakfast. Among those who remained panic reigned, but as far as known none of the guests were hurt. The kitchen of the hotel was completely wrecked. There were about, a dozen girls in the room at the time, and all were buried beneath the mass of brick and mortar Mrs. E. M. Gage, the assistant cook, was taken out dead. Frank Hempel, the head cook, was badly hurt.

Suicide in Queen Anne's.

Mr. Louis D. Turner, a young man that formerly lived in Easton, but who has been in Queen Anne's county for several years, since he left here, committed suicide by hanging himself last Sunday week, at his residence near Wye Mills. Aberration of mind caused by excessive drink is given as the cause of his untimely end.

Americans in their hurry and worry become woefully careless. The dead letter office at Washington during the fiscal year handled over 6,800,000 pieces of original mail matter including over 19,000 letters without any address at all. Over 18,000 pieces of dead mail matter were handled every day, a surprisingly large number.

Death of Gen. Emory.

Gen. William H. Emory, U. S. A. retired, died in Washington last week. He was a native of Queen Anne's county, and a son of the late Gen. Thomas Emory, of that county.

Baltimore Grain Market.

Quoted by Wm. B. Tilghman & Co., Commission Merchants, 18 Bowly's Wharf.

Dec. 3, 1887.

Choice Fultz wheat,	$0.87 @ $0.90
Choice Longberry,	0.88 @ 0 90
Corn white,	.56
Corn, yellow.	.56
Oats,	.36
Rye,	63

Special Notice.

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308 W. FAYETTE ST.,

BALTIMORE

3 Doors East of Ford's Opera House. ag1.

Cattle Wanted.

The highest cash prices paid for veal calves, fat cattle and bulls. Address
THOMAS E. TODD.
Easton, April 4th, 1888.

MARRIAGES.

AYERS—DAVIS—At 4 30 P M. on the 29 inst., at Cordova M E Church, by Rev. Geo. W. Townsend, Mr Wm. E Ayers to Miss Carrie Y. Davis, all of Cordova, Md.

New Advertisements

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See and hear them at
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Successor to R. J. Trippe.



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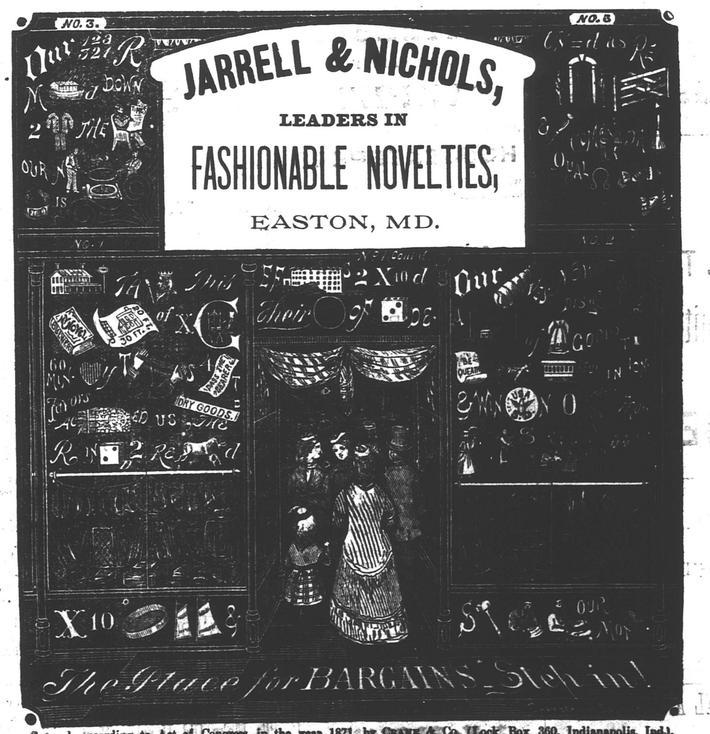
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