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GENERAL ITEMS

A Sample of Joint Discussions.—The Morgantown (W. Va.) *New Dominion* gives a specimen joint discussion in that section recently. It is substantially reprinted below:

For some time there was great interest manifested among the people in anticipation of the great joint discussion that was to take place at Frum's school house on Saturday evening, Oct. 20. Considering the importance of the event our best lady reporter was sent to the place with instructions to write the best account of the meeting she could. Below is her report written in her own ravishing style:

Now it came to pass in those days when political demagoguery engaged the mind's and absorbed the attention of men, when tumult and contention stalked abroad in the land and bitter strife and vindictive bickering had arrayed brother against brother and father against son, when the people went to and fro in their anxiety, and the cross roads politicians proclaimed their doctrines from the house tops; that Shadrach Felix who is surnamed Reed, challenged to a mortal combat of words, one, Jonathan Ephraim, who is surnamed Peck. Now Shadrach hails from a heath in Barbourland and is a man tall of stature, long of wind, great of nose, and powerful in debate. Be it further known also that Shadrach was hitherto a friend of Ephraim, and they had together often stolen apples and grapes, drank buttermilk out of the same cup, and marched to the music of the same drum. Ephraim, moreover, was a political giant from the land of Logan, a man of auburn tresses, great confidence and little learning.

The harangue took place five miles away from town, time midnight, in a house filled with patriotic men, beautiful women, dirty children, vitiated air and tobacco smoke. After a band of ten pieces, consisting of a bagpipe, a jewsharp, a hurdy gurdy, vocophone, a tambourine, a pair of bones, a bass drum, a country fiddle and a darned fool had favored the audience with Mendelsohn's famous Funeral March and "Johnny Git Yer Gun," the chairman, a long, lean, gaunt, knock-kneed, cork-legged, cross-eyed, lopped eared, hooked nosed, bald headed, horny handed son of toil swinging the "Broad Shield of American Law," advanced and in English bad and broken introduced the first speaker of the evening, Jonatnan Ephraim Peck, barrister at law, whose dulcet voice captivated the audience as he beleched forth the following snatch of song:

O, for the touch of a vanished hand,
And the grunt of a voice that is still!

And then plunged into the cesspool of political corruption, from whence he floundered into that—

Serbonian bog where other hogs have sunk,
And threw out a leg of mutton, the remnant
of a race once wild, untaxed and free, then
plucked bright honor from the pale faced
moon and dragged up more mutton by the
locks. He cried for a fair chance, a free vote,
free press and free trade. He hollowed for a
free country and his own dear native land,
and longed for mother, home and heaven.

He pulled the wool over his auditors' ears, rode them on steel rails and knocked down the price of sugar.

Then he spoke of the rabble's rage and the mob's most fiendish howl for cheap bread and free speech. He ranted about thirsty men, hungry women, freezing children, sapless ages and juiceless fruit; wearied wings, drooping heads, rocking chairs, daring deeds, giddy brinks and tottering States; fearless ships and cowardice; ground hogs and fleeceless goats; gestic lore, smiling spring and parting summer, thistle down and zephyr's breeze.

After Jonathan's conclusion the choir chanted:

Fair moon to thee I twitter.

The aforesaid chairman then introduced the aforesaid Felix, who strutted out before the astonished gaze of the enthusiastic audience, and with hands thrust into the pockets of his high tariff pants spun around two or three times on his left heel, displaying to the now entranced and admiring crowd the wonderful symmetry of his sigmoid curve.

He then grew eloquent and delivered himself as follows:

When the effulgent rays of the morning sun shall gild the majestic hill tops of Monongalia on the ides of November and the thundering of loud mouthed cannon is heard, proclaiming the choice of Benjamin Harrison as the next ruler of the nation, as old Sol shall roll on in his fiery chariot at the rate of one thousand miles an hour, and gun after gun shall catch up the detonation of the last report, the national anthem will swell, and as the reverberating echoes roll away to the westward, the jack rabbits of the boundless praries will prick up their ears in amazement and the blood-thirsty mosquitoes of Florida will pause a moment in their murderous work; and when these sound waves shall converge somewhere out in the great State of Kansas, the very foundations of the earth will totter, and the echoes will resound against the blue vaults of heaven and mingle their tones with the songs of the stars and stripes as they roll in their musical spheres. (Here the speaker fetched a sigh of relief.)

Oh for a steel ribbed opaque roof to shut out the light of the sun and thus "protect" the makers of wicks, snuffers, street lamps, extinguishers and bulls' eye lanterns! Oh that I had the power of a Joshua that I might command the sun to stand still in his course and give the laboring man a chance! What right has the sun to flood this mundane sphere with light when we have great and inexhaustible reservoirs of oil and gas ready to leap forth from the bowels of the earth at the touch of the drill and do the bidding of men? My friends, you have heard of the Milk Bill. It is a monstrous document. I am told that it was written in blood on the bleached skin of a republican nigger with the poisonous quill of a porcupine.

How can we afford to produce enough tar and feathers to exercise our God-given prerogatives on obnoxious democrats when tar and feathers are placed on the free list? How can the growers of bicarbonate of soda and saleratus all over this fair land keep gaunt and blear-eyed want from their doors? What will become of the manufacturers of hair pins? What will become of our girls when the producers of black jack and molasses candy close their doors and the sweet hum of industry ceases?

Will this great bribe-taking, peanut-eating, gum-chewing, beer-guggling nation submit to it?

What will our bald-headed old bachelor and maids do when wigs and hair-switches can no longer be had?

Tell us, ye cross-eyed goddesses of reform, what will become of the manufacturers of webbings, gorings, suspenders, braces, beltings, bindings, braids and buntings?

What will become of our musicians when strings of gut can no longer be procured? Woe unto gloves, gun wads and gutta percha. He then consigned the Mills bill to the pit, tomless bot. The democrats if they were to gain possession of both Houses would undo everything that we have accomplished in the last 20 years; they would repeal everything down to a skinned orange.

I am speaking not only for the present but for posterity, to which some one replied—

Yes, and if you don't get through soon they'll be here.

Now, continued the speaker, we have discussed every phase of the question; we have taken steel rails, wool, sugar, wood, salt and many other articles, what else shall we take? "Take a drink of free whisky," some one suggested.

Peck was concise and epigrammatic; Reed flowery and verbose. The discussion was characterized by no sense, no knowledge of the question, poor illustrations, bad grammar, and worse logic. A disdain for right, a hatred for argument, a detestation for principle, a disregard for facts, an utter contempt for truth, a peculiar delight in sophistry and fiction, stupidity, ignorance and prejudice.

Each with madness ruled one hour
And tried his own persuasive power.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS

Died.—At Roanoke, Va., Monday, Oct. 22, 1888, JOSEPH RUSSELL, youngest child of J. T. and Estella Engleby, aged 1 year and 6 months.

The Merits of Vestibuled Trains.—The chief merit claimed for the Vestibule appliance is that it effectually prevents telescoping of cars in case of collision, and the second great advantage lies in the fact that the new device entirely overcomes the swaying motion imparted to ordinary trains when rounding curves at high speed. The Limited Express running via B. & O. R. R. between Philadelphia and Chicago, is composed entirely of Vestibuled Cars, the Baggage Cars, Day Coaches, Dining Car and Pullman Sleepers all being fitted with Pullman's Patent Vestibules.

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The B. & O. Vestibuled Limited leaves Cumberland at 3:05 p. m., daily, for Chicago, and at 1:10 p. m., daily, for Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Real Estate Transfers.—Among those recently noted are the following:

David W. Sloan, trustee, to William Payne, lot on north side of Union street, Frostburg, consideration $650.

Geo. A. Wingert and wife to Joseph Bear, lot No. 1 in G. W. McCulloh's addition to Frostburg, consideration $2,800.

James P. Shaw and wife to Geo. Poland, lot No. 14 in Ross and Michael's addition to Barton, consideration $200.

Gustav Eisenberg and wife, to John Ryan, lot in Lonaconing, consideration $62.50.

The Georges Creek coal and iron company, to Gustav Eisenberg, lot in Lonaconing, consideration $125.

Business Locals.

In order to reduce our stock of **finished Monuments** and **Headstones** before winter, *we have made a* **sweeping reduction** *in prices.* Persons needing anything in above lines *should purchase this fall*, and they will **certainly save money**. Those *at a distance* should get our prices, as we set work wherever desired. WILLIAMS MARBLE WORKS, Frostburg, Md.

Two good Heating Stoves for sale. Apply to J. S. METZGER.

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May Brothers, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y., are in want of good Salesmen to sell their Choice Varieties of Nursery Stock either on salary or commission. To the right men steady employment the year round. Write them for terms. [May 26—8t

WHEN you visit Baltimore **stop at the Maltby House,** where will be found first-class accommodations and very low rates.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Election Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREY GIVEN TO THE *Judges of Election and to the Voters of Allegany county.* That an election will be held in the several Election Districts of Allegany county at the usual places of holding elections

Tuesday, November 6, 1888.

for the purpose of electing

Eight Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, for the State of Maryland, and a

Member of Congress for the Sixth Congressional District of the State of Maryland.

The polls of said election will be open in each and every district in said county at the usual places of holding the polls at 8 o'clock a. m., and will be closed at 6 o'clock p. m., when the ballots shall be publicly counted.

Keepers of hotels, taverns, saloons, or any place where liquors are sold, and all others, will take notice that by chap. 191, acts of 1885, no spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or any intoxicating drinks can be sold or given away on election day.

OTTO HOHING, Sheriff.

Oct 20

ESTRAY.

State of Maryland, Allegany county, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That on this 12th day of October, in the year 1888, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Allegany county, personally appeared George W. Porter and made oath that he has taken up as an ESTRAY trespassing upon his enclosures **One Red HEIFER,** marked with an underbit on the right ear.

CLAYTON PURNELL, J. P.

The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take the aforesaid animal away. GEORGE W. PORTER.

Oct 20—2t Eckhart Mines, Md.

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WE WILL SAVE YOU

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B. STERN & CO.

Sept 29

Extra! Extra!

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FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I WILL CLOSE OUT MY STOCK

AT COST!

Anybody so unfortunate as to miss this sale will regret it.

I MEAN WHAT I SAY.

So do not be afraid to come and get what you want.

Everything must go if prices will sell them.

☞ Everybody indebted to me will please settle at once, and oblige the undersigned. Very respectfully,

E. GROSS,

Frostburg, Md.

Sept 8

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Braddock Pure Rye

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Cumberland, Md.

Guarantee of Purity.—Having been stationed at the Braddock Distillery whilst in operation, as United States storekeepers and gaugers, we hereby certify that James Clark & Co., in the manufacture of their celebrated Braddock Pure Rye Whiskey, use only rye and barley malt. Respectfully,

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JOHN H. YOUNG, }

Cumberland, Md., Nov. 15, 1887. [Nov 19]

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Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps,

these goods are placed on the market *at cost and lower than cost for cash.*

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Jan 21 Agent for C. W. ODER.

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FUN FOR 1888.

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July 24

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WHEN IN DOUBT WHERE TO GO

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Oct 13

Railroad Schedules, etc.

Baltimore and Ohio RAILROAD.

April 29, 1888.

TRAINS arrive at and depart from CUMBERLAND as follows:

Arrive	EASTBOUND.	Leave
1:30 a m	....No. 4 Express....	1:41 a m
	....No. 8 Express....	2:50 a m
7:25 p m	No. 82 Accom'odation	
9:30 a m	....No. 2 Express....	9:50 a m
1:00 p m	....No. 6 Express....	1:10 p m
7:35 a m	No. 60 Accom'odation	7:40 a m
12:50 p m	...No. 38 Passenger...	3:00 p m
Arrive	**WESTBOUND.**	**Leave**
1:30 a m	No. 7 Express.....	
2:20 a m	...No. 3 Express....	2:35 a m
3:00 p m	...No. 5 Express....	3:[illegible] p m
2:50 p m	No. 65 Accom'odation	3:10 p m
7:01 p m	No. 1 Express.....	7:20 p m
	No. 81 Balt. & Graft. Ac	7:[illegible] a m
10:20 a m	...No. 63 Passenger...	10:[illegible] a m

Nos. 2, 3, 5, 7, 1, 4, 8, 6, 65 and 38 daily; others daily except Sunday.

No. 2 at 17, 1:40 and 11[illegible] only to passengers.

Pittsburg Division.

WESTBOUND.

No. 7—Pittsburg Express leaves ...1:30 a m
" 37—Mountain " " ....8:00 a m
" 5—Through Mail " ....3:05 p m

EASTBOUND.

No. 8—Baltimore Express arrives.. 2:45 a m
" 36—Mountain " " .. 7:05 p m
" 6—Express and Mail " .. 1:00 p m

May 5 W. F. LANDERS, Agent.

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DAILY, Sundays excepted, from Central Station, Cumberland.

OUTWARD-BOUND TRAINS.

Leave Cumberland.....	7:30 a m 3:15 p m
Arrive at Vale Summit....	8:15 a m 4:00 p m
" " Lonaconing	8:45 a m 4:30 p m

Pennsylvania Railroad trains leave at 8:20 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. for Bedford, Pittsburgh Philadelphia and New York.

RETURNING TRAINS.

Leave Lonaconing.....	12:15 p m 5:00 p m
Arrive at Vale Summit....	12:45 p m 5:30 p m
" " Cumberland	1:30 p m 6:15 p m

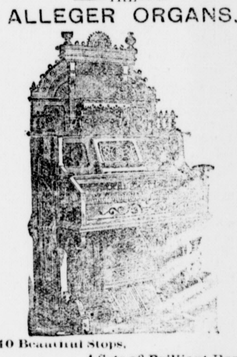
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JAMES A. MILLHOLLAND,
Nov 5 General Manager.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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May 12 Dentist.

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May 22 Cumberland, Md.

A

BIG MISTAKE

CORRECTED!

SOME persons have reported and others believed that I intend removing from here.

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☞ All persons coming by rail buying goods of me will have their fare paid both ways.

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