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Frostburg, Md.....January 10, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

Married.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 7, 1891, at Youngstown, Ohio, by Rev. D. J. Nicholas, Mr. C. O. Towles, of Lonaconing, and Miss Anna Jones, of Youngstown, daughter of Evan Jones, formerly of this place. The groom is a son of J. L. Towles, of Frostburg, and a well known photographer. The bride is a modest, pretty little lady, who once did typographical work upon the JOURNAL. The union is one auspicious of happiness.

O, sweet is the prospect of love's early dream,
Clothed with beauty and tinsel, glitter and gleam;
But sweeter by far is that new life begun,
When two trusting hearts are blended in one.

Died.

Thursday, Jan. 1, 1891, Mr. Elias Alexander, of this place, aged 64 years.

At his residence, this place, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 8, 1891, Mr. Jacob J. Conrad, aged 66 years and 12 days. Deceased had been ill nearly two years, but seriously only four weeks prior to death. He was born in this place and lived here all his life, working at his trade—carpentry. His wife and three children survive—William, of Midlothian; Mrs. Emma Skidmore, of Borden mine, and Mrs. Theresa Hart, this place. Mr. Conrad was a brother of Mrs Ellen M. Casteel. Funeral will take place at the M. E. Church, South, this (Saturday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Another.

Last week an example of Roanoke (Va.) business was given in these columns, in which our friend J. T. Engleby, figures prominently. This week the *Herald*, of that city, makes mention of another—the report of the Fidelity Loan and Trust company. It is best stated in the *Herald's* own words:

The amount of capital stock paid in is $195,170.03; individual deposits subject to check, $40,433.04; demand deposits, $20,252.80, and undivided profits, $17,687.08. This is an admirable showing and attests the popularity of the Fidelity with the business men and capitalists of this section. Mr. Joseph T. Engleby, of the firm of Engleby & Bros., is the president, and gives his time and attention to building the bank up. That he is succeeding the statement shows.

Religious.

The subject of the lecture to young men at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening—"The Father's Wail for His Son." Communion service in the morning.

Communion service at the M. E. Church, South, to-morrow (Sunday) evening.

The revival services at the M. E. Church have been progressing with growing power during the past week. Dr. Leech and Miss Sherman, the railroad evangelist, have done their utmost to persuade the large congregations to turn to a better life. A number have accepted the invitations, and now say they are leading the new life. Miss S. will speak at the morning and evening services to-morrow. The meetings will continue next week.

Personal.

Besides foreman Stern Messrs. William Thomas, E. N. Michael, Cornelius Lynch, George H. Wittig and William Engle, of this place, are on the grand jury. Messrs. William Williams and H. P. Griffith are on the petit jury.

Rev. J. J. Dillon, of Long Green, Md., visited his mother, Mrs. C. Lynch, and other relatives in this place and vicinity this week.

Edward Donohue returned last Saturday from a pleasant visit to Pittsburg, Pa.

Frank Wolfe is at home from a short vacation spent in Pittsburg, Pa.

Among the re-elected county officers are Messrs. William Thomas and W. R. Hart, of this place, the former a member of the Board of Managers of the Insane Asylum, the latter Janitor of the Courthouse.

Judge John Douglas, of Lonaconing, spent a portion of the New Year with his old-time friend, Owen Hitchins. He is hearty and erect as ever, is in his perennial good humor, and takes no note of the fact that time is flying:

What year is new or old to him
Whose soul is lost to time and sense—
Whose mind and heart, of fleeting years,
Lives on in blessed innocence?
What if the solemn years grow gray,
And all the trembling verdure fall;
Shall a man so good bend with age
Or feel the weight of years at all?

The Birmingham (Ala.) *Age-Herald* of Monday gives an interesting account of a farewell dinner tendered by Roy L. McCardell at his father's home, in Bessemer, to a committee of the Ancient Order of Egyptian Monks. The affair took place prior to Mr. McC's departure for New York. The Misses McCardell are specially mentioned as artistic contributors to the musical features of the occasion. Roy's brethren presented him with a gold-headed cane. Why he is going to New York is not stated, but the JOURNAL conjectures another journalistic promotion.

Miss Kate Beeler, accompanied by Mrs. Dr. J. M. Porter, left this morning for Miss B's home, Baltimore. Mrs. Porter will stay awhile in the city.

Miss Helen Berkey reached home yesterday afternoon from a protracted visit to Johnstown, Pa.

Death of Charles H. Hamill.

The community was pained to learn of the death Wednesday morning at 6½ o'clock, at his residence, of Charles H. Hamill, an old and prominent resident of the town. He had been ill several months, growing worse under increasing complications of internal disorders, but it was only within the last few days that the manifestations of disease became premonitory of an early and fatal issue.

Mr. Hamill was born in Cecil county, this State, January 10, 1822. He was, therefore, 69 years old, less 3 days. He came to this county about 50 years ago and early took a practical interest in coal development. He was for a number of years superintendent of the Frostburg coal company, the pioneer company of the region, of which his father-in-law, Mesheck Frost, was president. With Mr. Frost's death in 1863 the property was sold to the Consolidation coal company, Mr. Hamill settling up the extended business of the old company. Shortly after, he organized the Spruce Hill coal company, whose operations he conducted about seven years. Later he originated and projected the development of the Grant coal, iron and lumber company. This terminated his interest in practical mining operations.

In 1879 he was appointed by Gov. Carroll one of the Mine Commission, provided for by the current mining law, and had for his colleagues Messrs. W. H. Smith, of Easton, and John Ryan, of Lonaconing, Md. More than a full share of the work performed fell to his lot, but he did it cheerfully, and it was ever a matter of regret with him that the findings and suggestions of the Commission were not fruitful of more good.

In 1886 Gov. Lloyd appointed him Inspector of Mines to fill the unexpired term of Dennis Sheridan, deceased. He held this office a little over 18 months and gave its duties undivided, thoughtful and intelligent attention. Of all who have held the position he was the best qualified.

May 24, 1853, he married Catharine, third daughter of Mesheck Frost, who, with four sons and three daughters, survives. The eldest son, Thomas H., is railway agent at Burnet, Texas; Charles H. and Mesheck P. are in Leadville, Col., engaged in mercantile pursuits; Mrs. Kate H. Dean lives at Trinidad, Col.; William, the youngest son, and Misses Lida and Anna, youngest daughters, are at home.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 10½ o'clock at St Michael's church; interment in the Catholic cemetery.

No man who ever lived in this region felt a deeper interest in its development and prosperity than Mr. Hamill. Production, capacity and values were favorite topics with him, and none were better posted in the region's history and resources. With keen, quick perceptions, a retentive memory and fluent tongue, his colloquial powers were far above the average. In any society he was a ready talker, but among coal men he was most at home. Without ever having been a practical miner, he was fully conversant with underground operations and *technique*. He could entertain the latter in Maryland in his own field of thought, and with equal readiness give valuable pointers to stock brokers on Wall street. He was a democrat, proud of his Jeffersonian conservatism, and in politics was one of the best posted men of his day. Socially he was knightly in speech, courtly in manner, and not a vulgar insinuation ever stained his dialect. His interest in this world, his manner and conversation never left him while consciousness lasted. Next to his final request—concerning his burial—he bequeathed to the JOURNAL all his mining *memorabilia*—historical, statistical and expository—collected within the half century of this region's operations "to the end," as he said, "that if there was any good in them it might live after him." He also had concern for the hereafter; he sought the consolations of religion and met death with a philosophy characteristic of his life and as heroic as it was pathetic.

Though nearing the verge of life's expectancy his death is none the less deeply deplored by the surviving family, the children especially feeling they have lost a wise and loving counselor. His successful sons owe their promotion to his clerical training and inspiration, and they have lost a correspondent whose letters teemed with expressions of warmest interest in their welfare.

The community, therefore, sympathizes with these as humanity does with all who lose by death.

A Tribute.

"An Admiring Brother Physician" sends the JOURNAL the following lines as reflecting for many years his veneration for the late Dr. J. M. Porter:

"A life well spent, whose earliest care it was
His riper years should not upbraid his green;
By unperceived degrees he wears away,
Yet like the sun, seems larger at his setting."

Calendars.

A. Shriver & Co., Cumberland's peerless printing firm, sent the JOURNAL several pretty and useful calendars.

But of the many calendars received at this office the most elegant is that of the Wabash railroad company.

Fairs.

The Sons of Veterans' fair ran 15 evenings. The gross receipts were $1,472.20.

The Arion Band fair closed Monday evening after a similar run.

The Balmoral Concert.

One of Frostburg's best audiences assembled in Moat's Opera House Tuesday evening to hear Scotland's famous choir. To those especially who are conversant with the Scottish idiom it was very enjoyable, and there were points here and there which delighted all. The instrumental work of Mr. McGhie was exceedingly fine, and Mr. Patrick's recitals were keenly relished by all. As the initial effort of the Frostburg Lecture Association it may be regarded as a gratifying success.

Brevities.

A copy of the special holiday edition of the Marble Falls (Texas) *Gazette* has been received by the JOURNAL from W. C. Wright. The "Falls" is enjoying a boom, and Will evidently thinks it has come to stay.

A study of the corrected time table of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania railroad, elsewhere printed, will show the convenience of the public has been promoted by improved connections with the B. & O. at Cumberland and Piedmont.

All the members of the Frostburg Lecture Association are expected to read the call of the president elsewhere printed, and act accordingly.

By a coincidence this week a shoe and hat man and clothes man have their advertisements renewed. One is invited to get his suit from Joe Bear and his hat and shoes from M. Rodda & Co. He will then be in shape for presentation to Queen Victoria.

The talking of starting still another paper in Frostburg has no terrors for the JOURNAL—unless it is to be called the *Cashbook*. On this score, however, since it comes to think of it, the great paper's mind is easy, for it learns it is to be named The Morning *Voice*, meaning, probably, that it will be a matituinal organ and not a hebdomadal weekly. But why not save time and type by calling it the *Rooster?*

An Undoubtedly Valuable Invention.

For several months L. C. Parker, of Kansas City, Mo., inventor, has been at work with T. H. Paul & Son, of this place perfecting his discoveries in the development of illuminating and heating gas. A plant has been erected in a portion of the iron works consisting of ten oil-chambers and corresponding stand-pipes, an air-pump, washer, converter, etc. The mechanism of manufacture, as we understand it, comprises the propulsion of hot air directly through the chambers of crude petroleum, thus creating oil vapor, or mechanical gas. The latter is then forced through the converter, when it becomes a fixed gas.

The process was shown the JOURNAL Thursday evening by Messrs. Paul and Parker, and the result was more than satisfactory. The gas furnishes a flame of the purest white light and of not less than 20-candle power. With two small jets burning in a very smoky room, the JOURNAL, 30 feet distant, read aloud an article in solid brevier—a print slightly smaller and more compact than that in which this article appears.

But another and equal value of the product consists in its utility as a heating gas. Besides being purer than any gas that can be made from coal, it is much stronger. It can also be made in larger quantities and furnished much cheaper than coal gas. In plant and materials used the expense of establishment and manufacture is considerably less than those of the old system.

The exhibition Messrs. Paul and Parker are able to furnish remind one of natural gas displays in northern Ohio and Indiana. The pipes emit great torches of flame, and, combustion being complete, there is no smell whatever thrown off from vent or blaze.

With the plant already built, the first ever constructed under the Parker process, it is possible to light and heat every house in Frostburg at a cost that almost anyone who has to buy coal can stand. To housekeepers especially, who have to wage perpetual war against coal dust and ashes, it is a boon whose value is beyond computation.

The JOURNAL congratulates Messrs. Paul and Parker upon their achievement, and it hopes they will win the rich reward merited by long research, experiment, labor and expense.

COUNTY NEWS.

Brevities.

There is nothing halfway about the weddings reported by the Cumberland papers. They are all either "quiet" or "pretty."

One of Billy McKaig's masterly oratorical efforts is said to open with the classical but familiar quotation:

"When Greek meets Greek, tis folly to be wise."

A Cresaptown colored woman who gave a possum dinner during the holidays without sweet potatoes has lost her prestige as a social leader down there.

The Atchison (Kansas) *Globe* tells of an old blind Indian who had been to Lawrence to see his grandchildren, which is a great advantage Indians have over white people in general. The only blind white men the JOURNAL knows of who can see are those subscribers of the Frostburg *Ledger* who can't see "the ulcers of our local body politic."

Nearly every average citizen in Mt. Savage has "sworn off" for 1891. This will make it very dull for the saloons down there for a week or ten days, or perhaps eleven days.

About the tenderest shrub in the county just now is a military company.

Married.

Tuesday, Dec. 30, 1890, at St. Luke's Church, Baltimore, by the Right Rev. Bishop of Maryland, assisted by Rev. William A. Coale, rector of the church, Miss Eva Poumairat, of Baltimore, and Rev. Lewis Beeman Browne, of Westernport. Mr. Browne was formerly a resident of Frostburg.

At Lonaconing Wednesday morning, Jan. 7, 1891, by Rev. L. C. Bell, Mr. D. F. Kuykendall, of Cumberland, and Miss Althea L. Combs, daughter of the late Hon. John S. Combs, of the former place. Among the few persons present were the bride's guardians—Messrs. Alex Shaw, Christian Devries and Lloyd Lowndes.

Thanks.

With the New Year new subscribers have entered their names in gratifying numbers and subscription payments were never so many and cheerfull—all without having been called upon because it was seasonable. These incidents make the great paper glad, because it shows that our noble people believe that—

Men who work with a shovel,
And men who work with a pen,
Should all be treated alike
As laboring men.

Saved the Dog's Life.

The Cumberland *News* relates the following incident:

D. P. LeFevre went up the river to skate on Monday, and took his two dogs along. One of them, a valuable bird dog, ventured out where the ice was thin and he broke through. After a great struggle the dog was about to sink when LeFevre pulled off his coat and jumped in the water, just in time to rescue the dog from a watery grave. There are frequent cases where dogs are known to have saved the lives of their masters, but in this instance the rule was reversed.

Circuit Court.

The January session began Monday morning, Judge Hoffman presiding.

Bernard Stern, of Frostburg, was appointed foreman of the grand jury.

The court charged the jury in the usual manner.

The dockets, comprising 33 appeals, 78 trials and 35 originals, was called, and court adjourned.

Personal.

Miss Kirby, daughter of John Kirby, of Vale Summit, is visiting friends in Baltimore.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Extravaganza.

The Great Paper, accompanied by J. B. Oder, the FROSTBURG MINING JOURNAL, Robert G. Colborn and a runaway horse, started for a sleigh ride last month. It got dumped into the snow several times, smothered up once and had to walk home. That's as bad treatment as to have your best girl go back on you just after a sleighing party. No moss on that back.—*Lonaconing Review.*

New Business Locals.

Grape Juice for Sickness.—The art of cultivating the Oporto vines and fermenting the Oporto Grape into wine in this country and of preserving the Grape Juice fresh without fermentation has been brought to a greater degree of perfection by Mr. Alfred Speer, of Passaic, N. J., than by any other person; in fact, he was the pioneer in introducing and advertising Native Wines. He has purchased hundreds of tons of grapes, besides his own vintage. Mr. Speer's success has arisen from the strict purity and valuable properties of his wines for invalids and feeble persons, and his reputation extends around the world.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.—This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00. If your lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Daniel Krapf.

A Safe Investment.—Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at R. G. Colborn's Drugstore.

A Kind Friend—Is what we call the famous remedy, Red Flag Oil. It quickly cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Sores, and all pain; it is good for man or beast.

No other medicine has won for itself such confidence as Dr. Lee's Liver Regulator. It is the best combination for the cure of all Kidney and Liver Complaints. Trial bottles free at R. G. Colborn's drug store.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.—Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth, and Head-Ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious Nasal Injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Daniel Krapf.

Merit Wins.—We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merit. R. G. Colborn Druggists.

Life's Mistakes.—Somebody has condensed the mistakes of life, and arrived at the conclusion that there are fourteen of them. The greatest of all mistakes is to allow a simple Cough or Cold to take its course, which always ends in death: check it in time, and save life by use of Pan-Tina Cough and Consumption Cure. Price 25 cents. Trial bottles free at R. G. Colborn's Drug Store.

Answer This Question.—Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming Up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's System Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them? Sold by Daniel Krapf.

Business Locals.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.—The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. G. Colborn.

Every Home Should Have It.—It is not always convenient to call a physician for every little ailment. Having Red Flag Oil in the house you have a physician always at hand. It kills Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Burns, Bruises and all Aches and Pains. Price 25 cents. There are few things in this life of which we may be certain, but this is one of them, Pan Tina Cough and Consumption Cure has no equal for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Price 25 cents. At R. G. Colborn's Drug Store.

New Advertisements.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE members of the Frostburg Lecture Association are *earnestly* requested to attend an *important* business meeting at the usual place MONDAY, JAN. 12, 1891, at 7½ o'clock p. m.

FRANK C. BEALL,
Jan 10 President.

Cumberland and Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

SCHEDULE.

Eastward. Leave. No. 1. a. m.	No. 3. a. m.	Stations.	Westward. Arrive. No. 2. a. m.	No. 4. p. m.
6:25	11:45	Piedmont	11:10	5:45
6:40	12:00	Barton	10:50	5:30
6:50	12:12	Lonaconing	10:42	5:20
7:02	12:24	Midland	10:29	5:07
7:05	12:27	Ocean	10:26	5:05
7:10	12:34	Borden Shaft	10:20	5:00
7:18	12:42	Frostburg	10:12	4:52
7:35	12:59	Morantown	9:52	4:34
7:42	1:06	Mount Savage	9:40	4:28
7:47	1:11	Barrelville	9:38	4:23
7:49	1:13	Patterson's	9:30	4:21
7:55	1:19	Kreigbaum's	9:25	4:15
7:57	1:21	Mt. Savage junction	9:28	4:13
8:10	1:34	Cumberland	9:15	4:00
a. m. Arrive.	p. m.		a. m. Leave.	p. m.

All trains on this schedule stop at Hay street station.

P. L. BURWELL,
Jan 10 General Superintendent.

New Tailors in Town!

HAVING increased the force in my Tailoring Department, I am prepared to accommodate the public on short notice.

—MY—

READY-MADE
CLOTHING
DEPARTMENT

CONTINUES TO TAKE THE LEAD.

JOE BEAR,
Leading Clothier and Merchant Tailor,
Jan 10 Next door to the Bank.

THE SOLE

PURPOSE of this advertisement is to call your attention to the remarkable wearing qualities of our

$2 & $2.50 Men's Shoe.

THE SOLE

Will outwear any $3 shoe on the market, and you will never again be troubled with corns, which are the result of ill-fitting footgear.

WHY PAY MORE?

M. RODDA & CO.

THE SHOE MEN.

Jan 10

REPORT
OF THE SECRETARY OF THE
SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
OF FROSTBURG, MD.,
For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1890.

Cash, January 1, 1890		$ 7,366.96
RECEIPTS.		
Dues	$27,870.50	
Fees	147.50	
Fines	174.90	
Interest	3,712.55	
		31,905.45
" reported by Treasurer	428.76	
Notes reported by Treasurer	2 145.16	
		2,573.92
Total		$41,846.03
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Dividends	$ 2,213.75	
Overpayments	101.13	
Expenses	315.50	
Withdrawals	8,660.47	
Redemptions	24,960.00	
		36,250.85
Notes reported by Treasurer		3,072.57
Cash, January 1, 1891		2,522.61
Total		$41,846.03
ASSETS.		
Loans secured by mortgage		$69,550.00
" " " note		9,962.08
Cash, January 1, 1891		2,522.61
Total		$82,034.69
LIABILITIES.		
Stock paid in		$77,787.73
Profits divided		4,147.22
do undivided		.99
Profit and loss		98.75
Total		$82,034.69

The dividend basis for the year is $69,120.33. Of this sum the net profit of $4,147.22 is six *per centum*, and this rate of distribution has been declared by the Board of Directors.

J. B. ODER, Secretary.

Report of Committee.

FROSTBURG, MD., Dec. 31, 1890.

To the Stockholders of the Savings and Loan Association of Frostburg, Md.:

THE undersigned, having been appointed by the Board of Directors to examine and audit the books and accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer of the above named Association for the past year, respectfully submit that they have performed that duty.

They have found the books kept in a most excellent and satisfactory manner. The Secretary's report was comprehensive and intelligent, exhibiting diligence and careful attention to his duties, and worthy of the highest commendation.

To the industry of the Treasurer in securing loans and his vigilance in protecting them, the Association largely owes its ability to pay the stockholders a dividend of six *per cent.*, a fact which should be duly appreciated.

A comparison with the reports of previous years shows that the business of the Association is largely growing, and is in a better financial condition than ever since its inauguration. This increase in the capital stock and loans entails additional work on the officers, and greater difficulty to keep the profits up to their present high margin.

The Treasurer's vouchers were examined and found to correspond with the accounts of the Secretary.

ALEXANDER C. HAVERSTICK,
E. N. MICHAEL,
JOHN B. REESE,
Jan 10 Committee.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

BOYD, BRADBURN & CO.,

REALERS IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS,

Musical Instruments, Sheet Music, Etc.

THE CELEBRATED

Weaver Organ

H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager,

Wishes every Reader of this Advertisement a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

—AND A—

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

You cannot buy a Present which will be more highly appreciated than one of our Fine Instruments, either

PIANOS . OR . ORGANS

ON EASY TERMS.

Nothing will open up the avenues of the mind like Music, and which will bring back as much money in return. It will give your family energy, grit and perseverance, which is the great channel in life's struggle. Music will elevate the moral atmosphere to the highest pitch, and no family can well afford to be without an Organ or Piano, if you want to stand in the first rank of commercial enterprise in the coming future.

BOYD, BRADBURN & CO.,
BRIDGE STREET, LONACONING, MD.
H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.
Dec 20

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

ATTENTION, HORSEMEN

I HAVE secured the agency for the sale in **Allegany and Garrett counties, Md., and Mineral county, W. Va.**, of the famous

Neverslip Horseshoe

with its removable steel-centred and

Self-Sharpening Calks.

If you have your horse shod with these Shoes you will save time, money, and the horses' feet, as the Calks, being *self-sharpening*, remain sharp until entirely worn out, and, with the NEVERSLIP WRENCH, you can, in a few minutes, put in a new set of Calks while your horse is standing in the barn.

The principal advantages of this shoe are—
1. It never slips in any direction.
2. It saves horses from sprains and bruises which they constantly receive from insecure footing.
3. It greatly lessens the danger from calking.
4. It saves the time of both horses and owners, as the unscrewing of old and the replacing with new Calks is the work of only a few moments.

Send for full descriptive circulars and price-lists, or apply to

FRANK C. BEALL, Agent,
"The" Hardware and Stove Man,
Dec 20 Frostburg, Md.

PIANOS

HEINEKAMP & SON, PECK & SON,
WEBER BROS., NEW ENGLAND,
ETC., ETC., ETC.

Special Holiday Inducements.

Heinekamp Pianos combine a pure and sympathetic tone, elegance and durability. This Piano is used by hundreds of Academies, Colleges and Seminaries. Without fear of contradiction it ranks higher than all other instruments.

THESE PIANOS will be delivered free within 25 miles of Lonaconing. We keep them in stock all the time and will be glad to show them to you.

BOYD, BRADBURN & CO.,
Bridge Street, LONACONING, MD.
H. T. WILLIAMS, - - Manager.

Don't fail to observe our double-column advertisement printed elsewhere in this paper
Dec 13

TO THE PARTY

OR PARTIES with a capital of five thousand ($5,000) dollars seeking a lucrative opening in the MERCANTILE line in the town of Frostburg, will find it to their advantage to inquire *by letter only* of the

MINING JOURNAL,
Dec 13 Frostburg, Md.

Boy Wanted.

BETWEEN 15 and 17 years old. Apply at the FROSTBURG IRON WORKS.
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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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On hand and for sale:

Cumberland City Water Refunding 4 *per cent.* Bonds.
Cumberland City Consolidated Debt 5 *per cent.* Bonds.
Frostburg (Md.) 4½ *per cent.* Water Bonds, and other investment securities.

Price and other information given on application.

D. ANNAN,
Aug 9—tf Cashier.

A PURE ARTICLE.

READ below what the Revenue Agents have to say of the manufacture of the

BRADDOCK RYE WHISKEY:

OFFICE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
CUMBERLAND, MD., Aug. 16, 1888.

I hereby certify that during the time I was deputy collector internal revenue for District of Maryland James Clark, in the manufacture of his Braddock Pure Rye Whiskey, according to the record from government books, used only rye and barley malt.

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