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MINING JOURNAL.

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A Decennial Thought.

Ten years ago the Pocahontas coal region was hardly known.

From a few thousand tons a year it now sends out over one hundred thousand tons a month, and sends that enormous quantity into the Georges Creek markets.

The Pocahontas region dates its rise from the great strike of 1882 in this field.

It was the attempted usurpation of the coal business here by the Knights of Labor, and the long consequent interruption, that compelled the customers of this region to look elsewhere for a source of supply.

They found it, and, no sooner found than the owners of the new field began to develop accordingly.

And they have now reached that stage that, with nearly double our distance from tide, they can mine and transport coal at a cost which our product cannot meet.

Their coal enjoys these additional advantages:

1, An analysis nearly equal in steam-raising quality to ours.

2, Nominal weights, and—

3, Cheaper labor generally.

These elements are tending to strengthen its hold on the market and make it every year a more and more formidable competitor.

Ten years ago to-day the attempt at usurpation here was at its climax.

To-day we are beginning to feel the real rebound which that great error projected.

Then the tocsin of war here against proprietary control awakened to life a Hercules hitherto unborn.

Now the infant, having slowly but surely taken on the stature and strength of a giant, challenges us on our own ground.

With no intent or desire to discourage our people, we want to recall to their minds the great fact, held and promulgated only by this labor paper, that "strikes are no longer revolts against employers, but *against consumers*!"

And this inevitable and unalterable conclusion—that the man or paper who holds this view and preaches it as the very quintessence of the gospel of labor is your friend and not your enemy.

Foundation Stones.

Concerning the merits of the contentions peculiar to the case, it is difficult to say how far both sides in the Homestead (Pa.) trouble are in the wrong.

It is most probable, however, that the employers lacked diplomacy and the workingmen common sense.

But the whole unfortunate business is the logical outgrowth of the general and persistent propagation of the vicious idea that miners, iron workers and factory operatives are special *proteges* of a system of government designed, however, to be the impartial agent of *all* the people.

The favorites of this scheme of flattery, therefore, have contracted the notion that they are indispensable to the autonomy of the industrial system, and when the natural law of supply and demand does not seem to promote their notions of what their own welfare ought to be, they rebel and seek by force to even up matters.

Congress is going to investigate the causes of the trouble, but they need no investigation. They are patent—just as we have stated.

But Congress will find, or ought to find—that the world of labor, like the world of capital, owes no man a better or bigger fortune than he is able and willing to make for himself.

And the government, State or national, owes him no more.

Why Things are So.

It seems to be understood that the esteemed Master Workman John Chambers has the unreserved support of the Ring democracy in furtherance of his aspirations to run the educational mill of this county.

And of governor Brown, who, as in duty bound, will accede to the Ring's wish.

All of which will be carried out no doubt in behoof of the Master Workman's immortal pronunciamento a few years ago—

I am a Knight of Labor before I am a democrat.

What it Is.

"It is a rule," so said, of the *Ledger*, "never to enter into editorial discussions with convicts."

The JOURNAL presents the Lonaconing *Star* its compliments, accompanied by the assurance that the alleged "rule" is not as old as the current crop of grass.

Moreover, that it is really a bid for a millenium.

Shrewd Politics.

It is understood that a large number of republicans have very shrewdly enabled the democratic leaders to take a step which is a part of the policy to keep Allegany hopelessly *anti*-democratic.

They signed the petition which pleads for John Chambers' appointment as School Commissioner.

Want it Bad, Too.

Bill Nye, the humorist, took a bath at Saratoga, and in consequence will not get out of bed for a week.—New York *Water-cure.*

That's what Frostburg wants for its down-street side-splitters.

Frostburg water—old and new—is too domestic.

Prospectus.

If John Chambers turns out as good a master of schools as he did of so-called workmen, in a few years there won't be any schools.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Wellington and the Canal.

CUMBERLAND, MD., July 5, 1892.

To the MINING JOURNAL.

I am ready to take up the gauntlet thrown down by "Republican Miner" in your issue of July 2, and to prove that the following statement is absolutely incorrect, as can be shown by the newspaper files of the county for the past five years:

I know also, that I never heard a word from Hon. George L. Wellington for or against the scheme to rob us of the canal. If he was in favor of it, he kept it to himself; if he was opposed to it he opened not his mouth.

Mr. Wellington has been one of the most pronounced and powerful friends of the canal at all times and seasons. He has done ten things for the canal to Col. Pearre's one, and he has spoken one hundred words in its favor to Col. Pearre's one.

On Aug. 12, 1886, there was a large meeting in the Academy of Music in the interest of the canal. There were some operators present, and I challenge anyone of them to dispute my assertions. I was there myself upon special invitation of my old friend, Cowden, who helped largely to get up that meeting. Mayor Shuck presided with J. Brooke McGann as secretary. The speakers were J. W. Thomas, G. L. Wellington, William Brace and L. Victor Baughman. Hon. William Walsh could not be present on account of sickness, but sent a strong letter assuring the meeting of his sympathy with its objects, and his hearty accord with every effort to maintain the canal as a waterway.

Mr. Wellington made a telling and impassioned address on behalf of the canal. The report in the Daily *News* of that meeting quotes him as saying that "he was opposed to giving the canal to any great corporation to make a railroad of it;" that he "was in favor of anything that would put the canal on a sure footing," etc.

Is there any uncertain ring about that? But why beat the air? Everybody well acquainted with county affairs knows that Wellington has always been the staunch friend of the canal.

Wellington ran for Comptroller in 1889, the year of the great freshet, the Johnstown year, you remember. The republican party in its platform that year took bold ground for the maintenance of the canal, and the following plank in that platform was written by Mr. Wellington, every syllable of it, and was adopted by the convention without change:

Resolved, That the prosperity of a very large portion of our State and its people is linked with the maintenance of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal as a waterway, and we, therefore, demand that the State government shall not connive at the sacrifice of the canal to private interests, but that this great waterway, wrecked by political mismanagement, shall be given over under long lease or otherwise to business control, under proper regulation, and we insist that the Board of Public Works shall maintain the canal as a waterway from the coal fields to tidewater.

Wellington carried the canal issue with him everywhere on the stump in that campaign, as the reports of his speeches will show. His presentation of the interests of the canal was so effective that he swept the district by the unparalleled majority of 2,200.

When Col. Pearre was elected State Senator he was bound to stand on that platform and bound to fight for the canal which he should get reasonable credit for doing. But the man who saved the canal was not George A. Pearre. It was Judge Richard H. Alvey. Who dare deny it? Despite the efforts of the republican Senators, J. W. Randall, of Anne Arundel; Adrian Posey, of Charles; W. D. Burchinal, of Kent; George A. Pearre, of Allegany; C. E. Coffin, of Prince George; Washington Wilkinson, of St. Mary's, and last, but not least, Edward Stake, the most powerful debater and best equipped man of the lot, the Washington and Cumberland lease bill passed the General Assembly and was approved by Governor Jackson March 27, 1890.

I will not consume space by reviewing the points of Judge Alvey's able decisions, affirmed by the Court of Appeals, but suffice it to say that but for those decisions the canal would be today in the hands of the Washington and Cumberland railroad.

In conclusion, therefore, I would again say that it was Judge Alvey who saved the canal and not the young Senator; and, in the second place, it was George L. Wellington, and not the young Senator, who committed his party in the State and district to the policy of standing by the canal.

TRUTH.

LOCAL NEWS.

Brevities.

A boy in town celebrated the Fourth with a limited number of firecrackers. About 1 p. m. he ignited one but it proved a fiasco—apparently. Taking it up and carefully looking into the business end to see what was the matter, the explosive went off and shot its true inwardness into the boy's more critical eye. He ran to his mother with a yell that could be heard further than that eye could reach. The alarmed lady went to work and took (1) a grain of powder out of the southern hemisphere of the optic; (2) a shower of ashes out of the east end; (3) a wad of red paper from the north-western reservation, and, last—a roll of asbestos that had been overlooked in the maternal survey of the wrecked cracker dropped out after the boy had crawled over the fence to see the baseball game. That eye made a narrow escape.

"The Strange Story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be exemplified by Dr. Robert Nourse in Moat's Opera House next Tuesday evening, 12th inst. See advertisement.

Every family should have a flag about the house where it could be honored and respected—not a cheap, tawdry cambric flag, but a flag of good size made of regulation army and navy bunting. The United States flag is one of the beauties of the world and it means more freedom and independence to the people than any other flag ever given to the breezes.

Editorial and local matter crowded out by advertisements coming in late. Some of it grod for next week.

The Carnival.

The "Carnival of the Holidays," held by the Epworth League in the lecture room of the M. E. Church Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, was a decided success.

The church was beautifully decorated, and booths to represent the different holidays of the year were erected.

"Fourth of July" was represented by picnic tables where demure, gray-robed maidens served ice cream and cake under Miss Mollie A. Thomas' efficient leadership.

The "New Year" was presided over by Miss Annie V. Keller, efficiently assisted by a *corps* of young ladies who disposed of all kinds of confectionery.

"Washington's Birthday" was in charge of Mrs. D. J. Betz's committee who, "in ye costume of ye days when ye Mother Columbia began her reigne," served products of tropical climes.

At the "Arbor Day" booth, which was beautifully decorated with evergreen and filled with flowers and fern, lemonade was served by a host of fair young ladies, with Miss Hettie Jeffries at their head.

In the centre of the room was the "Christmas" booth. Here soft, shaded candle-light shed a mellow radiance over the numerous pretty fancy articles of all descriptions. Miss Anna E. Hitchins and her assistants were in charge.

The most attractive feature of the Carnival was the "Art Gallery." The committee, Miss Minnie Hitchins leading, spared no pains to make this department one of the best exhibits ever seen in Frostburg. An interesting feature, especially to the older people, were pictures of all the deceased members of the official board of the church and of the ministers who have been in charge for the last thirty years.

A special programme was rendered each evening, consisting of vocal music, recitations, drills, etc.

The doll drill by the little girls and the tincup drill by the boys, were excellently performed and reflected much credit upon the tuition of Miss Belle C. Wilderman and her assistants.

It is impossible to mention all who took part in the programme. Each part was finely rendered. But we must mention Master Adam, son of Owen Hitchins. This little man recited each evening and the large audiences showed their appreciation by giving him the only *encore*. He covered himself with glory.

Socially and financially the carnival was a great success.

SEMI-LOCAL NEWS.

Brevities.

Mr. Pink Whiskers, of Pocahontas, informs the JOURNAL that an artist has succeeded in photographing a fly on the wing. The insect is very much magnified and looks awful.

The Cumberland *Times* speaks of Garrett as "our sister county." Is it not our daughter county?

Relay bicycle race—Washington to Pittsburg, *via* Frostburg—had to be postponed on account of Homestead trouble.

The JOURNAL has received a copy of the Anacostia (D. C.) *Press*, published by J. R. Grove, co-founder with the editor hereof of Allegany's great paper. The *Press* is newsy and neatly printed.

Col. R. E. Fast, represented by the Wheeling (W. Va.) *News* as "ex-Mayor, ex-Clerk of the Circuit Court, and Pooh-Bah in general of Morgantown," was in the nail city last Saturday and underwent a pump by an interviewer. The result, boiled down, is—Fast is a slow man for W. L. Wilson, but a very rapid boomer of legitimate growth for Morgantown.

Religious.

The children were talking of the churches which they attended and the respective religious beliefs of their parents.

"My papa is a Presbyterian," said one.

"Mine's a Baptist," said another.

"Mine is a German Reform," chimed in a third.

"And I guess mine is tariff reform," came the assertion of No. 4.

An Echo of 1882.

Over 100,000 tons of Pocahontas coal are now shipped monthly from the Lambert Point piers, Norfolk, Va.

COUNTY NEWS.

Killed.

Edward Smith, of Mt. Savage, was killed at the Midlothian trestle, near Frostburg, Tuesday morning by being run over by a train of coal hoppers. Both feet were cut off and his body badly mangled. He was about 53 years of age, a miner and unmarried.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Popular Excursion to Atlantic City.

On Thursday, July 14th, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will inaugurate the series of popular excursions for the Summer to Atlantic City from Pittsburgh, Wheeling, Parkersburg, and all intermediate stations to Washington Junction, Md. This announcement will be welcomed by thousands of residents of Western Maryland, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Eastern Ohio, who may desire to avail themselves of the cheap rates and superior train service of the B. & O. R. R. for a trip to the seashore. For the excursion on July 14th the same low rates and unexcelled train service, which have made these jaunts to the sea so popular in past summers, will be in effect. Many improvements have been made at Atlantic City, which will add to its general popularity and strengthen its claim as the most attractive resort on the Atlantic Coast.

Tickets will be valid for return journey for twelve days from day of sale, and will be good on all regular trains. On return journey they will be good to stop off at Washington, thus affording an opportunity to see Congress in session, to visit the numerous public buildings, which are open to visitors free of charge, and to take a trip down the Potomac to Mt. Vernon, the tomb of the immortal Washington, as well as to visit other places of interest in and near Washington.

For rates and time of trains consult appended table:

	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	
Cumberland..	7:43	9:50	12:40	12:15	$7.50
Piedmont....	6.35	8:39	10:50	11:45	8.00

Correspondingly low rates from other stations.

For additional trains from Pittsburgh and Cumberland, see time table published elsewhere in this paper.

Pullman cars on all trains.

For more detailed information apply to nearest B. & O. ticket agent.

Tit for Tat.

"I say a good president ought to be re-elected."

"And I say one term is enough for any president."

"Humph! What office did you fail to get?"

"Humph! What office are you holding down?"—Chicago *Herald.*

Cheap Excursion to the West via the Wabash Route.

The Wabash Railroad is now offering round trip tourist tickets at very low rates to Excelsior Springs, Eureka Springs, Denver, Colorado Springs, Butte, Helena, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Sitka, Alaska, and many other points.

Special low rate to Kansas City, Denver and Colorado points in month of August. Palace Reclining Chair Cars (seats free), elegant sleepers and famous Wabash dining cars on all trains.

Through Pullman buffet sleeping cars to Denver, and Tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco without change.

For illustrated matter, maps, folders, rates, etc. apply to nearest Ticket Agent, or write to

FRED. H. TRISTRAM,
Central Passenger Agent,
Pittsburg, Pa.

Business Locals.

An Immense Offer.—I have arranged for a short time to make 1 dozen of our unexcelled Cabinet Photos and a fine 16x20 ¾-life-size crayon pictures for $5. We do this as another method of introducing our work into every home. This offer also holds good with anyone who has recently had work done. For further information call at Gallery. All work done "without pain."

C. O. TOWLES.

If you want to get at our prices you can do so by figuring about 10 *per cent.* off what other dealers ask you, and you'll be about the mark. We are always the lowest in price as well as best in quality. GEHAUF & MAYER.

Complicated Watch and Clock Repairing a specialty. Boettinger & Walter, 205 West Lexington street, Baltimore, Md.

WE have a speedy and positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Head-ache in **Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.** Nasal Injector free with each bottle. Use it you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Daniel Krapf.

We consider it a feather in each of our hats when customers tell us that in all their trading experience they never bought such bargains as they have gotten at our store.

GEHAUF & MAYER,
Furniture men.

Have your Watch repaired by Boettinger & Walter, 205 W. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md

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.

Boettinger & Walter, Experts in Repairing Chronometers and Repeating Watches, 205 West Lexington street, Baltimore, Md.

Dr. Hale's Household Ointment.—Is the finest remedy in the world. It absolutely cures Catarrh. It cures Neuralgia and Rheumatism. Cures Piles like magic. Cures Salt Rheum in the most soothing manner. Cures Inflamed and Granulated Eyelids. Cures Coughs and Colds. Can be taken internally. Cuts, bruises, chilblains, sores of long standing, corns and bunions are cured quickly; different from all else; superior to all else; it has no equal; 25 and 50c boxes; large size cheapest. Sold at G. E. Pearce & Co.'s drug store.

New designs in Clocks and Bronzes at Boettinger & Walter's, 205 West Lexington street, Baltimore, Md.

There may be better goods for sale than those we offer, but the part of the world where they are has not been discovered yet. Up to date the best can be found in this town at GEHAUF & MAYER'S Furniture store.

Diamonds and other precious stones set in the latest patterns of Jewelry by Boettinger & Walter, 205 W. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.—Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of evey symptom of these distressing complaints? If you think so, call at my store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it. Use accordingly, and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Daniel Krapf.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

THE

Hitchins Bros.

COMPANY.

WE wish to call your attention this week to the bargains we have to offer in our

Grocery Department.

100 barrels fine FAMILY FLOUR, quality guaranteed, per barrel.....$5 25
Our famous 25-CENT TEA, which is as good as you can buy elsewhere at 50 cents.
Fine VOSTIZZA CURRANTS, clean and bright, SIXTEEN POUNDS for.....$1
California loose MUSCATEL RAISINS, 12 pounds for..... 1
Five one-gallon cans APPLES for..... 1

☞ Do not fail to buy a

"Kinghan" Ham

FOR THE

FOURTH OF JULY.

We have them in all sizes—from 10 to 18 lbs. Quality and flavor unsurpassed.

We can supply you with anything in the GROCERY line at prices that will suit you.

By the way, reference is repeated to

Priestley's Silk Warp and All Wool Nun's Veiling for Veils.

These are the only makes worth buying, and we always have them.

☞ We cordially invite the public to visit our store.

THE HITCHINS BROS. CO.

June 25

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Do You Eat Bread?

IF YOU DO YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

Gold Medal Flour,

Made by Washburn, Crosby & Co., Minneapolis, Minn., the pioneers in the manufacture of Fancy Flour from hard Spring Wheat.

Made in the largest flouring mills in the world. Daily capacity, ten (10,000) thousand barrels.

Made of Hard Northern Spring Wheat, which makes the Strongest and Best Flour in the world.

☞ *Sold by all grocers.*

Oct 31

Established 1870.

CUMBERLAND Steam Dye Works

—AND—

Dry-Cleaning Establishment,

24 NORTH LIBERTY ST.

Thomas Footer & Son,

PROPRIETORS.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING **cleaned** and **dyed Fast Colors** by recently improved methods.

Ladies' elaborately-made DRESSES can be done without ripping.

French Dry Cleaning

—OF—

Ladies' Dresses, Men's Clothing, Fine Costumes, Fine Rugs, Furs, etc.

LACE CURTAINS cleaned and beautifully finished.
BLANKETS cleaned or dyed.
GLOVES cleaned or dyed.
KID BOOTS, SLIPPERS, etc., cleaned.
OSTRICH FEATHERS cleaned, bleached and dyed all colors and shades.

☞ For price list, etc., call on

R. M. THOMAS,

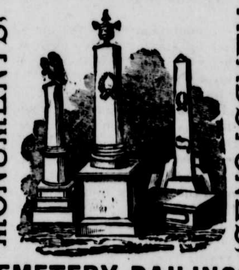
Main street, opposite the Baptist church.

Agent for Frostburg.

Feb 6—6m

PURCHASE

MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES,



CEMETERY RAILINGS,

MANTELS, POSTS, VASES,

GALVANIZED . . . . . RAILINGS,

TERRA-COTTA AND CHIMNEY PIPE,

LAWN RAILINGS

&c., &c., &c., FROM

J. B. WILLIAMS,

WHOSE work is the finest; materials the best, and PRICES THE CHEAPEST.

Feb 13

We've Got the Grip

—ON THE—

Tea Trade of George's Creek,

AND we intend to keep a firm hold on it by always striving to please our patrons in everything they buy from us, and give them money's worth every time.

We have built up a large trade here in less than one year, thanks to our numerous and intelligent customers, who know how to appreciate a genuine article when it is put before them.

To retain and increase that trade we intend to put forth every effort this year.

We have just received, therefore, a large quantity of NEW SEASON TEAS in

Formosa Oolong from.....50 cents up
Congos " .....40 " "
India, Ceylon and Japan TEAS in all grades.

We blend any TEAS to suit customers. Try us once and you will come again.

Do you want anything in the QUEENSWARE line? Come to our store and you can be suited.

We have on hand also a full line of Natural Leaf CHEWING and SMOKING TOBACCO and fine CIGARS.

☞ A call solicited.

AMERICAN TEA COMPANY,

Broadway, [Jan 30] Frostburg, Md

RESTAURANT.

Everything Seasonable and Fresh

Cuisine Unexcelled.

ELEGANT DINING ROOM for LADIES and GENTLEMEN on street floor. A pleasant home and place of refreshment for visitors stopping between trains.

C. Reichenbach,

RESTAURATEUR,

Nov 21 Frostburg, Md.

NEWS and BOOKS

WE sell BOOKS, NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, fine STATIONERY, POCKET BOOKS, outdoor GAMES of all kinds.

JNO. A. FULTON & CO.,
Bookstore opposite postoffice,
March 5 Cumberland, Md.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

SAMUEL J. EDWARDS & SON'S

—SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO—

SPRING AND SUMMER PURCHASERS

—OF—

Ladies, Misses, Childrens, Youths Boys and Men's Goods.

Our Straw Hat Department is well filled with the nobbiest, neatest and most stylish Hats ever seen in Cumberland at prices from 15 to 20 *per cent.* less than the same goods can be bought at any other house in the city. We are the only firm buying our goods direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving the purchaser the jobber's or middleman's profit. We herewith quote a few of our extremely low prices. Read carefully as it is to your interest to do so:

Men's White Straw Hats, new styles, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Men's White Straw Hats, in Yacht and all leading shapes, 50, 75, $1, $1.50, $2 and $2.50. The $1 Hats are the lightest weight Straw Hats made. These Hats are all new styles and very pretty. The $2 and $2.50 Hats are the celebrated Dunlap Mackinaw, second to none. Men's Black Yacht, very fashionable, 50 and 75 cents. Men's Brown Straw, new color, 50 cents. Boys' White Japan Mackinaw, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Boys' White and Mixed Yachts, 50 cents. Boys' Black Straw, 35, 40 and 50 cents. The 40 and 50 cent Hats are the popular Yacht. Boys' Brown Hats 75 cents; these are beauties and must be seen to be appreciated. Children's Sailors from 15 cents to $1.

Our Felt Hat Department is replete with Mens, Boys Youths and Children's Stiff and Soft Hats, including Dunlap's and Stetson's; also Men's Ounce Soft Hats in popular shapes and new shades.

Ladies, Misses and Children's Departments are well filled with Spring and Summer Shoes and Oxford Ties, including the well-known makes—Burt's, Reed's, Cousin's, Hughes', Pel's and Ziegler's; also cheap Shoes and Ties. Can give you as good Ladies' Shoes in either patent tips or plain toes for $1, as you can get anywhere in the city for $1.25. For $1.25 we can give you as good Shoes as others sell for $1.50. For $2.25 we can give you the popular square patent, cap toe, Button Boots in all widths from B to D; also Opera patent, cap toes at the same price. Ladies' Dongola Opera or Common Sense, patent tip or plain toe Oxfords from 75 cents to $3.

Men's Dress Shoes in Lace and Congress, cap or plain, narrow, medium or wide toes from $1 to $5.50.

Are You Going to Take an Outing This Summer?

If so, you will want a Trunk, Satchel, Telescope or Dress Suit Case. Our line cannot be excelled in the State. Beautiful Zinc Trunks from $2 up. Our Trunks have all extra bolts and hinges. No trouble to show goods. Any article purchased at our store will be cheerfully exchanged or money refunded.

Edwards & Son,

98 Baltimore St., Cumberland, Md.

May 28

—THE—

First National Bank of Frostburg, Md.

THIS BANK, located in the Thomas building, near the Post Office, is doing a

General Banking Business.

CAPITAL.....$50,000
SURPLUS..... 9,000

BERNARD STERN, President.
JOHN L. PORTER, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

A. J. WILLISON. | BERNARD STERN.
JOHN L. PORTER. | T. HUMBERSTON.
J. B. ODER.

☞ Collections made and exchanges sold on all Eastern points. *Deposits solicited,* Frostburg Bonds, Cumberland Bonds, and other good County securities for sale. [Jan 16

FOR SALE.

HOUSE AND LOT on Bowery street.
" " " " Centre "
" " " " Beall "
" " " " Orman "
" " " " Welsh Hill.
" " " in Grahamton.

☞ Titles perfect. For prices, terms, etc., inquire of JAMES KANE,
March 5 Agent.

Lots for Sale.

TWO of the finest **BUILDING LOTS** in Frostburg; opposite the residence of Mr. James Dando; 50 by 150 feet; the best sites for homes in that section of town; cheap at $200 each, but can be bought for much less money, with reasonable time given on a portion of the purchase money; title guaranteed. Call at the JOURNAL OFFICE,
Oct 31 Frostburg, Md.

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT

—OF—

GEHAUF & MAYER,

Where all will always find the **Largest Stock, Lowest Prices,** and **Latest Styles** of

Parlor, Bedroom, Library and Kitchen Furniture.

IN THE UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT our facilities are unsurpassed. We are prepared to conduct BURIALS in a most satisfactory manner. All MODERN UNDERTAKING appliances. Competent management guaranteed. Metalic, Cedar, Walnut and Oak CASKETS and COFFINS, and a full line of BURIAL GOODS always on hand, and in quality second to none. Throughout this and all departments of our business we aim to be prompt, considerate, thorough and reliable.

Prices Reasonable.

☞ OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. Telegraphic orders promptly attended to.

Ravenscraft's Opera House Building,

MAIN STREET, . . . FROSTBURG, MD.

Feb 20

For Sale.

I HAVE FOR SALE SEVERAL

SMALL FARMS

NEAR CUMBERLAND,

And a Number of Properties IN THE CITY.

Desirable Building Lots

Near B. and O. R. Company's New Yards and Shops.

Also a Mill Property at Barton.

☞ Apply to

D. P. MILLER,

INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE,
CUMBERLAND, MD.

Jan 9