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LOCAL NEWS.

New Stores.

John Odgers is about opening a stationery store in the room lately vacated by Milton Lindauer.

H. E. Miller has displayed a new stock of notions, etc., in the Holle building on Broadway. The Misses Ort are assisting him.

Died.

Sadie, the eight-year old daughter of Charles F. Sullivan, died Saturday morning of last week of diphtheria. Sunday morning Beatrice, aged 6 years, died of the same disease. Both were buried Sunday afternoon.

An infant child of John M Thomas, of Grahamton, Thursday, August 3, 1893.

Coming Events.

The *musicale* in Moat's Opera House next Thursday evening, August 10, promises to be one of the most interesting events of the summer. The very best local talent is nightly engaged rehearsing the very best music for the occasion.

The Epworth League will hold a lawn *fete* on Mrs. Richard Beall's grounds Tuesday, August 20. A better place for an occasion of the kind could not be selected.

The young people are on the *qui vive* concerning a hop booked for Friday evening, August 11, at Moat's Opera House. Many out-of town people are expected.

Won Here.

Some time ago a number of tickets were sent to Frostburg City Lodge, No. 88, Knights of Pythias, from Fellowship Lodge, No. 42, same Order, of North East, Md., representing chances in a prize banner offered for the benefit of the latter lodge. Tuesday John T. Lewis, K. of R. and S. of the home Lodge, received the following advice from Charles E. Beatty, chairman of Prize Committee at North East:

It gives me pleasure to inform you that ticket 391, with the name of J. E. Price written across the back, was drawn by Grand Chancellor Peeples, and is entitled to the Prize Banner.

Kindly inform the holder of 391 and put him in communication with me that I may speedily know what is desired upon the Banner in the way of wording, or lettering, in order that it may be forwarded at earliest moment.

Mr. Price has presented the Banner to No. 88, and an order to inscribe it appropriately will be forwarded.

Journalistic.

In the judgment of the Board of Directors of the Frostburg *Ledger* company, it has been deemed wise to discontinue *for the present* the publication of the daily *Ledger*.

The fear that the democratic party will disturb the tariff has doubtless had some effect here at last.

In order to meet the public demand for a paper published oftener than once a week, it has been decided to begin the publication of a semi-weekly issue instead of the daily and weekly. The wisdom of the change is already justified in the single issue which has come to hand—so much so that it is believed a return to the weekly would show results still superior, and indicates that a monthly would be a daisy. There is nothing like turning the dingus the wrong way.

The *Ledger* will continue to be the best Frostburg paper, and to advertisers it offers the advantages of the largest circulation in Frostburg of any paper published.

It is hard to tell whether the *Ledger* excels in bad grammar or in disregard for facts. Both offences would be unpardonable if they were not infirmities.

However, the JOURNAL welcomes the *Ledger's* progress rearward, for step by step manifest destiny points to a day when the place that now knows it shall know it no more forever.

W. W.

The display of pressure and quantity of water made last Saturday was a surprise, even to the oldest and best friends of the town's enterprise. With one-third the possible pressure an inch nozzle stream was easily thrown from the street over Ravenscraft's Opera House, about 100 feet high.

Work still goes on at the pumping-station.

George Wehner is in charge of the pump, which sends across the mountain 9,000 gallons of pure, soft, cool water every hour.

Rev. V. F. Schmitt was up there Tuesday. After looking at the pool he said "if that body of water were in Europe it would be covered with a glass roof."

So this should be—that visitors may see the pure, clear character of the water with which the town is now supplied.

It should be soon covered with some sort of roof to protect it from the unsightly coal dust that is falling from the smoke-stack.

With hogpens abolished and slaughter-houses kept straight, there ought never to be another case of typhoid fever in this town.

The water authorities should begin canvassing at once for more customers in town. Now is the time, while the people are feeling the need of water. To neglect this duty *now* is to resume the policy of "working at the wrong end of the line." *Get new customers and go to making new connections at once. Finish at the pumping-station later.*

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bear, Miss Jennie Hamburger and Isaac Bear have returned from the World's Fair.

Miss Dollie Snyder left Tuesday for St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Florence Dryden and three children, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. D.'s parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Price.

Miss Rumpf, who has been visiting Miss Emma Wehner, returned to her home in Piedmont, W. Va., Wednesday.

Miss Adele V. Smith, of the Indian Bureau, Interior Department, Washington, D. C., spent part of this week with the JOURNAL'S family.

Rev. D. C. DeWulf, of the Catholic University, Washington, D. C., a former pastor of St. Michael's, is a guest of W. E. G. Hitchins. He is a great favorite of all classes and all are glad to see him looking so well. He left this morning, saying it was impossible for him to call on all his friends.

Henry Rehs, of Westernport, was in town Sunday. Henry reports that "they are talking about running me for the Senate," but many folks think Henry is firing high at long range in order to bring down a County Commissionership with a spent ball.

William G. Hiller left Tuesday to visit the World's Fair.

J. S. Myers, of Oakland, clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Garrett county, was in town last Saturday and Sunday. He was formerly a teacher in this vicinity.

Thomas Hill, railway postal clerk, prepared Monday an examination of 1,100 postoffices—one-third of the State of Ohio, making 199 separations, 98.45 *per cent.* of which were correct.

Harry Bear left Tuesday for the World's Fair. He took plenty paper and ink for writing while there an entirely new and original account of the show.

Mrs. Helen Wildman and two little daughters, of Pittsburg, Pa., are the guests of Mrs. W.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Dennison.

Miss Ida Mason, of Midlothian, is spending the week with her brother, R. P. Mason.

Miss Annie Mathews, of Meyersdale, Pa., is among friends in town.

The many friends of Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Baltimore, formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, were pleased to see his genial face here on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Cooper returned home Wednesday after a week's visit in Cumberland.

Mrs. Gus. Wm. Zeller and two sons left on the noon train Thursday for Chicago to visit friends and see the World's Fair.

Miss Rose Haberlein left Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Shuckhart, Toledo, Ohio.

William Dillon has removed his family from Cumberland to Frostburg.

C. M. King, of Ellerslie, was here Thursday. So to speak, the grass is not growing luxuriantly under Mr. King's feet. He is a candidate for the Sheriffalty under republican auspices, and says everything except the annex to the Frostburg water works and his boom needs rain.

"Miss Margaret Price," says the Cumberland *Times*, "is the guest of Miss Lucy Annan, on the West Side."

Mrs. A. F. Parker and little son, Payne, and Miss Emma Parker have returned from a trip through the West.

Miss Theresa Donohue, saleslady in the Hitchins Bros. Co.'s store, is spending her vacation near Meyersdale, Pa.

Marx Wineland was booked to ascend Pike's Peak yesterday. That he looked tenderly toward Frostburg goes without saying.

Miss Aggie Shannon, of Meyersdale, Pa., is among Frostburg friends.

The Oakland *Democrat* says "Miss Osee M. Parker, of Frostburg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. O. Cleveland."

Alfred F. Davis, of Garrett county, was in town yesterday. Complained of having absorbed too much beer on a prior visit, consequently was unable to call on as many of his old friends as he wished. He thinks that disasters of that class could be prevented by a little reciprocity—that, inasmuch as Garrett furnishes water to Frostburg, the latter should pipe some beer into Garrett, so that the drinking up there can be done with more regularity and graduality.

Strange Coincidences.

A Methodist preacher struck Kidder's circus at Bedford, Pa., last Saturday; Tuesday he caught up with it at Cumberland, and Wednesday, much to his disgust, it followed him to Frostburg. It was probably the most embarrassing series of consistent misfits that has occurred since Mejams ran in on an Anne Rannel quarterly meeting three Sundays hand-running.

Runaway.

Last Sunday afternoon as Christian Fisher and William Eisel were driving a two-horse team down Main street the harness broke, frightening the horses. Fisher jumped out but Eisel held on to the reins. The horses broke loose from the carriage near C. F. Nickel's furniture store. Mr. E. was thrown out but escaped injury.

A Twofold Acknowledgment.

To-day, August 5, is the JOURNAL'S birthday—as an individual.

The solemn fact is mentioned only to explain that a friend who remembered the day better than the JOURNAL unexpectedly stocked the latter's dinner-table with several delicacies that reflect a perfect taste as well as a kind heart.

Elevations.

As a matter of interest to visitors the JOURNAL gives below several Frostburg altitudes above tide:

Top of 11th mile-post in front of St Cloud Hotel	2,034.8 feet
Intersection of Main and Broadway	2,082.3 "
West-end Main street summit	2,192.3 "

The top of the mile-post is 1,419.4 feet above the Canal Basin in Cumberland.

How to Treat a Watermelon.

When you thump it with your fingers and it gives a heavy sound,
Like summer rain a-falling on the dry and dusty ground;
Jes' get your Barlow ready an' prepare to make a swipe,
And carve it straight and steady, till it opens red an' ripe.
Then fold your Barlow careful, an' take your melon flat;
Put one half on this side o' you, the other half on that!
Then take the biggest in your lap an' tear the heart out so!
An' smack your lips, an' praise the Lord from Whom all blessings flow.

An Important Event.

The corner-stone of the new Public School Building, this place will be laid at 2 o'clock, p. m., next Tuesday, August 8, 1893, with appropriate exercises.

The parade will form in Beall's Park, and move thence, *via* Bowery, Main and Broadway streets, to site of School House, under the direction of the Marshal, George W. Tennant.

Arrived at the site, there will be music by the Band, Prayer by Rev. W W VanAtsdale. Remarks by F. C. Beall, Laying Corner Stone by School

Commissioners, and Placing of Box in Corner Stone by G. H. Wittig.

Returned to Beall's Park, there will be music by the Band, Remarks by A. A. Doub, and an Address upon "Public School Education" by Hon Edward Stake.

The following named gentlemen and ladies will also be present and take appropriate parts:

Messrs. Will. H. Shepherd, J. S. Jamesson and F. C. Beall, County School Commissioners.

Messrs. J. S. Metzger, G. H. Wittig and W. G. Boughton, Trustees.

A. A. Doub, Principal, and Misses. Belle C. Wilderman. Kate A. Porter, Estelle Jeffries, Agnes Davis, Annie McAlister, Birdie Shearer, Mary J. Dando and Cora Hosken.

A most instructive occasion is anticipated.

Brevities.

If any JOURNAL reader has an idea this will be a long, warm summer, let him give somebody a note in a large sum for four months, and he will find that the summer will pass away so quick that he wont seem to have a chance to get warm.

The two special trains to camp meeting last Sunday of five and three coaches each were well filled. Now give us one mail train from Piedmont every Sunday, leaving there at 11:53 a. m., and running on time of weekday No.'s 3 and 4. Let this region touch elbows with the world outside on Sunday as well as other days. As it is, we have to go into hiding for over 30 hours every Saturday night.

It is believed now from certain earmarks that Henry Rehs, of Westernport, is the man who sends the Devil's Alley *Passbook* its Sang Run dispatches. "Uf Henry don't look a leedie out he will be ketched."

It is proposed to re grade Broadway—that is, to take take off from 6 to 18 inches of the roadway in order to lower it. While at it, why not curb and pave it with firebrick from Main to Loo streets? That is what progressive towns are doing elsewhere. Next year give Bowery or some other thoroughfare the same treatment. In the course of a few years, then, the street expenses of the town will occasion the smallest of all demands on the treasury.

The JOURNAL has lost lately two standing advertisements. This is not due to the fear that the incoming Congress will tear down the Chinese Wall, but is an indication that the boomed World's Fair expenses are reactionary.

Otto Hohing, collector, advises taxpayers this week that they can save 5 *per cent.* by paying their taxes during this month. Moreover, it is understood that the financial officers will appreciate early payments to all collectors on account of the extraordinary demands incidentally occasioned by building new schoolhouses and a new courthouse.

James D. Williams is a boss shoemaker. Whether for style or comfort he can make a fit that will please any wearer.

Ground was broken Wednesday on the switchgrade for the Frostburg mining company's opening at Allegany.

J. W. Craigs, of Houtzdale, Pa., occupies the new Dufty barber shop. He is said to be a firstclass artist in the tonsorial line.

J. H. Hawke has given the lower-story front of the Hitchins Bros'. building another bright coat of white paint.

The N. S. Frost homestead sale, advertised in this paper, was offered this morning, but sale postponed until this afternoon.

Subscribe for the JOURNAL.

Improvements.

Edward Dufty has built a one-story house on Main street, next door to Fine's store, and a new barber has been installed therein.

Fred. Wehner's new house on Broadway; William McLuckie's on the avenue, and G. W. Zeller's, on Main street, are nearing completion.

New Business Locals.

Read What Mr. Fred Wallace Has to Say.—

MAYERS DRUG CO., OAKLAND, MD.

Gentlemen:—I wish to express my appreciation of the merits of your Catarrh Cure. I have suffered with catarrh for five years, and can truly say it has given me more relief than any other medicine I have tried, and it will undoubtedly effect a permanent cure. All it needs is a fair and impartial trial to establish its universality. Very truly,
FRED WALLACE,
Mill Point, W. Va.

It has cured Mr. Wallace of one of the worst cases of catarrh on record, with a heavy discharge of the throat. One bottle is guaranteed to cure. It will cure you, otherwise no charge. For sale by all druggists. Price $1.

A sale and sure cure for Catarrh and Hay Fever is Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. A three months' treatment for $1, and absolutely guaranteed. It is used by vapor inhalation, and is the only medicine that reaches the affected parts and sure to cure. Por sale by druggists and A. F. Parker and G. E. Pearce & Co.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

A HOUSE on Maple street; 8 Rooms, with an out Kitchen, and other Buildings. Can be used either single or double. Apply to [Aug 5—3m] JOSEPH TIMMONS.

Notice to Taxpayers.

I AM NOW READY to receive the State and County Taxes for 1893 for the Third Collection District of Allegany county.

A discount of 5 *per cent.* will be allowed on all Taxes paid BEFORE Friday, September 1, 1893.

☞Office open at my residence on Broadway, Frostburg, every day in the week, and at the C. & P. station, Mt. Savage, Friday of every week. OTTO HOHING,
Aug 5—4t Collector.

Coal Bids Wanted.

THE undersigned invite proposals for furnishing **Run-of-Mine Coal** per ton—

1. F. O. B. car at the depot of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania railroad, Frostburg, and—

2. For hauling same from said depot to the pumping-station of the Frostburg Water Works—

Supply and delivery to be subject to orders of the undersigned.

Bids will be received until 6 o'clock p. m.,

Monday, August 14, 1893.

The privilege of rejecting any or all bids is reserved.
C. H. WADE,
ROBERT SCOTT,
ALEX. SMITH,
Aug 5—2t Water Committee.

Insolvent Notice.

Henry A Spiker vs. His Creditors. } No. 1511 Insolvents.

ORDERED, This 3d day of August, 1893, that the 2d Monday of October, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., is hereby fixed as the time at which HENRY A. SPIKER, insolvent petitioner, shall appear in the Circuit Court for Allegany county to answer such interrogatories or allegations as his creditors, endorsers or sureties may propose or allege against him, and that J. SEMMES DEVECMON, permanent trustee for the benefit of the creditors of said petitioner, shall, prior to the said 2d Monday of October, 1893, give at least forty days notice of the day so fixed and of the purport of this order by weekly publication in some newspaper in said Allegany county, Maryland. THEO. LUMAN,
Clerk.
Truecopy. Test: THEO. LUMAN, Clerk.
Aug 5—6t

THE THIRD ANNUAL

Reunion and Picnic

—OF THE—

Knights of Pythias

WILL be held at **Lovers' Retreat Grove**, near MIDLAND, MD., with Anchor Lodge, No. 111, K. of P., on

Saturday, August 19, 1893.

Six Lodges will take part in the pleasures of the day, and Hon's Adam Peeples, Grand Chancellor, and James Whitehouse, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, B. A. Richmond, G. A. Pearre, G. L. Wellington and other eminent orators are expected to favor us with appropriate addresses.

☞ **Good Music** has been secured and

DANCING

will be one of the leading pleasures of the day.

Refreshments of all kinds will be available on the grounds. DINNER and SUPPER will be served also.

A cordial invitation is, therefore, extended to ALL to come and help us make this the greatest social occasion of the season.

For special transportation rates, railroad time schedules, and other particulars, see large yellow posters. COMMITTEE.
Aug 5

—THE—

NEW Cash Bargain Store

HOLLE BUILDING, BROADWAY.

WE take pleasure in directing your attention to many bargains in our diversified stock of goods. We have no full line, but have bargains in all lines. Here are a few of our prices:

Ten-cent Garter Gum for 4 cents; spring roller Blinds, 19 cents; a paper of Needles, 1 cent; 280 good Pins, 1 cent; 3 cakes good Soap, 4 cents; Coffee Mills, 22 cents; a fourteen-quart Dishpan, 23 cents; men's forty-cent Suspenders, 19 cents; boys' twenty-five cent Suspenders, 13 cents; buggy Whips, 9 cents; a box Paper and Envelopes, 7 cents; Writing Paper, 1 6 of a cent per sheet; 24 good Envelopes, 4 cents; 12 yards Lace, 10 cents; men's ninety-five cent Overalls, 67 cents; men's Socks, 8 cents; women's good heavy Hose, 8 cents; Tincups, 4 cents, thirty feet Clothesline, 13 cents.

These are only a few of our many bargains, printed here to indicate that all our prices, like these, are

'Way Down.

☞ Don't miss the 4-cent counter; it is filled with 5-cent goods.

H. E. MILLER.

Aug 5

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

LOST

BETWEEN Frostburg and Borden Shaft a small LATIN BOOK, with owner's name inside. A reward will be given if returned to the St. Cloud Hotel. [July 29

Notice to Taxpayers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That the Tax Books for 1893, for Allegany county, Maryland, ARE NOW OPEN.

The offices of the undersigned Collector of the Fourth Collection District are as follows:

H. SCOTT & CO.'S Shoe Store, opposite the Brady House, Lonaconing, EVERY DAY.

H. B. SHAFFER'S Store, Frostburg, MONDAY and TUESDAY, AUGUST 21 and 22.

VALE SUMMIT, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23.

McMULLEN BROS.' Store, Eckhart, THURSDAY and FRIDAY, AUGUST 24 and 25.

☞A discount of 5 *per cent.* will be allowed on all Taxes paid before September 1.
July 29 H. SCOTT, Collector.

Administrators' Notice.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany county, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

James Reed,

Late of Allegany county, Maryland, dec'd. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated to the subscribers ON or BEFORE the

31ST DAY OF JANUARY, 1894.

They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 25th day of July, 1893. WILLIAM H. EVANS,
JOHN PRICE,
July 22—3t Administrators.

PRICES REDUCED!

Closing Out SUMMER GOODS at reduced prices!
Now is a Good Time to Secure Bargains!
Ladies' Waists AT COST; Children's Lawn Caps CHEAP!
Embroideries, Laces, Lace Curtains, etc.
Come and See Our Line of Goods.
E. GROSS & BRO.
July 29

Wanted. A Young Man.

TO occupy a good position. Only those who buy their

Hats and Gents' Furnishing Goods

—AT—

WINELAND'S

NEED APPLY.

☞ Everything in line of Gents' Furnishing Goods cut down, especially Shirts and Underwear. [July 29

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PRINTING . . . .
. . BOOK-BINDING . .
Blankbook Manufacturing

FRANK B. JENVEY,

Successor to Arthur Shriver & Co.,

The Leading Establishment of Western Maryland,

HAVING added greatly to its facilities, is better than ever prepared to promptly execute all orders for work in their lines.

The Finest PRINTING,
The Most Elegant Book Binding,
The Most Substantial BLANK BOOKS
NO CHEAP WORK.
28 South Centre Street,
Cumberland, Md.
Sept 10

Bœttinger & Walter,

MANUFACTURING

JEWELERS

—AND—

Watchmakers,

205 WEST LEXINGTON ST.,

Baltimore, Md.

DIAMONDS, Rubies, Emeralds, Sapphires and all Precious Stones set in Rings, Pins, Earrings, Bracelets, etc.

WATCHES in Gold and Silver—all styles and sizes.

SILVER and Silver-Plated Ware of the latest patterns.

CLOCKS in Onyx, Marble and Iron.

BRONZES and Novelties.

☞ Special attention given to Diamond Work and all Repairs.

Clock on sidewalk. [Oct 1

—THE—

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK OF FROSTBURG.

Treasury Department,
OFFICE OF
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
WASHINGTON, June 12, 1893.

WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK OF FROSTBURG, in the town of Frostburg, in the county of Allegany, and State of Maryland, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking—

Now, therefore, I, James H. Eckels, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK OF FROSTBURG, in the town of Frostburg, in the county of Allegany, and State of Maryland, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 12th day of June, 1893.
SEAL
JAMES H. ECKELS,
Comptroller of the Currency.
[No. 4926.] [June 17—tAug19]

AROPHENE.

FOR THE

Painless Extraction of Teeth.

AROPHENE will positively destroy all sense of pain and cause no after-trouble. It is applied to the gums. So that there is no more need of inhaling poisonous drugs, such as Chloroform, Ether, Gas, etc., thereby risking one's life, or, at best, impairing one's health. It can be used upon anyone, even those suffering with heart disease, lung trouble or nervous debility, whether young or old. Preservation of the Natural Teeth, and Crown and Bridge Work a specialty.

J. C. PFEIFFER, D. D. S.
March 25

Notice to Taxpayers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Taxes for corporate purposes for the Town of Frostburg for the fiscal year ending June 15, 1894, are now due and payable.

By action of the Council a discount of 5 *per cent.* will be allowed on all taxes paid on or before August 1st; 3 *per cent.* on all paid on or before September 1st, after which latter date no discount will be allowed.

By an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, chapter 136 of the Acts of 188, taxes are a lien on the property of the party taxed, and on all taxes remaining unpaid for *three months* after the same shall have been levied the Bailiff shall charge and collect interest from the date of the levy at the rate of 6 *per cent. per annum.*

SAMUEL BOWEN,
July 1 Bailiff.

The SECOND NATIONAL BANK

CUMBERLAND, MD.

Designated United States Depository

$100,000 Capital. $150,000 Surplus and other Undivided Profits.

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WM. R. PERCY, DAVID SLOAN.

Investment Securities for Sale.

Price and other information given on application. D. ANNAN,
May 28—tf Cashier.

—THE—

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF FROSTBURG.

Located in east wing of Moat's Opera House.

DAVISSON ARMSTRONG, President.
FRANK WATTS, Cashier.

A. J. WILLISON. H. B. SHAFFER.
THOS. HUMBERSTON. J. S. JAMESSON.
HOWARD HITCHINS. D. J. BETZ.
HENRY WILLIAMS. H. B. COLBORN.
DAVISSON ARMSTRONG.

CAPITAL, $50,000.

ACCOUNTS of Individuals, Firms and Corporations respectfully solicited.

Prompt Attention Given to Collections
July 1

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

CHEAP ICE

OWING to last winter's abundant supply of ICE, of a better quality than ever before harvested in this locality—

We can offer it at the following low prices:

By the carload, **delivered in Frostburg**, per ton.....$2.50

By express, **packed and delivered in Frostburg**, in quantities of 200 pounds and upwards, per 100 pounds.....50 cents

WEIGHT IN CUMBERLAND.

The J. S. Johnson Ice Company,

Box 541, CUMBERLAND, MD.

A. L. JOHNSON, Treasurer.
April 1

YOUR CHANCE,

AND be "on time" to get one of those handsome LADIES or GENTS'

Gold or Silver Watches

we are now offering as special inducements on

Club Orders

—FOR—

Tea, Spices, Baking Powder,

and a large assortment of other GROCERIES recently added to our customary line of goods and which may be included in orders for Teas, etc., thus giving you a great advantage in getting up orders for us which other houses do not or cannot afford to offer.

☞ Valuable Watches given on Club Orders of sums from $10 to $30.

Anyone not wanting a watch as a premium may select something else from an immense stock of Household Furnishing Goods, which has just been enlarged by a big consignment of new goods not carried by us before.

Call at the store and get circulars and price-lists at once.

American Tea Company,

Main street, opposite Spill's,
April 22 FROSTBURG, MD.

Wall Papers.

LATEST, TASTIEST and GREATEST variety of figures. Cannot be excelled.

PAINTS

of the prettiest colors and solidest bodies.

NEW

Soda Fountain

Will open TO-DAY for the season Newest, best and most Syrups in town. Come and get

A REFRESHING QUAFF.

World's Fair TONIC.

The Latest and Best Drink out.

A. F. PARKER,

DRUGGIST.
April 1

TOWLES' ART GALLERY.

Monthly Prize Drawing,

BEGINNING TO-DAY.

EVERY SITTER at Towles' Art Gallery will receive a check entitling the holder to a chance at getting a

3 / 4 } **LIFE-SIZE Crayon Portrait, With Frame,**

PICTURE to be made of the WINNER.

☞ Each month hereafter we will give the same prize to the Lucky Sitter.

Call early and thus secure a handsome Crayon Portrait and Frame

FREE.
July 1

This Month

we make the following offer:

1 roll of Cotton-and-Wool 3-ply

CARPET

@ 45 cents ℔ yard.

THIS quality usually sells at 65 cents. It is as heavy as rag carpet, will wear longer, is much handsomer, and

JUST AS CHEAP.

1 piece Red-and-Black Carpet, at **25** cents, worth 35.

Nice for bed-rooms, or dining-rooms.

IRON FRONT

We have a splendid assortment of

Light & White Goods

for hot days.

D. F. McMullen & CO.

June 10