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LOCAL NEWS.

Cannot Compete.

In England the government is accused of being in collusion with the express companies.

In the United States—at least hereabouts, the Post Office people admit that they cannot get the Baltimore dailies here on the same trains the express companies do.

Epworth League.

The Epworth League held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening in the lecture room of the M. E. Church, and the following programme was given:

Recitation..."All the Children"..Stella Glotfelty
" ..."Little Boys and Girls"..Hazel Tiddy.
Recitation....."Annabel McCarty"....Mamie Grove.
Song. ."The Monarch of the Woods"...Miss Hettie Jeffries and Messrs. W. H. Davis and William Short.
Song ."Dennis Darling"—(answer to "Mollie Darling".....William Short

Religious.

Rev. T. C. Easson's subject to-morrow (Sunday) will be in the morning—"The Christian's Future." In the evening the Sunday school children will give a sacred concert for the benefit of home and foreign missions.

The annual meeting of the Maryland Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church in Baltimore, closed its business and adjourned Friday of last week. During the meeting it was decided to hold the next session of the synod in Frostburg, Md., on the first Tuesday in October, 1894.

A Salesman Outdone.

Old Lady (to T. W. Gurley, in D. J. Betz's jewelry store)—I say, young mon, hev ye anny watches?

Mr. Gurley—Yes, ma'am. (Hands her several.)

O. L.—(holding each watch to her ear)—I say, mister—these watches teck.

Mr. G.—Madam, all watches tick that way.

O. L.—Now, young mon, I'm sexty-siven years old, an' doorin' all that time I've bin hearin' of the "silent watches of the night," and one of thim's the kind I want, bad cess to yez!

Married.

At the rectory of St. John's church, Tuesday evening, October 10, 1893, by Rev. A. C. Haverstick, Mr. Harry S. Fuller and Miss Fannie F. Conner, both of this place.

At the residence of the bride Wednesday evening, October 11, 1893, by Rev. J. C. Nicholson, Mr. Harry E. Metzger, of this place, and Miss Jessie T. Keller, of Cumberland. Harry S. Keller, of this place, was best man. Others present from Frostburg were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Metzger, Mrs. J. J. Keller, Miss Annie V. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Keller and Miss Katie Keller. Mr. and Mrs. Metzger left at once on a tour of the east, after which they will reside here. The groom is the eldest son of J. S. Metzger and a young man of exemplary character and excellent prospects.

Personal.

E. N. Michael, having tired of the World's Fair, is rusticating at Marshalltown, Iowa, his former home.

Conrad Zinkan and Alexander Davis are taking in the World's Fair.

F. E. Wolfe, sick several weeks, is getting about again.

Messrs. John Stevens, Albin Hawkins, Frank Tippin and Patrick Rooney are among those "doing" the World's Fair this week.

Mrs. John N. Benson returned home Wednesday after a month's visit to Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

Miss Katie Kemp, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Howard Hitchins.

The fresh meat galleries of J. Harry Bepler and B. Harry Robinson look like "banquet halls deserted" since the proprietors left for the World's Fair.

Mrs. James Robinson and infant son, of Altoona, Pa., are guests of the former's brother, Thomas Hill, on Mechanic street.

Mrs. Mary Croft is in Pittsburg, Pa.

Brevities.

R. P. Mason recently plucked a tomato from a vine grown in his garden which weighed 1 pound, 5 ounces, and measured 15¼ inches in circumference.

See what Sandy Smith says about gas coke as a parlor fuel. He is correct.

An alarm of fire one morning last week on Bowery called out everybody except the new fire department. No damage was done. *Later*—The foregoing report is partially erroneous. The president of the new fire department was out in full force.

It is a common thing for our bicyclers to go down to Cumberland now on what they call "a whizz."

District No. 11 gained 23 new names at the last registration sitting.

The JOURNAL learns with joy that the editor of its down-town contemporary contemplates leading to the altar at an early day a dark-eyed, fair and pretty girl. Besides the happiness that attends such a step, it goes to show that the royal American move a man has to get on him chasing up two columns of locals on Main street for an afternoon daily, gives him a *momentum* that lasts him until he gets married, and then some.

Read all "New Business Locals."

B. B.

Frostburg's most capable authority on baseball contributes the following account of an entertaining event:

The game of ball at the Driving Park last Tuesday was certainly an interesting one. The weather was delightful and the Park, throned in a variegated setting of Nature's most charming tints, never looked more attractive than it does at present, when the emeral hues of spring are giving place to the golden russet and blood-red tinges of autumn. Even Joe Robinson could not fail to be impressed with the picturesque complexion of our ball grounds, though out of pure cussedness he advises his friends in "Coney" to stay away.

Despite his suggestions, however, I noticed quite a number of Lonaconing gentlemen present—His Honor, Mayor J. J. Bell, Dr. M. G. Porter, Moses Bear, James Dixon, Jack Baker, —— Sullivan, George Pollock, and many others. Of our own people faces seen there before many a time were to be seen again. I noticed ex-Mayor Cline, John L. Porter, William Staples, W. A. Somerville, H. B. Colborn, Lloyd Taylor, R. Annan, Charlie Reichenbach and many more staid and solid citizens who had come out for a half holiday and thrown the care of business away for awhile in witnessing one of the very best games of ball ever played in Frostburg.

The grand stand was largely occupied by the fair sex who added the last and best touch to the charms of the scene.

Hollis, the new importation, did the pitching for Frostburg and his playing was the feature of the game. He has all the curves, excellent judgment, plenty of speed, perfect control of the ball, fields the position well, and, besides, is a good batter. It is the opinion of many that he is the very best pitcher ever seen in this locality.

Price gave him good support behind the bat—much better than many expected, and is to be congratulated.

Johns, Coleman, Tucker and Jack played the in-field and did excellent work.

Dando got plenty to do in left field, and was there every time, accepting every chance.

For the visitors Ohr did the pitching and did fairly well. He has speed and curves, but lacks that necessary acquirement, control of the ball.

Jones gave excellent support behind the bat, while the in-field—Kelso, Star, Manlove and Hoffman, were a stone wall. Hoffman will enjoy undying fame here as a fielder after his marvelous work of Tuesday, and Star and Kelso put up a great game.

All in all, it was the best game played here this season and gave general satisfaction.

H. DeSales Porter umpired the game and filled the position creditably to himself and satisfactorily to players and spectators.

Frostburg won by a score of 7 to 3.

Lonaconing and Frostburg will play their second game of the series to-day (Saturday) at 3 o'clock p. m. As these clubs are about equal in playing strength a great game is expected.

On Tuesday the Cumberland and Lonaconing clubs will play their third and last game. Cumberland will have a new pitcher for this game and expects to make 'Coney hustle. THE SCORER.

In reply to the *Star* the JOURNAL is reliably informed that the Frostburg baseball club has nothing whatever to do with the appointment of umpires; the manager nothing to do with the award of the prize, and that Lonaconing first broke the agreement by taking on unnaturalized players and enforced the break by announcing that the other club must accept it or there will be no game. The whole trouble, and all the troubles were provoked by Lonaconing, and that *can be proven*.

The Cumberland *News* says:

The *town* of Frostburg is way ahead of Cumberland *city* in one respect. Its people appreciate efforts made by their club to give good ball and patronize liberally.

For an instance. There was taken in at the gate at the last Frostburg game, $40. Taken in at the gate here during the entire five games played with Homestead recently, when the home club disbanded, $51. And yet they say this is a sporty town.

Council Meeting.

But little business outside of routine was done Monday evening.

The Bailiff's report for September was read as follows:

Taxes collected—'93-'94	$186.72
Water rents	33.75
Licenses	23.75
Dog tax	3.00
Fines	5.00
Total	$252.22

Provision was made for 75 perches of limestone on Main street, and some "shaping-up" ordered on Broadway.

Pumping at annex was reduced to halt time; that is, every alternate day.

The Electric light company got the usual "roasting" in a lengthy discussion, and its bill was reduced 33⅓ *per cent.* on account of bad service last month.

W. W.

Alexander Smith, affectionately known as "Sandy," reports progress in all departments of the town's water enterprise.

So does Alfred Jeffries.

Since last report 8 families have been connected to new works from the old, and 18 new ones—26 in all.

A 2-inch line of pipe, 986 feet long has been extended from Oak along Wood steet to Llewellyn's fence.

Also on Centre street to Charles with 4-inch pipe, including a fire hydrant.

From east side of Charles out Centre to Llewellyn's line a 2 inch main, 342 feet, connecting with the 4-inch pipe.

Two fireplugs have been erected on Mechanic street.

"Following the Crowd."

Writing from Chicago under date of 10th inst., J. H. Hitchins says:

The show is too big. Yesterday's crowd beat the earth. It took us three hours to get in the grounds. Simply awful! Rode on top of a cable-car. One continuous string of cars for ten miles. Never saw anything like it! 713,000 human beings inside the grounds.

Runaway.

A horse belonging to Noah Hendley, of Hoffman, while passing the St. Cloud hotel Tuesday, took fright and ran away, throwing Mr. H. out of the cart. The horse ran some distance, demolishing the cart.

Accident.

Lewis Rank, jr., of this place, had his foot hurt in Eckhart mine Monday.

COUNTY NEWS.

Circuit Court.

The October session began Monday, Judges Boyd and Hoffman on the Bench.

David Sloan, of Lonaconing, was appointed foreman of the grand jury.

The first case taken up Tuesday was that of—

Henry B. Shaffer *vs.* the Mayor and City Council of Frostburg. Henderson for Shaffer—Purnell and W. C. Devecmon for the corporation. Appealed from Atkinson, who rendered a judgment by default in favor of the appellee for $36.93. The case was submitted to the Court and judgment affirmed.

This case is accurately elaborated by the Cumberland *News* as follows:

The case of Shaffer *vs.* the Frostburg corporation was one full of interest. It was a proceeding on the part of the mayor and council of Frostburg to recover the special water tax of Henry B. Shaffer levied for the year 1890. Judgment for the corporation was given before the magistrate, from which Mr. Shaffer appealed.

The court before whom it was tried sustained the decision of the magistrate below. The history of the case is this: In 1890 the Legislature passed an Act (chapter 130) authorizing the town to issue its water bonds to the extent of $40,000 to pay for the construction of water works.

The Act also authorized the corporation to levy a special tax not exceeding 15 cents on the $100, to pay interest on the bonds, providing a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity, and also to pay the running expenses of the water works in case, at any time, the receipts from water rents would prove insufficient for those purposes.

The bonds were issued between July and December, 1890, for the full amount authorized. The first instalment of interest on those bonds fell due on January 1st, 1891, and on September 8th, 1890, the mayor and council exercised their authority and levied the special tax.

The Judge's decision in brief was that the councilmen, in making the levy, did not exceed the authority conferred upon them by the Act.

The importance of the decision is this: Many persons had refused to pay this tax until this suit was settled, and now that the Court was decided in favor of the corporation they will be compelled to pay.

The defense contended that the levy was premature and should not have been made until a deficiency had actually occurred.

Preparations for the Election.

Daniel Annan was last Saturday appointed Supervisor of Elections, *vice* Asa Willison, resigned. He qualified at once and on Monday presided at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors and aided in the appointment of the following list of election officers—a portion of the county's complement:

No. 8—Westernport.

Return Judge—Owen Riordan.

Judges—Joshua Kight and E. W. Whitworth.

Election Clerks—Washington Montgomery and J. W. Hughes.

Ballot Clerks—Michael Naughton and Edward Hooper.

No. 9—Barton.

Return Judge—John D. Barnard.

Judges—John F. Cadden and William Russell.

Election clerks—John F. Tibbetts and T. J. Smith.

Ballot clerks—James McGuire and Albion Coles.

Nos. 10 and 15—Lonaconing.

Return Judge—John Donahoe.

Judges—Frank F. Ennis and J. J. Bell.

Election Clerks—Richard Mooney and Thomas Bell.

Ballot Clerks—Thomas Bierne and William P. Bradley.

Return Judge—Patrick Hogan.

Judges—John Oliver and James Atkinson.

Election Clerks—John Moran and Hugh R. Muir.

Ballot Clerks—John Martin and George H. Fresh.

Nos. 11 and 12.

First Precinct—Return Judge—George H. Hocking.

Judges—Lewis Kreiling and Richard K. Mason.

Election Clerks—William R. Coyner and James Hanson.

Ballot Clerks—John L. Porter and Theodore A. Miller.

Second Precinct—Return Judge—Thomas G. Dillon.

Judges—L. P. Wolfe and Peter Knieriem.

Election Clerks—William J. Dailey and Matthew Rowe.

Ballot Clerks—Charles F. Mayer and C. P. Offman.

Return Judge—John Pfeiffer.

Judges—Daniel McCaughan and George Armstrong.

Election Clerks—James Thompson and Alfred Cline.

Ballot Clerks—Robert Walsh and Jacob Eisel.

No. 13—Mt. Savage.

Return Judge—John Briscoe.

Judges—Clements Reidler and William Crow.

Election Clerks—John M. Malloy and L. S. Piper.

Ballot Clerks—J. F. Workman and Owen Crump.

No 17—Vale Summit.

Return Judge—Charles Henry.

Judges—James A. Dillon and John Fatkin.

Election Clerks—Walter T. Parker and J. G. Albright.

Ballot Clerks—Patrick T. Higgins and George Seifert.

No. 18—Ocean.

Return Judge—John B. Cavanaugh.

Judges—Henry Wagus and David Robinson.

Election Clerks—Michael Manley and Frank Moore.

Ballot Clerks—Robert Murray and George Walters, jr.

No. 19—Borden Shaft.

Return Judge—John O. Winter.

Judges—Patrick Mullin and James Tennant.

Election Clerks—Stephen Broderick and Reuben Reed.

Ballot Clerks—George Tippen and William Davis.

No. 24—Eckhart.

Return Judge—Frederick Mitchell.

Judges—John Burns and James N. Porter.

Election Clerks—Charles Neff and Joseph Carter.

Ballot Clerks—Oliver Parker and Harry Wright.

No. 25—Pekin.

Return Judge—Michael McCabe.

Judges—Perry Stump and George W. Andrews.

Election Clerks—Charles Sheckey and A. J. King.

Ballot Clerks—James McCaughan and John Askey.

Brevities.

Titus A. Brick attended a seance in Lonaconing one night last week. The medium was a German. Titus was much impressed, not to say puzzled, until the medium attempted to render *verbatim* the communication of an Irish spirit.

The Pompey Smash poet who sings—"Give Me Sweet Flowers While Living"—should not forget that punkin' pie is also desirable.

It is said that Hell Creek, in Scott county, Mo., isn't worth three Styx as an irrigator. That is nothing to Georges Creek from Lonaconing down, which is equal to about four Styx as a typhoid fever incubator.

A Barton hotel-keeper is reported as saying if the two-headed woman comes to his hotel with the museum that is threatening a raid on this region, she will be charged for one bed, but at the table she will have to pay for two plates.

The nail which has been hit on the head so many times went in about an inch, an inch and a-half, or two inches further when Titus A. Brick called Cumberland "the Midway Plaisance of all that portion of the county lying east of the Georges Creek coal region."

The Henry Rehs boom for the State Senate is about the size of a man's hand when the man is very, very early in life.

Like a Bright Smile.

Editor Oder seems to have found the glorious climate of Colorado as efficacious a preventative of nervous prostration as Loie Fuller's bi-ozone bath.—Cumberland *Times*.

The *Times* should not give the JOURNAL away.

"The glorious climate of Colorado" is an inexhaustible text for a drummer who lives in that State. He is very popular "at home," which is anywhere in Colorado, but admits that when the train gets over into Utah, for instance, even the ladies retire to the smoking car.

"The condensed oxygen in the tone of that voice" lingers with the great paper.

Conveyances.

The following notes of real estate transfers are of more or less local interest:

David W. Sloan, trustee to John M. Eagan and wife, lots in Midland, $5.

John M. Eagan and wife to Catharine A. Barncord, lot in Midland, $330.

Wm. Sheer to Jas. Skidmore, lot in Frostburg, $1,000.

Magdalena Entler and husband to Joseph Paten, lot in Eckhart, $2,500.

Election.

The stockholders of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania railroad met in Cumberland Monday and elected Directors as follows:

Charles F. Mayer. William Whitewright,
William F. Frick, James Sloan, jr.
William P. Harvey.

A Present Duty.

Subscribe for the JOURNAL.

New Business Locals.

Shawl found on Broadway Wednesday. Inquire at THIS OFFICE.

Look! Look!—New Hardware and Notion Store, Jones' Brothers' building, opposite St. Cloud Hotel, Frostburg, Md. Bargains for ten days. Open every evening until 9 o'clock. *Samples*—One Brace and Five Steel Bits, worth $2.50, sold now for only $1. A 26-inch Saw, worth $1.25; our price, 49 cents. Hundreds of other articles in same proportion. A. WOLF, Proprietor.

O for an eye more clear to see,
A mind to grasp more earnestly,
For every good intent,
That to the sick and despairing
I bring thee a peerless cure.

Pan-Tina, the great remedy for Coughs, Colds and Consumption 25 and 50 cents. Sold at G. C. Shearer and Co.'s drug store.

The cleanest fuel for your parlor grate is the coke turned out of the Frostburg Gas and Electric Light company's retorts. It makes a hot, steady and pretty fire, and leaves but little ash. See ALEXANDER SMITH, Superintendent, about it.

Don't Quarrel—With people for groaning when they suffer with Rheumatism or Neuralgia; the pain is simply terrible; no ancient torture was more painful; but people ought to be blamed if, having Rheumatism or Neuralgia, they won't use Red Flag Oil; it has cured hundreds of sufferers and costs only 25 cents at G. C. Shearer and Co.'s drug store.

Business Locals.

Frostburg Dental Parlors, Wehner Block, Broadway, Dr. I. L. Ritter, Proprietor.

Our parlors will be open day or night for those requiring our services. Special attention will be paid to treating and filling the Natural Teeth.

Read What Mr. P. R. Smith Has to Say.—MAYER DRUG CO.—*Gentlemen*—I wish to express my appreciation of the merits of your "Catarrh Cure." I have suffered with Catarrh for eight years, and can truly say that it has given me more relief than any other medicine I have tried, and it will undoubtedly effect a permanent cure.

I can recommend Mayers' Catarrh Cure to any of my friends. P. R. SMITH,
Nassau street, New York.

It has cured Mr. Smith 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, or address the Mayer Drug Co., Oakland, Md. Price $1. Sold by A. F. Parker and G. E. Pearce & Co.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Have you called at the **Frostburg Dental Parlors** to see Teeth extracted without pain by Electricity? The current can be adjusted by the operator to suit the most delicate child.

ASK your druggist to show you a bottle of Mayer's Magnetic Catarrh Cure. One bottle to cure any case, no matter how severe, and will last for three months' treatment. Sold by A. F. Parker and G. E. Pearce & Co., druggists.

Two Valuable Friends.—1.—A physician cannot always be had. Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises and Burns occur often and sometimes when least expected. Keep handy the friend of many households and the destroyer of all pain, the famous Red Flag Oil, 25 cents.

2. Many a precious life could be saved that is being racked to death with that terrible cough. Secure a good night's rest by investing 25 cents for a bottle of Pan-Tina, the great remedy for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Trial bottles of Pan-Tina free at G. C. Shearer & Co.'s Drug Store.

Business Locals.

Have your teeth extracted at Ritter's new Dental Parlors.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

1 "ALMA" SHEET-IRON STOVE—large size.
1 "PAN HANDLE" HEAVY METAL STOVE—large size.
1 "VULCAN" EGG STOVE—small size.
All in good condition. Apply to
Oct 14 C. H. WALKER.

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, OCT. 23 and 24.

McMULLEN BROS.' Store, Eckhart, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25.

☞A discount of 3 *per cent.* will be allowed on all Taxes paid before November 1.
Oct 14 H. SCOTT, Collector.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

LOOK!

TOWLES'
Free Crayon Coupons.

DON'T FAIL to get one of my **Free Crayon Coupons** from the agents that will call on you, and for

>$3.25<

(three dollars and twenty-five cents) buy **one dozen** of my fine

Aristo Cabinet Photographs
—AND A—
16 x 20 CRAYON PORTRAIT

☞Coupons cannot be had at the Gallery. They must be bought from my Agent, who will call on you. Pay him only **25 cents.** Don't miss this unparalleled opportunity, as the coupons will only be on sale a short time. C. O. TOWLES,
Oct 7 Photographer.

Stacks
—OF—
New Clothing
—AT—
WINELAND'S.

☞No time to write an advertisement until next week. Meantime—

Come and See
FOR YOURSELF.
MARX WINELAND.
Oct 7

IT PAYS THE BEST AND IS THE SAFEST INVESTMENT I EVER MADE.

There are single retail shoe stores in our large cities which sell 2,000 pairs of shoes a day, making a net profit of $250,000 a year. We sell shoes low, but we sell a great many pairs, the clear profit on our ladies', misses' and childrens' shoes is at least ten cents a pair, and on our mens' and boys' shoes 15 cents a pair. We shall establish shoe stores in each of the fifty largest cities of the U. S., and if they sell only 300 pairs of shoes a day they would earn $225,000 a year. We should be able to pay a yearly dividend of $3.25 a share, or over 50 per cent. a year on the investment. We sell the stock at $10 a share. The price must inevitably be much more than $10 a share. No stock has ever been sold at less than this price, which is its par value. Stock non-assessable. Incorporated. Capital $1,000,000. We have over 1,000 stockholders, and the number is increasing daily. Some of the principal stockholders are: T. S. Walling, N. Y.; I. J. Potter, Boston; N. A. Reed, Jr., Chicago; J. B. Campbell, Chicago; W. M. Kavanaugh, Little Rock, Ark.; I. H. Rich, Chicago; J. F. Turner, Phila.; B. Harding, N. Y.; E. J. Payne, Battle Creek, Mich.; F. P. Hulette, Arcade, N. Y.

Write for a prospectus containing the names of our stockholders, etc., *or send an order for stock, enclosing cashier's check, cash or money order.* Orders taken for one or more shares. Price, $10 a share.

DEXTER SHOE CO., 143, 145 & 147 Federal St., BOSTON, MASS.
Agents Wanted.
Oct 7

Follow the Crowd.

Parker's Soda Water

MAKES a mortal feel as though the Gates of Paradise were opened wide.

Parker Invites You

to enjoy a similar sensation by viewing the inside of his

CITY DRUG STORE
AT HIS EXPENSE

to become the fortunate possessor of WALL PAPERS, PAINTS, PURE DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, TOILET ARTICLES, TRUSSES, SHOULDER-BRACES, etc., at the **LOWEST** figures. He suffers by the cut in prices, but he is ever

Your most obedient servant,
A. F. PARKER,
CITY DRUG STORE.
Oct 7

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

DAVID J. LEWIS,
Attorney and Counselor-at-Law,

WILL VISIT FROSTBURG EVERY **THURSDAY,** and may be seen at Payne & Co.'s store from 5 p. m. until 9.

☞All business carefully and promptly attended to. [May 27

Pure Tallow Soap.

Is perfect: in other words it is all Soap, and the best for laundry purposes made. Agents wanted to sell to private families, also a general club order agent in each town.
Address AMERICAN TEA CO.
338 to 346 Fifth Ave. PITTSBURGH, PA.
Sept 2

BUILDING LOT FOR SALE.

SITUATE on Frosts' avenue—a corner lot and a fine site for a dwelling. For further particulars apply to or address
C. O. TOWLES,
Oct 1 Frostburg, Md.

—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

BERNARD STERN, President.
R. ANNAN, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:
BERNARD STERN, | J. B. ODER.
THOS. W. FROST. | MARX WINELAND.
R. R. HENDERSON.

☞Collections made and exchanges sold on all Eastern points.

Deposits Solicited.

☞Frostburg Bonds and other good County securities for sale. [Feb 11

Special Attention

GIVEN to **MAIL ORDERS** by HARRY K. DUKE & CO., **Booksellers and Stationers,**
May 27 Cumberland, Md.

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

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.

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

Hen Fruit.

We love to hear the cackle of the chickens on the lawn
And see them scamper after worms 'til late from early dawn;
We love to gather eggs, the fruit of their erratic pick,
But how are we going to do it when they're with cholera sick?

If healthy you would have them with combs so nice and red;
If eggs you'd gather dozens from stable, coop and shed,
Just feed to them a powder put up in Krapf's drug store,
And soon the dread disease will "pass in checks" and trouble them no more.

If with a tottering step and soulless cackle
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