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LOCAL NEWS.

Social.

Miss Margaret Grove gave a tea from 5 to 7 p. m. Thursday, introducing Miss Louise Read, of Cumberland. A number of young friends enjoyed Miss Grove's hospitality and report a delightful occasion.

An Omission Noted.

Rev. J. O. Thompson, editor of the Keyser (W. Va.) *Echo*, preached in the M. E. Church at Frostburg last Sunday, according to the Lonaconing *Review*. The *Review* omits to state whether editor J. B. Oder, of the Frostburg JOURNAL, illumined the church with his presence.—Baltimore *News*.

The *Review* too often leaves out vital collaterals in religious matters.

And names too many when it comes to reporting baseball.

Amusements.

The Labadie company played "Faust" to a small audience in Ravenscraft's Opera House Saturday evening. Monday evening the play was repeated to a large audience by request. Both company and performance are highly praised. The company rested here this week.

Tuesday evening Gorton's Minstrels held the same stage to a crowd that packed the hall. They, too, won much applause.

Religious.

Rev. T. C. Easson's subjects to-morrow (Sunday) will be in the morning—"Acquiescence in the Will of God;" in the evening—"Suicide."

The annual Thanksgiving sermon will be preached in the Presbyterian church to-morrow (Sunday) evening. The usual service in the morning.

Rev's W. W. Van Arsdale and W. A. Sites, Methodist pastors, will exchange pulpits to-morrow (Sunday) evening.

The Frostburg council of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will attend the M. E. Church in a body to-morrow morning. The pastor, Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale, will preach an appropriate sermon.

A Pleasant Time.

Under the above heading the Keyser (W. Va.) *Echo* says:

The editor went to Frostburg on Saturday last to supply the pulpit of Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at that place. He was royally entertained at the beautiful parsonage which the good people of Frostburg have recently finished for the comfort of their pastor, and spent a very pleasant Sunday. Bro. Van Arsdale was at Middletown, Jefferson and Frederick city practicing for the presiding eldership.

The genial pastor doesn't need to "practise" for promotion. He is eligible at call. But his people do not want him to "step up higher" until his term is out, at least.

Died.

William Donahue, an old citizen, died Saturday, Nov. 25, 1893. He was 73 years of age. A highly respected family of three grown sons and two daughters survive. William, jr., is one of the Supervisors of Elections for the county.

A two-year old daughter of William Hopkins died Sunday, Nov. 26, 1893.

At his residence Wednesday morning, Nov. 29, 1893, William Williams, aged 67 years, 5 months and 4 days. He had been troubled with asthma for some time, but had complained but little. His death was, therefore, quite sudden. Mr. Williams was born in Monmouthshire, England, and came to this place many years ago. His wife and a large family of grown children survive. Mr. Williams was an industrious miner, later Supervisor of Streets several terms—a quiet, good exemplar of that blessed citizenship which, passing away, neither takes nor leaves an enmity.

Personal.

J. A. Hinegardner, one of A. J. Willison's best housebuilders, left last Saturday for Bridgewater, Va., his home.

G. V. Hobart was up here a few days ago, accompanied by J. F. K. Roberts, taking the "lay of the land" for the presentation here at an early day of "H. M. S. Skinnyfour; or Alas, They Loved Their Schooners." The company is dubbed "The Millenium Minstrels," and their first injunction to an expectant public is—"You Buy the Ticket; We Do the Rest." More anon. Both Hobart and Roberts are Cumberland newspaper men; hence, this precipitate notice.

Miss Bessie Matheney, of Lonaconing, is among Frostburg friends.

F. A. Scrivener, of Alexandria, Va., superintendent of the Smead Heating company, left for Cumberland, his future headquarters, Thursday. His work at the new schoolhouse has been completed. It is a handsome and, we believe, generally firstclass job.

The Electrical Construction company, of Washington, D. C., began operations in that city last Saturday. "Expert construction in everything electrical" is promised, and when the Frostburg reader learns that Fred. C. Schofield is one-half the company he will know that the promise will be promptly and completely kept.

J. H. Atkinson, of this place, has been appointed to a position in the Internal Revenue service.

Bernard B. Britt, infant son of the Lutheran pastor, has been very ill since Monday. Yesterday his parents were not without apprehensions as to the result. He is a bright little fellow.

Coming Events.

Prof. P. A. Shanor did not lecture Monday evening, as announced, his friends postponing his appearance here until some evening during the holidays.

Chas. H. Underhill's appearance at Moat's Opera House next Tuesday evening, December 5, will mark a new departure in the character of the entertainments to which the patrons of the lecture course have been accustomed. "An Evening with David Copperfield" will be something unique to a Frostburg audience. Not that we are unacquainted with Dickens' masterpiece, but to have the principal characters of that wonderful novel portrayed before us so that we may see them as though in life is a thing to which most of us are strangers. This impersonation of these characters is just what Mr. Underhill does in a most taking and masterly way. Don't miss seeing and hearing him. The diagram is now at Pearce & Co.'s drug store. Secure your reserved seats at once.

Read the "Church Special."

Election of Officers.

At the regular meeting last evening of Allegany Lodge, No. 44, A. O. U. W., the annual election of officers resulted as below:

Master Workman—B. T. Schofield.
Foreman—John Chambers.
Overseer—M. L. Crow.
Recorder—T. J. Thomas.
Financier—Conrad Zinkin.
Receiver—George Cook.
Guide—George W. Creitzburg.
O. W.—Benjamin J. Thomas.
I. W.—Lucius Tomlinson.
Trustees—John N. Layman, J. B. Oder, W. S. Burton.
Representative to Grand Lodge—Michael Casserly.

An Old One.

"The following table of altitudes along the old National Pike has just been compiled," begins a chestnut that is now going the rounds of the local press. Next it gives the altitudes, beginning with "Cumberland, 537 feet," when, as a matter of fact, Cumberland is over 700 feet above tide. Frostburg is put down at "1,792 feet," when the mean height is exactly 2,157½ feet. The fellow who wrote that the old table "has just been compiled" must have been "living in the past" at the time—say about 50 years ago.

Brevities.

Mrs. Laura Parker has opened a new store in the room adjoining A. F. Parker's drug store. She has a nice display of Christmas goods.

SEMI-LOCAL NEWS.

The Situation.

Editorially the Coal Trade *Journal* says this week:

It is expected, now that the Ways and Means Committee has suggested that bituminous coal and culm shall be admitted free of duty, that there will be considerable discussion as to the merits of such a procedure. To be sure the mere suggestion does not carry with it the fact that the Senate and House of Representatives will also fall in with this proposition. It is a many-sided question and the parties who expect to be benefitted—those in the New England States—may not find that there will be any benefit accruing therefrom. Those who fear that their interests will suffer—the producers of coal finding a way to market *via* what are known as the southern ports—will, no doubt, use every effort in their power to bring about a modification of the tariff, so far as coal is concerned, on its way through Congress. It is proposed, in the bill prepared by the Ways and Means Committee, that the Act shall take effect from and after March 1st, 1894.

In its New York notes it says:

Some soft coal men are anxious about their eastern trade, fearing a rival in the Nova Scotia coal, yet in the same breath saying it is of inferior quality. They are "borrowing trouble," for the proposed tariff bill is not yet a law.

Again:

Some one is flooding the papers in the New England States with a mass of humbug and falsehood in regard to the results likely to follow from the taking off of the duty on coal. The press, the public and the representatives in Congress all appear to have gone crazy upon this subject; the talk of millions to be saved to the consumers is the most arrant humbug ever put forward. It is deception of the worst possible character and will redound to the discredit of its instigators.

The Springfield (Mass) *Republican* says:

Throughout the Connecticut river valley keen interest is felt in the new tariff schedules. The woolen manufacturers are naturally not opposed to the free listing of their raw material provided it does not provoke retaliation from wool growers. The cut in the duties on goods, however, is more than they wanted to see. *Free coal is acceptable to everybody in this section of the country, and to republicans no less than democrats.* So is free ore. The heavy reductions in the duties on pig-iron and crude forms of iron and steel, it is generally admitted, will help the iron industries of New England.

Ex-Governor E. Willis Wilson believes that—

So far as the coal interest is concerned, I consider it of no importance to West Virginia whatsoever whether there is tariff on coal or not. West Virginia substantially competes with free coal now and always has. Both the McKinley bill and the law preceding provided for a rebate of 75 cents per ton for all coal imported into this country and used on vessels engaged in coast and foreign trade. The greater portion of our coal is, and has been, used for that purpose and a much larger portion of the remainder is used for locomotive engines and steam. There is no such thing possible as a successful competition between Nova Scotian and West Virginia coal.

Personal.

The election of John Barton Payne as a Judge of the Superior Court in Chicago has occasioned the dissolution of the firm of Aldrich, Payne & Defrees. Mr. Aldrich retires and will practice on his own account. The succeeding firm of Defrees, Brace & Ritter includes, as is noticed, William Brace, formerly of Cumberland, a lawyer of great ability and a gentleman of variform acquirements of a high order. His many friends here will undoubtedly wish on his account for his firm's success.

Not Afraid of Anything.

One can see below how a Lonaconing man looks and talks when he is in West Virginia:

Mose Bear, aged about four feet, and about 30 years high, of Lonaconing, Md., dropped into town very suddenly Sunday. He is a clothing merchant of his town, and gives news of a general revival of business. He says that "if everything happens and nothing lives he will travel through Europe" next year.—Fairmont *Free Press*.

The Sick.

Monday a dispatch from the Fairmont *Free Press* stated "we think there is a chance for him now." Wednesday a letter reported him as "resting easy," and Thursday the Morgantown *New Dominion* said "the news from Dr. D. P. Fitch is that his recovery from his recent attack of fever is assured. His condition was for a time as bad as it is possible for one to be in and live."

Brevities.

Mr. Pink Whiskers, of Pocahontas, says Titus A. Brick has a breath that smells like the mountain den of a moonshiner.

COUNTY NEWS.

A Present Duty.

Subscribe for the JOURNAL.

Died.

At Eckhart, Nov. 28, 1893, Elizabeth Dudley, daughter of Mrs. Gwennie Dudley, aged 4 years and 1 month.

Old as Coal.

Miss Sears—What should you imagine her age to be?

Miss Knox—I'm not very good at a guess; possibly the carboniferous.

Where We Are At.

Sleeping-Car Passenger (waking up as the train comes to a stop)—Heigh-ho! I wonder where we are now?

Voice (on the outside)—Now that's all rot, I tell you. Lonaconing's club plays good ball; Frostburg plays better, but ours, while we had it, was a jim dandy! Them's the facts in the case, and don't you forgit it!

Sleeping-Car Passenger—By ginger! We're at Cumberland!

Conveyances.

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

The Evangelical Lutheran church of St. Paul, to the German Evangelical Zion church, lot in Frostburg, $1.

Howard Hitchins *et al.* to George D. Hocking, lot in Frostburg called "Paris," $2,000.

William R. Percy and wife to Howard Hitchins, lot near Frostburg, $1.

Frostburg Perpetual Building Association to Amelia McBrown, lot 8, block 20, Beall's first addition to Frostburg, $450.

The Coal Trade.

Shipments of coal from the mines of the Georges Creek coal region were in long tons—

For week ending Nov 25, 1893.....	91,833
" year to same date.....	3,792,500
Increase compared with last year....	325,722

The latest news from the markets is gleaned as follows:

There has been little or no change in the soft coal market this week and almost in every particular our last week's review of the market applies equally well to-day. The trade continues of the same unsteady and spasmodic nature. Orders seem to come in all at once and in small lots, after which there is a period of inactivity; shipments are made in the same way, thus making the trade an unsatisfactory one at the present time.

Of the orders which are coming in very few are from the far East. Most of the trade doing now goes to the Sound ports. Prices of coal are unchanged and producers persist in their complaints that there is no money to be made at present values.—Engineering and Mining *Journal*.

Brevities.

The attempt to introduce newspaper voting contests into foreign lands has not been entirely succesful. A Yucatan editor tried it by inviting his readers to vote for the ugliest man, and when the ballots were counted, lo! the editor's name led all the rest by a majority that would have disgusted J. Abou Ben Adhem Finan.

If the republicans have captured the *Ledger*, their inroads upon the democratic party for editors are increasing at a rate of protection that is high.

Jefferson Howell, of Barton, died Thursday evening of last week and next morning his daughter, Miss May, 18 years old, also died.

A West Virginia preacher who has made the rounds *incognito* is authority for the statement that there are more heathen *per capita* in Lonaconing than in Barton. The latter place doubtless rides on a higher moral wave, owing to the fact that it is the headquarters of a symposium.

When one considers that Henry Rens was once a republican, later a democrat, and looks at the phenomenal majority under which he is squirming, this seems to be a sad time for our German-American citizens to "put off the old love and on with a new."

People who are thinking about running against McKaig next fall should not tempt fate. With his own star in his favor and that of Lonaconing against him he is a sure winner.

Considerable editorial in type goes over. And about ten columns yet unwritten.

A Cumberland man who kept batch while his wife was away telegraphed for her at the end of a week to hurry home. When she alighted on the Queen City hotel pavement badly scared, he asked her "what in the dickins she had done with the butcher knife?"

There is a man in Lonaconing claiming to be there in search of health. The two R's should watch him.

The factional fight developed by the late judicial contest will be healed, it is thought by the optimists of the party, before next fall. That is—all except the yawning chasm between colonel Jim Campoell and corporal Dan Houck.

Orphans' Court

At Tuesday's session—

James J. McHenry was appointed guardian to Clarence J. Workman.

GENERAL ITEMS.

A Tom Corwin Story.

Carter Harrison, the murdered Mayor of Chicago, in his eloquent address in commemoration of "American Cities Day" at the Fair a few hours before his death narrated the following incident in illustration of a point:

I once heard Tom Corwin tell a story of a man who was about to be put on the witness-stand over near the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Asked his age he said he was 36. 'Why,' said Mr Corwin, 'you look 50.' 'Well,' the witness answered, 'during 14 years of my life I lived in Maryland, and I don't count that.

The Good Work Should Go On.

The movement for good roads is again becoming prominent, in view of the assembling of the Legislature in January. Nearly all the country papers have printed the text of a proposed bill, providing for the appointment of State road engineer and the adoption of a general road system. The question is one of the utmost importance in the agricultural districts and will be early brought to the attention of the law-makers.—Baltimore *News*.

This Man Knew Human Nature.

"You are going to build a house are you? What style?"

"I have not thought of any particular style yet, but I was counting up the number of my friends to day and I find I have twenty-nine. As soon as my intention to build a house becomes known I shall have twenty nine different styles from which to choose."

Getting Together.

The soft coal shippers to the Atlantic seaboard are "getting together." It is reported that there was a very fair attendance of the operators at a recent meeting. Everything went smoothly and great harmony prevailed. It is understood that an organization was effected and plans for the amelioration of the trade were brought forward.—Coal Trade *Journal*.

Changed His Employment.

Terence V. Powderly, once a labor leader of unexampled power, is now only an every-day American. He claims that he is the victim of envy and malice. He is, however, credited with having made hay in prosperous days and can now turn his undivided attention to politics.

A Local Issue.

The clamors raised by the wool men of Ohio, the lumber men of Michigan and Wisconsin, and the iron and coal men of Pennsylvania go far to explain the meaning of Gen. Hancock's famous remark that the tariff is a local question.—St. Louis (Mo.) *Post-Dispatch*.

It Helps Along.

Hicks—Education is a good thing.

Wicks—I believe you. Without education it would be quite impossible to bamboozle the fellows who have no education.—Boston *Transcript*.

A Broken Bank.

Mrs. Tahlman, of Vernon county, Mo., saved $400 in a coffee pot, but on seeking the tin bank the other day found that a run had been made on it and it was empty.

The Future of Silver.

Hereafter silver will be as good as wheat; that is, it will sell for what it is worth in the markets of the world.—Milwaukee (Wis.) *Journal*.

'Twas Ever Thus.

The Miners' *Echo*, the official organ of the miners of Kansas, has ceased publication.

Chunk of Truth.

A town is just what the people who live in it make it.—Kansas City (Mo.) *Star*.

POETRY.

A Song for Thanksgiving.

A few late roses linger and, smiling, deck the sod,
And the world is like a picture where the harvests smile to God;
There's a greater joy in living—for no blessing He denies,
And the soul's divine thanksgiving drifts in incense to the skies.

Through the darkness and the danger—thro' the peril of the past,
To the starred and stormless haven He has led our souls at last,
And with richest treasures laden we have furled the flags above,
For the garlands of His glory and the banners of His love.

Sing sweet thy sweet Thanksgiving, O, Soul! and ring, ye bells,
Till the world shall catch the chorus, and the anthem heavenward swells!
For His love and for His mercy—for His cross and chastening rod,
For His tender benedictions, let the whole world thank its God.

—Atlanta *Constitution*.

LATEST NEWS.

Coal will not be on the free list until Congress puts it there.

Meanwhile, don't hair-trigger your artillery.

Church Specials.

Christmas Bazar.—Moat's Opera House will be occupied Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, 19th and 20th insts., by ladies having in view a Christian object. Oysters, cakes and seasonable refreshments will be served, but special attention will be given to the array and sale of Christmas Gifts. The ladies enjoin all to defer buying Dolls especially until after their display has been inspected and studied. All are, therefore, cordially invited.

New Business Locals.

New Discovery.—Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure is used by vapor inhalation and is the only medicine of the kind ever put on the market. By inhalation the medicine is not poured into the stomach and thence sent wandering through the system. But by inhalation the medicine is applied directly to the diseased organ and the only way to reach the affected parts of the nose. Every bottle is guaranteed by the druggist. Price $1 per bottle. Guaranteed to cure. For sale by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion, regulate your Bowels and make your Head clear as a bell. 25c. and 50c. Sold by Dan Krapf, jr.

It's Used Different From Any Other Medicine.—Our advertised agents and all druggists are instructed to return the money to any one who fails to be cured by Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. Price one dollar for 3 months' treatment. This is saying a great deal, but it has never failed. For sale by A. F. Parker and G. E. Pearce & Co., druggists, or address THE MAYERS DRUG CO., Oakland, Md.

New Business Locals.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by Dan Krapf, jr.

Why it is the Best—Pan-Tina—
1.—It cures Coughs and Colds.
2.—Strengthens weak Lungs.
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5.—Robs Croup of its terrors.
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25 and 50 cents. Trial bottles of Pan-Tina free at G. C. Shearer & Co.'s drug store.

What am I to do?—This is the oft expression of the weary sufferer with Rheumatism, Neuralgia and other painful diseases. The whole human frame is tortured and racked with pain. It is well to remember no known medicine equals Red Flag Oil for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains and Bruises. Price 25 cents at G. C. Shearer & 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.

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 your teeth extracted at Ritter's new Dental Parlors.

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.

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.

Use **Wells' Laundry Blue,** the best Bluing for Laundry use. Each package makes two quarts, 15 cents. Sold by C. F. Betz.

New Advertisements.

For Sale.

ONE Two-Seat Canopy-Top **SURREY**; three Single and one Double Set of **HARNESS**—all new, and for less than wholesale prices. W. G. BOUGHTON.
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An agreeable Laxative and NERVE TONIC. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail. 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per package. Samples free.

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and time lost *waiting at the Blacksmith shop.* Avoids damage to horse's feet from frequently removing common shoes to be sharpened.

Send for "SPECIAL OFFER" of *shoes for trial,* all fitted, with Calks in, ready to be nailed on, which are offered *this winter only at very low prices.* Circulars, prices, etc., mailed free. FRANK C. BEALL,
"The" Hardware and Stove Man,
Sole Agent for Allegany and Garrett counties
Nov 25

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PERSONS coming to Frostburg on business or pleasure will find the **BEALL MANSION** an *excellent* place to stop. *Good cooking. Polite attention.*

☞ Excursionists, or other pleasure seekers, by giving notice ahead of time, can get nice, hot meals. [Nov 4—tf

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FINE LEATHER GOODS, BRIC-A-BRAC Gift Books, choice Society Stationery, Gold Pens. JNO. A. FULTON & CO.,
Oct 28 Bookstore opposite postoffice, Cumberland, Md.

WANTED.

TO RENT 2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS. Apply at the JOURNAL OFFICE.
Nov 11 Frostburg, Md.

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YOU can make 13 elegant **Christmas Presents** to 13 of your relatives and best friends for **$3.25** by sitting NOW for ONE DOZEN of our Peerless Waterproof American

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☞ I would like holders of coupon tickets to come in AT ONCE and thus avoid delay during the Holidays. Coupons can now be had at the Gallery.

C. O. TOWLES.
Nov 18

A Lady's Coat

May cost five or fifty dollars.
If it's not stylish it's not dressy.

The Style Now

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Oct 7 Photographer.

NOTICE.

HAVING bought all interests in the MACHINE SHOP of B. T. SCHOFIELD & SONS, I desire to inform the public that the business will be henceforth conducted at the ame place by myself alone.
Sept 30 B. T. SCHOFIELD.

Insolvent Notice.

THOS. J. RICHARDS vs. His Creditors. } No. 1515, Insolvents.

ORDERED, This 27th day of September, 1893, that the first Monday of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., is hereby fixed as the time at which THOMAS J. RICHARDS, 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 1st Monday of January, 1894, 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 Allegany county, Maryland.
THEO. LUMAN, Clerk.
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Nov 4—6t

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Clock on sidewalk. [Oct 1

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