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SATURDAY MORNING : : : FEBRUARY 15

TOWN, COUNTY AND STATE.

—Snow Thursday last.

—Smoke Foble's Crowned Cigars.

—Moody thinks a man might as well be full of rum as egotism.

Pumps!—Clash & Brown have in store the celebrated Goshen Pump, which they sell very cheap. They are a great improvement on the old style.

—Congressman Walsh, of the Sixth District, is quite ill.

—All the leading brands of Smoking Tobacco at Foble's.

—It is likely Congress will appropriate $100,000 for Baltimore harbor improvements.

Clash & Brown will receive, on the 15th of February, a cargo of No. 1 Shingles.

—Most families die out in two hundred years. John Smith's is one of the exceptions.

—Best brands of Fine cut Chewing Tobacco at 80 cts. and $1 per pound, at Foble's.

—Not less than fifteen hundred bushels of clover seed were saved in Somerset county last season.

—**Clover and Timothy Seed** for sale at city prices, for cash, in lots to suit, by DANIEL LLOYD, Guano and Phosphate Agent, Cambridge, Md.

—The lawyers of Somerset county are complaining of dull times. A fair indication of good times to other people.

—It is now generally conceded that the peach buds have not sustained any injury, and the prospect for a big yield is at present very flattering.

—The steamers Raleigh and Ruggles have resumed their trips between Baltimore and points up the Choptank. The Raleigh stops at Cambridge as usual.

—Princess Anne promises to be overrun with Philadelphia and Baltimore junk-dealers on Wednesday next, the day fixed for the sale of the Eastern Shore Railroad.

—The Veterans of the Mexican War will hold a meeting at the New Assembly Rooms, Baltimore, on the 22d. An oration will be delivered by Hon. Richard T. Merrick of Frederick.

—Girls, can this really be true: "When a woman fancies herself slighted by the man she loves, the first person who proposes must be a clumsy wooer indeed if he does not carry her away.

—Here is a chunk of wisdom from Josh Billings that should never be forgotten: Don't despise your poor relatives. They might get rich some time, and then it would be hard to explain things.

—When a Bostonian gets drunk, and is arrested, the police are compelled to make the charge "drunkenness," and not "disorderly conduct." The same rule ought to prevail in every community.

—The drift ice in the Choptank, between Chancellor's Point and Wallach's wharf, which proved so great a barrier to the progress of our steamers last week, has pretty generally disappeared.

—Several vessels have passed by Cambridge since Sunday, on their way to Baltimore. These boats will now be kept busy transporting corn to Baltimore, as but a small portion of last year's crop had been shipped prior to the freeze.

—Old fishermen tell us that a cold winter, like this, promises a good catch in the spring, as the fish try to keep warm in the deep water and don't get scattered, coming up in crowded free schools at the appointed time.—So, lookout for a good season.

—The appraisement of the personal property of the late Col. Edward Wilkins, of Kent county, aggregates $15,371. This does not include his lease on the Chambers farm, which has nearly two years yet to run, nor the wharf property in Baltimore.

—Baltimore has one minister who is blessed with abundant hopefulness. He says he confidently believes the day will yet come, though he of course doesn't expect to live to see it, when members of church choirs will behave themselves just as well as other folks.

—The junior editor and Joseph of the *News*, are just now engaged in a pen-tilt. We haven't the remotest idea how it commenced, nor can we conceive where it will end. But we suppose they will have to fight it out. Boys will be boys the world over. We used to be one ourself.

—Gen. Winthrop had a second attack of paralysis last Friday, but is now, we are glad to learn, much improved. Commissioner Thos. I. Jones' friends will also be gratified to learn that he is rapidly recuperating, and will soon be able to resume his official duties.

—T. S. Hodson, Esq., who has so ably and satisfactorily filled the office of Collector at Crisfield for many years, has been re-appointed to serve four years longer. If men of like character and ability filled all the prominent Federal offices in Maryland the party would not now be in its present deplorable condition.

—It is very hard to tell whether married people are happier than single ones, or whether single persons are most blest. A lady correspondent, after giving to the subject much thought, concludes thus: "On the whole, I should say, if pushed closely for a serious answer, that those who have been married would have been much happier if they had remained single, and that those who live and die in single blessedness would have been more blessed had they married."

—Hair-switch swindlers are operating all over the country. They gather together all the loose hair that the young ladies have saved from combings, promising, for a very small consideration, to make it into switches, and then they steal out of town. "Forewarned, forearmed." Lookout for them.

—There are five Democratic aspirants for the Register's office in Talbot county. Not so with the office here, the office-seekers seeming to ignore it in their aspirations. When last elected, the present incumbent, Mr. Edw. W. LeCompte, had a clear field both before the Democratic Nominating Convention and before the people.

—The committee to examine a site for the new post office in Baltimore, have reported in favor of the lot between Baltimore and Fayette sts., and Holiday and North streets—the lot in front of the new city hall. Mr. Kimmell has introduced a bill in Congress appropriating one million of dollars for the purchase of the site and the construction of the building.

—Berlin, in Worcester county, has an amateur dramatic association, and the programme for the 21st calls for "Ten Nights in a Bar Room." We don't know what the rendition of such a play here would yield financially, but we do know of some people who would put up a pretty heavy bonus for the privilege of opening a bar room ten nights in Cambridge.

—We are glad that the *Era* has found out that there is a shipyard and a marine railway here.—*News.* We have known it for some time, Joseph, but it has changed hands so often that we were afraid to say anything about it, for fear that outsiders would look upon it as a wishy-washy concern. If you want your business advertised, you must pay for it; and we do not know of any better way than through the columns of the ERA.

—We are informed, says the Seaford, Del., *Index*, that last week, Rev. T. J. Williams, of Millington, Md., former pastor of the M. E. Church of this town, was suddenly attacked with a paralytic stroke, and was unconscious and speechless for several hours. Medical aid was procured, and on Monday last, his physician pronounced his symptoms for recovery favorable.

—Mr. Shufflebothum, who more than a year ago purchased the farm adjoining the Shoal Creek land and the farm of W. W. Byrn, Esq., will shortly return to Minnesota, from whence he came. He says, however, that he is much pleased with Cambridge and the country generally, but as he owns considerable property in the West he thinks he should be there to look after it.

—Capt. T. Jas. Frazier, proprietor of the Maryland Central Hotel, in this town, died on Friday evening of last week, and on the following Sunday afternoon his remains were interred in the burying-ground on the farm of his brother, Capt Chas. Frazier, in the Neck district. He was one of the most respected and valued citizens of Dorchester, and his loss is a source of deep sorrow to his many relations and friends.

—Says the Easton *Star* of Tuesday: A little child, three years old, of Mr. James Jackson, of this county, was born with both feet so twisted that they turned bottom upward, causing it to walk on its insteps. It was taken to Philadelphia, and Dr. Charles D. Green cut the leaders of the foot, ankle and heel, without cutting the outside skin, bringing the feet perfectly straight, and the child walks in the walking splints, as well as if the feet had been straight at birth

—There seems to be a general dullness in the oyster trade, which is mainly attributable to the small demand for them in the West in comparison to the demand of previous seasons. The oyster in the West is regarded as a luxury, and one that can be dispensed with in universally hard times. When times once more get good, the oyster business will revive. Until then, it will not be much better than it is now. This is a statement of the whole matter in a nutshell.

—The number of Maryland Republicans who think they are eminently fitted for the position of Collector at the Port of Baltimore far exceed those who are ambitious to be the standard-bearer of their party in the next Gubernatorial race. Names of gentlemen from all parts of the State have been suggested for the former, but for the latter Hon. Lloyd Lowndes is the only one yet spoken of. The unexpected and overpowering love recently manifested by all wings and factions of the Democracy for Hamilton has doubtless contributed greatly to this indifference on the part of Republicans to Gubernatorial honors.

—A pretty story is told in the local columns of the *Springfield Republican* of two children who went to church together. They took a seat near the front, and after the minister had got well into his sermon the smaller child whispered to his sister that he would like to go home. Those who sat behind them heard the little girl tell him that he must not go without asking the minister's permission, so hand in hand they left their seats, and standing before the clergyman, the little chap lisped out his petition. The minister was naturally surprised, but without interrupting his discourse nodded assent. That did not satisfy the children, and again the boy asked permission to go and was answered by another nod. Then the little girl, fearing the minister had not understood her brother, said, "Please, sir, may brother and I go home?" The minister stopped and verbally granted the request, and with a sweet "thank you, sir," and a courtesy the children went down the aisle together. The minister happened to be one from out of town, and after the service, he was quite anxious to know if that pretty custom was a common one in Westfield.

Westward Bound.

The Cecil *Whig* says: "A strange looking team came into the Farmer's Hotel yard, on Friday evening of last week. T. J. Eisely, his wife and two children, aged three and six years respectively, were the occupants. They had come from Cambridge, Dorchester county, and were enroute to Merrick county, Nebraska. Mr. Eisely, has been engaged in farming near Cambridge, but being desirous of securing a place of his own, he determined to emigrate to the "Mighty West.'

Failing to dispose of his stock and implements at a reasonable price, he concluded to travel overland and take what he could with him. The two horses he drove were fine-looking animals, and the wagon was a light-running vehicle, about nine feet long, with a cover of heavy canvass painted black. A stove by which to cook was erected in the wagon, the pipe extending out through the top of the covering.

Mr. Eisely expressed the belief that he would reach his destination about the middle of April. In order to do this, he would have to travel, in all sorts of weather, at the rate of twenty miles a day, for five days in the week, and rest the remaining two.

—The County Commissioners met on Tuesday last; present, Messrs F. B. Clifton and W. W. Mace, Mr. Jones being absent on account of sickness. A number of small bills were examined and ordered to be paid.—Messrs. R. L. J. Smith, B. Conway and William G. Smith, were appointed as a committee to superintend the construction of landings for the new ferry across the Nanticoke river at Harrisontown. The clerk was directed to give notice that road supervisors will be appointed at the next meeting; and also to notify collectors of taxes for 1877, and all previous levies, that their accounts must be closed at the April term of the circuit court. Adjourned to meet at their office Tuesday, February 25th, and, by request of a large number of those who are directly interested, they will also meet on the following day, Wednesday, February 26th, at Hurlock's Station, for the purpose of examining the proposed new roads from that point to the Nanticoke river.

—Here is an item from a newspaper writer who either drew upon his imagination or whose credulity was imposed upon. At least no one on Hooper's Island, whereon is Tolley's Point, knows of such a character as is herein mentioned:

Henry Cornish, (colored) of Tolley's Point, Dorchester county, Md., is conceded to be the oldest man living in the State. At the breaking out of the War of 1812 he was forty years old, and is at the present time in his one hundred and seventh year. He was in his youth the slave of Joshua Tolly, with the family of whose grandson he still lives and is kindly cared for by them. This remarkable negro has lost his hearing, eyesight and memory, his form is bent double, and he walks like a quadruped.

—The venerable Judge Giles, of the United States District Court, who at one time was so ill that his life was despaired of, is recovering, and will soon be able to resume his duties on the bench. R. Stockett Matthews, and other prominent Maryland Republicans, who are exceedingly anxious to step in the old gentleman's shoes, will consequently have to wait awhile longer. Meanwhile each will have an eye single to the Judge's bodily condition, ever upon the lookout for the slightest indication of indisposition on his part, in order that he may be in time to hasten to Washington and push his claims. They don't wait any more until an office-holder's breath leaves him before they go for the place.

—Look on this picture:

There is not one contract or the prospect of a contract for the building of a vessel of any kind given out in Dorchester, and no indication in any of the shipyards that a vessel will be built this season. For the fifty past years, no matter how dull it was in the freight trade, vessels of various classes have been built in the county just as regularly as the seasons came and went, and often twenty to thirty vessels would be launched each year. But it looks now as if the trade had ceased, and vessel building has become with us one of the past industries.—*News, January 18th.*

Then on this:

Mr. Jos. Brooks, one of the best builders in the State, has received a contract to build a schooner, and has about closed in with another contract to build a large sloop. Mr. Wm. J. Lambdin, a splendid ship-builder, has contracted to build a good size vessel, and the work at the Cambridge marine railway is brisker than ever known at this season of the year.—*News, February 8th.*

Comment is unnecessary.

—The Baltimore *American* claims a larger circulation than any other paper south of Mason and Dixon's Line; while the *Sun* boasts of a larger circulation than all the other Baltimore daily papers combined. There is a fib somewhere, but we hardly think it is the *American* man. He was never known to tell but one fib, and, though that was a whopper, his intimate friends have frequently assured us he is very sorry for it. We allude of course to his State electrifying fib.

—The river and harbor appropriation bill, which was concluded by the house committee on commerce on Wednesday last and ordered reported to the House, contains the following appropriations for Maryland waters: Baltimore harbor, $100,000; Pocomoke, $2,500; Queenstown, $3,000; Cambridge, $2,500; Breton Bay, at Leonardtown, $4,000; Wicomico river, $3,000.

—The second session of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, assembled in Baltimore on Wednesday last. The morning was consumed in the installation of the newly-declared officers. Supreme Vice Chancellor G. W. Lindsay performed the ceremony of installation.

—Since Dr. Mary Walker's pension has been increased to $20 per month, peace and quietness have reigned supreme in an around the Departments at Washington.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Letter from Vienna.

A protracted meeting is now in progress at the M. P. Church here. A very zealous interest seems to be manifested on the part of the ministers in charge for the spiritual welfare of our community. Thus far there have been no conversions.

It is said that the next candidate for Clerk of the county of the Democratic party will hail from this town. Mr. Hurlock is a man who is not only popular with his own party, but no doubt will receive the hearty support of many Republicans, if he receives the nomination.

Capt. Wm. Hurley, of Drawbridge district, who has been suffering for a long time from dropsy, died on Tuesday last, February 4, at an advanced age. His brother, Ichabod Hurley, is also confined to his bed, suffering extremely from paralysis. This is the sixth person that has died in Drawbridge since December 1st.

The steamer W. D. Morton, plying between this place and Seaford, which was cut through by the ice about Christmas, has been repaired, and resumed her regular route Thursday last. This boat is a great benefit to the people of this town and vicinity, and ought to be well patronized. The officers are very efficient and accommodating in the discharge of their duties.

The Nanticoke Steam Mill, which has been closed since the 24th of December, will open on Monday next. This enterprise is a great convenience to people of this town and the surrounding country. No one knows how to appreciate the benefits of this mill until the dry season comes, when water-mills generally go dry. At such times grists are brought here from a distance of fifty miles.

A number of our citizens are making preparations for the coming fishing season, in the way of knitting seines and repairing and building boats. Though notwithstanding the fact that a great many of our citizens have lost considerable during the past three years, by engaging in this business, they still hope, and even prophecy, of this one being a good fishing season. The coming of the shad is anticipated by us as a time of feasting.

Several of our citizens were aroused from their slumbers at an early hour one morning last week, by the cries and exclamations of a crazy colored woman, announcing to them the fact that Judgment Day had come. It is said that the warning with which she confronted one of our young married men made him take to his heels. The physic of an oak stick soon quieted her.

One of our young men, having come to the conclusion that he never should be able to secure one of the fair sex to help him on in his troubles through life, has had a large rag baby made, and takes it to bed with him every night. It is but natural to suppose that whenever trouble assails him, he tries to make the fact known to his lifeless companion. Will not some young lady, either of this town or elsewhere, take pity on this young man, try to win his affections and save him from a lunatic asylum.

The ladies and gentlemen of this town have formed themselves into a society, which is known as the "Vienna Reading Circle." They meet at some private house every Tuesday night in each week, and read such selections as can be obtained. The initiation fee is ten cents; besides this, each one pays ten cents a month as dues. The proceeds go towards purchasing books, papers, &c., for the use of the Circle. The exercises are said to be very interesting and useful, and highly entertaining.

February 12. JUSTICE.

—The Easton *Gazette* exhorts the Republicans of Talbot to pick out very good men for the county offices becoming vacant next fall, and thinks that they had better be up and doing in the matter at once. It deprecates the old custom of waiting until the eve of election before making up the ticket, and says that the Democrats can teach them a thing or two in that line, "for they have been taking soundings for several weeks to find the most available men." Here in Dorchester the Democracy have about completed their work of "taking soundings." The slate has been made up for some time. All that is necessary to complete the farce is to await the assembling of the County Convention and ratify the nominations. Then the campaign will open in earnest, and the candidates will be as merry as a marriage bell until after the votes are counted, when they will look as if they had been engaged to act as pall-bearers the remainder of the year.

—The Salisbury *Advertiser* complains of the remissness of the commissioners of Wicomico and the neighboring counties in not requiring of the collectors a more persistent effort in their duties. Thousands of dollars of taxes have been returned as uncollectable, mainly for the reason that no determined attempt has been made to collect them. "It is about time that the people were brought to understand that if one cannot pay the taxes on the land it should pass into other hands, where the taxes can be collected. Some people who are really no abler than the others, have to pay all the taxes, merely because they pay on call. The others refuse and the collectors neglect to compel them, and will continue to do so as long as the commissioners will permit them to be returned insolvent."

—It was at Snow Hill that the license was issued. They had always said they would not wed until age had given them sufficient reliance and courage to confidently battle with life, and most religiously have they kept their word. He was eighty-five in December and she will be forty-one in May.

—The bailiff has put Muse street in good traveling condition by the addition of a coat of shells. He is now at work on Race street.

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The benefits of lime as a fertilizers has been known from a very remote period. Its properties as a sweetener of course, sour grape lands are such as to exceed those of any other known manure. On such lands the effects of lime seem little short of magical. The better sorts of grasses, whose seed must have lain dormant, fructify and replace the coarser sorts, and a deep green, highly nutritious herbage succeeds where cattle would scarcely feed before. The effect of lime is not evanescent, and after one or two good dressings the land will require little further treatment for years, thus making it the cheapest and best fertilizer in the market. Lime of itself does not contain all the constituents necessary for the proper fertilization of some soils; potash and soda are also required. Mr. Lee's Agricultural Lime is a combination of lime, potash, soda and sulphuric acid, which has been in successful use for many years, the best proof of which is that the sales have greatly increased year by year from the time of its first introduction. It has been used for wheat, oats, cotton, tobacco, sweet potatoes, grass, &c., and the tobacco planters find it, to use their own expression, "as good as any other fertilizer in the market," whilst it is obtained at a much less cost, the lime being $15, the others $50 per ton. Many claim it as fully equal, and the greater number that it surpasses in yield the higher priced fertilizers. Such has been the experience of hundreds who have used and who are continuing to use it; some, in fact, state that its effect on their land is superior even to that of Peruvian guano. It can be obtained in any quantities of Mr. L. J. Warren, 18 East Falls avenue, the sole agent north of Virginia, who also will be pleased to furnish descriptive pamphlets containing various testimonials, as well as any information as to quantities required, manner of using for each and every crop, &c., where such information is asked for by mail or personal application.

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Representative Wright, of Pennsylvania, wants Congress to give $500 to every poor man in the country. This ought to make him immensely popular with country editors.

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AN ANXIOUS MOTHER SAVES HER CHILD.

Hoping my feeble but honest statement may reach the eye of some anxious mother, I cheerfully write the details of the sickness of my child, who is nine years old. She was taken sick in the year 1867. She had a dreadful cough, and raised frightful quantities every time she coughed. I employed several prominent physicians. Still, I could daily see the flesh wasting from her bones, until every physician who attended her pronounced her case hopeless. Indeed she had got so low and far gone that no one expected she would live from one hour to another. Though not thinking I could save her, I felt that, as long as life existed, I must continue trying. While in this despairing state of mind I was advised to try Vegetine, and, although I did not indulge in the least hope, I commenced it by giving small doses, and I could see her revive under its influence. I followed on regularly until the direful disease, scrofula, showed itself, by sores appearing and discharging, one at a time, until there were five large running sores right opposite her lungs, which seemed firmly ingrafted into the system. Still, after these sores appeared she began to mend rapidly. I gave the vegetine more freely then, and this was the only medicine searching enough to bring it out. Finally the sores commenced to heal, and they disappeared in the same way as they came—one at a time—and at the end of six months from the time I commenced to give her Vegetine every sore had disappeared, and she was completely cured. She is now enjoying good health, with no signs of scrofula or consumption. It shows conclusively that Vegetine saved her life, and I do not hesitate to proclaim it as the most indispensable article of medicine that has been discovered.

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MR. H. R. STEVENS:

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[Extract from the report of the Centennial Commissioners.]

"This paint is quite different from paints in general use. * * * Work which has been done with it, some of it exposed for years to the moist atmosphere of the sea-shore, establishes its great durability. * * * It is mixed ready for use, easily applied, of great beauty, and is economical."

[Extract from the report of the French (Centennial) Commission.]

"It possesses merits unattainable by the old method of combining paint. * * * It can be applied with great facility and perfect regularity; dries with a rich, glossy surface, and will not chalk or crack off. * * * It never separates, is always ready for use, and will not spoil when exposed to the air. * * * It can be applied by any one, whether a practical painter or not."

The Averill Chemical Paint has now been before the public over twelve years, and in spite of great opposition has pushed itself rapidly into every State in the Union by its own merits, gaining ground steadily, winning each succeeding day new friends, until we now rank among the foremost of the business enterprises of the age.

In the Averill Chemical Paint will be found the following good qualities:

1. Durability. Far in excess of that possessed by any other paint.

2. Its readiness for application, from the package in which it is furnished, causes a saving of time, labor and material, which together with there being no waste, makes the most convenient paint ever made.

3. Its universal adaptability. In all uses for paint this is the best. It works equally well over wood, brick, stone, iron and plaster; adhering firmly; giving a rich and uniform tint.

4. Its resistance of water. It furnishes a firmer and better protection against water than any other paint in use. Under a storm, even though it has been applied but a few minutes, this paint does not wash or run.

5. Fire-proof. Its combination chemically produces a material unequalled for protection against flames or heat, and equal to a sheathing of metal.

6. Iron Work. For plain or architectural iron work, it will prove far more durable and beautiful than other. It will prevent corrosion, and forms a coat that no ordinary pressure of the atmosphere or elements can force moisture through.

7. For Roofs, tin or wood, it is unsurpassed, being a perfectly water-proof coating, and does not impregnate the water, nor will it crack and blister, as is the case with innumerable "roof-paints" now on the market.

8. Its beauty and retention of color is apparent wherever used. It has a lively, brilliant appearance, which at first sight resembles that produced by the finer varnishes—no varnish however enters its composition.

9. Its cost is no more than pure lead and oil—which is unmixed and not ready for use—whereas the Averill Chemical is already for use, and will cover more surface than any other paint.

EXTRACTS FROM THE PRESS.

[From the American Agriculturist.]

"We recommend those who are going to paint to use it."

[From the Cultivator and Country Gentleman.]

"We have given these paints a full trial, and they possess all the merits claimed for them."

[From Moore's Rural New Yorker.]

"To those who wish a durable article, we commend the Averill Paint."

[From the Rural American.]

"The Averill Chemical Paint is all that it is represented to be."

[From the Manufacturer and Builder.]

"This paint should have the preference above all others."

[From the Western Rural.]

"We have watched it for several years, and it is all it is represented."

[From the American Rural Home.]

"In all cases it has proved superior to any other paint."

[From the Manufacturer's Journal.]

"We have no hesitation in saying that it is unequaled."

[From the Horticulturist.]

"We could not wish for a better paint."

[From the New York Tribune.]

"It is so generally used that it is regarded as superior to all other paints."

[From the New York Observer.]

"From our own experience we have no hesitation in recommending it as a paint that will stand."

[From the Methodist.]

"It only requires publicity to have its adoption and use become universal."

[From the Christian Weekly.]

"From a through knowledge of its merits, we cheerfully recommend it."

[From the Phrenological Journal.]

"This meritorious article, wherever it has been properly tested, has gained the heartiest expressions of approval."

[From Scribner's Monthly.]

"It is beyond question superior to any other in the market."

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"We have used the Averill in large quantities, and unhesitatingly pronounce it a very superior paint."

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"The perfect superiority of this paint is now an established fact."

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Does not fade or chalk off, but retains freshness and brilliancy for many years, will last much longer than the best lead and oil mixed in the old way.

Is a strictly first-class paint, ready for use, convenient, permanent, handsome, easily applied, economical, fire-proof, water-proof, preservative of iron, wood, plaster, and is suitable for all climates.

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Perfectly pure white, all shades, of buff, drab, stone, brown, sky blue for piazza ceilings, French grey, and all tints	$2 00
Inside white	2 25
Averill chemical red, for brick work	2 00
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Averill chemical green, for sash and iron work, (very dark)	3 00
Averill chemical maroon, deep shade, for sash or blinds	3 00
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