

BY THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT Showing the condition of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Carroll County, Md., December 16th, 1895.

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES, listing various financial items and their values.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF Newspaper and Job Printing Outfit.

In Union Bridge, Carroll County, Md. By virtue of the power and authority contained in a certain mortgage...

THE YELLOW HARDWARE STORE.

TO THE PUBLIC. Having opened a HARDWARE STORE at East Main St., opp. Catholic Church...

NO. 3402 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County in Equity. James H. Billingsley, Assignee of Mortgage...

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CARROLL CO.

Sitting as a Court of Equity. NO. 3248 EQUITY. Elisha H. Bennett, Assignee of Mortgage...

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The undersigned, having been elected General Agent of the Dug Hill Fire Insurance Company...

FOR RENT.

Two desirable Horses and Lots, comfortably stabling several horses and cow...

SALES-AGENTS WANTED FOR.

Made to Measure and Ready Made Clothing by Sample. Very low prices for best...

"THE MODEL EMPORIUM."

For the Democratic Advocate. BY NEMO.

THEO. DERR & SONS,

WESTMINSTER, MD.

Some Rambling Thoughts. Confucian Philosophy. A Snake Story. The Letters "J" and "W."

This week we inaugurate a Great Sale of Ladies' and Children's FINE SHOES.

Never before in shoe selling history have such Wonderful Values been offered this community. Special inducements throughout our entire SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Lot 1 consists of Ladies' Dongola and Vici Kid Button and Lace Boots, square and pointed toes, patent tips and tips of same, all sizes and styles, every pair worth from \$2.50 to \$3.00; our special price only \$1.97 a Pair.

Lot 2 is made up of an assorted lot of Ladies' and Children's Shoes, solid leather and all styles, positive value \$1.25; our price now 75c a Pair.

One lot Ladies' Cloth Overgaiters, actual value 50c a pair, all sizes; to close out 19c a Pair.

Having procured the services of a first-class licensed plumber and gas fitter from Baltimore, who understands his business, I can guarantee all plumbing in a sanitary manner...

INTERESTING NEWS FROM OUR COAT DEPARTMENT.

We have made our last Great Price Reduction. Our prices have been cut Down! Down! until they are now way below the cost to manufacture.

This week we place on sale about 50 Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, new shapes and materials, in all sizes; they have been reduced from \$7.88 and \$10 to \$3.95 for Choice.

One lot Children's Long Coats, sizes 6, 8 and 10 years, large, full sleeves, new styles, worth \$5.00; reduced to \$1.90 Each.

P. S.—If you have not secured your share of those lovely 50c and 75c Dress Goods we have been selling so many of at 25c a yard, come quick; there is not much left.

DERR'S MODEL EMPORIUM,

WESTMINSTER, MD.

PUBLIC SALE OF A DESIRABLE FARM. Adjoining the Corporate Limits of the City of Westminster.

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Francis A. Wampler to the Westminster Savings Institution...

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The improvements are a large and comfortable 2-story log and weatherboarded dwelling house, large bank barn, wagon shed...

This property is situate in Myers' district, Carroll County, Md. near the public road leading from the Littlestown Turnpike...

With such a view of life cannot we recognize as well and give contentment to ourselves. One more thought, too great for this pen to worthily treat, and these rambling thoughts close.

Finally:—Confucius says "the disease of men is this: They neglect their own fields and go to weed the fields of others."

The authorities of Jerusalem decreed, "Let every man sweep in front of his own door, as it leaves our hands."

The Bible says "Cast out first the beam of thine own eye and then shalt thou see clearly to pluck out the mote that is in thy brother's eye."

"No, papa, I do not want to marry yet. When I do, I want a man who does not drink, chew, smoke, snuff, go out of nights, game, bet, over-eat, etc., in short, a man with no vices, and one who is always good."

"My daughter," said her papa, "you are but a stranger here, Heaven is your home."

Sam Jones says: "If all the wealth of the United States were divided out today each man would get about \$1,600 and in less than six months some fellows would be riding in palace cars, and others would be walking cross ties howling for another day."

When a scholar speaks what he ought not to speak, by guile of speaking seeking to gain some end, and when he does not speak what he ought to speak, by guile of silence seeking to gain some end, both these cases are of a piece with breaking through a neighbor's wall.

The superior man has two things in which he delights, and to ruler over the empire is not one of them. That his father and mother are both alive and that his condition of his brothers affords no cause for anxiety, this is one delight; that when looking up he has no occasion for shame before heaven, and below he has no occasion to blush before men, this is a second delight.

Great men are they who see that spiritual is stronger than any material force—that thoughts rule the world.

If a man really has an idea he can communicate it; and if he has a clear one, he will communicate it clearly.

Show us the man who never makes a mistake and we will show a man who never makes any.

The mind grows narrow in proportion as the soul grows corrupt.

THE QUALITIES WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE SUCCESS.

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