LOCAL MATTERS:

COMPTON ELECTED.

Vote in the Fifth Congressional District

The following is the vote of the Fifth Congressional District as published in the Baltimore *Sun* yesterday. The accurate returns as compiled by the *Sun* gives Mr. Compton a majority. The following is the vote in detail:

St. Mary's.—Compton, 1565; Mudd, 1754; Hellen, 22.

Charles.—Compton, 1714; Mudd, 1863; Hellen, 3.

Calvert.—Compton, 901; Mudd, 1166; Hellen, 64.

Prince George's.—Compton, 3072; Mudd, 3006; Hellen, 17.

Anne Arundel.—Compton, 2771; Mudd, 3010; Hellen, 128.

Howard.—Compton, 1764; Mudd, 1550; Hellen, 50

Balto. county, 1st district.—Compton, 676; Mudd, 459; Hellen, 23

Balto county, 13th district.—Compton, 346; Mudd, 291; Hellen, 5.

15th Ward, 6th precinct.—Compton, 198; Mudd, 223; Hellen, 3.

15th Ward, 7th precinct.—Compton, 168; Mudd, 173; Hellen, 3.

16th Ward, 1st precinct.—Compton, 146; Mudd, 223

17th ward.—Compton, 2310; Mudd, 1917; Hellen, 27.

18th Ward, 1st precinct.—Compton, 154; Mudd, 175; Hellen, 1.

21st Ward, 7th precinct.—Compton, 174; Mudd, 125; Hellen, 7.

21st Ward, 8th precinct.—Compton, 147; Mudd, 172; Hellen, 4.

21st Ward, 9th precinct.—Compton, 175; Mudd, 126; Hellen, 5.

Compton (dem.) 16,281.

Mudd (rep.) 16 224.

Hellen (pro.) 362.

Compton's majority 57.

The County.

We have not the heart to say much of last Tuesday's contest. The victory is with the enemy and it is their time for rejoicing. A study of the official election returns from the county published elsewhere will shew, however, that many of the districts did well for the Democracy—exceeding well—but in the strongholds of Republicanism in the county the strength of "our friends the enemy" was thrown and concentrated, and in the three districts of Port Tobacco, Harris' Lot and Patuxent City their majorities were obtained; though we must congratulate the Democracy of No. 5 (Harris' Lot) for the earnest and noble work that was performed there in behalf of their party. This is a hot bed of Republicanism, here they have to fight almost insurmountable obstacles in the way of an overwhelming majority and a well organized enemy, and yet they have succeeded in reducing the Republican vote by a flattering figure. Port Tobacco another stronghold, did not hold her own, though when it is considered that this is the home of the majority of the leaders and the place were all the schemes are hatched and laid the result here, though deplorable, is not surprising. In the Democratic districts of the county the result is not what we had been led to hope for, though we believe all did their duty and have no fault to find. We have not gone [illegible] contest with the prestige of victory, but we have confidence, unbounded confidence, in the Democracy of old Charles and we believe and hope that in the local contest of next fall our shattered forces will come courageously into the breech and will so charge the enemy that victory will again perch upon our banners. Work now and work always to secure this result.

An Awkward Complication.

The new election law, under which the last election was held, has caused much complication among the election judges in making their returns to the clerk of the court. The law requires that at the close of the election, in every voting precinct, after the vote is counted and cast up one set of returns showing the result of the election together with the ballots shall be locked in the ballot box and this box securely sealed, the chief judge taking charge of the box and the minority judge taking the key, and that one set of returns shall be returned to the clerk together with the ballot box, the latter to be kept by him intact, the seal unbroken, until the expiration of six months when the box is opened and the ballots destroyed. In making the returns on Tuesday a very serious complication arose, inasmuch as the judges of the fifth and ninth districts of our county had locked all the certificates of the result of the election in the box with the ballots leaving nothing to show what had been the result of the election in those districts. The clerk is required to transmit to the Governor a complete return of the vote of the county, and here the awkwardness of this complication arises, for the judges from Nos. 5 and 9 have nothing to show officially what was the result in those districts. Under the law these boxes cannot be opened for six months by *any one* except in case of a contested election, when the Circuit Judge has the power to open them. In view of this fact we can give no official figures of the vote of the county at Tuesday's election in these two districts, the figures in our table from the [illegible] taken from the Baltimore *Sun*. This [illegible] ward complication and one that will r[illegible] a judicial interpretation to unravel. We wait with some interest the outcome.

A Representative House.

It gives us no little pleasure to refer our readers to Oehm's Acme Hall advertisement elsewhere appearing in this issue. This firm occupies the most spacious clothing establishment in Baltimore and the South, and enjoys facilities and exceptional advantages possessed by no other house in the trade. Their reputation for fair and square dealing with the public, and for general liberality is widely extended; and their productions are the highest exponents of artistic skill and design. The partners are active and energetic young men who are identified with many of the leading business enterprises; benevolent movements and Christian charities of the day. The senior member of the house, Mr. C. H. Oehm, is a Mason and a member of the Order of Heptasophs, and other similar organizations. It would be well worth the time taken to visit their immense stores whenever in Baltimore and observe the comforts and conveniences this great enterprise provides for its patrons and visitors.

The Mother's Candidate

is the clothier who gives her boy the best and warmest clothing at the lowest prices. We sell a boy's good suit at $2.50 to better at $3.00 and best from $4.00 up. Overcoats from $5 to $20 all made right here. Bell Clothing Company, Pratt street adjoining Hanover Balto., Md.

Babies are too highly prized to permit them to suffer with colic, flatulence, etc., when Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will at once relieve them. Price 25 cts.

ELECTION RETURNS: 1888.

CHARLES COUNTY OFFICIAL:

CANDIDATES.	DISTRICTS 1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	Total
For President:										
Grover Cleveland (dem)	174	176	214	250	191	218	129	269	98	1719
Benjamin Harrison (rep)	267	178	185	237	274	184	125	255	149	1854
For Congress:										
Barnes Compton	172	178	213	256	191	215	132	268	89	1714
Sydney E. Mudd	268	176	184	231	274	186	122	264	158	1863

Fisk, Prohibition candidate for President, received 19 votes; and Hellen for Congress 3 votes in the county.

None Here.

It will be remembered that the last issue of the *Independent* contained a warning to republican voters to be on the lookout for bogus tickets, saying that it had come to their knowledge that Republican tickets containing the name of Compton for Congress were in circulation. Now we believe this statement to have been entirely a creation of the imagination of the writer, as we do not think or believe that any such tickets were in the county at the time or even thought of by the Democrats. In support of this we have the fact that while several, indeed very many republicans in the county did vote for Mr. Compton in connection with their electoral ticket it was always done by scratching the name of Mudd and writing that of Compton, or by the more simple use of "pasters." Had the tickets spoken of been here for the use of those people, it would have been very easy for those Republicans who voted for Mr. Compton to have used them, but after careful inquiry in all the districts we have failed to hear of a single one coming out of the box. A little less suspicion at election times would be more conducive to good fellowship all around we believe, and it strikes us that those who are so suspicion are apt to be guilty of some illegitimate action from which they are trying to divert attention.

Robt. Crain Defeated.

While we have enough to deplore at home in our own defeat, after a hard fought struggle, we must nevertheless offer a word of condolence to our fellow countyman, Robert Crain Esq., who suffered defeat in the 13 h ward of Baltimore city for a seat in the first branch of the city council. Mr. Crain had a peculiar fight on his hands. He sought and received the endorsement of his party at the primary meeting and was regularly and fairly nominated. After his nomination, however, Thornton Rollins, also a Democrat and the present member of the council from the ward, announced himself as an independent candidate for re-election. He was at once taken up by the Republicans and received their endorsement. With the prestige of a previous election and a good record coupled with the support of his political opponents he was enabled to defeat Mr. Crain by a small majority. Bob made a gallant and noble fight against this combined opposition and his defeat was entirely unexpected by his friends. His strenuous efforts will result, however, to ultimate advantage as he has proven himself an able and earnest campaigner and a staunch Democrat. His party will yet honor him.

Bad Colds.

Bad colds are now epidemic. There seems to be a quality in the atmosphere which produces this, rather than mere changes of temperature. The attacks are more like hay fever or a mild form of epizootic, which effects the nose and throat and dulls energy and produces a relaxed condition of the system, which is too intolerable to be borne patiently and yet which does not quite reach the point of calling in a physician. Doubtless the pollen of some plant or weed, which the wet, cool summer peculiarly developed, is in the air and being inhaled, causes an irritation which produces more sneezing to the minute than human nature can endure patiently. Many feel as if their heads were loose upon their shoulders from the jarring they have received from those soulful explosions which seem to come from the bottom of their hearts. The ordinary remedies for colds in the head and throat do not prove efficicacious with the prevailing malady and this would sustain our theory that it is the quality and not the temperature of the atmosphere which in conducive to these symptons The fall has mainly been beautiful; the weather mildly cold and the autumn foliage abundant and of the most pronounced colors. Never did grove or forest put on a more striking tints and doubtless, the same conditions which produced these rendered equally exuberant some mischievous plant which is now amusing itself tickling our nostrils and encrusting our wind pipes. There is no rose without its thorn, and no beautiful autumn without some unpleasant drawback. Hence the general disposition to draw back—and sneeze.—*Baltimore News.*

Laws Relating to Newspaper

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions. 2. If the subscribers order the discontinuation of their periodicals, the publisher may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid. 3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible until they have settled their bills, and ordered them discontinued. 4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction they are held responsible. 5. The courts have decided "that refusing to take periodicals from the office, or removing them and leaving them uncalled for is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud." 6. Any person who receives a newspaper and makes use of it, whether he has ordered it or not, is held in law to be a subscriber. 7. If subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice to the publisher at the end of their time, if they do not wish to continue taking it otherwise the publisher is authorized to send it on, and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice, with payment of all arrears, is sent to the publisher.

A Warning.

The modes of death's approach are various and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the Throat and Lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs producing Consumption and to the head, causing Catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It Will give you immediate relief.

A Natural Thermometer.

"The spiders webs that one meets these mornings in the fields and meadows are not so indicative of the kind of weather that we shall have during the day, as some suppose," said a merchant the other day to a New York *Mail* reporter. "It is not exactly true that these spider webs are more abundant on some mornings than on others, and that they presage fair weather. As a matter of fact, during the latter half of summer these webs are about as abundant one day as another, but they are much more noticeable on some mornings than on others, by reason of a heavy dew, which makes them more conspicuous. They are especially noticeable on a foggy morning. These webs are little nets that catch the the fog, and on every little silken thread is strung innumerable minute drops like glass beads. After an hour of sunshine the webs are apparently gone. But they are still there, stretched above the grass at noon, and at sunset as abundant as they were at sunrise, and are then more serviceable to the spiders because they are invisible. The flies and other insects would avoid them in the morning. Farmers consult these little webs as regularly as they would a thermometer, if they had one, and in many houses they often take the place of that instrument. A heavy dew occurs under a clear, cool sky, and the night preceding a day of rain is usually a dewless night. That dew then, means fair weather, and a copious dew discloses the spiders' webs. It is the dew that is significant, and not the webs."

Diphtheria.

Here is a diphtheria remedy extracted from the Belfast (Ireland) *Witness*: "Should you or any of your family be attacked with diphtheria, do not be alarmed, as it is easily and speedily cured without a doctor. When it was raging in England a few years ago I accompanied Dr. Field on his rounds to witness the so-called 'wonderful cures' he performed while the patients of others were dropping on both sides. The remedy is so rapid it must be simple. All he took with him was powder and sulphur and a quill, and with these he cured every patient without exception. He put a teaspoonful of flour of brimstone in a wine glass of water, and stirred with his finger instead of a spoon, as the sulphur does not readily amalgamate with water. When the sulphur was well mixed he gave it as a gargle, and in ten minutes the patient was out of danger. Brimstone kills every species of fungus in man; beast and plant in a few minutes. Instead of spitting out the gargle, he recommended the swallowing of it. In extreme cases, in which he had been called just in the nick of time, when the fungus was too nearly closed to allow the gargling, he blew the sulphur through a quill into the throat, and after the fungus had shrunk to allow of it, then the gargling. He never lost a patient from diphtheria. I a patient cannot gargle take a live coal, put it on a shovel and sprinkle a spoonful or two of flour of brimstone upon it; let the sufferer inhale by holding his head over it."

The Presidential Election

is not more important to you personally than good clothing at lowest possible prices. Best made men's suits from $6.00 to $17.00, overcoats from $5 to $20, boys suits from $2.50 to $12.00, boys overcoats from $2.25 to $14.00 Bell Clothing Company, Pratt street adjoining Hanover, Balto., Md.

Local Brevities.

The agony is over.

The next holiday will be Thanksgiving day, November 29th.

The county commissioners will meet next Tuesday to transact general business.

Miss Bessie Jenifer, of Baltimore county, is visiting her sister Mrs. John H. Mitchell.

Mrs. Geo. A. Huntt has been visiting friends in the county during this week. Mrs. Huntt is looking well.

A purely vegetable, but most efficacious purgative is offered to the public in Laxador. For sale by all druggists. Price only 25 cts.

If you are in need of shoes, slippers or footwear of any description read the advertisement of Wm. Hahn & Co., in this issue. They will supply all your wants in this line at low prices.

The number of birds slaughtered in our county last Tuesday was about equal to the number of candidates who were plucked throughout the country on the same day.

We have been having a delightful Indian summer ever since the beginning of the present month. It has assisted materially in forwarding from work.

To relieve headache, correct disorders of the stomach and increase the appetite, and for the cure of liver complaint, use Ayer's Cathartic Pills. They are perfectly safe to take, and invariably promote a healthy action of the digestive and assimilative organs.

A single bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla will establish the merits of this medicine as a blood purifier. Many thousands of people are yearly cured of chronic diseases by the faithful use of this remedy. It is unequaled for the cure of scrofula.

Our poetic fire has been stifled by the result of Tuesday's vote. The muse cannot be courted in our present frame of mind so we can give our readers naught but plain prose and very little of that. Bear with us friends, we will recover shortly.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. W. Padgett.

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THANKSGIVING DAY.

A Proclamation by the President Setting Apart Thursday, November 29.

A Proclamation by the President of the United States was issued Friday to the following effect:

Constant thanksgiving and gratitude are due from the American people to Almighty God for His goodness and mercy, which have followed them since the day He made them a nation and vouchsafed to them a free government. With loving kindness He has constantly led us in the way of prosperity and greatness. He has not visited with swift punishment our shortcomings, but with gracious care He has warned us of our dependence upon His forbearance, and has taught us that obedience to His holy law is the price of a continuance of His precious gifts.

In acknowledgment of all that God has done for us as a nation, and to the end that on an appointed day the united prayers and praise of a grateful country may reach the Throne of Grace, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November instant, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, to be kept and observed throughout the land.

On that day let all our people suspend their ordinary work and occupations, and in their accustomed places of worship, with prayer and songs of praise, render thanks to God for all his mercies, for the abundant harvest which have rewarded the toil of the husbandman during the year that has passed, and for the rich rewards that have followed the labors of our people in their shops and their marts of trade and traffic. Let us give thanks for peace and for social order and contentment within our borders, and for our advancement in all that adds to national greatness.

And mindful of the afflictive dispensation with which a portion of our land has been visited, let us, while we humble ourselves before the power of God, acknowledge His mercy in the setting bounds to the deadly march of pestilence, and let our hearts be chastened by sympathy with our fellow-countrymen who have suffered and who mourn.

And as we return thanks for all the blessings which we have received from the hands of our Heavenly Father, let us not forget that He has enjoined upon us charity, and on this day of thanksgiving let us generously remember the poor and needy, so that our tribute of praise and gratitude may be acceptable in the sight of the Lord.

Done at the city of Washington, on the first day of November, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, in the year of independence of the United States the one hundred and thirteenth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

By the President:

T. F. BAYARD, Secretary of State.

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Notice To Out Pensioners

Ordered by the Board of Trustees of the poor of Charles county, that all out pensioners in said county be required to renew their petition to said board on or before the 1st day of December 1888. Said petitions to be signed by five respectable taxpayers, who reside in the respective district of the petitioner and who are personally acquainted with the condition and circumstances of the petitioner.

By order of the board,

Nov 2-5t THOMAS M. WELCH, Overseer.

L. HEILBRUN'S

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ALL persons are forwarned not to trespass either with or without dog or gun on my land known as HANNONS HARD BARGAIN Additions, and a part of Foxes Race. The law will be rigidly enforced against all who disregard this notice.

B. W. MOORE.

Notice.

All persons are forewarned not to trespass on my farm "The Highlands," either with or with out dog or gun. The law will be rigidly enforced against all who disregard this notice.

DR ROBT DIGGES,
near Port Tobacco.

Notice.

All persons are forewarned from trespassing on my premises, known as "Johnsontown" and "Holly Hill," either with or without dog or gun. The law will be rigidly enforced against all who disregard this notice

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To enumerate all the different kinds of shoes we keep, requires more space than would cover this paper and we therefore only mention a few of our specialties in

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Gents "Best on the Globe" $3.00 genuine *hand sewed calf shoes.*

Hahn's famous $1.50 calf button, laced and gaiters, *ahead of many*, a $2.50 shoe.

Ladies "Best on the Globe" hand sewed button, of *French Dongola*, Kangaroo or Goat.

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Men's Splendid Working Suits,	5.87½	worth 6.50
Men's Fine All Wool Cashmere Suits	12.50	" 15.00
Men's Fine Cork Screw Dress Suits, in Black and Blue,	12.50,	worth 15.00
Men's Real fine Cork Screw Dress Suits,	16.00	" 18.00
Men's Heavy, Good Over-Coats	4.75	" 5.50
Good Calico at	4	cts. per yard
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Best Calico at	6½	" " "
29 inch Heavy Old Time Calico, or Century Cloth at	8	cts. per yard

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W. HICKS,

White Plains, Chas. Co., Md.

B. & P. R. R.

COMMISSIONERS' MEETING.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS will meet at their office, in Port Tobacco, on

TUESDAY, Nov. 13th, 1888.

to attend to general business and to receive bids for wintering the county mules.

By order of the Board,
BENJAMIN M. EDELEN,
T. F. DALEY, Clerk. President.

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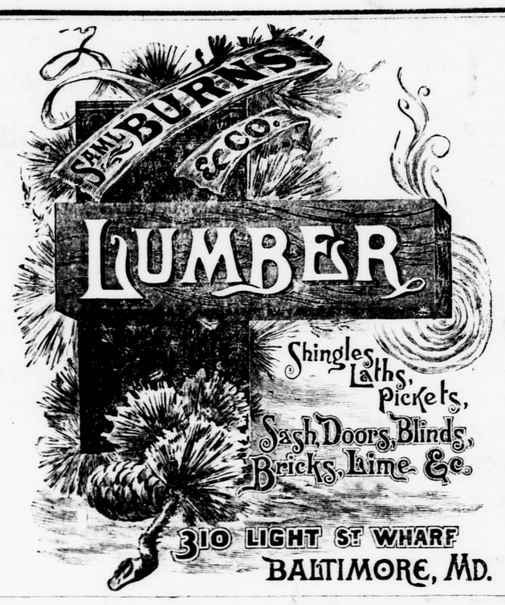
The "Baltimore Bounty" tract, for the year 1889. Apply to

Mrs. MARY E. KEITH
Nov 9 4t. White Plains, Md.

NOTICE.

All persons are forwarned not to trespass either with or without dog or gun on the farm known as "Chandlers Hope," this notice is to *all*, especially election-day hunters. When they are wanted to hunt on the premises they will be invited. The law will be rigidly enforced against all who disregard this notice.

H. HEBER BOSWELL.



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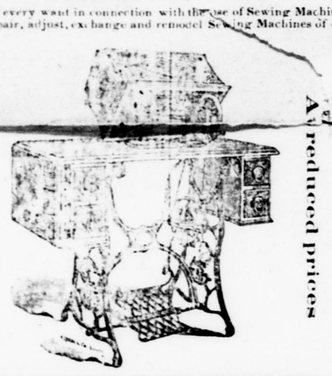

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ORDE[illegible] COURT, that Celestia M. J[illegible] administratrix of Benjamin A. Jame[illegible]ed, give the notice required by law to [illegible] creditors of said. Benjamin A. Jameson, deceased, to exhibit their claims, legally authenicated, by advertisement published in some one newspaper published in Charles County, Maryland once in each of three successive weeks.

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NOTICE.

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BENJAMIN A. JAMESON,

late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally auhenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 28th day of March 1888. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of September, 1888.

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