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NOTICE.

THE undersigned have, from time to time, placed our Fees in the hands of the different Sheriffs and Collectors, to be collected in the usual manner and according to law. We have never warranted nor authorized any one to be warranted for any fee, and we do not recognise any authority to have warrants issued in our names. GEORGE VICKERS,
Aug. 8, 1868-3t. JESSE K. HINES.

NOTICE.

PERSONS owing the CHESTER CEMETERY COMPANY are requested to settle their indebtedness, as the money is wanted to pay for improvements now being contracted for. Those not having complied with the former terms, unless settled for at once, their lots will be resold to the highest bidder to pay balance due on them. The present terms for lots are cash.
By order, JOHN L. STAM,
Aug. 8, 1868—3t. Sec'y and Treas'r.

TAX PAYERS
TAKE NOTICE.

YOUR Tax bills for 1868 are now due and in my hands for collection. I am not only anxious to collect the bills and settle the books during the present year, but parties are urging their claims for payment, which cannot be delayed longer than the first of January next. A prompt settlement therefore is asked

The subscriber will be at Massey's Cross Roads on Wednesday mornings and at Sassafras the afternoons of the same day; at Chesterville on Saturday mornings, and at Millington in the afternoon of the same day; at Galena on Mondays; and will continue to visit said places on the days named in each week until further notice. E. E. MILLER,
aug 1 tf. Collector 1st Dist. Kent co.

NOTICE
To Tax Payers in the 2nd District.

TAXES are due from the first of July. All who pay in August will get 5 per cent. off their State tax, 4 per cent off if paid in September, and 3 off if paid in October.

I hope this notice will be sufficient to induce every person to pay without delay. I will say to those who have not paid last year's taxes that I shall not wait much longer.

Office at Mr. Hayes' store
JACOB SUTTON.
Kennedyville, Aug. 8, 1868—tf.

Tax Notice.

THE undersigned respectfully notifies the Tax Payers of the Third District that their Taxes for the present year are now due, and that he is prepared to receive them.

He may be found at the store of Mr. A. L. Vannort, Hanesville, every day, except Sundays. In case of his absence Mr. Vannort will collect and receipt for him.
THOS. H. KENNARD,
a1-tf. Collector Third District.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

MY TAX BOOKS and Accounts for 1868 are now ready, and persons are earnestly solicited to settle their taxes promptly. The demands upon the Collector this year, both by the State and County, are urgent, and will not permit indulgence.

Those whose taxes for 1866 or 1867 are still unpaid need not expect further indulgence, as I shall be under the necessity of advertising and selling their property unless their accounts are settled at once.
SAMUEL G. COPPER,
Aug. 8—tf. Coll'r 5th District.

Railroad Notice.

THE Stockholders of the Kent County Railroad Company are hereby notified that an instalment of SIX DOLLARS AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER SHARE OF STOCK has been called for by resolution of the Board of Directors of said Company, payable to the Treasurer on or before the first day of September next. C. T. WESTCOTT,
July 25, 1868—6t. Secretary.

Attention Knights!

MANY solicitations having been made for another TOURNAMENT, somewhat on the style of the affair of July 17th, 1867, the undersigned desire letters from young men, desirous of engaging in the Tilt, expressive of their intentions.

Immediate application is desirable; the plans, terms and rules will be furnished in due time.

Remembering the glorious success of the last undertaking, which was unanimously declared to have been the most successful Tournament that had ever taken place in the United States, we appeal, again, to the Chivalrous valor of our young men, and invite them to the trial where honor may be won, and beauty may be crowned.

MILNOR JONES,
T. W. WICKES,
Aug. 1, 68. 3t. C. T. WESTCOTT.

NEW BOUNTIES.
United States Bounties.
State of Maryland Bounties.

AS it is confidently expected that both Congress and the State Legislature will, at their present sessions, enact laws providing Bounty for those Soldiers and Sailors who have never yet received any, it is important that those interested should have their claims in the hands of some one who will look to their interests and see that their claims are put upon file early and in due form for prompt payment.

I shall be glad to receive the papers of any who desire to avail themselves of my experience and facilities in the collection of all just claims.

All papers will be promptly acknowleged, and while in my hands will be kept in a fire and burglar proof vault, specially built for the increasing number of valuable papers in my possession. WM. A. HILL,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
N. E. Cor. of Fayette and St. Paul St.,
jan18. BALTIMORE, MD.

BURNS & SLOAN,
132 Light Street Wharf,

BALTIMORE, MD.,
OFFER FOR SALE A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF WELL-SEASONED
Building Lumber
LATHS AND SHINGLES,
FENCING AND PALES,
ASH, OAK & WALNUT,
AT LOWEST PRICES.
ALSO, DOORS, SASH & BLINDS.
May 16, 1868—y.

Job Lots, for Cash.

WE have reduced our SUMMER STOCK a fraction above cost. All persons in want of Cheap Goods will find them at the Popular Store.

Part of the new system of doing business is prompt settlements. All accounts are now due. We need money very much to meet our engagements, and certainly expect all who are indebted to comply with our terms.

Respectfully, WM. A. VICKERS.
July 25, 1868.

To Executors, Administrators, AND GUARDIANS.

BY the direction and authority of the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, the subscriber hereby respectfully calls the attention of Executors and Administrators to sections 1 and 2 of Article 93 of Code of Public General Laws:

Section 1. Every Administrator shall render to the Orphans' Court of the county in which he shall have obtained letters of Administration, within the period of twelve months from the date of such letters, the first account of his administration.

Section 2. If the first account shall not show the estate which was on hand to be fully administered, another account shall be returned within six months thereafter, and within every term of six months thereafter an account shall be returned, until the estate shall appear to be fully administered; and whenever a discovery or receipt of assets shall take place after rendering an account, another account shall be rendered within six months thereafter; but an administrator shall not be obliged to render accounts when it appears to the Court that the estate has been fully administered; except as to debts which the Court shall deem desperate.

And Guardians to section 165 of same article:

Section 165. And once in each year, or oftener if required by the Court, a guardian shall settle an account of his trust with the Orphans' Court; and the said Court shall ascertain at its discretion the amount of the sum to be annually expended in the maintenance and education of the infant, regard being had to his future situation, prospects and destination; and the said Court, if it deem it advantageous to the ward, may allow the guardian to exceed the income of the estate and to make use of his principal, and sell part of the same under its order; but no part of the real estate shall on account of such maintenance or education be diminished without the approbation of a court of equity as well as of the Orphans' Court.

E. CROUCH,
Reg. of Wills for Kent County.
August 1, 1868—3t.

Strawberry Plants
AND
DWARF PEARS.

I have about **200,000** Strawberry Plants, cultivated expressly for the Plants, which I now offer as low as can be bought of any Nurseryman, embracing the following choice varieties: Wilson's Albany, Agriculturist, Russell's Prolific, Knox's Jucunda or 700, and Golden Seeded.

Also, **5,000** Dwarf Pear Trees, principally Dutchess, *budded on the best two year old transplanted Angers Quince.* of my own importation, from the celebrated nursery of Duvesse & Co., at Orleans, France, that I will warrant equal if not superior to any that can be bought and at as low a price.

For the benefit of those wishing to plant Pear Trees, I will state that I have 2,800, of eight varieties, planted in 1863, and selected from the orchard of a gentleman who had thirty-two varieties, as the only ones worthy of cultivation. My own experience has induced me to discard all but the following, of which I shall plant about 5,000 myself this fall: Beure Gifford, very early; Beure Easter, very late; Louise Bon de Jersey; Duchesse de Angoulene.

For price, &c., address
R. S. EMORY,
a1-2m. Chestertown, Kent co., Md.

NOTICE.

SEALED Proposals will be received by the County Commissioners of Kent County, at their Office in Chestertown, until Tuesday the 19th. day of August next, for rebuilding the ARCHED STONE BRIDGE across the Stream of water at Spry's Gate. Said Bridge to be 12 feet Span, 6 feet from the bottom of the stream and 20 feet in length. The wall to be of Granite and 18 inches thick. Foundation to be upon Piles of sufficient depth to secure the bridge. Any improvement in the mind of the proposer will be put in the Specifications. The stone and fragments of the old bridge to be used by the Contractor at his option.
CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
Aug.1-3t Pres. Board County Comm's.

Order of Ratification.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County as a Court of Equity.—July 29th, 1868.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by George Vickers, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Wm. C. Anderson, deceased, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the first day of October next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed at Chestertown in each of three successive weeks before the first day of September next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $3,422.20.
JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
a1-4t. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

EXAMINERS' NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Commissioners of Kent county, examiners to view and determine whether the public convenience requires the closing of the road now known as the Ship Yard Road, which entert into the Ship Yard Farm at Red-Wood Run and terminates at the public landing at Langford's Bay, and also to have opened a new road leading to said landing, commencing on the public road at a locust tree a little below Wm. P. Francis' lane, and also to have condemned an acre of land contiguous to said public landing, for the purpose of enlarging the same; do hereby give notice to all parties concerned, that they will meet on

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23d, 1868,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., at the gate of Wm. P. Francis, to execute the duties of their commission.

RICHARD W. JONES,
JOHN DOWNEY,
JAMES H. GALE,
Aug, 1, 1868—tm. Examiners.

ICE CREAM, ICE CREAM!

W. HUDGINS would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he has fitted up his Saloon, and is now ready to supply the public with ICE CREAM, CAKES and SODA WATER.

Thankful for past patronage I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

NOTICE, NOTICE!

PARTIES, PIC-NICS, EXCURSIONS and FESTIVALS supplied on the most reasonable terms.

All in want of BREAD, RUSK, PIES and CAKES, wholesale and retail, fresh every day, should apply to
WASHINGTON HUDGINS.
je20-3m, Opposite Post Office.

R. W. RASIN,

51 WEST FAYETTE ST., BALT., Has FARMS in Maryland and Virginia at from $5 to $30 per acre, some of which will produce on an average, without fertilizers, from 25 to 35 bush. wheat and from 40 to 60 of corn; oysters, fish, &c., in abundance. Buildings good. Call on the Editors for pamphlets, giving descriptions. I have hundreds of Farms south of the Potomac. jy11-6t.*

A FARM
AT
PRIVATE SALE.

BECAUSE of my infirm health, I desire to sell my farm in Kent county, State of Maryland, and will sell the same at a fair price and upon liberal terms. It contains about

250 ACRES,

200 of which are arable, and the balance is wood and brush land. The arable land is divided into six fields and under good fencing.—About sixty acres are now well set in Timothy and Clover. It is eligibly located on Fairlee Creek, within a mile of the thrifty village of Bel-Air; about one mile and a half from the Kent County Railroad, now under construction, and six miles from Chestertown; and convenient to churches, schools, mills, &c.

The soil is naturally good and well adapted to grain, grass and fruits.

The Improvements are a Two-Story Frame Dwelling House, with three rooms on the first and four on the second floor and two rooms in the garret, a shed Kitchen attached with a room above, and the usual out-buildings, all nearly new and in good order. A young Apple Orchard of 50 trees in bearing, a Peach Orchard of 300 trees, and various other fruit trees.

This farm is well worth $50 per acre, and I will sell it upon these terms, or make them more liberal:—One-fifth cash; the residue in 1, 2, 3 and 4 years, with interest from the first day of January next, when possession will be given. The deferred payments to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with approved security.

For further information consult my Attorney, R. HYNSON, Esq., at Chestertown, Md.
J. B. FENNIMORE.
August 1, 1868—tf.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at private sale his FARM, situate in Eastern Neck, Kent county, Maryland, containing

70 ACRES,

more or less. About 25 acres in WOOD AND TIMBER, 7 or 8 acres very fine Meadow, and the residue arable. It is divided into 3 fields under good fencing. The soil is naturally good, well adapted to grain, grass, peaches and fruits generally, and also to vegetables.

The location is desirable, being convenient to churches, schools, &c., is only a mile from the Steamboat Landing at Grey's Inn Creek, and not further from the Kent county Railroad which is now under construction.

Any one who wants a peach, fruit and truck farm, should by all means come and examine this, for he will find here all that he needs in location and character of soil.

The Improvements are a Frame Dwelling and the usual Out-buildings in fair order; a PEACH ORCHARD of 250 Trees, in healthy condition and bearing, and Well of most excellent water near the Dwelling.

Any one who may desire to purchase, will please confer with RICHARD HYNSON, Esq., my Attorney, at Chestertown.

My place is worth at least $5000, and I should like to have the payments as follows: one-fourth cash, one-fourth in six months and the remainder in two years.
jy18-6t. JOHN DICKINSON.

VIRGINIA FARM FOR SALE.

THIS valuable Farm, known as "FREEPORT," is situated on the Piankatank river, in the county of Gloucester. Freeport contains

408 ACRES,

about one-fourth of which is well wooded in Pine, Oak, &c., supplying an abundance of timber and fuel for the place. The remainder is open and arable, and in an improving state of cultivation. The open land consists of beautifully situated highlands, with about 150 acres of fertile river flats.

There is a comfortable **Dwelling,** containing six rooms, which is beautifully situated, commanding a fine view of the river and surrounding country.—Barns, Stables and Tenant Houses in good condition. There is also on this Farm a good STORE HOUSE, where a profitable mercantile business might be conducted. The facilities for shipping grain, wood, &c., are most convenient, the river being navigable for large-class vessels, with good landings.

The Farm will be sold a great bargain and payments made easy. H. M. BASH,
Govanstown, Baltimore county, Md.
July 11, 1868—8t.

White Goods!

PLAIN, PLAID and STRIPED SWISSES AND CAMBRICS,
White Organdies, Nainsooks and Victoria Lawns.
Tarlatanes, Lenos, and a full and varied line of White Goods generally; all purchased from the Importers direct, and for sale upon the best terms by THOMAS S. WICKES.
Chestertown, July 18, 1868.

Black Alpacas,

IN rich and general variety, some of them of extra quality. Alpacas in Tan and Mode Colors, received from first hands and offered at reasonable rates by THOS. S. WICKES.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, for sale by TH. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, August 1, 1868.

TIN, STOVE AND
HARDWARE STORE.

THE subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of Chestertown and the public generally that they have bought out the establishment of Mr A. A. Biscoe, and intend keeping on hand at his old stand on High street, opposite the store of Mr. T. B. Hynson, a general assortment of

TIN-WARE, STOVES,
Builders' Hardware, &c.

They will sell at small profits for cash, or to prompt paying customers.

An examination of their stock and prices is respectfully solicited of buyers before purchasing elsewhere, believing that they will find it to their advantage to do so.
JAMES T. PARKS,
THOMAS BRYAN.
Chestertown, July 18—y.

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. T. TWILLEY respectfully announces, that he may be found at his Office, next door below the residence of Miss T. Bradshaw, where he will be pleased to see all those requiring any thing in the line of his profession.
Chestertown, Aug. 12.—y.

WINE BOTTLES for sale by the dozen, by
June 20, 1868. TH. S. WICKES.

Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale at the Voshell House in Chestertown on

THURSDAY,
The Tenth day of September, 1868,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., the farm on which he now resides, known as the "TURNER FARM," situate in Kent county, Md., about five miles from Chestertown, adjoining the lands of Mas. D. Turner, Messrs. Fennimore & Chatam and others.

Containing 301¾ Acres.

This farm is level, is free from gullies or ditches, and there is not an inch of waste land on it. The soil is equal to any in the county, and very susceptible of improvement. There have been four fields heavily dressed with Bone Phosphate with 1,500 bushels ashes in the last three years. There are posts, chestnut rails and pine plank enough to make 200 panels of fence, which will put the fencing in good order. A well of good water in the yard.

This farm is in a fine, thrifty neighborhood, convenient to churches, school and mills, half-mile from navigation, and only one-quarter of a mile from a depot on the Kent County R. R. now under contract. The soil is not surpassed by any farm in the State for the production of wheat, corn, fruits and grass, and will divide nicely into two farms.

The Dwelling is of Brick, two stories, in good order. Out-buildings ordinary.

TERMS—One-fourth cash; the balance in one, two, three and four years.
C. C. SMITH.
July 25, 1868—ts.

Cecil Democrat and Delaware Gazette copy till sale and send bills to this office.

Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale at the Hotel of D. U. Dewees, in Kennedyville, on

THURSDAY,
The Twenty-seventh day of August, 1868,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., her farm situated in Kent county, Maryland, on the main road from Kennedyville to Turner's Creek, about one mile and a half from Kennedyville, and about two miles from the Steamboat Landing at Turner's Creek, containing

200 ACRES,

more or less. This farm is divided into five fields, and a stream of water runs through four of them.

The Improvements consist of a *Two-Story Frame Dwelling,* and all necessary Out-buildings, in good condition.

There are Fifteen Hundred Peach Trees and a small Apple Orchard in good bearing condition on the farm.

About thirty-five acres in **Wood and Timber,** consisting of Chestnut, Oak and Hickory. Fencing in good condition.

The farm is convenient to School, Mill and Church, is situated in one of the finest agricultural districts of Kent county, and in quality and productiveness of soil will compare favorably with any land in Kent county.

TERMS:—$10,000 of the purchase money cash or in sixty days from day of sale; the balance payable in two equal instalments in one and two years, with interest from 1st January next, to be secured by bond of purchaser with approved security.

Possession to be given 1st January next.
CATHARINE A. PRICE.
August 1, 1868—ts.
[Delaware Gazette copy once a week till sale and send bill to this office.]

Small Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned, intending to remove to Virginia, offers at private sale his farm situate near Belair, Kent county, Md., adjoining the lands of Messrs. I. C. Taylor, John T Shirven and Comegys Cosden, and containing

About 60 Acres.

The land is all arable, except a small meadow, and divided into three fields—one of which is in Peach trees (about 1,900) planted last spring. The Dwelling is brick, and with some repairs might be made a very comfortable house. A pump of good water in the yard.

The farm lies in a good and improving neighborhood, and is within a mile and a half of a mill, churches and school. The Railroad will pass within half a mile of the farm on the western side.

This farm will be sold a bargain. For further particulars consult the undersigned, or address him at Chestertown, Md.
jy25-tf WM. R. APSLEY.

LUMBER, LUMBER.

WE invite the attention of our customers and the public generally to our LARGE STOCK OF LUMBER, embracing in part
White Pine Select Culling Boards,
" " Pick " "
" " Shippen " "
" " Common " "
Hemlock Boards and Fencing,
Joist, Scantling, Siding,
Flooring, Shingles, Laths, &c.
je13. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

T. W. ELIASON & SON will have in store for sale next Monday, a large assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, embracing in part:

Men's Fine French Calf Boots, ½ D. sole,
" " " " " pump "
Boys' " " " "

Men's Balm'l Boots,	Misses' Mor. Boots,
Boys' do. do.	" Goat Boots,
Ladies' last'g Anklets,	" Fancy "
" " Gaiters,	" Buff "
" Mor. Bal. Boots,	Childrens' Gaiters,
" Goat " "	" Fancy Boots,
Misses' last'g Anklets,	" Buff "

Infants' plain and fancy Kid and Morrocco and Patent Leather Shoes. June 20.

DR. W. T. URIE,
HOMŒPATHICIAN,

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Chestertown and vicinity.

He may at all times be found at his Office under the Voshell House, when not professionally engaged. d14-tf.

WANTED, a Male Assistant Teacher for Millington Academy. Address Dr. T. H. CRANE, President of the Board of Trustees at Millington. jy18-4t.

LOOK! LOOK!—*REMOVAL.*—Farmers and others are invited to call and examine the large stock of New Harness, Saddles, Fly Nets, &c., at JOHN F. HOWARD'S NEW STAND, opp. Court House, formerly occupied by Mr. A. W. Sparks. jy4.

24 SETT OF NEW CARRIAGE HARNESS for sale low, at the "People's Harness Store."
May 30. JOHN F. HOWARD.

A Desirable Farm
AT
PUBLIC SALE
BY TRUSTEES.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustees, will offer at public sale, on

WEDNESDAY,
The Twenty-sixth day of August, 1868,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,

at James A. Morris' Hotel, in Chesterville, all that Farm situate and lying in Kent county, Maryland, generally known as "THE DAVIS FARM."

This farm contains about

156 ACRES,

six or seven of which is very fine meadow land and the balance arable. The soil is naturally good, and will bear a favorable comparison with the very best in the county, and well adapted to grain, grass, fruits and vegetables.

The farm is divided into five fields and under good fencing. It is most eligibly located—within two and a-half miles of the Steamboat Landing at Crumpton, about the same distance from the ground condemned for depot, near Black's Cross Roads, on the Kent County Railroad, now being constructed, and only a short distance from Chesterville. Churches, schools, mills, &c., are convenient.

The Improvements ARE A SMALL NEW **Frame Dwelling,** and the usual Out-buildings, in fair order, and a Peach Orchard in bearing of 1,000 trees.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale prescribed by the Decree are as follows:—One-fifth of the whole purchase money cash on the day of sale or within sixty days thereafter; another fifth part of the whole, with all the legal interest on the whole sum unpaid from the first of January, 1869, on or before the first day of September, 1869; and still another fifth part, with all the legal interest on the whole sum then unpaid, on or before the first day of March, 1870; and the residue or balance in four equal instalments with interest in the meantime, payable semi-annually, in manner following: the fourth part of said balance on the first day of September, 1870, another fourth part on the first day of September, 1872, and still another fourth part on the first day of September, 1880, and the remaining fourth part on the first day of September, 1882. The purchase money to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security approved by the trustees.

GEO. B. WESTCOTT,
RICHARD HYNSON,
TRUSTEES.
Chestertown, Aug. 1, 1868—ts

N. B.—Other valuable real estate will be offered at the same time and place.

[Delaware Gazette copy once a week till sale and send bill to Trustees.]

SMALL VALUABLE
FARM FOR SALE

THE undersigned will offer at public sale at James A. Morris' Hotel in Chesterville, on

WEDNESDAY,
THE TWENTY-SIXTH OF AUGUST, 1868,

at 12 o'clock, M., his farm which lies in Kent county, Maryland, and

Contains 47 Acres,

of which five acres are Meadow, two acres in Wood, and the balance arable. The latter is divided into three fields and a lot, under good fencing.

The soil is naturally good, the larger portion being particularly well adapted to fruits and vegetables. The location of this farm is most desirable; it is only 2½ miles from the Steamboat Landing at Crumpton, about the same distance from the depot ground, near Black's Cross Roads, on the Kent Railroad, now under construction, about the same distance from Chesterville; only three-quarters of a mile from Spry's public landing on Chester river, and about one-quarter of a mile from ths post office at Spry's gate. Churches, schools, mills, &c., are all convenient.

The Improvements are a strong **Frame Dwelling,** with a Kitchen attached, and the usual outbuildings, in good order. A Peach Orchard of 200 trees in bearing; an Apple Orchard of 70 trees, also in bearing; and a Peach Orchard of 400 trees set last spring. These orchards are healthy, and the fruit has been carefully selected from the most choice and saleable varieties.

TERMS OF SALE:—$800 cash on the day of sale or within sixty days thereafter; the residue in two equal instalments of twelve and twenty-four months from the first day of January, 1869. The deferred payments to bear interest from January 1st, 1869, when possession will be given, and to be secured by bond with security approved by my Attorney, RICHARD HYNSON, Esq.
GEO. W. ROLLINSON.
August 1, 1868—ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF
VALUABLE
HOTEL PROPERTY.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, sitting in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at public sale on

WEDNESDAY,
The Twenty-sixth day of August, 1868,
At 12½ o'clock, P. M.,

at the Hotel now occupied by Mr. James A. Morris in Chesterville, Kent county, Maryland, those TWO LOTS situated in the village of Chesterville, with the improvements thereon.—One of these lots is highly improved by the well-known **Frame Hotel,** with the Stabling and other appurtenances, now in the occupation of Mr. Jas. A. Morris. The other lot is without improvements, but is one of the most desirable building lots in the village.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale prescribed by the Decree are as follows:—One-fifth of the purchase money to be paid cash on the day of sale or within sixty days thereafter; the residue or balance in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale. The future payments to be secured by the bonds or notes of the purchasers, bearing interest from the day of sale, with security approved by the trustee.

RICHARD HYNSON,
Chestertown, a1-ts. Trustee.

Worldly Wise.

It was the boatman Rousalee,
And he sailed through the mists so white;
And two little ladies sat at his knee,
With their two little heads so bright;
And so they sailed and sailed—all three—
On the golden coasts o' the night.

Young Rousalee had a handsome face,
And his great beard made him brown;
And the two little ladies in girlish grace
They kept their eyelids down—
The one in her silken veil of lace,
And the one in her woolsey gown.

For one little lady lived in the wood,
Like a flower that hides from the day;
Her name was Jenney—they called her the good
And the name o' the other was May;
And her palace windows looked on the flood,
Where they softly sailed away.

Long time the balance even stood
With our Rousalee that day;
But what was a little house in the wood
To a palace grand and gay;
So he gave his heart to Jenny, the good,
And his hand he gave to May.

The Wisdom of Instinct.

Our summer birds, the cuckoo and swallow, and many besides, migrate Southward, not at but before the approach of winter. Ere its earliest heralds appear—meadows are hoary, and hill tops powdered with snow—the swallows gather from crags and house eaves; and, guided through pathless skies by Him who guards a sparrow's life, they wing their way to lands where snow never falls, nor frosts bind the streams in chains of ice. Not dallying with danger, nor delaying till its too near approach, they, if the expression might be applied to them, take time by the forelock. Equally wise and provident are those insects which, not seeking another country, store up honey against the rigors of our own; provision the garrison to be prepared for the siege. So soon as the swarm hiving off has taken possession of its new abode, they proceed to furnish it with range on range of storehouses; each formed of a beautiful and delicate material, and constructed—though built in darkness, and the work of an humble insect—with the skill of an expert mathematician.

Not less admirable the wisdom with which, laboring without ceasing, they prepare for the approach of winter. Long ere autumn tints the woods, in the very height and heat of summer, when nature, arrayed in her gayest attire, is robed in flowers, and food abounds, and they might pass the live-long day in a round of revels, they work and toil. No busier or more instructive sight than the door of a bee hive—where, teaching us not to forget the cares of the future in the enjoyment of present pleasures, its tenants may be seen, from early morn to dewy eve, providing for a time when the flowers shall all be dead, and the earth, as if itself dead, lies cold and stiff, wrapped in a shroud of snow. Though in this the bees are directed by divine wisdom, such toils amid such a profusion of flowers and food would probably appear to a little child, were it to think of the matter, very useless; yet here, as in other and higher matters, experience teaches us that, to use the words St. Paul applies to that preaching of the gospel which—for so the world goes round—many now, as in his time, affect to despise, "the foolishness of God is wiser than man."—*Sunday Magazine.*

YOUNG MEN.—It should be the aim of young men to go into good society—we mean not the rich, nor the proud, the fashionable, but the society of the wise, the intelligent, and the good. Where you find men who know more than you do, and from whose conversation you can gather information, it is always safe to be found.

It has broken down many a man by associating with the low and vulgar, where the ribald song was inculcated and the indecent story told, to excite laughter, or influence the bad passions. Lord Clarendon, attributed success and happiness in life to associate with persons more learned and virtuous than ourselves. If you wish to be wise and respected, and desire happiness and not misery, we advise you to associate with the intelligent and good. Strive for excellence and strict integrity, and you will never be found in the sinks of pollution, or on the benches of revilers and gamblers. Once habituate yourself to a virtuous course, once secure a love for good society, and no punishment would be greater than by accident to be obliged for a half a day, to associate with the low and vulgar.—*Buffalo Gazette.*

INFLUENCE.—Some persons fall discouraged on the highway of life because they cannot be this or that eminent person.—Why not be willing to be *themselves*?—No person who ever has, or ever will live, is without influence. Why not make the most of that? Since you cannot grasp that which you wish, why let what you have slip through your fingers? No person in the world is exactly like you.—You have your own faults, but you have also your own excellencies individual to yourself. Let them be seen. Because you are not a good poet, should you not be a good merchant? Because you cannot go to college, should you therefore forswear the alphabet? Because you cannot build a palace, should you not rejoice in your own humble roof, and that because it is your own? Will not the sun also shine in at your windows, if you do not obstinately persist in shutting it out? If you cannot have a whole hot house full of flowers, may you not have one sweet rose?

A PUZZLE.—Arphbishop Whaldy once puzzled a number of clergymen in whose company he was, by asking them this question: "How is it that white sheep eat more than black?" After keeping them wondering for some time, he said: "The reason is because there are more of them."

LONG FACES.

What a sad mistake it is to suppose that a man should be gloomy because he is devout, as if misery were acceptable to God on its own account, and happiness an offence against his dignity. A modern writer of much wisdom and pith says:

"There is a secret of unbelief amongst some men that God is displeased with man's happiness, and so they slink about creation, ashamed and afraid to enjoy anything!"

These are the people of whom Hood says:

"They think they're pious when they're only bilious!"

A good man is almost always a cheerful one. It is fit that bad men scowl, look blue and melancholly, but he who has God's smile of approbation upon him should show his radiance in his countenance. Dr. Johnson said he "never knew a villain in his life that he was not, on the whole, an unhappy dog." And well he may be. And an honest man—the man with good conscience—let him enjoy his sleep, and his dinner, and love of his wife and the prattle of his children, and show a beaming face to his neighbor. Surely there is no worse theology than that which teaches that. He who has given such fullness of joy to beasts and birds delights in the misery of men; or, that having filled us with gladness, we ought to give the lie to His goodness by wearing faces beclouded with woe, and furrowed with pretended happiness.

A SECOND ULYSSES.—An old man of very acute physiogomy, answering to the name of Jacob Wilmot, was brought before the police court. His clothes looked as though they might have been bought second-handed in his youthful prime, for they had suffered more from the rubs of the world than the proprietor himself.

What business?

None, I am a traveller.

A vagabond, perhaps?

You are far from wrong. Travellers and vagabonds are about the same thing. The difference is that the latter travel without money, the former without brains.

Where have you travelled?

All over the continent.

For what purpose?

Observation.

What have you observed?

A little to commend, much to censure, and very much to laugh at.

Hump! what do you commend?

A handsome woman that will stay at home; an eloquent preacher that will preach short sermons; a good writer that will not write too much; and a fool that has sense enough to hold his tongue.

What do you censure?

A man that marries a girl for her fine clothing; a youth who studies medicine while he has the use of his hands, and the people who will elect a drunkard to office.

What do you laugh at?

I laugh at a man who expects his position to command that respect which his personal qualification and qualities do not merit.

He was dismissed.

A WALKING CAR.—A man in New York has invented and patented a device for the propulsion of land vehicles and vessels.—The device is to make a carriage move forward on its own wheels, turning against the carriage, and not against the ground, that being touched only by a series of feet which come to the ground and rise from it with the rotation of the wheels, which run on a sort of endless rail under the carriage and attached to it. The contrivance is believed to be applicable to farm uses and heavy freight, as well as to ordinary passenger carrying, and to be specially adapted to swampy and boggy lands, into which wheels sink readily; for the feet of this carriage, which alone touch the ground, can be made as broad as necessary to avoid sinking. The device can be used for propelling vessels through the water by substituting paddles instead of feet under the wheels; and a boat is now in course of building on this plan for towing canal boats.

NEGRO SUFFRAGE—WHAT IT MEANS SOUTH.—Negro suffrage in the South means negro aggrandizement at the white man's expense—it means that the accumulations of the white man shall go to the benefit of the negroes, and the carpet-bagger's business is to cheat the negroes out of what they thus steal from the whites, through a tyrannical system of taxation; and the business of Grant and his armed allies is to protect the thieves in their operations. But the expense of all this has to be borne by the people of the North. They pay the army—they buy the rations distributed by the Freedman's bureau—they pay the negro school teachers and pay to build the negro school houses.—No body escapes this tax but the pampered Radical office-holders and contractors who understand the ropes. The whole of it comes off of the poor people who pay rents and indulge in tobacco and segars taxed as they never were before, by Radicals; all for the negro.

IMPUDENT QUESTIONS.—To ask a lawyer if he ever told a lie.

To ask a doctor how many persons he had killed.

To ask a negro if he is black.

To ask a young lady whether she would like a beau.

To ask a minister to take something to drink.

To ask a subscriber if he has paid the printer.

To ask a merchant if he has ever cheated a customer.

To ask an editor the name of any of his correspondents.

To ask a man to lend you his pocket-book.

THE following is the verdict of a negro jury. "We, de undersigned, being a koroner's jury to sit on de body of de nigger Sambo, now dead and gone afore us, hab sitting on the said negro aforesaid, did on de night ob de furteenth ob November come to def by falling from de bridge ober de riber, in de said riber, where we find he was subsequently drown, and arterwards washed on de riber side whar we suppose he was frone to def."

FRETTING is a perpetual confession of weakness. It says, "I want to and I can't." Fretting is like a little dog pawing and whining at a door because he can't get in."