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The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Saturday, Sept. 26, 1868

National Democratic Ticket.

For President:
HON. HORATIO SEYMOUR,
OF NEW YORK.

For Vice-President:
GEN. FRANK P. BLAIR,
OF MISSOURI.

Electoral Ticket:
FOR THE STATE AT LARGE:
RICHARD B. CARMICHAEL,
JOHN THOMPSON MASON.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS:
1. ALBERT CONSTABLE,
2. DR. WALTER T. ALLANDER,
3. H. CLAY DALLAM,
4. CHARLES G. ROBERTS,
5. GEORGE PETER.

For Congress:
COL. SAMUEL HAMBLETON,
OF TALBOT COUNTY.

Election, Tuesday, November 3d.

CONGRESS.—*Meeting and Further Recess.*—In accordance with the call issued by Messrs. Schenck and Morgan, Congress assembled on Monday, and passed a resolution to adjourn till October 16, and then, unless otherwise ordered, to adjourn until November 10, and then, unless otherwise ordered, to adjourn until the first Monday in December. The resolution was passed by the House before ascertaining whether a quorum was present, and upon a count, demanded by Mr. Brooks, it was subsequently disclosed that there was not. There was a quorum in the Senate, however, and that body passed the concurrent resolution, so that the proceedings of the House, in the face of the ascertained fact there was no quorum of that body present, was treated as perfectly valid and legitimate. The Baltimore Sun very correctly remarks that the country will be satisfied to be relieved of another session at this time, even though the breathing spell be a short one. Having set all its traps, Congress, including the carpet-baggers, has not been able to bag any game, and is content to try its luck another time. In providing for monthly sessions it evinces its purpose not to relax its hold upon the powers of the government which it has absorbed, and to be ready to interpose congressional interference in the event of any unfavorable contingencies to the dominant party that may arise during the presidential election.

CANDIDATE NOMINATED.—The Congressional Nominating Convention for the 4th district of Maryland, which assembled at Hagerstown on the 9th inst. and adjourned without effecting a choice, met at Frederick city on Tuesday last, and after several ineffectual ballotings, Judge Patrick Hamill, of Allegany county, was brought forward as a compromise candidate, and received the nomination as the candidate of the party. Judge Hamill was a member of the Legislature in 1843 and 1844, and is at present the chief judge of the Orphans' Court of Allegany county. He is a farmer, about fifty years of age, and a man of much personal popularity.

FREDERICK COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—This Society will hold its annual Fair at Frederick City on the 20th, 21st, 22d and 23d of October. The society have beautiful grounds and extensive stabling and buildings, and among other attractions of the Fair there will be a trotting match for a purse of $500, open to the world. Splendid sport is anticipated. It is expected that some of the best blooded stock in America will be on exhibition The managers will accept our acknowledgments for a complimentary ticket.

THE "*Sussex Journal*," published at Georgetown, Del., and heretofore a neutral paper, has hoisted the Democratic flag, and come out for Seymour and Blair. It adopts this course, it says, because it honestly believes the cause of the Democratic party to be the cause of truth, justice and constitutional government. It thinks the contest before us is one that calls for the efforts of every man who would perpetuate the blessings transmitted to us by our fathers. It says:

"This is no common election. The like we may never see again. It is the struggle of a half fettered people for freedom, a contest between the white and black races; and believing, as we do, that these issues are involved, we shall boldly stand with our race and advocate the cause of the Democratic party, if by it we rise or fall."

OPPOSITION TO GEN. BUTLER.—A decided opposition to a renomination of Gen. Butler for Congress has sprung up in his district in Massachusetts. A strong party of republicans are opposing him, on the ground that he is a personal enemy to General Grant, and has himself raised issues that are inconsistent with the true republican idea. It is supposed they will make a separate nomination if the regular convention does not agree with them, and that Gen. Schouler, a persist opponent to Butler, will be nominated. In fact a call, largely signed, has already been published by the republicans for a convention to nominate a candidate in opposition to General Butler should be run.

STATE ELECTIONS.—The next State elections to be held are Nebraska, October 6; Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio, and Iowa, October 13; West Virginia, October 22; all the rest November 3d.

TOWN IMPROVEMENTS.—*The New School House.*—Messrs. John T. Dodd & Son, carpenters and builders, have just completed the new public school in this town. The building is of brick, 30 by 90 feet, and is divided into three apartments, with twelve feet ceiling. The larger room, 28½ by 39 feet, is designed for the junior classes; and the others, each 24 by 28½ feet, for the more advanced scholars.—The house, in all its arrangements, is admirably adapted to educational purposes, and is just such a one as has long been needed in this town. It presents a very neat and inviting appearance, and the workmanship reflects much credit on the enterprising builders. It is proposed to open the schools on Monday, 5th October.

Messrs. Dodd & Son have also just completed a neat two-story frame dwelling on Cannon street, for Major Richard Smyth, and are now engaged in erecting a dwelling for Mr. J. F. Howard on High street.

Mr. A. A. Biscoe is building, on his own account, a neat two-story dwelling on Queen street, which, when completed, will add much to the appearance of that part of the town.

THE M. P. CHURCH AT BEL AIR.—According to announcement, religious services were held at the Tabernacle at Bel Air on Sunday last. There was preaching in the morning and afternoon. Rev. T. D. Valiant was prevented by sickness from being present, and the services were conducted by Rev. J. T. Murray, the superintendent of the circuit. A very liberal subscription to the building of a church was secured, the amount reaching nearly two thousand dollars. The building committee feel fully justified by this subscription in making arrangements for building a brick church; such arrangements will accordingly be made, but as the cold weather will soon come on, the building will not be commenced until early in the spring. In the meantime religious services will be held in the Tabernacle.

The building committee is constituted as follows: Robert Nicholson, Wm. T. Baker, John T. Dodd, Josias Ringgold, Philip Drugan, Major Richard Smyth and Wm. W. Stephens.

SALES.—Geo. Vickers, Esq., as agent and attorney for John K. Willis, sold two houses and lots in Church Hill this week for $2,900. J. H. Evans and J. P. Rollison purchasers.

SALE OF A FARM.—M. Bannon, Esq., attorney for the owner, sold on Tuesday last, on the premises, the farm of Stephen A. Biddle, situated two miles from Chestertown, and containing 274 acres. Purchased by David Biddle at $110 per acre.

THE MECHANICS' BELL.—This bell has been erected over the engine house, at an elevation of twenty-four feet from the ground, and will be rung four times a day—at 7 A. M., 12 M., and 1 and 6 P. M.

FIRE.—The stackyard of Mrs. Martha J. Walmsley, near Spry's Landing, was destroyed by fire on Thursday night last—the work of an incendiary.

GEESE.

Messrs. Editors:—Have you not observed that a flock of tame geese is permitted to roam through the streets of Chestertown, disfiguring the side walks and annoying many citizens? A town, which it is the duty of the police to have kept clean and comfortable, is certainly not a fit place for the rearing of geese. If there a dozen flocks of geese, it would be impossible to walk the streets with any comfort. The commissioners have prohibited horses and hogs from going at large in the town, for the reasons that apply in the present case, and they should extend their ordinances and appoint bailiffs that may *occasionally* be seen and known as bailiffs. CITIZENS.

EMIGRATION TO MARYLAND.—The Department of Labor and Agriculture, of which Dr. W. S. McPherson is superintendent, and Luther M. Giddings, Esq., assistant superintendent, is actively engaged in obtaining employment for those foreign emigrants who select Maryland as their adopted home. Each vessel with emigrants, as it arrives, is boarded by Dr. F. W. Bogen, State agent and boarding officer to the above department, and thro' his exertions quite a fair proportion of all immigrants arriving are induced to remain in this State, and as the greater part of those so remaining proceed to the agricultural districts, where their services are most required, and, being tillers of the soil, they are destined to add materially to the wealth and general prosperity of the State.—*Balt. Sun.*

CONFIDENT.—The New York correspondent of the Mobile Register writes: "Gentlemen in correspondence with Gov. Seymour say he has the utmost confidence in the success of the Democratic party.—The Governor's confidence is shared by all the leaders of the party. Old politicians, who have been feeling the public pulse for nearly half a century, say the symptoms never were better than at the present time. They predict for Seymour and Blair a majority of at least three hundred thousand in the whole vote, including the black vote in the South. Governor Seymour himself has assured several persons that he never was more hopeful for the country than he now is, and that in his large experience he has never seen a better spirit among the people."

TRIAL OF JEFFERSON DAVIS.—The Washington *Star* says: Now that Mr. Evarts has returned to his duty it is expected that preparations will be made for the trial of Jeff. Davis, which is fixed for November. It is thought he will be tried this time or the case will be dismissed.

The eleventh annual meeting of the National Association of Local Preachers of the Methodist Episcopal Church will commence in Pittsburg on the 17th of October.

THE PENINSULA.

The Rev. J. H. Lightbourne, in a letter to the St. Michael's *Comet*, makes the following remarks in reference to the unnatural division of the Peninsula lying between the Delaware and Chesapeake Bays, and embracing the Eastern Shores of Maryland and Virginia and the State of Delaware. The subject of forming this territory into one State was agitated some years ago, principally by Delawareans, we believe, who seem anxious to add to their small dominion the extensive and fertile region of Eastern Maryland. Mr. Lightbourne says:

"In traveling over this Peninsula, and in studying its geography, the homogeneousness of its products, soil, climate, and people; its division by State lines appears not only arbitrary, but unnatural. Nature has her laws, and they should be respected. Let any intelligent man sit down with the world's map before him, and he cannot fail to see how the political divisions of the earth are fixed by nature.—The Pyrenees form the boundary line between France and Spain. The Scandinavian chain separates Norway and Sweden as naturally as if it were the single purpose of their erection. The Alps wall in little Switzerland. The Rhine, the Danube, the Baltic—the many rivers and seas with which the map of the world is interspersed, are all the lines drawn by nature dividing the earth into various and distinct nationalities. The lines of nature separating this Peninsula from the rest of the country are so well defined that its present division by State lines is *unnatural*. The broad and beautiful Delaware and Chesapeake Bays form a natural line between us, New Jersey and the Western Shore of Maryland, while the Atlantic ocean completes our insulatian by separating us from "all the world and the rest of mankind." Were I invested with supreme power I would consolidate our tripartite Peninsula into one State, and compounding the three abbreviations by which it is now known, I would name it Delmar-var; being only a citizen and not an autocrat, I can only raise a feeble voice, and give a single vote for a Peninsula State."

LETTER OF J. Q. ADAMS.

In his letter accepting the Democratic Nomination for Governor of Massachusetts, John Quincy Adams says:

"I will not argue the unconstitutionality of reconstruction. The almost unanimous disinclination of Republicans in Congress to allow it to undergo the scrutiny of the Supreme Court would seem to confirm the reported statement of the lamented Stevens that only two damned fools in the party believed the Reconstruction acts to be constitutional. Even if they were so, I should deem them unwise. The Union they impose is to my eyes no more like the true Union of hearts and hands than a galvanized corpse resembles a healthy man."

The letter closes as follows:

"I think that neither the instincts nor destiny of this people will allow any permanent domination of the African race in any State in the Union, but the Republican party is so irrevocably pledged to this idea that they have staked their existence as a party on its triumph. To this idol they have sacrificed their constitutional obligations in the past, and for it they must make fresh offerings in the future. The blacks must have lands, arms and a standing army to maintain them in their position. They are clamoring for them now, and the United States must furnish them The path upon which Congress has entered permits no halt—retreat is ruin. In my opinion we must begin anew—taking the Constitution for our guide and national laws for our limitations. True, the Democratic party in success may violate the pledges of adversity, and again subvert organic law. The teachings and practice of Radicalism have destroyed much of the old reverence for the precious legacy of our ancestors. We may dread lest they should do this thing, but we do certainly know that the Republican party has already done it; at least it is a chance—the last chance of salvation. If that fails us, we must submit to the whims of the majority without an appeal. It matters but little to me whether it rejoices in the name of Republican, or delights in the title of Democratic, if a party in the nation may constitute itself sole arbiter of the constitutionality of its own measures, then secession was illegal only because it was not the act of the majority. The battle is between Congress and the Constitution, for my part, I am for the Constitution."

THE FATE OF SIR JOHN FRANKLIN'S EXPEDITION.—Dr. Goold, of Dublin, arrived in New York last week, from the Arctic regions, and gives some interesting particulars of Hall's Artic research expedition. Captain Hall, it is said, has ascertained definitely the circumstances of the death of the last two survivors of Sir John Franklin's party. Captain Crozier and a steward of one of the vessels died in 1864, near Southampton Island. Capt. Crozier's watch and other relics are in Mr. Hall's possession, and he was to start in February or March last with an armed party of natives and Europeans to secure some records left by Franklin's men in King William's Land.

GREAT TROTTING ON THE FASHION COURSE.—The brown gelding John Stewart, on Tuesday, at Fashion Course, trotted twenty miles, to wagon, in fifty-nine minutes and twenty-three seconds, for a wager of two thousand dollars against one thousand dollars that he could not make the distance in an hour. He trotted quite evenly, his quickest mile being in 2 49, and his slowest in 3.07, and he came out of the long trip so little wearied that the last mile was made, apparently without exertion, in 3 02. This feat is said to be unparalleled, and the betting, which on the nineteenth mile was one hundred to fifteen in his favor, at the commencement was one hundred to sixty against him.—*N. Y. Herald.*

TRUE.—The New York Herald aptly declares that "Brownlow is the real source of trouble in Tennessee." He is one of those men who are always inviting disturbance by defying it, and loses no opportunity to goad his opponents to offensive acts. The Radicals there want an excuse for a howl. It is to be hoped the people of Tennessee will bear anything and everything sooner than furnish it.

Baltimore Price Current

[Corrected from the Sun of Thursday.]

WHEAT—White	$2.20a2.42
" Choice Red	2.40a2.60
" Medium and good red	2.25
CORN—Good to prime White	1.17a1.20
" " " Yellow	1.25a1.28
Oats	73a75

MARRIED:

On the 10th inst., at I. U. Church, by Rev. J. Newton Wattson, S. HEPBRON BLACKISTON to Mrs. SALLIE T. BROOKS, both of this county.

On the 24th inst., by Rev. E. Stubbs, GEO. W. TETTER to Mrs. J. A. HADAWAY, both of this county.

On the 24th inst., SAMUEL C. BOYD to Miss MARTHA MEDDERS, both of this county.

On the 17th instant, by Rev. H. Thompson, GEORGE HENRY WATTS to Miss MARY M. JEWELL, both of this county

DIED:

At the residence of his brother in Still Pond, on the 17th inst., JAMES H. WILSON, in the 33d year of his age.

The deceased was the victim of a long and painful disease, which he bore with uncommon fortitude. Being naturally of a cheerful disposition, he never murmured or complained, notwithstanding he was suffering more than human tongue could express. Although he never publicly professed religion, we believe after his prayers and the many prayers of his friends in his behalf, he received pardon for his sins, and during the first happy moments of his conversion passed from earth to heaven. Though he was then prevented by death from praising the Lord on earth, may he rest in peace and praise Him in heaven forever. A.

A CARD.—The advertisement of L. M. Strong's property for taxes in the Kent News of last week, was the result of a misunderstanding, and the collector regrets the appearance of said advertisement. Mr Strong is a very clever gentleman, has always treated me with respect and civility, and I have no disposition to wrong him in any particular.
1t. S. G. COPPER.

Samuel G. Copper—Dear Sir: The law requires you to present every man with a bill of his taxes before you can sell his property. When you present me with a bill of my taxes I will pay them.
Yours, &c., H. BRAMBLE.
Sept. 22, 1868. 1t.

FOR SALE,
A SEINE AND BOAT,
nearly new, has only been fished six months. Length of seine 200 fathom; depth 10 and 12 feet, wing and back. I will sell low for the money or young Stock, such as Horses or Cattle, as I have quit the fishing business. Any one wishing to buy a Seine and Boat will apply to R. A. GRAY,
Near Crumpton, Queen Anne's co., Md.
Sept. 26, 1868—6t*

NOTICE.
All persons indebted to me for taxes for 1867, are hereby notified that I intend to close my books without further delay, and will in a few days proceed to advertise delinquents.
SAMUEL L. USILTON,
s26-3t. Col. 3rd District.

NOTICE.—The Teachers' Association for Kent county will convene at the public School House in Chestertown, SATURDAY, Oct. 3d, at 10 o'clock, A. M. It is hoped that teachers generally throughout the county may respond punctually to this notice by being present, as business of importance is to be attended to. J. V. CROSBY, Pres't.
s26-2t. J. F. COPPER, Sec'y.

NOTICE.
THERE is still a vacant scholarship in the Maryland Agricultural College to which Kent county is entitled. Immediate application should be made to the Board of School Commissioners by parties desiring the place.
By order of Board,
s26-2t. W. F. MASSEY, Sec'y.

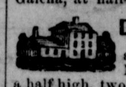
VENDUE.
THE subscriber will offer at public sale on
Saturday, Oct. 3d,
at the Market House, sundry articles of
Household & Kitchen Furniture,
such as BEDS, BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, DESK, BOOK CASE, STOVES, and many other articles such as are useful in house keeping.
Sale to commence at 2 o'clock, P. M.
Terms—all sums under $10 cash; over that amount a credit of two months will be given. No articles to be removed till settled for.
s26-2t. M. AMANDA WILSON.

TO MY FRIENDS
AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.
I HAVE just returned from the city with a carefully selected and large stock of
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
NOTIONS,
BOOTS & SHOES, &c.,
which I will sell low for Cash, Country Produce, or to *punctually paying customers.* Give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.
Yours, respectfully,
WM. W. PARKS.
Chestertown, Sept 26, 1868.

LOOK! LOOK!
L. HECHT & BRO.
CHEAPEST CLOTHING IN TOWN!
FALL GOODS MADE OF THE BEST MATERIALS.
HOME-MADE BOOTS for Fall and Winter.
GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,
LADIES' and MEN'S SHOES.
NOTIONS.
We sell all articles in our line TEN PER CENT. CHEAPER than any Store in Town!
☞GIVE THEM A CALL BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE☜
☞Store opposite the Eccleston mansion.
L. HECHT & BRO.,
CHESTERTOWN. s26 3m.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
WE invite the attention of buyers to the quality of our present stock of the above goods. Many of our goods in this line are made to our order of best material by good workmen, and an experience of 13 years in the sale of them warrants us in recommending them to buyers. Our stock embraces—
MEN'S BEST HEAVY BOOTS,
" SECONDS " "
BOYS' BEST HEAVY "
YOUTH'S " " "
BOYS' BAL. BOOTS, fine and heavy.
MISSES " " " "
Children's " " " "
LADIES' " " " "
MEN'S " " " "
Infants' Medium Fine and Fancy Shoes.
We invite the attention of all purchasers to these goods.
sep26. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

Washington College,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
THE next session of this Institution will commence on the First Wednesday in October and continue until the Second Wednesday of July following.
The Buildings having been lately repaired, are all in excellent order. The Course of Instruction is thorough, and fully up to the standard of our Colleges.
For further particulars: Location, accessibility, health, departments of study, text books, books of reference, board, tuition, &c., apply for circular to R. C. BERKELEY,
or ALEX. HOGG.
Sept. 12, 1868—4t.

Houses and Lot
FOR SALE.
BY VIRTUE of authority from William Matthews, the owner, the undersigned will expose to public sale to the highest bidder
ON SATURDAY,
The Twenty-fourth day of October, 1868,
at the Hotel Porch of Mr. John Pennington, in Galena, at half-past three o'clock, P. M., the

DWELLING HOUSE
at Locust Grove, occupied by Mr. W. Mathews; a story and a half high, two rooms and a shed room below and two above. Also, a
STORE HOUSE
near, in which Mr. Matthews is merchandising, with a new Storage room attached. Also, a temporary Stable. The Lot contains about or near an Acre.
Locust Grove is becoming a place of business—there being a number of Dwelling Houses, Smith and Cartwright Shop, School House, &c. It is said to be a good stand for mercantile business.
THE TERMS OF SALE are, one-half cash, or in sixty days; balance in six and twelve months from the first day of January next; to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with approved security. Title good, and possession to be given on the first day of January next.
GEORGE VICKERS,
Agent and Attorney.
Chestertown, Sept. 26, 1868—ts.

VALUABLE FARM
FOR SALE.
AS ATTORNEY FOR W. C. MEGINNISS, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, on
TUESDAY,
The Thirteenth day of October, 1868,
At Eleven o'clock, A. M.,
his FARM in Kent county, Maryland, which he lately purchased from George Vickers, Esq., trustee to sell the Real Estate of Mrs. Araminta Medders, containing
82 Acres,
2 ROODS and TWELVE PERCHES
More or Less, and a
WOOD LOT
Of 9 Acres, 1 Rood and 30 Perches,
adjoining the lands of the late Jesse Woodall, and within two miles of the Farm. The latter adjoins the lands of Mr. Samuel Comegys and J. C. Mann, and is bonded by the road leading through Chesterville. A portion of the Farm adjoins the back line of Chesterville, and the Dwelling is in the village.
There is a Granary, Stable, Cartwright and Smith Shops.
The two latter will be offered separately from the farm, and several Building Lots. A plot will be exhibited at the sale.
There is little or no waste land on the farm; the soil is well improved and very productive. It is divided into four or five fields and under fair fencing. The situation is healthy, and has all the advantages of being near to churches, schools, &c. It is convenient to Spry's Landing on Chester River, and within a few miles of the Railroad now under construction through Kent county.
TERMS OF SALE:
The terms of sale are $3,000 cash on the day of sale, and the balance as follows: $2,314.11 on the 1st day of May, 1869; $2,314 11 on the 1st day of January, 1870, and the balance on the 1st day of July, 1871.
RICHARD HYNSON,
Attorney for Wm. C. Meginniss.
Chestertown, Sept. 26, 1868—ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Kent county as a Court of Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will expose to public sale to the highest bidder, on
SATURDAY,
The Twenty-fourth day of October, 1868,
at three o'clock, P. M., at the Hotel of Mr. John Pennington in Galena, a
TWO STORY
Frame House,

in Galena, adjoining the Odd-Fellows Hall, on the Main street. The lower part is occupied by Mr. J. N. Peacock. There is an Oyster Saloon in the basement. Mr. Thos. O. Gooding occupies the second story. The property formerly belonged to the late Wm. O. Gooding, and will be sold clear of dower.
THE TERMS OF SALE as prescribed by the Decree are, a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, payable in three equal instalments, and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee.
GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee.
Chestertown, Sept. 26, 1868—ts.

SALE OF
Valuable Real Estate.
On Tuesday, October 13, 1868,
at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, at 11 o'clock, A. M., the undersigned will sell at public sale, his place in Quaker Neck, formerly occupied by Mr. John K. Willis, and lately by Mr. W. Millvin, which is a
Commodious Frame Dwelling,
WITH A
STORE HOUSE
And ABOUT 20 ACRES OF LAND.
This place offers rare inducements to purchase to any one who desires to merchandise or conduct any public business in connection with farming in a small way. There is a good Stable and other Out-Buildings amply sufficient for the farming purposes of the premises.
It is located in a good, healthy and prosperous neighborhood. The soil is naturally good and well adapted to Peaches, Pears, and other fruits, and is within a mile of a public landing on Chester River, and convenient to places of public worship, schools, &c.
TERMS OF SALE:—These terms are desired by the undersigned, but will be modified sooner than miss a fair sale: One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; the residue in twelve months therefrom, with interest on future payment from 1st January next, when possession will be given.
For further information consult R. HYNSON, Esq., Attorney, Chestertown, Md.
s26-ts. JOSEPH O. RASIN.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me on Stove and Tin work will please call at my house on Queen street, and pay their bills between this and the 8th October, otherwise I shall put them out for collection. I cannot lose any more time in trying to collect them.
sep19-3t. A. A. BISCOE.

FOR SALE,
A HORSE AND CARRIAGE.
The Horse is young, perfectly safe, and a good traveller. Carriage nearly new, and in good order. Also a good DEARBORN.
Apply to E. N. ROLAND,
sep19-3t. Bell Air.

TREES and PLANTS.
The undersigned, as agent for Mr. N. Barnard, will receive orders for Fruit and Ornamental Trees, and Plants of all kinds. He can be found at the store of Mr. J. L. Stam, Chestertown. [s19tf.] W. S. STAM.

FOR SALE,
A YOKE OF OXEN well broken.
Apply to THOS. B. TREW,
sep19-3t. Quaker Neck.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Andrew Woodall, against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of Alexander Maxwell, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Alexander Maxwell, of, in and to the following property:
All that Hotel Property
in the town of Millington, consisting of a two-story Frame Building on the corner of Sassafras and Cypress sts., adjoining Dr. Powell and Jos. G. Edwards.
Also, a LOT OF GROUND adjoining W. B. Turbitt on Cypress st., with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon,
now occupied by Michael Smith; it being the property conveyed by John Lee and others to Andrew Woodall, under deed dated Aug. 28, 1860, recorded in Liber J. K. H., No. 2, pages 266, &c.
And I hereby give notice, that on
SATURDAY, the 17th of October, 1868,
at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the Hotel of Mrs. John Hanes in the town of Millington, I will sell said property so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.
JOSEPH E. GILPIN, Sh'ff.
Sheriff's Office,
Chestertown, Sep. 26, 1868. } ts

Sheriff's Sale.
BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of George Vickers and M. A. Wilson executors of Robert Wilson, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John H. Morgan, late of Kent county, in the hands of Wm. H. Hamilton adm'r of said Morgan, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Morgan, of, in and to all that
Dwelling and Store House
in Chestertown, situated on Hight Street, adjoining the property of Mrs Mary Voss, and now occupied by Mr. S. Franklin Smith.
And I hereby give notice, that on
SATURDAY, the 17th of October, 1868,
in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, at 10 o'clock, A. M., I will sell the said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
JOSEPH E. GILPIN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Sept. 26, 1868.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county and to me directed, at the suit of Ellen Spry and George Vickers, executors of C. W. Spry, against the goods and chattels of Samuel H. Fox, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Samuel H. Fox, in and to
1 HORSE, 1 WAGON,
AND THREE SETTS OF HARNESS.
And I hereby give notice, that on
Saturday, the 3rd day of October, 1868,
at 10 o'clock, A. M., at Duwees' Hotel, in Kennedyville, I will sell at public sale for cash, the said property so seized and taken in execution to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.
JOS. E. GILPIN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Sept. 22, 1868.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, to me directed, at the suit of Bruce B. Boyd, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James B. Fox, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said J. B. Fox, in and to the following property:
1 HORSE, ONE BUGGY WAGON,
and 1 Sett of Harness.
And I hereby give notice, that on
Saturday, the 3rd day of October, 1868,
at the Hotel of D. U. Duwees, in Kennedyville, at 10 o'ck, A. M., I will sell the said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debts, interest and costs due and to become due thereon. JOSEPH E. GILPIN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office,
Chestertown, Sept. 26, 1868. } ts.

Notice to Creditors.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate of Lambert S. Melvin, late of said County, deceased.
All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of April, 1869, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.
Given under my hand and seal this 22d day of September, 1868.
THOMAS P. DAVIS, Adm'r C. T. A.
Sept. 26, 1868—4t.

Notice to Creditors.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Shadrack Nichols, col'd, late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.
All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to then undersigned, on or before the 20th day of April, 1869, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.
Given under my hand and seal this 22d day of September, 1868.
ISAAC BOYER, col'd, Adm'r.
Sept. 26, 1868—4t.

New Fall Goods!
NEW FALL GOODS!
A Large Assortment will be opened during the commencement of the coming week by
T. W. Eliason & Son.
Sept. 18, 1868.

TO THE VOTERS OF CHESTERTOWN and VICINITY.
ALL VOTERS favorable to the election of GRANT & COLFAX in November next, are respectfully requested to meet at CHESTER HALL on Cross Street, Chestertown, Md., on THURSDAY EVENING of each week until further notice. By order
Sept 12, 1868—tf. COMMITTEE.

For Sale or Rent, a handsome STORE HOUSE and DWELLING, situated in the 5th district, near Rock Hall; is a good stand for business, being in a thickly settled neighborhood, and on one of the most public thoroughfares in the county. Terms accommodating. Apply to EDW. W. COMEGYS,
sep12-3t* Rock Hall.

NOTICE.
The Second Annual Session of the Parochial School of Chester Parish, for Boys and Girls, will begin on Thursday, October 1st, at 9 o'clock, A. M. No pains will be spared to make the instruction given in the school thorough and systematic. For terms, &c., apply to the REV. MR. GOODWIN,
sep12-tf. Queen Street.

Mules! Mules!
ONE PAIR OF MULES AND ONE HORSE for sale by N. BARNARD,
sep19-tf. Still Pond, Kent Co., Md.

NEW GOODS
JUST RECEIVED
AT REDUCED PRICES!
GREAT ATTRACTION
AT THE
"People's Popular Store."
VICKERS
Maintains his reputation in keeping a nice assortment. As for Prices we don't intend any one shall undersell us. Our present stock will not be surpassed by any store in this market.
An examination is all we desire from those who wish to purchase, which will ensure us heavy sales.
OUR NEW STYLE of doing business will be adhered to this season. We found that it worked well last Spring to our satisfaction and to the interest of the buyer.
JOBS we now offer in DRY GOODS of all grades. NOTIONS. Especial attention we ask for our
SPLENDID BOOT & SHOE STOCK.
We can save you money. HATS and CAPS, Hardware, Groceries, Queensware, &c.
We would say to those whose accounts are due Sept. 1st, 1868, we need money to prosecute our business.
Respectfully,
sep26. WM. A. VICKERS.

Collector's Notice.
ORDERED by the Commissioners of Kent county, that the following advertisement be inserted once in each week for and during four weeks successively, in the "Kent News," printed and published in Chestertown.
Test: JOHN RUSSELL,
Clerk to Commissioners for Kent Co.

LOTS OF LAND
in the Thir. District of Kent county, chargeable for the payment of taxes due to SAMUEL L. USILTON, Collector for said District for the year 1867, together with the names of parties chargeable with the payment of the same, and there being no personal property in the county liable for and chargeable with the payment of said taxes, as by return of said Collector to the said County Commissioners, will appear, viz:

Names.	*Tracts of Land.*	*Amount due for 1867.*
Z. J. Morse....	A Lot of Land containing about 5 acres more or less, with the improvements thereon, situate in the Third Election district of Kent county, adjoining the lands of Dr. J. W. Ivens and others.....	$1.48
Edwin Riley.....	A House and Lot in Worton, adjoining the lands of Jas. W. Skirven and others.....	1.41

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That unless the charges on said lands shall be paid to Samuel L. Usilton, late Collector for said District, on or before the 27th day of October next, or within thirty days after this notice is completed, the lands so charged as aforesaid, or such parts thereof as may be necessary to raise the sums due thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder for the payment of the same, pursuant to the Act of Assembly passed November Session, 1797.
By order of the Commissioners for Kent county. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
September 22, 1868.
By the County Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, Ordered, That Samuel L. Usilton, late Collector of said County, after thirty days previous notice at the Court House door, and at the most public places in said county, and also in the Kent News, (a paper published in said county,) proceed to sell to the highest bidder the foregoing lots of land, or such parts thereof as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and legal charges thereon due, and the same when sold, to transfer by deed or bargain and sale to the purchaser thereof.
sep26-5t. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.

TOURNAMENT
AND
BASKET PIC-NIC!
WILL BE HELD NEAR CHESTERTOWN
Wednesday, Sept. 30th, 1868,
A TOURNAMENT AND BASKET PIC-NIC.
The Knights will be arrayed on the field before the Chief Marshal at 9½ o'clock, to receive instructions. Tilting will commence at 10.
The Coronation will take place on the field, being preceded by an address from the Orator of the day.
Knights of Maryland! emulate the deeds of the ancient scions of chivalry, and rally to the lists, where your successful efforts will be crowned with the smiles of the fair and beautiful.
All officers and Knights will report to the Chief Marshal at 8½, A. M., in Chestertown.
A Fine Band of Music
will be in attendance.
The number of Knights will be limited, so early application must be made.
The following officers have been chosen:
Chief Marshal, (orange col'd sash and white rosette,)—Capt. George H. Wilson.
Assistant Marshals, (white sashes and blue rosettes,)—John O. Slay, Samuel Merritt, J. T. Skirven, T. H. Whaland, Rob't Goldsborough, Robert Nicholson, Richard Smyth, Lewin Usilton, Lewis Price, Philip F. Rasin, Isaac Perkins, John Beck, Wm. M. Gilpin, Ed. F. Nowland, Wm. W. Stephens, Geo. A. Jessop, Thos. W. Ringgold, Charles W. Warren, George S. Diehl, Wm. P. Francis, John Brice, Jos. Ringgold, Jr., Wm. S. Walker, Frederick Worrell, John W. Loud, Wm. Ford, Bradford Camp, J. M. Hudson, Samuel Beck, Joseph A. Catlin, William Hepbron.
Judges, (red, white and blue rosettes,)—Horatio Beck, Richard Hynson, Benj. H. Start, Wm. Welch, Lloyd Tilghman.
Orator of the day, (white rosette,)—C. M. NEWMAN.
Herald, (blue sash and red rosette,)—J. Lecompte Haines.
Executive Committee:—Milnor Jones, Thos. W. Wickes, C. T. Westcott.
Officer of the day, (red sash and white rosette,)—Joseph E. Gilpin.
ADMISSION 50 CENTS. Children under 12 years of age half price.
Refreshments may be had on the field.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
J. P. PRICE, Sec'y. sep17-2t.

50,000 PEACH TREES,
100,000 RASPBERRY PLANTS,
125,000 BLACKBERRY PLANTS,
500,000 STRAWBERRY PLANTS,
50,000 GRAPE VINES.
MY stock of Peach Trees the present season is grown from natural seed obtained from Accomack Co., Va., and is surpassed by none in the country.
I have selected, with great care, varieties best adapted to this locality, and hope by strict adherance to business to merit that liberal patronage and confidence, heretofore accorded my efforts.
My stock of small fruits, such as Strawberry, Raspberry and Blackberry Plants is large and of first quality.
Purchasers would do well to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I am prepared to meet any requirements of the trade, upon as fair terms as any other reliable establishment can offer.
A well selected stock of Grape Vines furnished in quantities to suit purchasers.
Catalogues mailed upon application.
I have no travelling agents. If I employ any hereafter, such will be furnished with a proper certificate.
NORRIS BARNARD,
sep19-7m. Still Pond, Kent Co., Md.

FOUND, a POCKET BOOK containing a sum of money, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Inquire at the Kent News Office. sep19-3t.