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The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Saturday, Oct. 24, 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.

Change of Candidates.

Since the recent State elections, which resulted favorably to the Republicans, it has been proposed in some quarters to withdraw Seymour and Blair, and substitute other candidates in their stead. The New York World and the National Intelligencer on the one hand, and Messrs. Tilden, Belmont and Schell, of the National Executive Committee, on the other hand, represent the difference of opinion that exists in the Democratic party as to what is the best course to pursue in order to carry the November election. The newspapers above mentioned very plainly indicate a course of action which they deem proper and prudent, but have not as yet mentioned any particular men to fill the places of Messrs. Seymour and Blair. Messrs. Tilden, Belmont and Schell, however, aver that they have no authority to change the candidates, and that it would be disastrous to do so.

It is stated that both Mr. Seymour and Mr. Blair have signified their willingness to withdraw if such should be the general desire of the party, but there is no body competent to accept their resignations except the National Democratic Convention, and it is now too late to call it together. It is generally conceded that in the event of a change of candidates, Chase and Hancock would take the place of the present democratic nominees, though some papers think that General McClellan would be the most available candidate for the presidency. Mr. Chase, it is said, has expressed a willingness to run as an independent candidate in case of Mr. Seymour's withdrawal. For our own part, we think that no change could be made for the better, especially at this late day, and if defeat must come let us accept it battling for principle. Let the friends of Seymour and Blair work as energetically as if the recent State elections had been attended with a different result, and leave the issues in the hands of the people, who will ultimately settle the great questions which are now agitating the country according to the principles of right and justice.

GOV. SEYMOUR ON THE STUMP.—The New York *World*, which a few days ago urged the withdrawal of the democratic national ticket—one of the nominees, at least—is now in ecstacies over the announcement that Governor Seymour has consented to deliver several political addresses. It thus expresses its gratification:

The whole democratic party will rejoice that Gov. Seymour has consented to break a custom which has no foundation in reason, and which ought not to weigh a feather when public affairs require a luminous exposition by the statesman who is most capable of making it with impressive effect. Gov. Seymour's coming activity into the canvass supplies a lacking force which was needed to turn the tide of victory in favor of the democratic hosts. Nobody who is acquainted with the powerful impression which frequently attends Gov. Seymour's speeches can doubt that his speeches in Pennsylvania will be worth to the cause a great deal more than the few thousand votes which separate us from victory in that State. The interest of the canvass has become so absorbing and intense that every word he utters will be eagerly read by the whole country.—During the brief remainder of the canvass the public mind will be chiefly occupied by him and his statesmanlike views.

THE VOTE OF PENNSYLVANIA.—We have official returns of every county in the State in some cases only the official majorities being given, but in the larger number the whole vote for each candidate for auditor general. They foot up as follows: For Hartranft, republican, 255,399; for Boyle, democrat, 245,210. Hartranft's majority, 10,069. The total vote in the State will be in the neighborhood of 640,000. The total votes in the three most important elections preceding this were as follows: In 1864, 572,707; in 1866, 597,370; in 1867, 534,570.—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

INDIANA ELECTION.—The New York Times (rep.) publishes a table of the official and reported returns from Indiana, showing a republican majority of 726, which is a democratic gain of 13,476 since last year.

TEST OF POPULATION.—In Philadelphia, at the late election, more votes were counted by nearly five thousand than were ever polled in New York city. This would seem very clearly to indicate that Philadelphia has a larger population than New York city.

COURT.—The October term of the Circuit Court of Kent county commenced on Monday. Present, Hon. J. A. Wickes, Associate Judge, and J. A. Pearce, Esq., State's Attorney. [Judges Robinson and Stump made their appearance on Tuesday morning.] The juries are composed of the following gentlemen:

Grand Jury—David C. Blackiston, foreman, Samuel Cacy, Richard B. Willson, William H. Coleman, Wm. T. Wallis, Isaac Parsons, Wm. C. Meginniss, Abraham Hurlock, N. Voshell, George R. Reed, Cornelius J. Scott, John T. Smyth, John T. Skirven, Samuel Vannort, H. W. Earnest, Bartus Trew, Bartus P. Hatcherson, Daniel Hanes, Geo. A. Jessop, Thomas B. Hynson, Thomas A. Pulme, John N. Usilton, John Wilson.

Petit Jury—Jos. P. Ireland, Thos. L. Cecil, Benjamin Bazle, Wm. W. Stephens, Geo. W. T. Perkins, Robert J. Lusby, Jesse Wilson, Franklin Dyre, A. H. Rockwell, Wm. A. Brice, Comegys Cosden, Geo. W. Spencer, Thos. J. Vickers, David Clements, James F. Wilkins, Josiah Lusby, Benj. F. Beck, Wm. A. Taylor, Samuel W. Caleb, Edward T. Wroth, Francis Baker, Thomas C. Lynch, John W. Ireland, Samuel A. Merritt, George Gale.

The following cases have been disposed of:

State vs. Wm. H. Coleman. Presentment for obstructing the public road in the fifth election district. Guilty and fined 50 cents and costs. Hynson for defendant.

State vs. W. D. Shriver. Presentment for an assault and battery on W. S. Leaverton. Fined $1 and costs.

State vs. Franklin Wing. Presentment for an assault and battery on John T. Bramble—Fined $1 and costs.

State vs. Morris Asher. Presentment for selling lager beer without license. Not guilty.—Hynson for defendant.

State vs. Frank Charles Campbell. Presentment for obtaining money under false pretences. Jury trial. Verdict not guilty. Blackiston for defendant.

State vs. Alexander Thomas. Presentment for stealing money from Thomas Baker. Verdict guilty. Perkins for defence.

Chas. C. Fortiner vs. John Jervis. Suit to recover a note for $227.50, of ten years' standing, which defendant alleges to have been paid. Hynson and Pearce for plaintiff; Vickers for defendant. This case, after able argument by counsel, was given to the jury about noon on Thursday, but the suit was compromised on Friday morning, (while the jury were yet out,) the plaintiff receiving $115, with interest from date of note.

State vs. Wm. H. Brown. Presentment for larceny. Case abandoned by State.

State vs. Henry Miller. Presentment for stealing clothes from Henry Bramble. Verdict guilty. Slay for defendant.

A considerable number of cases are yet undisposed of, and the session will probably continue the whole of next week.

For the Kent News.

Squeezebreeze Obit.

"Your correspondent, seated beside his fair companion of the evening, might have been seen wending his way to that land where all is peace and harmony; where discord never invades its sacred precincts."

The foregoing extract from a letter from "Squeezebreeze," published in the *Transcript*, announces the melancholy fact of the departure of that literator from earthly scenes; for certainly the land he describes is nowhere in this mundane sphere.

According to the announcement, his exit was attended, not by angels, but by one very near akin to them: a lovely woman. They, doubtless, thought it "better thus to die together than live asunder."—Whether it was some stern unfeeling papa, that prevented the "course of their true love running smooth" in this world, that caused them to turn it to a land where there are no such obstacles, we are only left to surmise. The memory of Romeo and Juliet and the tomb of the Capulets is revived, by this modern drama. It is shocking to the moral sense, however, to think that they went into the land of the hereafter from a ball room. Perhaps they got so dizzy from *the german* or cotillion, that they involuntarily turned into the path to that other place, instead of the road to *Worton felix*. The moral of this sad story is, that those who are not ready to depart this world, should avoid ball rooms; those who are ready need not this caution.

A singular feature of this demise is, that the gifted and versatile correspondent of the *Transcript*, should be the chronicler of his own exit. This shows the "ruling passion strong" *after* death. How he managed to communicate with this world from the undiscovered country, can only be understood by a faith in spirit-rappings. The Transcript has proved an excellent medium, *en rapport* with the spirit of Squeezebreeze. After such a demonstration of the power of spiritualism we must renounce our skepticism concerning it.

Our lamented friend left us, not in the spring time, when the flowers he loved so well—a mark of his refined taste—were bursting into blooming beauty, and the birds were trilling the matin song of resurrected nature, and filling all Worton with joy; when the insects were buzzing and biting, and the worms and snakes were crawling and wriggling into the sunshine, but when

"The melancholy days had come,
The saddest of the year,"

and now more sad than ever, because at such time he went from us. Leaves have their time to fall, and flowers to wither at the North wind's blast,—and so had Squeezebreeze.

Farewell, genial, gentle, sprightly Squeezebreeze; may none inherit your ugly name, but thousands your genius and virtues.

Requiescat in pace. BRUTUS.

SALES TO-DAY.—George Vickers, Esq., as attorney and trustee, will offer at public sale, at the hotel of Mr. John Pennington, in Galena, this (Saturday) afternoon, several dwelling houses and lots.

LARGE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES.—Judge Pierrepont, of New York, said to be a war democrat, has written a letter to A. T. Stewart, of that city, in which he opposes the election of Seymour and Blair, and contributes the sum of $20 000 to aid in the election of Grant and Colfax. To offset this contribution Mr. H. T. Helmbold, of New York, has sent a check to Mr. G. W. Langley for $40,000, to be used in aid of the election of Seymour and Blair.—Whether either of the two gentlemen has an "axe to grind" is not stated.

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, whose recent speeches in South Carolina have attracted public attention, is the elder son of Charles Francis Adams, our late minister to England, grandson of President John Quincy Adams, and great grandson of President John Adams. The living John Quincy Adams is about thirty-five years old and is one of the hardest working and ablest members of the Suffolk bar, in Massachusetts.

SPEECH OF GENERAL BLAIR—*His Views on Withdrawal.*—General Blair was serenaded at his residence in St. Louis on the 17th instant. The democratic clubs, with torches, banners and music, were present, and a large crowd filled the streets. After referring briefly to local matters, General Blair said:

I am the candidate of the democratic party for a very distinguished position.—I expect to be a candidate so long as they desire it; so long as I can avail to help the great cause which we all have at heart. My fellow citizens, it will be no sacrifice to me, or rather it will be a work of pleasure to me, to surrender that position, whenever by so doing I can add one vote to the strength of the democracy in this State or in any other of the States. I am ready to make any sacrifice, and so am I ready to go and do anything; to take upon my shoulders any burden, or lay down any that may have been conferred on me heretofore.

It has been said here that both the candidates for the Presidency and for the Vice-Presidency have signified their intention to decline in favor of some other candidates. All I have to say is, that both candidates will always be ready to lay down their candidacy when it can no longer be of service to the democratic party of the country. I want you to review it calmly, and without regard to the feelings of any man; because the feelings of individuals are nothing as compared with the great objects we have in view—of success and the restoration of our country. I do not intend to abandon the field—in one sense at least. I mean to bear my share of the battle; whether in the ranks or as an officer will depend on the wishes of the democratic party.

In the opening part of his speech, the General announced that he was neither dismayed, terrified, nor discouraged at the result of the recent elections, which announcement was received with cheers.

GRASSHOPPERS IN TEXAS—*Startling Sight.*—The plague of grasshoppers is again sweeping over a large area of Texas. Up to last advices it had not reached Dallas, none having been nearer than Mansfield, Tarrant county, according to the Dallas Herald. That paper, however, has heard of them at several places on the frontier.

At the Sulphur Springs on the Brazos, in the county of Hood, they appeared in clouds on Monday, the 21st ult., and ate up every kind of vegetation. When they first appeared it was thought by the campers around the Springs to be a cloud, and preparations were made for rain; they made a noise in their flight very similar to a storm of wind and rain. When they came nearer, however, they began to descend, and covered the earth in every direction, consuming all garden stuffs and other green vegetation they could find.

The following extract of a letter from John H. Cochran, Esq., dated at Belknap, on the 16th of last month, describes the first appearance of the pest:

"On yesterday, the 15th, I saw a sight which I hope no mortal man will ever see again. About 3 o'clock P. M. I went to the door, and, observing that the sun shone but dimly, I looked for the cause. I saw in the distant west what I took to be the smoke of an immense fire, but, on looking closer, I perceived that it was not smoke. What is it? was the inquiry of every one, both old and young. It continued to approach, and in about two hours came near enough to us to see that it was a dense mass of moving matter. Nearer and nearer, dimmer and dimmer the sun shines—we see what it is. My Lord! the Egyptian plague! From the ground upward, as far as the eye could see, on account of their denseness, was an almost solid mass of living, moving insects—grasshoppers.

"All who saw the sight agree that, for every square inch of surface over which they were flying, there must have been no less than one bushel of grasshoppers.—This body of insects were moving ahead of a northwest wind. They were some three miles wide and as long each way as the horizon was to us. This could be seen before they approached near enough to distinguish what they were; after they reached us the view was very limited on account of the denseness of the mass.—They passed over in a northeast direction; still we have millions left of the first coming. This is no exaggeration.

"P. S.—Since the above was written we learn that the grasshoppers have been seen returning west."

WHAT IT COSTS.—What the Congressional treatment of the Southern States is costing the people of the North, in addition to the ruin it has inflicted upon the South, is strikingly set forth in a speech made last week, in New York, by Mr Sandford E. Church, who was one of the gentlemen voted for in the New York Convention for the Presidential candidacy. Said Mr. Church:

The Southern States are so impoverished that they are unable to contribute in any great degree towards paying the taxes of the Government. The State of New York for the last year has paid double the amount of internal revenue that the whole ten Southern States have paid, and yet they contain a population three times greater than New York. But for this infernal system of military despotism and Freedmen's Bureau, which prevents that country from developing itself and becoming prosperous, it would contribute to the support of the Government three times as much as the State of New York. Instead of the whole ten States paying $30,000,000, they should pay $150,000,000, according to the amount of taxation, as they would if they were as flourishing and prosperous as they would be but for the blighting influence of this Radical rule which is upon them. So you are not only obliged to contribute by direct taxation this $11,000,000 a year for the Freedmen's Bureau, and $10,000,000 or $20,000,000 for the army to back them up, but you are deprived of $150,000,000 a year, which ought to go into the Treasury of the Gen'l Government, in consequence of keeping that country as it now is.

IN the National Methodist Sunday School Convention, recently in session at Springfield, Mass., reports were submitted showing the present number of Methodist Sunday Schools in the United States to be 15,785, and teachers and scholars 1,336,491.

GOOD ADVICE.

A recent number of the New York *Democrat* contains the following excellent advice to Democrats. If they love the liberal institutions of their country with that ardor which their fathers possessed, and would maintain it a free and independent Republic, subject to the control of white men, they will do as they are here urged to do, and victory will finally crown their efforts:

On With the Fight.

Pennsylvania Republican!
Ohio Republican!
Indiana Republican!
Nebraska Republican!

"*What shall we do now?*" asks a Democrat to-day.

"WHAT SHALL WE DO NOW?"

Go right on with the contest till the people recover their senses—till the rights of the States be restored—till taxation be made equal—till the working man and producer have protection under the laws which now compel industry to support idleness, for ours is a contest for principle, for the rights of the people, and for that liberty which sank bleeding to the earth when Lincoln first set his foot in Washington—for that liberty which will suffer still more at the hands of the ignorant Grant, should he be elected.

"*What shall we do now?*"

Right on for the Right! We stood as now in 1864, when Democracy was less popular than now, and when bayonets shone like frost flakes in the winter air about the door of every defender of Democracy—we have seen the money of Republicans, as now, falling like autumn leaves at the feet of voters, inviting them to rest to their death on these treacherous beds—we have seen others stop to ask the way, or to give up the contest, but with us it ever has been, and it ever shall be, *Right on for the Right!*

So far in 1868, our vote is larger than in October 1864, and the Republican vote is less. Great games are seldom played in one day. But the game of *liberty* vs *tyranny* is going on, and liberty shall win, for the people of America who toil shall not be made slaves to an aristocracy—our children shall not be given to bondage for the benefit of idle extravagants, without such effort as the occasion demands.

GENERAL WADE HAMPTON has, in a letter, declined an invitation to address the people of Illinois in the present canvass, on the ground that his services are needed in South Carolina, otherwise he would certainly visit the great Northwest in the hope that he might, in some small degree, disabuse the people of the false impression given to them by radical misrepresentations of the purposes, the wishes and the desires of the people of the South. He adds: "I would strive to impress upon them that we desire above all things a firm, just peace; that we recognize the questions of slavery and secession as settled forever by the war; that we have no purpose, open or concealed, to agitate these questions at any future time, and that we look to constitutional agencies and peaceful remedies alone to free us from legislation which we believe to be unconstitutional, and which we know will destroy the South utterly and irretrievably."

MAIMED SOLDIERS.—The number of persons who have availed themselves of the provisions of the act of Congress giving artificial limbs to maimed soldiers amounts to five thousand nine hundred and seventy-one. Of these three thousand seven hundred and eighty-four were supplied with legs, two thousand one hundred and thirty-four with arms, forty-four with hands, and nine with feet. For various reasons, however, all the sufferers have not been provided with limbs, since it is estimated that, taking the casualties in both the army and navy, fifty thousand of the combatants have lost a limb in the service.—To this number may be added twenty-five thousand in the South.

JOINT MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATS OF MARYLAND AND DELAWARE.—A grand mass meeting of at least fifteen hundred democrats from Maryland and Delaware met in council at Hall Town, on the Maryland and Delaware Railroad, on Thursday last. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed. Eloquent addresses were made by Col Hambleton, of Easton; Hon. Benjamin Biggs, the democratic candidate for Congress in Delaware; Rev. Ignatius Cooper and Rev. Mr. Bradford, of Delaware; Governor Saulsbury, Hon Eli Saulsbury, and other leading democrats from Dover, were present. *Easton (Md.) Star.*

HOW TO MAKE PAPER MONEY CURRENT.—The Japanese officials have adopted a very effective method of silencing all opposition to a recent large issue of paper money in that country. They cut off the heads of those who utter any complaints about the currency, and this quiets the grumbling of the party thus treated, and throws a wholesome awe and respect for the government and its currency over his friends and associates.

Baltimore Price Current

[Corrected from the Sun of Thursday.]

WHEAT—White	$2.50@2.55
" Choice Red	2.40@2.45
" Medium and good red	2.30
CORN—Good to prime White	1.25@1.26
" " " Yellow	1.25@1.30
Oats	70@80

DIED:

Departed this life on Sunday, the 11th inst., after a long and painful illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, MARY L., beloved wife of C. Carroll Smith, in the thirty-third year of her age. She has left a fond husband and parents, and little children, with many kind friends to mourn her irreparable loss. We mourn, but not as those without hope. She gave the bright evidence to all around her, that her peace was made with God. The Lord gave and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord.

On the 2nd of Oct., at Salisbury, MARY E. PHIPPIN, in the 37th year of her age.

In Rock Hall on the 17th October, KATIE, daughter of Samuel and Sarah C. Joiner, aged 18 months and 20 days.

Weep not for little Katie,
Her gentle spirit's fled,
She sweetly sleeps with Jesus
Among the silent dead.
Shed not one tear of sorrow
Around her quiet tomb,
Think what a lovely flower
In Heaven we have to bloom.

Caution to Trespassers.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on the farm of the undersigned with dog or gun, or crossing the said farm. The law will be enforced against all intruders.
Oct. 24, 1868—3t. S. W. SPENCER.

The Orphans' Court for Kent County will meet for the transaction of business on TUESDAY and THURSDAY next.
o24-1t. E. CROUCH, Register.

Cabbage, Cabbage!
2,000 Head of CABBAGE, very fine and large, for sale at from $5 to $10 per hundred. A. T. THOMAS,
oc24-3t. Broad Neck.

FOR SALE,
SEVEN BUCK LAMBS, Cotswold and Southdown cross, six months old, large and very fine. Apply to JESSE MORRIS,
o24-3t. near Chestertown.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
My business is now nearly stopped for want of money. I am now compelled to change my mode of business, and adopt the cash system, and I hope it will give no offence. I hope my customers will come forward immediately and pay me. I am much in need of money to prosecute my business. WM. CONYER.
Oct. 24, 1868—3t.

MILL NOTICE.
THE STEAM GRIST MILL in Chestertown, is now in operation, and prepared to grind either Wheat or Corn at short notice. H. M. STEWART & BRO.
Oct. 24, 1868—1t.

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY
TO LET FOR 1869.
The Store Room and Grocery, with fixtures, on Main street, occupied by Messrs. Clark & Usilton; a Store Room on Cross street, with fixtures, and Six Upper Rooms in the building on corner of Main and Cross Sts., suitable for offices or small families.
J. H. BURCHINAL.
Chestertown, Oct. 24—3t.

Two Hundred
VERY FINE
OPEN WOOL **SHEEP,**
for sale or exchange for fat Sheep or other stock at Dewees' Hotel, Kennedyville, Kent Co.
oc24-3t. GEO. W. TITLOW.

NEW MILLINERY.
MRS. CLARA RAWLEIGH,
Has just opened a fine assortment of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS for the present and approaching seasons, and will sell them at the very lowest prices. The ladies of Chestertown and surrounding country are invited to call and see her goods before purchasing elsewhere. Store on Queen St., near High. o24-3t.

$10,000 / 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,100 AND OTHER SUMS, to loan on Mortgage upon improved farms.
THOS. HILL,
Fayette and St. Paul Streets,
oc24-3t. Baltimore, Md.

STRAYED from the subscriber on the 7th inst., a RED COW, with piece off the lower part of the right ear. A liberal reward will be given for her return to the undersigned in Chestertown.
oc24-3t. J. W. MILVIN.

AUCTION, AUCTION!
CLARK & USILTON
Will sell at Auction on THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND NIGHT, all their stock of
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
GROCERIES, Queensware,
Hardware and Cedarware.
We will continue to sell every night during the coming week until all are sold.
oc24-1t. CLARK & USILTON.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.
FARM STOCK,
IMPLEMENTS,
AND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
THE undersigned will offer at public sale at the late residence of F. B. Woodall, dec'd, (Mrs. Clement's Farm,) on the road leading from Chestertown Bridge to Church Hill, on
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1868,
at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following property:
5 WORKING & DRIVING HORSES,
2 COLTS, one 3 years old and one 2 years old.
7 Milch Cows,
FIVE YOUNG CATTLE,
16 SHEEP, 5 BROOD SOWS, some with pigs, 10 HOGS, 12 SHOATS, 1 HORSE CART, 2 FARM WAGONS, 2 sett Wagon Harness, 1 Two-seat Carriage and Harness, Buggy and Harness, Dearborn and Harness, Combined Reaper and Mower, half-part of a Grain Drill, Tooth Spring Rake, Grain Fan and Corn Sheller, 4 Stacks Clover and Timothy Hay, and about 1500 bundles Corn Blades, Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, a large lot of Carpenter's Tools, and numerous other articles.
Household Furniture
Consisting of Bedsteads, Beds and Bedding, Cooking and Parlor Stoves, Tables, Chairs, Carpets, Bureau, Settee, Sofa, spring-bottom Rocking Chair, six hair-cloth spring-bottom Chairs, Queensware, Earthenware and Kitchen Furniture—all belonging to the estate of the late Freeman B. Woodall.
TERMS.—All sums of $10 and under cash—over that amount six months credit. Purchasers to pay for stamps, and no property to be removed until the terms are complied with.
AARON W. WELCH, Adm'r.
THOS. H. GAFFORD, Auct. 1t*

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.
THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of BEASTEN & HYRONS, is this day dissolved by mutual consent—Mr. Hyrons retiring from the firm. George M. Beasten is authorized to settle all outstanding accounts.
GEORGE M. BEASTEN,
JAMES M. HYRONS.
Locust Grove, Oct. 17, 1868.
NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to make payment to the undersigned by the first of December next.
oc24-4t* GEO. M. BEASTEN.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between Alfred F. Sears, Rodman Backus and Peter Sanford, under the firm of Sears, Backus & Sanford, under a contract to construct the Kent county Railroad, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 8th day of October, 1868.
ALFRED F. SEARS,
R. BACKUS,
P. SANFORD.
October 24, 1868—4t*

45,000
Peach Trees For Sale.
THE subscriber offers for sale about FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND PEACH TREES, grown from natural seed procured from Accomac county, Virginia, and budded with the best varieties suited to this climate.
For price, &c., apply to the undersigned in person, or by letter to Still Pond, Kent Co.
oc24-ta1* HANSON CREW.

Stage to Buck Neck.
On and after Monday, Oct. 26, my stage will run from Chestertown to connect with Steamer THOMAS COLLYER, leaving Chestertown on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings at 9½ o'clock, A. M. Passengers conveyed from the boat to Chestertown.
FARE $1 25, through to Baltimore.
oc24-tf. JAMES SHUSTER.

VALUABLE FARM
FOR SALE.
AS ATTORNEY FOR GEO. R. VANSANT, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale at the Hotel of John Pennington in the town of Galena, in Kent county, Maryland, on
WEDNESDAY,
The Eighteenth day of November, 1868,
AT TEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,
ALL THAT FARM
AND IMPROVEMENTS
on which Lawrence S. Vansant now resides, containing
140 ACRES,
More or less. The IMPROVEMENTS are good and nearly new, and consist of
FRAME DWELLING
BARN, STABLING, &c.
The Farm is divided into five fields, besides Peach Orchards; and the whole is under good and substantial fencing. There is on the place a
Fine Peach Orchard
OF ABOUT THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED TREES,
of choice varieties, and in full bearing.
The soil is highly improved and very productive.
This Farm lies within one mile of a PUBLIC LANDING on Chester River, and about two and half miles from the village of Galena, and one and a half miles from the Railroad now building through Kent county; is in the midst of highly productive lands, convenient to churches, schools and mills, and lies on the road from Galena to Chestertown.
TERMS OF SALE:
Two thousand dollars cash on the day of sale, and the balance in one, two and three years; the credit payments to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with approved security, to bear interest from January 1st, 1869, at which time possession will be given.
RICHARD HYNSON,
Attorney for George R. Vansant.
Chestertown, Oct. 24, 1868—ts.

Town Property
FOR SALE.
SIX HOUSES AND LOTS AND ONE TWO-ACRE LOT.
THE undersigned will offer at public sale at the Market House in Chestertown, on
Thursday, the 12th Nov. next,
at Eleven o'clock, A. M., the following
HOUSES and LOTS
IN CHESTERTOWN AND VICINITY:
1st.—The HOUSE AND LOT in Queen Street, commonly known as the Old Bakery.
2nd.—The HOUSE AND LOT in Kent Street, between S. Crouch's store and the residence of Mr. A. Ming.
3rd.—The TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE and Lot on High Street, adjoining Mrs. Gleaves' store and residence.
4th.—The HOUSE AND LOT on Calvert street formerly the property of the late Henry Robinson, deceased.
5th and 6th.—TWO SMALL HOUSES in the vicinity of Chestertown, nearly new and in good order, late the property of Mr. Louis M. Titter, and one two acre Lot adjoining the last described Houses.
THE TERMS will be accommodating, and made known on the day of sale, when a more accurate description of the property will be furnished by J. N. USILTON,
Agent for the owners.
Chestertown, Oct. 24—ts.

SCHOOL HOUSE AND LOT
At Public Sale.
WILL be offered at Public Sale by the subscriber, on the premises, on
Wednesday, the 4th of November 1868,
at 3 o'clock, P. M., ALL THAT LOT or PARCEL OF LAND, situate lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, at the fork of the road that leads from Mr. A. J. Rees' Tolchester Farm to Caulk's Field, together with the improvements, which are a fine
New School House,
built with care and neatness, and the necessary appurtenances belonging thereto.
Title indisputable. The terms will be made known on the day of sale.
C. TYLDEN WESTCOTT,
oc24-ts. Adm'r and Agent.

SCHOOL HOUSE AND LOT
FOR SALE.
THE undersigned will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, on
Wednesday, the 11th of November, 1868,
at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, at eleven o'clock, A. M., the
Brick School House,
AND LOT ATTACHED,
lying on the road from Harmony to Still Pond, adjoining the land of Wm. Welch and F. Dunlap. The former owners of the land will unite with the Board of School Commissioners in a deed for the premises.
The terms of sale are one-half cash and the balance in six months, with approved security.
W. F. MASSEY,
oc24-ts Secretary School Board.

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, on
TUESDAY,
The Tenth day of November, 1868,
At Eleven o'clock, A. M.,
at the porch of the Voshell House in Chestertown, kept by Mr. S. V. Farson, all that
Farm and Plantation
in Kent county, Maryland, containing
242 ACRES, 1 Rood, 35 Perches.
The land lies on the main road from Urieville to Chesterville, and in the possession of Mr. A. B. Gill. It adjoins the lands of Smith and Cochran, and of the late Samuel Kerr; and was formerly the property of the late Hugh Wallis.
The Dwelling
is comparatively new; also, the Out-Buildings. It has a sufficiency of Wood & Timber.
THE TERMS OF SALE are cash on the day of sale.
GEORGE VICKERS, TRUSTEE.
N. B.—To aid the sale, the Trustee may agree with the purchaser that if $3400 be paid on the day of sale a liberal credit may be extended for the balance. G. VICKERS, Trustee.
Chestertown, Oct. 17, 1868—ts.

MONEY, MONEY.
All persons indebted to the undersigned will please settle their accounts as soon as possible. I have a large demand for money to purchase my Fall Goods, and hope the above notice will be promptly attended to.
Oct. 10—3t. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

NOTICE.
All persons indebted to the undersigned will please settle their accounts as soon as possible, as I have a large demand for money. B. STRAUSS.
Oct. 17, 1868—3t.

H. T. B.
NEW FALL AND WINTER
GOODS,
NOW OFFERING
AT THE
GALENA CASH STORE,
Dry Goods, Notions,
CLOTHING,
Boots and Shoes, &c.
At Our Established Low Prices.
I would call the Ladies attention to my Large Stock of Fashionable SHOES, made to order, and every pair warranted.
Also, Ladies' MERENO VESTS and PANTS and a hundred other desirable articles impossible to mention.
GIVE US A CALL AND
A. B. G.
Country Produce always in demand.
E. W. PURNELL.
Oct. 24, 1868.

WM. KNABE & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
GRAND, SQUARE AND UPRIGHT
PIANO-FORTES.
WAREROOMS—350 West Balt. St., near Eutaw, BALTIMORE, MD
THESE instruments have been before the public for nearly thirty years, and upon their excellence alone attained *an unpurchased pre-eminence* which pronounces them unequaled.
Their TONE combines great power, sweetness and fine singing quality, as well as great purity of intonation, and evenness throughout the entire scale.
Their TOUCH is pliant and elastic, and entirely free from the stiffness found in so many Pianos. In WORKMANSHIP they are unexcelled, using none but the very best seasoned material, the large capital employed in our business enabling us to keep continually an immense stock of lumber, etc., on hand.
All our Square Pianos have our new Improved Overstrung scale and the Agraffe Treble.
We would call special attention to our late improvements in Grand Pianos and Square Grands, patented August 16, 1866, which bring the Piano nearer perfection than has yet been attained.
Every Piano fully warranted for Five Years.
Sole wholesale Agency for Cabart & Needham's Celebrated PARLOR ORGANS AND CHURCH HARMONIUMS.
WM. KNABE & CO.,
No. 350 West Baltimore St., near Eutaw,
oc.3-y. Baltimore, Md.

Notice to Creditors.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Walter T. H. Miller, late of Kent 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 18th day of May, 1869, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.
Given under my hand and seal this 20th day of October, 1868.
RICHARD W. JONES, Adm'r.
Oct. 24, 1868—4t.

HARMONY
ON HER FEET ONCE MORE!
All Things Working for the Best.
THE subscriber having just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of
Dry Goods, Groceries,
HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, BOOTS AND SHOES and all other articles usually found in a country store, all of which he offers for sale cheap for cash or country produce.
He has also connected with his store a first rate HARNESS SHOP, where can be found all articles generally kept in such an establishment, such as Buffalo Robes, Blankets, Whips, Saddles, &c. An A. No. 1 workman has been employed to superintend the business and will always be found on the spot. Orders for new work and mending respectfully solicited by the proprietor. W. M. CARROW.
Oct. 17, 1868—tf.

FOR SALE,
A Very Fine Imported SPANISH JACK, 8 years old, 14 hands high, color black, perfectly gentle, and in every respect reliable.
Any person desirous of purchasing would do well to call and examine him, as he is considered one of the finest jacks in this country.
For further information apply to
ROBERT BLACKWAY,
Near Cecilton, Cecil county, Maryland.
Oct. 17, 1868—3t*

Strayed or Stolen from the subscriber on the night of the 13th inst., a dark bay HORSE, with small white star in forehead, and white hind feet. Is rather stout but thin, and 16 hands high. A liberal reward will be paid for his recovery. WM. T. ANDERSON,
oc17-3t. near Smithville.

Caution to Gunners.—All persons are hereby cautioned from trespassing upon the farm occupied by the undersigned near Chestertown, with dog or gun. Necessity compels me to adopt this course in order to save my poultry and stock from injury, and I shall prosecute all who disregard this notice.
oc17-3t* WM. A. THOMAS.

CAUTION.
All persons are hereby forewarned from trespassing upon the farm or river shore of the undersigned near Chestertown, with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice. JOHN W. HINES.
Oct. 3, 1868—3t.

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.

$5 REWARD.—Strayed from the subscriber's, on or about the 1st of September, 1868, one Dark Gray SOW and three SHOATS. The above reward will be paid for their recovery. JOHN H. STRONG.
Oct. 10, 1868—3t.

Religious Notice.—There will be preaching at the Court House, Chestertown, Oct. 25th, at 3 o'clock, P. M., D. V., by one of the preachers of the M. E. Church South.
Oct. 17—2t.