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THE RESIGNATION OF SECRETARY COX.

The Disreputable Influences of the Land Grabbing Ring.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Gazette* says: The published correspondence between Mr. Cox and the President of the United States, in relation to the former's *forced resignation*, exhibits one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of Governmental corruption ever exposed since the fall of Adam. The Secretary plainly tells the Executive that his department has been beset by "many influential *gentlemen* in both Houses," with a view to subject the "patronage," that is, the public lands *to the control of "active political managers."* He tells him further, and as plainly, that he (President Grant) has a "purpose" to "carry out" in harmony with the Congressional swindlers, which, to be successful, renders necessary that he (Secretary Cox) should resign, and give place to a pliant tool of the nest of "operators" in question, whose only "political" object is *public plunder!* I quote from his letter to his Excellency:

"When Congress adjourned in the summer I was credibly informed that a *somewhat systematic* effort would be made, before its reassembling in the winter, *to force a change* in the policy we have pursued in the Interior Department. The removal of the Indian service from the sphere of ordinary political patronage has been *peculiary distasteful to many influential gentlemen in both Houses*, and in order to enable you *to carry your purpose out successfully*, I am satisfied that you ought not to be embarrassed by *any other causes of irritation in the same Department.*— My views of the necessity of reform in the civil service have brought me, more or less, *into collision with the plans of some of our active political managers*, and my sense of duty has obliged me to oppose *some of their methods of action through the Department.*"

When it is born in mind that this letter was written on the 2nd of the present month at Staten Island, New York, and that the reply of his Excellency was as prompt as the 5th (barely time for a swift railroad mail despatch,) the public may probably appreciate the degraded condition of the Executive branch of the Government from the tenor of the response. The resignation is briefly and coolly "accepted" by our high-toned President for the reasons as "*suggested in the* letter of resignation."

I have been thus particular, purely because I charged (upon *substantial* authority) those very things in the beginning; but they were contradicted, and all sorts of lying excuses for Mr. Cox's "withdrawal" sent broadcast over the country by Radical liars. The whole matter is now exposed to the glare of noonday.

It shows conclusively that a Cabinet officer, for the reason that he stood in the way of a parcel of swindlers, was required by them to tender his resignation; that he did so "*in the interest of the Administration*," and that General Grant accepted his resignation in double-quick time (solely on that account,) in order the more promptly to turn over the Land and Indian Bureaus to the plunderers who made the demand. X.

STATE ELECTIONS NEXT WEEK.—There will be an exciting time among politicians next week. No less than nineteen States will vote, principally for members of Congress, but several of them for Governor, Legislature and local officers. Louisiana and Arkansas vote on Monday next. But on Tuesday (the next day) the following States will hold elections: Maryland, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin.

In Maryland only five members of Congress are to be voted for; in Delaware a Governor, one member of Congress local officers and members of the Legislature; in Virginia for nine members of Congress and local officers; in New York, Missouri, Alabama, Michigan, Nevada, Kansas, Massachusetts and Tennessee for Governors and Congressmen; New Jersey, Florida, Illinois, Kentucky, Louisiana, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Rhode Island for Congressmen and local officers. The returns will, of course, be looked for with great interest.

THE GREAT NORTHWEST.—It appears by the census that the population of Iowa is 1,187,398, Michigan has 1,191,461. This is an extraordinary even thing between States with so large a number of people. Wisconsin also has about 1,000,000. The Northwest, in almost every State, goes up into the millions. Ohio approximates to 3,000,000; Illinois, 2,650,000; Indiana, say, 1,700,000, and Missouri, 1,550,000. In those seven States there is certainly over 12,000,000 inhabitants, which Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska will bring up to 13,000,000. In 1830, forty years ago, the whole United States did not have as large a population. In 1840 there were but four Northwestern States—Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan—and their population was not one-fifth of what it is in the Northwest now. There was then no Wisconsin or Iowa at all. These great States have been entirely built in less than half a lifetime of a man. The annals of the world afford no such similar instance of growth. The population of the United States this year, it is thought, will exceed 39,000,000. Therefore in the ten Western States named there is to be found one third of all the people of the country.

POOR SCHENCK!—The people of the third Congressional District of Ohio have become tired of being misrepresented in Congress by a paid tool of monopolists and manufacturers, and they put so many votes in against him last Tuesday that he has concluded not to go to Congress any more. His political annihilation is particularly gratifying to all honest people, from the fact that the most dishonest means were used in the election canvass to continue Schenck in the House. Thousands of dollars were sent from the New England monopolists, whose interests he served so well, to corrupt and debauch the people of the district, but they were not purchasable, it appears, and Schenck is up in a high spout. The interests of the people of Ohio are so widely different from those of New England that it is easy to appreciate why they shouldn't want the tools of New England to represent them in Congress.

RADICAL GENEROSITY.

One day last week, a colored man, afflicted with the chills—and whose wife and four little children were almost in a state of starvation—asked a Radical in the upper part of the county, if that party, for whom he was going to vote, could not afford to give him some meal and a piece of bacon. The white "brother" assured him that *his party was so poor that it had hard work to keep up its organization*, but advised him to go to Mr. ——, (a good Democrat) who was a charitable man, and who would no doubt relieve him. The colored man went, when the following conversation ensued between the Democrat and himself:

"Mr. ——, I've been sick with chills for two weeks, and have no money to get anything to eat for the old woman and children. Will you help me a little?"

"Well, Tom, I'll do it, but why should you come to me for assistance when you are going to vote to make me pay more taxes than I now pay? If you colored people work on in the way you are now working you will make us Democrats so helpless that we can't help you and then we'll all starve together."

"But boss, I don't want to do that."

"No matter—your white Radical friends will make you do it. But what do you want—meat and bred?"

"Yes, sir."

"Mother," said the Democrat, calling to his wife, "give Tom some bacon and a half-bushel of meal—the poor devil's family is sick and starving."

And it was given—and the recipient of Democratic bounty is now cogitating about how he ought to vote or whether he ought to vote at all. Let him, and his sable friends, continue to cogitate. They have something to cogitate about.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN OHIO—*A Man Murders his Wife and Conceals the Body.*—A dispatch dated Fort Wayne, Ind., October 30, says:

A most horrible murder, committed nine miles south of Lima, Ohio, has just come to light. A man named Brentlinger murdered his wife near his house, on last Monday afternoon, by stabbing her eight times in the breast and four times in the abdomen. He threatened the lives of his children if they informed on him, and by direction of him two of his sons buried the body near the house, and then, in order to remove all traces of the grave, plowed and harrowed over the spot. Yesterday his children told some of the neighbors of the affair, and an examination was immediately made which revealed the crime in all its horrible nature. Brentlinger has since confessed and is now confined in the Lima jail. His trial will probably take place at the present term of the court. The age of the murdered is 52, that of his victim but 25. This was his second wife. He claims to have murdered her on account of her being too intimate with a neighbor.

EFFECT OF DISFRANCHISEMENT IN WEST VIRGINIA.—The republican leaders of West Virginia did not believe in the policy of universal amnesty and the removal of all disfranchisements, at least they could not see that the time had yet come to give effect to that policy. Hence they stood out against it, and it has submerged them, as was inevitable. Through the republican party or over it, re-enfranchisement was sure to be effected at an early day, and it, through their mistaken choice, has been carried over them. Such is the moral of last week's election, which those who will may execrate, but that will not alter the facts.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

COMPARATIVE INCREASE OF ATLANTIC CITIES.—By the returns of the census for 1870 the increase of population in the city of New York for the last ten years has been at the rate of 13 9-10 per cent. In Philadelphia the increase has been 16½ per cent. In Baltimore the increase has been a little over 25½ per cent. Thus it will be seen that the increase of population in Baltimore has been at a rate nearly double that of New York city, and one-third greater than the city of Philadelphia. Baltimore has, therefore, every reason to be satisfied with her growth, being in a ratio so much greater than that of the two chief Atlantic cities. The population of the chief Atlantic cities by the census of 1870 is as follows: New York, 924,613; Philadelphia, 657,179; Brooklyn, 396,000, and Baltimore 267,599.

PITHY.—The Cecil *Whig* says Collector McIntire received a few days ago, the following pithy note, in reply to a demand for taxes:

MR. JAMES MCINTIRE—*Dear Sir:*—I am quite surprised to receive a demand from you for Internal Revenue taxes.—This is something which I was not honored with in days of prosperity. Last winter the Sheriff, for the benefit of several security claimants administered upon my estate, and when I examined his distribution list I found he had even entirely disinherited my own creditors. So I think Uncle Sam's legacy will be rather slim. I have nothing now subject to taxation for County, State or Internal Revenue, except a black dog. Should you offer him for sale you will have to be purchaser, for the whole neighborhood have a dislike to him.

Yours truly, ——

QUEER.—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: Benjamin S. Turner, the colored Republican candidate for Congress in the Selma District of Alabama, is making a vigorous canvass on the platform of "*universal amnesty, universal suffrage and universal repudiation of the National debt.*" That negro thinks his fellow-negroes will gladly vote to rupudiate the debt in order that they may be relieved from the little taxes they pay, and we have no doubt he knows his people well.

BURGLARY.—The house used by Messrs. John P. McAuliff as a tailor shop, and by Samuel Seeney as a shoe shop, was entered on Friday night by means of false keys, and clothing and boots and shoes to the amount of $125 stolen therefrom. It is high time somebody was caught at this business.—*Cent. Observer.*

SNOW STORM.—Quite a snowstorm took place in Maine and New Hampshire on Monday. In several places the snow was four inches deep, affording tolerably good sleighing.

WAR NEWS FROM EUROPE.—Marshal Bazaine has surrendered Metz, and he is charged with being bribed to do so. At no time since the formation of the French Republic has he been considered very loyal to it. About 150,000 troops were surrendered with the city. There is no prospect of peace—Prussia demanding a cession of territory, while the French are determined not to yield.

"TOO MUCH NIGGER!"—The New York *Commercial*, a prominent Republican journal, is of opinion that the Radical party will be compelled to change its policy or go to pieces. It says: "Too much nigger will not do. The people are nauseated with this everlasting talk about the rights of our colored fellow-citizens.—The "sober second thought" is at work. The people are getting their eyes open, and many of them who had been honest abolitionists all their lives are disgusted at seeing ignorant and uneducated negroes in the United States Senate, on the Bench, in the State Legislatures, and in all the departments of the Government. Men who favored the abolition of slavery never demanded negro equality, never asked that the negro should be forced into the Senate of the United States, or educated at West Point; and it is not to be wondered at that these men are now ready to admit that "there is too much nigger" in the Radical programme. Destroy the Radical party, and the negro will cease to be a ruling element in our politics."

☞ If you would have negroes in the public schools with your children, vote for Torbert.

A Body and Mind Disease.

Such is dyspepsia. The stomach and brain are too intimately allied for the one to suffer without the other, so that dyspepsia and despondency are inseparable. It may be added, too, that irritation of the stomach is almost invariably accompanied by irritation of the temper. The invigorating and tranquilizing operations of Hostetter's Bitters is most powerfully developed in cases of indigestion. The first effect of this agreeable tonic is comforting and encouraging. A mild glow pervades the system, the chronic uneasiness in the region of the stomach is lessened and the nervous restlessness which characterizes the disease is abated. This improvement is not transient. It is not succeeded by the return of the old symptoms with superadded force, as it is always the case when unmedicated stimulants are given for the complaint. Each dose seems to impart a permanent accession of healthful invigoration. But this is not all. The aperient and anti-bilious properties of the preparation are scarcely secondary in importance to its tonic virtues. If there is an overflow of bile the secretion is soon brought within proper limits, and if the biliary organ is inert and torpid it is toned and regulated. The effect upon the discharging organs is equally salutary, and in cases of constipation the cathartic action is just sufficient to produce the desired result gradually and without pain. The Bitters also promote healthy evaporation from the surface which is particularly desirable at this season when sudden spells of raw, unpleasant weather are apt to check the natural perspiration and produce congestion of the liver, coughs and colds. *The best safeguard against all diseases is bodily vigor*, and this the great Vegetable Restorative essentially promotes.

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

WEDNESDAY,

The Twenty-third of November, 1870, at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the hotel porch of Mr. John Pennington, in Galena, Kent county,

All that House and Lot of Land IN GALENA,

adjoining the property of Mrs. J. T. Hurtt, A. L. Gooding, J. Peacock and others, containing about three quarters of an acre, and at present occupied by Mr. James S. Wilson.

The property will be divided and sold in lots.

This property belonged to Thomas E. Gooding, deceased, and is to be sold as the property of his devisees.

The HOUSE is commodious and in fair condition.

THE TERMS OF SALE as prescribed by the Decree, are:—One-fourth of the purchase money on the day of sale, or in sixty days thereafter, at the option of the Trustee, and the balance in three equal instalments in six, twelve and eighteen months from the first day of January next, with interest from that time, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee.

GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee.

Chestertown, Oct. 29, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of five writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of Goldman McComas, & Co., one at the suit of Horsey, Miller & Co., one at the suit of Reeder and Thacher, one at the suit of Vance and Landis, one at the suit of Musselman and Kirk, against the goods and chattels of Edwin Crouch, Jr., I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim, and interest of the said Crouch, of, in and to the following property:

1 HORSE AND CARRIAGE,

A Lot of Store Goods AND Household & Kitchen Furniture.

And I hereby give notice that on *THURSDAY, the 17th of Nov.*, 1870, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in the town of Millington, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the said property so seized and taken in execution, to pay said writs, interest and costs due, and to become due.

☞ THE SALE WILL BE POSITIVE.

JOS. E. GILPIN, Late Sheriff.

Oct. 29, 1870—ts [4 50]

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of 2 writs of fieri facias, issued by James Graves, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, at the suit of N. G. Westcott, against the goods and chattels of Otho Fogwell, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Otho Fogwell of, in and to

4 Head of Horses,

4 Cows, 1 Bay Stallion, Interest in the Wheat Crop; also, Dearborn, Wood Wagon, and Farm Implements.

And I hereby give notice, that on *FRIDAY, the 4th day of November*, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the premises of the said Fogwell, I will sell the said property to the highest bidders for cash, to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

S. S. USILTON, Late Const.

Oct. 29, 1870—ts[3.50]

FARMERS and others can have their BROOM CORN made up for 16 cts. per piece. Handles, Wire, &c., found.

Address J. & W. K. JUDEFIND,

oc8-7t. Edesville P. O.

BOOTS & SHOES!—We invite especial attention to our large stock of Boots and Shoes. W. A. VICKERS,

oc22. People's Store.

BOOTS & SHOES! HATS & CAPS!

WM. H. HAMILTON,

HAVING bought out the BOOT AND SHOE STORE of Mr. John W. Collins, adjoining the Post Office, has just returned from the city with a NEW STOCK OF GOODS, comprising a general assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS.

Special attention is called to my goods for

Ladies and Children's Wear,

and GENTS' FINE WORK. Side-lace, front-lace, Button and Congress Gaiters; Gents' fine Calf-skin Sewed Boots and Gaiters, English Walking Shoes, Slippers, &c. Coarse Boots and Shoes of all kinds. Also, a large assortment of CHILDREN'S SHOES of every description, to which the attention of parents is invited. Also,

HATS AND CAPS,

for Men and Boys, of the latest styles, and for sale at the very LOWEST PRICES.

I have employed Mr. JOHN W. COLLINS to attend to the business until my removal to town. WM. H. HAMILTON.

Oct. 15, 1870—tf.

UP TOWN!!

New Fall Goods.

I have just returned from the city with a well selected stock of

SEASONABLE DRY GOODS

Just Purchased, and now open.

NEW DRESS GOODS,

Colored and Black ALPACA,

KERSEYS, Cassimeres, Sattinets,

White, Red and Grey FLANNELS,
Black OPERA CLOTH,
Red, white and Blue Opera Cloth,
Josey Flannels, Bed Quilts,
White and Grey Blankets,
CANTON FLANNELS,
Bleached and Unbleached MUSLIN,
Ticking and Domestic,

Men's and Ladies' Gloves, Men's silk and linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Handkerchiefs, Children's Worsted Stockings, Men's Merino Shirts,

Ladies' Merino Vests, good quality, Balmoral Skirts, Ladies' Coats and Circulars, Bl'k Double Shawls, Double and Single Shawls, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Crockery-ware cheap.

☞ Call and see, at

MRS. S. E. BARRETT'S

oc15-4m. Up Town.

T. W. ELIASON & SON,

RECEIVED THEIR SECOND SUPPLY OF

NEW FALL GOODS,

DURING THE PAST WEEK.

They invite special attention to the following lines of goods:

KERSEYS,

OF EXTRA WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

Cassimeres, Sattinets, Flannels, &c.

BED QUILTS, COUNTERPANES, Blankets,
BL'K ALPACAS, CANTON FLANNELS,
BROWN MUSLINS, &c.
MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS of extra quality, made to our own order.
BOY'S Heavy BOOTS, made to our own order.
Ladies, Misses and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES of various styles and qualities.
Men's and Boy's WOOL AND FUR HATS,
WINDOW CAMBRICS, OIL CLOTHS, AND CURTAINS.
GENT'S MERINO SHIRTS,
LADIES' MERINO VESTS, good quality.
PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR

for sale at Baltimore prices, by

oc8. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

☞ NEW STOCK ☜ OF

FALL and WINTER GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED! JUST RECEIVED!

AND NOW OPENING AT THE

"PEOPLE'S POPULAR STORE."

Fine French, English and American DRESS GOODS, in great variety.

Low and Medium Priced Dress Goods, adapted to the wants of the most economical buyer.

BLACK ALPACA, MUSLINS, PRINTS, FLANNELS, CASSIMERES, JEANS, KERSEYS, TICKINGS, &c.

Full line of NOTIONS!—Hosiery, Gloves, Ladies' Vests, Ladies' Hoods, Sontags, &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Large stock of Men's and Boys' Boots; Ladies' Misses and Childrens' Plain and Fancy Sewed and Pegged Morocco, Calf and Kid Balmorals.

HATS AND CAPS

Of the LATEST FALL & WINTER STYLES.

Full line of Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, &c.

Carpets and Oil Cloths,

White and Colored BLANKETS, &c.

To Cash and Prompt Paying Customers we offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS. Our stock is very large, and we intend to sell.

To be convinced that our prices will compete with those of any other establishment, give us a call. Respectfully,

WM. A. VICKERS,

oc22. People's Popular Store.

NEW GOODS.

NEW PRICES IN GALENA.

THOMAS H. HORSEY,

HAVING just returned from the Cities with a new and well selected

Stock of Goods,

we are now enabled to offer EXTRA INDUCEMENTS to the buying public.

Ladies' and Misses Regular made HOSIERY
Custom made BUTTON SHOES & GAITERS.

Dress Goods, White Goods,

Corsets, Notions & Trimmings

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY.

Having a first-class FASHIONABLE TAILOR from New York in our Town, we can have Gentlemen's Suits made to order, in the Latest Style, from Goods of our own selection. A good fit and satisfaction guaranteed, or no sale.

A Full Stock of all kinds of Goods

kept in a First Class Store, which will be sold at prices based on recent decline in gold, for

CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE,

and to short time buyers.

☞ PLEASE CALL AND EXAMINE

No trouble to show goods.

THOMAS H. HORSEY.

Galena, May 14, 1870.

E. L. USILTON,

WITH HERRING & DILL,

WHOLESALE

Commission Merchants,

No. 28 North Water St., Philadelphia.

☞ My facilities are such as will enable me to obtain the highest prices for FRUIT, POULTRY, BUTTER, EGGS, GRAIN, and all other produce. (oc8tf.) E. L. USILTON.

Tax Collector's Sale.

By authority vested in me by the Commissioners of Kent county, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 56-59, Art. 81, Code Pub Gen. Laws, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at Hanesville, on

Saturday, the 19th of November, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following property of George R. Jones, to wit:

ONE HORSE AND COW,

to pay taxes due from Benjamin S. Startt and George R. Jones for the year 1869, with interest and cost due thereon.

THOS. H. KENNARD, Coll.

Oct. 29, 1870—ts.[$3.]

Collector's Sale.

I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, the 12th day of November, 1870, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at Hanesville, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash,

A lot of HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

seized and taken as the property of Jas. Rasin, to pay the taxes due from said James Rasin, for 1869, with interest and cost.

THOMAS H. KENNARD,

oc22-ts[2.00] Collector

Collector's Sale.

I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, the 5th of November, 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at Worton Heights, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash,

1 BED AND CHAIRS,

seized and taken as the property of Joe Miller, and will be sold to pay taxes due from said Joe Miller for the year 1869, with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

THOS. H. KENNARD,

oc15-ts (2.00) Coll. 3rd District.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, the fifth day of November next, at 10 o'clock, A. M, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at Worton Heights,

ONE BED AND CHAIRS,

seized and taken as the property of Sarah Wilson, and will be sold to pay taxes due from said Sarah Wilson for the year 1869, with interest and cost due thereon.

THOS. H. KENNARD,

Oct. 15, 1870—ts.(2.00) Collector.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, the 5th day of November, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at Worton Heights, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash,

ONE SORREL HORSE,

seized and taken as the property of John S. Parsons, and will be sold to pay taxes due for the year 1869, with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

THOS. H. KENNARD,

oc15-ts[2.00] Collector.

Notice to Delinquent Tax-Payers.

ORDERED by the Commissioners of Kent county, that the following advertisement be inserted once in each week for and during four weeks successively, in some newspaper printed and published in Chestertown.

Test: JOHN RUSSELL,
Clerk to Commissioners for Kent Co.

LOTS OF LAND

in the Third District of Kent county, chargeable for the payment of taxes due to THOMAS H. KENNARD, Collector for said District for the year 1869, 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 returns of said Collector to the said County Commissioners, will appear, viz:

WILLIAM FOREMAN—a Lot of Land in Still Pond, containing four and a half acres, with House thereon. Taxes due, for 1868 $3.04, for 1869 $2.90—total - - - $5.94

FRISBY REDDING—a Lot of Land in Tripilo containing four acres, with house thereon. Taxes for 1868 $4.49, '69, $4.28, total $8.77

SARAH RINGGOLD—a Lot of Land in Tripilo, containing 2 acres, with house thereon. Taxes for 1868 $3.04, '69 $2.90, total $5.94

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That unless the charges on said lands shall be paid to Thomas H. Kennard, late Collector for said District, on or before the 15th day of November 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.

October 11, 1870.

By the County Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, Ordered, That Thomas H. Kennard 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 some newspaper 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.

oct15-5t. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.

Election Notice.

TO JUDGES OF ELECTION AND VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY.

IN accordance with the requirements of the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby give notice to the Judges of Election, and to the Voters of Kent county, that an election will be held on

TUESDAY,

The Eighth day of November, 1870,

at the usual places of voting in the several Election Districts of said County, that is

For District No. 1, at Massey's Cross Roads;
" " 2, at Kennedyville;
" " 3, at Worton Heights;
" " 4, at Chestertown;
" " 5, at Edesville.

And the election so to be held is for the purpose of electing one person as a Representative in the Congress of the United States from the First Congressional District of the State of Maryland.

☞ The Polls will be opened at nine o'clock in the morning, and closed at six o'clock in the evening.

The Judges of the several Election Districts are requested to make their returns on Thursday, the 10th, following the election.

ROBERT W. CALDER,

oc15-te. Sheriff of Kent county.

NOTICE

To Hotel-Keepers, and all others who deal in Liquors.

FOR the information of all persons concerned, the following Act of the Legislature, passed March 24, 1865, is published:

CHAPTER 191.

AN ACT prohibiting the sale of Spirituous or Fermented Liquors in the several Counties of the State on the day of Election.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store, drinking establishment, or other place where liquors are sold, or for any person or persons, directly or indirectly, to sell, barter, give, or dispose of any spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks of any kind, on the day of election hereafter to be held in the several counties of this State.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That any person violating the provision of this Act shall be liable to indictment by the Grand Jury of the County where the offence is committed, and shall, upon conviction before any Judge of any Circuit Court of this State, be fined a sum not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every offence, one-half of the fine to be paid to the informer, and the other half to the County Commissioners for the use of public roads.

oc15-te. R. W. CALDER, Sheriff.

New Fall Goods!

STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS!

A WELL SELECTED STOCK OF SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, JUST PURCHASED AND NOW BEING OPENED,

Enabling us to show our customers and buyers generally an assortment of Goods which we think will compare favorably in extent and variey with that of any other concern in this Town.

We always buy with care and upon terms the most advantageous known to mercantile men, and as a consequence can sell at the LOWEST LIVING PROFITS.

THOMAS S. WICKES.

Chestertown, October 8, 1870.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

ONE of the largest and best assortments we have ever had on hand, all bought for cash, and selected from among the best City stocks and some of them Custom Made.

MEN AND YOUTHS PRAIRIE BOOTS equal in quality to anything ever offered in this market. GENTS' CALF-SKIN BOOTS, double soles for Winter wear.

A large line of WOMENS' and CHILDREN'S SHOES of the very best grades. The attention of Ladies is called to assorted sizes of extra quality MOROCCO BALMORALS and POLISH BOOTS, and to a Case of superior BUTTONED GAITERS, a class of Goods not often met with out side of City Retail Establishments.

October 15. THOMAS S. WICKES.

Cassimeres, Kerseys, Yarns,

WHITE AND COLORED BLANKETS, CRIB BLANKETS, FLANNELS, LONG and SQUARE SHAWLS in Stripes and Plaids, UNDER-GARMENTS for men and also for Ladies, and a large Line of GLOVES, HOSIERY and NOTIONS. All just opened by

Oct. 15. THOMAS S. WICKES.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

Coats, Pantaloons and Vests,

In fine Black Beaver, and NEW STYLE FALL CASSIMERE.

LOW PRICED CLOTHING for Farm wear

Our Clothing as usual is gotten up in the very best manner and prices will be found to compare favorably with any reputable City Establishment. THOMAS. S. WICKES.

October 15.

BASS & COMPANY'S PALE SCOTCH ALE, Exported by Hibbert, guaranteed genuine, and recommended as an invigorating Tonic for people suffering from debility, especially women. Just received and for sale by

THOMAS S. WICKES.

Chestertown, October 15, 1870.

KENT COUNTY RAILROAD.

Change of Hours—Winter Arrangement.

On and after MONDAY, Oct. 24th, 1870, Trains will be run daily (Sundays excepted) for FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS between Kennedyville and Townsend, where close connection will be made with trains of the Delaware Railroad, and run as follows until further notice:

GOING EAST.

Leave Kennedyville	7.20 A. M.	
" Black's	7.35 "	
" Lambson's	7.50 "	
" Massey's	8.05 "	1.25 P. M.
" Morris'	8.15 "	1.40 "
" Vandyke's	8.22 "	1.55 "
Arrive Townsend	8.35 "	2.10 "

GOING WEST.

Leave Townsend	11.40 A. M.	8.00 P. M.
" Vandyke's	11.55 "	8.15 "
" Morris'	12.05 P. M.	8.25 "
" Massey's	12.20 "	8.35 "
" Lambson's	12 30 "	
" Black's	12 40 "	
Arrive Kennedyville	12 50 "	

☞ Passengers from Kennedyville, and all Stations on the KENT COUNTY RAILROAD, will reach Wilmington at 10.15, A. M.; Philadelphia at 11.45, A. M., and Baltimore at 1.05 P. M.

Passengers for the KENT COUNTY RAILROAD will leave Baltimore (President Street Depot) at 7.25, A. M.; Philadelphia (Depot corner Broad Street and Washington Avenue) at 8.30, A. M., and Wilmington at 10.10, A. M.

J. B. WINGATE,

oc29tf. Chief Eng'r and Superintendent.

THE MAIL STAGE LINE.

A Stage will run in connection with the Cars at Kennedyville as follows:

Leave Hall's Hotel, Chestertown, daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock, A. M.

Returning, leave Kennedyville on arrival of train, say 1 o'clock, P. M.

Passengers, by registering their names at Hall's Hotel, or J. L. Stam & Son's store, in the evening, will be called for. All packages or errands punctually attended to when paid for.

☞ FARE THROUGH from Chestertown to Philadelphia $3.00.

BISHOP & FERGUSON, Contr's.
GEORGE MAKINSEY, Driver.

Oct 29, 1870—tf.

WASHINGTON A. PAGE,

DEALER IN

LUMBER,

SHINGLES, LATHS, PICKETS, DRESS FLOORING, JOIST, GIRDERS AND SILL STUFF

Of all sizes, constantly on hand, or cut to order, at the shortest notice.

LEE STREET, near Light st. Whf.,

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Invites attention to his stock of

BLACK SILKS, best makes.
COLORED SILKS in all desirable shades.
"PIMS" IRISH POPLINS.
CORDED & PLAIN FRENCH POPLINS.
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PLAID POPLINS AND SERGES.

The latest styles of Dress Goods constantly receiving and for sale at the lowest prices.

A full stock of MOURNING GOODS always on hand.

BLACK POPLINS, MOHAIRS & ALPACAS.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS! SHAWLS!

In great variety.

CLOAK VELVETS, PURE SILKS,
Best Goods imported.

Silk Plushes! Silk Plushes!

In all desirable shades.

WATER-PROOF CLOTHS.
CLOTHS FOR LADIES WEAR.
VELVETEENS OF SILK FINISH.
CLOTHS FOR MEN & BOY'S WEAR,

Table Linens, Napkins, Sheetings, Towelings, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets, Counterpanes, Piano and Table Covers, Emoroideries, Laces, White Goods, Gloves, &c.

We deal in good goods, and will sell at such prices as will give satisfacti.

The Market and Chesnut Street Cars will convey you to within a few doors of the store.

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oc22-3m. 28 South Second St., Philad'a.

500 CORDS OF WOOD FOR SALE!

THE subscribers have in their **WOOD YARD on Cannon St.,** all kinds of WOOD, which will be sawed to any length desired and delivered at short notice. Having a Circular Saw in the Yard, they are prepared to fill all orders with punctuality and dispatch.

PINE sawed and delivered at $6.00 per cord.
OAK " " 7.00 " "
HICKORY " " 8.00 " "

Orders respectfully solicited.

S. L. & S. W. RAWLEIGH,

oc22 4m. Chestertown.

Order of Publication.

JESSE MORRIS
Against
Unknown heirs of Henry Hynson, col'd.

THE object of this bill is to procure a Decree for the sale of the Real Estate of Henry Hynson, dec'd, for the payment of his debts.

The Bill states that Henry Hynson, colored, late of Kent county, deceased, being indebted in his life time to Jesse Morris, the complainant in this cause, did, to secure to him the sum of One hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-one cents, convey to him by deed dated January 16, 1860, certain real estate in Kent county, and particularly described in said deed; that it was to be void on the payment of said debt with interest from that date, on or before the sixteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-one. That no part of the said debt or the interest thereon has been paid although long since due and often demanded, and that the whole of said debt and interest is due and remains unpaid.

The bill further states, that the said Henry Hynson being so indebted to the complainant and also unto divers other persons in large sums of money, and having the aforesaid real estate and some little personal estate, departed this life intestate in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-three; it is not known whether he left any heirs; if he did leave heirs their names and residences are unknown to the complainant. That shortly after the death of the said Henry Hynson, administration of all and singular his personal estate was by the Orphans' Court of Kent county granted to the Complainant, who, in virtue thereof, possessed himself of all the personal estate which was of the said Henry Hynson at the time of his death, and has applied the proceeds thereof to the payment of the funeral expenses, costs of administration, and debts other than the aforesaid mortgage debt, as may be seen by copies of his administration accounts filed in this cause: and by said vouchers it appears that the Complainant has overpaid said personal estate so as aforesaid in his hands for administration the sum of sixty dollars and ninety-six cents, and that the debts so paid and allowed were due and owing by the said Henry Hynson at the time of his death, and were at the time of their payment properly chargeable with the Complainant's mortgage debt against the aforesaid real estate of the said Henry Hynson: and that the Complainant is advised and charges that he is entitled to have his aforesaid overpayment reimbursed to him out of the aforesaid real estate, and to have his mortgage debt, with interest thereon, also paid out of same, as the personal estate was insufficient thereto, and that the heirs of the said Henry Hynson (if any there be) being unknown to the Complainant be required under an order of publication of this Court to come into said court, and show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass for the sale of said real estate and for payment of said debts as proposed.

Wherefore, it is ordered by me, the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, that the heirs of Henry Hynson, col'd, (if any there be) be and appear before the Circuit Court for Kent county, in person or by solicitor, on or before the thirtieth day of February next, to answer the bill of complaint of Jesse Morris against them in said Court exhibited, or a decree may pass as therein prayed: Provided a copy of this order be printed in some newspaper published in Kent county for three successive weeks before the thirtieth day of November next.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

True Copy,—Test:
JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

October 15, 1870—4t.

LEWIN USILTON,
EXECUTOR OF JOSEPH USILTON,
VERSUS
JOHN H. GEMMILL AND OTHERS.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent County.

BY Virtue of a Decree or order of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity, passed in the above case, the creditors of the late William M. Gemmill, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims against the said William M. Gemmill, duly proved, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, within four months from this twenty-second day of October, Eighteen hundred and seventy.

JOSEPH B. BAKER, Trustee.

Oct. 22, 1870—4t.

Petition of Phillip Medders,
VERSUS
Thomas O. Gooding and Others.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent County.

OCTOBER TERM, 1870.

BY order of the Circuit Court of Kent county, the undersigned as Trustee, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the late William H. Gooding, late of Kent county, deceased, to file their claims duly proved, against the said William H. Gooding, with the Clerk of the