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The Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - - - OCT. 26, 1872.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT:

HORACE GREELEY, of New York.

VICE PRESIDENT:

B. GRATZ BROWN, of Missouri.

ELECTORAL TICKET.

FOR STATE AT LARGE:

FREDERICK RAINE,
AUGUSTUS W. BRADFORD.

DISTRICT ELECTORS:

PHILIP D. LAIRD,
JAMES B. GROOME,
JOHN M. CARTER,
JAMES A. BUCHANAN,
JAMES T. BRISCOE,
WILLIAM WALSH.

FOR CONGRESS — FIRST DISTRICT:

EPHRAIM K. WILSON,
OF WORCESTER COUNTY.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

IN FAVOR OF

Greeley, Brown & Wilson.

KENNEDYVILLE—Saturday, Oct 26, 2½, P. M.—J. A. Pearce, Wm. Gallagher, J. Horton Kelley, Col. Geo. A. Hanson.

EDESVILLE—Saturday, Oct. 26th, at 2½, P. M.—D. Jas. Blackiston, Wm. M. Slay, Thomas S. Bordley.

CHESTERVILLE—Monday, Oct. 28th, 2½, P. M.—H. W. Vickers, C. G. Ricaud, J. Horton Kelley.

GALENA—Wednesday, Oct. 30th, 7½, —Col. E. K. Wilson, F. H. Taylor.

WORTON HEIGHTS—Thursday, Oct. 31st, 2½, P. M.—H. W. Vickers, E. F. Perkins.

MILLINGTON—Friday, Nov. 1st, 2½—Wm. M. Slay, H. W. Vickers, Col. Geo. A. Hanson.

ROCK HALL—Saturday, Nov. 2, 2½—J. A. Pearce, E. F. Perkins.

QUAKER NECK—Saturday, Nov. 2d, at 2½—Wm. M. Slay, H. W. Vickers, Col. Geo. A. Hanson.

MASSEYS—Monday, Nov. 4th, at 2½—D. James Blackiston, J. A. Pearce, Chas. H. Baker.

By order of State Central Committee.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST.

Referring to the result of the late elections, a cotemporary very appropriately remarks that Mr. Greeley and Gen. Grant represent precisely the same opposite poles of doctrines and currents of feeling and policy as they did three weeks or six weeks ago. Each has precisely the same claims upon the support of those who sympathize with the particular opinions and lines of policy which they severally represent—no greater, and certainly no less. No man, therefore, who is actuated by high objects in the present contest, or has any fixed or abiding convictions of duty in reference to the presidential election, will see any reason in the State elections which have lately taken place, to change, modify or recede from any ground which he may have previously taken, or to abandon any course which he may before have determined upon. The man who is influenced solely by what he conceives to be the probabilities of electing his candidate is a man of expediency solely, not of principle—a fair-weather patriot, not to be depended upon in any crisis of his country's fate—and altogether unworthy of the high privileges of American citizenship.

The late inter-State war demonstrated on both sides, if it demonstrated anything, the tenacity and pertinacity of the national character when principle is at stake.—Former political contests have illustrated the same thing. The very republican party which now governs the country, and whose hold upon power seems so difficult to be shaken, is the same party which suffered defeat under Van Buren and Birney, and again under Fremont and Dayton.—Devotion to a purpose, despite of discouragement and defeat, has always been in politics the road to final success. So far as the approaching November election is concerned, the result is by no means as yet conceded to be such a foregone conclusion as to deprive either party of the stimulus of hope. Tables of calculations are put forth with the utmost show of confidence, and not without considerable show of plausibility, by the supporters of Mr. Greeley, for the purpose of showing that he can be elected without the aid of either Pennsylvania or Ohio, provided the Democrats and Liberals in other States do not falter in their duty or suffer themselves to be discouraged, but continue the contest like men. How far they will respond to the earnest appeals thus addressed to them, and justify the hopes which are based upon their continued fidelity to their cause and its standard-bearers, only time and the final result itself can show. For the rest, all is uncertainty and speculation.

For patriotic and earnest-minded men we cannot conceive that the struggle has assumed any new phase, except in respect of the additional incentive furnished to greater effort and renewed exertion. Other great interests are still at stake beside the election of President. In many of the States, our own among the number, Congressmen are to be elected; in others important State offices are to be filled upon the same day with the presidential election. None of these contests have lost their importance because that for the presidency seems to some less doubtful than before. Indeed, so far as Congress is concerned, they can hardly be considered as at all of inferior importance, involving as they do precisely the same issues in the choice of men by whom the legislation of the country is to be shaped and directed. These considerations ought to suffice to bring out the full vote of the people, to be cast as the great objects in view solely shall direct, uninfluenced and undeterred by boastings and rejoicings on the one side, which may prove to be premature, or fears upon the other, which may turn out to be equally groundless.

A THANKLESS TASK.

Judge Spence, the *independent* radical candidate for Congress, has been canvassing Kent during the present week, and has taken upon himself the task of instructing Democrats as to their duty in the present campaign. In his speech in Chestertown, on Tuesday, to about one hundred and fifty negro men and women and a few whites, he reproduced the various garbled extracts purporting to be editorials from the *Tribune* written by Mr. Greeley, which have been going the rounds of the radical press ever since the endorsement of Mr. Greeley by the national convention at Baltimore. Judge Spence thinks it very inconsistent for Democrats to give their support to a man who was once an outspoken Republican, but cannot discover the absence of that principle in any of that party casting their votes for him! Not at all! He is an *independent* candidate, he says, but claims to be a Republican, and went so far as to state that if elected to Congress he would use his influence to do away with *class legislation*—in other words, that he would support the infamous *social equality* measures of Charles Sumner and others of his ilk. This is Spence's position *now*. How then can any Democrat or Liberal vote for him without endorsing the extremist of all the ultra measures which have been brought before Congress, or do that which is almost as bad—stay away from the polls and not vote at all? This latter, in fact, is the object which Spence is endeavoring to accomplish. We listened in vain for the advancement of some argument why *he* should be voted for in preference to Col. Wilson, but the Judge preferred to deal in negatives almost exclusively, thinking no doubt that if he could show Democrats why they should not vote for Mr. Greeley, they would stay at home on the day of election, and thereby ensure Col. Wilson's defeat.

According to Radical doctrine, Greeley as he stands to-day should be as objectionable to us as he has been in the past. But suppose we apply this mode of reasoning to Spence himself, or to Grant, how would it then work? The former is alleged to have been *an original secessionist*: how then can he expect the support of honest Union men? Grant was originally a Democrat: how then, according to Judge Spence's argument, can he consistently rely upon the support of Republicans? But times have changed, and men have changed with them. Some men whose mouths were filled with arguments in support of slavery as a Divine institution have become the strongest Republicans in the land; while others who owned slaves run for office on the Radical ticket, expecting to be elected by the aid of negro votes, complain that if it had not been for the Democrats they would still have had their slaves? Democrats condemn Mr. Greeley's past course, while Republicans commend it; but the former find him in accord with them on the vital measures now advocated for the pacification of the country, and hence will give him their support.

GOV. SWANN'S SPEECH.

Ex-Governor Swann spoke at the Court House on Thursday evening. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the house was well filled, a number of jurymen and others remaining over night. The Governor spoke at length upon some of the questions of public policy which are paramount in importance to the prosperity of the country, but dwelt more particularly upon those of finance and the tariff, the former of which, he contended, was most miserably managed by the present Secretary of the Treasury, while the latter was impoverishing the agricultural and mechanical interests of the country to enrich the manufacturers and monopolists of the North and East. He regarded the administration of General Grant as one of military despotism, deplored his re-election as the greatest evil that could befall the country, and while he was no particular friend of Mr. Greeley, would give him a hearty support, and urged his hearers to do the same, in view of the importance of honesty and reform in the administration of the government. This is but an imperfect outline of the Governor's able address, the delivery of which was frequently interrupted with applause. He was followed by Lloyd Tilghman and J. B. Brown, Esqrs., of the Centreville bar, (who were here on professional business,) in brief but very appropriate addresses, after which the meeting adjourned. The occasion was enlivened with good music by our town band.

THE "INDEPENDENT" DODGE.

Judge Spence claims to be an *independent* candidate for Congress. In what this independence consists it would be hard to define. He seems to be fully identified with the Radical party in all its movements, and his speech here on Tuesday was certainly as genuine a party harrangue as could well be delivered. How then can he expect by his "independent" dodge to catch Democratic votes? We think he will be most woefully mistaken, at least so far as the gallant Democracy of Kent are concerned. Our people will support a man for Congress who is *now* with them in principle; and for President also they will give their votes to one who is *now* a representative of the *cardinal principles* for which they are contending. The first is E. K. WILSON—the latter, HORACE GREELEY.

DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP.—Although the infamous system of colonizing voters and using repeaters has given the States of Pennsylvania and Ohio to the Radicals, there are 19 States whose electoral votes are expected to be cast for Mr. Greeley, with a fair prospect for five more, in all 196. As the election will take place the same day in all the States, the system of colonizing illegal voters cannot be carried on to the same extent as in the recent election.

IN the State elections in October, 1868, the Radicals carried West Virginia, Georgia, Ohio Pennsylvania, and Indiana. In the recent elections the Democrats have carried three of the above five. This alters the prospect materially.

HOW ABOUT THAT?

Judge Spence in his speech on Tuesday referred to the corruptions of the New York Tammany Ring, and between it and the Grant administration drew a comparison favorable to the latter. Now, we think any speaker hard pressed for argument to charge the National Democracy with any responsibility for the rascellities of New York municipal and Railroad officials. Some of them never had any connection with that party, and to all of them there is not a more uncompromising foe in the country than HORACE GREELEY. But how about *Murphey*, one of President Grant's particular favorites? The notorious thieving in the Government Custom House in New York, under this man, is entirely forgotten by Judge Spence! And how about the wholesale villanies perpetrated by Radical officials in the Southern States? They are passed over in silence also; not a word is uttered in condemnation of the men who have robbed and plundered the people of that section; no expression of sympathy for the people whose houses and lands, and the very bread from their mouths, are now being taken to pay the taxes heaped upon them by radical carpet-bag Governors and ignorant negro legislators!

How about these things, Judge? As you *claim* to be *independent* of party, please give us some evidence of it by telling the *whole* truth when you again undertake to enlighten the people.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

At the Radical meeting here on Tuesday the whites occupied the stand, and Judge Spence commenced to speak before the band played a tune or the crowd of negroes who surrounded the new Grant pole (out of sight of the stand,) were informed that the speaking was about to commence. Soon after the Judge began, a messenger was despatched to invite the darkies over. Some colored gentlemen, we understand, are quite indignant at the proceeding, as they suppose it evinced a disposition to keep them out of the stand. From the character of some of the gentlemen who occupied the stand, we are inclined to think the whole thing was prearranged. Who will rise to explain?

IS HE ENTITLED?

Judge Spence, in his argument on the Court House green the other day in favor of contiued radical rule, and in the attempt to justify the enormous expenditures of the administration, referred to the improvements of the harbors, &c., in Maryland, and gave to President Grant the credit for it all. Now, we doubt very much whether the subject ever passed through the mind of Grant at all, and to credit him with the appropriations referred to is a stretch of magnanimity too generous for belief! The *Democratic* Senators and members of Congress from Maryland are justly entitled to the credit due, and Judge S. is as fully aware of this as any one.

THE REGISTRATION.

The Registration officers meet next Monday and Tuesday to correct the books of registration, and to register such voters as have not yet been registered. The lists as corrected on the 16, 17 and 18th of September have been published, so if there are any errors or omissions, those interested should have the record corrected on next Monday or Tuesday. Neglect of the matter will deprive them of their votes. It would be well for every voter to examine the list and see that his name is all right. Those who have changed their place of residence since the last election should not neglect to get registered in the district where they now live.

SUICIDE BY DROWNING.—On Wednesday as the steamer Chester was passing Deep Point, near the mouth of the Chester river, on her way to Baltimore, a man who had taken passage at this place was observed by the clerk, Mr. F. Wright, to jump overboard. The man had been walking the deck of the boat for some time, and was noticed to be very restless and pale. Suddenly he went aft of the wheel-house, and stepping back about a dozen paces started and with a run sprang overboard, falling into the water a considerable distance from the steamer. As soon as the man was overboard the clerk called to the engineer, who immediately stopped the forward movement of the steamer, and began to back her towards the man who was struggling in the water. A row boat was lowered, but before it could reach the suicide he had gone down The man's hat, which was floating in the water, was picked up, and found to contain a discharge from the Prussian army, issued to Wilhelm Bollmer, of Baufe county, Wittgenstein, Germany, who was born on the 15th of June, 1845. A certificate, stating that the same person had served seven years as a tailor in a German town, was also found, all in the German language. He had worked for a short time for Mr. A. Schwartz, of this town, and was subject to fits of insanity.

DISMISSED FROM THE NAVAL ACADEMY FOR "HAZING" THE COLORED CADET.—Rear Admiral Cass, acting Secretary of the Navy, Monday evening issued an order dismissing from the Naval Academy Cadet Robert D. Digges, for "hazing" the colored cadet, Conyers. Cadet Digges is from the fifth congressional district of Maryland, and was appointed by Hon. Wm. M. Merrick, the representative in Congress from that District. It seems that Conyers was walking through the grounds at the Naval Academy, when he was met by Digges, when a fight ensued, and Conyers got the worst of it.—*Wash. Star.*

VOORHEES ON GREELEY.—Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees says, in a letter from Terre Haute, dated October 14th: "Mr. Greeley has personally raised himself in this canvass a thousand fold in my estimation. His course has been all that could be desired, and I believe he would, if elected, be perfectly true to the purposes he has so gracefully proclaimed in his unrivalled addresses to the public. I shall vote for him in November not only unhesitatingly, but with pleasure, as a man who has established his claims to my admiration, notwithstanding my strong previous prejudices."

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The October term of the Circuit Court for Kent county was commenced on Monday last. Present, Hon. J. A. Wickes, Judge; Arthur B. Wheatley, Sheriff; Jesse K. Hines, Clerk; and J. A. Pearce, State's Attorney. The Grand Jury was empanelled, with Rich'd C Johnson as foreman, and appropriately charged by his Honor. Judges Robinson and Stump arrived on Monday afternoon and took their seats on the bench on Tuesday The following cases have been disposed of:

Francis A. Wallis vs. Sam'l C. Boyd. Appeal case. Judgment affirmed with costs. Vickers for appellant, Hynson for appellee.

S. B. Richardson vs. John Donohoe and and James Donohoe. Appeal case. Judgment affirmed with costs. Hynson for appellant, Pearce for appellee.

John W. Startt vs. James L. Bowers. Appeal case. Jury trial. H. W. Vickers for appellant, Baker for appellee.—Verdict for appellee for $22.

John T. Skirven vs. Pere L. Lynch. Appeal case. Judgment reversed with costs. Vickers for appellant, Hynson for appellee.

E. S. Watson vs. Jas L. Wilmer. Appeal case. Judgment affirmed with costs. Pearce for appellant, Hynson for appellee.

State vs. Ezekiel F. Stanley. Presentment for assault and battery upon Wm. H. Shriver with a deadly weapon. Tried before the court. Judgment of the Court, guilty. Sentenced to pay $1 and costs, and be confined in county jail 2 months. Blackiston for defence.

State vs. Mary C. Berryman. Presentment for larceny. Jury trial—verdict guilty. Sentence deferred. Hynson and Perkins for defence.

State vs. Major Thomas. Presentment for an assault with a knife on Geo. Mitchell. Trial before the Court. Guilty; and sentenced to pay a fine of $1 and costs, and confinement in county jail 3 months.

State vs. Jas. Byrom. Indictment for an assault with attempt to commit a rape on M. E. Garrett. Jury trial—verdict guilty. Sentence deferred. Slay for def.

On motion of J. A. Pearce, Esq., J. Horton Kelley was admitted to the bar.

State vs. Henry Miller, col'd. Indictment for larceny. Jury trial—in progress at the time of going to press.

A number of cases remain to be disposed of, including several jury trials, and the session will probably continue the whole of next week.

Before the adjournment of the Court on Wednesday Hon. Geo. Vickers submitted resolutions, prefaced with some appropriate remarks, on the death of John O. Slay, Esq. He was followed by Rich'd Hynson, Esq., and his Honor Judge Robinson, in merited tributes to the ability and virtues of the deceased, when the resolutions were adopted and ordered to be entered in the minutes of the Court

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, Oct. 22.—On application of James R. Jones the indentures of Albert James, colored, his apprentice, were cancelled. George W. Chrisfield, exec'r of Elizabeth Chrisfield, and guardian to Catharine H. Chrisfield, was directed to pay over to said minor her distributive share of the personal estate of said deceased, to be applied to educational purposes. John Wilson and F. H Harper returned their report of the valuation of the real estate of Daniel W. Turner, dec'd. Catharine A. E. Davis, guardian to Anne C. E., H Louisa and David P. Davis, returned her final guardian account for the first named, and separate accounts for the two latter for the year 1871. The Register was directed to cite R. M. Smyth, one of the executors of Wm. F. Smyth, to appear in court and show cause why said estate is not closed—returnable Oct. 29th.

Thursday, Oct. 24.—Letters of administration on the estate of Wm. J. Maslin were granted to John C. Hynson, and B. Trew and John Hadaway appointed to appraise said estate, and the usual notice to creditors ordered. Letters of administration on the estate of John Hofman were granted to Martha A. Hofman, and Jas. S. Harris and Andrew Price appointed to appraise said estate, and the usual notice to creditors ordered.

A GOOD ONE.—We have recently heard a good joke on the "Democratic War Horse" of old Appoquinimink Hundred, Delaware—Samuel Townsend, Esq. It seems that Mr. T. walked into a restaurant in Wilmington, where he was unknown to the bar-tender, and was partaking of "refreshments," when another gentleman walked in on the same business, and seeing a card of Drake's Plantation Bitters, with the letters S. T. 1860, X. upon it enquired of the bar-tender what they meant. "They mean" said the bar-tender, "that Sam Townsend, since 1860, has changed his politics ten times."—This thoroughly irritated the "War Horse," and he rushed up to the bar-tender, exclaiming in language characteristic of him, when he wishes to be expressive,—"It's a d—— lie; I haven't changed but *nine* times!" Of course an apology followed on the part of the bar-tender; but, as S. T. has made two or three changes since, we notice that the Wilmington papers, in recording the fact, always add an additional X., and head their articles S. T. 1860. XX.

ATTACKED BY A BEAR.—A black bear, belonging to Mr. L. C. Campbell, of the Wakeman House, Bombay Hook, succeeded some days since in getting loose, since which time it has been roaming about the country One day last week, a little daughter of John F. Goldsborough, Esq., whilst on her way to school was attacked by the bear, and in her fright threw a basket containing her dinner at the animal. The bear, scenting the food, paused to make a meal of it, which enabled the little girl to make her escape by flight. A negro man was next attacked, but having a large club he succeeded in keeping bruin at bay until the arrival of assistance. Mr. Collins, seeing the dangerous situation of the negro, at once procured his gun and fired on the infuriated beast, slightly wounding it, which caused it to cease hostilities, and thereby, probably, saved the negro from what might have proved serious results. The bear has not yet been captured.—*Smyrna Intelligencer.*

SENT TO THE ASYLUM.—We learn with unfeigned sorrow of the total overthrow of the mind of Mrs. H. L. Tarr, relict of the late Chas. E. Tarr, M. D., editor of the Denton (Md.) Journal A protracted illness and melancholy consequent upon the death of her husband has overthrown her reason, and converted her into one of the most pitiable of lunatics. Before she was called upon to undergo her sad ordeal she was a woman of strong mind, correct judgment and possessed fine literary attainments.—*Wilmington Commercial.*

ELKTON AND MASSEY'S RAILROAD.—A meeting of gentlemen interested in the above railroad was held at Chesapeake City Saturday week; $24,000 was reported as subscribed from Cecilton, and $30,000 was pledged from that district and Kent combined. No reports were read from other districts, but the indications for good ones at the meeting at Elkton on Tuesday were very favorable.

WILSON OR SPENCE.

Our next Congressman from the First Congressional District of Maryland must be one of the men whose names head this article; and we congratulate our readers that it is as much of a positive certainty that Hon. E. K. Wilson will be the successful candidate as anything in the future can be made a certainty. We not only rejoice at this because Mr. Wilson is the regular nominee of the party, but because in every respect our calm, sober judgment tells us that he is the purer, better and more suitable man of the two. That he is, politically, a purer man than Judge Spence, none of our radical friends can doubt. Judge Spence's frequent political changes, his efforts to be always on the strong side, and most of all, his last political card to the public. He must have done fearful violence to his own political faith and belief when he wrote the card, or he must have been acting the last ten years in fearful contradiction to his own political sentiments. Even his judicial ermine was stained by his intense political feelings and prejudices, and now in his card he repudiates all the fetters that usually bind political leaders to their party, and comes out about half a republican and half to no party at all. The last half evidently predominates.

Mr. E. K. Wilson is the better man of the two—that is, the most suitable one for the position, because of his unswerving devotion to principles; because he is in every sense of the word a plain, earnest, wide-awake, practical man; a representative man of sterling integrity, knowing the needs of our people on the shore, and willing to battle in Congress and out of Congress for the good of the people of this section. Judge Spence, on the contrary, is known to radicals and democrats as visionary and chimerical in his ideas, and there is little that is practical or really available to himself or to the masses in any of his actions. It is true that such men have often given us great inventions and written many beautiful sentiments, and in their way and department are great men, but it is not an inventor, a poet or a writer that we wish to represent us in Congress; but on the contrary a man of real, earnest and practical ideas about the grave questions at issue that are convulsing and agitating our country. And such a man is our candidate, Hon. E. K. Wilson.—*Cambridge News.*

THE EMPIRE STATE OF THE SOUTH.—Georgia, at her recent State election, covered herself all over with glory. Truly may she be called the "Empire State of the South." Her citizens have evinced an honesty of purpose and of patriotism, which entitle them to unmeasured praise. Writhing under the iron heel of oppression inaugurated by Radicalism, with an honest—we might say religious—determination, they rose in their might, sincere as though the contest were staked upon existence, and threw off the galing yoke, expressing an indignation at misrule and usurpation, consonant with true manhood and every principle of justice.

One of our exchanges, referring to the subject, properly remarks that "Georgia claims to be the "Empire State of the South," and the tremendous majority she has just given, reaching, it is said, as high as 50,000, gives her good claim to that proud title. She has protested against carpet-bag rule and Grant, while at the same time she has repudiated Mr. Stevens and General Tombs. Her vote is a regular knockdown, to the 'Straight Outers,' for the gentlemen we have just named were the head and front of the recalcitrating party of the Gulf States.—After this we shall hear no more poppers exploding over the Louisville nonsense, unless as minute guns at the grave of Blanton Duncan's paper which lived as the organ of donkeyism, for two or three weeks. We expected to carry Georgia, but were not prepared for such a glorious result.

Strike off the shackles from every other State South, fastened, for the time being, upon them by negro numerical strength and Radicalism, and they will quickly stand in line, emulating the noble example of Georgia. The time is coming, and not distant, when this grand consummation, devoutly to be wished, will most surely find realization. It never was intended that gallant white men, such as constitute the Anglo-Saxon population of the South, should be held in subserviency to African or negro rule, commingled with carpet-baggers. An unbroken electoral vote for Greeley, aided by what may justly be claimed from the North, will yet secure liberty, equality and justice to our southern friends.—*Md. Republican.*

DEAD AND BURIED ISSUES.—Democrats are reminded of Mr. Greeley's record in the hard political contest of the past, and of the severe things he has said of the party. They can also recall similar uncomplimentary remarks in reply; but what arguments is there in it all? Of the questions that have divided parties in the past not one remains save the tariff; and that is remanded by the Cincinnati platform to the people of the Congressional Districts. Why quarrel over the graves of dead and buried issues? Is it not far wiser to join heart and hands with all who are with us in combatting the giant evil that threatens us in the present, and let oblivion settle over the past?

MR. VOORHEES AND THE STAY-AT-HOME VOTERS.—A correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, writing from Washington, says that a letter has been received from Mr. Voorhees, dated Terre Hante, October 14th, in which he ascribes his defeat to apathy, and says it was simply the stay-at-home vote in his party that beat him, and hurt the cause everywhere.—Nobody thought there was a possibility of his defeat and over-confidence led hundreds to stay away from the polls.

Two Hundred Negroes from Kentucky were caught in Indiana trying to vote, and were put in the jug, at once, along with the white scoundrels who had charge of them. Perhaps, if such had voted they might have defeated the popular choice as expressed in the election of Hendricks—the Democratic candidate for Governor. The nineteen hundred fraudulent votes in one ward of Philadelphia were more effective.

MESSRS. THOMAS J. KEATING and John B. Brown, as Trustees, sold at Church Hill, on Saturday the real estate of Jas. P. Dudley. The Home Farm, containing 143 acres and 3 roods, was purchased by Sheriff Dudley, at $23.12½ per acre. The Stevens Farm, containing 156 acres, was purchased by John Coppage, at $17.06 per acre. A wood lot of 20 acres was purchased by Dr. W. Finley, at $5.30 per acre.—*Observer.*

A REPEATER IN A WHITE NECK-TIE.—A writer from Washington to the Baltimore *Sun* says: Some of the conservative detectives who have returned from Philadelphia furnish abundant proof of the frauds there. In one instance a Washington colored man was followed until he had voted nine times, each time disguising himself, and finally appearing in green spectacles and a white neck-tie.

Baltimore Price Current

[Corrected from the Sun of Thursday.]

WHEAT—White	$1.67a2.05
" Choice Red	1.90a1.95
" Medium and good red	1.55a1.70
CORN—White	70a73
" Yellow	60a62
OATS	40a45

MARRIED:

In Philadelphia, October 15th, by Rev. Mr. Mason, Mr. SAMUEL BOWERS, of Forbes Town, Butte county, California, to Mrs. MARY K. KIRKMAN, of Wilmington, Del.

[Quite a romantic sketch in connection with this marriage will be published on our outside next week.]

DIED:

Near St. Paul's Church, on the 19th inst. Mrs. ANNIE ANDERSON, wife of Albert Anderson, and daughter of Owen Connelly, aged 26 years.

In Chestertown on Tuesday morning last, Mrs. ANN SANDS, aged 75 years.

PREACHING.—Rev. D E. REESE, President of the Md. Annual Conference, M. P. Church, will preach at St. James' TO-MORROW (Sunday) Morning, at 10½ o'clock, and in Chestertown in the evening at 7 o'clock.

FOR SALE,
A good second-hand HEARSE BODY. Will be sold low.
JOHN T. DODD & SON,
Oct. 26—3t. Chestertown.

FOR SALE,
TWO YOKE of FINE OXEN, four and five years old.
Also, one THREE-YEAR OLD COLT, well broken, and took first premium in its class for speed at the Kent Co. Agricultural Fair.
C. C. WALLIS,
oc26-6t. near Chesterville.

FOR RENT,
For the year 1873,
The DWELLING HOUSE & GARDEN, occupied by Mr. Wm. Galligher. Also, the STORE HOUSE, with two rooms above, and cellar, occupied by Mrs. H. A. Sappington, all in Still Pond village. Apply to Mrs. H. A. SAPPINGTON or LOUIS HEPBRON.
Oct. 26, 1872—3t

WANTED,
TWO JOURNEYMEN HOUSE CARPENTERS,
to whom good wages will be given. None but good workmen need apply.
WILLIAM S. CULP,
oc26-3t. Kennedyville.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby warned not to trespass upon the Fairlee Point farm occupied by me, with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date.
Oct. 26, 1872—3t* WM. MORRIS.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, in Broad Neck, for the purpose of gunning or otherwise, after this date, and against taking wood from said farm. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
Oct. 26, 1872-3t. HENRY J. GRAY.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on the farms occupied by the undersigned, near Hanesville, with dog or gun, after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
ABRAHAM HURLOCK,
Oct. 26-3t. WM. T. SKIRVEN.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against gunning or otherwise trespassing upon the farms occupied by the undersigned, near Locust Grove, after the date of this notice. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
SAMUEL A. MERRITT,
Oct. 26—3t. JOSEPH CORNELIUS.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby warned not to gun or hunt, or trespass with boat and decoys on the shores or lands of or occupied by the undersigned, under the penalty of the law.
J. J. WEBB,
JOHN SCOTTEN,
oc26 3t. F. H. HARPER.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby warned against fox-hunting, gunning, or otherwise trespassing upon the lands owned or occupied by the undersigned, after this date. The law will be enforced against all who violate this notice.
THOMAS H. STEPHENS,
GEORGE R. BECK,
WILLIAM T. ANDERSON.
Oct. 26, 1872—3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against fox-hunting, gunning, or otherwise trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, near the I. U., after this date. The law will be enforced against all who violate this notice.
RICHARD L. RASIN,
CHAS E. JONES,
SAMUEL F. COOPER,
Oct. 26—3t* HARRISON E. COOPER.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby warned not to trespass upon the property occupied by the undersigned, with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date. The law will be enforced against all trespassers.
WM. S. THOMPSON,
JOS. H. HOSSINGER,
MISS EMELINE BIDDLE,
SAULSBURY SPARKLIN,
ROBERT H. LOUD.
Oct. 26, 1872—3t*

KENT COUNTY, Sct:
I hereby certify that on this 24th day of Oct., 1872, personally appeared before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, John F. Copper, farmer of Kent county, and made oath in due form of law, that he has taken up as an estray trespassing upon his enclosures, ONE SMALL RED COW, no ear marks, supposed to be about three years old.
Given under my hand.
C. A. A. STANLEY, J. P.

NOTICE.—The owner or owners of the above described property are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take it away. JOHN F. COPPER,
Oct. 26, 1872—3t. Worton.

Cabinet Making and Undertaking.

THE undersigned, having established the UNDERTAKING and CABINET MAKING BUSINESS at KENNEDYVILLE, respectfully informs the citizens of Kent county that he is prepared to furnish
Coffins, Caskets and Metalic Cases,
of all styles, and to attend Funerals in any part of the County.
FURNITURE REPAIRED with neatness and dispatch. Gun Nipples put in Guns. All kinds of Tin-Ware mended. After the 1st of January next, will be prepared to repair Farming Utensils. My son, T. BENTON SUTTON, will attend to and conduct the business.
All work guaranteed.
oc26-3t. JACOB SUTTON.

FOR RENT or SALE
A STORE HOUSE
in the town of Millington—a good stand for business of any kind. Apply to G W WEST or Dr. E J. POWER, Millington, Kent co., Md.
Oct. 19, 1872—4t

FOR RENT,
For the year 1873,
THREE HOUSES in Chestertown, two on Queen Street and one on High Street.
Apply to WM. VANNORT,
oc19-3t. Chestertown.

FOR RENT,
For the balance of the present year, the Two-Story Brick DWELLING HOUSE on High Street, in Chestertown, opposite Mr. John T. Dodd's, now occupied by the subscriber. For terms apply to J. H. PLUMMER or J. B. WINGATE.
Oct, 5, 1872—3t.

FOR RENT,
For the year 1873,
A Large Wagon and COACH SHOP and SIX DWELLING HOUSES, at Kennedyville. For terms, &c, apply to Mr. Jacob Highly.
Sept. 14, 1872—4t.* JOHN KENNEDY.

FOR SALE,
A lot of Shoulder and Side BACON; also, several barrels of Pure Cider VINEGAR, of my own manufacture.
sep28-4t. JOHN L. BOWERS.

STRAYED from my farm, "Hermitage," in Worton, about the 5th inst., a Calico spotted MARE, formerly owned by Dr. Gutcher, Wm. Wallis, Geo. Biddle, and others. Any information of her will be thankfully received and a suitable reward paid if returned. WM. VANNORT.
Oct. 19, 1872—3t.

LOST, on or about September 29th, on the road between Chestertown and Chesterville, a Black Stella SHAWL, with flowered border. The finder will please leave it at Mr. Thos. Meridith's, Chesterville, or at Mr. N. G. Westcott's in Chestertown. oc19-3t.

PUBLIC SALE.
THE undersigned, administrator of Solomon Sparks, late of Queen Anne's county, deceased, will offer at public sale, on
FRIDAY, the 15th November, 1872,
at the late residence of said dec'd, near Church Hill, the following property:
SIX GOOD HORSES,
One very fast on the road, and
One Large Black Stallion, 'Frank,'
very gentle at work on farm and on the road.
1 YOKE OF GOOD OXEN,
Five Good Milch Cows,
1 *Yearling Bull, and* 1 *Yearling Heifer;*
12 Fatted Hogs, 19 Shoats,
ONE GOOD BROOD SOW,
7 Head of SHEEP.
Large lot Corn Blades, Wheat Thresher and Horse Power, Corn Sheller, Farm Wagon, Dearborn, Carriage, Buggy, Harness, Cutting Box, large lot old Iron, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, and other Farming Utensils.
Also, Household & Kitchen Furniture.
Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.
TERMS:—All sums of and under $10 cash, over that amount a credit of six months, on note with security to be approved by adm'r.
C. H. BAKER, Adm'r.
S. S. USILTON, Auct'r. oc26-ts.

VENDUE.
THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell at public sale, on
Wednesday, Nov. 13th, 1872,
THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:
7 Head of HORSES,
One of them a fine Patchen STALLION, five years old, and a superior animal;
Also, 1 COLT, three years old, and one rising three years old, of good stock and promise.
ONE PAIR OF EXCELLENT OXEN,
Six Milch Cows,
TWO YOUNG CATTLE, 15 SHEEP,
A FEW SHOATS and PIGS,
Farm Wagon and Harness, Ambulance, 1 Ox-Cart, Dearborn and Harness, Carriage & Harness, Corn Dray, Wheat Fan, Plows, Cultivators and Harrows.
Also, other articles unnecessary to mention.
Sale positive, at 10 o'clock, A. M., unless very stormy.
TERMS:—On all sums of Ten Dollars and over a credit of ten months will be given, on note with approved security; sums under that amount cash. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.
JAMES WOOD.
JOHN W. CARROLL, Auct'r. oc26 ts.

CEMETERY NOTICE.
FIRST CLASS WORK!
MODERATE PRICES!
Italian Marble MONUMENTS.
Italian Marble TABLETS.
Italian Marble HEADSTONES.
Italian Marble VASE FOOT STONES.
Italian Marble FLOWER VASES.
Italian Marble FONTS.
Children's HEADSTONES, TABLETS, COLUMNS and MONUMENTS of pure White Statuary Marble, of new and beautiful designs.
White Marble CURBING and POSTS for enclosing Cemetery Lots, at
GADDESS BROS.'
corner Sharp and German Streets, and 110 South Charles St.
oc26y.

PETER WEIKEL,
Merchant Tailor,
UNDER CARROLTON HOTEL,
Light Street, *BALTIMORE.*
It will afford us pleasure to have the public call and examine our goods.
Our Staple CLOTHS, DOESKINS and SUITINGS are superior, and our FANCY CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c., are of the latest novelties in design and style.
OUR SYSTEM OF CUTTING is by actual measurement, and the fit of all Garments is guaranteed. Prices moderate. Terms cash.
oc26. P. WEIKEL.

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
WILLIAM J. MASLIN,
late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.
All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.
Given under my hand this 24th day of October, 1872. JOHN C. HYNSON,
Oct. 26—4t. Adm'r.

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
JOHN HOFMAN,
late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.
All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of May, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.
Given under my hand this 24th day of October, 1872.
MARTHA A. HOFMAN, Adm'r.
Oct. 26, 1872—4t.

COAL! COAL!
FREE FROM SLATE AND DIRT. Quality and Weight guaranteed, and shipped direct from mines by the CAR LOAD to any station on the Kent County or Queen Anne's Railroad, at a very low price, if application is made to G. M. D. CANN, or G. W. BUSH,
oc12-1m. Wilmington, Delaware.

Philadelphia Boarding House.
PERSONS from Kent can find a pleasant stopping place at
167 N. Front St., Philad.
(Corner of Front and Race St.)
oc19-3t. S. L. USILTON.

JOHN H. THOMAS
AUCTIONEER,
Will attend sales in any part of the county on reasonable terms. Address him at Millington, Md. oc5-6m.

WOOD FOR SALE.
The undersigned has from 200 to 300 Cords of PRIME SEASONED WOOD—Hickory and Oak—for Sale, at the lowest market pr