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The Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - - MARCH 29, 1873.

News in Brief.

In the United States Senate on Monday the Vice President presented the resignation of Mr. Caldwell, Senator from Kansas. Mr Caldwell was charged with securing his election by bribery; a committee was raised in the Senate to investigate the charge, and for two weeks the report of the committee had been considered from day to day. Mr. Caldwell apprehending that he would be expelled, took time by the forelock, and resigned. After his letter of resignation was read the Senate determined to take no further action in the matter. Senators Clayton, of Arkansas, and Bogy, of Missouri, were acquitted of the charges pending against them.

The struggle for the principal offices in the Baltimore custom house has ended by the appointment of Washington Booth collector of the port, in place of John L. Thomas, and Gen. Adam E. King naval officer, in place of Mr. Chapman. Both nominations have been confirmed by the Senate.

The warm body of Foster had scarcely been taken from the gallows when a man named W. W. Goodrich was found lying stark and stiff on the floor of his residence in Brooklyn, with three bullet wounds in his head. The affair is shrouded in mystery. The dead man seems to have led a strange life. In comfortable circumstances and occupying a good social position, he yet apparently lived alone. The only connection with whom he maintained an intimacy was a woman whose visits were at hours that excited suspicion, and it is supposed that she was concerned in the murder, especially as she cannot be found.

It will be singular if New York should endow the female sex with the right of suffrage, but the action of the lower house of the Legislature, in ordering that the necessary constitutional amendment be reported looks as if one branch of the law-makers is not deaf to the supplications of the ladies who want to vote.

The Cincinnati *Commercial* predicts that Elihu B. Washburne, of Illinois, now Minister to France, will be the next President of the United States.

Foster's crime has already cost the sacrifice of two lives, and a third is trembling in the balance. His unhappy widow is failing under the weight of the disgrace and bereavement, and it is believed she will die.

The Illinois Senate has rejected the bill for the compulsory education of all children of a school-going age in that State.

Several Americans supposed to have been concerned in the recent robbery of the Bank of England have been arrested at different places, and large sums of money which they had directed to parties in this country have been attached. Detectives are still in pursuit of others.

Sixty acres of the farm owned by the late Edwin Forrest, near Philadelphia, which he named "Springbrook," have been set apart by his executors for the Home for aged and indigent actors provided for in his will. The Home will be surrounded by a magnificent park, to which the public will have free admittance.

Three children of Henry Peters were burned to death at Grass Point, near Detroit, Michigan, on Tuesday. The parents were absent, a coal oil lamp exploded, the house took fire, the eldest child, a little girl of fourteen, made a heroic effort to save her three younger sisters but failed, and made her own escape after being severely burned. These are the brief details of a most heartrending occurrence.

It is officially reported in New York that subscriptions to the Greeley monument fund are coming in rapidly from printers throughout the country, and there is every prospect of complete success.

The United States Senate adjourned *sine die* on Wednesday afternoon, after an executive session of three weeks.

THE CASE OF SENATOR CALDWELL.—Of Senator Caldwell, of Kansas, who resigned his seat in the United States Senate on Monday, pending consideration of a resolution of expulsion for bribery and corruption in procuring his election, the Boston Advertiser says:

"The fact that Caldwell was never prominently engaged in the politics of the State, was not reckoned a statesman of any degree, but only a very rich man, while his principal opponents were well-known politicians, in itself creates a strong presumption that the influences which procured the withdrawal of competitors were not of the ordinary kind. It will be well to bear in mind also that Caldwell when he made his statement before the committee declined to be sworn, and thus avoided cross-examination. We believe that besides Caldwell himself no Senator has ventured to express an opinion that he is guiltless of corruption, except Carpenter, whose speech on the subject was a singularly weak example of captious quibbling."

THE ALBANY, New York, *Argus* recently published a table, presenting the results of local elections in thirty-seven counties in that State. In these counties the Democrats and Liberal Republicans have made a gain of eighty-four Supervisors since 1872, and fully redeemed fifteen counties. Last year they only carried five of the thirty-seven counties named by the *Argus*. This year they carry twenty Twelve towns are also given, all of which went Radical in 1872. This year seven out of the twelve have given Democratic and Liberal Republican majorities. These changes herald a glorious victory for the reformers, and a redemption of the State from the hands of the Radical spoilers in November next.

MIDDLETOWN was saddened recently, by the intelligence that Houston, son of Rev Vaughn Smith, (Methodist minister of that town,) a lad of about 18 years, had been killed at Lewiston, a railroad station in central Pennsylvania, upon which he was acting as telegraph operator. The young man was quite a favorite in Middletown, and had but recently left there to enter upon his new duties.

COMMODORE VANDERBILT has given another $500,000 for the purpose of erecting a large seminary for girls on the grounds of the Moravian Church, at New Drop, Staten Island, to be built upon the plan of the seminary at Bethlehem, Pa., also endowed by the Commodore.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, March 25.—The release of Hattie M Sudler to Mary R. Walker was received and ordered to be recorded. J. A. Pearce, administrator of Elias S. Watson, returned a list of sales of the personal estate. John N. Usilton, guardian to Wm. P. Howard, returned his first and final guardian account. On application Geo. W. Sutton was appointed guardian to David S. and James W Sutton. The Register was directed to issue a citation to R. A. Brice, administrator of Orlando F. Sutton, and Mary E. Brice, his wife, to testify in a matter pertaining to the administration of said estate.

ARRIVAL OF IMMIGRANTS.—Mr. Morris Ascher, agent for the fifth district Labor Association, arrived here from New York on Wednesday evening with forty-three foreigners, including seventeen children. Among the lot were three English families from Brazil, to which place they had been enticed from London by false representations as to the price of labor They all left town on Thursday for their new homes in the lower part of the county.

THE County Commissioners of Talbot county are having an iron fence erected around the Court House Green at Easton, and a brick pavement eight feet wide.

Chestertown has the handsomest Court House Green on this Shore, but the most unsightly and dilapidated fence. An iron railing from the Masonic Hall to the P. E. Church would enclose the front of the yard at small cost, and make it present a wholly different and very attractive appearance. When will the County Commissioners be petitioned for a levy for the purpose?

AN EAGLE KILLED.—Master Adam Diehl, son of Mr. Geo. S. Diehl, of Plum Point, some time ago killed a gray eagle which measured 7½ feet from tip to tip and 3½ feet from beak to end of tail.

FROM MILLINGTON.—A correspondent sends us the following:

Wm. S. Green, who was cut by Walters on the 13th instant, is recovering. His wounds have been dressed, and he is doing as well as could be expected.

Rev. Thomas Numbers has been appointed postmaster at Millington, in place of Wm. B Turbit.

MR. D. A. BENJAMIN, of this town, having enlarged his shop, advertises that he is prepared to do blacksmithing and wheelwrighting in the best manner, at reduced prices; also, to supply farmers with ploughs, cultivators, &c.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—J. A. Pearce, Esq., as trustee, will offer for sale at the Voshell House, on Tuesday next, the farm of Emily A. and B. H. C. Massey, situated near Massey's Station.

VENDUE.—On Monday next, at Swan Point, Mr. Daniel Diehl will sell his entire stock, farming implements, &c.

Letter from Kennedyville.

Messrs Editors:—What has become of your correspondent from Kennedyville? Has he retired from literary pursuits, or have we done something that has rendered us unworthy to be represented by a writer of his talent? In either case I hope he will accept my humble apology for taking up the task he has thrown aside. As far as business is concerned our village is not as lively as usual. Most of the farmers in this vicinity are engaged in plowing for oats, and in consequence the number of vehicles generally seen in front of the stores has diminished considerably. What we lack in business we try to make up in amusements. Our debating society is still in existence, and is running under full head of steam. We have a large number of members, and an extraordinary interest is evinced for the welfare of the society by the whole community. The debates on public nights are always spirited. But how could it be otherwise, where we have preachers and legislators, schoolmasters and farmers, with an occasional sprinkling of lawyers and merchants opposed to each other? We have not yet determined how many of the future presidents of the United States our society will furnish, but we are certain we can supply you with a member of the legislature and a sheriff, if you wish them.

Sunday being such a fine day, the attendance at church was quite large. At the Methodist Church, in the morning, the former pastor, Rev. H. E. Miskimon, delivered an eloquent and interesting sermon. In the afternoon the Rev. Mr. Gaylord, Presbyterian, addressed a large congregation in the school-house. This sermon was principally addressed to the younger part of the congregation, and was one of the best on the subject I ever heard. And now, trusting in the resurrection of your former correspondent, we shall in the future leave it to his brilliant pen to chronicle the events of fair Kennedyville. PLOW-BOY.

Letter from Melbourne Corner.

Messrs. Editors:—Observing in your very valuable paper letters from most all parts of the county but Melbourne, and believing it will not be uninteresting to the readers of your paper, and feeling assured at the same time it is with the approbation of all our citizens, I will write you a few lines. Like most all other parts of the county, the cry is dull times and money scarce. There has been some moving among our farmers, one of the most prominent has moved to your town. Some new ones have come among us; to such we wish success.

Since the completion of our new school-house it has been a great convenience to the people of the neighborhood. Before the school district was divided children were obliged to walk two and a-half miles to school, and now the most of them do not walk more than a mile and a quarter. The school building is not of an expensive character, but substantial, neat and comfortable. There is one thing necessary to make it more attractive and lasting, and that is painting. I think at some future time this will be done. I may also add that the people are favored with an excellent teacher; all seem to be pleased with her manner of instructing small children in their studies.

The farmers in this community have lately organized an Agricultural Club.—The want of such a society in this section has long been felt, and as there are some energetic men enlisted in this cause, it will no doubt prove beneficial to all concerned. Under the genial influence of Spring, work among our farmers is being pushed forward with increased activity and energy.

We have no church in our village yet, but hope there may be some day. As you will probably her from me again, I will bid you adieu for the present. SIMON.

HON. JAS. T. EARLE, of Queen Anne's, has traded his celebrated horse "Tankerville" with Gov. Bowie for his thoroughbred horse "Stonewall Jackson."

EXECUTION OF FOSTER.—William Foster, the murderer of Putnam, was executed at the Tombs, in New York, a few minutes after nine o'clock on Friday morning of last week. He awoke at seven o'clock and partook of a cup of coffee, but ate nothing. He was very pale, and his strength seemed to be fast failing. The body was taken to the residence of his widow on East Twenty-fourth street in the evening, and was interred in Greenwood Cemetery on Saturday.

A statement was published on Saturday, on the authority of a Tombs official, that Foster at the time of the execution was under the influence of laudanum, which he had taken about three o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of committing suicide. It is asserted that physicians said had his execution been delayed, he could not have lived until ten o'clock.

After the funeral service, Dr. Tyng, one of the officiating ministers, said he felt it his duty to state his belief that the report that Foster had taken poison, and was dying at the time of his execution, was false; that he and Dr. Walker were alone with Foster for three-quarters of an hour immediately previous to his going to the scaffold; that he seemed in good health, and had remarkable self-possession of mind; that he dressed himself with minute care, conversed fully and freely, and on being visited by the sheriff at 9 o'clock announced his readiness in a full, cheerful voice, and, although pinioned, walked with a firm step, and without assistance, to the scaffold, and stood until the fatal moment. Both clergymen declared the idea that he attempted or contemplated suicide as entirely inconsistent with their observation of his physical and moral conduct during the last hours of his life.

It is insisted in some of the daily papers, however, that Foster's attempted suicide is correct. The theory is well supported by circumstantial evidence, as well as statements of the doctor of the Tombs and minor officials. The impression is that Foster took opium about 3 o'clock on the morning of the execution. Some assert that this may have been taken to influence his nervous system, but it is evident the dose was sufficient to produce death had the execution been stayed an hour later.

THE FACTS OF THE MURDER.

On the 26th of April, 1871, Mr Putnam, the deceased, was riding up town in a Broadway car, having under his care Mrs. Duval and her daughter. At Seventeenth street Wm. Foster, a total stranger to Mr. Putnam, stepped upon the forward platform of the car, alongside the driver. As they reached the Gilsey House, about Twenty ninth street, the daughter's attention was called to the new clock on the building, and she went to the forward door of the car to look at the clock, and Mrs. Duval went also to look at Helmbold's new store in the same building, and as Mrs. Duval sat down Foster, from the front platform, as she says, "looked in the window and sneered at my daughter and laughed."

After this Foster opened the door several times and rudely looked in. Mr. Putnam went to the door and said: "I will not allow these ladies to be insulted; they are in my care, sir". Mr. Putnam, continuing his rebuke, went out upon the platform and closed the door behind him, and a warm altercation took place. Mr. Putnam returned into the car, and soon after Foster entered, and so behaved that the conductor came up and ordered Foster to sit down and be quiet. He took his seat and began "laughing and jeering." Mr. Putnam said: "Had I known you were in liquor I would not have spoken to you," and turned his back upon him. Foster retorted by a vulgar threat of what he would do to Mr. Putnam when he left the car.

The car soon reached Forty-sixth street, and Mr. Putnam got out, and as he was assisting Mrs. Duval and her daughter to alight, Foster struck him with the carhook upon his head, causing a wound of which he died three days after. Soon after this occurrence Foster admitted that he made the assault upon the deceased, but said "he guessed he did not hurt him much."

Foster was arrested, at his own house, the same night, between two and three o'clock, with all his clothes on, and still beastly drunk.

Within twenty days after Mr. Putnam died Foster was indicted by the grand jury, and put on trial for the crime of murder. The jury were out part of one day, all night and until half-past ten o'clock on the following morning, when the jury rendered a verdict of murder in the first degree, with a recommendation to mercy.

With the facts of the case before them neither Gov. Hoffman nor his successor, Gov. Dix, deemed it proper to exercise executive clemency, and the law was left to take its course.

A HORRIBLE CRIME IN DELAWARE.—*Georgetown, Del*, March 24.—At eleven o'clock this morning a daughter of John Lank, a respectable gentleman residing near Rehoboth Station, six miles from here, while returning from her uncle's, was accosted by a negro named Joseph Green, or Burton, who tore her clothes off and violated her person. After the assault the villian fled, and the girl, who is fifteen years of age, managed to reach her father's residence and made known the facts. The male population of the neighborhood are searching for the fiend, and no doubt, if caught, he will be lynched.

The negro, Joseph Burton, was surrounded in the woods, and captured about two miles from the place where he committed the crime, at noon, and brought to this place by an officer at 6 P.M and lodged in jail to await trial in April. He is a hardened wretch and makes light of the crime.

A NOVEL EXPEDIENT.—A show was given in Crisfield last week to draw an audience, it was announced that a gold watch would be presented to the prettiest lady in attendance. This announcement packed the house, and Miss Grace Sterling was voted the "gold" watch. All the young ladies for miles around attended the show. Each one said she didn't expect to get the watch herself, but she merely wanted to see who would get it. The gentlemen committee who awarded the prize have been severly criticised by all the ladies but one.

THE *St. Mary's Beacon*, in speaking of the impotent conclusion of the Credit Mobilier affair in Congress, says: We don't understand and never expect to, how forty million of government money could have been stolen without anybody stealing it, or how Ames could have been guilty of bribery without bribing somebody. This is what we don't understand and never expect to.

OF the fund of $50,000 to be raised for the erection of the Wilmington Methodist Conference Academy, about $47,000 have been subscribed.

RICHARD C. MASON, an old and well-known citizen of Baltimore, died on Tuesday. He carried on the cracker bakery on Pratt street for many years.

THE STOKES case, in the Supreme Court of New York, has been set down for trial on the 26th of April.

MARRIAGE OF JESSE W. UPPERCU.—On Thursday evening Jesse W. Uppercu, whose name has figured so prominently before the public for the past year in connection with his two trials in the Criminal Court, and final acquittal, was married to Miss Laura Hildebrandt, at her parents' residence, 21 South Poppleton street. Among other specially invited guests were Judge Inglis and John P. Poe, Esq, his counsel, who defended his case so ably at the recent trials; Mr. John Feast, the well known florist, and uncle of Mr. Uppercu, and Dr. W. H. Crim. The mother and sister of Mr. Uppercu were also present. The officiating minister was the Rev R. Scott Norris, pastor of the Starr Methodist Protestant Church, of which all the interested parties are members.

After the ceremony, the large company present were handsomely entertained, and several toasts of a congratulatory character were proposed, and elicited happy responses from Judge Inglis, Mr Poe and others. The bride was very elegantly and tastefully attired in silk of a light shade, and wore a wreath of orange blossoms and flowing veil of lace, while the groom wore a suit of conventional black. The congratulations of all present were received, and at a late hour the company withdrew. Last evening Mr. Uppercu and his wife visited Washington, where, after remaining a day or two, they will go on direct to New York, where they will complete their bridal tour. Since his acquittal, Mr. Uppercu has regained his health and spirits, and continues to assert his innocence, promising to leave nothing undone to bring the real perpetrators of the crime to justice.—*Balt Gazette, 22d.*

A SUICIDIST CHANGES HIS MIND.—Yesterday a young man, whose name we could not learn, concluded to bid farewell to the world and its vanities. So while walking over Market street bridge he took final leave of his companions and jumped into the river. He found the water much colder than he had anticipated, and very quickly determined to leave the world by some other mode. He therefore floated upon the surface of the river while the tide bore him along for a few moments, when he struck out boldly for shore, reaching it in a very damp and cold condition. He now tries to laugh it off as a huge joke.—*Wilmington (Delaware) Commercial.*

THE Ship Canal bill passed the House, at Dover, on Wednesday, amid much rejoicing and champagne.

Baltimore Price Current

[From Warden & Merritt's Quotations.]

WEDNESDAY, March 26th, 1873.

WHEAT—White, choice	$1 65a2 05
" " fair to prime	1.80a2 00
" Amber, choice	2.00a2 05
" Red, good to prime	1.85a1 95
" " comm. to fair	1.60a1.80
CORN—Southern white	61a63
" " Yellow	59a60
OATS—Southern	45a46
" Western, bright	47a49
RYE—Fair to prime	80a90
CLOVER SEED, per lb.	5 25a5 75
TIMOTHY SEED, per bus	3.25a3.75

MARRIED:

In Chestertown, March 27th, at the Parsonage, by the Rev. Dr. J. J. Murray, AMOS H. PARSONS to Miss EMILY J. RAISIN, all of Kent county.

On the 19th instant by the Rev. Geo Leary, JOSEPH A. ASHLEY to Miss MARY J BECK, both of this county.

DIED:

At his residence, near Swan Creek, on Friday morning last, of pneumonia, GEORGE W. BECK, aged about 60 years

LIME FOR SALE AT MING'S. mh29-tf.

FOR SALE, A good second-hand WILCOX & GIBBS SEWING MACHINE in perfect order, with extra attachment for all kinds of work, will be sold low on easy terms. Apply at Kent News office. mh29-3t.

GAS HOUSE and SHELL LIME, DELIVERED at any wharf or landing on the waters of Kent county For sale by LEVI FIDDIS Jr., mh29-tf. Baltimore

WOOD ASHES FOR SALE. FIVE THOUSAND BUSHELS—believed to be pure. Cheapest and best Corn Manure in the market. In quantities to suit. Price 13 cts. bush. on board vessel in Baltimore Apply to RASIN & CO., mh29-4t No. 73 South St., Baltimore

German Salts! Potash! Kainit! Ground and Calcined, Containing 28 to 30 per cent. Potash, the best and cheapest Manure for Corn or Peach Trees. Price $30 per Ton of 2,000 lbs. Apply to RASIN & CO., mh29-4t. No. 73 South St., Baltimore.

A CARD

To the Democratic and Conservative Voters of Kent County:

A REPORT having been circulated that I have withdrawn as a candidate for nomination for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Kent county, I take this method of positively denying the truth of that report, and to re-announce myself as a candidate subject to a fair and proper nomination I belong to no ring or clique, and rely upon the people for support. The State seems to have been under 'Ring' influence for several years, but it is to be hoped that our County will be free from all such combinations.

As a just and fair way of nominating candidates for the various offices, I would respectfully suggest that committees be run for Clerk; a separate committee for Register, and so on for Sheriff and Legislature in the respective districts; let the committees thus chosed meet in Chestertown on a day to be named, and hold a convention for each officer to be selected.

The justice and fairness of this plan is easily demonstrated: Suppose that Mr. A. a candidate for Sheriff in the First District, should be very popular and have many friends; he will select a committee favorable to his own nomination. That committee may not be favorable to B, who has a majority for Clerk in the same district, nor for C, who may have a majority for Register of Wills, nor for for D or E, who may have a majority for the Legislature. It is apparent that a committee elected for a Sheriff cannot represent the wishes of the district for all the officers to be nominated; the same thing may occur in other districts—a committee selected to nominate a Clerk may control all the other nominations against the wishes of the district

Another plan is suggested: Let each candidate be voted for by ballot, and the candidates having the majority or plurality shall be supported by the committee from that district, and which shall be pledged to that support.

One of these methods seems to be necessary to preserve harmony in the party, to prevent combinations, to give satisfaction to the voters, and to secure success at the polls. The free will and sense of the people should prevail in reference to each candidate.

With my thanks to those who have tendered me support, and with assurance that if elected I shall perform the duties personally and impartially, not forgetting my friends, my party and the public I remain

Respectfully, yours, WM. A. VICKERS.

Chestertown, March 29, 1873—tf.

A CARD.

To the Electors of Kent County:

I offer myself to your favorable consideration as Sheriff of Kent county, subject to the Democratic rules I would suggest to my fellow candidates that we shall all run throughout the county, and the candidate having the highest number of votes to be the man, to whom I pledge myself. Respectfully,

JOSEPH T. RAISIN,

Locust Grove, Kent county, Md. m22-1m

LOST, a pair of OTTER FUR GLOVES, on road from Parsons' Mill to Chestertown The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same with JAMES A. PEARCE,

March 22—3t* Chestertown.

UP TOWN

Dry Goods Store.

THE LATEST STYLES! THE BEST GOODS!! And LOW PRICES!!

WM. H. ANTHONY

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM NEW YORK and having taken the Store formerly kept by Mrs. Barrett, has just opened a good assortment of

DRY GOODS of all kinds, NOTIONS and GROCERIES. ALSO, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes.

I will be pleased to see my friends and old customers I am very thankful for past favors and hope to receive further patronage.

All kinds of Produce Wanted IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

GIVE ME A CALL, and I will do my best to please. WM. H. ANTHONY, "UP TOWN DRY GOODS STORE."

Chestertown, March 29, 1873.

TO FARMERS.

The Place to get your Work Done *At MODERATE RATES.*

HAVING enlarged my new Shop, above the Jail, and employed the very best workmen, and having laid in a large stock of the best material, bought for cash, I think I can now do work at prices which the Farmer can afford to pay. All kind of

Cart, Wagon and Carriage Work done with neatness and dispatch.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS of all kinds, such as *PLOWS, HARROWS, Cultivators, &c.* kept constantly on hand, or made to order. CULTIVATOR TEETH of the most approved style, and made of the best steel plate. Give me a call and see for yourself. All new work guaranteed for twelve months. D. A. BENJAMIN.

Chestertown, Mar. 29—3m.

500,000 Fruit, Shade and Ornamental Trees And PLANTS, OF THE LEADING VARIETIES AND CHOICEST KINDS, (PEACH TREES A SPECIALTY,) For Sale at Lowest Market Rates.

Also, Osage Orange Hedge Plants; Early Rose, White Peach Blow and Peerless Potatoes. Manufacturer's agent for the BEST PEACH BASKET EVER MADE. Special arrangements made with parties wishing large quantities. E. R. COCHRAN,

mh29-6t. Middletown, Delaware.

State of Maryland,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, ANNAPOLIS, March 20th, 1873.

To all whom it may Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that application has been made to the Governor for nolle prosequis in the cases of

STATE vs. HIRAM GOODHAND,

indicted by the Grand Jury of Queen Anne's County, at the November Term, 1872, of the Circuit Court for said County, for assault with intent to kill John C. Legg and for breaking into the house of Frank C. Thomas. These cases have been removed to the Circuit Court for Kent county.

The Governor will take up the said cases for final decision on and after the

Eighth day of April, 1873,

until which time protests against the said application will be heard and the petition in the case open to inspection at the discretion of the Governor

By order of the Governor: JOHN THOMSON MASON, Secretary of State.

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SHERIFF'S LICENSE NOTICE.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, TRADERS AND OTHERS.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, CHESTERTOWN, March 27th, 1873.

ALL persons and bodies corporate or politic in Kent County, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a license is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license or renew the same on or before

The First day of May, ensuing,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof. ARTHUR B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff.

N. B—By instructions received from the Treasury Department at the Clerk's Office, all persons applying for a license of any kind, except marriage license, (which are the same as heretofore,) will hereafter have to pay the fee of fifty cents for issuing the same, making a total fee of sixty cents in addition to the cost of the license. A. B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff of Kent County.

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The Steamer C. P. Smith, CAPT. J. H. BROWN, *On and after Mar. 7, 1873,* Will leave BALTIMORE, From Pier No. 6, Light Street Wharf, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on *Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,* For Rock Hall, Queenstown, Corsica, Spencer's, Larrimour's, Leary's, Beck's, and Wilkins' Wharves; and returning alternate days will leave Beck's Wharf at 7 o'clock, and Larrimour's at 9 o'clock. m29-tf. JOHN H. BROWN, Master.

Ratification Notice.

T. R. Strong and C. A. Strong (formerly C. A. Wickes) and others, *vs.* Richard S. Wickes and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Chancery. JANUARY TERM, 1873.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of James P. Wickes, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the second day of June next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the second day of May next The Report states the amount of sales to be $9,125.00.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

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

March 29, 1873—4t.

COAL, COAL, FOR cooking and other purposes, delivered at any Station on the Kent County Railroad, by giving short notice. Terms—cash.—Persons will save money by ordering of me. Address, GEORGE W. JONES, Kennedyville.

March 22, 1873—3t.

PUBLIC SALE —OF— A Valuable Farm *IN KENT CO., MARYLAND.*

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity, passed in the case of Wm. McKenney, Trustee, vs. John T. Smyth and others, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, at Millington, Kent county, Maryland, in front of Maxwell's Hotel, on

Saturday, the 19th of April, 1873,

Between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, P. M., All That Valuable Farm, CALLED THE "SPEARMAN FARM," whereon John T. Smyth now resides, adjoining the lands of Samuel Corbally, Col. R. C. Johnson, John F. Newnam and others, and containing

366 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

This Farm is situate between the public roads leading from Millington to Massey's Junction on the one side, and from Millington to Galena on the other side, and faces on the Cross Public Road uniting the above roads.—It is within 2½ miles of Millington, at the head of Chester River, and a Station on the Queen Anne's & Kent Rail Road, and also within 2½ miles of Massey's Junction, a Station where the Queen Anne's & Kent Rail Road and the Kent Rail Road unite, and which is the contemplated terminus of the projected Elkton and Massey's Rail Road.

The Improvements ARE A FINE LARGE TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING With Barn Stable, Carriage House, and all necessary Out-Buildings in good condition, and is further improved by a

Young Peach Orchard *Of from Five to Six Thousand Trees,* NOW IN BEARING.

The arable land, of from 220 to 250 acres, is divided into five fields, under tolerably good fencing, one of them containing the Peach Orchard referred to. The soil is of good quality, easily improved and adapted to the growth of grain, fruits, vegetables, grasses, &c.

The Wood and Timber land of from 100 to 150 acres, lies next to the Galena road.

Surveys will be made and plats exhibited on the day of sale.

TERMS OF SALE.

$5,500 in cash on the day of sale; residue in two equal instalments of one and two years from day of sale, with interest on each instalment as it falls due, secured by bonds or notes of purchaser with approved security.

Further particulars made known on day of sale. Title papers at expense of the purchaser JOHN B. BROWN, Trustee.

March 29, 1873—ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned as Trustee will expose to public sale to the highest bidder, on

TUESDAY, The EIGHTH day of APRIL, 1873, At half-past Eleven o'clock, A M., At the "Voshell House" in Chestertown, kept by Mr. S. V. Farson,

All that House and Lot of Ground, Lying at or near Worton Heights, in Kent County, and in the vicinity of St. James' Church, and which was formerly owned by Michael Lyzer, and afterward by Wm. Lyzer. THERE IS A DWELLING HOUSE AND KITCHEN, An old Smith and Wheelwright Shop AND ABOUT 22 ACRES OF LAND.

There is a well of most excellent Water on the premises, and the stand would be an excellent one for business.

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 day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee.

GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee.

Chestertown, March 15—ts.

New Spring Goods. NEW SPRING PRINTS, DOMESTICS, &c. Now being opened by T. S. WICKES.

March 22, 1873.

Plow Collars, Plow Bridles, Traces, *PLOW CASTINGS, &c.* A large and varied assortment now on hand and for sale by T. S. WICKES.

Chestertown, March 22, 1873.

Notice to Road Supervisors.

THE County Commissioners for Kent county will commence the appointment of Road Supervisors on

TUESDAY, the 22d of April, 1873,

and will continue to appoint until all public roads are put out.

Persons intending to make application will do so at that time or as soon thereafter as convenient. By order, JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk to County Commissioners.

March 29, 1873—4t.

LABOR! LABOR!! THE undersigned is prepared to furnish German Laborers to the farmers of Kent, and also to fill orders for families, or for men, women, boys girls, singly, also men to work at any particular kind of trade. Persons who desire labor of this class are referred to Mr. WM. VANNORT, my agent at Chestertown. mar22-8t. CLARENCE HOLLYDAY.

DR. W. T. JONES, State Vaccine Agent, 31 N. CALVERT ST., BALTIMORE.

VACCINE VIRUS directly from the Cow, will be furnished to practicing Physicians free of charge, by applying as above and enclosing postage stamp. mh15 3t.

To FARMERS. BOWEN & MERCER'S SUPER PHOSPHATE warranted equal to any manufactured, Only $38 per Ton. Send for Pamphlet of Certificates. SHELL LIME for Agricultural purposes, 4 cts. per bushel. BOWEN & MERCER, mh8-4t. 65 S. Gay St. Baltimore, Md.

NOTICE.—Persons indebted to me are earnestly requested to call and settle their accounts at once, as I am greatly in need of the money. Respectfully, m22-3t. MRS. S. A. USILTON.

FOR SALE, A LOT OF FINE SHOATS. Will be sold low. THEODORE DIEHL, March 22—tf. Rock Point, Worton.

CEDAR POSTS—a Choice lot just received and for sale by m22 JOHN T. DODD & SON.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of three writs of Fieri Facias and one of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of Parrott & Busick; one at the suit of Turner Brothers; one at the suit of F. H. Harper, and one at the suit of Alex Clemens, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Geo. W. Crossley, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Geo W Crossley, of, in and to

All that Tract or Parcel of Land, situate and lying in Kent county,

Called "GRANGE," AND CONTAINING 321 ACRES, more or less,

which was conveyed to the said Crossley by Philemon S. Wales and wife, by deed dated Dec. 7th, 1846, and duly recorded in Liber J. N. G, No. 11, folio 205, and fully described in said deed, saving and excepting from said tract all those parts heretofore conveyed by said Crossley to the following persons namely: To Robert J Beswicks, 25 acres; to Jacob Trusty, 2 acres; to Wm. H. Sheppard 4½ acres; to Wm. Woodland 5 acres; to J. S. Moore 61 acres; to Jas. Gale 7½ acres; to Jas. S. Harris 40 acres; to Alex. Ford 2 acres; to Isaac Anderson 2 acres; and to Geo. T. Spry 3 acres, leaving 170 Acres of said Tract hereby intended to be advertised, which said tract will be sold subject to a ground rent of $200 per annum, held by Jas. Howard McHenry, payable in half-yearly instalments, on the 14th day of May and November in each year, and redeemable on the payment of the sum of Two Thousand dollars, with all arrears of rent, between the first day of December, 1873, and the first day of January, 1874.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, the 19th of April, 1873,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell the above named property (subject as aforesaid,) at public sale, for cash, to the highest bidder, to pay and satisfy the said writs, debts, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

A. B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mar. 29, 1873—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one writ of execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Daniel C. Hopper, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Thomas C Lynch, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Thomas C. Lynch, of, in and to the following property:

6 Head of Horses, 9 Head of CATTLE

1 Carriage and Harness, 1 Wagon and Harness, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators and other Farming Implements.

Also, THE FARM where said Lynch now resides, situate and lying in the 1st Election District of Kent county, adjoining the lands of Capt. Alex. Wilson and others, containing 200 Acres of Land, more or less.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Saturday, the 19th day of April, 1873,

at the Court House door in Chestertown, at 12 o'clock, M., I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the said writ, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

A. B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mar. 29, 1873—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of two writs of Execution, one issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of R. J. Lusby, adm'r of John M. Hudson, one issued by T. W. Russell, one of the Justices of the Peace for Kent county, at the suit of Wickes & Bro., against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James L. Bowers, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said James L. Bowers, of, in and to the following property, namely:

FIVE HORSES and COLTS, 4 Head of CATTLE, ONE YOKE OF OXEN, 1 OX-CART, and 1 HORSE CART ALSO, ALL THAT FARM in the Third Election District, on the public road leading from Catt's Corner to Worton Heights, known as "LITTLE MEADOWS."

And I hereby give notice, that on

Saturday, the 19th day of April, 1873,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door, in Chestertown, I will sell the said property, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said writs, interest and costs due, and to become due thereon.

A. B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mar 29 1873—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of five writs of Execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, three at the suit of Wm. F Hansell, two at the suit of Hood Bonbright & Co, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Wm. H. West, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Wm. H. West, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

ALL THAT LOT OF LAND, *With BRICK STORE and DWELLING, and STABLES,* and other improvements, lying and being in the town of Millington, in the First Election District of Kent county, known as the Osborne property, and sold by James Spear to said West.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, the 19th of April, 1873,

at 1½ o'clock, P. M, at the Court House door, in Chestertown, I will sell at public sale for cash to the highest bidder the aforesaid lands and tenements, so seized and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy said writs of execution, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

A. B. WHEATLEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mar. 29, 1873—4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of seven writs of execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of Watson & Clark, three at the suit of Samuel A. Werty, one at the suit of George Davis, assignee of M. L. Smith; one at the suit of W. K. Merritt & Co., one at the suit of VanGasken & Catts, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Joseph Morris, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Jose