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The Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - - - MAY 10, 1873.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Louisiana is still in a ferment, and the war of factions rages with unabated fury. "Governor" Kellogg continues to send detachments of the Metropolitan Police to the country parishes to inaugurate the officers which he has commissioned, but they meet with but indifferent success. A conflict seems to be impending at New Iberia. Two of the Metropolitans were shot by the McEnery party in the suburbs of the town on Sunday night. Both parties are armed, and a general engagement is not improbable. The people of Louisiana seem determined to resist the Kellogg usurpation of State authority.

A terrible accident, involving a fearful loss of life, occurred at Dixon, Illinois, on Sunday afternoon last. The rite of baptism was being administered at a point in Rock river, just below the Truesdell iron bridge, and about two hundred persons, including many ladies and a number of children, had gathered on the bridge to witness the ceremony. Suddenly the bridge gave way and precipitated its living freight into the stream below. The scene which ensued was indescribably terrible, as the struggling victims vainly endeavored to free themselves from the ruins of the bridge and from each other.—Large crowds of people on the banks rushed wildly to and fro with excitement, but the more self-possessed speedily brought ropes, planks and boats, and went nobly to work to rescue the living and recover the dead. Some of those who were on the bridge when it fell were so near the ends that they were able to reach land without assistance. About fifty dead bodies have been taken from the river, and of those saved twenty-four were more or less injured, some fatally.

It is now stated the resignation of Sheriff Kane, of Baltimore, was the result of a difficulty with Judge Gilmore, of the City Criminal Court, the former refusing to put some of the men on the jury who had been selected by the judge. Since then Gilmore has taken every means to annoy the sheriff, in the discharge of his official duties, finally driving him to tender his resignation. Gilmore is said to be supported by the gamblers and outlaws of the city, while the sympathies of the better classes seem to be with Kane. Gov. Whyte's letter asking him to re-consider his resignation will not be acceded to unless Gilmore gives way to him. If the matter is pushed to extremity Kane's friends threaten startling revelations of the manner in which criminals are protected by grand juries and courts. It is said to be the most exciting topic raised there since 1866. The Baltimore papers of Thursday contain a letter from Colonel Kane to Governor Whyte consenting to withdraw his resignation and to continue in office for the remainder of his term.

General Jeff. C. Davis has advised the War Department of his arrival at the lava beds and assumption of the command.—He proposes to acquaint himself thoroughly with the whole "situation" before making any further movement. He thinks it not unlikely that a week or ten days may elapse before he may see his way clear to initiate operations, although from the circumstances of the case another conflict may be precipitated at any moment.

The World's Exhibition at Vienna was opened on the 1st instant in the presence of an enormous assemblage of people from all parts of the civilized world. The opening ceremonies were of a very simple character, and unaccompanied by any great civic or military display. The Emperor, accompanied by the Royal family, entered the building at noon, and proceeded to the rotunda and took his place on the throne. The Archduke Charles addressed him briefly in words of congratulation, and asked him to declare the Exhibition open. The Emperor responded with equal brevity, expressing his satisfaction, and formally declared the Universal Exhibition of 1873, opened.

General Butler is fairly in for another fight for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in Massachusetts. The first Butler Club was organized in Boston last week at a gathering of liquor dealers, all of whom are enthusiastic in his favor as an anti-prohibitionist. Whether they will be more a help than a hindrance to him in his canvass is a question that the result will have to settle. His opponents are casting about for a good candidate to unite upon. If they can do this probably they will again defeat the General.

The special jury empanneled to inquire into the mental condition of Geo. Francis Train have returned a verdict to the effect that he is now sane, and was sane at the time he made the scandalous publications for which he has been indicted. The prosecution will now proceed.

Hon. Oakes Ames, of Credit Mobilier notoriety, was attacked with paralysis on Monday afternoon last at his residence, in North Easton, Massachusetts, and remained in an unconscious condition at the last advices. The symptoms are dangerous in the extreme, and it is believed the attack will prove fatal.

Stokes has lost one more chance for life in the decision of the Supreme Court adverse to granting him a new trial. But the case goes now to the Court of Appeals and he gets another lease on existence in waiting for its litigation.

Hon. James L. Orr, of South Carolina, United States ambassador to Russia, died at St. Petersburg on the 5th instant. He went abroad to fill his post only about a month or two ago.

A Democratic member of Congress, as conspicuous for integrity as he is for independence, says that in the last House there were between thirty and forty members who could be counted upon at all times to vote against, and that they were almost equally divided between the two political parties. This is encouraging.—If ten righteous men could have saved Sodom and Gomorrah, thirty ought to be sufficient to insure the safety of the American government.

DEATH of CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE.

Hon. Salmon P. Chase, Chief Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. S. Hoyt, in New York city, on Wednesday morning, at ten o'clock. His death was caused by a stroke of paralysis which attacked him at eight o'clock on Tuesday morning. He was totally unconscious from the moment of the fatal attack, and failed to recognize any of his relatives and friends who were assembled around his bed. The Chief Justice arrived at New York from Washington on Saturday last and proceeded to the house of his daughter. He was in good health and spirits, and intended to visit Boston after a few weeks sojourn in that city, and subsequently proceed to Colorado, where he was to remain during the summer for the benefit of his health. He was perfectly well until Monday evening, when he complained slightly and went to bed early. He slept soundly throughout the night, and just as he awoke, at eight o'clock in the morning, he was prostrated by a paralytic stroke. The eminent talents, both as a jurist and a statesman, which Mr. Chase brought to the performance of his judicial functions have never been disputed, and it is but justice to say that his ability and integrity have shed new lustre upon the court of which he was the presiding magistrate. His personal character, like that of his predecessors, Marshall and Taney, imparted lustre to his judicial station.—Fortunate will it be for the country if the great post now vacant, and which has hitherto been occupied only by men whose character and qualifications were in harmony with their position, shall continue to be filled by such men, and not conferred upon politicians as a reward for partisan services.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, May 6th.—The release of John E. Ringgold to T. W. Eliason, his late guardian, was received and ordered to be recorded. The last will and testament of Geo. H. Willson was admitted to probate; letters of administration were granted to Henrietta E. Willson, and A. J. Wickes and Vachel Burgess appointed to appraise said estate, and the usual notice to creditors ordered. The release of Andrew J. Cruikshank to John Hadaway, his late guardian, was received and ordered to be recorded. Letters testamentary on the estate of Ann W. Perkins were granted to Sally Maria Perkins, and notice to creditors ordered. New letters of administration on the estate of Ezekiel C. Jones, late of Texas, were granted to Eben F. Perkins, and notice to creditors ordered. Wm. Willson, executor of James Willson, returned his second and final guardian account. R. Aug. Brice, adm'r of Orlando F. Sutton, returned an additional administration account, and separate guardian accounts to minor children of said deceased.

READINGS AND MUSIC—*A Rare Entertainment.*—A very attractive programme has been arranged for the entertainment at the Court House on Thursday evening next, May 15th. The readings by the Rev. T. O. Crouse will embrace the humorous, the sentimental and the sacred, and he will be assisted by a talented lady elocutionist from Baltimore. The readings will be interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. Mr. Crouse ranks among the finest elocutionists of the present day; he has read before large audiences in a number of the towns and cities of this State and elsewhere, and in every instance the press has spoken in highly commendable terms of his efforts. In his appearance in Chestertown last summer, though under the most unfavorable circumstances, he demonstrated his ability and was well appreciated by his audience. In an intelligent community like this such an entertainment as the above should and doubtless will draw a crowded house.—The price of tickets has been fixed at 50 cts. for adults and 25 cts. for children.

A PUBLIC EXHIBITION will be given at the Court House in Chestertown on Tuesday evening, May 13th, by pupils of the Maryland Blind Institution. The object is to familiarize our citizens with the character of this institution, and to ascertain whether there are any blind persons in our county of suitable age to be admitted to its benefits. Ample provision has been made for the education of all young blind persons in the State; those who cannot afford to pay are admitted into the institution free. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the exhibition on Tuesday evening next. Admission *free.*

THE RAILROAD.—Engineers have been engaged for several weeks in making the survey for the extension of the Kent Co. Railroad from Worton Station to its western terminus at Rock Hall. The grading has been commenced, and is to be pushed forward with all possible dispatch. The steamers to connect with the road at Rock Hall are being built, and will be ready for service by the time the road is finished.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—On Wednesday, at Galena, D. James Blackiston, Esq., as trustee, sold at public sale the property of the late O. F. Sutton—the dwelling house to Dr. E. F. Nowland for $880, and the wheelwright shop to George W. Sutton for $755.

THOSE appreciating a literary entertainment should not forget the lecture of Rev. J. H. Caldwell, on "The South," advertised in another column, to be delivered at Still Pond M. E. Church on Tuesday evening next.

DIRECT TO CAPE MAY AND LONG BRANCH. The Smyrna (Del.) Times says: "When the Bombay Hook railroad shall have been completed, together with the Massey's link to Rock Hall, the line will form the most direct route from the South to two of the greatest watering places in the United States—Cape May and Long Branch.—From Bombay Hook to Cape May the distance is, we believe, less than thirty miles by either rail or water, while the New Jersey Southern runs direct to Long Branch, a distance of about 115 miles from Smyrna. We may therefore expect the completion of this route to set the summer travel this way, particularly for Cape May, which is the fashionable resort for Baltimoreans and other Southerners."

CHESTERVILLE AND VICINITY.

Messrs. Editors:—Spring operations among farmers are in full blast; but not so with the merchants, mechanics and others. These latter claim that business is still very dull, while many of the former have finished corn planting and are far along with their spring work.

At a meeting recently held, the trustees of the Chesterville M. E. Church decided to repair their church edifice during the coming summer. This is a step in the right direction. The building occupies as pretty a site for a Church as can be found anywhere, and if this action of the trustees will result in making the structure itself more sightly, it will be more in keeping with the beautiful plat of ground on which the building stands.

Rev. James Higgins is the newly appointed pastor of Kent circuit, Methodist Episcopal Church South. He preached his first sermon at this place on April 27. Mr. H., being advanced in life, is much after the style of the original Methodist preacher, and consequently preaches the word in its primitive purity.

Our community was startled on Monday morning last by the announcement of the very sudden death of Dr. William C. Pennington. It may be remembered that he was stricken with paralysis last winter, and for weeks his life was despaired of. From this attack he had so far recovered as to be able to walk around and attend to business, and it was hoped he would finally recover. On Sunday he strolled leisurely about his farm, and we believe was considered to be as well, if not better, than usual. About five o'clock on Monday morning, however, he had another attack, similar to the first, and by seven was a corpse. His remains were conveyed to their last resting place on Thursday morning last.

Mr. Wm. T. Vandyke, residing near Chesterville, lost a colt, from lockjaw, this week, which he valued at $150. A kick from another horse brought on the malady which caused its death. Last week he lost a mare worth $100. Mr. V. cannot but feel these losses sensibly just at this time.

Have we Road Supervisors or not?—"That's the question." If we consult the annual statement of the County Commissioners, we are *compelled* to answer yes; but if we are to take the miserable condition of the bridges and roads throughout the county, or especially in this portion of it, as a basis on which to form our opinion, we must undoubtedly say no.—Between Chesterville and Galena, we believe we are safe in saying, there is not a solitary bridge over which one may drive in safety; and we might say nearly as much of the bridges between this place and Chestertown. As to the roads, they are about on a par with the bridges.—Both the bridges and roads are there, and both, the supervisors think, are able to take care of themselves. What makes the matter more inexcusable is that so little effort is required to keep these public thoroughfares and conveniences in order. For the most part the bridges are of the most trifling character, and the roads, if put in good condition now, would need but little attention for months. That the public is compelled to submit to such great imposition as is practiced in this direction is a burning shame, and an evil of which they should seek speedy redress. WALTER.

EASTERN SHORE LANDS, &c.

Messrs. Editors:—I notice in *Country Gentleman*, published at Albany, N. Y., a correspondent asks through its columns for information concerning the quality and price of lands, society, schools, churches, &c., on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

I would suggest through the columns of your paper that the land owners of Kent raise funds sufficient to have prepared by some thoroughly competent person an article setting forth the advantages of Kent, and cause the same to be published as an advertisement in your valuable paper, the *Country Gentleman, American Agriculturist*, New York, *Germantown Telegraph, American Farmer*, Baltimore, and New York *Tribune*. If done properly, I am convinced it will induce hundreds to purchase lands and locate in Kent, which would add materially to the advantage and prosperity of each and every citizen of the county.

It is a well known fact that some of our wealthiest, most active and energetic farmers are Northern men, who have located among us and prospered. They can and will bear witness to the hearty welcome extended to all new comers. RIW.

[We heartily endorse the recommendation of our correspondent, and so far as we are concerned the article would be published without charge. We want immigration and an increase of population; large farms should be divided into two or three and the lands enriched—and the product would more than double the present yield. If the quality of our lands was generally known, as also the prices at which they could be bought, we doubt not that hundreds would be seeking them; and we know of no better method of giving them publicity than that suggested by our correspondent.—EDS.]

DEATH FROM SELF VACCINATION.—Persons who prefer to run the risk of performing surgical operations upon themselves rather than incur the expense of employing a doctor, should take warning from the fate of a young man named Herron, who recently died near Hamburg, Iowa, from the effects of a bungling attempt to vaccinate himself. He had procured some virus from the arm of his sister, who had been vaccinated by a regular physician several days previously, and placed it in an ugly gash made in his own arm for its reception. To prevent the matter from getting out he took a piece of damp newspaper and bound it upon the wound. In a few days afterwards the arm began to get stiff and exceedingly painful; but the symptoms were not those of cow-pox. A doctor having been finally sent for, made an examination of the wound and found that mortification had set in. Amputation of the limb was subsequently performed. The shock, however, proved too great for the strength of the young man, and death occurred shortly afterward.

THE MAINE LIQUOR LAW.—A letter from Congressman Frye, of Maine, is published concerning the effects of the Maine liquor law, and his statements are endorsed by the entire congressional delegation of that State. The following are its important points: "I can and do, from my own personal observation, unhesitatingly affirm that the consumption of intoxicating liquors in Maine is not to-day one-fourth as great as it was twenty years ago; that, in the country portions of the State, the sale and use have almost entirely ceased; that the law of itself, under a vigorous enforcement of its provisions, has created a temperance sentiment which is marvelous, and to which opposition is powerless. In my opinion our remarkable temperance reform of to-day is the legitimate child of the law."

SATISFIED.—A year's experience proves that THE LITTLE STORE ON THE CORNER can sell enough goods for CASH and trade, and *don't want* to sell any on credit. H. C. LAYMAN.

WORTON AGRICULTURAL CLUB.

Messrs. Editors:—The attendance at the meeting of the Club this afternoon was below the average. Many were probably actively engaged in corn planting, and others, who have not yet commenced, spent the afternoon in directing and superintending the various farm operations incident to this busy season. The usual routine of business was followed. The monthly report of the executive committee, made and adopted at this meeting, shows the programme for the next annual fair to have been perfected. The list of premiums has been enlarged—more liberal premiums offered—and the public may feel assured that no effort on the part of the committee will be spared in making the exhibition interesting and attractive, and in all respects an improvement on those of former seasons. Exhibitors from abroad are already forwarding applications and securing positions.

In answer to a question pertaining to the preparation of a blue-grass sod for wheat, reference was made to the origin of the grass, and the idea that it is natural to this climate at this time, that it grows without seed, appears as a part of creation, was advanced, and, as you would naturally suppose, met with earnest opposition.

The discussion of "Root Crops for Stock," occupied about an hour. Those having grown turnips and beets for this purpose spoke of satisfactory results.—The rutabaga is considered the best variety of turnip. Of beet, the sugar is preferred. By some beets are thought preferable to turnips for milch cows, as they impart no flavor to the milk or butter. This objection to the turnip some claim to have obviated, in a great measure, by feeding at the time of milking. Carrots were highly recommended for horses by those having fed them. Six hundred bushels of turnips per acre was not considered a large crop, but a profitable one. The cultivation of this crop is attended with less labor and expense than that of corn. PARTESEPANG.

Thursday, May 1st, 1873.

SINGULAR FREAK OF A LUNATIC.—One day last week an insane inmate of the Alms House of Somerset county, named Thomas Fleming, who has been confined in that institution for many years, by some means secured a pair of scissors and cut off all the toes on one feet, and when discovered by his keeper had commenced on the large toe of his other foot.

Excitement at Drug Stores.—There has been a general rush the last month at the Drug stores in Kent county for Dr. A. Boschee's German Syrup. It has been lately introduced in this country from Germany, and for any person suffering with a severe cough or heavy cold settled on the breast, consumption or any disease of the throat and lungs it has no equal in the world. Our regular size bottles are 75 cts. Two doses will relieve any case. Try it. Sample bottles free of charge. L. M. Green & Son, Proprietor, Woodbury, N. J. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers, and wholesale by C. F. STAM & BRO., Chestertown. eow

Baltimore Price Current

[From Warden & Merritt's Quotations.]

WEDNESDAY, April 30, 1873.

WHEAT—White, choice	$2 05a2.10
" " fair to prime	1.85a2 00
" Amber, choice	2.00a2.05
" Red, good to prime	1.85a1.97
" " comm. to fair	1 65a1.80
CORN—Southern white	68a00
" " Yellow	63a06
OATS—Southern	50a53
" Western, bright	51a52
RYE—Fair to prime	90a1.00

DIED:

At his residence, in Still Pond, on the 2nd inst., JOHN WILSON, aged about 63 years.

Obituary.—At York, Pa., on the 12th ult., at the residence of his sisters, WILLIAM GALLIGHER, Esq., in the 37th year of his age.—The subject of this notice moved to our county about six years ago, and engaged in teaching school; previous to that time he was engaged in the practice of law. He was blessed with a liberal education and his ability was equal to that of a great man; he was pronounced by many to be the best teacher in the county. He always carried sunshine wherever he went. It was a pleasure to be in the hearing of his voice—his words were so gentle and kind. As a husband and father he was loving and generous in his disposition, always obliging and true; as a friend he was faithful and sincere.

About five months ago his health began to fail, and he declined rapidly until death released him from his sufferings. In the death of this esteemed gentleman the community and neighborhood have met with a great loss; but he has paid the debt we have all got to pay.

It is to be hoped that his sorrowing relatives and bereaved companion may be reconciled to this decree of the all wise Father in Heaven, and be comforted with the assurance that ere long they may again meet him where there is no parting, and there enjoy an eternity of happiness. A TRUE FRIEND.

TO THE MEMORY of JOHN WILSON

BY REQUEST OF W. S. MAXWELL, JR.

Happy soul that finds a rest
In a Heavenly Father's breast.

And now he rests! His life on earth is past;
Death's icy touch lay on his heart, and made
It tremble, as pure waters do when freezing.
Ah! he, a good man, like a hero died
Praying, and praising God.

He not a fear expressed,
But slowly sinking like the setting sun,
Beneath the horizon's verge, he left bright
Pictures painted on earth's sky, the golden
Treasures of a well spent life; jewels
That glitter on the shores of time.

"Men's deeds live after them,"
And his twine round his household cares,
And still will float like a soft halo o'er
Each spot, where memory breathes his name.
A Christian and a gentleman, JOHN WILSON
Lived, and died; loved, and beloved.

He who walks with God,
And is redeemed by Christ, and has the
Holy Spirit living in his heart,
Is just as far above a Godless man
As the great sun, that shines upon the little
Glow-worm on the Marshy Mead.

Weep not for him:
He has the glorious robes of immortality
Put on. When passing by his grave,
You drop a tear, or heave a sigh, remember
How he lived, and how he died; look for
His foot-prints, and beside them walk,
They make a pathway to his fadeless home.

His earthly fireside lonely is, and sad,
The light seems all gone out, alas for earth!
'Tis at the best a phantom lost in death;
Thank God! there is another land than this,
Where all the blood-washed band
Are safely housed from storm,
And rest in peace.

MATILDA CANBY, *Wil-Del.*

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to us for the years 1871 and 1872 will please call and settle immediately.
May 10—3t. C. F. STAM & BRO.

A CARD.

To the Democratic and Conservative Voters of Kent County:

The undersigned respectfully offers himself a Candidate for the office of Register of Wills for said County, subject to the regular party nomination. Having devoted forty-odd years of my life faithfully to the party, I now ask my friends to give me this office for one term only. The public's ob't serv't,
my10-tf. G. M. HART.

FOR SALE

3 Good Driving or Work Horses,
Will be sold low.
Apply to JERVIS SPENCER,
my3-3t. Locust Grove.

SWEET POTATO PLANTS,
In quantities to suit purchasers,
For sale by W. N. C. ANDERSON,
apr26-5t* near Crompton, Kent Co., Md.

MUSLIN, Bleached and Brown,
CALICOES,
BLACK ALPACAS,
And GOODS for Men's and Boys' wear, at
April 12. J. H. SIMPERS.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

THE Kent County Sunday School Convention will meet TUESDAY, June 10th, at 10 o'clock, in Still Pond M. E. Church, to continue two days.

Ministers and S. S. Superintendents are members ex officio, and each school is requested to elect two delegates and to furnish one dollar for necessary expenses.

A full programme will be published hereafter.

R. P. JANVIER,
R. S. GRIFFITH,
SAM'L VANNORT,
my10-5t. County Ex. Comm.

Temperance Demonstration,

Under the auspices of the

Good Templars of Cecilton, Md.,

On WEDNESDAY, MAY 14th,

At 7½ o'clock, P. M., in the M. E. Church.

The Demonstration to consist of addresses by Revs. Mr. Caldwell, Aldred, Gaylord and Bristor, interspersed with singing.

Admission—Adults 25 cts.; Children 15 cts.
May 10, 1873—1t.

A Rare Entertainment!

READINGS

BY REV. T. O. CROUSE,

AND A

YOUNG LADY FROM BALTIMORE.

MUSIC: Vocal and Instrumental.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 15th,

At COURT HOUSE, CHESTERTOWN.

Doors open at 7½ o'clock—Commence at 8.

TICKETS 50 Cts.; Children 25 cts.

Proceeds for benefit of M. P. Sunday School.

Additional Seats will be provided and every arrangement made looking to the pleasure of those who may favor us with their presence.

☞ Should the weather be very unfavorable the Entertainment will be given the next evening (Friday.) 1t.

New Millinery and Notions!

Mrs. S. A. Usilton,

WOULD call the attention of the Ladies of Chestertown and vicinity to a fine assortment of

New and Beautiful Millinery Goods,

and NOTIONS, including LATEST SPRING STYLES, which she is selling at the very lowest prices. An examination of her goods and prices is respectfully solicited.

STAMPING neatly done at short notice.

Store next door above Mr. T. S. Wickes'.
my10-3t. MRS. S. A. USILTON.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing between J. T. Twilley and Fredus Aldridge in the Coal Business, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All outstanding claims due the late firm must be settled by June 1st, or they will be collected by legal process.

J. T. TWILLEY is authorized to receipt for the late firm. J. T. TWILLEY,
FREDUS ALDRIDGE.

COAL! COAL!

The business will be continued by the undersigned on a CASH BASIS.
May 10—3t. J. T. TWILLEY.

J. F. WILSON & Co.,

GEORGETOWN,

Have enlarged their Store House, giving them better facilities for showing their full stock of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

CLOTHING,

BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS,

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE,

GROCERIES,

PAINTS, Oils and Varnishes.

☞ We take pleasure in showing our goods, and offer them at prices that will secure us quick sales. my10-y.

Standard Keeper's Notice.

THE undersigned, having been appointed Standard Keeper for Kent County, hereby gives notice, to

MERCHANTS, SHOP-KEEPERS, and all others interested,

that he will, by order of the County Commissioners, attend at the following places, on the days named, for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting all

Beams and Scales,

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES,

used or intended to be used in this county, viz:

WEDNESDAY, May 14th—Chestertown.

THURSDAY, 15th—Crumpton, Chesterville, and Massey's.

FRIDAY, 16th—Sassafras, Galena, Locust Grove, Harmony, Kennedyville, and Urieville.

SATURDAY, 17—Still Pond, Smithville, Worton Heights and Fairlee.

MONDAY, May 19th—Trappe, Rees' Corner, Edesville and Rock Hall.

WEDNESDAY, 21st—Quaker Neck.

☞ The stores and shops at unnamed places in various parts of the county will be attended to at convenience in passing from one more prominent point to another.

BENJ. B. WROTH,
1t. Standard Keeper.

KENT COUNTY, Sct.:

I hereby certify that on this 2nd day of May, 1873, personally appeared before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, Samuel Watts, 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 BLACK BULL, supposed to be about one year old, without any ear marks.

Given under my hand.

THOS. K. STEPHENS, J. P.

NOTICE.—The owner of the above described Bull is notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take it away.

SAMUEL WATTS,
my10 3t. Wilson's Point, Kent Co., Md.

Public Road Notice.

THE undersigned, citizens of the Second Election District of Kent county, hereby give notice, that thirty days after this date they intend to apply to the County Commissioners for Kent county to appoint Commissioners to examine the road leading from Gooding's Mill to Harmony, with a view to widening and draining that part between G. W. Vansant's corner and Shrewsbury Church lane and more particularly the portion in the vicinity of Locust Grove.

JAMES WILLIS,
G. H. J. SPARKS,
SAM'L A. MERRITT,
JAS W. HURTT,
S. J. HILL, and others.
May 10, 1873—5t.

Public Road Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all interested, that the undersigned citizens intend to petition the County Commissioners at their first meeting held thirty days after the date of this notice, to open and lay down a public road beginning at Black's Station, and running through the lands of Miss Sallie Sutton, and Mrs. J. C. Groome, to the public road leading from Black's Cross Roads to the old Presbyterian Meeting House.

WM. WELCH,
HENRY JONES,
JOHN FRANK WILSON,
R. J. LUSBY,
J. S. BURLOCK,
N. W. COMEGYS,
May 10, 1873—5t. and others.

Ratification Notice.

Wm. McKenney, Trustee,
vs.
John T. Smyth, and others,

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

APRIL TERM, 1873.

ORDERED, on this ninth day of May, 1873, that the sales of the real estate of John T. Smyth, made and reported in the above entitled cause by JOHN B. BROWN, Trustee for the sale thereof, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the tenth day of July next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed at Chestertown, Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the tenth day of June next. The Report states the amount of sales to be $7,283.40.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

True Copy,—Test:
JESSE K HINES, Clerk.
May 10, 1873—4t.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

William T. Dove and others,
versus
C. G. Wood, Hyson Dill and others.

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

MAY 3rd, 1873.

THE object of this suit is to procure a Decree for the sale of certain Real Estate situate and lying in Kent county, Maryland.

The Bill states that heretofore a certain Philip Drugan, late of Kent County, deceased, was, in his life time seized and possessed of certain Real Estate, lying and being in said Kent county, consisting of a lot or tract of land at Belair, called and known as part of "St. Tanton's," containing two acres of land, more or less, it being the same lot of land which was conveyed to the said Philip Drugan by a certain Philip B. Travilla, late Collector, by Deed dated July 5th, 1839, duly recorded among the Land Records for Kent county, aforesaid, in Liber J. N. G., No. 6, folio 388, and being so thereof seized and possessed sometime in the year 1871, departed this life intestate, leaving Wm. T. Dove, Sarah J. Ford, Mary M. Entwisle, Martha Deale, and Sarah Ayers, and a certain Catharine Wood, formerly Catherine Lesenberry, his only heirs at law, and the Bill further states that since the death of the said Philip Drugan, the said Catharine Wood departed this life intestate, leaving Edmond Dill, Anna Araminta Wood, Fostina Dill, Mary Evelyn Wood, Ida Eugenia Wood, and Jane Catharine Wood, her only children and heirs at law; that Wm. T. Dove, Sarah J. Ford, Mary M. Entwisle, Martha Deal, and Sarah Ayers, are entitled to five undivided sixth parts of the Real Estate hereinbefore mentioned, and that the heirs at law of Catharine Wood, aforesaid, are entitled to the remaining one-sixth part thereof, and the Bill further states that your orators, the complainants in the within entitled cause, submit whether Charles Gilbert Wood, the husband of the said Catharine Wood, deceased, and father of the said Emma Dill, Anna Araminta Wood, Fostina Dill, Mary Evelyn Wood, Ida Eugenie Wood, and Jane Catharine Wood, heirs at law of the said Catharine Wood, dec'd, is entitled as tenant by the curtesy, to one-sixth part of the said Real Estate, and your orators charge that the said Real Estate is not susceptible of partition amongst the parties aforesaid, and that it would be to the advantage of all the parties aforesaid to have the said Real Estate sold, and the proceeds distributed amongst the parties in proportion to their respective interests; and your orators are informed that all the Defendants reside in the State of Maryland except Geo. Dill, who, your orators are advised, resides in the State of Delaware, and further your orators are advised that the said Anna Araminta Wood, Fostina Dill, Mary Evelyn Wood, Ida Eugenie Wood and Jane Catharine Wood, are infants under the age of twenty-one years.

It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the complainants, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county for one month prior to the 12th day of June next, give notice to the said absent Defendant of the object and substance of this bill, and warn him to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor, on or before the 12th day of August next, to answer the premises, and show cause if any he has why a Decree ought not to pass as prayed.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

True Copy,—Test:
JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
May 10, 1873—1m.

District Court of the United States

FOR THE

District of Maryland.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of W. S. SPARKS, Bankrupt.

District of Maryland, ss.:

A WARRANT in Bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of W. S. Sparks, of the County of Kent, and State of Maryland, in said District, who has been duly adjudged a Bankrupt, upon petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him, or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. An adjourned meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his Estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Denton in said District, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1873, at 12 o'clock, M., at the office of GEORGE M. RUSSUM, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said District.

EDWARD Y. GOLDSBOROUGH,
U. S. Marshal for said District.
May 10, 1873—2t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, new letters of administration on the personal estate of

EZEKIEL C. JONES,

late of the State of Texas, 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 25th day of November, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1873. E. F. PERKINS,
May 10, 1873—4t. Adm'r.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county Letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

ANN W. PERKINS,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of November, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of May, 1873.

SALLY MARIA PERKINS,
May 10, 1873—4t. Exec'x.

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 in Kent county, of

GEORGE H. WILLSON,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of November, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of May, 1873.

HENRIETTA E. WILLSON,
May 10, 1873—4t. Administratrix.

LECTURE

AT

HYNSON'S M. E. CHURCH,

By REV. J. H. CALDWELL, of Still Pond

Subject:—"ESTHER."

THURSDAY NIGHT, May 15, at 7½ o'clock.

1t Admission 25 Cents.

SHOULD YOU NEED

SUMMER UNDERSHIRTS,

DRAWS OR SOCKS,

You will find the best stock in Chestertown, at S. MERRITT & CO.,
May 3, 1873. Chestertown.

Three Fine Farms

IN KENT CO., MARYLAND,

—AT—

TRUSTEES' SALE.

THE undersigned, as Trustees, under a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Chancery, will offer at PUBLIC SALE on

TUESDAY,

THE TENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1873,

AT TWO O'CLOCK, P. M.,

At the "Voshell House," in Chestertown,

The Valuable Real Estate

OF MR. JOS. C. MANN, composed of

THREE FARMS,

Designated herein by the Nos. 1, 2 and 3,

In the Second District of Kent Co., Md.

No. 1,

Contains about 100 Acres,

And is improved with a

TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING

And usual Out-Buildings, all in good order.

No. 2, contains

About 177 ACRES,

And is usually known as the

"FANCY" or "OLD MANN FARM."

The Improvements on this Farm are in bad condition.

No. 3,

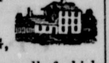
IS THE SAMUEL COMEGYS FARM.

It Contains about 130 ACRES,

And is Improved with a

TWO STORY

FRAME DWELLING,



and the usual Out-Buildings; all of which are in fair condition.

All of these lands are arable; there is not an acre of waste upon the whole estate. The soil is pre-eminently distinguished for its natural fertility and productiveness, and is now in a high state of improvement; and is well adapted to all cereals and fruits. Each farm is most eligibly located, being in the centre of one of our most attractive and highly improved districts, convenient to churches, schools, &c.; within a mile of Chesterville, and not more than 1½ miles from Black's or two miles from Lamboon's Stations, on the Kent county railroad, and within two miles of public landing on Chester river.

These farms will not only bear a favorable comparison with the most desirable estates in this county, but also with the most highly improved lands about Middletown, Del.

TERMS OF SALE.

The following terms are prescribed by the Decree: $8,000 cash on the day of sale, or on the final ratification of the sales, at the option of the Trustees; the residue in three equal annual instalments from the day of sale. The deferred payments to be secured by the bonds or notes of purchasers, bearing interest from the day of sale, with surety or sureties approved by the Trustees.

M. BANNON,
R. HYNSON.
Chestertown, May 10, 1873—ts.
[Del. Gazette copy once a week tds.]

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent County, Maryland, the subscriber, Administratrix of George Cooper, late of Kent county, dec'd, will sell at public sale

On Friday, the 16th May inst.,

at the late residence of dec'd, near the I. U. Church, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following personal property:

2 Good Brood Mares,

FOUR COLTS,

One, two and three years old;

FOUR MILCH COWS,

Seven Head of HOGS,

Wagon and Harness, Saddle and Bridle,

Sleigh, Carriage Pole,

FARMING UTENSILS,

Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Hoes, &c.

Also, a variety of

Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Interest in Ten Bushels WHEAT seeded.

TERMS:—A credit of seven months on all sums over Ten dollars on note with approved security. All sums of and under $10 cash.

MARGARET A. COOPER,
Adm'x of Geo. Cooper.
S. L. RAWLEIGH, Auct'r. my3-ts.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

New Spring and Summer Fashions!

ABE SCHWARTZ,

FROM PHILADELPHIA,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Chestertown and vicinity that he has opened in the store room up town, opposite Capt. Thompson's, the

Latest Spring and Summer Styles

and has now on hand an assortment of Piece Goods and Samples of Piece Goods, almost to suit the taste of every man and youth, and is ready to receive orders for CUTTING and MAKING UP SUITS to fit, under guarantee, even at low prices. Gentlemen in want of a suit of good clothes have no need of going to the cities therefor, as all will be convinced by an examination of his goods and prices.

SCOURING, CLEANING and REPAIRING done promptly and in the best manner—almost like new. ABE SCHWARTZ.
Chestertown, May 10