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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - MAY 24, 1873.

"Behind the Scenes in Washington."

This is the title of a new and highly interesting work just issued by the National Publishing Company, of Philadelphia. It was written by Edward Wilson Martin, in his best style, and is contained in a very handsome volume of 518 pages, which is only sold by subscription.

The author carries his readers "Behind the Scenes" of the great political drama of our governmental life, and shows us the actors who are charged with the most vital interests of the country, stripped of the brilliant hues and attractions which partizan admiration has thrown around them, and exhibits them to us as they really are. It is no mere sensation-book, designed to pander to a morbid curiosity. Mr. Martin gives a plain and unvarnished history of the infamous Credit Mobilier affair, and makes disclosures with which every citizen, of whatever party, should acquaint himself, and which are terribly startling. He drags the mysterious lobby and its members out into the broad light of day, and tells us all about them, giving sketches of the noted Women of the lobby. He introduces us into the White House, and to its occupants. He lays bare the secret workings of the Departments, and shows how they are conducted. He tells us about the hard worked and poorly paid employees of the departments, and gives interesting facts about the female clerks, of whom so much has been said. He introduces us to Senators, Representatives, Military and Naval heroes, adventurers, and all that vast crowd which makes up the life of the National Capital, and has given to the public a work which will fully sustain his well-won reputation. It is not only deeply interesting for the disclosures it makes but is brimful of useful and valuable information to every citizen. It is a clear and lucid explanation of the manner in which the great departments of the General Government are organized and conducted, and contains full and admirably written descriptions of the magnificent public buildings and other works of art, of which the whole land is so justly proud. In short, the book is Washington City in miniature, and we cordially commend it to all. To those who contemplate visiting Washington it is invaluable. It is sold by subscription only, and Mr. S. George Neal is now canvassing this county.

Direct Your Letters Carefully.—The Postal Record says that during the past year there were sent to the dead letter office nearly three million letters. Sixty-eight thousand of these letters could not be forwarded owing to the carelessness of the writers omitting to give the county or State; 400,000 failed to be sent because the writers forgot to put on stamps, and more than 3,000 letters were put in the postoffice without any address whatever. In the letters above named were found over $92,000 in cash; drafts, checks, etc., to the value of $3,000,000. There were 39,089 photographs contained in the above letters. Of course nearly all the money and valuables were returned to the owners; but much needless delay, many charges of dishonesty, etc., might have been saved, if the writers of the letters had been a little careful, and taken the precaution to see that their letters were in mailable condition before depositing them in the postoffice. It is more than probable that nine-tenths of all the complaints, losses and delays which are laid to the Postoffice Department are in reality due to the carelessness of letter writers.—*Hand Book, Cincinnati Times.*

Maryland Boundary Line.—At a meeting of the Maryland Historical Society, held in Baltimore last week, Hon. Isaac D. Jones made some interesting remarks in relation to the Boundary Lines of Maryland, in the investigation of which he had been engaged for a year past.—"He had discovered documents which proved that Maryland had been robbed of her territory north, south, east and west, and showed that her southern line extended ten miles below the present boundary, and that 500,000 acres of land had been lost to Maryland on her western boundary." At the request of the Society Mr. Jones consented to prepare a paper on the subject to be read at the next meeting.

Shipbuilding at the enterprising little city of Chester, on the Delaware River, is now very active. No less than nine large iron steamers are now in course of construction. Messrs. Roach have an order for the construction of a fine, commodious iron steamship for the well-known shipping house of C. Mallory & Co., of New York. The vessel is intended for the coastwise trade. Besides these the firm have orders for building four first-class, thorough going ocean steamships for other New York parties, one of which is for the Pacific Mail Steamship line. All four of these vessels will register 5,000 tons. Other firms have contracts for building new iron steam colliers, which seem to be rapidily superseding wooden vessels in the coal trade.

Starved to Death for Murder.—A Des Moines (Iowa) dispatch says an Indian of the roaming tribe of Musquakoes, which infest that State, a few weeks ago murdered one of his tribe. The tribe were then, and are now, encamped on Skunk river, near Colfax, Jasper county. The murderer was put on trial, and it was decided that he should be punished by being starved to death. The sentence was carried out to the cruel letter. The Indian was tied to a log in the woods, and several Indians were detailed to carry the sentence into effect, which took eight days. Other cruelties, known only to the Indians themselves, were added to the torture of starvation.

A political revolution seems to be going on in the Western States. The town elections in Illinois, held recently, show large democratic gains, and the municipal elections in Indiana held still more recently tell a similar tale. Among the towns of the latter State which have hitherto been republican, Indiana, Lafayette, Laporte and Richmond have been carried by the democrats.

So many township elections in the Northern States have racently resulted favorably to the Democrats, Democratic local triumphs are now styled "The Spring Fashions."

Wilmington Conference Statistics.—The minutes of the Wilmington Conference, recently published, show that the money collected during last Conference year, from all sources, amount to $253,585.31. The value of church property is estimated at $1,162,283.69. Actual members and those admitted on probation number 25,434. This is a healthy financial exhibit of the Church on this Peninsula, and shows it to be in a prosperous condition.—*Wilmington Commercial.*

A Funeral procession stopped and put out a fire on the roof of a house in Farmington, Main, and then solemnly continued on its way to the burying ground.

A FIGHT FOR LIFE.

The Oswego Times of May 5, contains the following:

On Monday last, one week ago to-day, John Bidwell, aged nineteen years, with his father, a onearmed man, and his brother, a mere lad, went into the woods about four miles east of Smart's Mills, in Boylston, to gather spruce gum. They carried no weapons, and their only tools were a common nail hatchet and a dirk-knife for the purpose of cutting the gum from the trees, and a chisel fastened to a long pole. The latter was carried by the father. The hatchet had a handle about four feet long, and made of exceedingly tough wood, so that it even might be struck against a tree and bent half-double without injuring it.

Thus equipped they were proceeding through the woods about their work when John saw a bear track, and following it with his eye saw about two rods ahead of him a hole in the snow beside a big hemlock log. He went to look in it, but just as he reached it stumped into the snow and fell head formast almost into the hole, his head barely escaping the mouth of a huge bear that was just emerging with her jaws distended.

He had barely time to draw back, and then bronght the bear a blow on the nose with his hatchet which dropped her. In a second however, the bare had sprung up again, maddened by the blow, but John was in time for her and delt her a terrible blow between the eyes with the edge of his hatchet, cutting, as afterward proved, clear to the brain. The bear came for John a third time, but was met by another powerful blow from the hatchet, which finished her, and the bear died in the mouth of the hole.

It required a strong effort to pull the bear out, and John had scarcely accomplished it when a cub, nearly full grown, appeared. Nothing daunted, John went at him, and after a brief struggle served him as he had served the dam, but had scarcely done with him when bear number three appeared, which proved to be the other cub. John struck at him with the hatchet but missed him. The bear sprung upon him and the hatchet could no longer be used. Then John drew the dirk knife and drove it to the heart of his savage foe, who immediately released his hold and expired.

During the entire fight the father stood near by, but having no weapon and but one arm he was unable to lend his son any aid, and feared that by interfering he might injure him. The younger brother not liking looks of things, had taken to a tree and watched the savage encounter with not a little alarm. The old bear measured six feet. All three of them were skinned, and the skins sold for $20.

Annexation.—A correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial, who has recently traveled in Canada, has found the "young men" warmly in favor of annexation to the United States. The same is the case with the young women; but both generally proceed to annex here in the United States, when they get a chance, without waiting for Canada to do so.

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

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April 5, 1873—6m.

250,000

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WM. F. BAKER, Chestertown.

April 5, 1873—2m.

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. HURLOCK,
N. W. COMEGYS,
and others.

May 10, 1873—5t.

Public Road Notice.

THE undersigned, citizens of Kent county, hereby give notice, that thirty days after this date, they intend to petition the Honorable County Commissioners for Kent County to appoint examiners to locate a new road from a point on the road from Chestertown to the lower end of Quaker Neck at or near the division line between lands of Edward Wilkins and Philip T. Simmonds, to the waters of Lankford's Bay, or what is known as the North East branch thereof.

FRANCIS BAKER.
JOHN HADAWAY,
WM. DeFORD,
JAS. H. BAKER,
J. P. DeCORSE,
WM. SCONE,
WM. H. NICOLSON,
WM. HALL,
H. B. JONES,
ANN R. MASLIN,
GEO. LYAS,
EDW. B. JONES.

April 26, 1873—5t.

Public Road Notice.

THE undersigned, citizens of Kent county, hereby give notice that they will, at the expiration of thirty days from this date apply to the Commissioners for Kent County for the opening of a public road leading down Broad Neck from the point on the public road where the lands of Wm. J. Vannort adjoin the lands of Mrs. S. Jessop; said road to continue along the line of division between said lands to the waters of the branch of Langford's Bay, and for a Public Landing on said waters.

GEO. A. JESSOP,
WM. J. VANNORT,
JOHN BRICE.

April 26, 1873—5t.

IF YOU WANT A FASHIONABLE NECK-TIE, SCARF OR COLLAR, Call on S. MERRITT & CO., Chestertown.

May 3.

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Jan. 4, 1873.

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Chestertown, Mar. 29—3m.

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E. Horner, Burlington, New Jersey.
B. F. Chatham, Cashier Phila. National Bank.
S. F. Shallcross, Middletown, Del. apr19.

MILL NOTICE.

THE subscriber having rented the

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is now prepared to accommodate all that may be pleased to favor him with a trial. He is an experienced miller and has plenty of water, and feels confident of giving general satisfaction. I will CHOP CORN for one-tenth, and will also keep on hand the BEST BRANDS of FLOUR, MEAL and FEED, either at the Mill or by wagon.

PHILIP H. MOORE, Parsons' Mill.

Feb. 22—3m*

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 the said Catharine 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.

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.

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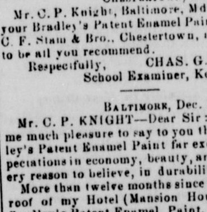

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Mr. C. P. Knight, Baltimore, Md.—I bought your Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint of Messrs. C. F. Stam & Bro., Chestertown, and found it to be all you recommend.

Respectfully, CHAS. G. RICAUD, School Examiner, Kent Co., Md.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 10th, 1872.

Mr. C. P. KNIGHT—Dear Sir:—It affords me much pleasure to say to you that the Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint far exceeds my expectations in economy, beauty, and I have every reason to believe, in durability.

More than twelve months since I painted the roof of my Hotel (Mansion House) with the Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint, and I was so well pleased with it I determined to paint the outside of the Hotel, and am most happy to say it gives me perfect satisfaction. In conclusion I will say if this testimonial will be any advantage to you, you are at liberty to use it. Yours, most respectfully,

ISAAC ALBERTSON,
Mansion House Hotel, corner Fayette and St. Paul streets, Baltimore.

FROM HON. JOHN WETHERED.

Mr. C. P. Knight:—At the recommendation of a friend, I was induced to apply your patent "Bradley's" paint to my house. I have pleasure in stating that it has proved highly satisfactory, covering more surface than you promised, is more economical, carries better gloss than any other paint and is freer from disagreeable odor. Yours, respectfully,

JOHN WETHERED.

THE PLAINS, Fauquier County, Va., February 6th, 1873.

C. P. KNIGHT—Dear Sir:—The Paint came safely to hand, as ordered, two kegs, five gallons each, and three buckets, one gallon each. As practice was slack I did the job myself.—Two weeks not constant work completed the house two coats, the last coat applied thick, and it is now generally conceded that for "Enamel" like hardness and body and harmony of colors there is not a handsomer job in the place. I saved sixty-five ($65) dollars by the operation, which is an item just now with Southern people." It should be generally adopted in this State; any country lad can apply it. I have never dabbled in such stock as Testimonials, but I feel so forcibly the great adaptability of your "Enamel Paint" to the wants of our people in excellency of material, in beauty of color, and the fact of its being "Ready Mixed," that I give you free permission (if it is desirable to you,) to make what use you think proper of this letter.

Very truly, S. McGILL, M. D.

Pleasantville, Harford Co., Md.

C. P. Knight—Dear Sir:—I am happy to inform you that your Patent Enamel Paint has given entire satisfaction. I prefer it to any paint I have ever seen used, and recommend it for durability and beauty as paramount to any other. Very respectfully,

R. DICKEY, M. D.

Belair, March 3d, 1873.

Mr. C. P. Knight—Dear Sir:—I have been using, since last Spring, Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint, and am happy to say that it gives entire satisfaction wherever I have used it, and to parties to whom I have furnished it for other painters to use. Mr. John I. Street, who I furnished with the paint last Fall, says if his name is of any use you can use it with pleasure in recommending so good a paint. S. H. Montague, Painter, agrees with me as to the durability of your most excellent Paint. I hope that those who have painting to do, will look to their advantage and apply Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint, which is the most durable Paint now in use. It holds its gloss longer than any other Paint that I have ever used.

Yours truly, E. C. GARRETTSON.
Belair, Harford county, Md.

Baltimore, Sept. 30th, 1872.

C. P. KNIGHT, Esq — Dear Sir:—I have had the Bradley's Patent Enamel Paint, which I purchased from you, used inside and outside both at my dwelling and store for two seasons. It gives me great pleasure to be able to say it comes fully up to your recommendations in facility of use, economy, durability and beauty.

Yours, truly, THOS. J. IRVING,
of T. J. Irving & Co.,
58 West Baltimore St.

Chambersburg, December 10th, 1872.

Mr. C. P. Knight—Dear Sir:

The paints we received from you have been applied to several of our own buildings, and to those of our friends, and have given satisfaction in covering qualities, in gloss and in adaptability to all kinds of surface or material, and we cheerfully recommend it, especially to that class of consumers who have to depend upon unknown parties or painters to mix and furnish materials, wherein we have found the most deception.

Yours, truly,
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Thanking our customers for their past patronage, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. UNDERTAKING will receive our special attention as heretofore.

apr20. JOHN T. DODD & SON.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, letters of administration C. T. A. on the personal estate of

JOHN WILSON,

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 17th day of December, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under our hands this 15th day of May, 1873.

MARIA R. WILSON,
JOHN F. WILSON,
Adm'rs C. T. A.

May 17, 1873—4t.

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, Adm'r.

May 10, 1873—4t.

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' 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, Exec'x.

May 10, 1873—4t.

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, Administratrix.

May 10, 1873—4t.

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

JEREMIAH STULL,

late of Salem county, N. J., 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 18th day of November, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.

Given under my hand this 24th day of April, 1873.

H. W. VICKERS, Adm'r.

April, 26, 1873—4t.

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

GEORGE COOPER,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased' estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of November, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in the said estate.

Given under my hand this 22d day of April, 1873.

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