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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - SEPT. 6, 1873.

SHOCKING TRAGEDY IN BALTIMORE.

A PHYSICIAN CUTS HIS WIFE'S THROAT AND THEN HIS OWN.

Another of those terrible tragedies which have become so common of late was enacted at No. 58 St. Paul street, near Saratoga, Baltimore, about half-past eight o'clock on Thursday evening of last week. Dr. Joseph Clarence Showalter, while under the influence of liquor, cut his wife's throat with a razor and then cut his own. The particulars of this most distressing affair, as gathered from the Baltimore papers, are as follows:

The house has been kept as a boarding-house since last December by Mrs. Eugenie Showalter, a very respectable and worthy lady. Dr. Showalter, it appears, has been a man of very intemperate habits, and has been known to treat his wife very unkindly when under the influence of liquor. On the fatal afternoon he came home under the influence of liquor, as usual, and went into the kitchen where a servant was preparing supper. Here he used, as he usually did, very violent and profane language. His wife came down to the front room on the first floor, which she and her husband occupied as a sleeping room, and called him to her, and expostulated with him, telling him that he must not drink and go on in the way he was doing. He struck her a severe blow with his hand, when she told him that she would be compelled to have him arrested, and that if he came there to create a disturbance she would have the police take him away, as she could not have her boarders disturbed, and that she would not allow him to strike her. He then left the front room and went to the dining room. Mrs. Showaiter then went up stairs. About half an hour afterwards

HE CALLED TO HER TO COME

down to him, calling her by her christian name, in gentle tones. He went to the foot of the stairs to call her. She said she did not wish to see him, and some of her boarders advised her not to go, but after awhile she went down to their room. About fifteen minutes after Mrs. Showalter went down stairs from the parlor, the occupants of the house were startled by

TERRIFIC SCREAMS

in the front room, in which Dr. Showalter and his wife were known to be. The first person that entered was the young man, Mrs. Showalter's son by her former husband, a youth 17 or 18 years of age.

A HORRIBLE SCENE.

When the poor lad entered the room a horrible sight met his gaze. He found his mother lying in the northwest corner of the room, behind the folding door, drenched with blood, her feet toward the centre of the room, whilst Dr. Showalter, also covered with blood, stood by the foot of the bed, a couple of yards from his wife! His mother was just dying when her son and the other frightened occupants of the house rushed in the room. She never spoke a word. Dr. Showalter was standing over his wife and hacking at his own throat with a razor. There was a horrible gash, commencing on the left side of the neck of the poor woman, which had almost severed her head from her body. The wound inflicted by the murderer upon himself was less severe. His neck, however, was cut from ear to ear. The frantic son pushed Dr. Showalter back, and when the other persons entered the room he stood at the foot of the bed for a few minutes, covered with blood, moaning and gazing stupidly at his wife, and then rushed into the street. The murderer walked to the corner of St. Paul and Saratoga streets, where he was soon taken in custody and conveyed to the Washington University Hospital.

It is said that Showalter had previously threatened to kill his wife on several occasions when he had been drinking or was partially intoxicated, when she would refuse to furnish him money to procure liquor, and it is supposed that when he called to her, asking her to come down stairs to him, that he did so for the purpose of getting money, and with the fixed determination of killing her if she refused.

Having, as is supposed, refused to give him any money, he made the attack, and with the accuracy and precision of a skilled surgeon he made three distinct cuts right under the left ear, any one of which would have been fatal. The deepest thrust penetrated the vertebral column, nearly severing it in two, the contact with the bone making two distinct gashes in the point of the razor.

The father of Dr. Showalter is a wealthy gentlemen, living in Alabama. The doctor was an only son, but his mother died and his father marrying again had other children. Dr. Showalter's conduct, it is said, led to an entire alienation from his father, who finally discarded him.

THE QUESTION OF USURY.

The Baltimore *Episcopal Methodist* has a very sensible article on "Laws against Usury," and endorses the position of the *Journal of Commerce* on the subject. It says:

"The truth is that the good people who cling to the statute against usury do so because this is associated in their minds with some provisions in the Masonic law. In that case, however, the prohibition was directed against another thing altogether. The usury forbidden by the Hebrew lawgivers was any interest or price whatever for the loan or forbearance of money, or of any other property. And this prohibition was limited, as may be seen in Deuteronomy 23: 19-10: 'Thou shalt not lend upon usury to thy brother—usury of money, usury of victuals, usury of anything that is lent upon usury; unto a stranger thou mayest lend upon usury; but unto thy brother thou shalt not lend upon usury.' The original prohibition, therefore, was the taking of any fee or reward in kind for the loan, not of money only, but of food, or of anything whatever which could be lent. And this was limited to transactions between brethren. The taking of one per cent. per annum for the use of money was as much a violation of this law as the exaction of ten per cent. Charging for the use or loan of a horse was as much usury and as clearly prohibited as exacting an exorbitant rate of interest for money. A stranger might be charged for all such services, and in the letter of the law there was no limit as to the rate, but no hire could be taken for any such service from a brother Israelite. It is a sufficient objection, therefore, to the statue law, which attempts to restrain the exaction of exorbitant interest, that it has no foundation in the old Hebrew code, either in the principle involved, or the subject to which it extends. All property of every kind that could be lent was there included; all usance for it, no matter how low the rate, from a brother Israelite, was prohibited, and full permission was given to take usance without terms of limitation from others."

This is the right view of the case, as every Biblical student knows. There is no more logic in legislating the price of money than in legislating the price of wheat, hats, or shoes. Since Jeremy Bentham's discussion of the question, on political economist could well have a doubt about it. It is surprising that our legislators still cling so tenaciously to this mediæval fallacy.—*The Methodist.*

WHEAT CULTURE.

Wheat requires good soil for its profitable culture. The immense yield of the virgin prairies of the Northwest, where the rich black soil attains a great depth, furnishes evidence of the ease with which, under certain conditions, large crops may be confidently expected. Wheat is a strong feeder, and when planted in a soil containing a sufficient quantity of nourishment, with proper tillage, remunerative crops may be grown. But in this section of country, where once the soil contained an abundance of plant food, thousands of acres exist where but scanty crops are raised. Long continued cultivation with insufficient manuring have reduced lands once fertile to a condition bordering on absolute sterility, and in many places farmers have begun to despair of ever obtaining profitable returns from the growth of this cereal.

What we have experienced in this section is sure to be repeated in the prairie farms of the West. Already in California, where immense crops of wheat were raised a few years ago, the soil is far less productive than when the cultivation of wheat was first commenced. In our Northwestern States the same falling off has begun to be felt, although so much virgin land is annually being brought under cultivation that the aggregate production does not show, as yet, any marked decline. But the absurd system of cropping land for years in succession without restoring its fertility by manuring, will eventually bring down the best and most productive soil to a condition of poverty, similar to that which greets our eyes in so many localities in the older States.

That there is a remedy for this depreciation of soil, and for the falling off in the production of wheat may be proved by many examples. Farmers have it within their power not only to restore the lost fertility of their worn-out land, but to reap large crops, and to maintain the high character their soil once possessed. By the use of standard fertilizers—of which Whann's Raw Bone Super-Phosphate may be adduced as an example—a large yield may be expected, and all crops may be made to grow in abundance. Fertilizers of this class have already done much to reclaim exhausted land. If their use could be made universal, and if all of them possessed the merits and intrinsic worth which characterizes Whann's, we should soon hear the last of complaints about the diminished yield of wheat.

The Wear and Tear of Life.

The cares, anxieties and misfortunes of life, have as much to do with shortening it as disease. They are in fact the source of many ailments and physical disabilities. Nervous weakness, dyspepsia, affections of the liver, disturbances of the bowels, headache, hypochondria and monomania are among these distressing fruits. It is, therefore, of great importance that persons whose minds are oppressed with heavy business responsibilities, or harrassed by family troubles, or excited by speculation, or perplexed by a multiplicity of enterprises, or in any way overtaxed or overworked, should keep up their stamina by the daily use of a wholesome tonic. Thousands of persons thus circumstanced are enabled to bear up against the difficulties in which they are involved, and to retain their strength, health and mental clearness, by regular use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Diseases which are prone to attack the body when debilitated and broken down by over-much brain work or exhausting physical labor, are kept at bay by the resistant power with which this incomparable tonic endows the nervous system and the vital organs. At this season, when the heat is evaporating the elements of strength from every pore, an invigorant is absolutely essential to the safety and comfort of the public, and is required even by the more robust if they desire to keep their athletic capabilities in status quo. Hence a course of Hostetter's Bitters is particularly useful at this period of the year as a defence against the invisible disease afloat in a sultry atmosphere. It is the most potent of all preventive medicines, and for all complaints which affect the stomach, the liver and the bowels, and interfere with the perfect digestion and assimilation of food, it is the standard remedy.

1873.

Wheat Seeding.

J. J. TURNER & CO.'S

Ammoniated Bone Super Phosphate.

ANALYSIS:

Ammonia - - - - - - -	2 83
Soluble Phosphate of Lime -	29 51
Bone Phosphate of Lime - -	10 67

Composed of the most concentrated materials, it is richer in Ammonia and Soluble Phosphates than any other Fertilizer sold, except our EXCELSIOR, and is made with same care and supervision, uniform quality guaranteed; fine and dry, in excellent order for drilling.

PRICE $50 PER TON.

J. J. TURNER & CO.,
42 Pratt Street, Baltimore.

FOR SALE BY

T. W. ELIASON, JR., Chestertown, Md
HINES & BURCHINAL, " "
ANDREW WOODALL, Georgetown, "
WILLIAM McKENNEY, Centreville, "
HALL & FEDDEMAN, " "
Aug. 16, 1873—3m.

THE FARMERS' FRIEND.

Maryland Poudrette,

Manufactured by the Health Department of Baltimore City, from NIGHT SOIL and ASHES.

A VERY VALUABLE MANURE — Rich in Phosphates, Lime, Ammonia and other Alkaline Salts. Packed in Bags and Barrels.

"RESULT OF ANALYSIS: The article represented by this sample compares favorably in its Chemical Constituents and Mechanical preparation with the various Manufactures sold under this name. It is uniform, FINE and DRY, and contains in a Ton of 2,000 lbs.:
36.04 lbs. of Ammonia.
105.53 " Bone Phosphate of Lime.
16.08 " of Alkaline Salts.
28.88 " of Lime.
And according to the valuation laid down by the United States Commissioner of Agriculture. The commercial value of the article is $20 per ton in Barrels.
G. A. LIEBIG, Ph. D."

For Sale by JERRY NICOLS, Agt,
92 Light St. Wharf, Baltimore.
Sold by HINES & BURCHINAL, Chestertown.
GEORGE BECK Frappe.
$15 per Ton Cash. Double Refined for Drilling $20 per ton. ag16-2m.

M. deK. SMITH,
Practical Surveyor.
Office in the Court House, Chestertown.
aug9-3m.

BOOTS & SHOES, of different quality and prices.
Feb.24. JOS. E. WEER.

To WHEAT GROWERS

"Excelsior,"

1873. 1873.

Composed of 800 pounds of No. 1 Peruvian Guano, and 1200 lbs. of Soluble Phosphate of Lime, (bones dissolved in sulphuric acid,) Potash and Soda,

Forming the most concentrated, universal and durable fertilizer ever offered to the farmers, combining all the stimulating qualities of Peruvian Guano, and the ever durable fertilizing properties of Bones.

"EXCELSIOR"

is in fine dry powder, prepared expressly for drilling, and can be applied in any quantity however small, per acre, and it is the opinion of many close calculating Farmers, after 14 years experience in testing it side by side with other popular fertilizers, that an application of 100 pounds of Excelsior is equal to from 200 to 300 pounds of any other fertilizer or guano offered for sale, therefore is fully 100 to 200 per cent. cheaper.

Look out for imitations and counterfeits. The popularity of Excelsior has induced *unscrupulous* parties in this and other cities to copy our trade mark, and resort to other *dishonorable* means to sell their *worthless* compounds.

Farmers should see that every Bag is branded as above, with the ANALYSIS and OUR NAME in RED LETTERS. All others are Counterfeits.

PRICE $60 PER TON.

J. J. TURNER & CO.,
42 Pratt St., Baltimore.

FOR SALE BY

T. W. ELIASON, JR., Chestertown, Md.
HINES & BURCHINAL, " "
ANDREW WOODALL, Georgetown, "
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MORO PHILLIPS,
MANUFACTURING CHEMIST,
Manufacturer of
Moro Phillips' Genuine Improved Super-Phosphate,
And PURE PHULNE.
PRICE $50 PER TON of 2,000 lbs.
For sale at Manufacturer's Depots:
110 S. Delaware Avenue, Philadelphia,
95 South Street, Baltimore, Md.
Information furnished on application.
MORO PHILLIPS,
ap12-6m. Sole Prop'r and Manufac'r

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.

Notice to Tax-Payers

OF the FIFTH ELECTION DIST.

THE tax-payers of the 5th Election District are respectfully informed that I have received my books, and all taxes for the present year are now due. It is important that Tax-payers should be prompt in settling their taxes, as the demands upon me, and the present stringent tax laws positively prohibit my indulging were I ever so disposed. Delay in the payment of taxes is not only annoying to the collector, but against the interest of the tax-payer, and I hope none in my district will compel me to run them to cost by forcing payment.

For the accommodation of tax-payers I will be at Grey's Inn Wharf every WEDNESDAY morning, and at Edesville and Rees' Corner alternate Saturdays.

JOHN A. ROLLISON, Coll'r.
Aug. 2, 1873—tf.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the tax-payers of the Third Election District of Kent county, that I have received my books for the present year, and am now prepared and desirous to receipt for taxes for 1873.

WILLIAM HEPBRON.
July 26, 1873—tf.

Boxes! Boxes! and Baskets!

PEACH BOXES AND THE *MITCHEL PEACH BASKETS* FOR SALE.

The undersigned are prepared to furnish Peach Boxes and Baskets, and deliver them at any station on the Kent County Railroad, or landings on Chester or Sassafras rivers at moderate prices. Mitchel Baskets 14 cts.
WEBB & SUTTON,
my17-tf. Kennedyville.

STAVE PEACH BASKETS.
A Lot for sale low, by
je7-tf. T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

LUMBER.

WHITE PINE FENCING,
WHITE PINE BOARDS,
HEMLOCK JOISTS AND SCANTLING,
E. S. PINE " "
N. C. FLOORING BOARDS,
SHINGLES, LATHS and PICKETS,
For sale at the lowest market rates by
T. W. ELIASON, JR.
May 24, 1873.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF NEW GOODS *AT THE LOWEST PRICES,* JUST OPENED by J. H SIMPERS.

FOR RENT.

I will rent for the ensuing year the FARM upon which I now reside, on the N. E. prong of Langford's Bay, containing 407 acres, with 9,500 choice Peach Trees in full bearing.
jy5-tf. W. J. VANNORT.

Register's Notice.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIRST ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, officer of Registration for the First Election District of Kent county,—in compliance with the requirements of the Act of 1870, chapter 459, which makes it the duty of officers of Registration to sit at some place convenient to the voters of their respective districts for three days, commencing on the third Monday of September, in each year, for the purpose of discharging their duties,—hereby gives notice that he will attend

AT GALENA,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 15th, 16th and 17th days of September, 1873, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'cl'k, P. M., for the purpose of discharging his duty as officer of Registration, according to said Act of the General Assembly.

The Registration act of 1870 provides that it shall be the duty of Registers to correct the list of qualified voters by striking therefrom the names of persons who may have removed from the county or State, or who may have died or become disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution; and also to add to the said list of qualified voters, and register as such every person who shall apply to them to be registered, and satisfy them that he possesses, or before the day of the next general election will possess, the necessary qualifications of age, citizenship and residence, and is not disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution.

JAMES P. MASON,
Officer of Registration for 1st District.
Aug. 23, 1873—4t.

Register's Notice.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE SECOND ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, Officer of Registration for the Second Election District of Kent county,—in compliance with the requirements of the Act of 1870, chapter 459, which makes it the duty of officers of Registration to sit at some place convenient to the voters of their respective districts for three days, commencing on the third Monday in September in each year, for the purpose of discharging their duties,—hereby gives notice that he will attend

AT KENNEDYVILLE,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 15th, 16th and 17th days of September, 1873, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'clk, P. M., for the purpose of discharging his duty as officer of Registration, according to said Act of the General Assembly.

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L. A. PENNINGTON,
Officer of Registration for 2nd District.
Aug. 23, 1873—4t.

Register's Notice.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE THIRD ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, Officer of Registration for the Third Election District of Kent county—in compliance with the requirements of the Act of 1870, chapter 459, which makes it the duty of officers of Registration to sit at some place convenient to the voters of their respective districts for three days, commencing on the third Monday of September in each year, for the purpose of discharging their duties,— hereby gives notice that he will attend

AT WORTON HEIGHTS,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 15th, 16th and 17th days of September, 1873, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'cl'k, P. M., for the purpose of discharging his duty as officer of Registration, according to said Act of the General Assembly.

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GEORGE T. MOORE,
Officer of Registration for 3d District.
Aug. 23, 1873—4t.

Register's Notice.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FOURTH ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, officer of Registration for the Fourth Election District of Kent county,—in compliance with the requirements of the Act of 1870, chapter 459, which makes it the duty of officers of Registration to sit at some place convenient to the voters of their respective districts for three days, commencing on the third Monday of September in each year, for the purpose of discharging their duties,—hereby gives notice that he will attend at the Court House (in the Sheriff's office,)

IN CHESTERTOWN,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 15th, 16th and 17th days of September, 1873, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'cl'k, P. M., or the purpose of discharging his duty as officer of Registration, according to said Act of the General Assembly.

The Registration Act of 1870 provides that it shall be the duty of Registers to correct the list of qualified voters by striking therefrom the names of persons who may have removed from the county or State, or who may have died or become disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution; and also to add to the said list of qualified voters, and register as such every person who shall apply to them to be registered, and satisfy them that he possesses, or before the day of the next general election will possess, the necessary qualifications of age, citizenship and residence, and is not disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution.

J. EVAN THOMAS,
Officer of Registration for 4th District.
Aug. 23. 1873—4t.

AUCTIONEERING

THE undersigned, having associated themselves together for the purpose of Calling Sales, will attend to all such business offered to us in our District. Hoping by strict attention to that branch of business to receive all orders for auctioneering sales of all kinds.
JACOB SUTTON,
JOSEPH H. HARRIS,
Jan. 4—tf. Kennedyville.

5 to $20 Per Day! Agents Wanted! all classes of working people of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

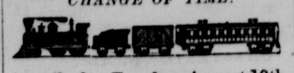
SHOULD YOU NEED SUMMER UNDERSHIRTS, DRAWS OR SOCKS, on will find the best stock in Chestertown, at S. MERRITT & CO.

SEINE TWINE and GILLING THREAD, all sizes, for sale at
Feb. 22. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

Kent County Rail Road.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

CHANGE OF TIME.



On and after Tuesday, August 19th, Trains will run as follows:

GOING EAST.	PASSENGER No. 1.	FREIGHT No. 3.	Q. A. & Kent R. R.
LEAVE	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Chestertown	7.00	3.15	
Worton	7.15	3.35	
Lynch's	7.20	3.47	
Still Pond	7.26	4.00	
Kennedyville	7.35	4.20	
Black's	7.44	4.35	
Lambson's	7.53	4.55	
Massey's	8.08	5.20	1.30
Morris'	8.18	5.28	1.40
Vandyke's	8.28	5.37	1.55
Arrive Townsend	8.40	5 50	2.10
Wilmington	10.15	8.30	3.55
Philadelphia	11.45	11.30	5.20
Baltimore	1.05 p.m.		8.10

GOING WEST.	No. 2.	No. 4.	
LEAVE	P. M.	A. M.	P. M
Baltimore	2.55	7.25	2.55
Philadelphia	5.15	8.30	5.15
Wilmington	6.35	10.10	6.35
Townsend	8.10	11.45	8.00
Vandyke's	8.25	12.00	8.15
Morris'	8.35	12 10	8.25
Massey's	8.45	12 20	8 36
Lambson's	8.55	12.35	
Black's	9.04	12.45	
Kennedyville	9.10	1.00	
Still Pond	9.20	1.10	
Lynch's	9.25	1.18	
Worton	9 30	1.28	
Arr. Chestertown	9.40	1.40	

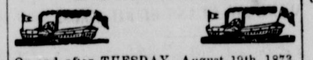
All Freights must be at the various Stations at least thirty (30) minutes before the starting of trains, otherwise they will lay over twenty-four hours.

Freight Trains will have Passenger Car attached and will be subject to delays incident to Freight business.

E. S. TAYLOR, Sup't.
Aug. 23, 1873—tf.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.



On and after TUESDAY, August 19th, 1873,

The Steamer CHESTER

Will leave leave Grey's Inn Creek daily at 7, A. M., Queenstown at 9, Kent Island at 9½, arriving in Baltimore at 12½, P. M.
Will leave Baltimore Daily at 3, P. M., for Kent Island, Queenstown & Grey's Inn Creek.
Excursion tickets to Baltimore and return the same day $2.

The Steamer GEO. LAW

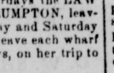
Will leave Baltimore from Pier 7, Light St., at 7 o'clock, A. M., for

Kent Island, Queenstown, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's and Chestertown.

Returning leave Chestertown daily at 3½ P. M.
" Rolph's " 4 "
" Booker's " 4½ "
" Quaker Neck " 4¾ "
Arriving in Baltimore at 10 P. M.
On Wednesdays and Saturdays the LAW will extend her trips up to CRUMPTON, leaving Crumpton every Wednesday and Saturday at 1, P. M. The boat will leave each wharf one hour earlier on Saturdays, on her trip to Baltimore.
Fruit not properly marked will not be received by the Clerk of the Boat.
R. A. BRAINARD, Agent
Chester River Steamboat Company.
OFFICE—Pier No. 7 Light St. Wharf.
Aug. 23, 1873—tf.

For Sassafras River.

THE STEAMER TRUMPETER



NOW being in complete order, will resume her trips on SATURDAY, the 1st of March, leaving PIER No. 5, LIGHT ST., *EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 10½ A. M.,* FOR GEORGETOWN, arriving in Georgetown at 4, P. M.
RETURNING, will leave Georgetown at 8, A. M., the alternate days, arriving in Baltimore at 2, P. M., touching at
Buck Neck, Barnard's, Betterton, Turner's Creek, Cassiday's, Shallcross' and Fredericktown,
GOING AND RETURNING
We sincerely trust that the friendly relations hitherto existing between the Steamer TRUMPETER, her patrons and the public generally, may continue. For the fulfilment of which we will ever be found doing our very best.
WM. CUNDIFF, Master.
March 1, 1873—tf.

Elkton and Sassafras River Line.

THE STEAMER C. P. SMITH
CAPT. J. H. BROWN,
On and after Apr. 21, 1873

Will leave BALTIMORE,
From Pier No. 6, Light Street Wharf, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,
for Buck Neck, Barnard's Betterton, Reybold's and other Landings on Elk River; returning the opposite days, leave ELKTON at 8, A. M.
The Steamer will stop to receive Passengers and Freight from boats at any place on the river, when signaled.
PASSAGE - - - - - - $1.25.
FREIGHT carried at reasonable rates.
apr19-tf. ED. BROWN, Prop'r.

Register's Notice.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIFTH ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, officer of Registration for the Fifth Election District of Kent county,—in compliance with the requirements of the Act of 1870, chapter 459, which makes it the duty of officers of Registration to sit at some place convenient to the voters of their respective districts for three days, commencing on the third Monday of September in each year, for the purpose of discharging their duties,—hereby gives notice that he will attend

At Edesville,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 15th, 16th and 17th days of September, 1873, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'cl'k, P. M., for the purpose of discharging his duty as officer of Registration, according to said Act of the General Assembly.

The Registration Act of 1870 provides that it shall be the duty of Registers to correct the list of qualified voters by striking therefrom the names of persons who may have removed from the county or State, or who may have died, or become disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution; and also to add to the said list of qualified voters, and register as such every person who shall apply to them to be registered, and satisfy them that he possesses, or before the day of the next general election will possess, the necessary qualifications of age, citizenship and residence, and is not disqualified under the provisions of the third and fifth sections of the first article of the Constitution.

JAMES H. EDES,
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Aug. 23, 1873—4t.

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Respectfully, CHAS. G. RICAUD,
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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.
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ISAAC ALBERTSON,
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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.

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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,
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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,
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I am your ob't servant,
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