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The Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - - - DEC. 13, 1873

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Wilmington bank burglars received their whipping Wednesday at Newcastle in presence of several thousand citizens of Delaware and Pennsylvania, not one of whom was moved to pity. There was very general dissatisfaction at the Sheriff's failure to ply the lash with sufficient vigor.

The trial of Marshal Bazaine was concluded at Versailles on Wednesday, the judges declaring that he was "guilty of the capitulation of Metz and the army in the open field, without doing all that was prescribed by honor and duty to avoid surrender," and unanimously condemned him to death and to be degraded from his rank. It is believed that the sentence will not be carried out.

The House of Representatives has done another act which will go far toward inaugurating a better feeling throughout the country, and that was the passage on Monday of the general amnesty bill, which also repealed the test oaths of 1862. Mr. Lawrence, of Ohio, it appears, was very much concerned lest Jeff. Davis should get into Congress, but that bugaboo was not sufficient to frighten members away from the bill.

Mr. James Lucas, the well known printer, and a defender of Baltimore in the war of 1812, a venerable and worthy citizen, died at his residence in that city on Monday. He was in the seventy-ninth year of his age.

General N. B. Forrest, of Tennessee, has tendered his services, with an indefinite force, to General Sherman, in case of a war with Spain.

The troubles growing out of the seizure of the Virginius have led to the resignation of General Sickles as United States Minister at Madrid.

Judge John C. Underwood, of Virginia, died suddenly at his residence in Washington city on Sunday evening.

The Cuban Situation.—Neither Spanish bravado nor sensational dispatches seem to have made any serious impression upon the Cuban situation. The demands of the United States government remain unchanged, the wrath of the Havana Spaniards is subsiding, and we have the assurance from Washington that the Virginius will certainly be delivered to one of our naval vessels on the 16th inst., at a Cuban port, and the surviving passengers and crew transferred to a United States ship at Santiago de Cuba. No doubt there will continue to be much war talk, but there seems now to be no doubt that the matter will end without serious trouble.

Minority Representation Movement in Maryland.—A circular has been issued, signed by D. Lawrence, of Howard county, and Wm. Webster, Dr. M. Merryman and Jervis Spencer, of Baltimore county, "committee on organization," calling upon the friends of political reform throughout the State, of all parties, to meet together in Baltimore to consider the practicability of the representation of minorities as a step towards the proper administration of public affairs. The call includes all those who are "anxious to adopt measures by which the power of parties for evil may be reduced and the people at large exercise more power in those bodies, executive, legislative and judicial, which deliberate upon their interests and disburse the public funds, and desirous to co-operate with existing political organizations in their efforts to secure the public welfare.

Speaker of the House of Delegates: The Easton *Star* says: "Hon. Jesse K. Hines, of Kent county, is prominently spoken of as the next Speaker of the Md. House of Delegates. Mr. Hines is a gentleman of commanding presence, intelligent and quick in the transaction of business, and would doubtless make an excellent Speaker. It has been so long since the Eastern Shore had a Speaker of the House, it would be very gratifying to this section to have the Legislature confer the honor on Mr. Hines."

Murder in Caroline County, Md.—A special dispatch from Denton, Md., to the Wilmington (Del.) *Commercial* says:

A most atrocious murder was committed near Greensborough, in this (Caroline) county, on Saturday night last, the result of a drunken row. Wm. H. Phillips, a son of Peter D. Phillips, residing near this place, was killed about 9 o'clock on that evening near Greensborough by some one or more persons, near the old Presbyterian church. The parties implicated in the killing are John T. Dill, more familiarly known as Hogey Dill, Elisha Hobbs, John Greenly, and Mordecai Blades. Writs have just been issued for the arrest of these parties. The body of young Phillips has not been found, and it is supposed he was thrown into the river after he was murdered, as his hat was found on the river bank having marks of blood upon it.

Death Warrants Issued—*Two More Executions in Maryland.*—In the case of Joseph Davis, convicted of the murder of the miller, Abraham Lynn, in Carroll county, on the 5th of April, 1872, Governor Whyte has decided the application for pardon or commutation of sentence adversely to the prisoner. The Governor has determined that the course of the law shall be carried out, and in conformity with it has issued the warrant for the execution of Davis. The day fixed upon is Friday, the 6th of February next. The warrant is directed to the Sheriff of Carroll county, the county in which the murder is committed. The Governor has also issued the warrant for the execution of Wm. H. McCotter, convicted of murder in the first degree of his father-in-law, Robert Insley, in Dorchester county, to the sheriff of which county the warrant is directed. The form of these two documents is precisely like all other similar papers in this State, and requires the executions to take place on the day named before the hour of two o'clock. These two make ten death warrants the Governor has signed since he has been in office, not quite two years. Under seven of these warrants executions took place, one murderer's sentence was commuted to the penitentiary, and the time for the execution of the last two has not yet arrived.

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Dec. 9th.—Present, Judges Beck, Scott and Hepbron.—Hyland P. Smith, adm'r of Geo. W. Thomas, returned a list of debts due said dec'd. Susan Roeder and Columbus A. Leary, adm'rs, returned an inventory of the personal estate of Abraham Roeder, and a sale of the same was ordered. The renunciation of Susan Roeder, adm'x, was received and filed. Letters of administration on the personal estate of Wm. H. Jones, late of Kent county, were granted unto Marietta Jones and Albert L. Corey; Robert Nicholson and Geo. D. S. Handy were appointed to appraise the estate, and the usual notice to creditors ordered. On application, ordered, that Charles Clark, adm'r of John Clark, be cited to appear before the Court to show cause why the dividend on said estate has not been paid. Walter J. Griffith, exec'r of Wm. J. Griffith, dec'd, exec'r of Jacob Caulk, returned a further adm. account for his testator, as executor aforesaid. The release of B. F. H. Caulk, adm'r d.b.n., c.t.a. of Jacob Caulk, to Walter J. Griffith, executor as aforesaid, was filed.

Patrons of Husbandry.—We are requested to state that J. M. Barr, Esq., Master of the grange at Kennedyville, has been appointed special deputy of the National grange to organize granges on the Eastern Shore and in the State of Delaware. For information and documents relative to the order he may be addressed at Chestertown, Kent co., Md.

Re-opening.—The Chesterville M. E. Church will be re-opened to-morrow.—Bishop Scott and other eminent ministers are expected to be present.

St. James' M. P. Church.—Rev. R. Scott Norris, pastor of Kent Circuit, proposes to give at St. James' church a series of short Bible Lectures, with the use of maps; the first on Sabbath morning, the 14th, at 9½ o'clock. An arrangement for the winter, instead of Sabbath School.—All invited.

Big Radish.—B. F. Beck, Esq., has left at this office a Radish weighing *eight pounds and six ounces!* It is the largest we have ever seen, and doubt whether it can be beat in the State.

"J. L. B." of Philadelphia, sends us a correct answer to the problem published last week. If the Oxford folks have not yet ciphered it out they can get the figures here.

Pork.—The market price in Chestertown for Pork this season is $6 per hundred weight.

Singular Accident.—*Horses Squeezed to Death.*—Our Millington correspondent sends us the following items:

On the 5th inst., two horses belonging to one of our citizens crowded each other to death in a small meat house, used as a stable, which is entirely too small even for one horse to stand in. One of these horses had been haltered by a small rope, which it broke in order to eat the feed of the other horse, which had been used and fed after its mate was done eating, and the two become so crowded and squeezed together that the entrails of the smaller horse were pressed out, which caused its death immediately, and the larger horse died in two days after. Loss of the two horses $200.

A Protracted Meeting has been successfully progressing for two weeks at the new school house at Mallalieu's Mills, under the supervision of Rev. J. Hammersley, preacher in charge.

Sales Next Week.—The following sales are advertised to take place during the coming week on the days named:

Wednesday—Geo. H. Brice and Mary A. Brice, adm'rs of Wm. A. Brice, on the road from Sassafras to Galena.

Wednesday—Thomas B. Wheat, on the Buck Neck farm.

Thursday—George T. Wilkins, on the Bay Shore, below Rees' Corner.

Thursday—J. D. Boyd, near Galena.

Friday—Mary E. Watts, near Urieville.

Saturday—John A. Rollison, at the head of Grey's Inn Creek.

Saturday—Levi Fiddis, Chestertown.

COMMUNICATED.

THE GRANGE MOVEMENT.

The spirit of the Grange movement seems to have begun in earnest to stir up the farmers of Kent county. A grange of the Patrons of Husbandry was formed at Fairlee on Friday, the 5th instant, and another was organized on Monday, the 8th instant, in the hall of the agricultural club of Kent county, at Worton Heights, by J. M. Barr, Esq., special deputy of the National Grange. This grange was formed, principally, of the members of the Kent county Agricultural Club, including its president and secretary and many of its leading members. Much spirit and enthusiasm was manifested on this occasion, and from the auspices under which it was formed and the position and influence of those gentlemen who have joined it, this grange bids fair to be a grand success, and eventually to attain a very extensive membership. The officers elected were as follows: Master, Dr. E. A. Vannort; Overseer, Isaac Parsons; Secretary, Dr. F. Worrel; Treasurer, James Stevens; Lecturer, Wm. Ford; Chaplain, Thos. Parsons; Steward, J. T. Skirven; assistant Steward, William H. Stewart; Lady Assistant Steward, Miss Marian Stevens; Ceres, Miss Lizzie Diehl; Pomona, Miss Maria Parsons; Flora, Miss Annie Parsons. There are several other granges projected in this county, and will be organized in a short time.

PATRON.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

FAIRLEE, December 6, 1873.

Messrs. Editors:—A grange of the order of Patrons of Husbandry was formed at this place, and was organized yesterday afternoon by J. M. Barr, Esq., special deputy of the National Grange for the Eastern Shore and Delaware. There was quite a large attendance, and much spirit and enthusiasm manifested throughout the proceedings. The following named ladies and gentlemen were elected officers: Master, J. W. Corey; Overseer, Thos. A. Hulme; Steward, S. W. Crawford; Assistant Steward, Mrs. Thos. A. Hulme; Secretary, A. L. Corey; Treasurer, G. W. Hatcherson; Lecturer, H. Meeks; Chaplain, Chas. G. Ricaud; Gatekeeper, W. E. Keyser; Ceres, Mrs. J. Corey; Pomona, Mrs. J. Schwearer; Flora, Mrs. A. L. Corey. The persons interested in this grange enter upon the business with a great deal of determination, and intend that it shall be one of the finest subordinate granges in the county, if not in the State. This grange is the second one formed in Kent county.

PATRON.

Juvenile Missionary Anniversary.

COMMUNICATED.

The first Anniversary of the Juvenile Home Missionary Society of Chestertown occurred on the evening of the 4th inst., and was an occasion of much interest to this community as well as of profit to the cause represented.

The J. H. M. S. is composed of the members of the Meth. Protestant Sabbath School, who are formed into a society for the purpose of aiding in the noble work of Home Missions within the Maryland District. The officers are all elected from the juvenile members of the school, and the society holds regular monthly meetings. On this occasion the public had for the first time the privilege of participating in the interesting proceedings of the organization.

The programme for the evening was full and varied, and was entirely carried out, though not strictly in accordance with the printed order. The exercises were opened by singing piece entitled, "Far out upon the Prairie," followed with prayer by Rev. J. P. Wilson. The object of the meeting was stated by the pastor, Rev. R. S. Norris, after which Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Broadway church, Baltimore, was introduced, who delivered an address appropriate to the occasion, which was listened to with eager interest by the large audience which had filled the house to its utmost capacity. The remarks of the speaker were timely and spirited, and were interspersed with incidents occurring within his personal experience, illustrative of home missionary and sabbath school work, impressing all minds with the conviction that both are causes well worthy the support of all christians.

After the address, the beautiful engraving of the society was exhibited, and contributions for the creation of life members to the society were called for, to which there was a prompt and liberal response, resulting in the election of forty-two of the youthful portion of the audience to life membership. Next followed the donations from the classes, which were received and recorded by the secretaries. The competition for a banner, to be awarded to the class making the largest donation, rendered this part of the exercises particularly interesting to the school. Class No. 5, of which Miss Mary Davis is the teacher, was the successful competitor; and to this class the Board of Managers awarded the banner, which was received by the class with evident gratification.

Another interesting part of the proceedings was the formation of the decalogue by the school. Each class selected repeating one of the commandments, and, at the same time, a card containing that commandment being presented to the superintendent by one of the pupils was placed in a frame-work, until the "tables of the law," beautifully ornamented, were perfectly represented. The effect of this feature was greatly heightened by the singing of the piece, "Blessed are they that do His commandments," which was rendered in excellent style by the school.

Several other features, such as singing by the infant class, with organ accompaniment by Miss Minnie Usilton, which elicited marked commendation; the motto of the occasion, "Blessed are they that do," tastefully and conspicuously arranged, deserves special notice.

The singing throughout was excellent, reflecting much credit upon the school. The President of the society, J. S. Bowers, and the Secretaries, Jessie W. Norris and George H. Vickers, were in their places and rendered good service, performing well the duties imposed by their several offices.

The whole affair augurs well for the society and for the future of the cause; and we trust that with the patronage of the community, which they deserve, many other anniversaries of equal or increased importance may mark the history of this organization, telling of its success in a cause which is worthy of its noblest efforts.

HIRAM.

The counsel for the prisoners convicted of an attempt to rob a Delaware bank have thrown up the sponge and withdrawn their reasons for a new trial. The culprits have been sentenced to the pillory, forty lashes, a fine of five hundred dollars, and ten years' imprisonment.

The London hospitals are filled with persons who were run over or otherwise injured in the great fog prevailing there.

Baltimore Price Current

[From Warden & Merritt's Circular of Wednesday last.]

WHEAT—White, choice	$1.82a1.85
" " fair to prime	1.60a1.75
" Amber, choice	1.82a1.85
" Red, good to prime	1.70a1.80
" " com. to fair	1.40a1.65
CORN—Southern White	60a70
" " Yellow	70a72
OATS—Southern	48a51
RYE—Fair to prime	85a90
BUTTER—Maryland and Penn. Roll	25a30
EGGS—Fresh	29a30
BACON—Shoulders	7¾a7¾
" Hams	12a14
" C. R. Sides	8a8¼
LARD—Western	8¼a8¾

Gold is quoted at 109½.

MARRIED:

November 26th, 1873, by the Rev. E. Stubbs, of Wilmington, Del., JOSEPH T. RICHARDS, of Pa., and MARTHA E. EARNEST, of Chestertown, Md.

DIED:

At his residence in Millington, of acute inflamation on the brain, on the 2nd December, THOMAS QUIMBY, aged 26 years.

On the 7th inst., at her residence near Massey's, Mrs. JAMES E. STANLEY, after a very short illness.

At Tolchester, Dec. 3d, of Pneumonia, after an illness of about eight days, WM. JONES, aged about 52 years.

Died, in the full assurance of a heavenly inheritance, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2d, after nearly four months of suffering, borne without a murmur, Mrs. SALLIE E. CROW, wife of Chas. C. Crow, and daughter of the late Wm. Skirven, aged nearly 30 years. Her life was a "living epistle, known and read of all men," her death a triumph of faith in the Son of God.

Near Sassafras, at the residence of F. Vansant, Dec. 6th, THOMAS J. CLARK, aged 27 years, and 4 months.

RE-OPENING.—The reopening services of Chestertville M. E. Church will take place on Sunday, 14th, inst. Bishop SCOTT, Rev. J. Hough, P. E., and Rev. E. B. Newman are all expected to be present. Services morning, afternoon and night. The extra meetings of the church will begin with the night meeting. All are invited.
1t. E. P. ALDRED, Pastor.

NOTICE.—We are glad to inform the public that the MILL will be in operation on Monday next, if no accident occurs.
dec13-3t. S. A. ANTHONY.

NOTICE.—Having rented the shore of Mr. John Primrose, on Chester river, below Chestertown, for the ducking season, or until the first of April next, this is to forewarn all persons gunning or otherwise trespassing upon the same, under the penalty of the law.
dec13-3t. THOS. S. BORDLEY.

NOTICE.
A FARMER'S GRANGE
Will be organized at Still Pond, on THURSDAY, Dec. 18th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., if fair, if not the first fair afternoon thereafter. All farmers and others, desirous of joining are requested to be present. 1t.

FOR SALE. The undersigned, intending to quit the business in this section of the county, will sell cheap for cash, the good will and FIXTURES of a SHOE SHOP at Massey's, Kent county. This is a good chance for an investment. Apply to
H. E. SENEY & BRO.,
dec13-3t.* Massey's, Md.

WANTED, a GOOD WHEELWRIGHT, for next year. Unmarried preferred.—Apply to TILGHMAN SHAFER,
d6-3t Kennedyville, Md.

A Musical Treat!

Grand Entertainment!

A CONCERT

Consisting of Vocal and Instrumental Music will be held under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias at

STILL POND,

MONDAY EVENING December 22d,

And at CHESTERTOWN,

SATURDAY EVENING, Dec. 27th.

A Full and Complete Orchestra

has been engaged, containing the very best talent to be secured.

TWO PIANOISTS of known ability, the very best in the county, will assist.

SEVERAL LADIES AND GENTLEMEN of rare accomplishments will be present and contribute to the entertainment.

A Troupe of NEGRO MINSTRELS

fourteen in number, will astonish the natives with their drollery and Ethiopian delineations. This troupe is composed of Professionals and HARD TO BEAT!

Messrs. HARRIS & SPENCER
OF BALTIMORE,

BANJOISTS and COMIC SINGERS,

are engaged at a heavy expense, to make you laugh.

SAM PAT, from Cork,
and
SAM DEVREE, of California,

the Dutch Humorist, will most positively appear. He is a regular SOUR-KROUT DUTCHMAN, and will give entirely original songs upon the times and location.

Prof. Louis Waldo, of New Hampshire, will favor the audience with music upon an instrument new to many. The Prof. is a regular musical box.

Prof. T. A. Hulme, of Philadelphia, will exhibit his OXY-HYDRO SCIOPTICAN, which will be a rare treat.

SEVERAL BEAUTIFUL LADIES in Kent will appear in Original Tableaux.

Admission - - - - 50 Cts.
Reserved Seats - - - 75 "

Doors open at 6½, P. M. Performance to commence at 7.

At the conclusion, an accomplished and learned gentleman from abroad, will deliver an original and humorous lecture, and it will be worth just TEN DOLLARS to hear it.

By order of the
d13-3t. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

SHERIFF'S SALE
—OF—
TOWN PROPERTY.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias on condemnation, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Wm C. Mercer against William H. Lassell, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said William H. Lassell, of, in and to the following property, namely:

1st. All that Lot or Parcel of Ground

On High street, in Chestertown, with the

DWELLING

thereon, now occupied by Mrs. Selina C. Lassell, and in which the said Selina C. Lassell holds a life estate. This Lot fronts on High Street 27 feet, and has a depth of 133 feet, and is improved by a COMMODIOUS DWELLING in good repair.

2nd.

All that LOT or Parcel of Ground,

immediately adjoining the residence of Mrs. Lassell, upon which stands a

FRAME DWELLING
AND
Store House,

now occupied by J. Evan Thomas, Esq. This lot fronts on High street about 36½ feet, and has a front on Cannon Street of 169 feet, extending in the rear of the lots owned by Levi Fiddis, Esq., and Rev. James T. Lassell.

This Lot would make an admirable business stand, and the large front on Cannon Street offers inducements for BUILDING LOTS.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY,

THE THIRD day of JANUARY, 1874

at half-past two o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I shall offer at public sale for cash, to the highest bidder, the interest of the said William H. Lassell in said property as above described, to pay and satisfy said debt, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

A plot of the property will be exhibited at the sale.

ARTHUR B. WHEATLEY,
Late Sheriff.
Chestertown, Dec. 13, 1873—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of several writs of execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of R. J. Flower, use of children, one at the suit of Daniel C. Hopper, one at the suit of Walter J. Griffith, executor of Wm. J. Griffith, one at the suit of J. A. Jarman, also, bill of fees of Jesse K. Hines, one of R. Hynson, and one of George Vickers, against Thos. C. Lynch, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate of the aforesaid Thomas C. Lynch, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

9 Head of HORSES,

10 Head of Cattle, 23 Head of Sheep, Wagon and Harness, Carriage and Harness, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Shovels, Forks,

and other farming utensils such as are used on a farm.

Also, THE FARM

on which he now resides, situate and being in the First Election District of Kent county, lying on the public road leading from Galena to Sassafras, adjoining the lands of Alex. Wilson, Esq., and others, containing

202½ Acres, more or less,

which was conveyed to the said Thomas C. Lynch by deed bearing date on or about the 17th day of March, 1851, and duly recorded among the land records for Kent county, which will more fully appear.

And I hereby give notice, that on

MONDAY, the 5th of January, 1874,

at 11 o'clock, A. M.,

on the premises, I will sell the above described property so seized and taken into execution to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the aforesaid writs, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

ARTHUR B. WHEATLEY,
Late Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Dec. 13, 1873—ts.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS,

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

WILLIAM H. JONES,

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 fourteenth day of July, 1874, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under our hands this ninth day of December, 1873.

MARIETTA JONES,
ALBERT L. COREY,
Dec. 13, 1873—4t. Adm'rs.

THE PANIC!

ALL PERSONS IN WANT OF
CLOTHING,
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
or
Hats and Caps,

Will do well to call and examine our Stock before making their purchases as we are now offering

GREAT INDUCEMENTS
For the CASH,
In order to keep up with the times.

Our stock of Over-Coats, Hats & Caps,

is very full, embracing ALL STYLES AND GRADES.

If you want Bargains

Come soon and bring the Money.

S. MERRITT & CO.,
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Dec. 13, 1873.

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STAM & BRO.'S.

Those who are about selecting Presents
For the HOLIDAYS

Remember that a well chosen Book is the best present one can make. You can find them in great variety, at

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Lubin's, Lowe & Son's, Courderay's, Colgate's Lundberg's, Henry & Demarson's, F. Marie Farina & Bazin's EXTRACTS for the Handkerchief, Cologne, Pomades, Toilet Soaps, &c., &c.,

At STAM & BRO'S.

SPICES! SPICES! SPICES!

Cloves, Cinamon, Nutmegs, Mace, Allspice and Ginger, of the purest and best quality the market can afford, and as cheap as they can be bought in the city,

At STAM & BRO.'S.

English Bread Soda, Strictly Pure Cream Tartar, Twin Bro.'s Yeast Cakes, and Yeast Powder, at STAM & BRO.'S.

Call and get one of our FARMERS' ALMANACS for 1874. We give them away.

C. F. STAM & BRO.
December 13, 1873.

Constable's Sale.

By virtue of one writ of fieri facias, issued by T. W. Russell, Justice of the Peace, at the suit of Wm. V. Lucas against Edw. Riley, colored, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Edw. Riley, of, in and to all that

HOUSE and LOT OF LAND,

in the 3rd Election District of Kent Co., adjoining the property of Minta Phillips, col'd, and the late Jas. W. Skirven.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 6th of January, 1874,

between the hours of 11, A. M., and 4, P. M., at the Market House, in Chestertown, I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon

SAMUEL L. RAWLEIGH,
Dec. 13, 1873—ts [4.50] Constable.

Constable's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, issued by T. W. Russell, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, to me directed, at the suit of Selina C. Lassell, adm'r of W. S. Lassell, against Joshua Caulk, Isaac Cotton, Marshal Jones and Martha Caulk, colored, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Joshua Caulk, Isaac Cotton, Marshal Jones and Martha Caulk, of, in, and to the following property of Martha Caulk:

All that House and Lot of Land,

in Morgan's Creek Neck, adjoining the property of Jacob Barkman and others.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 6th of January, 1874,

between the hours of 11, A. M., and 4, P. M., at the Market House, in Chestertown, I will sell the said property, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon,

S. L. RAWLEIGH, Const.
Dec 13, 1873—ts.[4.75]

PUBLIC SALE.
A VALUABLE TOWN LOT.

The undersigned will sell at Public Sale for cash at the Vashell House, on SATURDAY, Dec. 13th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., a VALUABLE LOT at the upper end of Chestertown, on the College road adjoining the Brick Yard lot, containing 2½ Acres. This is a rare chance to obtain a desirable lot.
dec3-ts. D. A. BENJAMIN.

DRY GOODS, Boots and Shoes, Hats Caps, Notions and Groceries, just received, selling at the lowest cash price, at
Dec. 6, 1873. J. H. SIMPERS' Chestertown.

VENDUE.

THE undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at Public Sale, at his residence on Mr. John V. Crosby's farm, at the head of Grey's Inn Creek, on

SATURDAY, Dec. 20th, 1873,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

2 Head of Good Work Horses,

ONE BAY COLT, four years old,

And ONE LAST SPRING COLT.

2 MILCH COWS,

1 YOKE OF FINE STEERS,

1 Peach Wagon, 1 Ox-Cart, 1 good Wheat Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, and other

Farming Implements.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

TERMS:—All purchases of and under $10 cash; over that amount 6 months credit with note and approved security.

JOHN A. ROLLISON.
U. A. C. Garrett, Auct'r. dec13-ts.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at Public Sale, at the Market House in Chestertown,

On Saturday, Dec. 20,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

THREE HEAD of HORSES,

One of them a fine Napoleon Mare, a fast trotter.

Two Wagons and Harness, 1 Dearborn, 1 Carriage, 1 small Thresher, 1 Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 double A Harrow, 1 Grind Stone, Plows, Cultivators, &c., &c.

Sale to commence at 1½ o'clock, P. M.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of $10 and under cash; all over that a credit of 9 months with note and approved security. Property not to be removed until the terms are complied with.

LEVI FIDDIS.
December 13, 1873—ts.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale at his residence, near Fairlee, on

TUESDAY, December 30th, 1873,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

TWO HEAD OF HORSES,

2 MILCH COWS,

7 Head of SHOATS,

1 CARRIAGE AND HARNESS,
1 WAGON AND HARNESS,
1 DEARBORN AND HARNESS,
1 CORN SHELLER, 1 FAN,
2 SCYTHES AND CRADLES,
FARMING IMPLEMEMTS—Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Hoes, Forks, &c.

Also, half interest in Fifteen Bushels Wheat seeded.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of nine months with note and approved security. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

BENJ. R. GUDGEON.
Dec. 13, 1873—ts

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, the undersigned, administrator, will sell at public sale at the late residence of ABRAHAM ROEDER, deceased, on Gresham Hall farm, adjoining Tolchester,

On MONDAY, December 22d, 1873

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

5 good Work Horses,

AND TWO COLTS.

6 Head of MILCH COWS,

3 YOUNG CATTLE,

1 YOKE of OXEN,

Young and well broken;

25 HEAD OF SHEEP,

ELEVEN FAT HOGS,

12 Very Fine Shoats.

1 Large four-horse FARM WAGON, 1 CARRIAGE and Harness, 1 REAPER & MOWER, in good order. Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, and other

Farming Implements.

About 4,000 lbs. Corn Blades; 71 bushels Wheat seeded.

Household & Kitchen FURNITURE.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of $10 and under cash; all over that a credit of 9 months with note and approved security. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

COLUMBUS A. LEARY,
Dec. 13—ts. ADMINISTRATOR.

Money Wanted.

ALL who are indebted to THOS. H. WHALAND for a less time than one year may claim a discount of ten per cent. on indebtedness, either on note or open account, if paid within thirty days. From one to ten years, six per cent; and from ten to thirty years a very liberal deduction will be made. Those who are determined never to pay will call and get a receipt in full, and save the trouble of transferring from ledger to ledger. After the first day of January my books will be left with a collector. T. H. WHALAND.

N. B.—Mr. CHARLES H. WICKES will attend to the settlement of accounts until further notice. T. H. W.
Nov. 15, 1873—tf.

NOTICE. The subscriber having disposed of the Carriage Works at Crumpton on the 1st of Nov. to J. H. Reuss, all persons indebted to me are hereby notified to make settlement with Mr. Reuss, and all bills against me on that account must be presented to him for settlement.
dec6-3t. H. S. GATZMER.

NOTICE. All persons who have KENT COUNTY BONDS AND COUPONS, issued for Kent County Rail Road, will please inform the County Commissioners for Kent county, Md., by letter (each class seperate,) the amount, numbers, and the time when due.
By order. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
Dec. 6, 1873—3t.

FOR RENT, The ensuing year, 1874, DWELLING HOUSE AND LAND, on the North East side of the road leading from J. W. Corey's to the Mill. Also, the Grist Mill, Land and Out-Buildings attached. A small Tenant House and Lot on the South side of the Mill Pond. The Store Room, on the corner of Queen and High st., now occupied by the undersigned. For terms apply to
dec6-4t. WM BACCHUS.

WANTED, a FARM ON SHARES, or to carry on for the owner. Can give good references. Can furnish three ploughmen and a good woman to do work in the kitchen. Inquire at this office. d6-3t

I NOW have a nice lot of **Terrapins,** at my Store in Kennedyville, for sale.
6-3t. H. P. READING.

Store Room for Rent,

UNDER MASONIC HALL.

If not rented by January 1st, 1874, we will divide the room, making TWO NICE STORE ROOMS all complete, with the best Store Fixtures of any store in town. The Granary, or Hardware room, will be rented with one room, or separate, to accommodate the parties. Apply to

WM. A. VICKERS.

Come One, Come All!

We are selling our Stock at Prices FAR LESS THAN COST, and will commence to sell at Auction, if fair, THIS SATURDAY EVENING, to close out immediately.

Parties wanting to settle their old accounts will find me at the store every day when my health permits. If this notice is forgotten, you will find your account in the hands of an Attorney. Suing and warranting we have never done, and certainly don't want to commence. We need our money.

Respectfully, WM. A. VICKERS
Dec. 6, 1873—tf.

Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will expose to public sale to the highest bidder, on

WEDNESDAY,

The Thirty-first day of December, 1873,

At half-past Eleven o'clock, A. M.,
at the Hotel of Mr. Alexander Maxwell, in the town of Millington,

ALL THOSE PREMISES

in the said town, commonly known as

The Steam Mill Property,

lying on the left hand side of the public road leading from Millington to Smyrna, and about one hundred yards from the Rail Road Depot. The LOT OF LAND fronts 52 feet, and about 172 ft. deep, and fronting 16 feet on Smith St., and adjoins the Quaker Church property.

The Dwelling House,

is about 20 by 22 ft of brick, and two stories in height; also, a frame Back Building 16 by 20 ft., and Kitchen of sufficient dimensions and capacity.

Also, the MILL HOUSE,

which is of frame and two stories high, 4 by 30 feet, substantially constructed and with tin roof. This property has been considered by some as very desirable for business uses. It was formerly the property of Mr. J. A. Mcett, who conducted the Milling business with some success.

Possession given at once.

THE TERMS OF SALE

As prescribed by the Decree, are:—One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, or within thirty days thereafter at the option of the Trustee, and the balance in two equal instalments payable in six and twelve months from the day of sale, with interest from that time, and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee.

GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee.
Chestertown, Dec. 6, 1873—ts.

Trustee's Sale

By virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Chancery, the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at public sale, on

MONDAY, the 29th day of Dec. 1873,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
At the Hotel, in Chesterville,

All that Tract or Parcel of Land,

situated in said village, with the improvements thereon;

Frame HOTEL
STABLING,
AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS.

THE TERMS OF SALE prescribed by the order are, cash to be paid on the day of sale or on the final ratification thereof, at the option of the Trustee.

RICHARD HYNSON, Trstee.
Dec. 6, 1873—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of several writs of execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county and to me directed, at the suit of R. Hynson, Trustee, against J. C. Slaughter and B. C. Catlin, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate of said Joel C. Slaughter and B. C. Catlin of, in and to the following property, to wit:

All their right, title, interest, claim and estate of, in and to all those

Two Lots or Parcels of Land,

situate and being in Kent county aforesaid, in the village of Crumpton, being adjacent to Chester River, and divided by the public road leading through said village across said river; they being the same lots or parcels of land which R. Hynson, trustee to sell the real estate of the late H. B. Slaughter, sold to the said Slaughter and Catlin, and designed in his report of said sale and accompanying plot by the numbers 4 and 9, as by reference thereto will more fully appear. These lots are highly improved by a

VALUABLE WHARF,
Freighter House, Store and Granary.

And I hereby give notice, that on

MONDAY, December 29th 1873,

at 2 o'clock P. M., at Crumpton, I will sell the aforesaid property, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the aforesaid writs, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

A. B. WHEATLEY,
Dec. 6, 1873-ts. Late Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of several writs of execution, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county and to me directed, one at the suit of William Kennedy, use of R. Hynson; on at the suit of James Hurtt, use of James Pearce; one at the suit of George Vickers; one at the suit Wattson & Clark; one at the suit of Wm. D. Burchinal, indorsee of Hines & Archinal; one at the suit of Daniel Clark; one at the suit of Thomas H. Horsey; one at the suit of Jas. W. Ivens; one at suit of John W. Jones, indorsee of R. R. Wallis; against Arthur J. Wallis, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate of said Arthur J. Wallis of, in and to the following property, to wit:

ALL THAT FARM,

Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the second election district of Kent county, which was willed to said Wallis by certain Mary M. Mason, bearing date on or about the 11th day of October, 1843, adjoining the lands of John Myers and others, and containing

175 ACRES, More or Less.

And I hereby give notice that on

SATURDAY, December 27th, 1873,

at 2½ o'clock P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell the said property so seized and taken in execution to the