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The Kent News.

SATURDAY, - - - MARCH 21, 1874

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dr. Paul Schœppe, who gained notoriety in connection with the death of Miss Stinecke and subsequent trials, is again in trouble. He was arrested in Baltimore on Wednesday charged with being a common swindler. After being conducted to the station house he threw a lot of papers out of his cell window, which were afterwards found and examined, and among them were a number of forged signatures to notes, &c. He has been travelling in the West under the assumed title of Count Schulenberg, and is said to have cheated the German Relief and Aid Society of Chicago out of $400 by means of forged checks. He was held for the action of the grand jury.

A terrible outrage upon an American clergyman has been perpetrated in Mexico. At Ahualulco, in the State of Jalisco, on Sunday, March 8, a priest delivered an inflammatory harangue advocating the extermination of Protestants, and so worked upon the vindictive temper and besotted bigotry of his hearers that he incited them to a frenzy of intolerance. A mob gathered in the evening, and proceeding to the residence of Rev. John Storrs, a Congregational minister sent out by the Boston Board of Foreign Missions, broke into the house, beat the brains out of the unfortunate gentleman and hacked his body to pieces. A mob in another town, under similar feelings, attacked a garrison, burned the public records and pillaged the houses of the town authorities. The Government sent a force of soldiers to the scene and arrested a number of priests.

Captain Brady, who, by the concurrent reports of all the passengers on board the steamship Pennsylvania, saved that vessel after the loss of her chief officers and brought her, though in a damaged condition, into port, has refused a check of a thousand dollars voted him by the Company to which the ship belongs, and has filed in the United States District Court a claim for salvage. He makes out a strong case. Whether he succeed in his claim or not, the petty sum awarded him, and which he has very properly rejected, fell, it must be admitted, far short of the value that ought to have been put upon the service he rendered in so terrible and extraordinary an emergency.

Later returns from New Hampshire confirm the generally received opinion that Weston, democratic and liberal candidate for Governor, fails of receiving a majority over all others. A canvass of the Legislature elected indicates a democratic majority of fifteen on joint ballot, assuring the election of Weston when the Legislature meets in June.

The woman suffrage movement appears to be making more progress in the West than in the East. The Iowa Senate has, by a vote which lacked but one of being unanimous, adopted the House joint resolution for a constitutional amendment giving women the right to vote. The West seems to be a favorite theater for trying political and social experiments. It led the way in the wholesale divorce business.

A case recently occurred in Baltimore where a man threw a lighted kerosene lamp at the woman with whom he was living, and burned her to death. A similar occurrence now comes from New York. It is time this kind of crime was stopped—for both the women were burned to death by the explosions of the lamps.—Kerosene as an instrument of murder is quite too convenient, and has enough sins of its own to answer for already.

The Albany *Argus* shows from the town returns in New York State that the Republicans, who elected 500 Supervisors in 1872, this year elect only 360; while the Democrats, who then elected only 278, this year elect 380, leaving 38 to the Liberals and Independents.

An autopsy of the body of Senator Sumner was made at Boston on Monday, and showed that the diagnosis of his disease made before death was correct. He died of ossification of the coronary arteries of the heart.

The Mississippi river has broken thro' the levee below Lake Providence, submerged a dozen plantations, and stopped the running of the trains on the Vicksburg and Shreveport Railroad.

The special election in Baltimore county on Wednesday for a member of the House of Delegates, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. Robert Fowler, resulted in the election of Mr. Andrew Banks, dem., over Mr. Francis S. Corkran, rep.

One of the most distinguished Republicans of Vermont writes as follows to the Springfield *Republican*:

"You are right; there is to be a new birth. The Republican party has lost its savor, and is to be cast out and trodden under foot. I am ready for the new crystallization, which should begin in Massachusetts. But I fear the old fogies there won't see it. Bring the good men together, and let those who seek only vulgar ends by vulgar means go with Butler and Grant."

An Empire.—The London Times has completed a careful review of the census of 1871 of the British Empire. There are 38 persons to a square mile in the empire; 260 in the united kingdom, 201 in India, and 141 in the colonies. It should be observed, however, that in some parts of India the density of population more than equals that of England. The Queen rules over 234,762,593 souls; her people dwell in 44,142,651 houses; the area of the lands they inhabit is not less than 7,769,449 square miles.

Too Much Military.—Ben. Hill, of Georgia, deprecates the fact that so many military men have obtained office north and south since the war. He says there are enough generals, colonels, majors and captains in Congress to form a respectable army, but not enough statesmen to make a good committee.

The Orphans' Court was not in session on Tuesday.

A POLITICAL SIGN.

It is now certain that substantial victory has fallen to the democrats in the New Hampshire election. The republican majority of two thousand obtained last year is obliterated, and Governor Weston's large plurality is made tantamount to an election by the choice of a Legislature decidedly democratic. This event, says the Baltimore *Sun*, the leading republican papers of New England account for by reference to Butlerism, Sanborn contracts, the moiety system, defalcations, scandalous appointments, (illustrated by many,) and the failure of Congress to meet the wants of the people. The New York Journal of Commerce considers it encouraging to see party organs disposed to be frank. In the old days of stricter political allegiance none of these reasons would have been given, but the faults of the administration would have been shielded at all hazards, and the defeat explained on the theory of illegal voting or counting, general apathy, the weather, or anything else but the truth. These budding dispositions to reform abuses and drive out dishonest men should be encouraged.

We agree with our contemporary that it is a small matter to the business men of the country whether republicans or democrats carry New Hampshire by a few hundred votes, but all are deeply concerned in the reformation of affairs by the government of the day. General Butler may affect to despise the press, but no man and no party can long stand up against it when it echoes the voice of aroused public sentiment. The most influential republican papers in the country are making themselves heard as to the observance of some regard for decency and fitness in appointments to office, and all should applaud every honest word and effort of republicans to make a better beginning by casting out the men who are abusing and degrading that powerful organization.

The New York Post, also republican, in an editorial styled "A Double Defeat," says that it is ridiculous to deny that the New Hampshire election is a signal defeat for the administration. The failure of the administration to enforce any financial or revenue policy, if it has any, and its errors of commission in the civil service have contributed enough alone to defeat the candidates who represent it.

A Lecture About "Doctors."—Prof. N. R. Smith, the acknowledged head of the medical profession in Baltimore, delivered a lecture in that city on Monday night about "doctors," a synopsis of which will be found in this issue. The Professor expresses the opinion that "quacks in and out of the profession and patent medicines" do more harm than all the doctors do good. This is a remarkable expression, from so eminent a source, and is tantamount to saying that the world today would be better off without everything in the shape of doctors and medicines. The extent to which the use of patent medicines has become is fearful, and thousands of people are annually killing themselves by taking them. There may be a few which do good in certain cases, but as a rule it is best to shun them altogether, and when sick call in a "legitimate member" of the profession.

Jurors.—Judge Wickes has drawn the following jurors to serve at the April term of our Circuit Court:

Grand Jurors.—Henry Bramble, John K. Aldridge, Thos. J. Vickers, Jos. E. Gilpin, Lewis H. Hepbron, Arthur B. Wheatley, Rob't S. Griffith, S. Hepburn Blackiston, David Jones, Wm. E. Cacy, Jas. S. Harris, Enoch N. Roland, Daniel C. Willson, J. F. M. Woodall, James A. Burgess, John R. Gill, Thos. B. Hynson, Geo. W. Jones, Henry T. Jump, Alfred Crisfield, Wm. B. Usilton, Wm. Vannort, John C. Sutton.

Petit Jurors.—Thos. H. Horsey, Thos. W. Eliason, Franklin H. Harper, Geo. W. Chrisfield, Abraham Hurlock, Wm. Welch, Thomas Baker, Horace M. Stuart, Jas. A. Roseberry, Jas. J. Spear, Wm. H. H. Lusby, Wm. H. Deshane, Samuel J. Hill, R. B. Willson, Thos. R. Quimby, Jervis Spencer, Asher B. Gill, Thos. A. Strong, John H. Cummins, George H. Thompson, David Clements, Jas. H. Gale, Owen Connolly, William Thomas, Thos. H. Hague.

Public Sales.—This afternoon, at three o'clock, R. Hynson, Esq., exec'r of Wm. Bacchus, will sell at the market house some personal property belonging to the estate of said deceased.

On Wednesday next Jas. Brice, adm'r of Geo. H. Brice, will sell the personal property of said deceased, at his late residence, near Urieville.

We invite attention to the advertisement of Messrs. W. Whitelock & Co., Baltimore. The fertilizers manufactured by this house are so generally known it seems almost unnecessary to say a word in their favor. Farmers who have tested their value will do so again, and we advise those who have not, to communicate with Messrs. Whitelock & Co., and purchase the article which they most assuredly need.

A New Patent.—Professor Herbert, of Washington College, has been allowed a patent for a new and improved method of analyzing soils.

The International Base Ball Tour.—The great international tour to England of the Boston and Athletic Clubs in August next promises to be a very successful one, and will doubtless create a great interest in our national game among the English ball players and revive the fortunes of the game at home. Mr. A. G. Spaulding of the Bostons has arranged matches at Liverpool, London, Nottingham, Sheffield, Manchester, and Lancashire. The two American clubs will play matches together and against nine now being organized. Besides base ball matches they will also play cricket with English players. The 3d of August next is bank holiday in London, and already the advent of the American ball players in England on that day is being talked about as the great sporting event of the coming season.

Special arrangements are being made for the accommodation of Americans accompanying the ball players, a new stand being set aside for them. The national colors of the United States are to be displayed on the flagstaff, and the royal band is to greet the visitors with the "Star Spangled Banner." It will be a gala occasion. The tourists will leave New York about the 16th of July, and start for home about the 26th of August.

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.

In the House of Delegates, on Friday night of last week, the local option bill was virtually defeated by the adoption of a motion to postpone its consideration until the 6th of April, the day on which the Legislature adjourns. The Comptroller, in compliance with an order, had sent to the House that day a statement of the amount of money paid into the Treasury for liquor licenses for the last fiscal year, showing the sum to be $169,717 90, and stating that it would require an additional tax of four per cent. on each $100 of assessable property in the State to produce a like amount. He recommended, as obviating the necessity of calling an extra session of the Legislature to provide for such deficiency, that if any county or Baltimore city votes against license, said city or county shall levy a tax equal to the amount of liquor licenses paid into the State treasury for the year previous to said vote. This statement and recommendation of the Comptroller did much toward killing the bill. Messrs. Hines and Merritt voted against postponement.

Mr. Seth has prepared another bill, which is not prohibitory in its character, but it is proposed by it in some measure to regulate the liquor traffic. It changes the price of licenses to sell liquor in quantities less than a pint, and not to be drank on the premises, from $18 to $50. Ordinary licenses are increased 50 per cent., and oyster house licenses from $50 to $75. Parties who propose to engage in the sale of liquor are to make application to the Circuit Court at least four weeks before the next succeeding term, and this application is to be sustained by three holders of real estate in the county in which said application is made, or six if in the city of Baltimore, and who are to swear also to the amount of stock to be kept on hand by the party for whom they apply. These applications are to be published in the newspapers, and no license is to be granted except upon the order of the court.

In the House, on Tuesday, the revenue bill was called up as the order of the day. Speaker Hines (Mr. Greenfield in the chair) proposed an amendment exempting mortgages from taxation, and argued the necessity and right of such an exemption. He said that an imposition of such a tax is nothing less than a double tax upon the borrower; as late clerk of the Circuit Court of Kent county he was familiar with the records of that office, and ninety out of one hundred mortgages in that office for record contain the covenant requiring the mortgagor to pay the tax of the mortgage, independent of the tax assessed against the mortgaged property. After considerable discussion and opposition from Messrs. Thompson, Leonard, Watkins and Freaner, the amendment was adopted—ayes 34, nays 26.

The committee on elections in the case of Brooke vs. Widdecombe, contestants for the Clerkship of Prince George's county, report that the election was not fairly conducted, and recommend that a new election be held. A minority report was submitted, and the consideration of both was deferred till Tuesday next.

Favorable report was made in the Senate on Wednesday on a preliminary bill to amend the Constitution and prevent members of the Legislature and Governors of Maryland from being elected to any other office by the Legislature during their terms of office. The immigration bills of Senators Earle and Stevens were both practically defeated.

Among the local bills passed in the House we notice one relating to the public roads of Kent county, and another for the protection of partridges in Kent.

Maryland Annual Conference M. P. Church.—In this Conference on Saturday the question of dividing the Maryland district was discussed and finally laid over until the next annual conference. Kennedyville circuit was annexed to Kent circuit, to be supplied by two ministers.

The report of the committee on statistics was submitted on Monday, as follows: Members, 11,837; probationers, 1,188; churches, 123; parsonages, 41; colored members, 273; Sabbath schools, 173; teachers, 1,880; scholars, 11,596; volumes in the library, 37,896; value of church property, $768,660. The aggregate gain in membership is 848; gain in churches over last year, 17; gain in parsonages, 3; gain in the value of church property, $22,010.

Starr church, Baltimore, was selected as the place of holding the next session of conference, and the second Wednesday in March, 1875, as the time of meeting.

The delegates to the General Conference, which meets in Lynchburg, Va., in May, were elected on Tuesday, as follows: Rev. Drs. L. W. Bates, S. B. Southerland, E. J. Drinkhouse, D. J. Shermer, David Wilson, D. W. Bates, W. S. Hammond, W. M. Strayer, J. W. Charlton, J. J. Murray and H. F. Zollickoffer, ministers; and Dr. J. W. Herring, W. J. C. Dulany, R. S. Griffith, W. B. Usilton, John G. Clark, J. W. Thompson, Pere Wilmer, Ormand Hammond, A. Donaldson, T. A. Newman, and Dr. S. S. Ewell, laymen.

The Conference probably adjourned on Thursday morning, but the appointments had not been received at the time of going to press.

A Cape May Heroine.—A correspondent of the Wilmington Commercial, writing from Cape May, gives the following account of an amazon heroine, a Grace Darling and Ida Lewis combined. The correspondent says:

"A young woman at Cape May Court House follows gunning, clamming, celing and all the pursuits of the masculines around her, and with success excelling the best of them. She can row a boat and make it fly through the water, and our informant says he was gunning with a friend on the sounds lately, and two broadbills (wild ducks) flew by his decoys without alighting, but as they passed her boat she brought down both, one with each barrel of her double gun, and secured them too with all the skill of a finished marksman, which she certainly is. She engaged to housework here on the island last week, but resigned her position, declaring she was not going to work here for two dollars a week when she could make three dollars a day in the sounds at home, clamming, and she has been known to clear five dollars a day spearing eels, a lucious salt water luxury, bringing fair prices among us. Her sister, more delicate in figure and health, (for our heroine weighs 160 pounds,) emulates her in manly pursuits, but scarcely equals her. The girl is the sole support of her father, who is entirely helpless from palsy, and adopted her avocations from necessity and not from choice."

The cable reports the famine in India increasing in intensity. In one district alone a hundred thousand hunger-stricken persons had applied for relief within ten days.

CHESTERVILLE AND VICINITY.

Messrs. Editors:—Rev. G. B. Allen, formerly of Chesterville, but now of Virginia, preached in the Churches South at Chesterville and Millington on Sabbath last, instead of Dr. Sudler, who was to have occupied these pulpits. Mr. Allen has been absent for nearly two years; he was extended a hearty welcome by his friends, and his discourses were listened to with both pleasure and profit. Next Sabbath Rev. G. T. Tyler, former pastor, and Rev. Wesley Hammond, the newly appointed preacher in charge, will both be present at the churches named. Rev. John W. Pierson filled the appointments on the Galena circuit of the M. E. Church on Sabbath last, in the absence of the new pastor, Rev. H. Colclazer, who is said to be one of the most talented men and best preachers in the Wilmington conference. Rev. E. P. Aldred left for Denton, his new field of labor, on Wednesday last. The Caroline people may be congratulated.

On Sunday last Mr. Robert Pearson, residing two miles south of Chesterville, met with an accident which resulted in some injury to himself and the loss of a carriage. After driving through the gate at his father's farm, he discovered the hitching rein hanging down. Not wishing to get out in the mud, he stepped on the shafts, at the same time placing his hand on the horse. This frightened the animal and he commenced jumping, throwing Mr P. down between his heels and the cross-bar, bruising him somewhat. The horse took off through the woods with the carriage, demolishing it completely, and finally bringing up with the wheels between two trees

Mr. V. C. Reynolds, residing within a short distance of the village, has quit farming, and will remove to Philadelphia, where he intends going into the commission business. Mr. J. W. Jarman has taken the farm.

Mr. W. S. Sparks, the agent at Lambson's, who had his arm badly mashed by the cars a short time since, is said to be improving; as is also the case with Mrs. Nathan Porter, who, a week or two since, while over the cook-stove, fainted and fell on it, burning herself badly.

Albert Allen, a former apprentice to the printing business in the office of J. Leeds Barroll, in Chestertown, and who afterwards finished his trade in the office of the *Cecil Democrat*, at Elkton, died in Havre de Grace on Sunday last, of consumption. He suffered extremely for a long time. On Tuesday last his remains were taken to Crumpton, and interred by the side of his wife, who last Fall died of the same disease.

On Tuesday last Mr. Levi S. Chew, of Crumpton, who carries the mail between that point and Lambson's Station, fell out of a boat at the bridge over the river at Crumpton, and narrowly escaped drowning. He was helping a boy with his net, when the boat ran against the bridge and capsized. Having on woolen clothes and heavy boots made swimming very difficult, and he sunk twice before he saved himself by catching the boat.

We believe it is conceded the peaches are as yet hurt but little. Peach growers claim that it takes but a small proportion of the buds to insure a full crop. These are plentiful enough. On the farm occupied by Mr. R. J. Boulden, near Kennedyville, is one of the finest orchards to be seen. There are 7,000 trees, and out of the whole number there are not more than twelve trees that have in the least been injured.

Walter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.

REPUBLICAN OPINION ON THE RESULT.

The following extracts from leading Republican papers are not very complimentary of the National Administration, and are significant of the dissatisfaction which exists throughout the country with the management of affairs by that party:

The term Republican has lost its old time significance, and instead of being a name to conjure by, has become—it is scarcely too much to say—a load to be carried. The party which, in high places, professes economy and practises extravagance; which professes purity and fosters corruption; which professes to listen to the voice of the people, but turns a deaf ear to its suggestions; which professes to lift the Government above mere political intrigue and showers its favors upon those who have little regard for them except for the base uses to which they may be put—such a party, no matter by what name it may be called, will be known of men for what it is, rather than for what it professes to be; it will be known by its fruit better than by its name.—*Boston Advertiser (Rep.)*

We charge the repulse we have suffered to the shortcomings, unavoidable in part, there is no doubt, of the National Government. We were too heavily handicapped with Sanborn contracts, Jayne and Bingham blackmailings, Western inflation schemes, the moiety system and the failure of Congress to meet the wants of the masses by legislation, demanded by the hard times. Nor is it exaggeration to state that the Simmons fight lost us a thousand votes. Only the belief—well grounded—that the Democratic party offered no relief for this state of affairs has saved us from an overwhelming defeat.—*Concord Monitor (Rep.)*

And now we have the result. Will it be heeded at Washington?—for certainly nothing else seems to be. Let it be remembered that it required an honorable effort to keep this warning from New Hampshire from being worse than it is. Many and many a Republican, utterly depressed in heart, took pains to go and cast his vote, just because he did not want any inference to be drawn favorable to the Democracy, and he hoped that the present adverse influences at Washington would pass away. We, also, have the same hope; and if this admonition from the people shall contribute to that end, it will afford some mitigation of a local defeat and put a stop to others.—*Boston Jour. (rep.)*

Seriously, this result in New Hampshire is worth some study. It is a sort of sphygmograph, a pulse recorder, and our theory is that the Republican party needs more of what General Grant calls "unloading," and something better in the shape of a future than a mere process of paying debts. The audacity of Butler is doing the party no good. He has admirable qualities, but the warmest friend of the Administration gets tired of fighting for it over his shoulders.—*Newark Advertiser (Rep.)*

The Republicans must throw off the political vampires now gorged with plunder, and consign them to their merited destiny, in order to regain their former strong position in the country.—*Boston Transcript (Rep.)*

Complete Vote of New Hampshire.—The Concord (N. H.) Monitor, of Monday, gives the statement of the full vote of New Hampshire, and says:

These returns show that Weston lacks 660 votes of an election, a majority over all the other candidates being required to elect in New Hampshire. The complete returns for representatives show that the House will contain 167 republicans and 178 democrats, one member elected by the prohibitionists being in this statement classed with the republicans.

Senator Sumner's Will.—In September, 1872, just before Senator Sumner left for Europe, he wrote in his own hand his will. He bequeathed all his paper manuscripts and letter books to Henry W. Longfellow, Francis E. Balch and Edward L. Pierce, as trustees; all his books and autographs to the Library at Harvard College; his bronzes to his friends of many years, Henry W. Longfellow and Dr. Samuel G. Howe. He gives to the city of Boston, for the Art Museum, his pictures and engravings, except the picture of the Miracle of the Slave, which he bequeaths to his friend, Joshua B. Smith, of Boston. To Mrs. Hannah Richmond Jacobs, the only surviving sister of his mother, he gives an annuity of $500.—There is a bequest of $2,000 to the daughters of Henry W. Longfellow, $2,000 to the daughters of Dr. Samuel G. Howe, and $2,000 to the daughters of James T. Furniss, of Philadelphia, which, he says, "I ask them to except in token of gratitude for the friendship their parents have shown me." The will directs that the residue of his estate shall be distributed into two equal moieties—one moiety to his sister, Mrs. Julie Hastings, of San Francisco, Cal., the other moiety to the president and fellows of Harvard College, in trust for the benefit of the college library, the income to be applied to the purchase of books. In reference to this last moiety the will adds: "This bequest is made in filial regard to the college. In selecting especially the library I am governed especially by the consideration that all my life I have been a user of books and, having few of my own, I have relied on the libraries of friends and on public libraries, so that what I now do is only a return for what I have freely received." Francis B. Balch, of Boston, formerly clerk to the committee on foreign relations when Mr. Sumner was chairman of that committee, is designated as sole executor of the will. Mr. Sumner's estate is valued at one hundred thousand dollars.

Volcano in North Carolina—*Flight of Residents.*—A dispatch from Raleigh, North Carolina, to the New York Herald says that a volcano threatens to burst forth from Ball mountain, in the western part of the State, and that farm houses and cottages along the sides and the base of the mountain have already been thrown down by the rocking of the great mass to its foundation. Many of the inhabitants have fled in fear and terror to seek safety elsewhere from the terrible devastations which may result from the amazing phenomenon. A thin vapor issues from the top of the mountain, and a low rumbling sound is constantly audible.

Baltimore Price Current

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

WHEAT—White, choice	$180a1.82
" fair to prime	1.60a1.75
" Amber, choice	1.85a1.85
" Red, good to prime	1 65a1 75
" com. to fair	1.50a1.60
CORN—Southern White	78a80
" Yellow	78a79
OATS—Southern	57a64
RYE—Fair to prime	90a92
BUTTER—Maryland and Penn. Roll	35a40
EGGS—Fresh	16a17
BACON—Shoulders	7¼a7½
" Hams	13a14
" C. R. Sides	9¼a9½
LARD—Western	9¼a9½

Gold is quoted at 111⅛.

FOR RENT.

A DOUBLE DWELLING, in Chestertown, suitable for two small families. Possession given April 1st.

Apply to THOS. S. BORDLEY,
mar21 3t. Attorney.

WANTED, in the country, a GOOD WOMAN, either white or colored, to cook, wash, iron and milk. None need apply but one who understands the business and is willing to work. For further information apply to Editors "Kent News."
March 21, 1874—3t.

WANTED, TO SELL OUT OR RENT my Wheelwright Shop, adjoining the Blacksmith Shop, on Cross Street, in Chestertown. A good stand and a good run of work; a good lot of seasoned lumber. Or will hire a man to work on shares or wages. Apply to
D. A. BENJAMIN,
mar21-3t. Chestertown.

LETTER FROM GALENA.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I deem it my duty to inform the people of Kent that they lose a rare chance if they fail to visit

Geo. W. Sutton's New Store,
AT GALENA.

FOR SALE.

A DARK BROWN **Kossuth Mare,** 15½ hands high, 7 years old. A strong, active horse, warranted perfectly sound and kind; very easily kept, stylish, and can be ridden or driven by ladies or children. Enquire of or address REV. C. J. HENDLEY,
St. Paul's Rectory, Fairlee P. O.
March 21, 1874—2t.

NEW GOODS,
FRESH GROCERIES,
USEFUL ARTICLES
OF ALL KINDS, cheap for cash, at
SUTTON'S, Galena.

County Commissioners' Notice.

ORDERED, That the County Commissioners for Kent County WILL NOT pass or grant any NEW PUBLIC ROADS to be made for one year. By Order,
JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 14, 1874—3t.

I Sell Goods Cheap,
and am prepared to prove it.
SUTTON, Galena

Collector's Notice.

TAX-PAYERS of the Third District, you are hereby notified that I demand prompt payment from all that are indebted to me for the years of 1872 and 1873; and those that disregard this notice will find their property advertised in the "Transcript" of April 4th.
Yours, very respectfully,
WILLIAM HEPBRON,
mar14-3t. Coll'r Third District.

WANTED—Bacon, Butter, Eggs, Lard, Rags, and everything marketable, at
SUTTON'S, Galena.

TAX-PAYERS
OF THE 5TH ELECTION DIST.

THE Taxes for 1873 are overdue. Please give immediate attention, or I shall be compelled to collect according to law.
JOHN A. ROLLISON,
Collector Fifth Election District.
March 14, 1874—6w.

PROFITS being small, terms are cash, at
SUTTON'S, Galena.

DON'T FORGET the BLACKSMITH!

THE undersigned would respectfully ask all persons who have not settled with us for last year, and prior to that, to come forward and settle, either with money or note, as we are anxious to close our books to Jan 1st, '74.
feb28-4t. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

SPRING OF 1874.

SUTTON
invites all to call at his New Store at Galena.
March 21, 1874—.3m

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me are earnestly requested to call and settle, as I am greatly in need of money.
MRS. S. A. USILTON.
March 14, 1874—3t.

WE have the best TEA in town, at One Dollar a pound. Try it.
Feb. 5 J. B. SAPPINGTON.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF—
A SMALL FARM,
IN KENT COUNTY, MD.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, the undersigned, Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, at the "Voshell House," in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,
The Fourteenth Day of April, 1874,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

all that piece or parcel of land of which the late Lemuel Skeggs died seized, called

"CAMPBELSWORTHMORE,"
CONTAINING
86¼ ACRES,

more or less. Situated in the Second Election District of Kent county, at the junction of the roads leading to Still Pond and the Fountain Colored Church, and adjoining the land of John Gale's heirs, convenient to churches and two public schools, and only half a mile from Lynch's Station, on the Kent county railroad.

The Improvements
CONSIST OF A
TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING

and KITCHEN. In the dwelling two rooms below and four chambers. Barn, Stable, Carriage and Meat House, and a pump of most excellent water.

The soil is light, and susceptible of the highest state of improvement.

There are 800 PEACH TREES on the farm, of which 300 are young trees; and 100 APPLE TREES, good fruit. The farm produces well, and is a desirable piece of land. It is about six miles from Chestertown, the county town.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms prescribed by the decree are as follows: One thousand dollars of the purchase money to be paid cash on the day of the sale, or on the ratification thereof by the court, the balance in two equal instalments from the day of sale; the whole to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with a surety or sureties to be approved by the trustee.

EBEN F. PERKINS, Trustee.
J. W. Carroll, Auctioneer.

The creditors of the late Lemuel Skeggs are hereby notified to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, within three months from the day of sale.
EBEN F. PERKINS, Trustee.
March 21, 1874—ts.

My Thorough-Bred STALLION
"LEGATEE,"

Will commence the season Monday, March 23 Will not *travel* but *stand* at the following places on the days named, and *regularly every two weeks thereafter:*

AT HOME—March 23d, 24th and 25th.
CHESTERTOWN—(William Vannort's stables) March 26th, 27th and 28th.
WARWICK—(Gillespie's Hotel) March 30th, 31st and April 1.

LEGATEE was by LEXINGTON, out of LEVITY (*Ruric's Dam*) by IMPORTED TRUSTEE. This horse and his performances are too well known to repeat here.

Terms--$20 the season.

E. A. VANNORT, M. D.,
Hanesville P. O., Kent Co., Md.
March 21, 1874—tf.

WHITELOCK'S VEGETATOR.

AMMONIATED SUPER PHOSPHATE
W. WHITELOCK
TRADE & CO'S MARK
VEGETATOR
BALTIMORE
160
THE CROP PRODUCER

A RELIABLE MANURE,
For Oats, Potatoes,
CORN AND TOBACCO.

$50 PER TON. $4 PER BAG OF 160 LBS.

We endeavor to prepare the BEST MANURE made in the United States, and as an evidence of our success, appeal with confidence to all who have ever used the article on any crop, and ask those who have not to TEST its VALUE with a small quantity.

W. WHITELOCK & CO.,
44 South St., Baltimore, Md.
March 21, 1874—3m.

PRIVATE SALE.

I HEREBY OFFER FOR SALE

Radcliffe Hall,

the Farm upon which I now reside, commonly known as the **"Hanson Farm,"** part of which is now rented and occupied by Mr. John Greenwood, of Wm.

It is beautifully situated on Chester River, about one mile from Chestertown, and

Contains 471 ACRES, more or less.

THE IMPROVEMENTS are a

Mansion House,
AND TENANT HOUSE,

in good repair, with the necessary Out-Buildings and offices. The Tenant House is large and commodious, and was built in the year 1871. The Farm is so well known that a full description is not needed.

An early purchaser will have the option of putting in, and making, the corn crop for the present year.

Terms easy and reasonable. For further information apply to
GEORGE A. HANSON.
Radcliffe Hall, Feb. 28, 1874—tf.

TO FARMERS.

Bowen & Mercer's Super-Phosphate $40 Ton.

Warranted equal to any manufactured. No agents—send for pamphlet of references.

Ground Bone, warranted, $43 Ton. Ground and Lump Plaster, Guano, 300,000 bus. Shell Lime. BOWEN & MERCER,
mh7-4t. 65 S. Gay st., Baltimore.

MULES! MULES!

FOR SALE, a SUPERIOR LOT OF FOUR YEAR OLD MULES, all broken, and will be sold low. They can be seen at R. S. Usilton's Stable, Chestertown.
mh7-3t* JACOB BARKMAN.

FOR SALE, A Pair of FINE YOUNG MULES, three years old. For further particulars apply to S. A. J. WICKES & CO.,
mh7-3t. Grey's Inn Creek, Md.

FOR SALE.

A SECOND-HAND BUGGY, for sale low. Apply to
mh7-3t. N. G. WESTCOTT.

FOR SALE.

5,000 GOOD PEACH TREES, Price $50 per thousand.
mh7-3t. J. L. CREW, Smithville.

HEDGE LAYING.

The subscriber will lay four year old hedges or under, for 8 cents per rod; older than four years, an advance, per special contract. Call on or address me at Worton Station.
mh7-3t* JOHN LONG.

LIME, POTATORS, WH. WASH BRUSHES, BACON, and DRIED BEEF,
For sale at **MING'S**
mh7. next door to Transcript office.

TO THE LADIES.

We call the attention of the Ladies to our well selected stock of FLOWER SEED, from Massey & Hudson, the well known Florists. The beauty of the flowers at Riverbank Garden and Greenhouses is a sufficient guarantee of the quality of the Seed.
feb28. C. F. STAM & BRO.

HANSON LETTUCE—the Largest, most tender, crisp, and delicate flavored Head Lettuce, for sale by
feb28. C. F. STAM & BRO.

Administrator's Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, the undersigned, administrator of George H. Brice, deceased, will sell at Public Sale at the late residence of said deceased, near Urieville, on

Wednesday, the 25th of March, 1874

at 9½ o'clock, A. M., the personal property of said deceased, consisting in part as follows:

8 Head of HORSES,

One Two-Year Old Colt, and One Yearling Colt.

Among the Horses are some excellent Drivers.

Two Yoke of OXEN
Five Fine MILCH COWS,
and some YOUNG CATTLE,
13 Fine Shotes and One Large Sow,
12 Native Sheep.

One Shifting-top York Wagon and Harness, and 1 set of Double Harness, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Peach Dearborn and 1 Mill Wagon, 1 Ox-Cart, one Woods' Reaper, and an excellent Mower in complete order, Fan and Corn Sheller, and One Grind Stone.

A LOT OF GOOD BACON.

Wagon Harness, Plow Gears, Shovels, Forks, Hoes, Scythes and Cradles, etc.

One-half Interest in 80 Acres of Wheat seeded, and looking finely.

1 Good SLEIGH and Bells.

Also, Household & Kitchen Furniture,

20 BUSHELS OF POTATOES, and a Lot of CORN BLADES,

TERMS.—Sums of $20 and under cash; on sums over that amount a credit of six months on note with approved security.

SALE POSITIVE; and nothing to be removed until the terms are complied with.

JAMES BRICE,
mar14-tds. Adm'r

Notice to Delinquent Tax-Payers.

ORDERED by the Commissioners of Kent County, that the following advertisement be inserted one in each week for and during four weeks successively, in some newspaper printed and published in Chestertown.

Test: JOHN RUSSELL,
Clerk to Commissioners for Kent Co.

Real Estate in 5th Election District

of Kent Co., levied on for the payment of taxes due to MORGAN BROWN, Collector for said District, for the years 1871 and 1872, together with the names of the parties chargeable with the payment of the same, and there being no personal property in the county liable for and chargeable with the payment of said taxes as by return of said Collector to the County Commissioners, will appear, viz:

JAMES JONES, COLORED.—A Lot of Land, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Dr. Ricaud and Abel J. Rees.
Taxes due for 1871 and 1872 - $5.94

JAMES BLAKE, COLORED.—A Lot of Land in the "Big Swamp," adjoining the land of John Gardner.
Taxes due for 1872 - - - $3.58

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That unless said taxes shall be paid to Morgan Brown, Collector for said Fifth District, on or before the 14th day of April next, or within thirty days after this notice is completed, the property so seized as aforesaid or such parts thereof as may be necessary to raise the sum due, will be sold to the highest bidder for the payment of the same, pursuant to Act of Assembly passed November Session, 1797.

By order of the Commissioners for Kent Co.
JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 10, 1874.

By the Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, Ordered, That Morgan Brown, collector of said county, after thirty days previous notice at the Court House door, and at the most public places in said county, and also in some newspaper published in said county, proceed to sell to the highest bidder the foregoing lots of land, or such part thereof as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and legal charges thereon due, and the same when sold, to transfer by deed or bargain and sale to the purchaser thereof. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 14, 1874—5t.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of THOMPSON & LEE, was dissolved by mutual consent on the second day of March, 1874. Mr. LEE has the bills and accounts in hand, and is authorized to settle up the business of the late firm

JAMES H. THOMPSON,
THOMAS H. LEE.
Chestertown, Mar. 7, 1874.

Notice.—The undersigned, having purchased the interest of Mr. Thos. H. Lee in the late firm of Thompson & Lee, will continue the BOATING and GENERAL FREIGHTING BUSINESS, between Chester river and Baltimore. Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same. JAS. H. THOMPSON.
March 7, 1874—4t.

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of six writs of Venditioni Exponas and one of Fieri Facias, issued by T. W. Russell and C. A. A. Stanley, Justices of the Peace for Kent county, and to me directed, two at suit of Jesse Jerome, one at suit of D. A. Beniamin, one at suit of W. W. Parks, one at suit of H. M. Thomas, one at suit of M. A. Biscoe, use of M. L. Sparks, and one at suit of J. B. Burchinal, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of George W. Titter, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Geo. W. Titter, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

All that House and Lot of Land,

in Chestertown, on Calvert Street, adjoining property of John Bordley and others; and

1 GRAY MARE,

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, the 28th of March, 1874,

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

SAMUEL L. RAWLEIGH,
March 7, 1874—ts. Constable.

IN THE

District Court of the United States
FOR THE
District of Maryland.

In the matter of MORRIS ASCHER, Bankrupt,
IN BANKRUPTCY.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that a petition has been presented to the Court this 27th day of February, 1874, by Mor