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# The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - MARCH 27, 1875

## The News.

The special session of the Senate was adjourned *sine die*, on Wednesday last.

The resolution of the republican caucus, thinly veiling over the Louisiana usurpations, or the President's action in the affairs of that State, was adopted in the Senate Tuesday, after speeches in opposition to it by Senators Jones, Wallace and Thurman. Several amendments offered by opponents of the resolution were voted down by a strict party vote, except that Mr. Hamilton, of Texas, voted with the democratic Senators. Mr. Christiancy, the new Senator from Wisconsin, seems to have felt it necessary to explain his vote in favor of the resolution, which he holds does not recognize Kellogg as the legal Governor, but only as the executive power. The resolution was hatched as a sort of sop to the President, and adroitly worded to catch the votes of some who have not lost all regard for popular rights.

An important conference was held in Baltimore Tuesday between the representatives of the Canton Company and Northern Central Railway Company, at which terms were agreed upon that must in the early future largely develop the valuable property at Canton. Under the agreement the Northern Central will furnish for a period of five years not less than 500,000 tons of freight per annum, and for two consecutive years within a period of ten years 1,000,000 tons per annum. The Canton Company allows rebates of ten cents per ton on coal, coal oil and lumber from contract rates of the Union Railroad. The improvements at Canton, to be made as early as practicable, are estimated in value at $690,000, and include the construction of an elevator of 500,000 bushels capacity, the building of wharves and piers, and erection of large storage warehouses.

Judge Emmons, presiding in the United States District Court at Memphis, has charged the Grand Jury not to find indictments against parties who had violated the Civil Rights bill, for the reason that Congress has no power to prescribe penalties for such offences. He advised any one who had a grievance of this kind to bring a civil suit, and take an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States if the rulings of the Court below are adverse to his claims.

Elsewhere will be found an account of a horrible outrage on Mrs. Nelson, wife of a prominent Republican in Prince George's county, near Fort Washington, by a colored man to whom both Mr. and Mrs. Nelson had been extremely kind.

One of the terrific wind storms that defy explanation swept over contiguous districts in South Carolina and Georgia on Saturday afternoon last. Everything in its path was sacrificed to its devastating power; houses were blown down, trees uprooted and a number of persons killed or injured. What the total loss in life and property has been is not definitely known, but it is certain that a dozen individuals were killed, and probably ten times as many hurt. The force of the hurricane was such as to completely demolish a railroad train.

It seems to be settled in Ohio that the Hon. Benjamin F. Wade is to be the Republican candidate for Governor. William Allen, the present Governor, it is said, will be renominated by the Democrats.—It will be an exciting contest between these two veterans, though Allen is a much superior man to Wade, who is of the coarser Western type.

A cable despatch brings information which indicates that France is to be well represented at the American Centennial. A committee, said to be an exceedingly influential one, has been organized to take charge of the arrangements, and among the names are those of such good friends of this country as Marquis de Lafayette and Edouard Laboulaye. There is a fitness in the selection of Lafayette as President of the committee which will be readily recognized and appreciated.

The defeat of Dr. DeKoven for confirmation as bishop of Illinois is now beyond a doubt. The standing committees of twenty-five dioceses have recorded their votes against him, while only eight can be counted for him. The indications are that of the forty-five dioceses Dr. DeKoven will not have the favorable vote of one-third.

The award of the Louisiana legislative arbitration it is now stated gives the conservatives eleven members not seated by the returning board, which will secure them a majority in the House, but the Senate remains republican and the republicans hold a small majority on joint ballot. An extra session of the Legislature has been called for the 14th of April.

JUDGE STUMP'S CHARGE—*His View of the License Question.*—The *Cecil Democrat* of last Saturday says:

Judge Stump, in delivering his charge to the Grand Jury on Monday, was very clear and explicit on the license question. He said, in substance, that the question had been put to him again and again—"How does the Grand Jury stand on the license question?" "Now," said his Honor, "it matters not if every man on that jury is, on the one hand, a total prohibitionist, on the other in favor of granting licenses to all applicants, your duty as jurors remains the same, and that is to carry out the law in the spirit in which the Legislature of Maryland intended it should be executed. It is not your province to make laws to suit your personal views, but it is your duty to deal with the laws as the Legislature has seen proper to enact them. It is your duty to discriminate in recommending the granting of licenses in the same manner that you are compelled to discriminate in recommending the suppression of licenses, and the law imposing the duty upon you, you are bound by your oaths to discharge this duty to the best of your ability."

Messrs. Moody and Sankey, the American revivalists, have met with great success in London. After a consultation with clergymen of several religious denominations, they have determined to invite a number of the most popular preachers in this country to come over and assist them in carrying on their work.

THE SUSQUEHANNA ICE GORGE AND ITS EFFECTS.—The ice gorge of the Susquehanna river remains unchanged, though the water has receded from the ground recently flooded at Port Deposit, Havre de Grace and other points, and repairs of railroads, &c., are progressing. If a strong southerly wind comes the ice will be eased from the flats at the mouth of the river, and there will be no further danger until next winter. The situation at Port Deposit and the nature of the obstructions of the Susquehanna will always make that town liable to similar visitations when there is a severe winter like the one thro' which we have just passed. Travelers who cross Back river, Gunpowder river and Bush river, which are wholly free from ice and swarming with ducks, find a striking contrast in the Arctic appearance of the Susquehanna at this advanced season of spring. Besides the disaster to other industries and the calamity inflicted on the business of so many people along the Susquehanna river, the fisheries usually prosecuted at this season are wholly impossible, and it is doubted if any shad or herring will venture on their old spawning grounds in the stream this year on account of the presence of such vast masses of ice.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.—Wm. P. Craighill, major of engineers, has awarded the contract, and the award has been approved at Washington, for dredging at Kent Island Narrows, Chester river, to Wm. H. Beard, of Brooklyn, N. Y., his offer of 16⅞ cents per cubic yard being the lowest among the bidders at the opening of proposals on the 11th instant. The channel is to be 100 feet wide and 7 feet deep at mean low water, from deep water in Chester river to deep water in Eastern bay, including the cutting through the causeway at the Narrows. The spaces to be dredged are about one mile in aggregate length. The appropriation available for dredging and expenses is $20,000. Mr. Beard agrees to commence the work on the 20th of May and to finish it December 31, 1875. J. H. Shipley, of Baltimore county, has been awarded the contract for building the swinging bridge over the narrows, his bid of $3,495 being accepted by the county commissioners of Queen Anne's co.

SPEECH OF EX-PRESIDENT JOHNSON ON LOUISIANA.—In the Senate, on Monday, ex-President Johnson made his first speech since taking his seat in that body. He opposed the resolution endorsing the President's course in regard to Louisiana, and gave reasons therefor in his usual trenchant and vigorous style. He thinks there are those "behind the curtain" who are endeavoring to stir up another civil war for the purpose of putting President Grant in power a third term, and prophesies danger ahead, as he did formerly of the civil strife, in the shape of despotism and absolutism. Altogether Mr. Johnson's speech is a striking production, and it breathes a broad, practical republicanism which is wholesome for the period. He thinks it would not be amiss were the constitutional clause prohibiting the receipt of presents by United States officials from foreign potentates so amended as to prohibit their receipt also from any American citizen.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun*, writing on Monday, says:

Early this morning the avenues were filled with people going in the direction of the capitol, the sunshine and the fine bracing weather putting all in a good humor. Probably an hour before the meeting of the Senate the galleries were crammed so that they would hold no more. The ladies predominated largely, and attired in gay colors made up a scene, as they rose tier above tier, like to a parterre of flowers. No more brilliant scene was ever presented during the famous

DAYS OF THE IMPEACHMENT.

On the Senate floor the sofas and chairs were all occupied with privileged persons, including a number of members of the House and others. None of the cabinet officers were present, and it was also noticed that many of the republican Senators were not in their seats. Their absence was purposely intended. Such of those as did show themselves however, listened to Mr. Johnson during all of his speech. The democratic Senators were all in their seats, and remained in them during the entire session to-day.

He began by notifying those who had come with the expectation of listening to fierce personal denunciation that they would be disappointed, as he did not intend to utter one single word reflecting personally upon any one. This promise was pretty faithfully kept, for although Mr. Johnson's allusions to the

PUBLIC ACTS OF THE PRESIDENT

were exceedingly pointed and sharp, he refrained entirely from the discussion of anything of a personal nature. His comments on presidential gift-taking were decidedly severe and original, and created a marked sensation. He was no less terse and decisive in his denunciations of the executive interference in the affairs of the States and on third term aspirations. When he commenced to speak his voice was pitched in so low a key that it was hardly audible to those at any distance from him, but as he proceeded with his subject he rapidly became more animated in tone and gesture, and his sentences rung out clear, loud and sharp, as of old. When he pleaded for the violated constitution and for the liberties of the country as against military despotism, the scene was most impressive amid the profound silence that prevailed. He spoke only about two hours, whereas it was generally supposed that he would occupy the whole day. When he sat down there was a repitition of the applause which had greeted some of his utterances at the beginning, despite the capitol police who had been stationed in the galleries to prevent it. He was also warmly congratulated by all the democratic Senators, but none of his republican colleagues went near him.

Further details have been received of the character and effects of the recent fearful tornado in Georgia. It seems to have been most extraordinary in its nature and devastating in its effects beyond precedent. A wail of distress, it is said, comes up from the desolated district; the destruction of property is immense, and the list of killed and wounded is appalling.

THE Port Tobacco Times says: "Much disappointment is being experienced by those interested in fishing shores that they are not able to procure licenses to sell liquor on the shores during the season.—Nearly every one of them failed to get a permit from the last grand jury, and of course the clerk has no authority otherwise to issue a license."

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, March 23.—Present, Judges Scott and Hepbron, Chief Justice Beck being still detained by sickness. On application, H. W. Vickers was appointed adm'r of Wm. Davis, col'd, and Jos. P. Ireland and F. H. Taylor were appointed to appraise said estate. On application, H. W. Vickers was appointed adm'r of the estate of Eliza Grindage; also, of the estate of Jas. Pearce; and J. P. Ireland and F. H. Taylor were appointed to appraise each of said estates. The Register received a letter from N. C. Brooks, President of Baltimore Female College, asking the appointment of pupil from Kent county; whereupon the Court ordered that notice be given by advertisement. Citation was issued for Emeline Biddle, executrix of Frances Biddle, dec'd, on application of H. W. Vickers. Jas. R. Crew, adm'r of Hanson Crew, returned a list of sales. Margaret D. Cooper, admr'x of George Cooper, returned her second administration account. Wm. M. Slay, adm'r of Geo. P. Roeder, returned his second and final administration acc't. Samuel Comegys, att'y for Mary J. Ringgold, executrix of Thomas W. Ringgold, returned a second adm'n account. Rich'd Hynson, adm'r of Samuel W. Canady, returned his final administration account and distribution, which was passed and ordered to be recorded. Chas. H. Baker and A. A. Strong, acting guardians for W. B., L. M., H. R., J. M., and H. B. Strong, returned accounts for the year 1872. C. W. S. Medders, guardian to Andrew Medders, returned his first and final guardian account, which was passed and ordered to be recorded, and obtained a release from said late ward.

INQUEST.—Esquire Calder held an inquest on Monday last, at Hell Point, in the lower part of this county, over the body of a colored man named Jos. Brice, who was found dead on the river shore that morning. The jury rendered a verdict of death from "intemperance and exposure."

THE GOOD OLD TIMES.—Messrs. Chapman & Lambert, under the pressure of the hard times, have determined to do business at lower prices in the future, and announce the fact in another column. Our knowledge of this firm justify us in saying that they mean what they say.

NEW STORE.—Mr. James M. Vandyke has rented the store room formerly occupied by Mr. J. W. Carroll, and opened a grocery and provision store. His two sons, Alonzo and William, are in charge.

STONE CUTTING.—Mr. W. Register has recently commenced this business in our town, and persons wishing anything in his line can have it done as neatly and at as low a price as in the city. Encourage home industry.

ATTENTION is called to the public sale of carriages, harness and horses, by the Messrs. Merrick, carriage makers, of Wilmington, Del., to commence on Wednesday morning, April 14th, and to be continued on Saturdays and Wednesdays.

ATTENTION is called to the advertisement of the Galena Machine Shops and Foundry. Messrs. Hyland & Co. are doing business on a large scale, and can be relied upon for articles of the first quality.

A FINE COW.—Mr. J. N. Dodd, while in Baltimore last week, purchased for his mother a beautiful Alderney cow of some celebrity. She took the first premium at the State fair last fall.

REV. PENEL COMBE, the well known temperance lecturer, will be in town next week, and lecture two evenings at the Court House. See advertisement.

WILMINGTON CONFERENCE.—This conference, after a session of six days, at Smyrna, Del., adjourned *sine die* on Tuesday evening. The following are the appointments for this district.

J. Hough, P. E.—Smyrna, E. Stubbs; Smyrna circuit, E. Davis,; Appoquinimink, T. B. Killam; Middletown, L. C. Matlack; Odessa, J. B. Bryan; Cecilton and St. Paul's, Elijah Miller; Galena, H. Colclazer; Millington, W. M. Warner; Massey's, C. K. Morris; Still Pond, W. B. Gregg; Chestertown, F. M. Chatham; Kent circuit, J. T. Van Burkalow; Sudlersville, C. W. Prettyman, R. Roe; Church Hill, W. R. McFarlane; Centreville, V. Smith; Queenstown, Valentine Gray; Kent Island, J. W. Hammersley; Easton, R. W. Todd; St. Michael's, J. D. Curtis; Talbot, T. E. Bell; Royal Oak, E. L. Hoffecker; Trappe, R. H. Adams; Hillsborough, W. J. Duhadaway; King's Creek, Newton McQuay; Greensborough, Benjamin F. Price; Denton, E. P. Aldred, one to be supplied; Marydel, E. H. Hinson. S. S. Baker left without an appointment at his own request.

Mr. Caldwell, late pastor of Still Pond circuit, goes to Dover, one of the best stations in the Conference, and D. C. Ridgway to Laurel, Delaware.

Mr. James H. Dillen, bailiff of Easton, Talbot county, died suddenly on Saturday last, from a cold which he had contracted, and which finally led to bronchial consumption.

Hon. John Hickman, of Westchester, Pa., died on Tuesday at that place, aged 65 years.

**Baltimore Price Current**

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

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| WHEAT—White, choice | $1.20a1.30 |
| " Amber, choice | 1.23a1.33 |
| " Red, good to prime | 1.23a1.23 |
| CORN—Southern White | 81a84 |
| " " Yellow | 82a82 |
| OATS—Southern | 65a70 |
| RYE—Fair to prime | 1.00a1.03 |
| BACON—Shoulders | 9a9¼ |
| " C. R. Sides | 12a12½ |
| " Hams | 14a15 |
| LARD—Refined | 14¾ |
| EGGS | 29a30 |
| BUTTER—Fair to good | 25a40 |

Gold is quoted at 115¼a115¾.

DIED:

On the 20th instant, at the residence of Mr. J. J. Roeder, near Fairlee, Miss CATHARINE HOFFMAN, aged 25 years.


EARLY ROSE POTATOES, and FRESH GARDEN SEED, For sale by
March 27 J. M. VANDYKE.

HAMBURG EDGINGS and INSERTING, an assortment just received by
Mar. 27. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

A BARREL OF GAMBRILL'S FAMILY or PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR, will cost you more if purchased in Baltimore than if bought of T. W. ELIASON, JR.
March 27, 1875.

PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR, by the lb. or barrel by J. M. VANDYKE.

LOST, Monday, March 22d, in going from Rock Hall to the sale of Wm. T. Skirven, a LEATHER POCKET BOOK, containing between $40 and $50.00 in money, and a lot of receipts. A liberal reward will be paid if returned to JOHN M. HERSCH, Rock Hall, Kent Co., Md.
March 27, 1875—3t*

LOST, on the 17th inst., off North Point, one 16 ft. BATTEAU, painted lead color, front of stern broken off. Any one finding and securing the boat will receive a suitable reward by notifying TURNER BROS., Still Pond, Kent co., Md.
mh27-3t.

WOOD WANTED.

The undersigned, intending to open a Wood and Coal Yard in Chestertown during the ensuing Summer and Fall, wishes to lay in Wood during the Spring and Summer, and will pay the Highest Cash Prices for Lots of Good Wood, delivered at the Yard. Office at the Workingmen's Library.
mar27-3t* A. W. SPARKS.

$20,000 IN SUMS TO SUIT, TO LOAN on good farms in Kent and Queen Anne's counties.
THOS. HILL,
Fayette and St. Paul Sts., Baltimore, Md.
March 27, 1875—3t.

REV. P. COMBE,

The Celebrated Temperance Lecturer,

Will lecture on Temperance at the Court House in Chestertown on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 1st and 2nd of April, at 7½ o'clock, P. M. Will preach on Sunday, the 4th, in the M. E. Church at 10½, A. M., and Salem M. E. Church at 3, P. M., same day. The public invited

Subjects—1st Lecture: Public Opinion vs. License System. 2d—Perversion and Failure of License System. 3d—Unconstitutionality of License System. 2t.


NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN compliance with the directions of the Circuit Court for Kent county, notice is hereby given to the creditors of ALBERT A. BISCOE, late of said county, deceased, to file vouchers of their claims with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, on or before August 26th, 1875.
RICHARD HYNSON,
JAMES A. PEARCE,
March 27, 1875. Trustees.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Blacksmithing business, near the Foundry in Chestertown, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th of March, 1875. D. P. COX is authorized to settle all accounts and pay all debts of the late firm. OTHO WILLIS,
Mar. 27, 1874—5t. D. P. COX.


T. W. ELIASON, JR.,
DEALER IN
Nearly all of the Popular Brands of FERTILIZERS.
Early orders solicited. mh27-tf.


TAKEN UP ADRIFT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that Lewin Usilton gave information before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for Kent county, that Pere Riggs has taken up and secured a small SCOW SLOOP, with no name, containing about one hundred Decoy Ducks; one Small Boat and Sink Box. Taken up near Pool's Island on the 19th day of March, 1875; the same is now in Churn Creek, on the farm of Lewin Usilton. Given under my hand. D. U. DEWERS, J. P.

The owner or owners are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take said Boat and fixings away.
mar27-3t. LEWIN USILTON.


READ THIS!

Old Time Prices For BLACKSMITHING, &c. AT CHAPMAN & LAMBERT'S.

HORSE SHOEING $1.25, and all kinds of good BLACKSMITHING in the Repairing line done as cheap as before the war. We are determined to work as low as can be done in this or the adjoining counties.

You can get the best CAST STEEL HOE for 75 cts., and all kinds of new work at corresponding low prices. All kinds of Machine forging and Repairs done quickly and neatly.

Carriage Smithing done in the best manner. We will hoop light and heavy Wheels at the old time prices. We want all to call and see that we do what we say.

We have a large quantity of our Celebrated Cast Steel Cultivator Teeth, made of all sizes and patterns, which have no equal.

PLOWS and PLOW CASTINGS, of all kinds, for sale at Reduced Prices.

Wheelwrighting.—We keep on hand and build to order, WAGONS, DEARBORNS, CARTS, DRAYS and Express Wagons, light and heavy, out of the BEST SEASONED LUMBER, that has been on hand under cover over three years; we have not had a single complaint of our lumber not being seasoned. We have over fifteen thousand feet of lumber on hand all the time; parties not knowing us are invited to call and see for themselves. We are determined to keep up our hard earned reputation.
mh27-8m. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.


NOTICE

To Parents, Guardians and Others.

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Orphans' Court of Kent county will, on

TUESDAY, April 20th, 1875,

proceed to designate or elect one pupil from Kent county, to be sent to the Baltimore Female College, under the law passed by the Legislature of Maryland, and who will be "admitted to all the instructions given in the College, and to the privileges of the Normal Class, with all necessary books, without any charge whatever," except for board.

Parents and others disposed to avail themselves of this notice, are requested to make written applications, stating name and age of the young lady applying.

Written testimonials of moral character and intellectual capacity will be required.

The Court will also expect some guarantee that the pupil will remain at the Institution sufficiently long to complete the usual course of study.

All applications to be filed with the Register of Wills on or before the day above named.

By order of the Orphans' Court.
WILLIAM STEVENS,
mar27-4d. *Register of Wills for Kent Co.*

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of R. C. Johnson, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John T. Smyth, I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, and interest of the said John T. Smyth, in and to the following described realty, to wit:

All that LOT or PARCEL OF LAND

With the Improvements thereon of a

Wheelwright and Blacksmith Shop,

situated in the First Election District of Kent county, in or near the town of Millington.

And I hereby give notice, that on

*MONDAY, the 26th of APRIL, 1875,*

at 12 o'clock, M., at the hotel porch of Mr. Pennington, in the said town of Millington, I will sell the said property at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, to pay and satisfy the said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

EDWARD PLUMMER, Sheriff.
U. A. C. GARRETT, Auctioneer.
Mar. 27, 1875—4s.


To the Farmers —OF— Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's Counties.

*Your Attention is Called to*

The Galena Machine Shops And FOUNDRY.

THE active season for farming operations is just opening and the undersigned hereby tender their thanks to their numerous friends for past patronage, and expect to merit a continuance of the same by being ready at all times to supply them upon generous terms with the following first class Agricultural Implements, viz:

12 Different Kinds of PLOWS, Harrows, Cultivators,

Celebrated Taylor Wheat Rake.

*Also, our New Competitor REAPER,*

for two horses, made entirely of iron, lighter than any other, simple in construction and of great strength, and guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.

CULTIVATOR TEETH,

of the best steel, $2.50 cash, per set.

Also, 20 Tons of PLOUGH CASTINGS now on hand, made perfectly smooth, and of the best iron. Persons living nearer the following dealers can procure them from

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT, Chestertown,
F. H. HARPER & BRO., Still Pond,
HARRISON & BRO., Crumpton,
JOHN B. PARROTT, Still Pond,
N. T. HYNSON "
TURNER & BRO., Betterton.
W. E. KEYSER, Belair.

Old Iron received in exchange or the highest cash price paid.

WM. A. HYLAND & CO.
GALENA, March 27, 1875—tf.

CARRIAGE AND HARNESS BAZAAR

J. & W. MERRICK,

Will have their first

Public Sale of Carriages, Harness,

and HORSES, at their Carriage and Harness Bazar, Fourth and Walnut streets, Wilmington, Del., WEDNESDAY MORNING, April 14, 1875, at 10 o'clock.

Our public sales will be continued and held every Wednesday and Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, comprising nearly

Two Hundred Carriages,

well selected, good assortment of various kinds and of the best manufactures, with a large assortment of Single and Double HARNESS, and

Some Thirty Head of Good Horses.

Through the large experience of the senior member of the firm in the Carriage manufacture, together with buying everything for cash they are enabled to sell at the most reasonable prices, and give satisfaction in every transaction. We will constantly keep the latest and most fashionable styles in our stock.

Always on hand a large assortment of Carriages and Harness at Private Sale, or exchange for second-hand work. We will at any time, buy or advance cash on Carriages, Harness, &c., or sell on commission. Consignments solicited. J. & W. MERRICK.
March 27, 1875.

NEW GOODS AT THE POST OFFICE,

At Kennedyville.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RETURNED FROM THE CITY WITH

A FULL and COMPLETE STOCK OF SPRING GOODS,

Which he offers at REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH OR TRADE.

JOSEPH E. WEER.
March 27, 1875.

LANDRETH'S FRESH GARDEN SEEDS, For sale by JOS. E. WEER.
March 27, 1875.

NEW YORK EARLY ROSE POTATOES, by barrel or bushel, by JOS. E. WEER.
Mar. 27.

EXTRA STOCK of Men's and Boys' Heavy and Dress SHOES, Also, Ladies' and Misses' Shoes, by JOS. E. WEER.
Mar. 27.

CLOTHING, *DRY GOODS, And NOTIONS,* By JOS. E. WEER, Kennedyville.

I WOULD call the FARMERS' attention to my samples of PLOWS, CULTIVATORS, &c. JOS. E. WEER, Kennedyville.

DRUGS, *MEDICINES, PAINTS,* Oils, Varnish, &c. Prescriptions carefully compounded. JOS. E. WEER,
Mar. 27. Kennedyville.

GROCERIES, Coffees, Sugars, Teas, Spices.
Mar. 27. J. E. WEER, Kennedyville.

HARDWARE, Nails, Garden Implements, Shovels, Spades, Forks, &c. JOS. E. WEER,
Mar. 27. 1875. Kennedyville.


Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, is ued by T. W. Russell, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent Co., and to me directed, at the suit of Josiah Kennard, col., use J. N. Usilton, against Lemuel Stevens, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Stevens, of, in and to

EIGHT HEAD OF HORSES,

9 Head of Cattle, 15 Shoats, 52 Sheep, Crop of Wheat seeded on Swan Point farm.

And I hereby give notice, that on Saturday, the 10th day of April, at 11 o'clock A. M., at Rees' Corner, I will sell said property to the highest bidders for cash, to pay said writ, interest and costs due thereon.
mh27-ts. H. E. COOPER, Const.

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 in Kent County, Maryland, of

*JAMES H. EDDY,*

late of St. Louis, Missouri, 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 20th day of October, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under our hands and seals this 16th day of March, 1875.
JAMES A. PEARCE,
C. T. WESTCOTT,
Mar. 27, 1875—4t. Administrators.


MRS. TILLIE LUSBY, Having moved to Locust Grove, is prepared to do all kinds of PLAIN SEWING, in the best manner. Solicits the patronage of her friends and the public. feb20-7t.

BUY the Celebrated MARYLAND BOOTS, Philadelphia hand made, and *warranted for four months*, for sale at
Dec. 19. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.


Mortgagee's Sale

BY VIRTUE of a Power of Attorney, contained in a Mortgage from Joshua Vansant and wife to William A. Hyland and Cornelius J. Scott, dated December 27th, 1873, and recorded in Liber J. K. H., No. 12, Folios 283, &c., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Maryland; and also acting under a power of Attorney from George R. Vansant and Mary E. Vansant, assignees of Andrew Woodall, the undersigned will sell at PUBLIC SALE, on

MONDAY,

*The Nineteenth day of APRIL, 1875,*

AT TWO O'CLOCK, P. M.,

At the Hotel of John Pennington, in Galena, THE SAID MORTGAGED PREMISES, consisting of

A FARM,

IN the FIRST ELECTION DISTRICT of KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND, which was devised by Hannah Greenwood in her last will and testament to said Joshua Vansant, adjoining the lands of Fredus Vansant, Ira Vansant, and John Benson, on the public road leading from Wilmer's Point to Massey's containing

146 Acres of Land,

*MORE OR LESS.*

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of a

FRAME DWELLING,

*And all necessary OUT-BUILDINGS,*

all nearly new and in good order. There is a pump of excellent water in the yard.

The farm is divided into five fields, under good fencing, and a

PEACH ORCHARD of TEN ACRES OF CHOICE VARIETIES.

It is situated about two miles from Wilmer's Point, a Steamboat Landing on Sassafras river; about two miles from Morris' Station, and three miles from Masseys, on the Kent county Railroad, and is in the most highly cultivated and beautiful section of Kent county; is convenient to the Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York markets, and also to Churches, Schools and Mills.

Also, a Tract of WOOD-LAND,

*Adjoining Morris' Station, containing SIXTEEN ACRES.*

THE TERMS OF SALE are cash, but may be modified. Purchasers to pay for deeds.

The sale will be subject to a legacy of $2500 to be paid to Sarah Scotten in August, 1876, with interest, according to the last will and testament of Hannah Greenwood, dec'd, late of Kent county.

CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
MORTGAGEE.
Galena, March 27, 1875—tds.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at the MARKET HOUSE, in Chestertown, on

SATURDAY, the 3d of April, '75,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

1 BLACK HORSE, 6 years old.
1 BROWN MARE, 5 years old.
1 SORREL MARE, 7 years old, in foal by St. Elmo.
1 BROWN MARE, 12 years old, a good Brood Mare and very fast.
1 COLT, by St. Elmo; will be a year old in June next.
1 PAIR No. 1 MULES, both young.
1 ROAN CHIEF COLT, 3 years old; fine size; his full sister sold for $600 last Spring. Also, the

Chestnut Sorrel Mare, "Gypsy,"

belonging to Hines & Burchinal. She is being sold for want of use. She is sound and gentle in harness; she can trot in 3 minutes, and if trained could be made fast. She is half-sister to "Capt. Jack," that sold for $5,000, and trotted in 2.24.

Farming Implements

1 Two-Horse Wagon & Harness, 1 Horse Cart and Harness, Conceave and Wiley Plows and Gears, Shovels, Spades and Forks, 1 Corn Sheller, nearly new, 1 Hay and Straw Cutter, 1 Sleigh, 1 Carriage, 1 Buggy Wagon, 3 SHOATS, and One Grindstone.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M.

TERMS:—All purchases of $15 or less, cash; all over that amount a credit of six months, with note and approved security.

JAMES BRICE.
March 20, 1875—ts.


A NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

Agricultural Implements AND FARM MACHINERY.

THE subscriber has just opened at the Vobsell House Building, a new Agricultural Department to be known as the

Kent County Agricultural Store,

where he will keep constantly on hand the celebrated CHAMPION REAPER AND MOWER, with all Extras and Repairs for the same.

Always on hand, the Smyrna Concave and Wiley, or any other Plow manufactured by Taylor & Co., of Smyrna, Del. A full assortment of CASTINGS for the above named Plows always on hand.

Also, on exhibition and for sale, the Light-running NEW AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE, which is in advance of all competitors in valuable improvements and points of excellence, which have never been attained by other machines.

It has stood the test of the severest criticism, as well as the most malignant abuse from rival agents, who have done their utmost to prevent the introduction of a machine so superior in all its parts, and which possesses such valuable and important improvements. Oil and Needles always on hand. Machines cleaned and repaired at short notice and reasonable charge.

ALL KINDS OF

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

will be added to my stock, when the different seasons wherein they are to be used draw near.

Please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

JOHN BELL, Agent.
Chestertown, Mar. 27, 1875.

NOTICE.—There are piles of lime at Kennedyville and Black's Station, on the Kent Co. Railroad, containing about 100 bus. each, on which the freight and charges have not been paid; and notice is hereby given that if said freight and charges are not paid and said lime removed by the first day of April next, it will, by authority of the Kent County Railroad Company, on the afternoon of that day, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock, be sold at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said freight and charges aforesaid. F. GERKER, Lessee.
March 20, 1875—2w.

LOOK SHARP!

I RESPECTFULLY but seriously notify all persons indebted to me for Taxes that, on and after TUESDAY, the 13th day of April next, I shall proceed to collect by a levy, advertising and sale on the same.
March 20—tue. C. W. WARREN, Late Collector.

MANTUAMAKER

*At KENNEDYVILLE, MD.*

Having the assistance of a Lady with a thorough knowledge of the business in all its branches, would solicit orders from my friends and the Ladies generally, with a guarantee of a good fit and latest styles.
feb27-1m. MRS. S. C. HUDSON.

Good News! the Latest and Best!

New Grocery AND PROVISION STORE!

J. M. VANDYKE,

Respectfully announces to his friends and the public that he has opened a NEW STORE in Mr. Levi Fiddis' new store room, recently occupied by Mr. J. W. Carroll, on High St., opposite the M. E. Church, where he will keep in store and for sale,

Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Spices,

Molasses, Vinegar, Bacon, Broiling Beef, Breakfast Bacon, Bologna Sausage, Lard, Cheese, Salt Fish,

Meal, Corn, Feed, Flour by the lb., hundred lbs., or barrel. Canned Vegetables, Tomatoes, Peaches, Peas, Corn, Strawberries and Pickles.

Confectionary.

Candies, Nuts, Crackers, Cakes, Oranges and Lemons.

TOBACCO, Cigars and Pipes.

Buckets, Tubs and Brooms, Lamps, Lamp Chimneys, and other articles too numerous to mention. All kinds of Vegetables in their season; in fact almost everything that is kept in a first class Grocery Store.

These goods are all bought at the lowest cash prices, and will be sold low for cash or country Produce.

This store will be conducted principally by my two sons, ALONZO and WILLIAM. Please give them a call, and if you don't find what you want there, come around to my old store on Cross St., and we'll try to fix you up right.

Wanted—Bacon, Lard, Butter, Eggs, Rags, Poultry, Grain, &c.
mb27. JAMES M. VANDYKE.


Sheriff's License Notice.

*NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, TRADERS AND OTHERS.*

ALL PERSONS and bodies corporate or politic in Kent county, who are, or shall be, exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are HEREBY WARNED TO OBTAIN A LICENSE OR RENEW THE SAME on or before the

First day of May, 1875,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

LIQUOR LICENSE.

ALL APPLICATIONS for Liquor License must be made to the Grand Jury at the April Term of the Circuit Court for Kent County, which begins on the Third Monday (nineteenth day) of that month, and recommended by that body to the Clerk of the Circuit Court before License can be obtained.

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows: If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed $1,000 - - - $12 60
Over $1,000 and not over $1,500 - 15 60
" 1,500 " 2,500 - 18 60
" 2,500 " 4,000 - 22 60
" 4,000 " 6,000 - 30 60
" 6,000 " 8,000 - 40 60
" 8,000 " 10,000 - 50 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale; or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting a license applies through an agent.

Persons may sell Salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Venders of Cakes, and venders of Beer and Cider, who are makers of such beer and cider, (Lager Beer excepted) are not required to pay License.

LICENSES TO ORDINARIES AND TAVERN KEEPERS.

The licenses to Ordinaries and Tavern Keepers to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer in quantities less than a pint, at any one time are as follows:

The said applicant, after being recommended by the Grand Jury as above stated, is to make oath before the Clerk as to the rate of rent or annual value of the house at or in which the business to be authorized by the license may be done, or intended to be done.

If the rental or annual value is not
Over $100 - - - - - $25 60
" 100 and not over $200 - 40 60
" 200 " 300 - 55 60
" 300 " 400 - 60 60
" 400 " 500 - 70 60
" 500 " 750 - 90 60
" 750 " 1000 - 100 60

RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS OR FERMENTED LIQUORS OR LAGER BEER.

The amount of License to be paid by retailers of spirituous and fermented liquors or lager beer, are as follows: If the value of the stock in trade be $500 or less - $18 60
Over $500 - - - - - 35 60
From $1,000 to $2,000 - - 50 60
" 2,000 to 4,000 - - 75 60
" 4,000 to 6,000 - - 100 60

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

The License to be paid by the keepers of Oyster and Eating Houses is $50 60 throughout the State.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6; but if over that amount, they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

LICENSES to OWNERS or KEEPERS OF STALLIONS OR JACKS.

The owner or keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State, the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of said Clerk, with the seal of his Court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing such Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in