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Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - APRIL 21, 1877

THE HELL GATE OF THE EASTERN SHORE.—Mr. R. S. Dodson, owner of the steamer Olive, came up from Norfolk last week for the purpose of making a personal inspection of the Kent Island Narrows, and determining whether or not the route is feasible for his steamer. Mr. Dodson has been and is yet anxious to use that route from Miles river to Baltimore, deeming it to be of advantage to the accommodation of the shipping public, but his examination of the present condition of the bridge and narrows satisfies him that the route is now impracticable, and that the passage through would be attended with great peril—in fact impossible, except at the period of slack water. Mr. Dodson went from St. Michael's to the narrows on Friday of last week, on the schooner Alfaratta. He staked out the channel with proper marks, and concluded that though it would be risky the Olive should try it on Monday; but when standing on the bridge, after ebb tide had been running a little, the impossibility of getting any craft through the seething, boiling current caused by the passing of such an immense mass of water through a way only sixty feet wide was clearly seen. Mr. Dodson describes the rush of the tide almost terrific, and says it comes nearer in violence to the rapids of Niagara than anything he has ever witnessed. On the Eastern bay side of the bridge the water was at least a foot higher than on the Chester side, and it rushed against and climbed up a stake sticking in the current like the water climbs the prow of a steamer when in rapid motion. This is caused by the foolish attempt to empty the Eastern bay in seven hours through a way sixty feet wide. Except where the draw is the bridge is solid from shore to shore instead of being built on piles, as the law provides it should be. The solid abutments of course check the water and force it all through the draw, and create as great an obstacle to navigation as the old solid causeway did. In addition to this the draw is such a clumsy affair that it will not work, and the channel is serpentine, with several sharp curves, in the angles of which there are solid shell and sand bars, across which the waters seethe and bubble, about three feet in depth, and upon which any vessel carried by the swift current would be in a dangerous position.—*St. Michael's Comet.*

A MOTHER DIES AT HER DAUGHTER'S DEATH-BED.—About 8 o'clock last night Mr. James Abbott and his wife, who were spending the evening at the house of a relative, were called home by a hurried message that their daughter, Annabella, was at the point of death at their residence, No. 180 Lee street. When they arrived in the daughter's room the young lady lay dead on a lounge. The mother, on beholding the corpse, was so much shocked and grieved that she sank to the floor unconscious. The persons in the room, supposing she had fainted tried in every way to restore her, and sent for Dr. S. A. Bell, who arrived in a short time. The physician applied the galvanic battery and used other means, but without effect. He pronounced her lifeless, and that death had resulted in all probability from congestion of the system, caused by grief. Mrs. Abbott was 38 years old, of medium height, but robust figure, weighing about 180 pounds. She had previously been in good health, and had never been known to have any affection of the heart. Miss Abbott was about 18 years old and had been an invalid all her life.

The scene in the house was most affecting. Mr. Abbott was rendered almost frantic by the double catastrophe. He clung to the dead body of his wife, and for a long time refused to leave it. The spectators were greatly affected at the sad sight. The dead body of the young lady lying on the lounge, that of the mother on the floor beside her, and the husband bending over her. Mr. Abbott is about forty-five years old, a boilermaker by trade, and has other children. The couple lost their youngest child, an infant, from scarlet fever about a month ago.—*Balto. Sun, 16th inst.*

CHARLES TIENAN, a gentleman gambler, was dealing the cards not a stone's throw from the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, when the cry of fire ran through the streets. He dropped the cards and elbowed his way through the crowd in front of the hotel. The shrieks of affrightened women rang in his ears; he sprang to the rescue, and taking a helpless women in his arms carried her out to the street. Then he went back and rescued another woman from death. He was terribly scalded, but there were voices still pleading for help, and he went back into the fiery furnace only to meet his own death. All that was left of the heroic gambler was laid out in a handsome coffin, and the reporters state that many gentlemen called at the gambling house on Wednesday of last week, to look upon his face and grieve over his untimely fate. Heroism is heroism the world over, in sinner or saint, gambler or deacon. But it is easier for a gambler to sacrifice his life under the pressure of excitement than it is for an ordinary sinner. His habits of life make him reckless in taking enormous risks. To place his own life at stake anfl to play with fire for another life—it is heroism under the guise of a game of chance.

IT appears that Simon Cameron is to go with Boss Grant to Europe as private secretary and paymaster to the excursion, when any paying is to be done. They will both cross the ocean as deadheads, and that fact has been widely gazetted in advance, as a gentle admonition to the common carriers on the other side of the pond. We fear the cold-hearted hotel keepers of effete Europe will not take this hint. They are accustomed to lay heavy hands on all "distinguished travelers." An ex-President to these harpies is like an ex-King or a Pretender, and a Winnebago chief will take rank as a member of a royal family. Grant and Cameron are too well known over the world to travel incog., and since a suit for breach of promise in marriage has been brought against the latter, the interest of European widows and spinsters will be necessarily excited to a keen degree about the personality of this gay and festive deceiver who pursues his pranks notwithstanding his seventy-eight years.

IT rejoices the soul of the Brooklyn *Eagle* to see that Hayes "does not flinch under the fire," and, patting him on the back, as it were, adds that "the public expectation and opinion of the country are so plainly with the President's course that he cannot complete it too soon."

JOHN A. DIX, the author of the letter from Deal's Island to *The American*, has been ajudged guilty of libel by the Somerset County Court for statements made therein and fined $50 and cost. It was clearly a case of persecution.

TWO NEW HOTELS have been built during the winter at Ocean City. The four now there will accommodate 1,200 people, and a brisk business for the season is anticipated.

GRANT refuses to be interviewed, and says that he is only a private citizen. All of this is eminently true and proper. His opinions never were of the slightest importance. His *actions*, without opinions or convictions, were what caused all the uneasiness during his long and leaden reign. Now that he can no longer act, his views or opinions are matters of utter indifference to forty-five millions of people.

SPOTS upon the Sun do not visibly diminish its brilliancy, but spots, pimples or blotches upon the face, neck or arms seriously detract from female beauty.—They may, however, be completely removed by the daily use of Glenn's Sulpher Soap. Depot, Crittenton's 76th Ave., N. Y. Hills Hair & Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50cts. 14-4t.

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JAS. M. J. BYRON..... " "
VICK. HENDRICKSON.... " "
GEORGE VICKERS..... " "
WILLIAM FORD..... " "
JAS. A. PEARCE..... " "
ROBT. G. NICHOLSON ....Hanesville, Md.
JOHN P. NICHOLSON..... " "
DR. A. HARDCASTLE.....Goldsboro', Md.
JOHN W. COREY .....Hanesville, "
THOS. C. PARSONS.....Chestertown, "
OWEN CONNELLY .....Edesville, "
STEPHEN LECATES .....Chestertown, "
GEO. W. CHRISFIELD.....Galena, "
S. J. ROSEBERRY, Lynch's Station, "
THEO. DIEHL..... Hanesville, "
PETER STOKES.....Chestertown "
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JOSEPH CORNELIUS.....Chestertown, "

See letters of the above named and others in our circulars.

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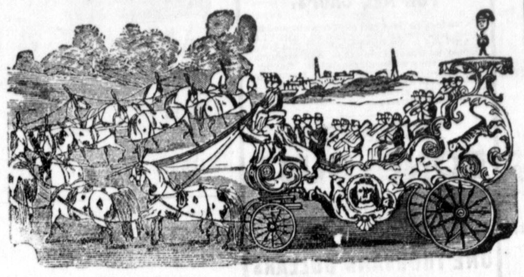

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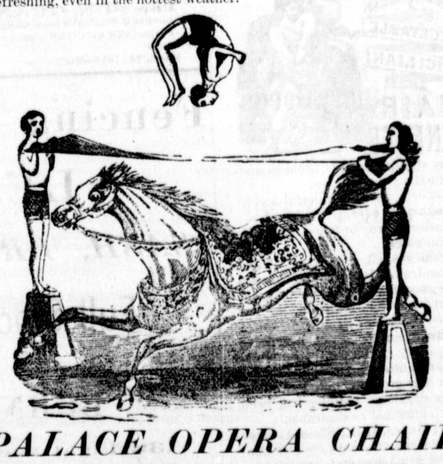

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April 21—2t. CHAS. H. DAY, Director of Publications.

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☞ Builders' Hardware of every kind, and selling very cheap.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.
March 17, 1877.

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Cucumber Wood Pumps!

CHAS. G. BLATCHLEY'S

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Received direct from the Manufacturer, and bought at the lowest cash price, we can offer very great inducements to those wishing to purchase Pumps. We have on hand Extra Handles, Brackets, Links, Rods, Buckets, Valves, Bands, Nozzles, Braces, &c., &c.

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all of the best quality and at lowest prices.

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☞ I take this opportunity to return my sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, and pledge myself to renewed efforts to merit a continuance of public favor.

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Chestertown, Jan. 1, 1877.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for using and preparing the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address Rev. E. A. WILSON,
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A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JNO. B. OGDEN,
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RATIFICATION NOTICE.

EDWIN SMITH, exec'r John P. Smith,
versus
JAMES A. RINGGOLD and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, January Term, 1877.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Rich'd W. Ringgold, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the fourteenth day of June next, Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 14th day of May next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $4,000.00.

D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
April 14, 1877—4t.

Ratification Notice.

George B. Westcott,
versus
Lea Smith, et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County. In Equity.

JANUARY TERM, 1877.

ORDERED, that the sale of the "Shipyard Farm" and "Wood Lot," made and reported by George B. Westcott, under the power in the mortgage from Lea Smith and others to Richard Hynson, and by him assigned to said Geo. B. Westcott, dated Oct. 1st, 1872, and recorded among the Land Records for Kent county, in Liber J. K. H., No. 11, Folio 419, &c., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the fifteenth day of June next,—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Kent county once in each of three successive weeks before the fifteenth day of May next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $7,500.00.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

THOMAS PARSONS,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of November, 1877, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of April, 1877.

TILGHMAN SHAFER,
April 14, 1877—4t. Adm'r.

A. H. RUSSELL,

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COLLARS, BRIDLES, HAMES,
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For Chester River

On and after MONDAY, Feb. 5, 1877, the

Steamer GEO. LAW,

Will leave CHESTERTOWN every Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Baltimore, at 8 A. M., stopping at ROLPH'S, BOOKER'S, QUAKER NECK, GREY'S INN, QUEENSTOWN and KENT ISLAND.

Returning LEAVE Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 9, A. M., making the above stops.

All Freights prepaid at office in Baltimore. R. A. BRAINARD, Agent

Chester River Steamboat Company.
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FOR SASSAFRAS RIVER

The Steamer TRUMPETER.

Will leave Georgetown at 7½ o'clock A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving in Baltimore at 2 o'clock P. M.

Returning will leave Baltimore at 10½ A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for all landings on Sassafras River, and BUCK NECK. The Stage from Chestertown will make close connection as usual.

The TRUMPETER is in fine condition and no effort will be spared that will contribute to the comfort and pleasure of passengers

A. L. COLMARY, Master.
WM. BEACHAM, Agt. at Buck Neck.
March 3, 1877—tf.

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HARNESS TO SUIT ALL at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

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NEW PLOW BRIDLES,

at very low prices; also, New Plough and Draught Collars.

All kinds STRAP WORK for Harness.

Every part of Harness can be always had at my store. A good stock of

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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, 1877,

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

These 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 (16th 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 ever $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 license applies through an agent. If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

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 take out License.

ORDINARIES & 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 or intended to be done.

If the rental or annual value is not
Over $100 - - - - $25 00
" 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 thro'out 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.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their licenses on or before the first of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows in the county:
To travel on foot - - - $41 00
With one horse and wagon - 51 00
With two horses and wagon - 71 00
FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:
To travel on foot - - - $61 00
With one horse and wagon - 101 00
With two horses and wagon - 151 00

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of a partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than a hundred dollars, recoverable before a Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, banknotes, or other obligation, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:
Exchange Broker - - - $100 60
Stock Broker - - - 75 60
Bill Broker - - - 50 60

LICENSE TO OWNERS or KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

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 no case shall the sum directed to be paid for said license be less than ten dollars; and that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing or standing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the last preceding section, one-half to the State and the other half to the informers.

PHILIP MEDDERS, Sheriff
March 31—1m. of Kent Co.

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