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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - OCT. 12, 1878.

FOR CONGRESS:

Hon. DANIEL M. HENRY,

OF DORCHESTER COUNTY.

THE result in Ohio is a settler to Senator Thurman's presidential aspirations.

HON. D. M. HENRY, our candidate for Congress, will speak in Centreville on Thursday, Oct. 24; Chestertown Saturday, 26, and Easton, Tuesday 29th.

SENATOR HILL, of Georgia, has written a letter, in which he sharply arraigns President Hayes for the "gross misuse of his patronage."

ON Wednesday, the 23d inst., Rev. Henry Ward Beecher will deliver the annual address at the Alleghany County Fair, in Cumberland.

THE yellow fever scourge appears to be nearly as bad as ever. The weather has been sultry and unfavorable, the fever continues to spread, and the death list continues to be frightfully large. A very bad new feature of the plague is that it is rapidly spreading throughout the country districts, among plantations.

THE Rev. Hurbert H. Hayden, of Madison, Conn., who was recently acquitted of the charge of poisoning Mary Stanard, was rearrested and committed to jail on Tuesday. It is understood that the State's Attorney has discovered new evidence, and both he and Hayden refuse to talk with any one.

WM. EDW. LARUE, colored, indicted for the murder of Henry Holland, also colored, in the town of Northeast, Cecil co., last spring, was tried in Elkton last week, and found guilty of murder in the second degree. He was defended by Hon. Hiram McCullough and Albert Constable, Esq. The court imposed a penalty of sixteen years in the penitentiary, and congratulated the prisoner on the "fortunate termination of the trial."

THE MORNING HERALD, a Baltimore daily announces its determination to support the principles of the Greenback party. The *Herald* is conducted with enterprise and ability, and we are not surprised to learn that the announcement of its position on the financial question is received with special gratification and enthusiasm by all adherants of the "Greenback" faith.

THE Cambridge *Democrat* and *News* has pronounced in favor of Hon. P. F. Thomas for Governor, and pays a handsome compliment to his ability and industry at the last session of the legislature. Mr. Johnson, the editor of the *Democrat* and *News*, served in the last house of delegates with Gov. Thomas, and speaks from the record. It is hardly expected he would meet with serious opposition on this Shore.

THE DISTRESS IN NEW ORLEANS—*Material losses by the Plague.*—Col. Rivers, of the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans, in an interview the other day with the Secretary of War, placed the material loss occasioned to the localities visited by the yellow fever at the sum of $200,000,000. In large parts of the fever-infected districts the cotton crop will be lost for want of hands to gather it. The sugar crop is yet to make, and Mr. Rivers has strong hopes that it can be saved. He states that three-fourths of the workingmen of New Orleans were to-day in enforced idleness and without means of subsistence. It was prostration everywhere; the people were almost entirely without money. Druggists put up five gratuitous prescriptions to one that was paid for; the baker gave away five loves of bread to one that he sold. So it was with the butcher, and with all those that deal in the necessaries of life.

FALL ATTRACTIONS IN BALTIMORE.—The Baltimore *Sun* says the Fall meeting of the Maryland Jockey Club, which begins on next Tuesday week, promises to open under unusually favorable auspices. Some two hundred horses will contest for the prizes, which amount in the aggregate to twenty-five thousand dollars. Some of the horses are already on the ground, and those which had been entered for the Jerome Park and Nashville races will arrive there in time for the preparatory training. Taking it altogether there has not been a season in which the turf will be so well represented, or when the city offers more attractions to visitors. The Maryland Institute Fair—never offered so varied a collection as now—will be at its best and brightest.

THE surveyors of the ship canal have completed their work from the Choptank to the confluence of the northwest and northeast prongs of the Nanticoke at Walnut Landing, and it is said to average fifteen feet less than any other route yet surveyed, running through a low swamp country much of the way. They will now begin on the other side of the Nanticoke, and run and take up the northeast prong of the same to Milford, thence to the Delaware Breakwater.

AN EXTRAORDINARY FUNERAL.—An extraordinary funeral occurred at Mankato, Minn., last week. The diphtheria broke out in the family of Samuel Randall, and carried off four of his children within four days. The bodies of two other children, who had died some time previously and had been buried in an old cemetery, were disinterred, and the six little coffins, carried to the graveyard at the same time, afforded a sad and unusual spectacle.

BOWIE'S LUCK.—The maturity stakes, won at Jerome Park, New York, on Tuesday, by ex-Gov. Bowie's Maryland Oriole, were worth $4,600.

WALTER W. AMOS, a youth of about 19 years, was thrown from his horse and killed at the Harford co., fair grounds on Tuesday.

THE agricultural fair held near Bethlehem, Caroline county, Md., which has just closed, proved a great success.

THE Laurel Meth. Prot. camp-meeting began yesterday.—*Denton Journal, 5th.*

Rather late in the season!

HON. A. K. SYSTON recently addressed a Greenback meeting at Hagerstown.

THE WESTERN ELECTIONS.—Elections were held last Tuesday in Ohio, Indiana, Iowa and West Virginia. The republicans carry Ohio on their State ticket by from seven to ten thousand majority.—They claim nine and the democrats eleven members of Congress. The present Ohio delegation stands twelve republican and eight democrats.

Indiana returns an increased democratic majority on the State ticket, and gains one Congressman. The present delegation stands 8 republicans to 4 democrats.

The West Virginia election was closely contested for Congressmen, the democrats retaining the representation—3 members.

Iowa as usual goes republican solid.

Of the "Greenbackers" the *American's* Washington special says:

"The so-called new 'unknown quantity' in American politics, which so puzzled the political wiseacres, that the shrewdest of them did not dare to hazard an opinion as to the result in Ohio, Indiana or West Virginia, has proved to be nothing but an insignificant faction unworthy of the slightest consideration as a political party. The opinion expressed here by men of all parties is that whatever there was of the Nationalists as on organization perished yesterday beyond the hope of resurrection."

SALE OF FARMS.—C. T. Westcott, Esq., trustee, on Tuesday last sold "Huntingfield," containing 420 acres, to Thos. B. Hynson, Esq., for $6,050, subject to the payment of an annuity of $300 during the life-time of Mrs. M. A. B. Brown.

Thos. B. Hynson, Esq., has sold to George B. Westcott, Esq., the two Comegys farms on Chester river, which he recently purchased, on private terms.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, Oct. 8.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson. Mary S. Hynson, exec'x of the late Thos. W. Hynson, returned her first administration account and distribution of $11,508.43 cash in hand; also a list of additional sales, both of which were ordered to be recorded. The release of George W. Howard and wife and George W. Howard, trustee for Celeste Clark, was received and ordered to be recorded. Jacob Highley, one of the executors of John Kennedy, returned a list of sperate and desperate debts due said deceased, which was examined and ordered to be recorded.

OUR Town Commissioners at a recent meeting, decided to have another pavement laid commencing near the Postoffice corner, running down Princess street on right side, and ending at the corner of said street and Cannon street. They have also ordered that all venders of fresh meat upon sidewalks and elsewhere upon public property shall be required to procure a license of $1 per month, with the understanding that those persons enjoying the privilege shall not effect such arrangements as will hinder pedestrianism.

THE "ghost story" published on our first page is not exactly correct so far as it relates to Queen Anne's county. The *Observer* says that whilst it is true that the judges then sitting permitted the witness to tell his story about the appearance of the dead man's ghost, it was generally believed that the fellow had manufactured the story out of the whole cloth, and his statement was promptly ruled out as evidence. The case created quite a sensation at the time, and has been extensively published, but the records have been lost or destroyed, and it cannot now be obtained for further particulars.

REV. J. B. MANN says that the discipline of the M. E. Church cannot now be enforced, because the whole body has gone so far away from the old landmarks that no pastor would be sustained in such an effort; the church is dominated by the world in such a way that it has no independence. There is an insane asylum somewhere for the accommodation of such chaps as Mr. Mann.

When the Conference was held in Chestertown last Spring, we noticed that Bro. Mann was as handsomely dressed, and had as much to say—and to as little purpose—as any one perhaps in it! He reminds us of some characters nearer home, who profess to have more religion than their neighbors give them credit for.

PERE WILMER, Esq., of Queen Anne's, we learn from the *Record*, has transferred his real and personal estate to Ormand Hammond and Charles H. Gibson, Esqs., of Talbot county, trustees, for the benefit of his creditors. The real estate embraces some of the best farms in the county and aggregates 1,832 acres of land. The personal property is also extensive and embraces some of the finest stock to be found on the Peniusula. The property transferred is estimated as amply sufficient to liquidate all Mr. Wilmer's obligations. Nothing more honorable could be asked of Mr. Wilmer.

STOP IT!—We are told that some parties have already commenced gunning for partridges—that one young man in Chestertown had killed as many as a dozen in one day. This, if true, is reprehensible—it is a clear violation of the game laws—and ought to be stopped. Honorable sportsmen will not be guilty of such conduct. The game laws of Maryland permit the killing of birds between certain dates, the State law being enforced in the cities and counties that have no local law to the contrary. In most of the counties the value of the insectiverous birds to the farmer is recognized by the laws which prohibit the killing of them at any time; this is particularly true of Baltimore county, where the law against their destruction is rigidly enforced. Prince George's and Anne Arundel are the only counties that have laws regulatng the killing of sora or rail, which they permit from September 5 to November 1. The general State law permits the shooting of woodcock from June 15 to February 1, partridges from November 1 to December 24, pheasants from August 15 to January 1, rabbits from October 15 to January 15. Any person who shall catch, kill, or have in his possession any of these, save between these dates, is liable to a fine of $10 for each bird or rabbit, one-half of which fine goes to the informer. Most of the counties have local game laws; Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot allowing the killing of partridges only between November 1 to January 15, and rabbits between October 1 and January 15.

A law enacted by the last General Assembly of Maryland declares that it shall be unlawful for any person to take or catch diamond-back terrapins from the waters of this State between the 1st day of April and the 1st day of November in each year, and that no diamond-back terrapin of less size than five inches in length upon the bottom shell shall be taken at any time. The fine for violation of this law is to be not less than $5 nor more than $10 for each terrapin, one-half going to the informer, and possession of the terrapin to be deemed *prima facia* evidence of the violation of the law.

AT the Dover Fair Mr. G. W. Lockwood, of Warwick, was awarded four first and one second premium for thoroughbred Southdown sheep, and the first premium for thoroughbred horses, "Legatee" being considered superior to all others.

MR. A. N. ERAUGH, the newly elected Principal of the public school in Chestertown, took charge of that institution last Tuesday.

LARGE WHEAT SEEDING.—Wm. McKenney, Esq., the most extensive farmer on the Eastern Shore and probably on the Peninsula, will seed this fall about twenty-four hundred bushels of wheat. He is sowing Fultz nearly altogether, on his fallow, and applying 1½ bushels to the acre, and red wheat on his corn ground. He applies 1½ bushels to the acre where red wheat is used. Last year he seeded about twenty-two hundred bushels.—*Centreville Record.*

WE regret to learn that our friend, Mr. B. F. Parlett, Jr., tobacco merchant, of Baltimore, in landing at the railroad wharf in Cambridge from the steamer Kent last Sunday, stepped on a rotten plank, fell through and hurt himself severely.

THE Cecil *Whig* says that fresh herring, caught somewhere down the bay, were sold on the streets of Elkton last week. Who ever heard of fresh herring in October?

ARREST OF DREDGERS—*A Man Shot.*—Captain V. D. Clements, of the Oyster Police sloop Mary Compton, brought to Chestertown and lodged in jail on Wednesday John Lutz, Captain, James McCauley, John Whitman, Thomas Smith, John Greros, Daniel Martin, Frank Fisher and Thomas Cole, the crew of the dredge-boat Sarah S. Jones, of Baltimore, who were captured on Tuesday night dredging on Swan Point in forbidden waters. A hearing of the case was had before Justice Calder, who committed the parties to jail for the action of the Grand Jury. In making the capture the crew of the Compton fired a number of shots at the Skinner, one of which took effect in the left arm of Captain Lutz; the ball passed through the arm above the elbow shattering the bone and making a serious wound. Capt. Clements' account of the matter is that the wind was high and the sea rough; that his boat got near enough to call to the crew of the Skinner and demand submission; but the Skinner refused to surrender and persisted in attempting to escape; he then directed his men to fire, but in doing so to fire into the sails and rigging of the fleeing boat. The injured captain says that the only bullet that was shot low he thinks struck him; that the other shots struck the sails and rigging above the heads of the crew, and he thinks his shooting was unintentional. Captain Clements was unremitting in his attentions to the wounded man, securing the services of a physician before reaching Chestertown, and immediately telegraphing to the unfortunate man's family and employer upon his arrival.

The wounded man was yesterday doing as well as could be expected, but his attending physicians, Drs. Holton and Hines, are not sure that the whole arm will not have to be amputated.

ESCAPE OF FORD FROM JAIL—*A Run for Liberty.*—James Ford, lodged in our jail on the charge of stealing a horse and buggy, and whose arrest in Wilmington, Del., is noticed in another column, concluded to take "leg bail" last Tuesday. On that evening, about 5 o'clock, Deputy Sheriff Price entered his cell with the prisoner's supper, leaving the door open behind him, utterly unsuspicious of any attempt at escape, and knowing him to be ankle-chained to the floor but a little while previous. The prisoner was standing up when Mr. Price entered, and had a blanket wrapped loosely about his feet; he asked for some water, and just as the Deputy turned to leave the cell to procure it, the prisoner, having previously slipped off his irons, darted past him and down the stairway, leaping from the head of the last flight to the floor below. From thence he passed out the front door—jumped the fence into Cross street, and ran with the speed of a track horse down past Wm. Perkins' hall, over the fence at that point, and across the marsh and Dr. George T. Perkins' field. Deputy Price followed as close as possible, and was joined by others in the pursuit, shouting "stop him!" and it is said the fleeing fugitive joined in the cry, lustily yelling "catch him!" "catch him!" thus cunningly misleading persons in front of him. Sheriff Davis, accompanied by a number of others, spent the whole of that night in the search for him, and has since used every effort to get some clue of his whereabouts, but in vain. The captain of a scow, lying in the river at the mouth of Morgan's creek, was hailed about dusk and requested by a young man of the prisoner's description to be put across the mouth of the creek. This the captain did, and it is about the last trace of him obtained. His father, George Ford, lives in Queen Anne's nearly opposite the creek named.

THE MIDDLETOWN FAIR was in every respect a great success, surpassing, if we may credit the accounts given, in the number of visitors, the State Fair at Dover the previous week. Many of the citizens of Kent visited the latter and all were highly pleased; but a much greater number attended that of Middletown, it being a favorite with our people generally. In the trials of speed we notice but few Kent horses entered. In the Art department Mrs. Louis K. Stam had a beautiful display of crystal ivorytypes, and Harry Russell's display of harness was the finest of the kind ever made on the Peninsula. The set of splendid single harness, manufactured by him expressly for exhibition at this Fair, found an immediate purchaser in the person of Gov. John P. Cochran. Harry deserves credit for his enterprise and we congratulate him upon his success. He is himself a *product* of Kent!

In the trials of speed the great 2:22 race was won by Wildair, Scotland second, and Nil Desperandum third; best time 2:31¼. The 3 minute race was won by Lyman, formerly Yollow Cloud, John C. second, and Clara B. third; best time 2:40¾. The 2:40 race was won by Sherman Morgan, May second and Fanny Fern third; time 2:35¼. The exhibition of stock was very fine, especially of short horn cattle.

Of the attendance at the Fair the Middletown *Transcript* says: Though the attendance was very large on Thursday—surpassing in numbers the expectations of all—Friday was really the "big day" of the Fair, when from 10,000 to 12,000 people were on the ground. All the trains on the Delaware road brought an unusually large number of visitors, while the number of carriages within the gates was greater than ever before known at the Fair. At twelve o'clock the grand stand began to fill rapidly up, and by one there was not even standing room left, and the sale of tickets for the stand was discontinued. A continuous string of carriages entirely encircled the grounds, while thousands of anxious spectators crowded along the home stretch anxious to witness the trials of speed in every detail. There were probably more people on the ground than ever attended any previous Fair on the Peninsula.

WE believe that scarcely any policy can be more suicidal to a community than that of sending to the cities for the different articles needed without exact knowledge as to the advantages to be obtained at home. The habit, which prevails largely in some communities, of taking it for granted that goods can be purchased lower in the cities than at home, we think is an unfortunate one—leading to loss to the community, and very frequently to loss on the part of the individual who makes his purchases elsewhere than at home. We note in to-day's issue an advertisement of Lumber, Sash, Mouldings, Shingles, &c., by T. W. ELIASON, JR. He has had large experience in the business, the prices quoted are low, and we have not the slightest doubt but that purchasers, as a rule, can do fully as well, if not better, than in the cities. He advises us that his stock, when all his purchases have arrived, will be the largest and best selected ever in this market. We advise all to get his prices and see what he can do for them before sending away their orders. *

UGLY WORK AT CRUMPTON—*Skeletons Found in a Cellar.*—The Centreville *Observer* states that much excitement has prevailed in Crumpton during the past week, owing to the discovery of the skeletons of two children under circumstances indicating infanticide. The following jury of inquest had been summoned and were to investigate the matter last Thursday; the result we have not learned: Maurice Welch, Henry Schwatka, J. B. Sheppard, A. Ryland, John Artis, Samuel Magee, John Bradley, J. C. Sheppard, H. T. Roberts, E. Ryland, Joshua Bryan, James Anderson. That part of the house in which the discoveries were made has been occupied for the past eight years prior to the 3d of September by Mrs. Jonas J. Crew, a widow, and her unmarried sister, Sallie Stradley. The people of the town are much excited over the affair.

ANOTHER ENGLISH FORTUNE.—Considerable sensation is now existing among the Clow and Hayes heirs in Queen Anne's and adjoining counties concerning the reports from England of the death of a rich relative leaving a large fortune to be divided between them. The fortune is said to run largely into the millions, and a lawyer from New York named Green has been down to Templeville and held a meeting of the heirs to make arrangements for securing the coveted prize. The *Observer* very appropriately and timely puts in this word of caution: Let our friends first *know* that Mr. Green is all right before they employ him, and then they may not lose the $500 which they are asked to contribute. Why not employ a home lawyer, anyhow?

RECOVERY OF STOLEN PROPERTY.—The party noticed by us last week as having been arrested in Wilmington, Del., with stolen property from this county, proved to be James Ford, a son of Mr. George Ford, of Queen Anne's county, and just 21 years of age. Sheriff Davis brought him from Wilmington and lodged him in jail here on Friday of last week. The Sheriff had no requisition from the Governor of Maryland, but Ford was quite willing to come without one. It appears that Ford, on Wednesday morning, was trying to sell the horse and carriage at Stidham's auction stand in Wilmington, when Constable Dillon, who was present, suspecting something wrong, arrested him. Shortly after being locked up Ford confessed that he had stolen the horse on Tuesday night from Josiah Smith (colored) near Washington College, and the carriage and harness from Mr. J. P. Meeks, both of Kent county, Md. The colored man, Smith, has recovered possession of his horse, and Mr. Meeks his carriage and harness.

Chesterville and Vicinity.

Messrs. Editors:—The protracted meeting at this place, which has been in progress for about five weeks, is still going on. The attendance has been good the greater part of the time, while on some occasions the church would not seat all the people. There have been a number of conversions and accessions to the church, while there still are quite a number of penitents. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. E. P. Aldred again occupied the pulpit on Wednesday night.

The temperance meeting held in this village on Saturday night last was well attended considering the short notice. It was addressed by Col. Hanson, C. H. Baker, Esq., and S. W. Aldridge. We think the people mean local option in this vicinity.

Dr. Irving Miller, son of our old and respected citizen, W. T. Miller, left for Baltimore this week, where he enters upon the practice of his profession. From all that we can learn he has a fair prospect of acquiring the success which we heartily wish him. With anything like a fair show, we have not the slightest doubt that the young doctor will soon make for himself a good reputation and secure a lucrative practice.

Constable Jacoby, of Galena, while at the Middletown Fair, was robbed of his pocket-book containing $35. This left him with but a single quarter with which to pay the fare of himself and family home on the railroad. Too bad, Jacoby, that while it is your business to look after these light-fingered gentry, they should politely "go for" your own pocket to the tune of $35.

John H. Thomas, real estate agent, has sold the farm of Mr. John Lollar, near Sudlersville, Queen Anne's county, containing 136 acres, for $3,500. It was purchased by Mr. Peter Scott, of Canada.

Bev. T. W. Brown, pastor of Kent circuit, M. E. Church South, who has been quite ill, is now convalescent. WALTER.

Lynch's and Vicinity.

Messrs. Editors:—The season's rotation has brought again solemn, yet regal October days.

"The summer is dead,
Pale and cold she lieth,
With dead leaves in her hair;
Thus earthly beauty dieth,
Thus perish all things fair."

Just one year ago, in a letter to the *News*, we said: "Nature is going to her rest in the earth for a season." Again has her forces brought bounty and blessing to man. Never was her work finished with more completeness. Never was there greater cause to be glad and grateful to God. As the faded leaves flit and fall around us we are reminded that—

"Love's blossoms too have perished,
And shrouded hearts in gloom;
And those most fondly cherished
Gone down into the tomb."

Still Pond charge held its third quarterly meeting last Sunday at Union. A large congregation greeted Pastor Newman in the morning, who discoursed upon Christ as the desire of all nations, and about the same audience came out at night to hear the Presiding Elder, Mr. Hill, who spoke of "the better country" as the object of the good man's desire. Mr. H. is of the old-fashioned type, a clear thinker, a clear reasoner, a pleasant and most forcible speaker, a most excellent christian gentleman in social intercourse, and his visits therefore are hailed with pleasure. A protracted meeting also began at Union last Sunday, and penitents, we hear, have already been forward.

Many know what a pleasure it is to visit the ever comfortable home of Judge Beck, but to meet Pastor N. and the P. E. there and hear their itinerating jokes is a treat indeed, and we hope to enjoy the like again. Somehow cousin Mary does not only succeed but excels in raising nice poultry and preparing it for the table. Judge B. has built a commodious and substantial dwelling on his farm, formerly known as the Thos. Toulson farm. The work was done by Hamilton Crew, of Still Pond. Mr. Pearson is putting up an excellent house on the old Henry Cohee place, which will greatly beautify his farm. John B. Parrot is putting new paper on his house in Still Pond, the work being done by Mr. Willis, our resident paper hanger and painter. The premises around the I. U. Prot. Epis. Church have been greatly improved by a new gate, hitching fixtures, &c.

Mrs. Isaac Duyer, while reaching after a peach, fell and was insensible for some time, Mrs. Thos. Copper also fell and hurt herself badly. Both are improving.

Mr. Smith, on Col. Gale's farm, had all his meat stolen one night last week.

A tenant house on the Raymond farm, occupied by Henry Hynson, col'd, was burned last Sunday week, and the old man lost nearly all his household goods.

G. R. Reed had two mules that died within an hour of each other. The dog and some poultry also died at the same time. Circumstances point to the conclusion that they were poisoned.

Out of about twenty or more ministers that reside within the bounds of our county but one was present at the temperance mass meeting at Worton Station, thus confirming the opinion that the clergy, as a rule, have the sagacity to penetrate the sham that there is in the move for a coercive law. It looks just like taking a battle axe to cut off a hen's head. I am told that there used to be nearly a dozen places in Worton district where liquor was sold, and now there is not one! What an argument in favor of moral suasion! SENTINEL.

Letter from Middletown, Del.

Messrs. Editors:—In my last I said I would write you an "occasional." As it has been about eight months since you have heard from me, you will doubtless think I have kept my word. Besides when a fellow gets at Middletown and meets so many genial old Kent county friends as he is sure to find here, his heart and soul are full of "auld lang syne," and he feels like telling his friends about it. You must know I have been attending the fair here and have done so for three seasons past. Although the exhibitions here have been proverbially good, yet this one has eclipsed them all, notwithstanding the general prediction of Dover folks shat it would be a failure. The racing was good, the contests being very close and exciting generally, which fact attracted about ten thousand people to the grounds on Friday. There was over one thousand carriages entered the gates that day. I estimate the crowd to exceed the last day's attendance at Dover. The display of stock was generally fine, while the horticultural, floral, agricultural and ladies department were the best they have ever had. There was one of the finest displays of canned fruit I have ever seen in the country, made by Mrs. Atherly of this county. Quite prominent among the fine displays was one made by our mutual friend, A. H. Russell, of his stock of harness, robes, &c. The splendid set of fine harness manufactured and exhibited by him so pleased our worthy Governor that he purchased them on the ground. Another of our old fellow townsmen, Wm. H. Anthony, of the National Hotel, was doing the honors of the host to his many friends and acquaintances, as well as strangers generally. Billy is a good, pleasant fellow, and it appears the public know it and appreciate it by their patronage. I met many Kent friends, and altogether my stay here was a pleasant one. I had not the pleasure of seeing you, but suppose you could not get away from the sanctum. I may be able to send the news from Belmont races next week. EASTERN SHOREMAN.

FODDER YARN! FODDER YARN!
6¼, 7 and 8c. per lb.
Call and examine, at
oc12. J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

SHOT! SHOT! SHOT!
Received this week direct from Shot Tower, and will sell at Balt. price. Wads, Caps, Shot and Powder Flasks, Single and Double Guns, &c.
oc12. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

CHEAPEST stock of Long Boots for Men and Boys, best $2 Men's Boot, all others in proportion.
oc12. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

LADIES' NOTICE.—Shawls, Skirts, Clouds, Dress Goods, Calicoes, Muslins and Flannels at prices that can't be beat. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

FOR SALE,
A GOOD BOW WINDOW, SHOW CASE, and some Store Fixtures. Apply to
s28-3t. MRS. ROSE FRAZIER.

FOR SALE OR RENT,
A GOOD STORE HOUSE and Grocery Room at Lynch's. An excellent business stand. Possession can be had 1st Dec. next.
WM. HEPBRON.
Lynch's, Oct. 5—3t.

DIED:

At Betterton, Oct. 3d, LILLY MAY, daughter of John E. and Harriett A. Young, aged 4 years and 9 months.

Sept. 23, at the residence of her son, Baltimore county, MARY M., aged 57 years, wife of the late Solomon Eagle, of Kent county, Md.

Sept. 30, near Locust Grove, of typhoid fever, WM. E. FORKNER, aged 18 years, 9 months and 23 days. Thus at a very early age he has been called from earth, and his soul has gone to the good Master that gave it. His ashes rest in Shrewsbury Church-yard, where loved ones who fondly cherish his memory will gather to plant the flower of affection, and to meditate upon his pure life. Parents weep not for thy dear boy, for we feel assured that your loss is his eternal gain, for "as in Adam all die so in Christ shall all be made alive." A FRIEND.

At Betterton Oct. 3rd, THOMAS REESE, infant son of Horace F. and Susie E. Brice, aged 18 months.

Our little Reese has left us to go to his better home in Heaven: and oh how sad it is to think that we shall never more hear his prattling tongue or his little feet tread the floor again. But it gives us sweet comfort to know that our dear little angel lamb has gone to his bright and beautiful home in Heaven! HIS MOTHER.

LATEST STYLES and lowest prices in Men's and Boys' Hats, at
oc12. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO'S.

THE BEST 5c. CIGAR IN TOWN. Chewing Tobacco all grades, at low prices, at KENNARD'S.

CALL and examine our large assortment of
STOVES,
and see how cheap we are selling them.
oc12. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

STRAYED, from the premises of Mr. William Ford, near Chestertown, during the past summer, TWO LAST SPRING CALVES, both Steers, red and white, and without marks. A reward will be paid for any information of their whereabouts.
oc12-3t. V. HENDRICKSON.

CAUTION to GUNNERS.
All persons are hereby forewarned from trespassing on the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date, under penalty of the law.
JOSIAS RINGGOLD,
JOHN A. MILLER,
WM. LIPPINCOTT,
SAMUEL LEE,
JOSIAS RINGGOLD, JR.
Oct. 12, 1878—3t.

TWO HOUSES FOR RENT
On Cross st., opposite Sappington's store, for many years occupied as a hotel and store, suitable for any kind of business. Apply to Mr. S. WELCH, Chestertown, or to Mrs. CHANEY, No. 75 N. Liberty st., Baltimore. oc12-6t.

Report of the Condition
OF THE
KENT NATIONAL BANK,

At CHESTERTOWN, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business October 1, 1878.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$102,723.30
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	25,000.00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	19,481.44
Due from approved reserve agents	58,273 73
Due from other National Banks	72,954.60
Due from State Banks and bankers	22.88
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	2,250.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,996.74
Checks and other cash items	162.89
Bills of other Banks	30,086.53
Fractional currency, including nickels	200.00
Specie (including gold Treasury certificates)	5,781.25
Legal tender notes	50,285.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 0-0 of circulation)	2,250.00
TOTAL	$421,468.36

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits	12,322.40
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	301,736.01
Due to other National Banks	709.61
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,700.34
TOTAL	$421,468.36

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, JOSEPH PETERSON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOSEPH PETERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of October, 1878. J. W. HINES, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
THOS. B. HYNSON,
CHAS. T. WESTCOTT,
N. G. WESTCOTT,
Oct. 12, 1878—1t. DIRECTORS.

Autumn and Winter
MILLINERY.
I HAVE just returned from the city and have opened a choice lot of
NEW MILLINERY GOODS
and NOTIONS. I have the very latest Fall styles now on hand. Hoping to receive a liberal patronage, I am respectf'y,
SALLIE E. CROSSLEY,
oc12-3t. LYNCH'S.

Ratification Notice.

Richard Hynson,
versus
John L. Hudson and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent co., in Equity. July Term, 1878.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee for the sale of the Real Estate of John M. Hudson, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 12th day of December 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 12th day of November next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $15,000.00.

D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
Oct. 12, 1878—4t.

Ratification Notice.

Elenor H. Barroll,
versus
William H. Brown and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, October 10, 1878.

ORDERED, that the sale of the Real Estate of William H. Brown, made and reported by CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Fourteenth day of December 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 fourteenth day of November next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $6,050.00.

D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
oc12-4t. D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.

Ratification Notice.

James Scotten and Others,
versus
Alfred Jervis and Wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, October 11, 1878.

ORDERED, that the sale of the Real Estate of Alfred Jervis and wife, made and reported by CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, Trustee, under the power in a mortgage from Alfred Jervis and wife to C. T. Westcott, and by him assigned to James Scotten, E. Jervis and A. Woodall, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the fourteenth day of December next, Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the fourteenth day of November next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $2,600.00.

D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
Oct. 12, 1878—4t.

VIRGINIA PINE BOARDS
as low as $12½ per th.
oc5. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

MORTGAGEES' SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE.

THE MORTGAGE of July 19th, 1875, executed by Nathaniel Wolfe, then of Kent county, State of Maryland, to Henry S. Beeler, William H. Bians and Arthur P. Gorman, and recorded among the Land Records for Kent county aforesaid, in Liber D. C. B., No. 1, folios 468, &c., contains a power of sale to the said mortgagees and their assigns, &c. The mortgagee Gorman having assigned to the mortgagee Bians, his interest and estate under said mortgage.

The undersigned, the said Henry S. Beeler and William H. Bians, under and in virtue of the power in the aforesaid mortgage contained, will offer at Public Sale, on

THURSDAY,
The 7th day of November, 1878

at the Voshell House in Chestertown, Md., at 12 o'clock, M., and sell to the highest bidder the property conveyed by said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, which property consists of

Two Very Valuable Farms

in the Second Election District of Kent County aforesaid. One lies directly on Sassafras River, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Black and others, and contains

About 223 ACRES,

of which 180 acres are arable, and the balance is in WOOD AND TIMBER.

The Farm is divided into six fields and well fenced.

The Improvements
are a healthy and thrifty
PEACH ORCHARD,
the fruit of which is of the best market varieties.

A THREE-STORY
Frame DWELLING,
and Outbuildings sufficient for the purposes of the Farm, all comparatively new and in good order.

The other adjoins this farm and the lands of the late William Janvier, and

Contains about 220 Acres,

all arable except about Forty, which is in WOOD AND TIMBER.

It is divided into six fields and substantially fenced.

The Improvements
ARE A VALUABLE
PEACH ORCHARD,
A TWO-STORY
FRAME DWELLING
AND OUT-BUILDINGS
suitable for the Farm, which are in fair order.

These Farms are most eligibly located, being convenient to Churches, Schools, Post Offices, &c., near several Steamboat Landings, and not far from the Kent County Railroad.

The soil is of the very best quality and well adapted to cereals and fruits.

TERMS OF SALE prescribed by the mortgage are cash.

HENRY S. BEELER,
WILLIAM H. BIANS.
Oct. 12, 1878—ts.

A House and Lot
IN CHESTERTOWN,
At PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from William Dunn and wife, dated the 29th of November, 1875, and recorded among the land records for Kent county in Liber D. C. B., No. 1, fol. 589, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door in Chestertown, Md., on

MONDAY, November 4, 1878
At Three o'clock P. M.,

All that LOT OF LAND

with the improvements thereon, situated on the west side of Cannon street, having a front of 18 feet on Cannon street, and a depth of 100 feet.

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of a Two and a-half story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE with Kitchen attached, 5 rooms in all, well lathed and plastered and would afford a comfortable home to any one in seach of a snug little house. There is ample ground for Garden in the rear.

THE TERMS OF SALE are cash on the day of sale, but may be modified to suit purchasers.

CHAS. T. WESTCOTT.
Oct. 12, 1878—ts.

Next Week
The new advertisement of
J. FRANK CONNELLY
WILL APPEAR.
Splendid Stock of NEW FALL and WINTER CLOTHING now opening.
Oct. 12, 1878.

DAILY ARRIVALS!
I WOULD respectfully call the attention of the public to my
LARGE STOCK of GROCERIES
And PROVISIONS.
GOODS ARRIVING DAILY—Everything FRESH and at Lowest Prices.
I am determined to sell as low as the *same class* of goods can be bought in the cities.
Best Granulated Sugar only 11c.
Coffee Sugar " 10c.
Good Brown Sugar " 9c.
Best Cheese only 12½c.
Dried Fruit, Coffee Essence, Soaps, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Dried Beef, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, Lard, Butter, Eggs, Poultry, &c., &c.,
ALL AT THE LOWEST PRICES!
Country Produce solicited.
Call and be convinced.
oc12. C. W. KENNARD.

TO RENT for 1879.
Blacksmith and Wheelwright SHOPS in Galena, Kent co.
Good location and oldest stand in town.
Apply to W. S. SPARKS, Galena, or to JOHN JERVIS, Georgetown.
sep28-4t.

TO RENT,
Several comfortable DWELLING HOUSES, in Chestertown, for 1879.
CHAS. T. WESTCOTT,
ag31-tf. *Att'y at Law.*

FOR RENT,
DWELLING HOUSE on corner of Kent and Cannon sts., now occupied by Mr. James S. Hazzard.
HINES & SMITH,
oc5-tf. ATTORNEYS.

FOR RENT,
For 1879,
DWELLING HOUSE,
10 rooms, large halls, every convenience a Pump of good water at kitchen door; pleasantest in town. Carriage House and Stable on back lot.
Apply to J. B. SAPPINGTON,
sep28-tf. Chestertown.

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FALL TRADE.
Dry Goods.
READY-MADE CLOTHING.
WICKES & BROTHER