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The Kent News.

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The Elections of Tuesday.

The November elections have been held, and the results, as a rule, says the Baltimore *Sun*, have not surprised any persons save those who expected the unforeseen or the impossible. The democratic States have been about held by the democrats; the republican States by the republicans. In Massachusetts the defeat of Gen. Butler, independent, the small vote of John Quincy Adams, regular democratic nominee, and the election over all of Mr. Long, republican candidate for Governor, has disappointed nobody. Neither has there been any surprise at the result in New York, where Mr. John Kelly, under guise of his ambitious purpose of striking down Mr. Tilden as a future presidential candidate, has succeeded in giving the State a republican Governor in the person of Mr. Alonzo B. Cornell, whom the administration and the leaders of the republican party repudiated as a customs officer. At the same time it is obvious that Mr. Kelly failed to accomplish the object which is nearest to his personal interest, while doing good work for Mr. Conkling, the republican autocrat in that State. The latter's candidate has been elected, but New York has not changed her politics, as is evinced by the election of Hon. Clarkson N. Potter for Lieutenant-Governor, and Mr. Kelly has failed to elect his own special and peculiar candidate, Gumbleton, for county clerk, and consequently will fail to secure control of that official patronage which is so important to the Tammany leader. The vote for Mr. Kelly, therefore, must be placed in the unproductive category. He will not be likely to reap any of the fruits of his exclusive personal canvass, in which he weighed his private animosities and private prejudices against the interests of a much wider community, indeed, of a great party. In regard to the results here in Maryland, with which our readers are chiefly concerned at present, it is probable that the vote of the State and city will suffice to satisfy all unprejudiced and reasoning persons, both here and elsewhere, that on a fair issue and with acceptable candidates the people of the State of Maryland are indissolubly wedded to those political principles which are part of their inheritance from their fathers, and which they do not now propose to change in the wild pursuit after strange gods. Maryland, it will be remembered, has much more frequently been whig than democratic in the old times, but her people have invariably been conservative, and they have voted that they will remain so still.

It is believed that the election on Tuesday was as fairly conducted as any ever held in Kent county. The registered vote in the first district is about 1,200, while the vote cast is less than 900; in the second district the registration is upwards of 1,160, and the vote polled was 1,018. It is contended by the opposition that cheating is done in these two districts, but there is nothing in these figures that show any indications of "repeating" or cheating of any kind.

One of the most important considerations following upon the recent elections is the political complexion of the United States Senate after March 4, 1881. The present Senate is composed of 33 Republicans, 42 Democrats and 1 Independent, Mr. Davis, of Illinois. The Democrats will lose four seats and gain one as the consequence of Tuesday's elections. They will gain one seat in a Democrat to succeed the negro Republican Bruce, of Mississippi. They will lose Thurmen, of Ohio; Randolph, of New Jersey; Kernan, of New York, and Eaton, of Connecticut. This will make the Democratic vote 39, the Republican vote 36, and the Independent vote 1. Senator Davis, of Illinois, has acted usually with the Democrats and should he continue to do so would give them a working majority of four. This will give us at least one of the Houses of Congress beyond doubt until 1883.

The "machine" was worked so well in Maine that Blaine will no doubt take a higher rank than ever in the peculiar system by which Radical victories are ground out. Blaine and his allies seem to think money was "cheap" and to have "plenty of it," and to "put it where it would do the most good" on election day. Maine still looks like a doubtful State when the means used to carry the last election is carefully considered. In 1880 the whole force and wealth of the Radicals will not be concentrated there to effect the result as was the case in September. Those who desire to see how Maine was carried will find it profitable to peruse an article elsewhere treating thereof.

A number of prominent citizens of Wilmington, Del., without regard to party, and some of the leading manufacturing firms, held a meeting at the Clayton House on Tuesday, to make arrangements to give Senator Bayard a suitable reception on his return from Europe. He was expected home yesterday.

Thanksgiving Day has been appointed by the President for Thursday, November 27. It is presumed the Governors of all the States will appoint the same day.

Cecil elects Davis, rep., for clerk, by 287 majority, over Briscoe, dem., and one republican, James A. Coulson, county commissioner.

In Dorchester, Lake, ind., has beaten Francis J. Henry, dem., for clerk of the court by 200 majority.

One of the unsung heroes of the Memphis plague is John Walsh, an undertaker there, who has remained pluckily at his post for two years. At times he has been left absolutely without assistance, and at times he has buried one hundred and fifty bodies in one day.

GREAT VICTORY!

MAJORITY IN MARYLAND 22,000!

Glorious Result in Old Kent

723 MAJORITY!

THE ELECTION IN KENT.

The election in this county on Tuesday was attended with slight disturbances at some of the polls, but nothing serious resulted. The vote was several hundred more than has ever been heretofore polled, and yet it was not full in any of the districts. In the Chestertown district alone it was upwards of ninety short. The majority for the Democratic State ticket is far in excess of the expectations of the highest claimant and can be accounted for only on the ground that the sore-headed—or, as they prefer to call themselves, reform—Democrats cast their votes in that direction. That this latter class of voters greatly overestimated their strength is clearly demonstrated by the result. Instead of seven hundred dissatisfied, the returns show, as we have always claimed, that there were not more than one hundred and fifty. The fact that a number of Republicans took no stock in the ticket while others worked to compass its defeat will also account in a large measure for the overwhelming disaster which it sustained. The result will no doubt teach our Republican friends a salutary lesson, and cause them, if they should ever hereafter feel disposed to make a contest with the Democracy of Old Kent, to go into the battle under their own proper colors. They have certainly learned by this time that nothing can be gained by a combination with a few dissatisfied individuals of the opposition party. The following is the official vote of the county:

KENT COUNTY—Official.

	DISTRICTS. 1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	Total
For Governor:						
Hamilton	651	669	283	398	464	2465
Gary	222	357	308	496	359	1742
Hamilton's maj. - - - -						723
Attorney General:						
Gwinn	651	667	283	398	462	2461
Darby	221	356	309	495	358	1739
Gwinn's maj. - - - - -						722
Comptroller:						
Keating	647	668	279	397	462	2453
Mallalieu	223	356	313	496	358	1746
Keating's maj. - - - -						707
Clerk of Court of Appeals:						
Jones	651	666	283	396	463	2459
McCull'gh	221	356	309	497	358	1741
Jones's maj. - - - - -						718
State Senate:						
Hepbron	619	635	254	371	432	2311
Griffith	253	383	335	515	385	1871
Hepbron's maj. - - - - -						440
House of Delegates:						
Ford	651	634	260	391	430	2366
Hulme	640	627	259	395	433	2354
Leary	227	392	338	504	407	1868
Stephens	223	383	332	493	361	1792
Average majority, 530.						
Clerk Circuit Court:						
Beck	625	583	265	394	438	2305
Maxwell	246	436	331	494	376	1883
Beck's maj. - - - - -						422
Register of Wills:						
Slaughter	646	656	272	384	451	2409
Ruth	225	362	320	502	363	1772
Slaughter's maj. - - - -						637
State's Attorney:						
Vickers	637	638	261	391	450	2377
Hanson	227	375	326	489	368	1785
Vickers' maj. - - - - -						592
Sheriff:						
Gooding	633	620	235	377	452	2317
Miller	235	389	335	507	370	1836
Gooding's maj. - - - -						481
Judges of Orphans' Court:						
Nicholson	640	626	268	391	452	2377
Shallcross	632	628	254	390	449	2355
Willson	635	631	258	390	432	2346
Jacobs	246	381	329	505	372	1833
Parrott	228	395	338	503	369	1834
Young	228	381	328	499	366	1802
Average majority, 535⅔.						
County Commissioners:						
Loper	651	633	257	377	451	2369
Shafer	647	638	260	389	453	2387
Lucas	641	632	246	385	445	2349
Dixon	642	622	256	391	448	2359
Strong	640	632	261	389	423	2345
Price	225	382	332	498	366	1803
Harper	227	385	327	506	368	1813
Parsons	228	391	351	509	371	1850
Hadaway	228	386	331	510	366	1821
Downey	227	383	335	500	400	1845
Average majority, 535.						
Surveyor:						
Gresham	645	632	263	386	460	2386
Brown	228	386	333	506	361	1814
Gresham's maj. - - - -						572

The following is the vote cast in Kent county at the Congressional election last year:

For Congress:						
Henry	471	343	225	316	338	1693
Graham	333	305	253	458	251	1600
Total vote	804	648	478	774	589	3293
Henry's majority - - - - -						93

In 1877 the vote stood as follows:

Comptroller:						
Keating	457	316	202	333	357	1665
Porter	297	271	228	422	224	1442
Keating's majority - - - -						223
House of Delegates:						
Spencer	458	313	201	329	349	1650
Thompson	457	416	201	335	339	1648
Sheriff:						
Davis	438	303	197	321	313	1572
Thomas	301	278	229	432	255	1495
County Commissioners:						
Jones	457	311	200	329	368	1683
Davis	455	322	202	331	368	1678
Lucas	453	302	199	331	359	1644
Dixon	453	311	202	328	369	1663
Strong	457	313	200	332	365	1667
County Surveyor:						
Gresham	458	315	209	339	357	1669

The Greenback vote in Kent is as follows: For Governor, H. Meeks, 4; for Attorney General, E. Swinney, 2; for Comptroller, B. E. Smith, 2; for Clerk Court of Appeals, E. J. Simpson, 1.

THE RESULT IN THE STATE.

Returns of the election in Maryland indicate the election of Hon. Wm. T. Hamilton, democrat, for Governor, over James A. Gary, republican, by fully 21,000 majority, which is larger than any Governor has received since the enfranchisement of the blacks. Whyte's majority in 1871 was 15,088. Gov. Carroll's majority in 1875 was 12,924. Tilden's majority in the presidential election of 1875 was 19,799.

Majorities for Governor so far as reported show the following: For Gary, republican—Alleghany 200, Charles 100, Dorchester 40, Frederick 300, Garrett, 23, Somerset 27—total majorities 690, with Calvert and St. Mary's to hear from.

Hamilton's (democrat) majorities are as follows: Anne Arundel 1,762, Baltimore city 11,274, Baltimore county 2,640, Caroline 563, Carroll 300, Cecil 400, Harford 900, Howard 500, Kent 723, Montgomery 400, Prince George's 100, Queen Anne's 671, Talbot 327, Washington 130, Wicomico 1,000, Worcester 800—total majorities 22,240; net majority 21,550. Mr. Gary failed to carry Howard and Mr. Hamilton succeeded in Washington, his home county.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Legislative election returns indicate that Frederick and Washington counties will return republican Senators. Five republicans hold over, which will make that party's strength in the Senate 7. The democratic Senators holding over were 7. Twelve new Senators are democrats, which will make the party's strength 19, which is a gain of one for the democrats, the party divisions at the last session being democrats 18, opposition 8.

In the House of Delegates the republicans have Allegany 4, Charles 1, Dorchester 2, Frederick 5, Garrett 2, Washington 2, total 16, with St Mary's to hear from and two doubtful in Washington county. In the last House the democrats were 65 and the opposition 17.

The list of Senators and Delegates is as follows:

SENATORS HOLDING OVER.

Allegany Co.—John S. Combs, rep.
Caroline—Thomas F. Garey, rep.
Cecil—John M. Miller.
Charles—F. M. Lancaster, rep.
Dorchester—Clement Sulivane.
Garrett—Balthaser Welfley, rep.
Harford—Herman Stump.
Montgomery—George Peter.
Prince George's—Wm. B. Hill, rep.
St. Mary's—Robert C. Combs.
Talbot—Edward Lloyd.
Worcester—Littleton P. Franklin.
Note.—Democrats 7, republicans 5.

NEWLY-ELECTED SENATORS.

Anne Arundel—Dr. George Wells.
Baltimore City—J. H. Cooper, Wm. A. Fisher, Wm. H. Bians.
Baltimore Co.—Geo. H. Williams.
Calvert—John T. Bond.
Carroll—Henry Vanderford.
Frederick—Lewis H. Steiner, rep.
Howard—Arthur P. Gorman.
Kent—William T. Hepbron.
Queen Anne's—Wm. T. P. Turpin.
Somerset—Robert F. Brattan.
Washington—Joseph H. Farrow, rep.
Wicomico—J. Augustus Parsons.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Allegany County—J. J. Bruce, B. L. Turner, R. Anthony, D. D. Shearer, reps.
Anne Arundel—Michael Bannon, J. F. Williams, W. F. Owens.
Baltimore City—1, Thos. J. McCosker, Henry Cashmyer, Chas. R. Hamilton, Eugene A. Early, Jesse N. Bowen, Levin H. Morris.
2, George Rhinehart, Daniel Murray, Martin Emerich, Jas. A. L. McClure, Thos. G. Hayes, W. Campbell Hamilton.
3, Edward O'Mahony, John S. Campbell, M. W. Donavin, E. W. Albaugh, A. A. Rose, Wm. A. Boyd.
Baltimore County—John C. Sullivan, H. Clay Ridgely, Christopher C. Slade, J. Edward Ward, Benj. F. Foard, Oregon R. Benson.
Calvert—W. Owings, G. H. Jones.
Caroline—Thos F. Cox, Wm. Massey.
Carroll—Wm. T. Smith, T. Herbert Shriver, B. F. Crouse, Rob't Sellman, Jr.
Cecil—Joseph H. Steele, Hiram McCullough, James M. Touchstone.
Charles—A. G. Chapman, dem., Sydney E. Mudd, rep.
Dorchester—Benjamin L. Smith, dem., F. Newton, rep., W. S. Smith, rep.
Frederick—Charles L. Wilson, George W. Remsburg, Christopher M. Riggs, Edward Bennett, William L. Culler, reps.
Garrett—Austin Speicher, G. W. Wilson, reps.
Harford—James B. Preston, William G. Scott, Murray Vandiver.
Howard—Robert A. Dobbin, John T. Hardey.
Kent—Wm. H. Ford, T. A. Hulme.
Montgomery—Wm. Grady, Thomas J. Owens, George C. Patterson.
Prince George's—Joseph K. Roberts, Jr., Dr. Wilton Snowden, Frank T. Browning.
Queen Anne's—Jas. R. Sudler, Wm. Henry Legg.
Somerset—Doubtful.
St. Mary's—Doubtful.
Talbot—J. M. Wooters, J. M. Lowe.
Washington—Dr. J. E. Holmes, Dr. J. McPherson Scott, reps., two in doubt.
Wicomico—J. R. Willing, James C. Littleton.
Worcester—E. White, T. P. Townsend.

The Next President.—United States Senators Hampton and Butler attended the fair at Chester, S. C., last week and were interviewed in regard to their presidential preferences. Senator Butler said he thought Senator Bayard should have been nominated for the presidency in 1876, and that he ought to be the nominee in 1880. He thought Mr. Bayard could have beaten Mr. Hayes much easier than Mr. Tilden. Senator Hampton expressed the opinion that Mr. Bayard is the most available man the democrats could nominate, and believes that he can command more votes than any other man in the country. Many men, many minds.

Howard County, the home of Gary, rolls up a Democratic majority of 500. The county also endorses Hon. A. P. Gorman for State Senator by 526 majority. It was in Howard that the Republicans concentrated their strength and made their hardest fight. Notwithstanding the bitter fight made against Mr. Hamilton in his own close county (Washington) he obtained a majority of 130 at the hands of his neighbors.

Ben Butler was beaten for the Governorship again in Massachusetts on Tuesday, but he carried Boston by a majority of over 3,000. It must grieve Mr. Butler to know that the Governorship is beyond his grasp.

Serious Accident.—Mr. John Laugherty, residing in Queen Anne's county, near Millington, was taking up potatoes on the 27th of October, when his horses became frightened and ran away with the plow, striking a pump stalk which stood near by, which they snatched out of the well and dragged some distance, when Mr. L. caught the horses by the bridle and was thrown upon the ground and run over and received a very severe injury by the plow point being run into his hip, which cut a gash some two or three inches long and nearly as deep. Dr. Power was sent for and rendered medical aid, and he says that if the plow had struck a little higher up, it must have killed Mr. L. immediately; but he was doing as well as could be expected Wednesday evening.

Baltimore Female College.—By the 31st annual catalogue of this institution we learn that besides a large number of graduates the college has trained and sent forth 170 teachers, who are engaged in various seminaries. The free scholarship for Kent county is vacant at present. It affords a good opportunity for a young lady to obtain a first-class education. The scholarship entitles the holder to tuition in all the branches, with use of books, without charge. Application may be made to Dr. N. C. Brooks, President of the College, or to our Orphans' Court, which makes the appointment. Pupils board in the college or with their friends.

Fire.—The dwelling house on the "Hermitage" farm on Grey's Inn Creek, owned by the heirs of the late Dr. Thos. R. Brown and tenanted by Mr. Tylden Brice, was burned about five o'clock Thursday morning. The fire was caused by sparks from a chimney igniting the roof and spread so rapidly that but little of the furniture could be saved. The house was valued at about $1,000. It was not insured in our county company. The loss in furniture and clothing was considerable.

Vendues Next Week.—On Wednesday next Henry C. Kennard and James A. Pearce, Esqs., executors of Thomas C. Kennard, will sell at public sale, at the said deceased's late residence, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning, all the stock and implements in use upon the farms of the deceased.

On Thursday next B. B. Adkinson, adm'r of Lemuel Elburn, will sell the stock, farming implements, &c., of said deceased, at his late residence near Tolchester.

Diocese of Easton.—Bishop Lay announces the following appointments in Kent and Queen Anne's counties: Nov. 6, P. M., Centreville; 7, A. M., Centreville; 9, A. M., Chestertown; 11 to 13, convocation at St. Paul's; 14, Shrewsbury, with consecration of the church; 15 A. M., I. U.; 16, A. M., Galena; 17, P. M., Kent Island; 18, A. M., Kent Island; 18 to 20, convocation at Church Hill; 21, A. M. Sudlersville; 22, P. M., Queenstown; 23, A. M., Wye.

Dedication.—We are requested by the pastor, Rev. W. J. O'Neill, to announce that Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, of Millington, Md., will be dedicated, D. V., on Sunday, Nov. 9th, by Bishop Haven and Dr. W. F. Mallalieu, of Boston. Bishop Scott, senior Bishop of the M. E. Church, will be present, also the former pastors of the charge. The public are respectfully invited to be present.

Bishop Lay will visit the Episcopal Church in Chestertown on Sunday, Nov. 9th, preach and administer the rite of confirmation. All invited. There will be service at St. Paul's Church, Kent county, Monday night, Nov. 10, Tuesday morning and night, Wednesday morning and afternoon, Thursday morning and afternoon, being the session of the Northern Convocation, Bishop Lay presiding. The public are cordially invited to attend. Bishop Lay will hold service at I. U. Church on Saturday morning, November 15, at 11 o'clock.

The First of the Season.—A slight skirting of snow fell in some parts of this county last Wednesday night.

Time Table Changed.—Trains leave Stations on Kent Co. R. R. fifteen minutes earlier, going north, than heretofore. See adv.

Revising Game and Fish Laws.—An association of the sporting gentlemen of Talbot county has been organized for the purpose of revising the game and fish laws of the State. The object of the club is to revise the game laws of the State and bring order out of confusion, and secure the repeal of bad and the enactment of better laws for the protection of fish and game. The object of the association is a good one, and the gentlemen at the head of the movement are a guarantee that it will succeed. It is a move in the right direction, and should be managed for the interest of the whole State—sportsmen and all others.

"To My Dead Mistis."—Ned Murphy, colored, has given an order for a neat monument to be erected at the grave of his old mistress, Miss Esther Murphy, in the graveyard at Due West, and made a partial payment on the stone. The old lady died just before or about the beginning of the late war, and has filled a neglected and forgotten grave for many years—not that either, for during all these years her old slave, her petted servant Ned, remembered her, and out of his little store has set apart enough to place a simple slab at her grave. Such instances of affectionate remembrance are rare, and, though he is a colored man, there is something in this simple service to his dead mistress challenging the admiration of all, and in the crowded graveyard at Due West there will be no more eloquent testimonial to departed worth than this simple slab, "To My Dead Mistis."—*Abbeville (S. C.) Medium.*

Dredgers Arrested.—On Saturday nightabout eleven o'clock Capt. Clements, of the oyster police, arrested Capt. Frank Myers, Samuel Harden, Patrick Shields, Charles Miller, Francis Jones, John Currie and James Moore, of the dredger "Tuttle Dayton," on the charge of dredging for oysters at night and on forbidden grounds. They were caught at work inside of Love Point, and were taken before Esquire Taylor, who fined each one $50 and costs, from which they appealed to the Circuit Court. They were accordingly brought to Centreville on Sunday by Constable McConnor and lodged in jail to await trial before the court, which began its November term yesterday.—*Centreville Observer, Tuesday.*

A gentleman residing in Easton has been informed by the Postoffice Department that the rule requiring the collection of double postage on postal cards with written matter other than the address on its face has been rescinded, and persons writing on the address side should be careful not to interfere with the address, otherwise the department will not be responsible for its delivery.

A petition has been circulated in Elkton for presentation to the sheriff of Cecil county, asking that the execution of Medford Waters, on the 5th of December, shall take place in the jail-yard. The object is to prevent the assemblage of bad characters that invariably attend public executions, endangering the peace and good morals of the community.

Will every advantage imaginable, large stock, one price, to all, money returned when goods do not prove satisfactory, charge but one small advance upon the actual cost of production, should prove a strong claim upon parties in want of Clothing. The New York Clothing House, 184 W. Balto. St., supplies that want.

Surveys and soundings are being made to ascertain whether the Susquehanna river cannot be made navigable. It is stated that the river can be made to render possible the passage of steamboats. From 15 to 20 feet of water has been found in long stretches, during the present low stage of water, and the small bars connecting these channels can be cut through and dredged. The facts will be reported to Congress for action.

Saw Mill Burned.—The saw mill of Mr. Jas. Curlett, situate in the upper part of Queen Anne's county, near Templeville, was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday, the 18th ult. The loss is estimated at $600, and it is supposed to have caught from a spark from the chimney. Mr. C. expects to rebuild at once.

A lady of Princess Anne got a very large duck egg last week among her eggs, and when it was cooked and cut open she found another small egg inside of it, with as hard a shell around it as any other egg would have had. Outside of this, and inside the shell of the large egg, were two yolks, one at each end.

The ducking season on the Susquehanna flats and in the Elk and North East rivers having opened, the sport this week is being largely entered into by gunners from Wilmington and Philadelphia, as well as by the local sportsmen, who depend upon decoys and guns for a living.

Constable Thomas Tyson, of Cecil county, was found dead in a lane near his residence last Saturday morning. It is believed that he died of heart disease.

A flock of sheep belonging to Cecil C. Biddle, of Cecil county, was attacked by dogs one day recently and twenty of the number killed or wounded.

The hotel property of James Anderson, at Upper Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, has been sold to John Coppage for $1,750.

A Melrose man has an order for 35,000 pounds of canned pumpkins.

Fire in Easton.—On Tuesday night of last week the jewelry store of a Mr. Woodcock, in Easton, was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was given, and by the prompt response of the fire department the flames were stopped. It was evidently the work of an incendiary, and circumstances were so strong against Mr. Woodcock that he was arrested, and in default of $5,000 bail he was committed to jail. He has since had a hearing, and the evidence elicited was of such a character as to justify the authorities in refusing bail in any amount. Mr. Woodcock has resided in Easton for about two years, and had his stock of jewelry insured to a large amount. His store room was in the most thickly built portion of the town, being nearly opposite to the court house. The room above the store was occupied by a family whose lives were endangered by the fire. This is a serious charge against Mr. Woodcock, his offence being a capital one. Mr. W. visited Chestertown immediately prior to commencing business in Easton with letters of introduction to parties here, for the purpose of opening a jewelry store, but couldn't effect satisfactory arrangements.

The Curlew-Reeves Collision.—In the United States District Court at Baltimore Judge Morris has delivered his opinion in the two cases of Clarence Hollyday and Mrs. Anna E. Keene vs. the steamer David Reeves, which was tried a few months ago and held *sub curia*. The collision on the night of August 11th last, between the yacht Curlew and the steamer David Reeves is well known to our readers, and therefore needs no repetition. Judge Morris says in his decision: "I see nothing in the testimony that satisfies me that the yacht, by any fault or omission, contributed to bring about the collision. I must therefore find the steamer to have been in fault, and alone responsible for the consequences of the collision." He then referred to the death of young Keene and to the claims of Mr. Hollyday for compensation for the effect on his mind, &c., and says: "From all the authorities I have consulted I think that in such a case as this the proper rule is to give no damages for fright or mental suffering resulting from mere risk or peril where no actual injury has been sustained." The Judge awarded Mr. Hollyday $79.61 as damages to his yacht. The pecuniary value of young Keene's services, had he lived until he was 21 years old, was the basis of the damages allowed Mrs. Keene, and that was fixed at $700. The counsel for the owners of the steamer gave notice of an appeal to the Circuit Court.

Letter from Galena.

Messrs. Editors:—It may interest some of your many readers to know that Galena and vicinity, though not very often heard from, is nevertheless steadily and quietly progressing. We are not quite ready to submit to the proverbial fencing and whitewashing process. Our farmers, though having been very busy seeding their wheat, find time to come to town frequently, and I think up to the present writing they have nearly all finished. Our enterprising townsmen are already buying fall and winter goods. Their countenances also are beginning to took more cheerful, an indication of the sure revival of business. We now have but four stores, Mr. Jones, one of our pleasant and genial merchants, having removed to Baltimore. Mr. Alfred Hurlock, one of our life-long residents and well known in political circles, has also moved with his family to another county, where he has a position under the State authorities. Sorry to lose so many of our good citizens, but hope they may be benefitted by the change. The energetic and business-like firm of W. A. Hyland & Co. have not hesitated in placing their manufactures at the fairs with others of more favored localities, and we are proud to record the fact that first premiums and diplomas have been their awards. A new harness store has been opened in our town, which ought to make this branch of business quite lively, it being the third one now in operation. I think we can excell any town in our county in the number of oyster dealers, six being engaged in the business. It reminds us at night of pictures we have seen of Italians eating maccaroni in the streets of Naples. It is very amusing to the looker on and seemingly very gratifying to those engaged in eating. The business portion of the town is pleasantly lighted at night by street lamps placed before several of our stores, making quite a change from the dark, gloomy look it has heretofore worn. The opening of the schools has taken from us several of our young lady aspirants for fame, Miss Ella Johnson, who took one of the two highest premiums at Bordentown Female College, has again returned to that institution, accompanied by another of our charming young friends, Miss Retta Burton. Miss Meredith, another who has been with us but a short time, has been successful in procuring a scholarship in the State Normal School.

Yet their loss we can better bear,
We've others here that are not less fair,
With their pretty bright eyes and happy faces,
And their winning ways, that will take their places.

Considering our population, we are in a splendid sanitary condition, and might possibly be more so by being a little more careful in the disposing of decayed vegetable matter and kitchen refuse. Our Methodist Church green has been finished and a pretty picket fence placed on a level with the foot path, giving a full and fine view of the graveyard and surroundings. A lamp has also been placed in front of the gateway, lighting it up nicely. Recently Professor somebody, from somewhere, gave a public exhibition of his tight-rope performance, including some slack-rope and trapeze antics. He succeeded in reaching terra firma without breaking his neck and in leaving town without much cash. Your valuable paper arrives very promptly every Saturday, but if it happens to be a little late in the day occasionally, O, what grumbling! But you know, Messrs. Editors, that shows how highly it is appreciated.

Yours, truly, Anon.

[The above letter has necessarily been deferred several weeks.—Eds.]

DIED:

In Crumpton, Sept. 10, 1879, Mrs. EMMA F. ADKINSON, wife of John T. Adkinson, in the 31st year of her age.

At his residence in Quaker Neck, on the 2d of November, after a brief illness, WM. S. LONG, in the 62d year of his age.

At the residence of her son-in-law, J. H. Hurtt, in Millington, on the 27th of October, after a lingering illness of consumption, S. ELIZABETH AUSTIN, consort of Wm. Austin, in the 65th year of her age. Sister Austin has been a consistent member of the M. E. Church 47 years, and she has left bright testimony behind that she has gone from labor to reward, which she evinced by the Christian fortitude with which she bore her intense suffering and the desire she repeatedly expressed to be transferred from the afflictions of earth to the felicities of heaven. A FRIEND.

[Easton papers please copy.]

Near Rock Hall, Kent county, Md., Oct. 30, JOHN DICKINSON, Sr., in his 77th year.

Fell asleep in Jesus on the 27th of October, 1879, EMMA MAY TAYLOR, aged 2 years, 7 months and 8 days, the only daughter of John Thomas and Martha J. Taylor.

Fold the dainty little dresses
That our darling used to wear,
She will need them on earth never,
She has climbed the golden stair.

Angels whisper that our darling
Is in lands of love so fair,
For her little feet are waiting
Up above the golden stair.

Kiss the little curly tresses
Cut from her bright golden hair;
Do the angels kiss our darling
In that land so bright and fair?

Religious Notice.—The Methodist Protestant Church of this town is now in the hands of workmen, undergoing a thorough repair, and until completed the congregation will worship in the Chapel, which has also been neatly refitted for service. All are cordially invited.
2t. S. A. HOBLITZELL, Pastor.

Rt. Rev. H. C. Lay, D. D., Bishop of Easton, will visit Shrewsbury Parish on Friday, Nov. 14th, and Sunday, 16th. The new Parish Church will be consecrated Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Divine service same night at 7 o'clock. Service at St. Andrew's, Galena, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and at 7 P. M.

WANTED, for 1880, a MAN with a small family to take charge of a farm. Must come well recommended.—Apply at the Kent News Office.
Nov. 2, 1879—3t*

SALT! SALT!! In large well-filled sacks, for sale at very close figures, by WICKES & BROTHER.
Chestertown, November 5, 1879.

CAUTION. All persons are hereby cautioned under penalty of the law against gunning or otherwise trespassing on the farm of the undersigned, situated at the mouth of Sassafras River at Betterton, and known as "The Bay Side Farm" and now tenanted by Mr. John Young.
Nov. 2—3t. MATILDA CANBY.

SALTPETER, PEPPER and SAGE, at LEARY'S Pharmacy, ROCK HALL.
Coughs, Colds and other diseases of the Lungs are quickly cured by using *Leary's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry and Tar*, only 35c. per bottle. n8-5t*

WINDOW GLASS. WINDOW GLASS, WINDOW GLASS, All sizes—cut to fit any sash at L. K. STAM'S
nov1. New Store.

Executors' Sale OF A DWELLING and STORE IN STILL POND.

By virtue of authority contained in the last Will and Testament of John Kelly, dec'd, and also by Decree of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, the undersigned, executors of the said John Kelly, will offer at Public Sale, on

Wednesday, Nov. 26, 1879,

At 11 o'clock, on the premises, all that

Lot of Land,

in the Village of Still Pond, the same being a part of the estate of said dec'd, improved by a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING With STORE ROOM AND WARE-HOUSE attached, all in fair repair, together with all necessary Out-Buildings, including BARN, STABLE and CARRIAGE HOUSE.

There is a Pump of excellent Water in the yard, and one of the best Gardens in the place.

The Store Room is at present occupied as a dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-half the purchase money to be paid cash, and the balance in two equal instalments of nine and eighteen months; the deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale, and to be secured by note of purchaser, with approved security.

Deed at cost of purchaser.

J. HORTON KELLY, HENRY T. JUMP, Executors John Kelly, dec'd.
U. A. C. Garrett, Auct'r. T.
Nov. 8, 1879—ts.

Important Notice!

No More SICK HORSES or CATTLE.

The introduction of the English Condition Powders, In our American market, exempt from duty, freight, &c., has proved to the thousands who are daily using them that they have been a long felt want.

For the past half century they have grown in public favor and general use in all quarters of the Globe, until their name and fame is world-wide.

There is not an ailment (known in Veterinary practice) of the Horse, Cow, Sheep or Pig, but yield to their miraculous influence.

Their rare balsamic properties are conveyed to every part of the brute creation, and immediate relief is given.

They heal Internal Ulcerations, banish all derangements, and give the stomach proper tone.

No Stock-owner need despair a cure, whilst this *never-failing remedy* can be obtained; and the reputation they bear from all quarters of the *Globe* is fully borne out by the success they have attained—corroborated by testimonials of all classes and countries.

They have cured Thousands of Cases conceded Incurable.

The many ailments of each class of animals and their various forms are too extended to discuss. But we *guarantee* in each case a tenfold remuneration for the small investment that places them within reach of the most humble who often have to rely on their stock for support.

The majority are more directly interested in Horses, and to them we say one trial will convince you that they work wonders; and no matter how doubtful the *case* is, you will invariably be benefitted, & your animals made & kept healthy by their use.

English Condition Powders are *a certain* and *speedy remedy*, no matter what the disease is, or how complicated. They are not a temporary, but have *invariably* proved to be a *radical cure*.

They *restore health* and *produce flesh, milk and butter*. They aid digestion and assimilation, and thoroughly renovate the system, and will be found invaluable and remunerative to every stock-owner.

TO CONSUMERS.—They are only one-third the price of all others, and are as superior in quality as quantity.

The following TESTIMONIALS speak of their merits:

Baltimore, June 17, 1879.

Mr. P. Warren—Sir: We have been handling your English Condition Powders for some time past, and find that their merits as compared with similar compounds, meet a want seldom (if at all) found in goods of a similar class. With Patrons of Husbandry they are growing into favor rapidly. Signed: H. O. DEVRIES, Ag't Maryland State Grange.

Ashland House, 24th St. & 4th Avenue, *New York City*, Mar. 10, 1879.

I have used the English Condition Powders and can recommend them to the turf profession as being pure and similar to the imported, and would use no other.—For purity and quality they are *unequalled* and invaluable to horsemen.

Signed, HARRY HARTMAN. Late manager Budd Doble's Turf Stock.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 6, 1879.

P. Warren, Esq.—Sir: The English Condition Powders are conceded by all my patrons to be the *purest, cheapest* and *best* on the market; and have worked wonders where used. I sell five times as many of *them* as all others combined.

Resp'y, &c., THOS. J. STACK, Feed & Grain dealer, 112 Linden ave.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 11, 1879.

Mr. P. Warren—I used one pound box of your English Condition Powders on a mare which was so poor and weak she had to be raised when she laid down. She is now in perfect health and good flesh, and I credit it all to the Powders.

GEO. R. HEBBELL, Penna. ave. and Clifton st.

AND THOUSANDS OF OTHERS.

Full directions accompany each box.

Sold in Drug, Feed and General Stores, at the very low price of One Pound box 25 cts.; Three Pound box 50c.; Six Pound box 99 cts.

Sold wholesale in Baltimore by wholesale Druggists: Thos. A. Agnew & Co.; wholesale grocers, Pratt and Eutaw sts.; the Maryland Grange Agency, 83 S. Charles St., and by

The English Manufacturing Co., 9 *S. Holliday St., Baltimore, Md.*, Sole Manufacturers for the U. S.

WANTED—One Agent for each county. Liberal advertising furnished free, and commission on all sales. n8y.

New Millinery!

Mrs. C. R. Fiddis invites the attention of the ladies to her new Fall Millinery and Fancy Goods, including Dress Trimmings, Buttons,