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The Kent News.

SATURDAY.....JULY 23, 1881.

Democratic State Ticket.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:

THOMAS J. KEATING, of Queen Anne's.

THE President's physicians say he is steadily improving. The discharge from the wound continues, and the pus presents a healthy appearance. Microscopic examination fails to reveal any liver tissue, and many contend that that organ was not injured by Guiteau's bullet. His appetite continues good, and he dispatches his food with a hearty relish. During his waking hours the patient continues to express a longing for the time when he can take a trip down the river on the Despatch, and the physicians have promised to accommodate him as soon as his condition will permit.

THE O. L. D.'s have given their former President a slap in the face. At a meeting on Wednesday night last it was decided to accept Dr. Taylor's resignation, and to return to the latter his letter of resignation, which, it will be remembered, reflected on Mr. Whyte.

POLITICAL.—The Baltimore *American* of last Monday published a lengthy account of an interview with ex-Senator Whyte, in which the latter is made to utter sentiments hostile to Mr. Colton—the ground of the latter's offense being a recent editorial in the *Gazette*. The article in question we read, and, so far from being objectionable, regarded it as *highly commendatory* of Mr. Whyte. Queer what different interpretations "plain English" may have!

SITTING BULL, the murderer of the gallant General Custer, after having suffered for months with his band on the plains, has at last surrendered. His braves had been reduced to 200 men, and for some time past have been in a half-starved condition. As the surrender was an unconditional one, it would seem to be in order to avenge Custer's brutal murder by hanging Mr. Bull and a few of his followers.

DR. J. HANSON THOMAS, of Baltimore, died on the 15th instant at the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, whether he had gone about a week before to recuperate his long-failing health. He was 68 years of age, and up to 1879 was for 40 years president of the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore. During the active business years of his life he exerted a potent influence, socially and otherwise, in the business community.

THE American of Monday says: Senator Arthur P. Gorman, Police Commissioner George Colton, Insurance Commissioner Hines, Comptroller Thomas J. Keating and a number of other State politicians left the city yesterday afternoon for Ocean City, where they expect to remain for several days. Ocean City is a quiet place, and plans for a campaign can be arranged at such a seaside resort much more comfortably than in Baltimore.

THE business men of Baltimore propose to have a celebration in that city in the early part of October, with Mardi Gras features, and the indications now are that it will be a grand success, equalling, if not surpassing, like celebrations in New Orleans and Mobile. The proposition originated with the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association. About $15,000 will be required to carry out the celebration in the style proposed, and this amount can, it is thought, be readily collected. Indeed, enough has been raised already to make a solid beginning, the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association having contributed $1,000 as a starter.

THE Chinese government has discontinued its American educational commission and recalled the students who were in the schools and colleges of this country. These were mostly in the New England States, where the young men learned not only our language and sciences, but imbibed political ideas which made them radicals when they returned home, and their government, realizing this, broke up the whole arrangement. It is believed that Yung Wing, who induced the Chinese government to consent to the foreign education of so many young men, did so to introduce liberal and progressive ideas into his own country by this means. The plan cost over $100,000 a year.

A REPORTER of the Philadelphia Times, who has been making some inquiries into the condition of iron manufactures in that city, writes that all the large establishments are run down with orders, with no prospect of a falling off in their business. The Diastons employ 1,300 men in their saw works, and, although running night and day, are a month behind in their supply: and the Baldwin Locomotive works, employing 3,000 hands, have Mexican orders alone for 200 locomotives, and their contracts will run into 1882. Other factors tell similar stories of the pressure of trade, and it is evident that a recurrence of hard times is not to be apprehended in the immediate future.

WARNER MILLER, at present a representative in Congress from the Herkimer district, was elected by the New York Legislature on Saturday last to succeed ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt in the United States Senate. Mr. Miller is known as a friend of the administration and opposed to the "stalwart" element as represented by Senator Conkling. It was supposed that a successor to Mr. Conkling would be chosen on Monday, but he continued up to Thursday to receive his customary 28 votes, while Lapham received 72, being 4 less than the number necessary to a choice. A resolution providing for a final adjournment was defeated in the Senate on Wednesday by a vote of 17 to 13, and no one can tell what the final outcome will be.

STILL ANOTHER COMET has made its appearance. Prof. Swift, Director of the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y., has just verified the discovery of another comet, in the Constellation of Auriga, made July 14th, by Prof. J. M. Schaeberle, of Ann Arbor, Mich. This new comet is apparently coming directly toward the earth, and, for a telescopic comet, is very bright; indeed, it can be seen with a good opera glass. It is quite remarkable that it should be in just the spot where the present large comet was first seen by the naked eye in this latitude, and it shows that the two bodies must have crossed each other's paths. This makes the fourth comet discovered within ten weeks, a circumstance heretofore unknown in history. Prof. Schaeberle has duly filed his application for the Warner prize of $200, and as yet he is the only claimant.

DEAN STANLEY died in London on Monday, of erysipelas, in the 66th year of his age. He was one of the foremost men in the Anglican Church, an accomplished scholar, and was thoroughly versed in departments of science to which most theologians pay but very little attention. Although engaged in polemic controversy during the greater portion of his life, he was thoroughly imbued with a liberal spirit, and always retained the respect of his antagonists. In many respects he was a most fortunate man. His marriage brought him into close relation with the royal family, and his ecclesiastical appointments made him entirely independent in pecuniary matters. Alive to the best thoughts and tendencies of his time, he kept up with the progress of the age, and although thoroughly orthodox in his religious belief and loyal to his church, he was so liberal, so tolerant and so charitable that his death will be sincerely mourned by the whole Christian Church, and by the learned and cultivated men of all nations. He was a member of the commission which made the late revision of the New Testament.

ABOUT thirty Baltimore families and a great many individual guests from that city have made their home this season at Congress Hall, Cape May. The season is now at its height at this famous and popular seaside city.

THE bullet which is supposed to have been fired at the President, at the first discharge of Guiteau's pistol, has been found in the box of a German glazier, who happened to be in the depot at the time of the shooting. He was standing in the main room, some forty feet from where the assassin stood, and in a southeast direction. He had commenced to unstrap his box in which he carried glass, and had got one strap off his shoulder, when he heard the noise of the pistol, and immediately three panes of glass in his box were shattered. He at once rushed from the depot, thinking it was no place for safety. On Saturday last he was cleaning out his box, and found the ball in his putty.

THE TOY PISTOL.—Seventeen deaths have occurred in Baltimore alone from the use of the toy pistol on the Fourth of July! In each case the victim died of lock-jaw. Six deaths have occurred in Rochester, and similar reports come from other parts of the country of accidents and deaths from the use of this diabolical toy. Parents should carefully guard their children against their possession.

O. L. D. CANDIDATES IN ANNE ARUNDEL.—A self-constituted committee met at Annapolis on Wednesday and nominated the following county ticket:

For Register of Wills—William T. Revell.
For Sheriff—William L. Dorsey.
For House of Delegates—Dr. Eli J. Henkle, M. Bannon, Louis Griffith and H. H. Brogden.
For County Commissioners—Wm. H. Thompson, Dr. C. R. Winterson, Wm. T. Joyce, Thos. A. Phipps and R. P. Sellman.
For County Surveyor—Lewis Green.

This simply means success to the republicans, as such a movement can have no other effect than to play into the hands of the enemies of the democracy.

REV. FATHER RYAN, the poet priest, will lecture in Chestertown next month. For years the name of Father Ryan has been a household word. It is known wherever the English language is spoken, and everywhere it is reverenced as the true child of song. It is especially dear to the people of the South, among whom he who bears it has lived and worked and touched his tuneful harp. As a lecturer Father Ryan has but few rivals. His language is rich and sparkling, rising to the higher styles of eloquence. He has justly been styled the child of feeling, of poetry and of passion, who cannot move in paths which ordinary minds have traveled, but makes a way for himself, soaring aloft with a graceful and majestic flight. It is a great honor for us Chestertowners to have an opportunity of seeing and hearing such a speaker. All should make an effort to go to his lecture. No doubt he will give us something nice.

PENINSULAR PRESS ASSOCIATION.—The annual meeting of the Peninsular Press Association, for 1881, will be held at Ocean City on Monday and Tuesday, August 15th and 16th. A business meeting will be held at 10 o'clock on Monday, and the election of officers will take place on Tuesday. It is proposed to have an entertainment on the evenings of Monday and Tuesday, in the way of original essays or sketches, addresses, poems, and select readings. It is proposed to make the annual this year the most successful that has yet been held. A full attendance of the members is requested.

SAD SUICIDE OF A YOUNG LADY.—Miss Adelaide Boyd, daughter of Dr. John Boyd, of Wilmington, Del., died on Monday night about 12 o'clock from the effect of a large dose of strychnine administered by her own hand. She had gone to bed with her sister, and had been there about an hour and a-half, when she was seized with convulsions, and, when asked by her sister concerning the cause thereof, she told her that she had taken poison for the purpose of killing herself. She had only that day obtained a situation in a store, going against the kindly protests of her father, in the belief that she must do something to help support the family, though there was no apparent necessity for her to do so. She labored, however, under the impression that they would soon come to want, and this and the fear that she could not hold her place, brought her to such a state of mind that she took poison and died as stated. She was 26 years of age.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—William N. Watts, residing near Vandyke's Station, on the Queen Anne's and Kent Railroad, recently met with a very serious accident. He was raking his wheat field with an iron tooth wheel rake, having thereto a gentle but spirited horse. The flies fretted the animal considerably, which, in switching at them, jerked the reins from his hands. In leaning forward to gather them up he lost his balance and fell at the horse's heels, in front of the rake, which frightened the animal and caused it to run. He was dragged some distance, and when the rake passed over him his foot, from being entangled in the machinery, was dislocated and two of his leaders cut and his leg badly lacerated. He was alone in the field and at the back part of the farm. He lay for some time in the broiling hot sun, and when he had recovered sufficient strength attempted to and did crawl to a shade tree, a hundred yards or more distant. Still no help came, and seeing he must do what he could himself, he commenced to halloo at the full force of his voice, which fortunately was heard by his wife at the house. She ran towards him, but he called to her that his foot was hurt and to go for the men in another field, and it was a full hour before the injured man could be conveyed to the house and a doctor sent for. His sufferings since have been excruciating, and doubts are entertained as to the final result of the terrible accident. Mr. Watts is about forty years of age, and well known as a pleasant man and successful farmer. —*Centreville Observer.*

A dispatch from Winona, Minn., July 18, says: Hiab Held, a Swiss emigrant, who recently bought a farm in Eagle Creek Valley, became insane through home sickness and the failure of his crops. On Sunday morning he was found dead in the front room of his house. In the next room his wife and two children lay dead; in a bed up-stairs three children were found dead, and in the hay loft were his two oldest boys, mortally wounded. All had been shot in the head. One of the boys may recover. The revolver with which the deed was committed was found in the house.

WILLIAM H. TOULSON, a laborer in the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company's shipyards, Wilmington, was drowned about 11.15 on Thursday morning of last week. Toulson was about 40 years old, a native of Queen Anne's county, and had been working in the yard for something over a year. From a publication in the Wilmington Morning News the drowned man was supposed to be Wm. H. Toulson, formerly of this county, but such is not the fact.

THE railroad office at Townsend, on the Queen Anne's and Kent Railroad, was broken into on Tuesday night of last week and a mail bag for that road cut open and robbed. It has been the custom for some time to leave the night mail for this road on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights at the station, to be delivered to the agent on the road the next day. The bag contained over one hundred letters. There is no clue to the robbers.

THE PRESIDENT'S VIRGINIA FARM.—President Garfield and Judge Black have recently become the owners of a large farm in Alexandria county, Va., lying within view of the White House. They acquired a small portion of the tract partly by purchase and partly as a fee for services. The whole tract was mortgaged, and in order to save their part they instructed an agent to buy the whole of it when the foreclosure sale occurred. While the President has been lying ill the sale has been made and his farm secured.

LAST week the Elfrid Price farm, on Kent Island, was sold to A. C. Lowry, for $36 per acre; the Western Bay farm to W. P. Tanc for $30, and the Kent Point farm to J. F. Cray for $22. The three farms brought about $20,000, and were bought by residents of the county.

KILLED BY CUCUMBERS.—John Cummings, aged about forty years, was taken suddenly with cholera morbus Wednesday, in the yard of Oler's ice-house, Baltimore, after having eaten cucumbers. The case was a severe one, for before he could be carried to the City Hospital he died.

WHEAT CROP BURNED.—John S. Sadler, Fairmount district, Somerset county, Md., lost about 600 bushels of wheat in the stack from fire from steam threshing engine. Nine out of twelve stacks were burned up.

THE corner-stone of the new Protestant Episcopal church at Ocean City, Md., will be laid on the 28th instant. The name will be "St. Paul's by the Sea." All the material is on the ground, and the building will be opened for worship early in August.

IT has been decided by the Orphans' Court of Cecil county that administrators are only entitled to commissions on amounts actually passing through their hands in the settlement of estates.

THE Cape May correspondent of the Baltimore American states that a grand carnival and balmasque is to be held at Cape May on the evening of the 27th of July.

THE stockholders of the Denton National Bank held a meeting on Tuesday and elected P. W. Downs president and a board of directors. The cashier and teller will be selected next Tuesday.

PARALYSIS.—Mr. John C. Burchinal, residing near this town, was stricken with paralysis last Sunday evening. The parts affected are the right side of the body from the shoulder to the foot, together with his articulation. Dr. Perkins, the attending physician, thought his symptoms somewhat better yesterday morning.

THE WHEAT YIELD in this county is far below the average. In some sections the "turn out" is very unsatisfactory, and farmers are inclined to attribute it in part to the character of the fertilizers used, but closer investigation would no doubt place the responsibility more properly upon the unseasonable fall and spring. Our county is not alone in its short wheat crop. From our neighbors of Queen Anne's and Talbot, and indeed through the whole peninsula, reports come to us that the wheat threshed has yielded very poorly.

DEATH OF A WELL KNOWN FARMER.—It is with sincere regret that we record this morning the death of Mr. George S. Diehl, of erysipelas, which occurred last Sunday morning at his residence, Plum Point. The deceased sustained an attack of paralysis more than a year ago, from which he never fully recovered, but sufficiently so, however, to attend to business until a few weeks before his death. Mr. Diehl married the eldest daughter of the late Major Richard Smyth in October, 1852, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. John J. Murray, D. D., of the M. P. Church, then preacher in charge of the Kent circuit. They had five children, three of whom survive, and are all grown. The deceased purchased Plum Point in 1854 and moved thereto the following year, where he resided until his death. He was a gentleman of great hospitality, fond of society, and possessed conversational powers and a fund of humor surpassed by few. His remains were interred in Chester cemetery on Tuesday, followed by a long train of mourning relatives and friends.

EXCURSION TO CAPE MAY.—NEXT Wednesday is the day for the excursion to Cape May. Bear it in mind, and do not allow a rainy morning to keep you from going. You will be under cover all the way, and at Cape May the sun may be shining. No more favorable opportunity to visit that celebrated sea-side will be afforded this season, and those who can possibly arrange to do so should go next Wednesday. The "Thomas Clyde," which will receive the excursionists at Bombay Hook, is one of the most splendid and safe steamers upon the Delaware Bay, and the eighty miles ride on her, with the delightful views and exhilarating breezes of the bay, is of itself worth the price of the ticket, to say nothing of the numerous attractions at Cape May, where about five hours will be allowed for sight-seeing and for the enjoyment of the unsurpassed surf bathing. The "hack" nuisance, which excursionists had to contend with in former years, is now done away with, and fine open cars of ample accommodations run every few minutes from the steamboat landing to the city, at a charge of ten cents per passenger. The attractions at Cape May, it is believed, will be greater on the 27th of July than at any other period of the season.

BOAT RACE.—A boat race came off in Chester river on Wednesday last, the starting point being at Jackson's creek; running from thence up and around Rogue's Island buoy to Hale Point buoy and back to starting point; this course, twice run, made the distance about twenty miles. The boats were arranged in three classes, the first included those measuring over 28 feet in length; second, between 22 and 28 feet, and the third class included all boats under 22 feet. The prizes were three purses, first $15, second $10, and the third $5. A large number of boats were present from this and adjoining counties, some estimating the whole number from sixty to seventy, and but for the light wind the races would have been very exciting and interesting. As it was, only a few were willing to risk the reputation of their sailing qualities in a calm, as nearly all had been rigged with the expectation of a stiff breeze, and the entries in the first class numbered only eight; in the second five, and in the third three.

The winning boat in the first class was the "Island Bride," from Tilghman's Island; the "Wickes," from Rock Hall, coming in second best. In the second class the "Mamie," also from Tilghman's Island, was the winner, and in the third class the "Waterwitch," better known as the "Sweet Potato," and hailing from the same place, won the first prize. These boats being all rigged for light wind gave them an advantage.

Only two boats entered from this "port"—the "Republic," Captain I. Coleman, belonging to Wm. H. Lambert, Jr.; and the "Eureka," Capt. Robert Jones, belonging to Messrs. Phil. Brooks and H. C. Brown. Our boys think that if the wind had been favorable they would have brought home both prizes in the second and third class. The "C. A. Leary" started from town to enter the race, but was so unfortunate as not to arrive in time. "Capt. George" no doubt attributes his ill-luck to the wind also.

EXCURSION TO BAY RIDGE.—The Georgetown Presbyterian Sabbath School will have an excursion to that popular watering place, Bay Ridge, on Thursday, August 4. The Middletown Brass Band has been engaged for the occasion. This will doubtless be one of the most pleasant and enjoyable excursions of the season.

EXCURSION TO TOLCHESTER.—Elsewhere will be found an excursion advertised for Tolchester, on Friday next, July 29th, from Georgetown and other points on Sassafras river. This excursion is for the benefit of Sunday schools, and will be found to offer rare inducements to those who wish to take their families out for a day of pleasure. Children under ten years of age are taken free, and children over ten years are charged only twenty-five cents.

CORPSE PRESERVER.—Mr. John N. Dodd has just received one of the latest patent corpse preservers, which is complete in all its appointments. By its use a corpse can be preserved, even in the hottest weather, for any necessary period. The casket is more fully described in our advertising columns.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—C. H. Baker, Esq., trustee, advertises for sale elsewhere, what is known as the home farm of the late Thomas Baker, situated on the road leading into Quaker Neck, and about two miles from Chestertown. The farm is a very desirable one.

REMEMBER that the excursion starts at 6 A. M. from Chestertown next Wednesday. Don't get left. This early starting gives an hour longer at Cape May.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, July 19.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

On application of Mary Ruth and others, letters of administration d. b. n. on the personal estate of Robert Ruth, late of Kent county, dec'd, were granted to Marion deK. Smith, who filed his bond in the sum of $1,500.

Richard C. Johnson, executor of Hannah T. Corbaley, returned the inventory and appraisement of the real and personal estate of said dec'd.

Cornelius J. Scott filed an exemplified copy of the last will and testament of John W. Pearson, late of Wilmington, Del., deceased, and letters testamentary on the personal estate were granted to said Cornelius J. Scott, who filed his bond in the sum of $2,200.

Cornelius J. Scott, administrator of James C. Hurtt, returned account of sales of the personal estate of said deceased.

Thos. W. Wickes, late guardian to Margaret S. Wethered, filed his release from said ward.

William G. Trew, guardian to Henry Brown and William T. Brown, returned his guardian accounts for said wards from July 1, 1880, to July 1, 1881.

THE Smyrna Times says that section, except possibly a very few near the bay, will not have a peach for the city market. It is doubtful if the crop this year will amount to as many peaches as it did car loads last year.

JACKSON GROVE CAMP commences July 28 and closes Tuesday night, August 9. It promises to be the largest yet held. Wye camp, in Queen Anne's county, commences August 3. Blackbird camp commences next Wednesday.

AUGUST 26th has been fixed upon for holding the Democratic primaries in Queen Anne's.

MUSICAL.—A few good Baltimore musicians have been spending a part of the present week with their friends of the Kent Cornet Band. They brought their instruments with them, and at night have discoursed sweet music from the veranda of the Voshell House.

THE Kent Co. Agricultural Association have issued their catalogue of the Eleventh Annual Fair to be held next September. The purses for the races aggregate $1,200. The premiums offered, aside from the races, aggregate over $1,100. The Association is in every respect in a healthy condition.

KENT COUNTY, Maryland, (says Colonel H. C. Douglas, of Smyrna, the leading grain merchant of the Peninsula, in a communication to the Wilmington Morning News,) has the honor of being the finest wheat-growing county on the Peninsula; next comes Talbot county.

DURING the thunder storm on Wednesday evening of last week the lightning struck a stack-yard belonging to Messrs. Polk and Pennington (Howell's Point) and destroyed about four hundred bushels of wheat.

JERRY MILLER has bought one hundred acres of land of his father, Mr. John A. Miller, at Lynch's Station, and is going to build a dwelling and barn right away.

DIED:

At his residence, "Plum Point," on Chesapeake bay, (between Worton and Churn creeks), on Sunday morning, the 17th instant, GEORGE S. DIEHL, in the 63d year of his age.

Near Kennedyville, on the 17th inst., HARRY, infant son of Richard M. and Anna R. Bryan, aged 7 weeks.

Another sweet flower has faded,
A gem from the casket set free;
A lamb in the fold of the Shepherd,
Who said "Let them come unto Me."

Near Rock Hall, July 2, 1881, CHARLES E. NOBLETT, son of Isaac and Annie Noblett, aged 15 years, 5 months and 2 days.

Onee he was pure as morning dew,
As he knelt at his mother's knee;
No face was so bright, no heart more true,
And none was so sweet as he.

Departed this life June 21, 1881, of consumption, SARAH F. MEGINNESS, in the 23d year of her age.

Sad, sad are our hearts to-day,
As slumbering in peace our gentle sister lay.
Closed are her eyes and smile on her face,
As if angels are waiting to bear her to that heavenly place.
Her languishing head is at rest,
Its thinkings and achings are o'er;
Her heavenly rest is disturbed
By sickness and trouble no more.

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References:—Rt. Rev. H. C. Lay, Rt. Rev. W. Pinkney. jy23-6t.

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REFERENCES:—Hon. P. F. Thomas, Easton, Md.; Rt. Rev. Henry C. Lay, Easton, Md.; Hon. Wm. Knight, Cecilton, Md.; Hon. J. B. Groome, Elkton, Md.; Hon. John P. Cochran, Col. Jos. Clayton, Middletown, Del. jy2-2m.

CARD.
I wish to set myself right. Having been charged with furnishing sour cream to the M. E. Sunday School picnic on Thursday last, July 14th, I desire to state that *no cream whatever* was furnished to said picnic by me, or of my manufacture. One of my freezers, which came down on the train, fell into the hands of the party who supplied the cream for that occasion, and he put his own cream into it and sent it to the picnic.
As such occurrences are likely to injure the reputation of my cream, I hereby forewarn all persons against such use of my freezers.
jy16-3t. WM. PERKINS.

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six years old, color brown, warranted to be perfectly sound and true. Can be seen at Still Pond. Terms moderate. E. L. COVINGTON,
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July 9, 1881—3t.

FOR RENT,
For the balance of the present year, "THE ROCKWELL HOUSE," Chestertown, Md. For terms, &c., apply to
mh19-tf. C. H. BAKER, Att'y.

REV. J. HANNABERRY, of the Reformed Church, will preach Sunday, July 24, at 10½ A. M., in Mr. Henry K. Smith's woods, midway between Crumpton and Mallalieu's Factory, Queen Anne's county. The community is respectfully invited to attend. 1t.

PROPOSALS
Will be received until July 29th, for BUILDING a M. E. CHURCH at LOCUST GROVE. Plans amd specifications can be seen at the store of G. M. Beasten. The building to be commenced on the 10th of August and finished in three months. By order of the Trustees.
July 16, 1881—2t.

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On the splendid saloon STEAMER CHESTER,
On Friday, July 29, 1881,
Leaving Georgetown at 8 o'clock A. M., and stopping at Fredericktown, Rasin's, Shallcross', Cassady's, Betterton and Barnard's; leaving Tolchester Beach at 6 o'clock P. M., giving the excursionists ample time to reach their homes.
This excursion is given for the benefit of all the Sunday School children of Galena, Georgetown, Sassafras, Chesterville, Locust Grove, Kennedyville and Still Pond, who are cordially invited to join us.
Fare for the round trip **$1.00.** All children under ten years of age FREE, and over ten years only 25 cents will be charged.
The managers will spare no pains to make this the most pleasant excursion of the season.
COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:
W. A. Hyland, W. T. Hepbron,
G. W. Jacoby, Capt. W. Archibald,
T. H. Horsey, Wm. S. Busick,
T. J. Shallcross, D. U. Dewees,
T. Shafer, Capt. J. F. Wilson,
Joseph Dulaney, W. G. Phelphs,
Jno. M. Ernest, J. F. M. Woodall,
W. H. Dushane, jr. Samuel Todd,
T. A. Meredith, H. C. Layman,
Edward Peacock, J. P. Ireland.
F. H. Taylor. July 23—1t.

ALL ABOARD!
FOR BAY RIDGE!
Grandest Excursion of the Season!
No One Should Miss It!
THE Pres. S. S. of Georgetown, Md., will have another of their popular excursions on
THURSDAY, Aug. 4th,
and visit that most inviting of watering places—BAY RIDGE. Great attractions afforded in the line of Splendid Bathing! Commodious Steamer! Elegant Refreshments! Good Company! Fine Scenery and Delightful Music!
The Middletown Brass Band will accompany the excursionists. Supper on the boat only 30 cts. Steamer leaves Georgetown promptly at 7½ A. M. and will touch at all the river wharves.
Fare for adults only $1.00; children between 8 and 12 years, 50c.; children under 8 years FREE.
July 23—2t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county Letters Testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JOHN W. PEARSON,

late of Wilmington, Del., 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 24th day of January, 1882; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 19th day of July, 1881.
CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
July 23, 1881—4t. Executor.

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ROBERT RUTH,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

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MARION deK. SMITH,
July 23—4t. Executor.

Ratification Notice.

In the matter of the sale of the Real Estate of Effa Woodland, made and reported by RICHARD H. CORBALEY, collector of taxes for the year 1877, in the first election district of Kent county.

THE Report of Sale and proceedings in the aforegoing case having been read and considered, and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of law in relation thereto having been complied with, it is this Nineteenth day of July, 1881, thereupon ordered by the Court that the sale made and reported by Rich'd H. Corbaley, collector of taxes for 1877, as above set forth, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Third Monday of October next: Provided a copy of this order be published in some newspaper printed in Kent county once in each of three successive weeks prior to the first Monday of September next.
FREDERICK STUMP.
True copy.—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
July 23, 1881—4t.

Notice to Teachers.

THE ANNUAL EXAMINATION
FOR CERTIFICATES TO TEACH
in the Public Schools of Kent county, and of those whose Certificates have expired by limitation, will be held at the school room in Chestertown, on
TUESDAY, August 2,
commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.
Candidates will bring pens and ink.
Those who take the examination must be present at the hour for beginning.
By order of the School Board.
E. F. PERKINS, EXAMINER.
July 16, 1881—3t.

Take Notice.
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
Wool, Calves, Chickens, Eggs, &c.
I can be found at Thompson's Granary or at the store of W. H. Lambert & Co., Chestertown.
my14-tf. WM. H. HAMILTON.

CARD.—Mr. S. MERRITT, lately in the clothing business in this town, is now with A. Friedman at the New Clothing House in the Masonic Hall building, where he will be pleased to receive a call from his old friends and customers. tf.

Ho, for Cape May!
A VISIT TO THE SEASHORE!

On Wednesday Next, July 27,
The GRANDEST EXCURSION of the SEASON WILL TAKE PLACE TO
CAPE MAY
Via the Kent Co. & Del. Bay Railroad and the
SPLENDID BAY STEAMER
THOS. CLYDE
GRAND TRIP ON DELAWARE BAY!
FOUR HOURS ON THE SEASHORE!
A "DIP IN THE OCEAN!"
TIME TABLE AND PRICE OF TICKETS:

Leave Chestertown	6 A. M.	Adult ticket	$1.75
" Worton	6.20	" "	1.75
" Lynch's	6.25	" "	1.50
" Still Pond	6.30	" "	1.50
" Kennedyville	6.45	" "	1.50
" Black's	6.55	" "	1.25
" Lambson's	7.05	" "	1.25

Children, under 14 years, from above points 75c.

Leave Massey's	7.20	Adult ticket	1.25
" Delaney's	7.30	" "	1.25
" Bingham's	7.40	" "	1.25
" Clayton	8.00	" "	1.00
" Smyrna	8.10	" "	1.00
" Woodland R.R.	8.30	" "	1.00

Children under 14 years.....60c.
Dinner, Supper and Refreshments on the boat at low rates. Also, good Music.
☞ Our friends are invited to join us in this trip, as we pledge ourselves to do our utmost to make it an occasion of genuine enjoyment.
FRED. GERKER, Lessee Kent R. R.,
jy16. COMMITTEE of M. P. Church, Chestertown, MANAGERS.

NOTICE
To Parents, Guardians and Others.

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE.

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

TUESDAY, August 9, 1881,

proceed to designate or elect one pupil from Kent county, to be sent to the

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE

under the law passed by the Legislature of Maryland, and who will be "admitted to all the instructions given in the College, and to the privileges of the Normal Class, with all necessary books, without any charge whatever," except for board.

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

Written testimonials of moral character and intellectual capacity will be required. The court will also expect some guarantee that the pupil will remain at the Institution sufficiently long to complete the usual course of study.

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

JOEL C. SLAUGHTER,
Register of Wills for Kent county.
July 23, 1881—3t.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
PROCLAMATION.

Whereas by the Constitution of Maryland, article 14, section 1, providing for amendments to the Constitution, it is made the duty of the Governor to order the publication of any bill proposing amendments as therein directed.

And whereas the following act of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, 1880, chap. 417, proposes an amendment to the Constitution, to wit:

CHAPTER 417.

AN ACT to amend section five of article four of the Constitution, to wit:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* Three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of section five of article four of said constitution.

SEC. 5. After the election for judges as hereinbefore provided, there shall be held in this State, in every fifteenth year thereafter, on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November of such year, an election for judges as herein provided; and in case of death, resignation, removal or disqualification, by reason of age or otherwise, of any judge, the Governor shall appoint a person duly qualified to fill said office, who shall hold the same until the next general election for members of the General Assembly, when a successor shall be elected, whose term of office shall be the same as herein before provided; and upon the expiration of the term of fifteen years for which any judge may be elected to fill a vacancy, an election for his successor shall take place at the next general election for members of the General Assembly to occur upon or after the expiration of the said term; and the Governor shall appoint a person duly qualified to hold said office from the expiration of such term of fifteen years until the election and qualification of his successor.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution shall be, at the next general election to be held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "for the constitutional amendment," or "against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteen article of the constitution.

Approved April 10, 1880.

Now, therefore, I, WILLIAM T. HAMILTON, Governor of the State of Maryland, do hereby order that the said