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Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN.

SATURDAY MORNING.....JAN. 20, 1883.

Crumpton Items.

Miss MacBeth who has been to her home in Cumberland, Md., returned to her school on last Monday week.

Mr. George Bryan who has been with Mr. T. D. Marshall, in Crumpton, for the past two or three months, has gone to Charlestown, W. Va.

They have started a Debating Society in Crumpton. The subject for debate on Wednesday night was "Which runs the greater risk in entering into matrimony, a man or a woman?"

Crumpton people are very anxious for oysters but there has only been one oyster boat up in the last month or during this year.

Mr. and Mrs. McClellan, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting at Mr. Horace Roberts'.

A party of ladies and gentlemen started out sleighing with four horses in grand style yesterday, but the sleighing was poor, part of the harness broke, and two of the horses had to be led behind, and they started on their homeward way a very dejected looking crew. When they got into Spry's branch they could not get out, notwithstanding the frantic efforts of both men and horses; finally, after a half an hour spent in this unpleasant situation, they were rejoiced to hear sleigh bells coming. They said, "Now unless the occupants are heathen, we will at least get the ladies of the party carried over to dry land." So when the sleigh came up they asked them, and they said, "Turn your horses to one side and we will see if we can get through." But alas, it proved to be the Jew and the Levite, only they passed by together this time and without once looking behind. We are extremely sorry we cannot furnish you with their names, for we do not often meet parties more worthy of a certain kind of remembrance. The gentlemen got out and rode the horses and after still more persevering efforts they succeeded in getting the ladies pulled through. But a more dejected looking party you do not often see returning from a sledding. L.

Letter from Morgan's Creek.

We awoke from our slumber on Wednesday morning last to behold one of the most beautiful snows we ever looked upon; it was mostly level, measuring about twelve inches deep on an average. The jingling sleigh bells soon broke upon our ears, informing us of the only use for snow in this country. During the day many were on the road making time merry with ringing bells in the enjoyment of sleigh-riding.

On Friday night the Literary Association met at the usual place and time to hear a promised address from one of Chestertown's promising young men. To our regret the attendance was far below the average, on account of the snow and difficult traveling. The exercises of the Association commenced with reading by T. Pearce, a burlesque on farming; reading by M. H. Crandle, subject, Dutchman and Wife's Quarrel; also reading by Miss Annie Harris, subject, Scattering and Gathering Seeds of Slander; after which the president introduced to the audience Mr. J. T. Rowley, who came forward, and took for his subject, "The Moral and Criminal Instincts of Animals." On entering into the discussion of the subject he passed by any argument on the possibility of an immortality and accountability of the souls of animals, but argued that animals in their traits, tricks, instincts and habits were similar and resemble persons, and that they were capable of a higher state of moral improvement, and that men by the study of the habits of animals, and by improving their moral and mental condition would better understand themselves; and would learn lessons thereby which would better prepare them to teach and train others in their mental and moral capacities. The speaker held the attention of his audience, proving himself well prepared for the discussion of and master of his subject, which was well argued. The Association tendered to the speaker a rising vote of thanks, which received a prompt reply. The committee read the program for the next evening and the Association adjourned to meet every Friday night at the usual time and place.

Morgan's Creek, Jan. 13, '83. DELMAR.

Exploring Under Difficulties.

Messrs. Editors: — Wednesday night of last week will be memorable to many on account of the heavy snow storm, and, a few of us, on account of an interesting experience we had on the bay and on the river. A number of us, about fifteen in all, went down to the wharf in Baltimore expecting to start on the ocean sailing at 12 o'clock M., but on account of the storm we had to delay the hour of departure until 7 A. M. Among our party were Messrs. Vannort and Geo. McWhorter, of Chestertown, Messrs. Dr. Leonard and T. D. Marshall, of Baltimore, T. J. Pfeffer, of Philadelphia, and Messrs. Dr. Dulaney and brother, and Mr. Ireland, of Galena, and others whose names I cannot recall. When out on the bay the waves got to rolling high, at one time throwing Mr. Pfeffer out of his berth, to his alarm, and some merriment to the party. One of the horses fell down. During the noise this all made, and then the crashing of a lamp chimney, and the tossing of the boat, made it for awhile somewhat exciting, but soon all became serene again and our party being agreeable and the officers of the boat attentive, we found sailing under difficulties not so unpleasant, in fact our party exercised, under the circumstances, not only patience but good cheer. The party who landed at Crumpton, which consisted of the Galena gentlemen and Messrs. Marshall and Pfeffer, had to land at Spry's Wharf and walk to Mr. Wright Spry's, at times in snow up to their knees, but when once there they were kindly cared for by Mr. Spry. The Galena party met with Mr. Ireland's sled, and the Crumpton party were sent home by Mr. Spry in a sleigh with a fiery span of steeds. M.

RETIREMENT OF MR. COLTON.—We clip the following from the Baltimore *Morning Herald*, but do not vouch for its accuracy. Mr. Colton is so very fond of politics that his "absolute retirement" therefrom seems almost an impossibility:

The greatest sensation in political circles since winter has set in has been the announcement of the absolute retirement of Mr. George Colton from politics. He wrote his own valedictory and it was both graceful and sensible. While he admitted no laches on his part, he saw that there was stormy opposition to the old men-of-war, and like the man he has always proved himself to be, he advised that the old ships be dismantled and laid up in "rotton row" to give the newer patterns a fair trial. He will always take an interest in the affairs of his party, and should an emergency occur "Old Ironsides" can soon be placed in commission. Mr. Colton has been the best abused of any of the politicians in Maryland, and with as little reason. Whenever he occupied a position he has filled it faithfully and honestly, and he has from his own private purse aided more young but poor aspirants for political honors than any other dozen men in the State. Nor have his charities been confined to politics. Very few churches or charitable enterprises in the counties have not been the recipients of his bounty. The retirement of Mr. Colton is more significant than at first glance might be supposed. He remains at the head of the Police Board. He now has no inducement to shirk his duties, and all parties can rely on perfectly fair elections in Baltimore. While it was said above he was the best abused man, it was not intended to assert that such was merited. In all the offices that he has yet filled neither flattery on the one side nor threats on the other have availed to turn him from the strict path of duty.

SHE BELIEVED IT WAS A "CUSTOM OF THE COUNTRY."—Esther Silverstein, a Polish girl, was arraigned in the New York Court of General Sessions last week, charged with stealing a lot of jewelry and $75 from her employer. She pleaded guilty, but said through the interpreter that she had been in America only a short time, and had been told that it was a custom of this country for servants to help themselves to the property of their employers. Judge Gildersleeve said: "You must not believe everything told you in this country. You are sent to the penitentiary for six months."

Happenings.

Messrs. Editors: — The worshipers in St. Andrews Prot. Episcopal Chapel *not present* on last Sabbath evening, may well regret the various causes that caused their absence, as the new pastor, Rev. R. H. Murphy, certainly gave those in attendance, in his sermon, a rich gospel feast. It often happens thus that those who struggle through some difficulties to attend upon the means of grace are richly blessed spiritually.

Forty-seven different gay sleighing parties might have been counted in *one day* during the past week flitting through Galena, and yet some people call this a dull village. Why even the fact that the "Colonel" has sold "Harry" proves that things are moving in this direction! But we have better evidence than that. Where, we would respectfully ask, is there another neighborhood in our county that can boast of having a big public sale, a "toney" wedding, an oyster supper and a lively party, all take place upon one and the same day? All these things *did* happen in this neighborhood, though within a radius of five miles. Perhaps the liveliest of these "happenings" was the party and sociable, last named, at the residence of Mr. Emory Camp near Galena, on Tuesday evening, January 16; the young folks present seemed to think so anyway, as the hours sped quickly away amid the gay festivities of the occasion. The host and hostess provided an early and late repast on the occasion worthy of a 'state' party, and with evidences of the greatest generosity. Not less gratifying was the sweet and effective manner in which Miss 'Puss' seconded all the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. Camp in trying to make the favored guests of the evening perfectly happy.

It is gratifying to record the generosity of many of the Galenaites, who while providing these scenes of innocent pleasure for the young, do not forget to see that the resident pastor of the M. E. Church is not forgotten. On last Saturday evening a goodly company assembled at the church parsonage, notwithstanding the storm, and left a handsome testimony of their regard for the pastor, Rev. William Warner.

A series of protracted meetings are now in progress in the M. E. Church in Galena, and it is devoutly to be hoped will result in much spiritual good to the community. OBSERVER.

A BRAVE MAN.

How an Unarmed Conductor Captured Two Armed Fugitives.

The San Antonio correspondent of the New Orleans *Times-Democrat* tells this remarkable story of the capture of Marah T. Polk, the thieving treasurer of Tennessee: "When Cook, who was the conductor of the sleeping coach, saw Polk enter the coach he determined to arrest him, and during the whole journey from here down he did not once take his eyes off his game. He formed no plan of action, but relied on his own ability in strategy to accomplish the task he had lain for himself. Just before the train arrived at Webb station, the fourth this side of Laredo, and only a few miles distant from that town, Cook detected Polk making stealthy preparations for flight. As soon as the train stopped, Polk and the man who called himself Cameron quit the car and mounted horses in waiting for them. 'Send on Joe Sheely to help me; I am after this man!' yelled Cook to Merrill, the conductor of the train, and then hastened on after the fugitives. Polk and Cameron rode through the chapperal toward Laredo, and on reaching the outskirts of the town made a circuit round it and towards the Rio Grande, which they evidently intended to cross. Cook toiled on after them, sometimes in sight of them, sometimes far away from them. The bushes tore his clothes, and his shoes were scratched. He overtook the fugitives on the bank of the Rio Grande, just as they were making arrangements to cross. He hid in the bushes awhile and watched them. He then recollected for the first time since he left the train that he was unarmed. The situation was a desperate one, but Cook, with the bravery of a lion, jumped from behind a bush suddenly and said: 'Gentlemen, you are my prisoners.' Instantly two revolvers were leveled at him, but he never flinched, as he quietly added: 'You had better surrender, for I know you Mr. Polk, and the Rangers are all around you. Put up your guns, or I'll have your heads blown over into Mexico.' Polk turned pale and his companion appeared to be nervous. Cook saw the impression he had made, and quickly followed up his advantage by jerking out his watch, and impatiently exclaimed if they did not give their weapons to him in a quarter of a minute he would command the Rangers to fire. When the time had nearly expired he took his cap in his hand as if to signal with it, but a continuance of his strategy was unnecessary, for Polk trembingly handed over his revolver to the brave young man, and Cameron followed suit. With their own revolvers pointed at their heads the men started to Laredo. Officer Sheely came up at this juncture and assisted in guarding them."

Maryland Law as to Sheep Killing Dogs.

The Hagerstown *Herald and Torch Light* says it may be of interest to our farmers to understand the legal status of the dog in its propensity to kill sheep. We think the farmers of this State have less real protection against the destruction of their sheep than in most of the States of the country. It is a most important interest to our farmers, and might be made a very profitable branch of farming if it were protected as it should be. Our farmers should make their wants and rights known to the members of the next Legislature, when the time comes. They should remember the old proverb, "God helps those who help themselves." The following is the law in regard to this matter as it now stands:

"Any person, whose sheep have been killed or injured by any dog or dogs, may proceed against the owner or owners of such dog or dogs, before any Justice of the Peace of this State, having jurisdiction within the county where the killing or injury may have occurred, who shall forthwith issue a summons for the owner of such dog or dogs, and for such witnesses as may be necessary to ascertain the amount of damages sustained by such killing or injury; and such Justice of the Peace shall forthwith give judgment for such damages as may be ascertained, which shall be collected and such justice shall also require the owner of such dog or dogs to give bond, with good and sufficient security in the sum of not less than fifty dollars, that such dog or dogs shall not thereafter kill or injure any sheep; and upon failure of such owner of such dog or dogs to give such security, then said Justice of the Peace shall require some one of the constables of the county to proceed forthwith to kill such dog or dogs; and said constable for such killing shall be allowed the sum of one dollar for each dog killed by him, upon such order of the Justice of the Peace as aforesaid to be taxed against the owner of such dog or dogs as a part of the costs in such case, provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the right of appeal, as in other cases."

A DESPERATE KICKING MATCH.—David McWilliams, a coal-miner, living in Plymouth, Luzerne county, Pa., and Robert Tavish, a saloon-keeper of Manayunk, Pa., were matched some time ago to "pure" for $250 a side. Purring is known among sporting men as scientific shin-kicking, and the contestant who is most able to stand punishment wins. The battle was fought one night last week in Camden, N. J., and was won by McWilliams in the twenty-third round. The men were barelegged from knee to ankle, and each wore No. 7 brogans. Both were very much exhausted after an hour's kicking. Tavish wanted to quit, but his friends insisted that he should go on. McWilliams's shins were badly cut and bruised, but they were nothing when compared with Tavish's. The next four rounds McWilliams went as he liked, and every time he kicked he inflicted an ugly cut or bruise. In the twenty-second round Tavish's seconds could not stop the flow of blood. They wanted to apply bandages, but were not allowed. McWilliams kicked Tavish five times in the twenty-third round, and then the latter dropped like a log and refused to go on. His legs from knee to ankle were covered with cuts and as raw as a beefsteak.

PROSPECTIVE SUPPER ON A WAGER.—Some time last fall Mr. McKenney and Mr. James Brown, members of the Trustees of the Almshouse, were visiting the institution officially; among other duties looking after the wheat seeding. A question arose as to the number of acres in a part of the field being seeded in wheat, Mr. McKenney thought it contained 30 acres and Mr. Brown did not think so many acres could be found. It was finally agreed that the piece of land should be surveyed and a terrapin supper was wagered on the result. If 30 acres were to be found in the piece of land, Mr. Brown was to furnish the supper and if less than 30 acres, Mr. McKenney was to be the host. At the meeting of the board last Thursday, Mr. B. S. Elliott, late county surveyor, was requested to be present and make the survey, which he did and found the piece of land contained a fraction over 28 acres. The terrapins are to be furnished by Mr. McKenney some time during the present winter.—*Centreville Record.*

MANY wonder how Parker's Ginger Tonic can perform such varied cures, thinking it simply essence of ginger, when in fact it is made from many valuable medicines which act beneficially on every diseased organ. See other column.

To the Democrats of Maryland.

Communicated.

The hurly-burly of the judicial and congressional contest is over, and you are in a condition to look forward to the future of the democratic party in this State with a calm and dispassionate appreciation of the situation. In less than a twelve-month you will be called upon to enter into another political contest of more importance than the one which has just closed. In 1883 a Governor is to be chosen and a Legislature on which will devolve the choice of United States Senator, and an Attorney-General and a Comptroller of the Treasury are to be elected besides county officers. With a good ticket, and with union and harmony in our ranks, Maryland is democratic by a majority ranging from ten to twenty thousand, but if we should make a mistake in nominating a candidate for Governor, and fail to support our nominee with strong tickets in all parts of the State we might encounter partial or total defeat. It is seen then at a glance how important it is to the democratic party to make a judicious selection of a proper candidate for the executive office and to support that candidate in all the counties and in the city of Baltimore by the strongest and most popular tickets which can be brought into the field. On these points there can be no difference of opinion amongst us.

This brings us to the consideration of the question: "Who would make us a candidate that would enthuse and unite the party, rallying it as one man, and leading it to sure and certain victory?" A number of gentlemen have been named in this connection, and after a survey of the whole field, duly weighing and considering the chances and qualifications of all of them it seems that no one possesses, in a more eminent degree, the necessary requirements of such a position than Wm. McKenney, of Queen Anne's county. Mr. McKenney is the son of the late Col. John McKenney, well-known on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. He is about 52 years of age, a man of fine physique and commanding presence, in good health, full of life, activity and energy, and of very popular manners. He is a man of liberal education and keeps up well with the current political history of the country and of parties. He is a man of great personal magnetism, superior judgment and common-sense, prudent and practical, and of thorough business qualifications. He has been a successful merchant, a successful farmer and a successful bank manager, and in fact has proven successful in almost every business undertaking he has embarked in. He is now President of the Centreville National Bank, which he was mainly instrumental in establishing. He is a good financier and keeps thoroughly posted as to the condition of the money and trade markets of the country. He possesses great independence of character, is self-reliant, a sound democrat, and not identified with faction. In religion he is a member of the Prot. Episcopal Church, having long occupied the position of vestryman of St. Paul's Parish in his county, Queen Anne's, not exclusive or bigoted, however, but liberal and charitable in his religious sentiments and feelings, and with many relations, family connections and warm personal friends in the four old leading religious denominations of Maryland. He is a man whom the whole democracy of the State could cheerfully support, and about whom the business and agricultural community could rally with enthusiasm.

But it is as the *farmer's candidate* that he is especially commended to public consideration. Mr. McKenney is a large land proprietor and one of the most successful farmers in the State. His average wheat crop is reported at between thirty and forty thousand bushels per annum. The legal profession has furnished much the larger number of our governors and for that reason it would seem a fit and proper thing to do now to make a selection from among our intelligent agriculturists. The farming community, I am sure, would hail his nomination with an enthusiasm that would bear him triumphantly into the executive chair. Many persons yet remember with pleasure the popular and successful administration of Governor William Grayson, the farmer of Queen Anne's. Let our next governor be a farmer of Queen Anne's also. To the whole party of the State, of whatsoever calling or profession, the name of William McKenney is most heartily and earnestly commended as the next democratic candidate for governor.

THERE is more railroad track to the square mile in Massachusetts and New Jersey than any other States in the Union. Ohio is ahead of our own State in this respect, and Pennsylvania has more track to the square mile than New York. This being the fact, it is less surprising that New York has built more railroad during the past year than any other State east of the Mississippi, and more than all the other States except two. Illinois still remains the State with most mileage.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.—A bill is now before the New Jersey Legislature, with the prospect of passage, which contemplates the double object of compulsory elementary education and the regulation of the employment of children. Under the proposed bill, which will go into effect, if at all, in September next, the employment of children under ten years of age in any manufacturing mechanical or mercantile pursuit is prohibited. The prohibition is extended to the age of fourteen years, except during school vacation.

BEAR HUNTING has become lively in Garrett county lately. The ambitious hunters started quite a number from their dens in the mountains, and three have been killed. One killed near Grantville weighed 275 pounds and measured seven feet in length, and a smaller one weighed 200 pounds.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers of Thursday quote as follows:

WHEAT—Longberry $1 12@1 17; Fultz $1 10@1 14 for fair to good. CORN—White, prime 62@65; yellow, 61@63. OATS, Maryland, 49.

TAX NOTICES.

Notice to Tax-Payers

FOR the convenience of the Tax Payers of the Third District, I will hereafter be at J. W. Ivens' store at Worton Station every Monday afternoon; at O. P. Beck's store at Worton Heights every Saturday afternoon, and in Chestertown on Tuesdays, until further notice.

Prompt payment is earnestly solicited as the levies are now due and must be paid. S. AMOS REED,

Jan. 6—3t* Coll. 3d Dist

Notice to Tax-Payers

FOR the convenience of the tax payers of the Fourth Election District I will, during the month of January, 1883, be at the Sheriff's Office in the Court House, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and after that date at the same place on Tuesdays and Saturdays until further notice.

Interest will be charged on all taxes not paid by the first day of January, 1883.

J. M. J. BYRON,

d30-tf. Coll. 4th Dist.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

THE undersigned Collector of FIRST DISTRICT, hereby gives notice that he will be at the following places for the convenience of Tax Payers after this date, namely:

At CHESTERVILLE Tuesday afternoons.

At GALENA on Thursday mornings.

At SASSAFRAS Thursday afternoons.

At MASSEYS Saturday mornings.

At MILLINGTON Saturday afternoons of each week until further notice.

☞ Tax Payers are urged to pay their taxes promptly.

JOHN F. WHITTINGTON,

n25-tf. Collector 1st Dist.

Notice to Tax-Payers

OF THE

FIFTH DISTRICT.

TAXES for the present year are now due, and it is to the interest of all tax-payers to make early payments.—My tax bills are all made out and ready to be receipted.

Until further notice I shall be in Chestertown on Tuesdays, and at ADKINSON & BOULTER'S store at Edesville at other times. B. B. ADKINSON,

s30-tf. Coll'r 5 Dist.

Notice to Tax-Payers

OF THE

SECOND ELECTION DISTRICT.

THE undersigned, Tax Collector, respectfully informs the Tax-payers of the Second District that for their accommodation he will be at Kennedyville on Saturday, August 19; Locust Grove on Wednesday, Aug. 23; Still Pond, Saturday, Aug. 26; Chesterville, Wednesday, Aug. 30, and at each of the above places every successive two weeks from the dates above named.

WM F. RORDER,

aug19-tf. Coll'r 2d District.

T. G. WROTH. WM. R. ALDRIDGE.

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Dress Goods, Cassimers, Kerseys, white, grey and red Flannels, Canton Flannels, Muslins, Prints, Tickings, Ginghams, Table Linens, &c,

Shawls, Skirts, Nubias, Gents' Knit Underwear, Woolen Overshoes, ladies' & children's Merino Vests, Knit Jackets, Hosiery, Gloves, Toilet Soaps, Brushes, Combs, &c.

Heavy Winter Boots

for Gents and Boys; Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes in great variety, all at prices that cannot fail to please. We make a specialty of this line of goods and invite the attention of buyers to same.

HATS.—Gents' and Boys' Fall & Winter Hats and Caps of newest styles, at lowest prices.

Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Tobacco, Segars, Laundry Soaps, Coal Oil, &c.

CARPETS and OIL-CLOTHS,

Queensware and Glassware.

Country Produce taken in exchange for goods.

WROTH & ALDRIDGE,

Nov. 25, 1882. CHESTERTOWN.

Order of Publication.

F. H. HARPER AND OTHERS,
vs.
JAMES CROSSLEY,
JOSEPH CROSSLEY.

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County,

JANUARY 9, 1883.

THE OBJECT of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of the Real Estate of Moses Crossley, deceased.

The Bill states that the said Moses Crossley, deceased, was in his life time indebted to F. H. Harper and others on certain accounts and notes which are particularly described in the Bill and its accompanying exhibits. That the said Moses Crossley being indebted as aforesaid unto plaintiffs, and also unto divers other persons in considerable sums of money, and having Real Estate of considerable value and personal estate of but small value, departed this life in the year 1881, leaving a will whereby after the payment of his debts most of his property was given to James Crossley and Joseph Crossley, both of Baltimore City, Maryland; that shortly after the death of the said Moses Crossley letters testamentary upon the personal estate of the said testator were by this Court granted unto B. D. Quimby, of Kent county, the executor appointed by the Will of the said Moses Crossley who qualified as such executor or administrator; that it appears by the certificate of the Register of Wills for Kent county, which as one of the exhibits is filed as a part of the said bill, that said personal estate is insufficient for the payment of the debts proved against said deceased. That the aforesaid real estate, or so much thereof as is necessary should be sold to make up said insufficiency.—And plaintiffs now state that two subpoenas were issued by this Court commanding them—the said James Crossley and Joseph Crossley—to appear in this Court on certain days named in said writs, and that each of said subpoenas have been returned "non sunt."

That plaintiffs are now entitled to an order of publication in accordance with Article 65, Section 24, page 324, of the revised Code of this State.

IT IS THEREUPON ADJUDGED AND ORDERED, that the complainants by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published at Chestertown, Kent county aforesaid, once in each of four successive weeks before the sixth day of February, give notice to the said absent defendants of the object and substance of this Bill, and warn them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the Fifteenth day of May next, to answer the premises and show cause if any they have why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

ROBERT NICHOLSON,
THOS. J. SHALLCROSS,
R. B. WILLSON,
Judges of the Orphans' Court for Kent county.

A True Copy.—Test:
JOEL C. SLAUGHTER,
jan13-5t. Register of Wills.

Order of Publication.

SAMUEL A. ANTHONY,
JOHN W. ANTHONY,
vs.
Lydia Avey, and Alonzo Avey her husband; Edward Phillips and Elizabeth Phillips his wife; Isaac Gellen and Serena Gellen his wife; George Anthony, Robert Dugan, John E. Dugan, and the children of said Anthony and Robert and John E. Dugan.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

OCTOBER TERM, 1888.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate in Kent County.

The Bill states that sometime in the year Eighteen hundred and eighty-one John W. Carroll, of the city and State of New York, departed this life intestate, seized and possessed in fee of real estate situate in Chestertown, Kent county, and State of Maryland, which he took by descent from his mother, Sarah E. Barrett, formerly Sarah E. Dugan; that he left no children or descendants, no mother, no brother or sister, no grandfather, uncle or aunt, but leaving Samuel A. Anthony and John W. Anthony, the children of Lydia A. Anthony, formerly Lydia A. Dugan, his aunt, and Lydia Avey, formerly Lydia Dugan; Elizabeth Phillips, formerly Elizabeth Dugan, and Serena Gellen, formerly Serena Dugan his only known heirs at law, but possibly a Robert Dugan, John E. Dugan, and George Anthony or their children, whose names and residences are unknown, are also heirs at law. That the aforesaid real estate is not susceptible of partition without loss and injury amongst the parties entitled, and praying a sale thereof, and that the aforesaid known defendants are non residents.

IT IS THEREUPON ADJUDGED AND ORDERED, that the complainants by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published at Chestertown, in Kent county aforesaid, once in each of four successive weeks before the 10th of February next, give notice to the said defendants of the object and substance of this bill, and warn them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 10th day of May next to answer the premises and show cause if any they have why a decree ought not to pass as prayed

SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

True Copy.
SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

Jan. 13—5t.

AXES!

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Dec. 30. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

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W. P. PATTERSON,

July 2, 1881. 168 W. PRATT ST., Baltimore.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.,
Nov. 11, 1882. Adjoining the Bank.

Some Facts

FROM

LOUIS K. STAM,

To every MAN, WOMAN OR CHILD who reads this paper.

I wish to present a few facts I would like you to read carefully, and consider each fact well.

1st Fact:

I have the Largest and Most Complete Stock of FURNITURE on the Peninsula, comprising Suits, Extension Tables, Lounges, Chairs, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Mattresses, and every thing needed in the Furniture line, supplied at very low prices and delivered free of charge to your homes.

2d Fact:

I can sell you CARPETS of any quality at city prises.

3d Fact:

A great number of Brackets, Wall Pockets, Clock Shelves, Pictures, Picture Frames, Easels, &c., &c., selected with geat care—will be sold at reduced rates.

4th Fact:

Regarding Lamps and Lamp Goods—possibly not the largest stock, but as good an assortment as can be found elsewhere. Special mention is made here of the twenty-three candle power Lamp; and extraordinary mention is made of the wonderful sixty-candle power Lamp, which will be on exhibition every night. You are specially invited to call and see it.

5th Fact:

A beautiful line of Fench China Mustache Cups, Shaving Mugs and Chamber China Setts, &c.

6th Fact:

Handsome Rattan and Comfort Rocking Chairs, Gentlemen's Office Chair, at low prices.

7th Fact:

Children's Express Wagons, Sleds, &c., &c., at very low prices.

Remember you are each and every one expressly invited to call and examine my goods. You will be received politely, and above all things don't forget the location, just below C. F. Stam's Drug Store.

Jan. 6, 1883. LOUIS K. STAM.

PRESENTS FOR THE NEW YEAR!

We have NOW OPEN a FINE ASSORTMENT OF FANCY ARTICLES, especially adapted for

Christmas and New Year GIFTS,

CONSISTING OF THE PRINCIPAL NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON.

In BOOKS we can certainly please you. We have them to suit all, both old and young. Our English Poets are bound in the most beautiful manner; our choice Gift Books have been gotten up in the highest style of art, and are especially suited for presents.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS.—We have a variety from Chatterbox down to old time Mother Goose. These Books are bound in the usual bright colors and very attractive.

Also, we have Prayer Books, Hymn Books and Bibles at the very lowest prices.

Plush Goods.

Handsome Toilet Cases,
Whisk Holders, Albums,
Odor Stands, Work Boxes,
Papeteries, all at reduced prices.

SILVER-WARE.

A new and elegant Stock waiting for you to examine.

VASES.—Vases and Toilet Sets of very pretty designs.

PERFUMERY—Colognes and Fancy Boxes of exquisite odors.

FLOWERS—A few designs imported from France. They are beautiful, we want you to see them.

☞ All the above articles have been added to our stock for the Christmas season. Our general stock of goods is very large, and it is impossible for us to tell you anything about it here, so we will extend you a cordial invitation to visit our store. Do not look in the windows for our best goods. They are in large cases inside.

COLIN F. STAM,

DRUGGIST.

Dec. 30, 1882.

F. WRIGHT,

Commission Merchant,

No. 3 Camden street, BALTIMORE, MD.,

For the Sale of

FRUITS, LIVE STOCK,

AND GENERAL PRODUCE.

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SPECIAL is attention called to our large and carefully selected stock of BOOTS and SHOES. Buyers should call and inspect these goods, and the drices, before purchasing elsewhere.

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CANNED MACKEREL and Cooked Corned Beef, at LAMBERT'S.

THOS. J. MANN

HAS JUST OPENED

A NEW STOCK OF

Dry Goods,

GROCERIES, &c,

embracing all goods usually kept in a first-class store.

☞ I am determined to sell at VERY CLOSE FIGURES for cash or Country Produce, and invite my friends and the public to give me a call.

SPECIAL!—In exchange for goods I will take LIVE STOCK—Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, &c.

Come and see me, opp. the Bank.

THOS. J. MANN.

Attention, One and All!

FRUIT CAKE,
POUND CAKE,
SPONGE CAKE,
JELLY CAKE,

For the Holidays, at HUDGINS' NEW BAKERY.

Home-made MINCE MEAT At HUDGINS' BAKERY.

Pies fresh daily. Try our Cough Candy.

Finest and Largest Assortment of TOYS in Town!

They MUST be sold. To do this we have put them down to bottom prices.

HUDGINS' BAKERY.

Dec. 16, 1882.

RUNNING AGAIN!

SHOULD nothing unforseen occur, I shall be ready to start my MILL, near Galena, about 15th inst. I have

EVERYTHING NEW,

and of the best quality, and I intend to give the people satisfaction in every particular. Improved machinery and the latest methods will be employed in manufacturing good brands of FLOUR and best quality of MEAL at the least toll possible. Respectfully,

C. H. J. SPARKS,

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LIVERY

And EXCHANGE STABLES

CANNON ST., CHESTERTOWN.

THE undersigned has just opened a large Livery and Exchange Stable, and having a number of excellent vehicles and fine drivers, is prepared to accommodate the public with first-class teams at moderate prices. Orders left at my reside ncewill be promptly attended to.

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L. A. KENDALL,

LINKROOD, Kent County, Md.,

Offers his services to the people of Kent county as a PRACTICAL PRUNER. Young Peach Trees, Pear Trees and Grape Vines a specialty, also, grafting done in season. Terms moderate. Address the above. n4-tf

THE PLACE

To Buy Harness.

MY WHOLE STOCK AT

THE VERY LOWEST PRICES!

Great reductions have been made for this Spring's trade. I can suit all, and guarantee satisfaction. After 14 years' experience in the harness business I feel that I can and will give satisfaction in all dealings.

Call and examine my stock of

COLLARS,
BRIDLES,
HALTERS,
HARNESS,
SADDLES,
WHIPS,
BITTS,
TRUNKS,

and a full stock of everything in my line. Be sure and call at

J. F. HOWARD'S, Court St.,

next door to C. F. Stam's drug store, if you want anything in the Harness line. I can accommodate you at lowest prices.

☞ REPAIRING ☜

of all kinds, done at the shortest notice and at reduced prices.

JOHN F. HOWARD,

March 1. Court Street.

CHARLES A. MILLER'S

[TRADE MARK]

QUINTESSENCE OF

Phosphated Iron, Quinine & Strychnia

Put up in Pills and in Liquid Form,

And is a sure cure for DEBILITY resulting from any cause, *thinness* or *sluggishness* of *the blood, derangement* of the *Digestive Organs*, Diseases of the *Nervous System, Typhus, Typhoid and Intermittent Fevers, Ague and Fever*, and is the very best counteracter of *malarial influences* and cure for *malarial diseases*, and as a *nervine* and *sedative*, quieting the nervous system, and inducing Refreshing Sleep, it has no equal. *It is endorsed by medical practitioners* here and is frequently prescribed by them in their practice, and is considered one of the very best remedial agents known for the diseases for which we recommend it. We challenge the closest scrutiny into its composition and virtues. Read the following:

EXPLANATION OF THE ABOVE MEDICINE.

PHOSPHOROUS—Means light, and medically imparts strength and vigor to the system, as the rays of the sun do to animal and vegetable life.

IRON—Is a purifier and enricher of the blood, the most important of the constituents of the human body.

QUININE—Is the Tonic of Tonics, and exercises a powerful and healthful influence upon the digestive organs, and finally

STRYCHNIA—In very small proportions (as in this combination) is a most excellent nervine, acting upon and regulating the entire nervous system. Ask your physician about the above formula, and he will say it is good.

Price in large bottles $1; Trial bottles 35c.

Pills in boxes $1 per box, or six boxes for $5. Sent by mail to any point, free of charge, upon receipt of price. Prepared and sold by

DAVIS & MILLER,

No. 12 N. Howard St., Baltimore.

A pamphlet of full explanations of the above medicine, and treating of its composition and administration, and stating the diseases to which it is applicable, will be cheerfully given to any one who may call on me, it will be sent free to any address furnished by postal card, and will also hereafter accompany each bottle. o21y.

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To the General Public

Please accept my thanks for your kind patronage during the past ten years, and I hope I may conduct my business in the future so as to not only retain the same but gain more.

We have commenced this year with a genuine assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Notions Provisions,

TOBACCO and CIGARS,
BOOTS and SHOES

Tinware, Hardware, Queensware, &c.,

all bought exclusively for the cash which enables us to sell them

AT VERY CLOSE FIGURES.

We do not sell any one article at or below cost as an inducement to buyers, but sell ALL at a small advance above cost.

We make a specialty of

Boots and Shoes, and Lime & Hair.

All we ask is a general inspection of goods and prices to sell them.

Country Produce of all kinds wanted in exchange for goods or cash.

The public's ob't serv't,

WM. C. A. THOMPSON,

jan21. Up Town.

McDANIEL'S

HORSE and CATTLE

POWDER.

CLARKE & McDANIEL, Propr's.

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Those that have used McDaniel's Horse and Cattle Powders and vouch for their true merit, are

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☞ Use "THE" Horse Liniment.

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WITH the experience of thirty years in the

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I would inform the public that I have constantly on hand Coffins and Caskets which will be furnished and finished in any style desired, covered with cloth or velvet. Metallic Caskets furnished at short notice at very low prices.

I have a first class ICE BOX; also a good glass inclosed Hearse and good pair of horses for attending funerals.

☞ Furniture Neatly Repaired

at short notice. Double and single barrel Guns stocked and repaired. Scythe and Cradles of best white ash and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Watches and Clocks repaired at lowest pices. Give us a trial.

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