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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....Oct. 6, 1883.

LETTER FROM LYNCH'S.

Messrs. Editors:—It has been some time since we have seen a letter to your valuable paper from this place, so here goes. We will first relate a snake story on the style of the bear story. Your correspondent had occasion to go in the pantry and on entering found a snake. Being very much afraid of his snakeship, he called for Mollie, who called for Bud; he halloed for Ed.; and after several protracted efforts and encouragements Ed. succeeded in killing the reptile. But the fun of the thing was, Bud said, "didn't we kill him," though he kept as far off as possible using encouraging words of "kill him, Ed.," but keeping from the reptile, telling the dog Rover to shake him after he was dead and backing in the house door at the same time.

October with its sere and yellow leaf is here reminding us of the decline of life and of those loved ones who have gone before. There have been many changes in the last few years—loved ones gone home, waiting for us on the other shore. May we be prepared to meet them, is the prayer of our heart.

The exceedingly busy season has put a stop to our interesting meetings of the Aid Society of the Union M. E. Church, but we are in hopes that they will be renewed with more interest than in the past.

There will be many changes the coming year in the way of moving; your correspondent anticipates retiring from the vocation of farm-life to a more quiet one.

Death has been in our midst lately taking away the loved ones from among us; our young and lovely friend, Mrs. Ella Duyer, in the bloom of youth, leaving a beloved husband and two interesting little boys to mourn her loss, as well as a father and mother. The grim monster will invade our happy homes and deprive us of our loved ones. May we have on the whole armor and be prepared to meet him. A THINKER.

NOBODY WANTED THEM.

Nobody wanted any of the nominations in the gift of the Republican Convention last Thursday week. The chances for the Comptrollership were deemed by Dixon of Talbot of less account than a nomination for the House of Delegates.—Mallalieu of Queen Anne's was just about to be nominated for the place when he declared he wouldn't and he couldn't, and in default of anything more acceptable the convention had to take Dr. Wash. Smith, of Dorchester. It is very sure that if the Republicans had felt the slightest hope that the nomination would prove more than a barren honor, Dr. Smith would not have secured it.

The Attorney-Generalship was handed around in the plate in the same way. Nobody seemed to aspire to the privilege of manning a leaking craft. Urner didn't want it; Stake wouldn't have it. "Nobody wants it," lugubriously lamented Gen. Ad. King; "let's give it to Matthews unanimously." And Matthews never declines anything tangible or intangible.

For Gubernatorial honors no one had any desire to compete with Holton. Nobody else believed that the game was worth the candle, but Holton has an idea that his is a lucky star, and the desperate Republicans half hope that lightning may strike twice in the same place. Holton's peculiar methods won a nomination and an election to Congress last fall in a district where the negroes are abundant and the Democrats despondent, and it was in view of abundant negroes and with illusory dreams of despondent Democrats, throughout the State, that the lightning hunter was set up. Well, the latter element will certainly be missing, and it is reasonably certain that Mr. Holton will not resign the Congressional seat his lightning methods acquired, till after the November elections. And meanwhile it is to be noted as special evidence of John Gilpin's "frugal mind," that it was "heads I win, tails you lose" with the convention that so unanimously set up Mr. Holton to pay his money and take what he could get. If he should happen to win, it would be their glory. If he lose, it will be his loss.—*Cecil Democrat.*

HE WANTED A CHEAP FUNERAL.—George F. Barstow, of San Francisco, who left an estate valued at $80,000, gave these injunctions in his will: "Having observed that ostentation and expensive funerals are injurious to the people, often absorbing money which poverty cannot well spare to vanity and pride, therefore, by way of example, for which I beg pardon of the undertakers, let my coffin be a plain redwood box, put together with common nails or screws, without paint or varnish, with plain iron handles, and all else about the funeral to correspond with this plainness. Let there be a cheap shroud and no flowers. What is a dead man but a handful of dust? Instead of a hearse I may just as well be carried to the grave upon some ordinary vehicle in every-day use, since life is but a journey and the day of death the final rest."

A HUNTER'S TERRIBLE DEATH.—Thomas Bear, of Jefferson county, Pa., went out hunting on Wednesday last. Not returning home, a search was made for him. On Friday afternoon his headless body was found in the woods a few miles from his home. His head and portions of his breast and shoulders were found in the brush twenty-five feet away from the body. A short distance beyond where the body lay a large tree had been felled. The trunk was chopped only half in two, and was split up for several feet.—It is supposed that Bear was chopping down the tree to secure a raccoon which he had treed, when the trunk split in falling, and one-half of it flying up, struck him in the breast with such violence as to tear his head and shoulders from his body and hurl them to the spot where they were found.

AN INTERNATIONAL SPIKE-DRIVING.—The Mexican Central Railroad, it is announced, will be completed by the 1st of June, when an international spike-driving will take place. This will establish direct connection between the "Halls of Montezuma" and the United States, and preparations are already going forward in a quiet way to commemorate the event with rejoicings and festivities at the Mexican capital. It is expected that President Arthur will be present and join with the Mexican chief magistrate in driving home the last spike. It is also designed to extend special invitations to the leading military organizations of the United States.

CEMETARY PHENOMENA.—On Monday night about midnight, the 10th inst., Professor Swift, director of the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y., discovered another comet in the same constellation with the one recently found by Prof. Brooks. It is moving almost directly toward the earth, and hence shows very little motion, so that Prof. Swift found it difficult to verify and was unable to do so until last Saturday night.—The two comets will very likely cross each other's orbits in their progress, and their appearance so nearly together, and within so short a space of time is a most singular, if not a significant fact.

THE New York *Herald* by mistake, gets in a truthful lick occasionally. Here is what it says about the tariff question:

"High tariffs make low wages. All workmen ought to remember that. High tariffs are the work of great corporations, who continually lobby Congress and intimidate public men to prevent tariff reform. This is what trades-unions ought to strike at."

THE *American Cultivator* reminds farmers that weeds along the edges of the fields and by the roadside should be mowed now and raked into heaps while green, or when wet with dews and showers, so that the seeds may not scatter out.—If the heaps are small they will soon dry, so that they may be burned; and if they are large they will rot, seeds and all; but the burning is the better way to dispose of them.

THE wealthy manufacturers of matches in this country have just reduced their prices to dealers over 50 per cent., or from five dollars and ten cents per case, to from two dollars and a quarter to two dollars and a half, according to quality.

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
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WM. C. SATTERFIELD, Greensboro', Caroline Co., Md., August 1, 1882, says: "I have been using Orchilla Guano for fifteen years largely. I have frequently tried other fertilizers, but fell back on Orchilla. I believe it a *good, permanent improver of poor lands.*"
JOHN PRICE, Cordova, Talbot Co., Md., writes, June 18, 1883: "After several years' trial of Orchilla Guano, I like it so well that *I do not want anything better.*"
GEO. C. GRAHAM, Trappe, Talbot Co., Md., writes, June 20, 1883: "I gave Orchilla Guano trial last fall by the side of two other brands of high-grade standard fertilizer and I am best *pleased with the Orchilla.*"
H. H. PRICE, Longwood, Talbot Co., Md., writes, June 21, 1883: "I have used Orchilla Guano for several years, and have tested it by the side of high-priced fertilizers, and I *decidedly give the preference to* Orchilla."
W. SPRY SHERMAN, Vienna, Dorchester Co., Md. writes, July 16, 1883: "Most of the best farmers and heaviest wheat growers of this district—such gentlemen as JAMES MITCHELL, ESQ., ALFRED H. MERRICK, WM. H. TURPIN and others, have used Orchilla Guano for years, *and still use it almost exclusively.* In fact, some of our large wheat growers, who for years declined to use it, are now using it *exclusively* for wheat and corn, and say that it is the BEST fertilizer in the market for clover and grass. The sales this year will be much larger than ever before."
THOMAS H. TRAVERS, Taylor's Island, Dorchester Co., Md., writes, June 11, 1883: "I used on my wheat last fall 2½ tons of Orchilla Guano, at the rate of 250 pounds to the acre. It covered over one of my fields, and a part only of the other. My regret now is that I did not buy enough to complete my seeding entire, as it would have paid me 100 per cent. on its cost. I am positively certain that I have *more than double* the quantity of wheat on the fertilized ground that there is on the unfertilized; some of my neighbors say there is three times as much. The young clover from the Orchilla is all that the most exacting farmer could desire. This is the second year I have used Orchilla, and it has given me the same gratifying result each year, growing me more wheat and clover than any other fertilizer I have ever used—Peruvian Guano not excepted. I do not hesitate to say that I believe it is unsurpassed as a grain and grass producer. I shall continue to use it as long as I conduct a farm—if it can be had, believing that with it, and the use of clover seed alone, the highest state of fertility may be reached."
ROBINSON BARNES, Taylor's Island, Dorchester Co., Md., writes, June 25, 1883: "I purchased a ton of Orchilla Guano last fall, which I applied to my wheat at the rate of 150 pounds to the acre. It has given me great satisfaction. It has produced *more than three times as much wheat* as where no fertilizer was put in the same field. The grain is fine and plump, and the heads are the largest I have ever grown. This is my first use of Orchilla, and I want no better manure. I will use it this fall in increased quantity."
JESSE W. DOWNS, Dayton, Howard Co., Md., writes, June 16, 1883: "I have used Orchilla Guano for the past four seasons on wheat, rye, corn and potatoes, and find it equal to any high-priced fertilizer that I have used in the past ten years. On good land it makes fine crops at once, and on thin land, I have watched its action carefully, and can say with truthfulness that it is a sure and permanent improver of the soil. It certainly makes 'poor lands rich.' I am only sorry I did not get hold of it long ago. All who have used it in this neighborhood speak well of it, and will use it again this fall."
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Kent Co., Smyrna & Del. Bay R. R.

Connecting with Delaware R. R. at Clayton.

Fall Arrangement.

On and after Monday, Sep. 17, 1883, until further notice, trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH.	Passenger No. 1, daily.	Mix & Pass No. 4. Thursdays and Saturdays only
LEAVE	A M	P M
Chestertown	7 00	2 00
Worton	7 15	2 20
Lynch's	7 20	2 30
Still Pond	7 25	2 40
Kennedyville	7 35	2 55
Blacks	7 50	3 10
Lambson	8 05	3 20
Masseys	8 20	3 35
*Delanys	8 35	3 50
*Bingham	8 40	4 00
arr Clayton	8 55	4 10
leave "	9 12	5 26
" Middletown	9 33	5 51
" Wilmington	10 15	6 50
arr Philadelphia	11 22	7 50
Baltimore	2 20 p. m.	9 05
New York	3 45	10 45 p m

GOING SOUTH.	Pass. No. 2. Daily.	Mix & Pass No. 4 Thursdays and Saturdays only.
LEAVE	A M	A M
New York	9 25	
Baltimore	11 50	12 10 p. m
Philadelphia	8 00	3 00
Wilmington	9 10	4 00
Middletown	10 12	4 42
arr Clayton	10 42	5 04
leave "	11 00	5 15
" *Binghams	11 15	5 25
*Delaneys	11 25	5 35
Masseys	11 35	5 45
Lambson	11 50	5 55
Blacks	12 00	6 05
Kennedyville	12 15	6 15
Still Pond	12 25	6 22
Lynchs	12 30	6 27
Worton	12 40	6 35
arr Chetertown	1 00	6 50

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents
Freight for Bingham's and Nicholson's must be prepaid.
The morning trains make connection at Clayton with the Delaware Railroad going North and South.
Passengers on morning train to and from Baltimore change cars at Wilmington or Delaware Junction.
Freight carried at low rates to all points and must be at Stations 30 minutes before starting time, in order to insure dispatch.
Excursion Tickets issued at reduced rates.
☞ Trains run on Phila. time, which is 5 minutes faster than Balt. time.
Sept. 22, 1883—tf. FRED. GERKER, Lessee.

Phila. Wilmington & Balt. Railroad

Delaware Divis'n: Time Table.

ON and after MONDAY, July 23, 1883, (Sundays excepted) trains will leave as follows:

NORTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Delmar	...	7 30	8 30	3 15
Laruel	...	...	8 42	3 28
SEAFORD	...	7 50	8 55	3 39
Bridgeville	...	...	9 09	3 55
Greenwood	...	...	9 18	4 05
Farmington	...	...	9 26	4 13
Harrington	6 25	8 26	9 37	4 24
Felton	6 37	...	9 48	4 34
Canterbury	6 42	...	9 53	4 38
Woodside	6 47	...	9 56	4 42
Wyoming	6 54	...	10 03	4 49
DOVER	7 01	8 52	10 10	4 56
Moorton	7 11	...	10 19	5 05
Brenford	7 18	...	10 26	5 11
SMYRNA Le	7 15	9 00	10 25	4 55
Clayton	7 24	9 12	10 33	5 18
Green Spring	7 29	...	10 36	5 22
Blackbird	7 37	...	10 44	5 30
Townsend	7 42	9 26	10 49	5 36
MIDDLETOWN	7 55	9 33	11 07	5 53
Mt. Pleasant	8 03	...	11 16	6 01
Kirkwood	8 12	...	11 26	6 11
Porter's	8 17	...	11 31	6 15
Bear	8 22	...	11 36	6 22
State Road	8 29	...	11 39	6 25
New Castle	8 33	10 02	11 46	6 34
Del. Junction	...	...	...	...
WILMINGTON ar.	8 50	10 15	12 05	6 50
BALTIMORE	11 40	2 20	2 20	9 00
PHILADELPHIA	9 52	11 12	1 14	7 55

SOUTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
PHILADELPHIA	8 00	11.50	3 00	5 20
BALTIMORE	...	9 25	12 05	4 10
WILMINGTON	9 10	1 05	4 00	6 25
Delaware Junction	...		...	6 33
New Castle	9 23	1 22	4 11	6 44
State Road	9 26	1 25	...	6 47
Bear	9 33	1 32	...	6 54
Porter's	9 38	1 37	...	6 59
Kirkwood	9 47	1 42	...	7 03
Mt. Pleasant	9 51	1 52	...	7 13
MIDDLETOWN	10 12	2 10	4 42	7 30
Townsend	10 20	2 18	4 50	7 39
Blackbird	10 25	2 22	...	7 44
Green Spring	10 36	2 29	...	7 51
Clayton	10 42	2 34	5 05	7 57
SMYRNA (arrive)	10 55	2 45	5 30	8 10
Brenford	10 47	2 39	...	8 02
Moorton	10 54	2 46	...	8 09
DOVER	11 07	2 58	5 23	8 21
Wyoming	11 14	3 04	...	8 27
Woodside	11 22	3 10	...	8 34
Canterbury	11 27	3 14	...	8 39
Felton	11 32	3 19	...	8 44
Harrington	11 47	3 31	5 48	8 55
Farmington	11 55	3 38	...	...
Greenwood	12 05	3 46	...	...
Bridgeville	12 15	3 55	...	...
SEAFORD	12 33	4 10	6 24	...
Laurel	12 48	4 23	...	...
Delmar	1 00	4 35	6 45	...

New Castle Accommodation Trains—Leave Wilmington 6 00 A. M. & 3.00 P. M. Leave New Castle 9 35 A. M. and 4 40 P M.

Smyrna Branch Trains—Additional to those above, leave Smryna for Clayton 2 20 and 7 45 P. M. Leave Clayton for Smyrna 7.25 A. M. and 4.30 P. M., to make connection with trains North and South from Clayton.

CONNECTION.—At Porter's with Newark & Del. City Railroad. At Townsend, with Q. A. & Kent road. At Clayton, with Del. & Ches. Railroad and Kent Co. Railroad. At Harrington, with Junction & Breakwater Railroad. At Seaford, with Cambridge & Seaford Railroad. At Delmar, with Eastern Shore Railroad, Wicomico & Pocomoke Railroad, and Peninsula Railroad.

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