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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....Oct. 20, 1883.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Governor:
ROBERT M. McLANE.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
J. FRANK TURNER.

For Attorney General:
CHARLES B. ROBERTS.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For the State Senate:
WILLIAM B. USILTON.

For the House of Delegates:
J. FLETCHER WILSON,
BENEDICT B. ADKINSON.

For State's Attorney:
MARION deK. SMITH.

For Sheriff:
DULANEY RASIN.

For Judges of the Orphans' Court:
WILLIAM S. WALKER,
R. BENNETT WILLSON,
WILLIAM A. HYLAND.

For County Commissioners:
CHARLES P. LOPER,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
VICTOR HENDRICKSON,
J. CHARLES WHEATLEY.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETINGS.

PINEY NECK—Saturday, Oct. 20, at 2 P. M.
QUAKER NECK—Wednesday, 24, " "
CHESTERTOWN—Saturday, Oct. 27, " "
ROCK HALL—Friday, Nov. 2, at 4 P. M.
BETTERTON—Saturday, Nov. 3d.

THE Hagerstown *Mail* has certainly got the *Day* "on the hip" now on the "boss" question.

IN Queen Anne's the total registration footed up 520; stricken off 282—net gain of 238—of these 170 are white and 58 colored.

HON. "SUNSET" COX, of NEW YORK, has positively promised to attend the mass meeting in Chestertown next Saturday.

"THERE is no longer any doubt about it: The bosses must go."—*American.*

Yes. Ohio settled it. Then good-bye to the Custom House and Post office rings. The bosses must go!

DR. WASHINGTON FINLEY, the present chief judge, has been selected to fill the vacancy on the Orphans' Court ticket in Queen Anne's county caused by the declension of Mr. W. H. Newnam.

☞ THE MASS-MEETING next Saturday must commence promptly at the hour named, and will be continued in the evening. Even then the speakers must be brief in order to be all heard.

THERE is no truth in the report that Chief Justice James L. Bartol contemplates resigning and retiring from the bench at an early day. He sat in the Court of Appeals last week, and was in much better health than for several months past.

A REPUBLICAN paper says the Democratic majority in Ohio is so meagre that the election may fairly be called a drawn battle. The Democrats can easily stand "drawn battles" in which they "draw" all the offices in a Republican State.—"Enough's as good as a feast."

THE BEST FEELING.

A gentleman remarked to us yesterday that he never knew a better feeling in the Democratic party in Kent than now exists. This is certainly true. The party is a unit, and a grand victory awaits it on the sixth of November next, unless we throw away our golden opportunity by overconfidence. Continue to work—*work*—WORK!

THE Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun* says that while ex-Senator Conkling was in that city last week he repeated to some friends the opinion which he is said to have expressed several times within the last year, that the Democrats would elect the next President, and further remarked that he took no personal interest in politics.

THE FACTIONS UNITED.—The conference committees from the County Democracy and Tammany and Irving Halls had a meeting Tuesday evening, and came to an agreement in regard to the distribution of the offices for a union ticket. There was entire unanimity, and the action of the conference will doubtless be approved by the various factions.

ANOTHER DESTRUCTIVE EARTHQUAKE.—If a report coming from Constantinople is to be credited, the earthquake recently announced as having occurred on the coast of Asia Minor was unusually destructive. In the region opposite the Island of Chios and along the southern coast of the Gulf of Smyrna the loss of property and life was very great. Many villages are reported destroyed, and as many as a thousand persons are said to have been killed.

WATER FOR MARYLAND TOWNS.—The subject of water supply for the towns of Maryland, not only for ordinary household uses, but for manufacturing and protective purposes, is occupying a good deal of attention. Some of the larger towns have well devised systems of supply. Westminster is the latest to secure the blessing of abundant water by simple and cheap means. St. Michael's, in Talbot county, which lately underwent the fire ordeal, is earnestly engaged in considering the means of getting water sufficient to protect the town from conflagrations. In Bel Air the suggestion has been made of artesian wells. While there may be disadvantages of situation in various localities, ingenuity and enterprise will overcome the difficulties in most cases, and very often at small cost. It is incumbent, however, on all communities having any considerable aggregation of houses or property liable to destruction by fire to seek the most available means of protection through abundance of water, which may be advantageous also in many other ways, besides being needful for sanitary and domestic purposes.

THE "BULLDOZERS" IN VIRGINIA.

How Colored Voters are Kept in the Republican Ranks.

The infamous Mahone, with his republican aids, are straining every nerve to carry Virginia at the approaching election. Money is plentiful from administration sources to aid them. Many of the colored people are tired of following the repudiation leader and will vote with the Democrats. The radicals, however, are resorting to their usual methods to hold these people, as will be seen by the following extract from a recent letter to the Baltimore *Sun*:

"It is confidently asserted that the members of the republican colored clubs are furnished with tickets good for twenty cents for every night they attend a club meeting, to be cashed after the election. Their ministers also are instructed to notify the church members that if they vote with the white people they will be excommunicated for five years, and their women are persuaded to tell their husbands that if they vote that way they will leave them. A democratic colored man told the writer that the colored leader in his neighborhood in the adjoining county of Louisa had a list of his voters on a paper, which they had signed, and told them that if they voted the democratic ticket he had a right to shoot them down in their tracks, and would do it. Notwithstanding all this intimidation, a Jones (republican) club of 29 was almost entirely broken up last week by fourteen of them going off in a body to a Wickham (democratic) club."

THAT "TEXT."

Another and Better One Suggested.

Mr. J. Clinton Rasin, republican candidate for the Legislature, states that he carries about with him an old copy of the KENT NEWS in which appears an article declaring the colored people to be "chattel," and that he makes this his "text" at all the colored meetings he attends. Now, we have not learned whether the said article was an editorial by one of the present editors or a letter from some correspondent. If it is the latter, it may be the product of a *republican* of that day, or, whether by a republican or democrat, our esteemed friend ought to know that editors do not make themselves responsible for the views of correspondents. But, it may be an editorial. Then what is its language? This?—"The colored people are held as chattel and disposed of by the white leaders as they choose in advancing themselves to office. They are in slavery to political masters as exacting as were the personal 'chattel owners' of ages past, and the more ignorant the colored voter is, the more subservient is he to the will of the republican bosses." If this is the language used, IT IS TRUE TO A DOT, and we hope our friend will continue to preach from that text.—It may be that he will accomplish something not intended by his candidacy. In his honesty of purpose and correct rendering of our thought—and the altogether truthful portrayal of the present condition of the great mass of the colored voters, he may awaken that race to a higher ideal of citizenship and the rights of franchise than they now enjoy; a higher aspiration than that of *serving* a few leaders will then prompt them, and they will be found exercising independent judgment and voting in accordance therewith, and not like a flock of sheep or herd of cattle be marched through the stalls to the voting place.

But, stop! Friend Clint, you may wish

Another Text

besides the one above referred to, and we suggest that you go back again to our files, or the files of the Baltimore *American* and read the platform adopted by the republican convention held in Baltimore city on the sixth of June, 1869. This is one of the planks in that platform:

"RESOLVED, *That* WE ARE PLEDGED TO THE MAINTENANCE *of the present constitution of Maryland, which expressly and emphatically prohibits both* REBEL SUFFRAGE *and* NEGRO SUFFRAGE *and* WE ARE EQUALLY DETERMINED *to* UPHOLD THE REGISTRY LAW, WHICH DISFRANCHISES REBELS *and* EXCLUDES NEGROES FROM VOTING, *and have* NO DESIRE OR INTENTION OF RESCINDING OR ABOLISHING *either the Constitution or the Registry law.*"

Now, Clint, be honest, be fair, be truthful, and read this plank—THIS REPUBLICAN PLANK—to your colored friends, won't you? Of course you ought to make known the position of *your own party* on this subject, as you appear to be particularly anxious to ventilate *our* views. Tell the truth *about yourselves* as well as other people, and we'll accord to you more consistency than you now have credit for. Wish we could hear our dear friend, Clint, preach from this text.—We'd help pay the sexton, sure!

A BRILLIANT AFFAIR.

The mass-meeting advertised to be held in Chestertown NEXT SATURDAY promises to be a noted affair for its array of speaking talent. The list includes some of the finest orators in the United States, and THEY WILL BE HERE—unless some unforeseen occurrence prevents. Come out and hear them.

POLITICS IN BALTIMORE CITY.

Ex-Mayor F. C. Latrobe is the regular democratic candidate for Mayor of Baltimore, and Mr. J. Monroe Heiskell, also a democrat and fire marshal, is the candidate of the dissatisfied democrats and republicans. Each have an equal number of candidates for the city council, and the other municipal candidates are about evenly divided between them. Mr. S. Teackle Wallis and a number of other prominent democrats are enlisted in the coalition movements. General Latrobe has been Mayor of the city three times, and is supported by many of the largest and most influential merchants in the city, without regard to party. Both parties held ratification meetings Wednesday night, and addresses were made on one side by Messrs. Wallis, Harris, Sterling and R. D. Morrison, and on the other by Messrs. Latrobe, Thompson, Riall, Bond and Raine. The election takes place next Wednesday. It is thought by some that the contest will be close, but Gen'l Latrobe's friends claim from 6,000 to 7,000 majority.

ONLY ONE VOTE.

Many well meaning Democrats are in the habit of saying: "O, my vote is only one vote;" and, so considering, fail to go to the polls if so doing causes them the least inconvenience. Overlooking an odd job on the farm or a trip to town on business, need never be a matter of necessity on election day; they can easily be provided for without interfering with the *duty* of voting. One vote has often decided an important election and may do so again.

But this lazy and indifferent logic falls utterly to the ground when we know that a great many men may act on the same principle—or lack of principle. Then the one vote is multiplied perhaps an hundredfold, and the ticket greatly imperiled thereby—if not defeated.

No. One vote is alway important, because without it there would be no votes if all the voters happen to act upon the same idea at the same time. Each failure to vote, there fore, will justly be attributed to lukwarmness, indifference, or, perhaps, to something worse. No true Democrat will fail of his duty in this great emergency.

RALLY IN PINEY NECK.—On this Saturday afternoon there will be a mass meeting and oyster feast in Piney Neck, and addresses will be delivered by Wm. M. Slay, Thos. Hulme, M. deK. Smith, H. H. Barroll and J. D. Urie, Esqs.

MEETING IN QUAKER NECK.—On Wednesday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock, there will be a Democratic mass meeting at "ThCliffs," in Quaker Neck, which will be addressed by a number of good speakers. Oysters in attendance.

THE RABBIT LAW.—We were in error last week in stating that the time for shooting rabbits in Kent extended from Oct. to Jan. 15. It should have been from Oct. 5 to Dec. 25, as amended by an act of the last legislature.

LARGE POTATOES.—Mr. S. T. Newcomb, residing on the farm of Mr. W. E. Wickes near Chestertown, has left at our office a lot of very fine and large potatoes of the Irish variety.—One of them weighs 2lbs., another 1½ lbs., and the remainder over a pound each.

TO OUR READERS.—We direct especial attention to the advertisement of A. Fadman, Chestertown, the "Star Clothing House" of this county, under the heading "Truth is Potent and must prevail." He has made such preparations that all can be satisfied in regard to quality and price. He claims to sell Clothing as cheap as any store in Chestertown or in the City, and is determined to keep trade at home. Give him a call. *

DISREPUTABLE TURF REVELRIES.—The rage for betting on turf events, which has been rapidly developing in this country for some time, and particularly during the present racing season, seems to be culminating in practices which must be quickly stamped out or racing will be brought into disrepute. Saturday last the races between the Jerome Park race-course and New York were tapped and the names of horses were reported as winners that did not come under the string first. As a result the pool-sellers throughout the country were victimized to an aggregate estimated at $75,000. At Louisville the day it was discovered that the favorite horse in an important race had been overfed, thus retiring it impossible for him to win the race, and the meantime those in the secret had invested heavily on the "other horse," thus becoming winners by resorting to a most disreputable trick. The managers in the credit of the Louisville Jockey Club, thus made a thorough investigation into the matter and ruled from the track the three men ascertained to have been most directly engaged in the affair.

FULL PARTICULARS

Of the Grand Tournament—Fine Riding—Excellent Prizes—Parade of the Kent Guards, Grand Ball, &c.

One of the finest tournaments that has ever been given in Maryland will probably come off next Thursday at Worton Fair Grounds. All of the arrangements are about finished, and the managers expect a crowd. In order to make the procession more attractive the KENT GUARDS will on that occasion muster forty-five men, and parade through the town. The Chinaman will lead the procession, followed by all the marshals, knights, heralds, &c. At night a GRAND BALL will be given at the armory of the Kent Guards in Chestertown, to which the public generally are invited. It was first thought best to have the ball at Fairlee, but the managers have been compelled to have it in Chestertown in order to accommodate the large gathering of people. Weber's Grand Orchestra of Baltimore will be in attendance.

As soon as the tournament exercises are over a trotting exhibition will take place between Mr. John W. Hines' "Young Smuggler" and "Lankford," owned by Mr. Wm. J. Vannort. The owners of these celebrated stallions have consented to let them trot for the benefit of the managers. There is no purse offered, and they will be driven for all they are worth.

Should the day prove to be a stormy one, the tournament will take place one week later on Thursday.

NEXT SATURDAY.

It is hoped there will be a large turn-out at the mass-meeting in Chestertown next Saturday, as it will afford a rare opportunity to hear some of the best orators in the country. We refrained from advertising any speakers but those confidently expected. Mr. Randall has given assurances that he will be present. He is regarded one of the ablest political leaders in the United States. Come out and hear what he has to say about the "signs of the times," &c. Our noble standard bearer for Governor, also, is a brilliant speaker and a statesman. It was his *brains* and not his *money* that secured him the nomination he received, and he is therefore worthy our attention on this occasion. All the other gentlemen named are good speakers, and will without doubt, intelligently and fairly discuss the important issues of the campaign.

REV. GEORGE LEARY.

This venerable citizen and estimable christian gentleman, resident of the lower part of this county, died on Saturday of last week. He had been in feeble health for a long time, and for several months had been confined to his bed. He was in his 77th year, and had led an active and useful life. He had been a local preacher of the Methodist Episcopal denomination for about forty years, and his death will be sorely felt in that section of the county where he so long resided, and where he had been so conspicuous in every good work; thus will it be in the numerous families, where he had been want to visit the afflicted, or where his big heart sympathized with bereaved ones, or per contra, about hymenial altars, where he rejoiced with the happy ones. Mr. Leary was born near Turner's Creek, in this county, Oct. 28, 1806, but lived in Baltimore about twelve years from 1818; when he moved back to this county he located at Galena, and for sometime conducted the carpentering and undertaking business. He removed to the lower district about Jan. 1, 1839, and conducted the same business there. It will be the province of some other more competent pen than ours to properly sketch his useful life in Kent. He was the founder, we believe, of the church in Pine Neck, and in token of respect to his memory that edifice has been dressed in mourning, and will so remain for thirty days.

The funeral services were held in Wesley Chapel M. P. Church on Sunday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. Daniel W. Bates, assisted by Rev. T. O. Crouse. Rev. Mr. Conaway of the Rock Hall M. E. Church, was absent from home. A large concourse of people attended the services. The deceased's six sons—all residents of Kent county but one—served as pallbearers. His second wife survives him.

The last remains of the lamented deceased were deposited in their last resting place in Wesley Chapel cemetery, but the redeemed and saved soul is in the enjoyment of the rich abundance stored in the Heavenly treasury by his faithful living here. His family and friends should shed no tear for him, but rather rejoice that he has exchanged the cross for the crown, and strive to follow his steps upward and meet him again.

THE FESTIVALS have been flourishing this week At the town Hall the ladies of the M. E. Church have occupied four evenings and been very successful. A feature of this festival was the interesting special entertainments on several evenings, to which a small admission was charged. The concert on Tuesday evening was a nice little affair, and the tableaux on Wednesday evening were splendid.

At Bond Chapel the suppers on Thursday and Friday evenings were in keeping with the former recherche affairs at that place, and a large company enjoyed them.

The ladies of St. James' held their festival at the Fair Grounds, and splendid suppers were served. The Worton "fair ones" can't be beat in the management of a festival, and Worton epicures are good at a feast.

Other festivals are advertised.

PERSONAL ITEMS—Father Bradford, former pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart of this town, and at present stationed at Dover, Del., had a run-away accident last week. He thinks he escaped death by jumping from the carriage when he discovered that it was about to go over.

Mrs. Sarah Rodgers, wife of Capt. Isaac S. Rodgers, of Fairlee, suffered a severe attack of paralysis Wednesday night and her life was for some time despaired of. She was somewhat better yesterday.

Mr. Wm. S. Walker, one of the democratic candidates for judge of the Orphans' Court, who has been confined to his house for two weeks with a severe cold and bronchial affecton, was able to be out yesterday.

Mr. A. A. Biscoe, of this town, is slowly recovering from a long illness, and was able to go out yesterday.

"YOUNG SMUGGLER."—At the Frederick Co. Fair last week Mr. J. W. Hines' "Young Smuggler" won the only two races in which he was entered—the first in 2.39¼ and the second in 3.06, over a very muddy and heavy track. In the seven races in which Young Smuggler was entered this season he won third money in the first, second money in the next four and the first money in the last two. He is certainly a very promising young horse.

ANY of our sportsmen who are in need of a Breech or Muzzle loading gun will do well to call at W. P. Patterson's, 168 W. Pratt street, Baltimore, where will be found a large supply of Guns, Revolvers, Rifles, Ammunition, Leather and Canvas Goods, Glass Balls and Traps, as can be found elsewhere in the city. Loaded shells a specialty.

LARGE POTATOES.—A postal from Millington states that the largest potatoes grown in that section this season were brought to that village by Mr. W. S. Hurlock. Twenty-five of them filled a peach basket, and weighed from 25 to 28 ounces. The variety is known as the Mammoth Pearl.

PROTRACTED MEETING has been going on in the Chesterville M. E. Church for two weeks past. Considering the busy season the attendance has been good—on last Sunday night the house was filled to overflowing. Up to last Wednesday night the interest was not very great. On Thursday night there were three conversions.

THE carpenters are nearly through with their work on the new parsonage at Chesterville, and it is now ready for the tinners and painters.

BEWARE of colds this weather. Keep a bottle of Leary's "Herbatine" on hand.

A QUESTION.

Messrs. Editors:—Is there not an ordinance against fast driving in the streets of Chestertown? If there is it seems strange that this pastime is so frequently indulged in here. It may be that the town bailiff, in the multiplicity of his other *arduous* duties, has forgotten this. Only the other day a child was run over in broad daylight, and some persons seemed surprised at it. The wonder is that we do not have such occurrences daily.—Will not the Town Commissioners look into this matter? It is certainly of serious concern to every parent, as children are in constant danger of the loss of life or limb by such recklessness.

A CITIZEN.

[In reply to our correspondent, we would say that there is an ordinance intended to cover the ground complained of, and the bailiff is presumed to be enforcing it. If he is not doing his duty in the matter, it is to be hoped "A Citizen," or any other person interested, may make charges against him in definite shape. It is the easiest matter in the world to find fault, but not so easy to remedy abuses. We have reason to believe, from personal observations, that the fast driving ordinance is often violated. We know that sometimes at least the violators are caught. Often, no doubt, they escape punishment, and it is very easy to see how this may be done without neglect of duty on the part of the bailiff. We trust, however, that the law may be more rigidly enforced in the future, and fast driving in the streets stopped, as the danger certainly is very great. There is another matter, however, in this connection, which our correspondent does not touch. It is of as great importance, and that is the practice of allowing children to play in the public streets. The bailiff is not altogether to blame for this. Parents not only take no steps to prevent it, but look on with indifference, and sometimes *take a hand themselves*. Here is where the greatest danger comes in. Little toddlers, are hardly, 'knee high to a grasshopper,' allowed in the street—*at night*—to play at will. They know no better. It is the parents' duty to teach them.—EDS.]

A FINE DISPLAY.—There is now on exhibition at Bordley Bros. clothing house the finest assortment of clothing ever displayed on this peninsula. Their prices are as low as any city house, and our home people should not spend their money in the cities when they can do better at home. This house buys all their clothing direct from the leading manufacturers of New York and pay cash for all their goods, consequently buy as low as any house in the country. Their stock will fully run in figures to $12,000, and people can have there the largest and most complete assortment to select from on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Full advertisement will appear in next issue. *

—The following judges of election were appointed on last Tuesday by the County Commissioners:

1st District—Eugene Gooding, Geo. A. Ireland, Thos. J. F. Smith.

2d District—Dan'l U. Dewees, H. Creighton Wallis, Wm. P. Norris.

3d District—Robt. L. Usilton, Luther Handy, Harrison I. Parsons.

4th District—John R. Gray, J. Evan Thomas, Jas. H. Baker.

5th District—Benjamin F. Beck, Wm. F. Baker, James A Cacy.

—Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Oct. 16, 1883.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson

On application, letters of administration on the personal estate in this county of John W. Cullen, late of Kent county Delaware deceased, were granted and committed unto Chas. H. B. Day and Samuel Wharton, (Sallie E. Cullen widow of said deceased, renouncing), who filed their bond in the penal sum of $5,000 which was approved and ordered to be recorded.

Jas. H. Baker, administrator of Samuel Derry, deceased, returned his account of sales, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

R. Adelaide Bogle, administratrix of T. Lawrence Bogle, deceased, returned her first and final administration account which was examined, passed as stated and ordered to be recorded.

R. Adelaide Bogle, administratrix of T. Lawrence Bogle, deceased, filed her release from Sallie M. Bogle, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Theodore F. Dill, guardian, filed his release from J. E. and Jane Catharine Newton, formerly Jane Catharine Wood, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

An Odd-Fellow Sociable.

Kent Lodge, of Galena, I. O. O. F., paid a social visit to Amicable Lodge, of Chestertown, last Monday evening. After the regular business and ceremonies of Amicable lodge, and some friendly speech-making in private session, the members of both the home and visiting lodges adjourned to Hall's hotel, where the Chestertown lodge had prepared a pleasant supper in honor of the guests. There were fully fifty odd-fellows present at the supper, which was a bountiful one, consisting of roast fowls, baked meats, chicken salads, oysters in various styles, bay mackerel and other delicacies. Wit and hilarity crowned the occasion. Odd-fellows generally are not odd in the way of being melancholy. On the contrary they are generally a pretty lively and light-hearted set. The Galena odd-fellows do not depart from this rule. The occasion in every respect passed off pleasantly. There were good appetites on all sides, and though good appetites may have been the precursors of bad dreams, that was not a matter under consideration at supper time. The entertainment broke up between ten and eleven o'clock; most of the Galena odd-fellows returning to their homes, but some remaining over night.—*Transcript.*

THE communication of "Peter Poker" is crowded out this week, but will appear in our next issue.

DIED:

At his residence, near Edesville, after a long illness, on Saturday, Oct. 13th, Rev. GEORGE LEARY, aged 77 years, 11 months and 15 days.

In Chestertown, Oct. 10, ROBERT DELL, eldest child of Wm. S. and Mary E. Pennell, aged 7 years, 7 months and 11 days.

In Queen Anne's county, near Chester Bridge, on Monday evening last, LAURA VIRGINIA JOINER, wife of Benjamin F. Joiner, aged about 42 years.

$5 REWARD.

Lost on steamer B. S. Ford, on Tuesday the 9th instant, a SMALL SATCHEL, containing $17 or $18, Spectacles, Silver Thimble, Silver Shield, 3 Pocket Books, Cuffs, Collars, Neckties, 2 pair Scissors and Silver Hook for scissors, &c. One of the pocket books contained promissory notes to the amount of nearly $200. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the same.
MRS. MARY ALLEN,
Oct. 20-3t. ROCK HALL P. O. Md.

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FANCY GROCERIES
THOMAS L. REESE,
207 & 209 W. Pratt St., BALTIMORE, MD.
Every variety of Staple and Fine Groceries. No mixed, impure or adulterated goods sold. Lowest prices. Everything guaranteed. Reference made to any one of the thousands of patrons since 1835. Send for circulars and prices.
Oct. 20-3m.

STATE OF MARYLAND.

KENT COUNTY, TO WIT:

I hereby certify that A. H. Crew, of Kent county, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 18th day of October, in the year 1883, the description of THREE HOGS, as estrays, trespassing on his premises in said county, 2 Sows and 1 Barrow, all white, slips in the right ear. Given under my hand

C. W. C. JOHNSON, J. P.

The owner is requested to come forward, prove property pay charges and take them away.
A. H. CREW,
Oct. 20-3t. near Chestertown.

NOTICE.—Parties who purchased goods at the sale of J. P. CAROTHERS, and have failed to settle by note, or otherwise, for the same, are notified to do so at once; articles not removed, will be resold at purchaser's risk, unless called for immediately. The terms of sale must be complied with. R. HYNSON, Att'y.

NOTICE.—There will be a meeting of the Kent County Agricultural Club, at the Hall, Worton Station, on MONDAY, next, at 2½ o'clock P. M. WM T. NICHOLSON,
Oct. 20-1t. SECRETARY.

LOST.—On last Sunday evening, between Crumpton Lane and Morgan Creek Bridge, a Gentleman's right-hand, dark-brown, KID GLOVE, with name inside, the initials of which are, C. E. R. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office. Oct. 20-3t.

WANTED.

An APPRENTICE to learn Blacksmithing. Apply to SHAFER & MEDDERS.
Oct. 20-3t.* KENNEDYVILLE, MD.

NOTICE.

The NOTES taken at the sale of the personal estate of PETER STOKES, were due on the 13th instant. The condition of his indebtedness is such that prompt payment is imperatively required. WM. STEVENS,
Oct. 20-3t. ADM'R.

CHURCH REOPENING.

STILL POND M. E. CHURCH, which has been thoroughly renovated and repaired, new furniture added, modern pews, carpeted, frescoed and painted, will be rededicated to the worship of Almighty God, Providence permitting, on SUNDAY, October 28th. Rev. J. H. Caldwell, D. D., Rev. J. S. Willis, Rev. C. E. Felton, pastor Mt. Vernon M. E. Church, Baltimore, and others, have been invited to be present and officiate. Services will begin at 10.30 A. M. The public is cordially invited to be present. LOUIS E. BARRETT,
Oct. 20-2t. PASTOR.

SUPPER and FESTIVAL.

AT PINEY NECK M. E. CHURCH, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 24th and 25th of October. All come and help us as we need your help. Proceeds for benefit of church. 1t.*

FESTIVAL and SUPPER.

The Ladies of Locust Grove M. E. Church will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER at Locust Grove in a large tent provided for the occasion, on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings, October 31st, Nov. 1st, 2d and 3d.
By order of the COMMITTEE.
Oct. 20-3t.

FOR RENT for the year 1884:

The "ROCKWELL HOUSE," Carriage House and Stable, adjoining same. Also, DWELLING HOUSE on Cross street, now occupied by Mr. C. T. Dill. Apply to J. H. SIMPERS,
Oct. 20-tf. Chestertown, Md.

CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the subscriber, near Chestertown, with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
Oct. 20-3t.* HYSON DILL.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, near Fairlee, with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date, under penalty of the law. I. F. WALBERT.
Oct. 20-3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing on my premises, near Swan Creek, with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date. JOHN RODNEY.
Oct. 20-3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise, on the premises of the undersigned after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders. L. R. SHEWELL,
Oct. 20-3t.* WM. STEVENS.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.—All persons are cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned in Still Pond, with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date, under penalty of the law.
WILLIAM WATTS,
Oct. 20—3t. J. FRANK WILSON.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the lands of either of the undersigned, with dog or gun, after this date. The law will be enforced.
J. M. ARCHIBALD,
S. J. ROSEBERRY,
WM. ARCHIBALD,
Oct. 20-3t.* JOHN HURLOCK.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date, under penalty of the law.
GUSTAUS STARTT,
OTHO M. FOGWELL,
JOHN H. PORTER,
Oct. 20-3t.* EZEKIEL FOWLER,

CAUTION.—All persons are cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, in Still Pond, with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date. The law will be enforced.
M. A. E. HEPBRON,
Oct. 13-3t* E. W. HEPBRON.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby forewarned from trespassing upon the premises occupied by the undersigned by gunning, hunting, or otherwise after this date. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
WM. H. WHITELEY,
GEO. H. WATTS,
J. CORDRAY LOUD,
Oct. 13-3t* JOS. CORNELIUS.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are Forbidden to trespass with dog or gun, or passing over the premises owned or occupied by the undersigned.

A. J. REES,	A. B. JUMP,
WM. P. CROSBY,	T. W. SKIRVEN,
JAMES REMAGE,	B. L. LEGG,
HENRY BRAMBLE,	J. P. NICHOLSON,
SAM'L SHUSTER,	H. N. GREENWOOD,
J. W. COREY,	WM. ARCHIBALD, Jr.,
A. L. COREY,	ROBT. HATCHERSON.

Oct. 13-3t.*

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, at his residence, near Rock Hall, on

SATURDAY, November 3d, 1883

the following property:

ONE YOUNG BAY MARE,

an Excellent Driver;

One Top Buggy, nearly new, and Harness, nearly new; one light Dearborn, in good order; one Sleigh; one Cook Stove, nearly new; one Parlor Stove; Sewing Machine, nearly new; a lot of Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Washstands, about 100 yards of Carpet; a lot of Hair-Cloth Furniture, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale commence 1 o'clock, P. M.

TERMS:—All purchases of $20 or less, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months, with note and approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.
Oct. 20-tds.* JOHN M. COPPER.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, the undersigned, as trustee, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on

SATURDAY,

The 10th day of November, 1883

At 2 o'clock P. M.,

At the Voshell House in Chestertown,

The Dwelling House
AND PREMISES

on Mill Street, near Calvert street, in Chestertown, known as the PERKINS HOUSE. This house is nearly new, well located, and good pump of water in the yard. It is a good property, and desirable for residence.

This property will be sold subject to a rent charge of $7.50 semi-annually, which may be purchased at any time by owner of property.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-half the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance in six months from the day of sale, with interest, and to be secured by note or bond to be approved by trustee.

CHARLES H. BAKER,
oc20-ts. TRUSTEE.

GEO. H. CLARK,
(Successor to Wroth & Clark,)
STILL POND, Kent Co., Md.

Calls the attention of his friends and the public generally to his stock of Goods, consisting of

Dry Goods and Notions.

Our stock of Ladies' and Gents' UNDERWEAR is cheaper and better than we have ever seen. Ladies' DRESS GOODS, such as Ladies' Cloth, Cashmere and Poplins of the latest styles. CANTONS in bleached and unbleached very cheap Also, MUSLIN & FLANNELS, all grades and prices. PRINTS the cheapest and best. All wool KERSEYS & CASSIMERS.

BOOTS & SHOES.

In this line of goods our stock is complete. We handle some of the best make of Boots and Shoes and guarantee quality and prices.

HATS & CAPS

in all the latest styles, from the cheapest to the best, and other goods too numerous to mention.

We call special attention of our farmers to our ROPE YARN, which we think will be to their interest to call and examine and get prices before buying elsewhere.

☞ A full supply of MEDICINE always on hand. Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours.

Resp'y, GEO. H. CLARK,
Oct. 20-3t. STILL POND.

NEW IDEA

IMPORTANT! IMPORTANT!

As I expect to occupy my New Store, opposite Stam's Drug Store, the coming February, I intend to sell off my stock, regardless of cost, as I intend to open an entire New Line. Persons in want of bargains will do well by calling and examine goods and prices as great inducements will be offered to purchasers.

Our stock consists of

Ladies' and Children's HATS,

trimmed and untrimmed.

Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Velvets of all shades, Satins Laces, Handkerchiefs, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery of all kinds, Infants Checks and Dresses, Worsted Goods of all descriptions.

Gents' and Boy's Hats and Caps, Shirts, laundried and unlaundried, Merino Underwear, Hoisery and many more goods too numerous to mention.

SPECIALTY IN FURS.

Furs altered and repaired. Call at the NEW IDEA, opposite the old post-office, Chestertown, Md. Oct. 20, 1883.

KENT COUNTY.

STATEMENT

OF

RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS

FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES,

FOR THE

Year ending Sept'ber 30, 1883.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 30, 1882...	$ 2280 14
State School Tax.....	7060 61
State Free School Fund.....	1634 90
County School Tax.....	16875 88
Check not presented for paym't	60
Sale of an old stove.....	1 00
Balance on an old School Lot...	20 00
Oyster Licenses, white tongers	610 85
State appropriations to colored schools.....	3438 16
Oyster Licenses, col'd tongers	19 95
	$ 31942 09

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries.....	$ 20863 41
Fuel.....	1217 98
Incidental Expenses.....	215 69
Rent.....	50 00
Building School Houses.....	1384 56
Repairing.....	522 21
Furniture, blackboards, &c.....	176 82
Postage.....	35 75
Reports and Registers.....	38 13
Sec., Treas. and Examiner.....	1200 00
Per diem of School Commis's..	286 80
Office expenses and account books.....	10 30
Printing and advertising.....	77 01
Colored Teachers' Salaries.....	2777 63
Fuel for colored schools.....	449 41
Blackboards, colored schools...	4 85
Donation and delegates State association.....	46 15
Expenses of Institute.....	143 43
Expenses of Coms. association	87 50
Balance cash on hand.....	2424 47
	$ 31942 09

On the first day of October, 1883, the several collectors of taxes were indebted as follows, exclusive of interest:

*John F. Whittington, for	1882	$1063 43
B. B. Adkinson "	1882	1825 00
For an old school house.....		40 00
		$ 2928 43

*Since paid.

E. F. PERKINS,
Treasurer Kent co. School Board.

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL BOARD, October 9, 1883.

We hereby certify that we have examined the aforegoing report of EREN F. PERKINS, Treasurer of the Board of Co. School Commissioners of Kent county; and the books and papers with the vouchers upon which it is based, and find it correct.

R. W. JONES,
CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
JAMES A. PEARCE,
Oct. 20, 1883—3t. Commissioners.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county Letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JOHN W. CULLEN,

late of Kent county, Delaware, 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 18th day of April, 1884, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of August, 1883.

CHAS. H. B. DAY,
Oct. 20—4t. SAMUEL WHARTON,
Adm'rs.

FOR SALE or RENT.

A SMALL FARM, near Galena, Kent co. For terms apply to
Oct. 13-3t. T. H. HORSEY.

15,000 Yards of Carpet!

Our Carpet Trade has so increased that we have been compelled to enlarge our Carpet Department.

We have now a beautiful Carpet Room filled with the best MAKES and DESIGNS that the market can produce. Our stock consists in

Tapestries, Body Brussels, (with borders to match), Ingrains, Persian Damasks, Rags and Hemps, all of which we make and lay in the best manner when desired.

We have also a line of Floor Oilcloths, Cocoa Mattings, Rugs, Mats, Stair Pads, Stair Rods, Carpet Feltings, Window Shades, &c.

☞ Remember you have FIFTEEN THOUSAND YARDS OF CARPET to select from, therefore come where you can get just what you want