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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING............Oct. 10, 1885.

Wm. W. Busteed, Esq., formerly of the Centreville *Observer*, heads the delegate ticket in Queen Anne's. He will represent his constituents faithfully without a doubt and reflect the sentiment of a united county Democracy it is to be hoped. We congratulate the party upon his selection. He will honor the office more than the office will honor him.

Mayor Latrobe, of Baltimore, very properly declined to submit his claims for renomination. The best interests of the party at this time will no doubt be advanced by the selection of Mr. Hodges for mayor and the present distinguished representative of the party in that high office will add to his already great popularity by stepping aside for the passing current. He will, of course, give Mr. Hodges a warm support.

A successful attempt to ship peaches from Delaware to England has been made by G. A. Cochran, of Middletown, Del. Cochran picked the peaches on August 20, shipped them to New York by freight and put them on the steamer on the 22d. They were landed in Liverpool on the night of the 30th and were sold the next day, or eleven days after packing in Middletown. They were in fine order, selling readily at about $9 per case, 288 peaches in each case, each packed by itself and thoroughly ventilated during the transit. He obtained 3½ cents at wholesale for his peaches. They cost him 1¾ cents each laid down in Liverpool.

The report of the Board of Trade of Baltimore, which held its annual meeting last Monday, says the country has been again blessed with abundant harvest, and the depression which has marked its trade and industries for nearly two years is gradually disappearing as the restoration of confidence in the public mind increases. The heavy liquidation experienced in all sections and consequent dragging-down of all values, while much to be deplored for the distress which the demoralization occasioned, will nevertheless furnish a safe basis for future operations, and lead to a sounder and more healthy condition of trade and finance throughout the country.

Chief-Justice Waite has returned from his three months' trip abroad, most of which time he spent in England and Scotland, much improved in health. Upon several occasions he accepted invitations of distinguished members of the bench to sit by them while in discharge of their official duties, and he was much struck with the comparison between court practices in England and America. In England, the chief justice says, the judges decide questions much more promptly and in much fewer words than in the United States. At the close of important cases in England the presiding judges will often consult a moment or two and announce their decision before leaving the bench, so different from the practise in the United States, where judges will take days and weeks to get their decisions ready, and then put them out in the form of lengthy essays.

Not many months since "Count" Zacharoff came to this country. By well-planned and sensational ostentatiousness he boomed himself into favor among certain classes, and was received cordially into the "best" New York society. He met an heiress who, it seems, had more money than common sense. His title and polished bearing won her affections. They were married. The family objected, and the couple skipped to Europe on a convenient steamer. Their dream of happiness was complete. They landed at Rotterdam. The American consul met them. He invited them into his office. They went. There they found several detectives, who had once arrested Zacharoff for burglary, and also Zacharoff's first wife, who is yet undivorced. It was also disclosed that the alleged count, in addition to being a bigamist and a burglar, was the son of a Greek stevedore. The American heiress is now on her way home, a sadder but a wiser bride, and an example to her fellow-women of the folly of running after foreign titles. A good American husband is worth a dozen foreign fortune-hunters.

Dr. Thomas H. Buckler, of Baltimore, is writing a series of interesting articles in favor of the novel proposition that the government should undertake to regulate the price of grain by purchases from time to time with the surplus silver in its vaults, the grain thus purchased to be sold in time of scarcity, so as to maintain a nearly uniform value. Dr. Buckler is not deterred by constitutional scruples or other considerations growing out of the peculiar nature of our institutions, but takes the advanced ground that it would be better to change our form of government rather than that an exclusive gold standard be maintained, involving, as he thinks, the ruin of American industries and a disastrous reduction of values all over the globe. Dr. Buckler fortifies his position with a number of interesting statements and a curious hypothetical illustration to show that as the red sunsets of two years ago were noticed all over the northern hemisphere, it is not at all impossible that some catastrophe may occur which would affect all the grain-growing countries, restricted as they are to the northern half of the globe. In such a contingency, says the *Sun*, which we cannot help thinking rather remote, it would be decidedly convenient to have Dr. Buckler's proposed "grain banks" in good working order, with a large stock of wheat and corn in their garners. If there should happen to have been a scarcity, and the garners were already empty, however, as might be the case if the government is to sell as well as buy, Dr. Buckler's remedy for the catastrophe which he has so vividly portrayed, would prove illusory.

The Street that Leads to Ruin.

RECENT WALL STREET FAILURES.

The Baltimore *Sun's* special New York correspondent, under date of Oct. 5, writes: In the secretary's office of the Stock Exchange hangs the portrait in oil of a man of marked features. His arching forehead, his large, firm mouth, his prominent nose and fine eyes denote a man of great qualities. The portrait is that of Jacob Little, the Jay Gould of his day and generation. Once this man was the greatest speculator in America. His transactions, small in comparison with those of modern operators, were looked upon as marvelous at that time. One day he was driving up town, and as he passed Union Square he remarked to a friend: "I have lost enough money today to buy that entire square." Little was the man who invented "short" sales, and he it was that first resorted to the expedient, afterwards copied by Gould, of issuing bonds convertible into stock of which he was short, thus saving himself from being squeezed. Yet this man of brains, fertile in resources, bold in execution, died comparatively a poor man, and his name is simply a memory in the street where he was once the leading power.

The failure of Henry N. Smith recalls the fact that, like Jacob Little, the great speculators of Wall street, almost without an exception, are finally overthrown and cast into the sea of disaster. Look at the long procession of collapses since Little's day. The gray beards in the street can name over a score of operators of two or three decades ago who have gone into bankruptcy, but the list is a sufficiently long one even if limited to the records of the past ten years. In 1872 eight Wall-street men gave $10,000 apiece to relieve the sufferings of burnt Chicago. The following year nearly every one of them was swept into bankruptcy by the panic of 1873. Daniel Drew was one of the shrewdest of Wall-street speculators. Like Geo. I. Seney of later day, he founded an institution of learning. Both lost their wealth because they made it in the whirlpool of Wall street. There is a small man who is now a meek and inconspicuous member of the Stock Exchange, and who of late years has had hard work to make both ends meet. His name is A. B. Stockwell. Once he was a power in Wall street and president of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. Henry Villard, once the wonder of the speculative world, the manipulator of the biggest "blind pool" ever formed, and president of the Pacific Railroad, whose lines have pierced the far-distant State "where rolls the Oregon," now dwells in retirement in Germany. Men have already begun to forget him. James R. Keene, the dashing California operator, who for many years was a leader in Wall street and on the turf of two continents, is now a bankrupt, struggling hard to straighten his affairs. Fifteen years ago Woodward was a prominent name in the street. He failed, and is now almost forgotten. Men formerly influential in the speculative world now are inhabitants of States' prisons, like James D. Fish, or of insane asylums, or, like John C. Eno, are fugitives from justice in Canada. Some, like Gen. Joe Burnham, lie in suicide's graves.

Henry N. Smith, who for 25 years has had a career in Wall street that rivals that of Jay Gould in its stirring incidents and dramatic episodes, at last is cleaned out—a bankrupt. Three weeks of unfortunate speculations swept away the wealth which the work of 25 years had created. There are a few speculators in the street who yet survive. They believe that they are too strong, too sagacious to be led captive into bankruptcy, but the history of speculation shows that sooner or later the stock gambler is pretty sure to end his business career in insolvency.

Democratic Nominations in Queen Anne's —Harmony Assured.

The Democratic nominating convention for Queen Anne's county met at Centreville on Tuesday and selected the following ticket:

For the Legislature—Wm. W. Busteed, Wm. Dudley and Edward C. Legg.
For Sheriff—R. Hopper Smith.
For County Commissioners—Wm. H. Cecil, John F. Godwin and Francis W. Lowe.
For County Surveyor—Louis L. Beatty.

The legislative delegates are understood to be unanimously in favor of the re-election of Hon. A. P. Gorman to the United States Senate. The anti-jury plan convention, which also met on Tuesday, indorsed the ticket as nominated.

Conviction of Barnes.

Charles P. Barnes, convicted in the circuit court for Cecil county last week of the murder of James E. Brown and James Arthur Barnes, his son, was sentenced to 14 years imprisonment in the penitentiary—seven years in each case. The case was tried before the court, and upon passing sentence Judge Robinson said:

"After a deliberate consideration of the case, we are of the opinion that the plea of insanity has not been sustained by the evidence. At the same time we are satisfied that the prisoner was in such a state of mind, produced by excessive drinking, as not to be conscious of the consequence of his act, but drunkenness is no excuse in the commission of a crime. It is the deliberate purpose to take life with a full consciousness of the consequences of the act that constitutes murder in the first degree. In this case, the prisoner some time before the homicide had been drinking to great excess and was drunk at the time it was committed. There is no evidence to justify us in finding it to be a deliberate and premeditated murder. It is the act of a man too drunk to realize the effect and consequences of the crime committed by him. As drunkenness is, however, no excuse in cases of this kind, while acquitting him of deliberate and premeditated murder, we find him guilty of murder in the second degree."

Interested in the Outcome.

The politicians in Chestertown took more than their usual interest in the Queen Anne's nominations, and looked to the meeting of the "jury convention" and the antagonizing body last Tuesday with apprehension of a "rumpus." The Keatings and the Browns were supposed to hold the keys to the situation, and if such a rumpus had followed, they would have been compelled to shoulder the responsibility. The announcement here late in the evening that a compromise ticket had been agreed upon was received with great satisfaction by Democrats. Harmony is now assured for the present campaign at least, and a rousing majority for the whole ticket will be the result.

Cecil County Fair.—The opening of the Cecil county fair, which was to have taken place on Tuesday, was deferred until Wednesday on account of rain and the heavy condition of the track, which made racing impossible. The attendance on Thursday was estimated at from four to six thousand. The racing in the afternoon was very interesting. The exhibit of cattle was very large, there being over 200 stalls, all of which were filled. The farm produce department was also very full, there being 61 baskets of potatoes on exhibition and 43 bags of grain. The department of fine arts was a noticeable feature this year and the ladies fancy work department was very attractive. Mr. McWhorter's "Snowden M." was the only Kent horse on the track and though not the winner in any race trotted well. The running races were very exciting. The fair will close today (Saturday).

The drowned body of a young man, supposed to be an Irishman, was brought to Oxford, Md., on Sunday by Captain George Gibson of the oyster sloop Fleet Wing. The body had been found in the Choptank river. At the coroner's investigation William Dobson testified that on Friday about 10 a. m. he saw a man choked and pushed overboard from the bugeye Rosebud, near the Sands in the Choptank, and that no efforts were made to save him until he was drowned. Lee Thompson and Herbert Dobbs, on the same boat, confirmed Dobson's statement, and added that the assaulting person made two attacks on his victim, who was at the helm, beating him with both fists each time. Dr. Matthews found no marks of violence on the dead, although the face was purple and blood had flowed from the nostrils.

Mr. Isaiah V. Williamson, who has lately become known as the richest man in Philadelphia, lives a bachelor life over a store, and has no relatives to inherit the wealth he has accumulated. Though careful in spending money on himself, he is liberal in his donations to charitable institutions, and in one instance gave away $50,000 in a lump to a worthy object. Though over eighty years of age, he manages his business without the aid of a clerk. He is the largest private stockholder in the Pennsylvania Railroad, and has large interests in other roads and the Cambria Iron Works.

Farmers' Institutes.—The professors of the Agricultural College of Mississippi, presided over by Gen. Stephen D. Lee, are holding farmers' institutes for the purpose of discussing improved methods of agriculture. Everybody is invited to attend these institutes, and the professors hold themselves ready to answer any questions propounded in reference to the growth and cultivation of fruits, flowers, vegetables, cereals, cotton or any other special crops, and the care of cattle, horses and hogs. Thus the school is brought to the scholar, and the opportunity is offered for the acquirement of much valuable information by all the farmers of the State.

Allen G. Thurman retains his strong hold on the affections of the Ohio democracy. When he appeared on the stage of the Toledo Opera House Tuesday evening before the largest indoor audience ever assembled in that city, he was greeted with thunders of applause, and when he produced his snuff box and red bandanna handkerchief, three rousing cheers were given for "Allen G. Thurman, John Sherman's successor in the United States Senate."

Veterans to be Cared For.—Among those discharged from the Brooklyn navy-yard last spring on account of smallness of appropriation were seven veterans. The Veterans' Rights Association took the matter up, and failing to get any satisfaction from the commandant or the foreman, they wrote to Secretary Whitney. The Secretary has replied in a letter, in which he says "it will give me pleasure at all times to give preference to those honorably discharged from the military and naval services of the United States, either for appointment to or retention in office." On the receipt of this letter the seven veterans were at once reinstated.

Dr. Ward, State veterinary surgeon, who had been sent to investigate alleged cases of pleuro-pneumonia in cattle, has reported to the Governor that he found cases existing in the herd of Mr. Davidson at Bel Air, Harford county, but found none on the Eastern Shore. The two cases reported at Centreville turned out to be cases of cattle suffering from a bad cold. Precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease in the Davidson herd.

The one-hundred-mile bicycle race at Boston on Monday was won by George Weber, of New Jersey, in six hours and fifty-seven minutes, beating the world's record by fourteen minutes and the best American record by one hour and twenty-nine minutes. F. F. Ives, of Meriden, Conn., was second, in seven hours, five minutes and ten seconds, and D. A. McCurdy, of Lynn, Mass., third, five seconds later.

At Frederica, Del., recently, during the trial of a petty lawsuit, Paris T. Carlisle, a well-known business man, was cowhided by Capt. Jonathan Sipple and Thos. D. Barton. The suit was about the price of a squirrel cage bought by Sipple of Paris Carlisle, Jr. Mr. Carlisle's face was terribly scarred.

The wood-pulp mills of Jessup & Moore Company, Wilmington, Del., which have been closed since July 1, resumed work on Monday and will run five days per week. The resumption gives employment to 150 operatives. The shut-down was attributed to overproduction.

Rev. John W. M. Williams, for thirty-five years pastor of the First Baptist Church, Baltimore, has resigned, to take effect January 3.

There are three gentlemen named Long nominated on the commissioners' tickets in Somerset county—two republicans and one democrat.

The special board of naval officers have made their report as to plans for the additional unarmored vessels authorized by Congress.

About 2,000,000 baskets of peaches went over the Delaware railroad this year, and $1,000,000 into the pockets of the peach growers.

The Oratorio Society of Baltimore has 425 members enrolled for this season, and has begun its rehearsals with bright prospects.

Dr. Richard McSherry, one of Baltimore's best known physicians, died on Wednesday, in the 69th year of his age.

The Registration in Kent.

RESULT OF THE SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER SITTINGS.

Last Monday and Tuesday were the final sittings for the registration of voters. Those who failed to get registered, or, having removed from one district to another, failed to get transfers, will have no other opportunity, and consequently will not be able to vote in November. They can blame no one but themselves for this, as due notice was given not only by repeated newspaper notices but by interested persons in both the political parties.

Very great interest was taken in the registration by Democrats and Republicans and in each of the districts the registers were kept busy both days. An unusual number of new names have been added, and the numerous names stricken from the lists on account of removals, &c., will probably leave cleaner polling lists than we have ever had in Kent. The greatest difficulty is found in securing reliable information of the removals and deaths of colored voters, and as a consequence many names remain on the lists which should be off. The whites are more easily reached, as was evidenced by the work of the registers at the first sitting. If any have been wrongfully removed from the lists, or have been refused a place thereon *after application to the register*, a remedy is to be found in an appeal to the circuit court. Mistakes will occur sometimes, and the court will take pleasure in correcting all such, but it will not undertake to remedy a voter's negligence.

The general interest in the recent sittings prompt us to publish in full the work of the registers, as very few comparatively see the lists when printed only in bill form. In the paper there will be a general perusal of the lists, far and near. The first district list, Mr. Wm. M. Gilpin, register; the third district, Mr. Samuel W. Wallis, register, and the fourth district, Mr. J. Evan Thomas, register, will be found in this issue; the other districts will be published next week:

The September Sitting.

NEWLY REGISTERED.

Districts.	*White.*	*Colored.*	*Tot'l.*
First	34	3	37
Second	42	18	60
Third	22	9	31
Fourth, 1st prec.	22	4	26 } 37
Fourth, 2d prec.	7	4	11
Fifth	48	17	65
	175	55	230

DEATHS, TRANSFERS AND REMOVALS.

Districts.	*White.*	*Colored.*	*Tot'l.*
First	61	18	79
Second	26	9	35
Third	44	8	52
Fourth, 1st prec.	11	1	12 } 22
Fourth, 2d prec.	6	4	10
Fifth	12	5	17
	160	45	205

The October Sitting.

NEWLY REGISTERED.

Districts.	*White.*	*Colored.*	*Tot'l.*
First	34	14	48
Second	30	15	45
Third	38	15	53
Fourth, 1st prec.	32	19	51 } 63
Fourth, 2d prec.	8	4	12
Fifth	48	13	61
	190	80	270

DEATHS, TRANSFERS AND REMOVALS.

Districts.	*White.*	*Colored.*	*Tot'l.*
First	31	14	45
Second	13	11	24
Third	12	22	34
Fourth, 1st prec.	32	15	47 } 62
Fourth, 2d prec.	11	4	15
Fifth	18	20	38
	117	86	203

A Centenarian's Effects at Auction.—The household furniture of the late Miss Caroline Thompson, who died recently in Chestertown in her centenary year, took place at the old residence on Princess street last Saturday. Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., managed the sale and J. H. Greenwood was the auctioneer. The attendance was large and good prices realized. A china bowl about twelve inches in diameter, and apparently of very ordinary character, caused the greatest competition; it was struck off to H. C. Chase at $50. It was the old lady's baptismal bowl and supposed to be two hundred years old—originally the property of her grandmother—and for this reason desirable as a family relic. It may yet remain in the family. An old-fashioned arm-chair, worth intrinsically about ten cents, was purchased by Mrs. W. J. Vannort at a good price. The old hall clock, which probably has had no tick for an age, caused lively bidding. M. T. Goslee, the shoe man, got the relic finally for $39. A pair of mahogany tables were purchased by Mrs. J. D. Murray and Josias Ringgold; a hair-cloth sofa by the latter also and the chest of drawers by Mrs. M.; fruit dish by Mrs. Amelia Blake, and the large square arm-chair by H. M. Thomas. The silver sold comparatively low, ranging from $1.15 to 80c. per ounce, and most of it being purchased by members of the family.

The property consisting of the dwelling and lot where Miss Thompson died, and where she lived for 76 years, together with the lots on the opposite side of Cannon street, will probably be advertised for sale next month.

Sale of Town Property.—Mr. William F. Blackway has purchased from G. B. Westcott, Esq., the property up town known as "Philips' Corner," with a front of about 40 ft., and consisting of storeroom and dwelling, for $1400. Mr. Blackway also purchased a few days ago of Mr. Wm. G. Russell the "band-room dwelling" on High street, for $400.

A Mammoth Potato.—Mr. Jas. M. Vandyke has sent to the News office a sweet-potato, raised on his farm in Queen Anne's, which weighs 8¼ lbs. and measures 12½ inches in length and 17½ inches in circumference. What do our down-peninsula exchanges that are boasting of five-pound potatoes think of this "for high?"

In another column will be found the card of Wm. H. Rutter with Emory & Neavitt, 68 South street, Baltimore. Mr. Rutter is a first-class salesman and a perfectly reliable business man, and will be pleased to continue his trade with the above named firm.

Fine Late Peaches.—Mr. Walter B. Strong, of Lankford, sends us a lot of peaches of the Patterson's Late variety, (yellow), juicy and quite palatable, the largest of which weighed twelve ounces down weight.

Not Sold.—The farm located near Fairlee, containing 114 acres, and advertised by C. H. Baker, Esq., to be sold at public sale last Tuesday, was withdrawn at a bid of $3,200 and is held at private sale.

"Big as the Boy."—Master George Brice, of Lankford, has sent us a sweet potato weighing 5¼ pounds, and wants to know what thirteen-year-old boy can beat it!

Erratum.—The premium for "designs" at the recent fair was awarded to Miss Georgia Porter and not to Mrs. George Porter, as published last week.

Festival in Quaker Neck.

Messrs. Editors:—The festival and supper at Walton's, in Quaker Neck, Oct. 1, was a success. At least $115 was realized clear of all expenses. The Pomona band, under the leadership of Mr. J. H. Redue, furnished excellent music. A good number was present from Rock Hall, Chestertown and elsewhere.

Great credit is due the ladies and friends at Walton's for their diligence in providing and serving the public with supper. Valuable assistance was also given by the people of Bond Chapel. The proceeds will be applied to furnishing and otherwise improving Walton's Chapel. Witness.

The middle convention of the diocese of Easton met at Trappe, Talbot county, last week, when the standing committee held a session and determined to call a special diocesan convention to meet November 18, to elect a bishop in place of Bishop Lay.

The commissions of presidential postmasters at Centreville and Port Deposit, Md., will expire during this month.

Mrs. John Kavaney, of Cecil, has a field of corn that will average over 100 bus. to the acre.

Something About Peach Orchards.

Now that the peach craze has fully struck this peninsula, and orchards are growing and being planted in every locality, anything advantageous to their life and culture will be of interest.

THE BEST APPLICATION FOR WORMS.

Sweepings from tobacco warehouses are said to be the best application known for destroying worms in peach trees. It can be purchased by the barrel or hogshead at a cost of one or two cents per pound and should be applied about a pound to each tree. W. S. Walker, Esq., and others of Kent have used it with great advantage.

A FERTILIZER FOR PEACH TREES.

Peach trees need fertilizer in most soils. It is just as sensible to expect to grow wheat and corn without fertilizer as it is to successfully grow peaches. Some soils will bring good fruit of course for years, but a few crops will measurably exhaust the best soils of their fruit elements, and these must be supplied by fertilizing applications. Any reliable fertilizer dealer can supply the article to do this, and it will pay the grower to use it liberally, unless over-production follows. A mixture of Animal Bone and Kainit is about as good as anything that can be had, and the application should be from one to four hundred pounds per acre. Mr. E. M. Bonwill, of Still Pond, who is remarkably successful in both fruit and cereal crops, and who has had experience with fertilizers, uses a mixture for peach trees composed of Animal Bone 1400 and Kainit 600 pounds; application, three or four hundred pounds per acre with drill in the fall or spring.

HOW TO KILL YOUNG PEACH TREES.

Kainit applied in too large quantities directly to the body and roots of young peach trees will kill them. This has been proven in several instances in Kent county and we note the fact that growers may escape loss by making such applications. A large and thrifty young orchard in our adjoining county, Queen Anne's, was killed outright last year in the same way.

The best way to apply any kind of fertilizer is broadcast or with drill—reaching all surrounding soil.

Personal Items.

Mr. James P. Mason, one of the oldest citizens of the first district, is lying ill at his residence in Galena.

Mrs. Wm. G. Trew, of Quaker Neck, who has been quite ill for some time, has been taken to Baltimore by the advice of her physician, Dr. Hines, and will remain there a month or more.

Lewin S. Fowler, the newly appointed postmaster of Chestertown, took charge of the office last Saturday night. His bond is for $16,000 and his bondsmen are Messrs. R. Hynson, Wm. B. Usilton and John Brice.

Miss Nannie L. Rouse, of Elmwood, between Kennedyville and Still Pond, and not Miss Mamie Rouse, of Kennedyville, should have been the name of the young lady recently mentioned as having gone to Lutherville Seminary.

Lieut. M. Jones, of Baltimore, spent a few days with his brother, J. C. Jones, Esq., near Lynch's, lately, and attended the Kent fair. He brought with him his fine trotter, Mary, but did not enter her. He went from here to Dover to visit another brother, L. Thomas Jones, Esq., cashier of the Farmers' Bank of Dover, and also to attend the fair at that place. He has sold his horse since he has been there, we hear, for quite a handsome price.

Miss Emma G. Ely, daughter of J. Barrington Ely, of Baltimore, has returned home much pleased with her visit of several weeks spent with relatives—Mrs. Annie Rouse, of Elmwood, and daughters. Miss Ely is a very sweet, amiable and intelligent young lady and a very brilliant conversationalist. She spent last summer in Connecticut with her uncles, Hon. Daniel Chadwick and Wm. Noyes Ely, and she says she thinks Kent countians compare very favorably with the Northern people in entertaining their friends, which is saying much from the brilliant description she gives of them.

Schwatka—Cooper.

Between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a. m., on Tuesday last, a pleasant little company assembled at the residence of Edward Cooper, Esq., near Chesterville, to witness the nuptials of his eldest daughter, Miss Maggie, and Dr. J. B. Schwatka, formerly of Kent, but now of Baltimore. With the exception of a few friends there were present only the immediate relatives of the family, prominent among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Ginnado, grandparents of the bride, from Philadelphia; Mrs. Sarah Collins, an aunt; and her daughter, Mrs. Ella Stringer, from Gloucester, N. J.; Mrs. Anna Morrison, another daughter of Mrs. C. from Eddystone, Pa.; and the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Loudenslager, of Philadelphia. The rest of the company was composed of the bride's own family and near relatives of the neighborhood.

Promptly at 11 o'clock a. m. the bride and groom made their appearance and the silken knot was firmly tied by the Rev. Geo. W. Townsend, who pronounced the happy couple "man and wife." Dr. and Mrs. Schwatka were then heartily congratulated, and after an hour or two of pleasant, social chit-chat the company repaired to the dining hall where a sumptuous dinner was prepared and nicely served. At about 3 o'clock p. m. the newly-married couple took the boat for their home in Baltimore.

Among the valuable presents of the bride were a diamond breast-pin from relatives, and a very handsome bronze clock, the latter the gift of a Mr. Gouley, of Philadelphia.

Dr. Schwatka was recently appointed Associate Demonstrator of Anatomy at the Baltimore Medical College, but has since been promoted to be Demonstrator. The Doctor is thoroughly in love with his profession, is devoting much attention to surgery, and if he lives, will be content with nothing short of success and reputation. The young couple have our best wishes for future happiness.

Parr—Crossley.

Mr. Wm. Parr, a prosperous young business man of Still Pond, was married in the M. E. Church of that place on Wednesday evening last to Miss Kate R. Crossley, of the same place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Macnichol in the presence of a large congregation.

Temperance Centennial.—On our first page may be found an advertisement giving the particulars in full of an all-day centennial service to be held at Still Pond on Tuesday, the 27th instant. Eminent speakers have been engaged and provision will be made to accommodate all who may attend. The musical feature of the occasion will be particularly interesting. An error occurs in the committee as announced: it should be Mrs. G. W. Harper and Mrs. J. F. Wilson instead of the husbands of those ladies.

Sales to Take Place.

Richard Hynson, Esq., at the Voshell House on Oct. 27, a nicely located farm in Broad Neck; also, on same day, at same place, several lots of land near Worton Station.

Wm. M. Slay, Esq., at the Voshell House, on Tuesday, Oct. 20, valuable town property.

Saturday, October 10, Samuel Shuster, near Fairlee.

Thursday, October 15, John F. Copper, near Smithville.

Thursday, Oct. 15, Mary J. Howard, near Turner's Creek.

Festivals to Take Place.

Oct. 9, 10—in Piney Neck by M. E. Church.

Oct. 15, 16, 17—at Worton Station, oyster suppers, benefit of the Presbyterian Church.

Oct. 20, 21, 22—at Town Hall Chestertown, by the "Young People's Association." Supper first evening.

Oct. 28, 29—at Edesville by Hall Association.

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Oct. 6.—Present, Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens.

W. J. and S. Vannort and J. H. Simpers, executors of Wm. Vannort, filed their second administration account.

John W. Corey and Sarah M. Usilton, admr's of John N. Usilton, filed list of debts of dec'd.

Surprise is frequently expressed at the superior fare and accommodations furnished at the "Maltby House," Baltimore, for so small charge. The secret is that its terms are made to suit the times.

Resolutions of Respect to Bishop Lay.

At a meeting of the vestry of Chester Parish, Kent county, Maryland, held Sept. 29th, 1885, the following resolutions were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the vestry of Chester Parish has learned of the death of their beloved Bishop, Henry Champlin Lay, with great sorrow.

Resolved, That in his death the Diocese of Easton and the Church at large have sustained the loss of one who, in the humblest Parish of his own rural Diocese, or in the great centres of wealth and learning, broke the bread of life to all his hearers with a gentle and persuasive eloquence which marked him everywhere as a man of God, and won the respect and affection of all who came under his influence.

Resolved, That he was large in mind, rich in culture, simple in character and tastes, wise in counsel, strong in purpose and pure in heart. His life was lovely and pleasant, and his memory is fragrant and precious. Of him the Diocese may say truly, "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

Resolved, That his life has left upon the mind and heart of this Diocese an indelible impress, and to his successor a bright and shining light.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the Parish, and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, and to the county papers for publication.

JAMES A. PEARCE, Register.

MARRIED.

At 10 o'clock a. m., on the 6th instant, at the residence of the bride's father near Chesterville, by Rev. G. W. Townsend, Dr. J. BUSHROD SCHWATKA, of Baltimore, and Miss MAGGIE COOPER, of this county.

At the M. E. Parsonage, Chestertown, on Wednesday, Oct. 7, 1885, by Rev. J. D. Kemp, THOMAS BRADLEY and Miss GERTIE JEWELL, both of this county.

At Still Pond M. E. Church, Wednesday, Oct. 7, 1885, by Rev. E. C. Macnichol, WILLIAM PARR and Miss KATE R. CROSSLEY, both of this county.

DIED.

In Millington, on the 4th instant, SAMUEL L. BLACKISTON, aged 62 years, leaving a widow and one daughter. He was one of the oldest and a valued member of the M. E. Church in Millington.

At Hampton, Va., September 30, 1885, Miss MARGARET A., daughter of the late Hugh and Isabella Wallis, aged 37 years.

In Clayton, Del., suddenly, on Wednesday last, GEORGE W. WHITLOCK, aged about 80 years. He was the father of the proprietor of the "Bingham House."

DIOCESE OF EASTON.

The Standing Committee hereby give notice to the clergy and parishes of the diocese that a Special Convention for the purpose of electing a Bishop will be held (God willing) in Christ Church, Easton, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th of November, next. The opening service will be a memorial of our late beloved Bishop. A commemorative discourse will be delivered.

THEO. P. BARBER, JAMES A. MITCHELL, E. F. DASHIELL, S. C. ROBERTS, JOHN O. BARTON, oc10-3t.

NOTICE.—A Meeting of the Temperance League of Kent county is called for October the 15th, at 10 o'clock, usual place of meeting. Subject for discussion: "The advisability of connecting our League with the State League." o3-2t. By order PRESIDENT.

OYSTER SUPPERS.—There will be OYSTER SUPPERS at Worton Station for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church on THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings, October 15, 16 and 17. The public generally are invited.

DANCE—Will be held in the Hall in Piney Neck, on THURSDAY EVENING, Oct. 15th, 1885. Music from Baltimore. Price of ticket 50 cents, admits Gent. and two Ladies. Cake and Ice-cream in abundance and a cordial invitation extended to all. 1t.

FESTIVAL.

Edesville Hall Association will hold a FESTIVAL at their Hall, Edesville, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY Evenings, Oct. 28th and 29th. Fish and Oyster Supper both evenings. Public respectfully invited. Music by the band. oc10-3t. By order COMMITTEE.

FESTIVAL! FESTIVAL!!

On the premises of Piney Neck M. E. Church, for the benefit of said church, October 9th and 10th, FRIDAY & SATURDAY evenings. Supper both evenings, Ice-Cream, Cake, Lemonade and Confectionery in abundance. All are invited. [o3-2t.] COMMITTEE.

FESTIVAL! FESTIVAL!

AT THE TOWN HALL, CHESTERTOWN,

By the "Young People's Association," beginning TUESDAY EVENING, Oct 20, and continuing several evenings. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. A FIRST-CLASS SUPPER will be served Tuesday evening. 3t.

WANTED.

An energetic, industrious BOY, as clerk in store and lumber yard. Apply to T. W. ELIASON, Jr. oc10-4t.

DRESS-MAKING.

Having secured rooms in the village I am prepared to cut, make and alter dresses to suit the latest styles. Plain and fancy sewing done neatly and promptly. Ladies of Still Pond and vicinity: I most respectfully solicit a share of your patronage. EMMA G. MEEKS. oc10-3t.

YOUNG SMUGGLER

Record 2.29½, Trial 2.20¼. See Turf, Field and Farm, June 10th, 1884. Commencing Oct. 1st, ending Jan. 1st, 1886; $25 for the season. J. W. HINES. oc10-3t.

LANGFORD SEEDLING APPLE TREES.

For Sale by T. J. VICKERS, Langford, Kent co., Md. oc10-tf.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

2 Pair Very Fine Mules,

1 Eleven-Tooth Empire Drill, used 1 year, 1 Hyland Farm Roller, as good as new; 1 Hyland Corn Sheller and Power, used 1 year; 30 very fine Shotes. Terms cash, or negotiable note signed to suit purchaser. Apply to S. H. CRAWFORD, Fairlee, Md. oc10-2t

Fine Farm at Private Sale.

One of the best and most eligibly situated Farms in Kent county, Md., containing about 100 Acres, all under cultivation. Fencing and buildings good. For particulars apply to JAMES A. PEARCE, Attorney-at-law, Chestertown, Md. oc10-3t.

MILLING. MY MILL near the Trappe is now in thorough repair and doing first-class work. Customers will not have to wait, as promptness will be always observed. JOHN BRICE. oct3-3t.*

CAUTION—ALL PERSONS are hereby warned against crossing or gunning on my premises with dog or gun, or riding across or fox-hunting, rabbit hunting or partridge shooting. The law will be strictly enforced against offenders. WILLIAM GRAVES, Quaker Neck. oc3-3t*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—ALL PERSONS are hereby warned against trespassing upon my premises, adjoining the Josias Ringgold farm, with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date. The law will be enforced. Sept. 26, 1885-3t. EDWARD LUSBY.

FOR SALE.—100,000 Conover Colossal Asparagus Plants. 5,000 Pie Plants. At lowest prices in any quantity. ROBERT G. NICHOLSON, Little Grove Nurseries, Chestertown, Md. oct3-2m.

NOTICE. On and after this date I intend to make BOOTS and SHOES and REPAIR for the cash only, at the lowest prices. Sept. 26, 1885-3t.* GEO. H. BENNETT.

SHEEP for SALE. THIRTY SHROPSHIRE EWES and TWO BUCKS. THOMAS W. TREW, Pomona, Md. sept12-tf.

A LARGE assortment of Heating Stoves on hand and cheaper than ever. J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

J. K. B. Emory. F. W. Neavitt.

WM. H. RUTTER, with EMORY & NEAVITT, *Commission Merchants.* GRAIN, SEEDS, HAY &c., No. 68 South Street, Baltimore, Md.

Reference:—Citizens' National Bank. o10-y. Agents for Wheeler Line of Steamers.

Read! Read! Read! *THIS ANNOUNCEMENT:* $1,000 $1,000 $1,000 WORTH OF Ladies, Misses and Children's Wraps on Exhibition right here in Chestertown of New, Good, Stylish Goods, at R. F. PARKS'. Oct. 10, 1885.

—VALUABLE— TOWN PROPERTY At Private Sale.

MRS. L. C. SHAW will sell at PRIVATE SALE *TWO HOUSES* on Cannon Street in Chestertown.

—NO. 1— is a DOUBLE HOUSE, 28x30 ft. front and back building, containing twelve rooms.

—NO. 2— is the house in which I now reside, 48 ft. front; breakfast-room and kitchen in back-building. This property is in thorough repair.

This Property will be sold on a credit of Six, Twelve and Eighteen months, or the terms may be modified to suit the purchaser.

ALSO, ALL MY HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, Which is Nearly New. oc10-tf. MRS. L. C. SHAW.

Report of the Condition of the CHESTERTOWN NATIONAL BANK,

At CHESTERTOWN, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business Oct. 1, 1885.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$117,132.59
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Due from approved reserve agents	215,650.30
Due from other National Banks	180,970.61
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	4,000.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,410.49
Premiums paid	1,437.50
Checks and other cash items	113.79
Bills of other Banks	9,455.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and pennies	113.27
Specie	19,178.30
Legal tender notes	11,770.00
Total	$573,731.85

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	300.00
Undivided profits	4,402.65
Individual deposits subject to check	505,761.04
Certified Checks	5,540.33
Due to other National Banks	6,875.74
Due to State Banks and bankers	852.09
Total	$573,731.85

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, Joseph Peterson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOSEPH PETERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct. 1885. CHAS. ESTES, N. P.

Correct—Attest: N. G. WESTCOTT, THOS. B. HYNSON, CHAS. T. WESTCOTT, Directors. 1t.

FOR RENT—For balance of present year and for 1886, DWELLING HOUSE on Cross street. Apply to J. H. SIMPERS, Chestertown. oct3-3t.

FOR RENT for 1886.—A STOREHOUSE at Pomona. Apply to JAMES H. BAKER, Pomona. oc3-3t*

FOR SALE. TWO HOUSES on Kent street, and one on Cannon street below Mill, on easy terms. Apply to C. W. C. JOHNSON. sept12-tf.

FOR RENT for the year 1886. DWELLING HOUSE on Princess Street in Chestertown, in complete order. sept5-tf. Apply to H. C. CHASE.

FOR RENT—FOUR BRICK HOUSES on Main street, known as the Gardner Row, for next year. All new and in good condition. Apply to A. E. VANNORT, or WM. J. VANNORT, Agent. jy25-tf.

FOR RENT for 1886. DWELLING HOUSE and STORE ROOM, corner High and Mill streets. The Dwelling House is roomy and convenient, with pump of excellent water at kitchen door. The Store Room is neatly fitted up with fixtures complete, and is a good stand for grocery and confectionery or other business. Possession can be given at once. Apply to J. B. SAPPINGTON, Chestertown, Md. sept5-tf.

Oysters! Oysters! —AT— MRS. CUMMINS', ON MAIN Street.

I am prepared to cook and serve OYSTERS in the very best style at short notice at my saloon nearly opposite the Bank, in Chestertown. Families supplied by the gallon or in smaller quantities. My oysters are fresh and the best to be had. MRS. CUMMINS. s26-tf.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! Call at GEORGE NICHOLSON'S OYSTER SALOON on Cross St., opposite Chapman & Lambert's shops, and get OYSTERS.—He cooks and serves them in the VERY BEST STYLE. Give him a trial and be assured of the fact. Oysters received fresh daily. s5.

COOK STOVES! COOK STOVES! and Ranges, Ten or Twelve kinds, and prices as low as the lowest. The new Excelsior, one of the best Cook Stoves ever used. If you want a good and cheap Cook Stove for wood only, buy the "Parlor" Cook. The New Niagara Cook Stove and the No. 10 Niagara for large farmers is the cheapest and best. The "QUAKER CITY" is handsome, convenient and efficient. Call and examine our large assortment of Cook Stoves, Ranges and Heating Stoves. oct3. J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

REMOVAL. BARTLEY, the Carpet Man, has removed to Cross Street, adjoining C. B. Rasin's Livery Stable. Plenty of Carpet and cheaper than ever. We are now prepared to sell you Carpet (full yard wide) at 25 cents per yard. Our motto: "Good Work and Honest Measure." To my Patrons and the Public: Those intending to have Carpet made will please send in their orders early so as to avoid the rush later in the season. Thankful for past favors I am yours very resp'y. JOHN BARTLEY, Chestertown, Md. sept26-3m.*

Trustee's Sale!

UNDER and by virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent co., in Equity, the undersigned as trustee, will offer at Public Sale, at the Voshell House in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY, October 27th, 1885,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

the following lots or parcels of land, the same being a part of the real estate of the late John Duyer, lying in the Third Election District of this county, near Worton Station, on the Kent Co. R. R., viz:

THE WOOD LOT USUALLY CALLED "The Mollie Brown Lot" which contains by recent survey 33 ACRES, 2 ROODS, 15 PERCHES.

It has been divided into two lots of 16 acres, 3 roods, 7 perches, each. On each of these lots there is valuable White Oak timber and wood, and the

ARABLE LOT adjoining these Wood Lots, which contains by the same survey 15 Acres and 35 Perches.

These lots will be first offered severally and then as a whole, and sold in the manner most beneficial to the parties interested.

TERMS OF SALE: Terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are as follows: One-fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, or on its final ratification, at the Trustee's option; the residue or balance in equal installments of 6, 12, 18 and 24 months from the day of sale, with interest from that date; payment to be secured by bond of purchaser with surety or sureties approved by Trustee, and interest to be paid with each installment of principal. RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee. s26-ts.

SALE OF Stock & Farm Utensils.

THE undersigned intending to leave the farm where she now resides, will offer at Public Sale at the residence of the late George W. Howard near Turner's Creek, in Kent county, Md., on

THURSDAY, October 15th, 1885, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., her Stock and Farming Implements, as follows, namely:

2 Head of Horses THREE MARES, Two in foal; two Good Drivers and all Good Work Horses; 4 COWS, all Good Milkers; 1 Champion Self-Binder, 1 York Carriage and Harness, 1 Farm Wagon, new and in good order; 2 One-Horse Dearborns and a lot of Plows, Harrows and Cultivators.

HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, beside other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums under $10 to be cash; all over $10 a credit of Ten Months, on note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with. MARY J. HOWARD. oc10-ts.

PUBLIC SALE!

THE subscriber will sell at Public Sale at his residence on the Fennimore farm, near Fairlee, on *SATURDAY, October 10, 1885,* commencing at 2 o'clock p. m., the following property:

5 Head of HORSES three of them young and all good workers; 5 HEAD CATTLE, 5 LARGE SHOTES, 3-Spring Dearborn, Tongue and Shafts, nearly new; 1 Large Grain Fan, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators and other implements, 1 Large No. 10 Cook Stove and Fixtures, 2 Kitchen Tables, one large with drawer; Bedsteads, Chairs, &c.

TERMS.—All purchases of and under $10, cash. All over that amount Twelve Months credit with note and approved security. SAMUEL SHUSTER. J. Frank Wheatley, Auc'r. o3-ts.

VENDUE! Thursday, Oct. 15th.

THE undersigned about to discontinue farming will offer at Public Sale, at his residence, near Smithville, on the above date the following property:

4 good Young Horses 1 VERY FINE COLT, 3 Milch Cows, SOME FINE HEIFERS, 1 Deering Self-Binder, good as new; 1 Wheat Rake, 1 Corn Cropper, 1 Empire Drill, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Farm Bell, 1 Buckeye Mower, 1 Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators and other farming implements.

Also, Household & Kitchen Furniture. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

TERMS:—Cash on all purchases of and under $10; a credit of Twelve Months on all sums over that amount with purchaser giving note with approved security, note payable at Chestertown National Bank of Maryland. JOHN F. COPPER. U. A. C. Garrett, Auc'r. oct3-tds.

HOG SCALDERS. GARDNER'S IMPROVED PORTABLE SCALDING TROUGH. Designed for Scalding Hogs and steaming or boiling food for stock. It is one of the most useful implements a farmer can have on his premises. Prices and references on application to R. G. NICHOLSON, Agent, Chestertown, Md. oct3-2m.

SOAPS! WE have for sale the celebrated IVORY and OLEINE SOAPS made by Proctor & Gamble. J. B. BURCHINAL. sep26-4t.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE —OF— A Nicely Located FARM IN BROAD NECK.

THE undersigned as assignee of the mortgage from Alfred Perkins, of John, and Cornelia H. Perkins, his wife, to William H. Davis, which with the assignment thereon stands recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in Liber S. B., No. 2, Folio 342, &c., under the power in said mortgage contained, will offer at Public Sale, at 11 o'clock a. m.

On TUESDAY, Oct. 27th, 1885, at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, the property described in said mortgage, the mortgagors having made default in the payment of interest on the mortgage debt. This property is

A SMALL FARM in the southern part of Broad Neck, Kent county, Maryland, adjoining the lands of Thomas J. Vickers and others. It contains between 61 and 62 ACRES, all arable save about three acres in firm marsh, which affords an excellent Spring pasture. The situation is desirable, being convenient to churches, schools, &c. In its immediate vicinity are some of the finest Oyster Beds, Fishing Grounds and Ducking Points on the N. E. and N. W. branches of Lankford's Bay; the latter forms one of the boundaries of this farm. The natural quality of the soil is excellent, being well adapted to cereals and fruits, and enjoys the advantage of easy, cheap and frequent access to market.

The Improvements are A Frame Dwelling of one story and a half, having three rooms below and two above, and Out-Buildings suitable for the farm. Two Peach Orchards, one of 600 bearing Trees—the other 1,600 Trees, planted in the Spring of 1884. Six hundred bearing PEAR TREES, and 100 about two years old, and an APPLE ORCHARD of about 30 trees now in their prime.

TERMS OF SALE: One-half of the purchase money to be paid cash on the day of sale, the residue in two equal installments of six and twelve months from the day of sale. The whole purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale. RICHARD HYNSON, Assignee of Wm. H. Davis, Mortgagee. Sept. 26, 1885—tds.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF Valuable Property IN CHESTERTOWN.

BY VIRTUE of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent co., in Equity, the undersigned as Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, on

TUESDAY, October 20th, 1885, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M., at the Voshell House in Chestertown, the following very desirable property:

—No. 1— is situated on the Southwest side of High Street in Chestertown, adjoining on one side the property on the corner of High and Kent Streets, owned by Emily G. Stewart; on the other, the property of Mary C. Rawleigh; and containing about 45 feet front, and running back a depth of about 150 feet.

The Improvements ARE A Fine Three-Story Dwelling and KITCHEN and STORE-ROOM in good repair, and the location fine. It is now occupied by C. W. C. Johnson, Esq.

—No. 2— is situated on the Southeast side of Kent street, adjoining the aforenamed corner property and the rear of No. 1, and fronts about 45 feet, and runs back a depth of 75 feet.

THE IMPROVEMENTS are old buildings of little account, but the lot is very desirable for building purposes.

All the above property was recently owned by John W. Carroll late of New York and will be sold for the purpose of distribution amongst his heirs-at-law.

It will be offered both subject to and clear of the widow's dower in the same, and sold whichever way will realize the most money for the heirs.

TERMS OF SALE. The terms of sale are: One-fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the Court, at the option of the trustee; one-fourth in one year, one-fourth in two years, and one-fourth in three years from the day of sale. The credit payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with security to be approved by the trustee.

Possession given January 1 1886. WILLIAM M. SLAY, Trustee. Sept. 26, 1885—ts.

State of Maryland,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Annapolis, Oct. 1st, 1885.

IN pursuance of the requirements of Section 6, of Article 69, of the Code of Public General Laws, as amended at January Session, 1876, Chapter 206, I herewith publish the following list of Accounting Officers in Kent county who are in arrears to the State of Maryland, and liable to publication under said law, together with the amount due by each as of this day.

J. FRANK TURNER, Comptroller of the Treasury.

John N. Dodd, late Collector, 1881, principal and interest............ $490.68

Nathaniel Voshell, late Collector, 1884, principal and interest...... $236.13

oc10-4t.

CALICOES, Muslins, Ginghams, Percales, Lawns, White Goods, Cottonades, &c., at low prices. J. H. SIMPERS. aug1.