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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....May 15, 1886.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

In the case of State vs. E. L. Price, col., indicted for bigamy—tried before the court — Smith for State; Pearce for defense; Judge Wickes reviewed the evidence and declared the prisoner guilty —the *prior* marriage to the two which constituted the bigamous crime, and which the defense relied upon to save his case, was not satisfactorily proven, but admitting such prior marriage the court thought it was justified in believing from the evidence that the said *first* wife was dead at the time the prisoner took his second wife. His marriage to the latter was certified to by the Rev. Mr. Aldred, and to the third wife by Rev. Mr. Riddick. Price was sadly disappointed in the verdict and was loth to leave the court-room with the sheriff. As he passed the bar he stopped and earnestly beseeched his counsel to interpose in his behalf.

State vs. John Barrett, colored, presentment for assaulting Thomas Mason, colored, on the public highway with intent to rob. Jury trial. Smith for State; Hynson, Urie and Wickes for defense. Verdict not guilty. The colored people took great interest in this case and a large number were present during the trial, and upon the rendition of the verdict there was a disposition upon the part of the prisoner's friends to applaud, but the court promptly checked it.

"Doctor" Taylor, colored, charged with the same offense as Barrett was released upon the conclusion of the Barrett case, the State admitting a verdict of not guilty.

Nichols, Shepard & Co. vs. Thos. H. Staveley —before a jury of inquisition. Verdict for $1,781.01 for plaintiff. Barroll for plaintiff.

The petit jury was discharged on Saturday after a three weeks' session.

On Monday the prisoners—five colored men—were brought before the court for sentence. Judge Wickes had delivered the sentence in one of the cases when Mr. Urie (for Mr. Pearce) filed application for a new trial in the Price case, and this case was thereupon laid over for a hearing on Monday. The court imposed the following sentences: Theodore Hodges, for larceny, two years in the penitentiary; Levi Lively, for larceny, eighteen months; Chas. B. Scott and Alexander Corse, for burglary, six years. The court expressed the grave character of the crime of which the two latter had been convicted. It is hoped this will be a salutary warning to like thieves.

Thomas Stewart, having made application for citizenship April 24, 1884, was admitted.

Who is Responsible?

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The traveling public desire to know who is responsible for the present condition of the road from Archibald's cross roads to Fairlee village. Yours respectfully,

A TAXPAYER.

REV. PHILLIPS BROOKS, D. D., of Boston, was elected assistant bishop of the P. E. Diocese of Pennsylvania at the annual convention held last week in Philadelphia. Dr. Brooks is a graduate of Harvard University and of the Virginia Theological Seminary. He is a native of Boston and is 51 years of age. His first parish was the Church of the Advent, Philadelphia, where his preaching attracted great attention, and from 1861 to 1869 he was rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity in the same city. He is widely known and is celebrated as a preacher of great fluency. He preached an eloquent sermon in Westminster Abbey in 1880, which attracted the attention of the religious world, and in June, 1885, the Oxford University Convocation conferred upon him the degree of doctor of divinity. He is known as a broad churchman of the school represented by Bishop Clark of Rhode Island, the late Dean Stanley and Archdeacon Farrar. Dr. Brooks is a tall massive man. He is now the rector of Trinity Church of Boston, one of the finest church edifices in America.

THE DeKALB monument will be erected on the State House green at Annapolis with appropriate ceremonies on Monday, August 16, the 106th anniversary of the battle of Camden, where he was mortally wounded while leading on the Maryland Line. The ceremonies of the unveiling will consist of an address from Secretary of State Bayard accepting the statue on behalf of the government, the recital of a historical poem by a Maryland poet, and grand choruses by the United German Singing Society of Baltimore. Secretary of State Bayard has appointed J. Thomas Scharf to deliver the oration at the unveiling of the statue. For this purpose Minister McLane has sent to Col. Scharf from the French archives at Paris a large number of letters, reports, &c., written by Baron de Kalb before and during the revolution, which have never been made public.

A STORY OF EARLY RAILROADING.—It is related that when the first Maine railroad was started, about forty years ago, W. C. Pitman of Bangor was conductor. One rainy morning he started from Waterville, and, on arriving at North Belgrade, a flag station, not seeing any flag, ran by the station. Just as the train had passed the red flag was run out for some passengers to get on. Mr. Pitman stopped his train and asked Stephen Richardson, the station agent, why he did not display the flag before. Mr. Richardson replied, "Be you a-goin' to run your train in rainy weather? I didn't think you would."

A FURTHER FALL IN SILVER.—At present, by reason of a further fall in the market price of silver, one hundred gold dollars will buy enough silver to coin $128.50 of standard silver dollars. To state the same fact in another way, the so-called "standard" dollar is today worth 77.78 cents. This dollar is kept in circulation on a par with the gold dollar, which is worth 22.22 cents more, by the credit of the government and the good management of Secretary Manning. In other words, the standard "dollar" is 77.78 cents substance and 22.22 cents faith.

IT is reported that the Smyrna *Record* has been sold and that its late editor, F. S. Phelps, has secured a position on a Philadelphia newspaper. Messrs. Boyer & Taylor, machinists of Smyrna, are the purchasers, and Mr. Boyer proposes to manage the business of his new acquisition.—*Wilmington Morning News.*

A PRECOCIOUS HEIFER.—An Alderney heifer, only fourteen months old, belonging to Mrs. Dr. M. L. Jarrett, of Jarrettsville, is the happy mother of a calf that is now three or four weeks old. The age of the heifer is well attested, and the case is somewhat remarkable. The heifer is as large as an ordinary cow.—*Bel Air Rpis.*

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

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ITEMS FROM FAIRLEE.

MESSRS. EDITORS: — The recent rains have given vegetation quite a boom.

The last grange festival of the season took place in the Grange Hall on Thursday, 13th inst., Miss M. E. Lamb preparing and reading the *Garner*. The exercises closed with a repetition of the farce lately presented by School No. 10. The meetings of the grange will be private now until the autumn—perhaps October. It is possible that then a winter course of lectures on scientific and other subjects will be inaugurated.

A few years ago Salem M. E. Church established a mission near the original site of the church, adjacent to the school now taught by Miss M. Downs. The old schoolhouse was bought and paid for by funds solicited by old Brother McIntire, since gone to "the church of the first-born." After his removal to Humphrey's Point, Brother James Kendall took charge of the Mission and Sunday-school, which grew and prospered well under his management. He becoming disqualified by his present long illness the care of the school and mission devolved on Brother Thorington, and so continued until he was called to take the superintendency of Salem Sunday-school at this village, leaving the mission as "sheep without a shepherd." But seed had been sown which must bear fruit. The people of the vicinity feeling the need of a church and sabbath-school seem to have determined to have both. The old house, dilapidated, uncomfortable and inadequately small — in fact, a mere shell, not worth the cost of repair—should give place to a better structure. To this end they propose to hold on Friday 21 and Saturday 22 of this month a strawberry festival, the proceeds of which will be applied to the building fund. Is this enterprise needed? Are there not now church accommodations sufficient? I answer it is needed. The majority who attend the chapel have no means to reach other places of worship. Within a short distance is Melitota, an enterprising and growing village; the value of the property adjacent will be increased many fold. One of the proofs of his divine mission which Jesus gave was that "the poor had the gospel preached unto THEM." Shall it be withheld from them now. It is to be hoped that a generous christian public will see that it shall not be. SIMON SHARP.

LETTER FROM WILMINGTON.

DEAR NEWS:—I have been so very busy of late I have not had time scarcely to think about, much less to write to you, and would probably have forgotten you entirely but for your regular visits to me, notwithstanding the fact that we are so much interested in you that on Saturday when the carrier delivers our batch of papers the NEWS is the very first read.

I have been specially interested in the reports of your agricultural clubs and granges. They must be very pleasant socially as well as profitable intellectually. The discussions upon the various topics of interest to every farmer and family leading to experiments in various things must result in practical benefit.

I am glad to see also the subject of a Fruit Exchange agitated, such as they have organized at Wyoming, Del., and which has proven to be a grand success, even far beyond the most sanguine expectations of its warmest friends and advocates. I have no doubt it will prove equally beneficial to the growers in Kent should they organize a branch or similar one.

We are afflicted with the "strike epidemic," though not so general as in some other cities, being confined so far to the morocco men. I think the strikers themselves are very tired, and it is to be hoped for their sakes, as well as for the business of the city, it will speedily terminate. There is not a department of business but what is suffering by reason of it. The universal judgment here is that strikes are bad things, resulting in no advantage to the employe, but positive injury to every interest and party concerned.

The unsettled condition of the labor question has not only damaged the present, but the future business prospects of the city, as several large contracts have been refused by some of the leading industries of the city, which would have given employment to hundreds of men and distributed thousands of dollars every week in the city. The business thus distributed to other cities may never return to ours, and thus a permanent injury will result.

Wishing for your farmers large crops of fruit and grain, and for yourselves prosperity, I am yours, DEL.

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R. F. PARKS,

apr17. Chestertown.

SEED POTATOES—For Sale by W. A. WHEATLEY

Red Men at Millington.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—A lodge of the Independent Order of Red Men was organized in the town of Millington on the 11th inst. Mr. Thomas, Grand Sachem, of Baltimore, taught the new beginners —thirty-five in number—how to spring the bow, kill the buffalo, capture the alligator and secure bear meat, wield the war club and whet the scalping-knife, and many other things known only to the Red Men. The order promises to be a very flourishing one. After the novices took the necessary ride on the buffalo they repaired to Hurtt's hall where they were received by many beautiful squaws, who in the goodness of the heart of Pocahontas had prepared the war worn braves an elegant collation, such as ice-cream, lemonade, &c. All went as merry as a marriage bell. A number of the married squaws shone with great brightness to the detriment of the younger ones. To the noble generosity of the children of the woods many pale faces were present as invited guests and felt as safe as ever the good Wm. Penn did. It was not till a late hour that the Big Indian bade them retire to their wigwams and look well after the little papoose that a great brave might be raised up to the honor and glory of the Great Spirit.

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Cucumber Pumps,	Rakes,	Halters,	Hammers,	
Barbed Wire,	Grass and Brier Scythes,	Horse Yokes,	Hatchets,	
Lawn Mowers,	Grass Sickles,	Nails,	Tacks,	
Fence Caps,	Grindstones,	Bolts,	Axes,	
Rock Salt,	Sheep Shears,	Screws,	Braces,	
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m8-4t. CLERK.

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