Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........JUNE 19, 1886.

NOT YET?

Col. J. W. Bryant, the Democratic anti-bribery champion of Caroline, has been proposed by some of the Republicans as an independent candidate for Congress in this district, and the gallant colonel at once enters the arena with a half column letter in the Denton *Union*. He says many bad things against the Democracy, but not a word against the Repubs, winding up his tirade with the declaration "Still, I am not *yet* a candidate." Why not *yet*, dear colonel? If it would cure all the ills recited you should not "*still*" be undecided. By the way, colonel, is there no bribery among the republicans as well as in the party with which you have heretofore acted? We are loth to believe that you have been so completely blinded by the voice of the "dear charmer." But it must be so. Good-bye. Findlay will welcome you to the Eden bowers whither you go.

Bishop-Elect Nelson Declines.

REV. KINLOCH NELSON, D. D., Bishop of Easton [e]lect, arrived in Easton last Sunday morning, [a]nd preached at Christ Church in the morning [a]nd at Trinity Cathedral in the evening. He [l]eft Easton Monday morning for Cambridge, where he conferred with Rev. T. P. Barber, chairman of the standing committee of the diocese, and returned to Baltimore at night. The visit was said to be for the purpose of informing himself concerning the diocese. Dr. Nelson left a most favorable impression, and is said to have expressed himself as well pleased with both Easton and Cambridge.

A letter declining the bishopric has since been received from Dr. Nelson. Another convention will be held about the middle of July to make another attempt to fill the vacancy.

General News Notes.

COL. A. K. MCCLURE, editor of the Philadelphia *Times*, delivered the address at the Washington and Lee University commencement on Wednesday. His topic was "The Lessons of Our Civil War." He showed that the war was not fought for or against slavery, as is often thoughtlessly stated, but for or against the sovereignty of the nation as disputed by the sovereignty of the State. He said that the issue was created by Washington and Jefferson, but neither was able to entrench his views of national or State sovereignty on the Constitution, and it was left to construction, whereupon Washington and Hamilton construed it as establishing the supreme sovereignty of the nation, while Jefferson and Madison construed it by the resolutions of 1798 as establishing the supreme sovereignty of the State, even to the extent of judging of all infractions and nullifying any laws—that these statesmen compromised the dispute and left to posterity the problem they could not solve.

THERE was an encounter between political gladiators in the House of Representatives on Friday of last week, when the Hons. John V. L. Findlay and Barnes Compton measured swords. The encounter was brought about by a vigorous attack by Mr. Findlay on the alleged evasions of the civil-service rules by Mr. I. Parker Veazey whilst postmaster at Baltimore. This brought Mr. Compton to his feet and he warmly defended Mr. Veazey, whom he pronounced the peer of Mr. Findlay or any other gentleman, both as regards his capacity and his democracy. Mr. Findlay is recognized as an adroit and able debater but in the thrusts and passes which followed he found in Mr. Compton a foeman worthy of his steel.

THE WEDDING RECEPTION of President Cleveland and his bride on Tuesday evening was one of the most brilliant affairs that has ever taken place at the White House. The diplomatic corps, Congress, the army and navy, and the judiciary were fully represented. Mrs. Cleveland was attired in her wedding dress, an ivory satin. Her only ornaments were the diamond necklace, the wedding gift of the President, and a magnificent bouquet of white roses worn at the corsage. The charming simplicity of her whole attire only served to show to greater advantage the dignity of her carriage and the graceful poise of her figure. She had a smile for every one and a word for many, and her winsome manners captivated all.

THE Maryland Military and Naval Academy at Oxford, Md., held its first commencement services on the 10th instant, 135 students being present, representing 32 States and 2 Territories. There were as yet no graduates, but there was an oratorical contest, in which cadet W. R. Bell, of Lonaconing, Md., carried off the prize, a gold star. Colonel B. J. Burgess, principal of the academy, is erecting a new building, large enough to accommodate 350 students.

THE Sultan's proposed wedding present to Mrs. Cleveland is declined by the President on the ground that to accept it would be to violate the spirit, if not the letter, of the constitution. The delicacy of feeling thus exhibited contrasts favorably with the readiness of some of Mr. Cleveland's predecessors in the White House to accept anything, and the American public will know how to appreciate it.

THE pea crop of Wicomico county has paid growers well this season. Three hundred and forty-two barrels and thirty-two crates were shipped from Salisbury depot. The potato crop is now going into market and good prices are being realized. The N. Y., P. and N. R. R. is delivering potatoes in Baltimore at the same rates as the steamboats, which was never done before.

THE State election took place in Oregon last week. The Democrats elected their candidates for Governor, Secretary of State and Treasurer, and as these constitute the board for the management of all State institutions, the democrats will have control of the State affairs for the next four years.

GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN POWDERLY has issued another circular warning members of the [or]der that efforts are being made by the enemies [of] the order to injure it by securing the election [of] politicians to its General Assembly. He [urg]es members to put none but nights on guard.

[C]ONGRESSMAN GIBSON delivered his first speech [in] the House of Representatives last Saturday, in [the] course of which he criticised the civil ser[vic]e act and declared it undemocratic. We are [co]mpelled to defer the publication of the speech [u]ntil next week.

THE first lot of new wheat reached Baltimore on Wednesday from Middlesex county, Va., and was sold at 80 cents a bushel. The wheat was of Fultz variety, green and very wet. The first receipt last year was on June 24.

THE Annapolis *Republican*, edited by Messrs. Wm. S. Ridgely and Geo. T. Melvin, will be issued daily on and after the first of July. Mr. Wm. T. Inglehart will be connected with the editorial staff.

THE directors of the Talbot County Fair Association have bought thirty acres of land, adjoining Easton, from Joseph H. White for $4,000. The association has a paid-up capital of $12,000.

THE Atlantic Yacht Club regatta took place in New York bay on Tuesday and the cup was won by the Priscilla. The Puritan, which was the winner last year, was beaten several minutes.

MISS MARY E. HOLMES has been selected by vote of the Baltimore female public school teachers to receive the ticket presented by Mr. George W. Childs for a trip to Europe and return.

GIRARD COLLEGE has 1,180 boys on its rolls, the largest number at any time since the organization of the institution. Additional accommodations are being prepared.

THE democratic primary in New Castle county, Del., on Saturday, resulted in the nomination of Giles Lambson for sheriff.

FRIENDS of Hon. Wm. Pinkney White in Baltimore say that he has decided to become a candidate for Congress.

IT is said the share of President Cleveland's wife in her grandfather's estate will be about $50,000.

A LIGHT yield of peaches is indicated in Dorchester county—one-fourth to one-eighth of a crop.

IMPROVEMENTS are being made to the M. E. Church at Easton, which will cost about $2,000.

GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT AND REUNION AT GETTYSBURG.—The Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, will encamp on the battle-field of Gettysburg July 2 and remain until the 7th. On the 2d and 3d of July the reunion of the Third Army Corps will be held on the same historic field. The encampment of the Grand Army will be largely attended and the reunion will bring together veterans from every State in the Union. On the 2d interesting ceremonies incident to the dedication of monuments will be held, during the week something of interest to every old soldier will occur. Never since the memorable days of the battle has there assembled on this famous spot so notable and imposing a collection of veterans as will gather there during this week, and no better opportunity for visiting the battle-ground in the company of those who were engaged in the great fight will ever be offered. For the benefit of those who desire to be present the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its lines east of Pittsburg and Erie, on June 30, July 1, 2, 3 and 4' good to return until the 8th, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip.

The Public Health.

Dr. W. Frank Hines, our county health officer, has issued a circular and addressed the same to different persons in the county asking their co-operation in bringing before the board of health all unhealthy nuisances within their knowledge. No more important matter than this comes within the scope of a citizen's duty. The public health rises in importance above that of good roads or fine farms—safe bridges or market facilities—it is above even the public school interest, for what is the value of our lands, or houses, or education with bad health? We should magnify, if we can, this thing of the public health—demand a good sanitary condition for every section, for every village and town, and for every garden and dwelling of all these communities and localities.

The Peach Prospect.

As yet the "June fall" has not materially lessened the bright prospect of a big peach crop in Kent. The orchards are loaded with fruit and it is believed the crop in the county will be larger than was ever before known. It is not only wise, therefore, but absolutely essential for growers to be looking out for markets for the same.

IT is not often that an entertainment is given now-a-days for a PURELY charitable purpose, and one to which all who contribute to make it a success render their services without compensation and every cent received from the sale of tickets goes to the beneficiary. But it is proposed to have such a praiseworthy undertaking in Chestertown next Thursday evening, when some of the ladies of the P. E. Church and a number of their gentlemen friends will give an entertainment at the town hall for the benefit of a poor widow who lost her only son last year by a railroad accident and has other little children dependent upon her for support. We will only add that the person for whom this charity is projected is in every respect worthy to receive it, and we trust that every citizen that is able to do so will purchase at least one ticket, which can be had at the drug stores, whether it be convenient for them to be present at the entertainment or not.

We are gratified to learn that quite a number of tickets have already been sold.

STAM'S HALL.— The rumor that Mr. C. F. Stam had abandoned his town hall enterprise is not correct. He is not one of the kind to inaugurate a definite project and then abandon it without the very best grounds therefor, and he has seen no reason whatever for discouragement in this undertaking. He is perfecting his arrangements and expects to begin operations about the first of July. The designs and drawings are now all completed and we have had the pleasure of a thorough inspection of the same. They are in every respect what our description of a few weeks ago promised and Mr. S. proposes to carry out these plans to the letter. The improvement will be a grand one for Chestertown.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS are now in the midst of the examinations preparatory to closing the term for the summer. The exercises at the Chestertown school — Prof. W. G. Fallowfield, principal—will be of an interesting character, and will be held Wednesday, June 30. The school numbers not far short of three hundred pupils, but only two will "graduate." These two have passed successfully all the grades, closing with the second-seventh.

Sales to Take Place.

Tuesday, June 29—by J. A. Pearce, Esq., the valuable town property of the late Miss Caroline Thompson.

Saturday, June 26—by J. A. Pearce, Esq., attorney, a Watertown steam engine.

Tuesday, June 29—by Hope H. Barroll, Esq., attorney, a Sweepstake thresher.

Tuesday, June 29—by J. P. Hatcherson, sheriff, interest in a farm near Edesville.

Saturday, July 3—by John D. Urie, Esq., as attorney for Mary Hurtt, two lots at Worton Station.

Tuesday, July 6—by Marion deK. Smith, Esq., attorney and trustee, lot of land in Kennedyville, and a truck farm at the head Still Pond creek; also, a valuable property in Chestertown.

Thursday, July 8—by C. H. Baker, Esq., trustee, a small farm on Chester river, near Chestertown.

Saturday, July 17—by James T. Lamb, collector, a house and lot of land in fifth district.

OBITUARY.—Rev. Arthur W. Milby, presiding elder of Dover district, died at his residence in Harrington, on Sunday last, after a long illness, of paralytic nature. In the death of Mr. Milby the Wilmington Conference loses one of its brightest lights and the world at large the example and teachings of a pure and learned man. The interment took place Tuesday afternoon at Barrett's Chapel. The funeral was very largely attended, among those present being about thirty-five ministers, representing the Wilmington and Philadelphia conferences. Rev. W. E. England, of Seaford, a life-long and intimate friend of the deceased, delivered an eulogistic address, which was followed by a similar mark of respect from the Hon. N. B. Smithers of Dover, representing the laity of the district. Rev. J. E. Bryan, of Wilmington also spoke in praise of Mr. Milby, and read the preamble and resolutions adopted at the Wilmington preachers' meeting on Monday.

James Edmondson Barroll, a well-known resident of Elkton, died last Sunday night, at the Howard House, after an illness of several months of Bright's disease, aged about 42. He was a son of the late James E. Barroll, formerly of Chestertown, and an uncle of Hope H. Barroll, Esq. The deceased was an intelligent and gifted man. He had at different times filled the position of local editor of the Cecil *Democrat* and Cecil *Whig*. He was unmarried. Several sisters survive him.

Nelson Palmer, a young Baltimore broker, while under arrest for forgery, committed suicide in a station house in that city on Saturday.

THE TOLCHESTER COMPANY propose to open their hotel Monday, June 21st., on which occasion they have made arrangements to have two boats from Baltimore, and give a grand celebration for three days and nights, consisting of fireworks and balloon ascensions. This celebration will take place June 21, 22 and 23, and will be something very fine and free to all. Our Kent county people should avail themselves of this opportunity and see this grand display. On Monday the Wilson Post Fife and Drum Corps will be at Tolchester; they number 25 pieces. See advertisement in another column.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, June 15.—Present, Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens.

Letters of administration were granted unto Simon Freeman on the personal estate of Jacob Freeman.

M. deK. Smith, adm. of Ebenezer Tilleson, filed inventory of personal estate.

R. C. Smyth, guardian to Rich'd A. Smyth, filed his final guardian account, and returned guardian accounts to J. L. Smyth, William G. Smyth and Minnie M. Smyth, for years 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884 and 1885.

Chas. H. Baker, admr. of Sarah E. Aldridge, filed a list of debts due said estate.

D. B. STEWART & Co., Baltimore commission merchants, advertise in this issue special arrangements for the coming peach trade. They claim that with their experience in the Baltimore market, and the facilities they will enjoy, to be able to secure most advantageous sales of fruit.

AN INHUMAN CRIME.—Michael C. Casey, a farmer residing near Crumpton, was arrested on Wednesday last, charged with attempting to ravish his daughter Katie, a prepossessing 13-year-old girl, and also upon the charge of beating his wife. Casey was brought before Squire Goldsborough, and through his counsel, Hon. Thos. J. Keating, waived a hearing and in default of bail was committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury at the coming November term of court. Bail in the case of attempted assault was fixed at $1,000—$500 for himself and $500 for the sureties, and in the wife-beating case at $100. Casey's wife swore out a peace warrant, and bail was fixed at $200. It is charged that Casey has made six or seven attempts, covering the period of about one year, but was not successful. The child did not inform the mother of the attempts until a few days ago, and during a quarrel between the husband and herself she informed him of her knowledge of it, when he attacked her and the child, compelling them to run for their lives to a neighbor's. It is not charged that Casey used force upon the child, but that he sought to accomplish his purpose by persuasion, offers of gifts and threats. The feeling in the neighborhood where the parties reside is very strong against the accused, and threats of summary vengeance are made against Casey should he come back there.—*Centreville Observer.*

Personal Notes.

Dr. J. Wesley Cooper, our well known homeopathic physician, who has been in active practice in Chestertown for a year or two past in partnership with his brother, Dr. T. H. Cooper, decided some time ago to leave Chestertown and seek a field to himself, and on Thursday last took his departure for Elkton, where he proposes to locate permanently. His removal will be regretted by his many friends. He had gained a wide popularity and a lucrative practice and none questioned his skill in his particular school of medicine.

In the list of young ladies making special progress in their departments in Western Md. College, honorable mention is made of Miss Sallie V. Pennington, of Chesterville, Kent county. The exercises of the Philomathean Societies were of the most interesting character. Miss Minnie Stevens and Miss Gertie Beeks, of Kent, performed an instrumental duet.

S. T. Wickes, Esq., of Chestertown, stood the ordeal of a two hours' cross-examination on the witness stand in Philadelphia last week at the hands of the noted Benj. F. Butler. The case was a suit for $50,000 damages for injuries received by a man at the Chester Military Academy some years ago; in firing a salute he had both arms blown off. Mr. Wickes was a student at the academy at the time of the occurrence. He states that he received as respectful treatment from the "old cross-eyed statesman" as he could have expected, though his appearance and bearing was everything in ugliness that his pictures have painted him.

Rev. W. R. Graham, of Chestertown, preached the sermon before the literary societies of Western Maryland College last Sunday evening. The college *Gazette* says it was one of the most scholarly and learned discourses the societies have ever had the pleasure of listening to.

Mr. A. N. Brown, the secretary of the Delaware Fruit Exchange, is in Kent again this week looking after the interest of the peach growers.

We are glad to announce that Miss Grace Martin, of Kennedyville, who has been dangerously ill so long, is slowly improving.

Mr. R. G. Nicholson, near Chestertown, attended the Nurserymen's Convention in Washington, D. C., this week.

Rev. Dr. D. W. Bates, of Rock Hall, preached two good sermons in Chestertown last Sunday.

Mr. Enos Jefferson, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ford, near town.

Miss Julia Newnam, of Georgetown, D. C., is visiting the Misses Constable, near Lankford.

Dr. Fred. Malone, of Greensboro', Md., spent several days in Chestertown this week.

Mr. W. W. Hubbard returned home yesterday from his extended tour out West.

Brief Locals.

Mr. Wm. Ford gives notice of a reaper contest in Mr. Wm. S. Walker's field near town next Tuesday.

Mr. H. M. Stuart has laid the foundatipn for a new dwelling on east Queen street, adjoining the house owned by Mr. Chas. S. York. It is to be similar to that of Mr. York.

Whit-Monday was a big day with Tolchester Beach excursions. Both the Louise and Nelly White were brought into service.

Mr. E. T. Comegys has made a substantial improvement to his dwelling on Front (Water) street by the erection of a solid and handsome brick enclosure to his front yard.

The work on Morgan's Creek bridge is being pushed forward with the utmost dispatch by Mr. R. N. Boston, the contractor, but it will take six or eight weeks longer to finish it.

The letter of "Simon Sharp" gives an account of the fire at Mr. Wm. J. Payne's store at Fairlee last Saturday and other items of interest.

The Betterton baseball club played a game last Saturday with the Galena club; score, 19 to 23 in favor of the Betterton boys. TREBOR.

"Ain't it hot?" was the general salutation Thursday, but the thermometer only registered 84° in the shade. If we suffer so at that what will become of us when we reach summer 90's?

Mr. C. W. Kennard has purchased a lot of ground from Mr. S. Vannort, near Washington College, and commenced the erection of a dwelling. The design for the house is by a New York architect and said to be very handsome.

An interesting boat race was sailed Monday between the "Puritan," belonging to Mr. Albert Biscoe, and the "Genesta," belonging to Mr. W. F. Malin. The race was a very close one, the "Genesta" winning by one-half minute.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances the celebration of Children's Day at the Presbyterian Church at Worton Station was postponed until Sunday next, June 20. The State superintendent and others are expected to be present.

Two pigeon shooting matches were held near town last Tuesday. The first was won by John Strattner — his score being 19 to Burk's 17, in 25 shots. The second was won by Frank Duyer—his score being 18 to Jesse Duyer's 8, in 25.

The sale of the farm belonging to Mr. S. H. Crawford, located near Fairlee, was withdrawn on last Tuesday after being offered for sale by R. Hynson, Esq., trustee, and held for private sale. The Rasin farm in Still Pond, advertised to be sold at Kennedyville on Thursday by the same, was not sold.

Dr. Flagg's free minstrel performances on Market Square have been drawing immense crowds every evening this week. Some of the conundrums are first-class and the farces very well rendered and heartily enjoyed by the lookers-on. The doctor combines business with pleasure by proclaiming the merits of certain remedies he has to sell.

Wheat harvest will be delayed by the wet weather of the present week. There may be some wheat cut next Monday but general harvest will not commence before the latter part of next week. The heavy rains have so softened the ground that it will be impossible for reapers to get through many fields unless drying weather intervenes. The wheat is also badly tangled and the scab has made its appearance in places.

We noticed on the wharf of the Chester River Company yesterday morning two pieces of timber of such enormous size and perfect shape that we were led to inquire their purpose. Capt. Palmer stated that they were consigned to T. W. Eliason, Jr., and came from Baltimore the day before. Each piece was about 40 ft. long and 12x14 in. thick, and it required all the Corsica's force over an hour to land them. They are to be used at the paper mill for scales, upon which the strawboard will be weighed in car-loads.

"PARTICEPS" REPLIES.—We have received a lengthy article by "Particeps" on "The Maryland Exchange versus the Delaware Exchange," which we regret our inability to find room for in this issue. He argues against a "foreign monopoly" and the importance of bringing the buyer to the fruit. His views will be given in full next week.

We are also compelled on account of the crowded condition of our columns to omit a great part of the proceedings of the Still Pond agricultural letter.

SUPERSTITION.—Julia Chambers, an industrious colored woman of Chestertown, thinks she has made a narrow escape with her life. A friend of hers died last week and was buried in a dress belonging to Julia through mistake. A superstition among some of that race is that when this is done "as the dress mouldereth away" the owner would mould away with it. Julia firmly believed this and says she was very unhappy when she heard of the dreadful mistake her friends had made, and unless this mistake was rectified she must soon die! She immediately sought the relatives of the buried woman and gained permission to open the grave; with a male friend she visited the cemetery at night, dug up the corpse and removed the dress. And now Julia feels safe!

A CARRIAGE UPSET.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ford came to town last Saturday in a barouche and hitched the horses to a tree in front of Mr. V. Hendrickson's residence. Three children were playing in the carriage when the horses became unhitched and starting off attempted a short turn. Mr. D. P. Cox saw the occurrence and stopped the team by a firm grip of one of the animal's bridle, but the vehicle was overturned and the whole top broken off. The children were gotten out without serious injury.

AN IMPROVEMENT LONG NEEDED. — Our town authorities are now engaged in the grading of the sidewalk on High street from the telegraph office to Mill street. A new pavement is to be laid that distance, and when completed it will be a marked improvement to that section of the town.

LOCUST GROVE—Mr. L. C. Jastis, Sr., has submitted for examination some wheat heads and found very few perfect grains. His opinion is that the wheat yield even on the best land will not exceed twenty bushels per acre. It is estimated that S. J. Hill near this place will have 30,000 baskets of peaches. He has 5,000 trees.

PEACH BOXES AND BASKETS.—Captain R. S. Emory gives notice in another column of his arrangements to supply peach growers with boxes and baskets the coming season. He has contracted with large manufacturers for full supplies of both boxes and baskets and proposes to sell them at factory prices. Capt. Emory does a good thing for the grower in thus establishing his salesrooms convenient and keeping a stock on hand. This has been found a great convenience in past years, and though he has to take considerable risks in so doing, he believes his enterprise has been and will continue to be appreciated by growers. He has gained a good reputation for fair and square dealing in the box business, and by his special attention to baskets will be able to give equal satisfaction in that line.

MARRIED.

On the 19th of May, 1886, at the residence of the bride's parents in Piney Neck, by Rev. N. McQuay, FRANK V. SCOTT and MARGARET A. COLEMAN, both of this county.

At St. James' Parsonage, June 2, by Rev. A. W. Mather, RICHARD TAYLOR and Mrs. KEREN H. COLEMAN, both of this county.

On the 10th instant, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. Rose, Talbot county, Md., by the Rev. Mr. Ware, LOUIS R. HEPBRON, of this county, and Miss ANNIE L. SHIPLEY, of Prince George's county, Md.

In Millington, June 10, at the M. E. Church, by Rev. R. K. Stephenson, C. R. HART and Miss MAGA PRICE.

DIED.

Near Chestertown, June 11, 1886, of consumption, WM. JAMES YATES, aged 43 years and 9 months.

Near Millington, June 15, JOHN EVANS, infant son of Larry and Margaret Reese, aged 3 months.

Death has again invaded our ranks in Millington and taken from us an interesting youth, HOWARD RACER, aged 14 years. From the disease, tubercular meningitis, believed by the physician who attended, to be brought about by the play "Three noses in the vinegar bottle," a rather dangerous game. Every attention was given him and when hope for his recovery was the brightest a relapse followed, which ended his life June 15, 1886.

NOTICE.

The subscriber respectfully requests all persons indebted to him for MEAT to settle their accounts on or before the first day of July, 1886.

July 19—2t. WM. A. BRICE.

FOR SALE.

A Large Lot of COUNTRY HAMS, belonging to the estate of Geo. W. T. Perkins, dec'd, at private sale.

WM. M. SLAY, GEO. T. PERKINS, Administrators.

je19-tf.

NOTICE.

THE WALTER A. WOOD BINDER is going to cut wheat in Mr. Wm. S. Walker's field, near Chestertown, NEXT TUESDAY, at 3 o'cl'ck P. M. All of the Binders are invited to come in, and we wish the farmers to see it. Come! WM. FORD, AGENT.

FOR SALE:

A Seven-eighths Grade Alderney COW, three years old; fresh last fall; sold for want of use. Apply to

je19-tf. DR. W. FRANK HINES.

PEACH TREES! PEACH TREES!

I have several thousand PEACH TREES for SALE, of the best approved varieties, budded on healthy stock. Apply to

LOUIS R. HEPBRON, Still Pond.

je19-3t.

NEW STORE at GALE'S WHARF,

where GOODS can be had at

City Prices for Cash!

FLOUR, FISH, MEAT, SALT,

MACHINE OIL, HARDWARE, &c.

je19-tf. JOHN GALE.

BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT.

THURSDAY EVENING, June 24, at Armory Hall, Chestertown, Md., an Entertainment will be given under the auspices of the ladies of the P. E. Church, for the benefit of the widowed mother of Romie W. Hynson, the young man who was killed by the cars at Worton Station in August of last year. He was her sole support, and the purpose of the Entertainment is a very worthy one. It is therefore hoped that a liberal response will be made by the public. The plays will be "One Too Many For Him," and by request, "Poor Pillicoddy." Tickets 50 cents. Reserved seats can be obtained without extra price. Doors open at 7 o'clock, Entertainment begins at 8. Reserved seats may be secured at C. F. Stam's. je12-2t.

FOR SALE CHEAP:

A New Rosewood, Square, 7⅓ Octave KNABE PIANO, used not over a dozen times, with stool and cover. Apply to

je12-3t. "KENT NEWS."

THE EXTRAS for the WOOD BINDERS and MOWERS are kept at 95 South street, Baltimore, and at my house near Chestertown, and will be put on free of charge by good men from the factory.

je12-3t. WM. FORD, AGENT.

PEACH BASKETS! PEACH BASKETS!

Which I will sell at BOTTOM PRICES in any quantity. Please see me before purchasing.

J. H. IRELAND, Locust Grove, Md.

je12-4t.

MILLING.

PARSONS' MILL, near Smithville, will resume work on Monday, June 7, when we shall be prepared to give satisfaction to all who favor us with their custom.

je5-3t.* PHILIP H. MOORE.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

A LARGE STOCK OF

North Carolina Frame Stuff

on hand and to arrive.

Also, just received a large lot of very fine

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North Carolina Boards.

A cargo of the best grade of

Shaved Cypress Shingles

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Stock Large. Prices Low. Terms Moderate.

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At THOMAS H. HORSEY'S, Galena, Md.

Standard Goods, 11 and 12 cts. per lb.

Will deliver Twine at any station on Kent County Railroad. Mr. GEORGE W. JACOBY is authorized to take orders for me. je12-2t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained, from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JACOB FREEMAN, (col'd,)

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of Dec'ber, 1886, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 15th day of June, 1886.

SIMON FREEMAN, Administrator.

je19-4t.

GRAND OPENING!

TOLCHESTER HOTEL!

MONDAY, June 21.

TWO BOATS FROM BALTIMORE:

NELLY WHITE and LOUISE.

Three Days' Celebration!

FIREWORKS by Wm. Bond, of Baltimore! FIREWORKS and BALLOONS!

Monday—Tuesday—and Wednesday.

Wilson Post Fife and Drum Corps 25 Pieces!

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Mt. Vernon Literary Society,

Will be delivered in the COURT HOUSE

Tuesday Evening, June 29,

at 8½ o'clock, by

REV. J. EDWARD SMITH,

of Wilmington, Delaware.

The public are invited to attend.

ROWLAND WATTS, President Mt. Vernon Literary Society.

June 19—2t.

Washington College!

THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Will be held in the COURT HOUSE,

Wednesday Morning, June 30,

AT TEN O'CLOCK,

Addresses will be delivered by members of the graduating class, and the Baccalaureate Degree conferred.

The public are invited to attend.

je19-2t. WM. J. RIVERS, Principal.

PEACH BOXES

—AND—

PEACH BASKETS!!

HAVING contracted with the Messrs. WILLIAMS, of Salisbury, for a supply of

Peach Box Material

for the coming season, I am now prepared to take your order. Will have a vessel load here about the first of July for delivery. Having supplied you for years, and I believe to your entire satisfaction, think I have a claim on your future patronage. I can also supply you with

SHIPPING BASKETS

And Orchard Baskets and Ladders,

Call at the factory and examine stock.

For prices &c. address

R. S. EMORY, CHESTERTOWN.

je19-2m.

Collector's Sale.

BY virtue of authority conferred on me as Collector by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the heirs of Frederick and Angeline Wallace, of, in and to

A HOUSE

—AND—

5 Acres of Land,

MORE OR LESS,

in the Fifth Election District in Kent County, situate on the public road leading from Fairlee creek landing, adjoining the lands of E. R. Helenbold, Lemuel Pearce and others.

And I hereby give notice that

On SATURDAY, July 17, 1886,

in front of Grange Hall and the Postoffice in Fairlee Village at 3 o'clock p. m., I will sell the said property for cash to pay the taxes due from said heirs as follows:

State and County taxes for 1885..............$2.14

together with all interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JAMES T. LAMB, Coll'r Fifth District.

je19-ts.

Harvest Goods!

Harvest Goods!

—AT—

WM. A. WHEATLEY'S

Below the Bank.

FRESH GOODS in my line!

Tinware, Hardware, Woodenware, &c., &c., &c.,

AT LOWEST PRICES!

Call and get prices, and see if you can't do as well at my store even as in the city.

June 12, 1886.

CO. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

All road engines, wagons and other heavy vehicles are forbidden to cross Morgan's Creek Bridge until further notice.

apr24-tf. T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.

FOUND.—On Hungingfield Shore of Chester river, on the 23d day of May, a POCKET-BOOK, containing gold, silver and memorandums. The owner can get it by proving property and paying charges.

JAMES B. BOYER, Rock Hall P. O., Kent Co., Md.

je5-3t.*

PUBLIC SALE OF

DESIRABLE PROPERTY

In Chestertown.

BY virtue of competent authority, the undersigned as attorney for Miss Josephine E. Redue, will offer at Public Sale at the Voshell House in Chestertown, Maryland,

On TUESDAY, July 6th, 1886,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

All That Lot Land

situate on the Southeast side of Front street, between High and Cannon streets and adjoining the land of the heirs of Hiram Brown, dec'd, and Mr. J. Ringgold, having a frontage on said Front street of 53 feet and 6 inches, and a depth of 135 feet.

The Improvements consist of a

STORY AND A-HALF

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE

in ordinary repair.

This is one of the most desirable properties in Chestertown, having numerous shade trees and a full view of Chester river.

TERMS OF SALE:

The sum of $500 cash on the day of sale; $500 may be left (at the option of the purchaser) as a permanent investment; the balance of purchase money payable twelve months from day of sale, with interest, and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with approved security to be approved by the undersigned.

MARION deK. SMITH, ATTORNEY.

je19-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF A—

SMALL TRUCK FARM.

THE undersigned, by virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court for Kent County, will offer at public sale at the Court House door, in Chestertown,

On TUESDAY, July 6th, 1886,

AT 2½ O'CLOCK P. M.,

All that Tract of Land,

situated at the head of Still Pond Creek, in the Third Election District of Kent County, adjoining the land of J. Lewin Crew and others, and containing

17 ACRES OF LAND,

MORE OR LESS,

it being the same tract of land of which the late Alex. Bostic died possessed of.

The Improvements consist of a Large Two-Story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE

containing eight rooms; Barn, Stable, Meat and Carriage Houses, all in good repair,

About 700 Peach Trees

—AND A—

SMALL PEAR AND APPLE ORCHARD.

The farm lies on Still Pond Creek, which abounds in fish, crabs and wild fowl in season. Mill, Store and Public Landing within a quarter of a mile of the farm. Public School and Churches near.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are: One-third of the purchase money cash on day of sale, or upon the final ratification thereof, at the option of the Trustee; the balance in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from day of sale, with interest from day of sale, and to be secured by bond of purchaser, with security to be approved by Trustee.

MARION deK. SMITH, TRUSTEE.

je12-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF A—

HOUSE and LOT of LAND

IN KENNEDYVILLE.

BY VIRTUE of a power contained in a mortgage from Pere H. Wright and wife to John W. Meguire, dated September 29, 1883, and recorded among the land records of Kent county in Liber S. B., No. 4, folio 585, &c., which said mortgage the said John W. Meguire assigned to Garrett Foxwell, the undersigned as Attorney for said assignee, will offer at public sale on

TUESDAY, the 6th day of July, 1886

At Three o'clock P. M.,

At the Court House door in Chestertown

—ALL THAT—

Lot or Parcel of Land,

situate in the village of Kennedyville, Kent county, and known on the plot of said village as Lot No. 4, on the Cochran road, containing

Forty-nine Perches of Land, more or less

it being the same lot of land which was sold and conveyed to the said Pere H. Wright by the said John W. Meguire by deed dated Sept. 29, 1883, and recorded among the aforesaid Land Records in Liber S. B., No. 4, folio 583, &c.

The Improvements

consist of a Story and a half

Frame Dwelling House,

in ordinary repair, and a STABLE in good repair.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale are: Cash on the day of sale, or on the final ratification thereof, at the option of the Attorney, with bond and security to be approved by the Attorney.

MARION deK. SMITH, Attorney named in Mortgage.

je12-ts.

Straw Wanted!

HAVING leased the CHESTERTOWN STRAWBOARD MILL, I am ready to buy all the STRAW that Farmers may wish to dispose of. Will clean up all the Straw from the stackyards sold me, rejecting only rotten straw, on the basis of 2240 pounds per ton for dry straw; only asking those wishing to sell to take a little extra pains in Stacking and not put the chaff with their Straw.

Can be seen at all times at the Mill.

WILBUR ELIASON, LESSEE.

June 12-y.

CLERK WANTED.

Wanted, an active, industrious YOUNG MAN who has had several years' experience as clerk.

je5-3t. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE LOTS

Near Worton Station.

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from Levi Castle and Louisa Castle to William Vannort, dated June 14, 1870, and duly executed and recorded in Liber J. K. H., No. 8, folio 542, one of the land record books for Kent county, State of Maryland, and regularly assigned to Mary Hurtt, the undersigned will offer at public sale on

SATURDAY,

THE TENTH DAY OF JULY, 1886

At Half-past Two o'clock P. M.,

At the Court House door in Chestertown Kent county aforesaid, the following

Valuable REAL ESTATE

situated in the Third Election District of Kent county, Maryland, directly on the Railroad between Worton Station and Nicholson's, and a short distance from the public road leading from Worton Station to Melitota.

THE PROPERTY consists of

Two Lots.

Lot No. 1—adjoins the lands of Mr. W. J. Vannort and others, and contains

3½ ACRES OF LAND,

more or less. It is all arable, fenced and improved by a SMALL DWELLING.

Lot No. 2—adjoins Lot No. 1, and is nearly divided in half by the Railroad. It contains

17 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less; is fenced and improved by a SMALL BARN. About 4 acres of this tract are in WOOD; the remainder is cleared. The two lots are managed together at present. The texture of the soil is naturally good and under proper cultivation would yield well.

The lots will be offered separately and then together; and will be sold in the manner most advantageous.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms as prescribed by the mortgage are cash, but these terms may be modified if found desirable. Possession given January 1, 1887, with right of entry for seeding crops, &c., if desired.

Any further information may be had by applying to JOHN D. URIE, ESQ., my Attorney, Chestertown, Md.

MARY HURTT, Assignee.

June 12—ts.

Executor's Sale

—OF A—

SMALL FARM

On Chester River, near Chestertown.

UNDER and by virtue of a power contained in the will of WILSON REGISTER, deceased, the undersigned as executor, will offer by public auction at the foot of Chester River Bridge, on Queen Anne's county side, on

THURSDAY, the 8th day of JULY, 1886,

AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

All That FARM

—OF—

30 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, beautifully located on Chester river, in Queen Anne's county, near said Bridge, opposite Chestertown, with buildings sufficient for the place.

This place has a long river front, with fine fishing and ducking shore, and large quantities of asparagus. The soil is a light loam, well adapted to fruit, trucking, &c. There is an old

Peach Orchard of About 400 Trees,

AND A

YOUNG ORCHARD of 800 TREES

OF CHOICE VARIETIES,

a large number of Gooseberry Bushes, Grape Vines, Strawberries, &c. There is a ravine at or near the river shore, which could be made at a small cost a Valuable Fish Pond. A prettier or more desirable location for a residence is rarely found anywhere.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-third cash on the day of sale, or on the final ratification thereof, at the option of the Executor, and the balance in one and two years from the day of sale. All money unpaid on the day of sale to be secured by bond or note of purchaser, with security to be approved by the Executor, and to bear interest from the day of sale.

CHAS. H. BAKER, Executor.

U. A. C. GARRETT, Auc'r. je12-ts.

1886! 1886!

Established 1868!

GOODS FOR HARVEST

—AT—

Special Low Prices!!

We have laid in a good supply of

Sugars, Coffee, Rice, N. O. Molasses,

SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

Sugar-Cured Shoulders, Breakfast Bacon, Shoulder Bacon, Sugar-Cured Smoked Beef, Chipped Beef, Cooked Canned Beef, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Corn, Canned Peaches, Dried Fruits, Tobacco from 30 to 80 cents a pound, Tinware, Plates, Cups and Saucers, Bowls, and in fact everything usually kept in a first-class store.

Flour! Flour!

We have Clifton F. F. F., Kirkwood, Occidental, Patapsco Superlative, Patapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Grove Extra, $4 to $6 a barrel. All the above brands also in bags, 12½ and 24½ pounds. Try our 3-cent Flour.

Sugars 5 to 7 cts. a lb., Good Roasted Coffee 12cts. a lb., also, Arbuckle's, Levering's, Enterprise and Ajax Roasted Coffee in pound packages at lowest prices. Rice, cheaper than you ever bought. Headlight Coal Oil 15 cts. a gallon. Mackerel by the barrel, half-barrel and in kits. Domestic Dry Goods and Notions.

We want Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Bacon, Lard and country produce, for which we will give the best market price. Please call at the old stand on Cross street. Respect'y,

J. B. SAPPINGTON, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

je12.

FREIGHTING.

The subscriber has chartered a GOOD VESSEL of 3,000 bushels capacity and will freight grain and all other commodities from Worton creek at reasonable rates. The Granary at Gale's wharf, with a capacity of 5,000 bushels, will be finished before Harvest and ready for the storage of grain. No charge will be made to farmers for grain stored for speedy delivery.

JOHN GALE, Gale's Wharf, Worton Creek.

m29-tf.

ATTORNEY'S SALE

—OF A—

Steam Engine & Thresher

THE undersigned as attorney for Thos. J. H. Saunders, and with the consent of the Mortgagee, will sell at the Market House in Chestertown,

On SATURDAY, June 26th, 1886,

AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M.,

1 Watertown

STEAM ENGINE

OF EIGHT HORSE-POWER, in good repair and ready for immediate service.

ALSO, ONE

Buffalo Pitts Thresher,

32 inch cylinder, in fair repair.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half cash and balance in one year on note with interest and approved security.

JAMES A. PEARCE, ATTORNEY.

je12-ts.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

—OF A—

Sweepstake Thresher!

In Chestertown, Kent co., Md.

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from George M. Boone to C. Aultman & Co., dated June 26, 1884, and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 1, Folio 461, &c., one of the chattel record books of Kent county, Md., and duly assigned to Hope H. Barroll, the undersigned will offer at public sale

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 29th, 1886,

At Two o'clock in the afternoon,

At the Court House door in Chestertown,

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY:

One Sweepstake Thresher,

and all the fixtures belonging to the same. This is a good machine and in good repair.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale are cash or note with good security approved by undersigned.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Assignee of Mortgagee.

j5-ts.

Sheriff's Sale

Of One Undivided One-Seventh Interest

—IN A—

FINE FARM

Near Edesville, Md.

BY virtue fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent County, in the State of Maryland, against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of Thomas W. Ringgold to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Thomas W. Ringgold, in and to the following real estate to satisfy fieri facias debt, interest and cost to wit: All that

PART OF A TRACT,

—OR—

PARCEL of LAND,

situated on Lankford Bay in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, Maryland, known by the name of

"Bungy" or "Oakland,"

now in the tenancy of Jas. C. Ringgold, adjoining the lands of Thos. W. Wickes, lying on the south side of the road leading from Edesville to Piney Neck.

And I hereby give notice that on

TUESDAY, the 29th day of June, 1886,

at Eleven o'clock in the morning, at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will offer for sale the said property, so seized and taken in execution, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

JAS. P. HATCHERSON, SHERIFF.

je5-ts.

LUTHERVILLE SEMINARY,

(NEAR BALTIMORE,)

FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

THIS old Institution is enjoying a marked degree of prosperity. Eighty boarding pupils enrolled the past session. The Eastern Shore is well represented. Among its patrons may be named Hon. Jesse K. Hines, Hon. Wm. H. Legg, Messrs. Daniel Hopper, T. Romie Strong, Rob't S. Emory, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins and Mrs. N. R. Rouse. Full graduating course, Art and Music. $210 per year in regular course. Send for catalogue to the Principal,

REV. J. H. TURNER, LUTHERVILLE, MD.

je12-3m.

DELAWARE COLLEGE.

Rev. J. H. CALDWELL, A. M., D. D., President.

Will open with enlarged facilities, Sept. 1, 1886. Three courses; Classical, Scientific and Agricultural. Expenses not over $215 per annum. For information, catalogues, etc., address the

je12-3m. PRESIDENT, Newark, Del.

Eastern Shore of Maryland FARMS For Sale $10 to $25 pr acre

Adapted to grain, Grass, Small Fruits, and Peaches. Send for Catalogue.

L. MALONE & CO., SALISBURY, MD.

je19-3t.

MRS. NANCY ROBERTS,

Formerly of Sharp Street, has removed to the large and commodious

BOARDING HOUSE,

No. 88 Hanover Street, Baltimore, Md.,

where she will be pleased to accommodate her friends and the traveling public. je5-4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration c. t. a. on the personal estate in Kent co., Maryland, of

EBENEZER TILLESON,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of December, 1886, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 8th day of June, 1886.

MARION DEK. SMITH, Adm'r c. t. a.

June 12—4t.