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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....Oct. 23, 1886.

For Congress:

HON. CHARLES H. GIBSON,

OF TALBOT COUNTY.

NEXT TUESDAY

At the Court House in Chestertown a Democratic Mass Meeting will be held. HON. CHAS. H. GIBSON, our candidate for Congress, and other speakers will be present. DEMOCRATS! COME OUT AND ATTEST YOUR INTEREST IN A GOOD CAUSE.

General News Notes.

The Republicans have concluded not to nominate a candidate for Congress against Hon. Samuel J. Randall.

President Cleveland and party visited the State fair at Richmond, Va., Thursday, and were enthusiastically welcomed by an immense crowd.

The Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Cecil county ises $40,000 by the Salisbury fire, and the contemplated dividend to stockholders will not be id.

There are up to date five candidates for Conss in the fourth Maryland district, including nuel Q. Sanks, colored, a well-known and inigent man. Politics promise to be lively in t much-nominating district.

Miss Anita Carroll, the daughter of John Lee rroll, was married last week in Paris, to Baron ouis de le Grange. The engagement of the overnor's other daughter, Miss Louisa, to Comte de Kergolay, is announced.

The ordinance for the city's endorsement of $500,000 bonds of the Eastern Shore Railroad was submitted in the first branch of the Baltimore city council on Monday and referred to the committee on ways and means. It has passed both branches, but remains to be signed by the mayor and voted upon by the people.

The morocco strike at Wilmington, Del., has been officially declared off by authority of the executive board of district 94, Knights of Labor. The strike is ended unconditionally, but there is an informal understanding between the strikers and manufacturers that the latter will take them back into their employ as they are needed, and will not discriminate against them. The strikers went out March 31.

The list of candidates associated with Mr. Hewitt on the Tammany-County Democracy municipal ticket are of a character to bring out the full party vote. Mr. Hewitt having definitely accepted the nomination for mayor, there is a pretty general concurrence of opinion among those who have in the past constituted the majority in New York contests that he will be elected, and will carry the rest of the ticket. In view of the struggle of 1888 such a result may be of critical importance.

Later reports from the Sabine Pass disaster in Texas last week, caused by the overflow of the Gulf, places the death list in excess of 250 souls. An examination of the country back of the Sabine and immediately in the vicinity of Beaumont shows that the salt water came back from the coast fully forty miles through the swamps, and hundreds of thousands of acres are still submerged by water that was forced back and has no outlet. Carcasses of thousands of drowned cattle, hogs, horses and fowl are strewn everywhere, and clouds of sea gulls and buzzards hover over the desolated country for an area of thirty square miles.

In the Protestant Episcopal Convention in Chicago last Saturday the resolution to expunge the words "Protestant Episcopal" from the prayer book and laws of the church was defeated. The names of the clerical delegates were called first, and were quite evenly divided on the proposition, but the sentiment of the lay delegates was more generally opposed to it. The Southern delegates generally voted in favor of the resolution, and the Eastern dioceses against it, but nearly every diocese was divided on the question. The vote was: Yeas, 112; nays, 185. The comparatively strong vote in favor of the proposition was a surprise to the convention.

THE GOVERNOR'S WEDDING.

Marriage of Hon. Henry Lloyd at Cambridge—The Guests and Presents.

Special Dispatch to the Balto. Sun.

The marriage of Hon. Henry Lloyd, Governor of Maryland, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Staplefort, of Cambridge, took place at Christ P. E. Church, Cambridge, at 6.30 A. M. on Monday. Owing to the Governor's late bereavement in the death of his mother, the wedding was made as simple and unostentatious as the occasion would permit, there being no invitations and no bridesmaids or groomsmen. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. T. P. Barber, D. D., rector of Christ P. E. Church, who returned from the P. E. Convention at Chicago on Saturday morning for the purpose. Notwithstanding the early morning hour the event attracted a large assemblage, and long before the sun had peeped above the horizon the town was astir and the streets lined with pedestrians eager to witness the ceremony.

The handsome new church, within whose walls the Governor's marriage is the first ever solemnized, was brightly illuminated, and the chancel rail was twined with ivy and ferns and decorated with white roses, dahlias and petunias. Shortly before half-past six o'clock the groom, accompanied by his brother and best man, Upshur Lloyd, of Baltimore, arrived at the church and entered the vestry-room from Church street, where he awaited the coming of the bride. Promptly at half-past six the organ, presided over by Mrs. S. I. Buck, pealed forth Mendelssohn's wedding march, and the bride and attendants entered. After the English custom, the groom met the bride at the chancel steps and escorted her to the altar, the attendants standing in order on either side. The ceremony, which was deeply impressive, was rendered more so by soft music from the organ.

The bride, who is twenty years of age, is a pronounced blonde, and is also an acknowledged beauty. She was becomingly attired in a traveling dress of plum-colored camel's hair, with diagonal front of striped plush and short basque with striped plush vest. She wore a plum-colored felt hat, trimmed with plush and gray wings, and tan-colored gloves. The groom wore a dark gray traveling suit, without gloves, and black cravat. After the ceremony the bridal couple received congratulations from Dr. Barber, and immediately left the church and took a carriage for the railroad depot, leaving at 7.15. They will visit Philadelphia, New York and other points on their trip. It is thought that Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd will return to Cambridge in about a week or ten days, and that Gov. Lloyd will remove with his bride to Annapolis about the first of January. Among those present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Stirling, Jr., and the Misses Stirling, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lecompte, Miss Adkins, of Easton; Miss Dorsey and Miss Beulah Pattison, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore S. Pattison, of Talbot; Judge and Mrs. C. F. Goldsborough, of Cambridge, and Mrs. L. W. Trail, of Talbot, and many other friends and relatives.

Gov. Lloyd has been overwhelmed with congratulations from all parts of the State. The wedding presents are also numerous and costly, and some of them striking in beauty and novel in design. The groom's present to the bride is a handsome chased gold watch, with gold chatelain and gold vinaigrette, set with a large diamond.

FATAL BURNING ON KENT ISLAND.—A horrible accident occurred on Kent Island on Monday from pouring coal oil on a fire. Mrs. John Hampton, residing near Phillips' stores, in order to revive a fire, poured oil from a jug on the burning embers. The oil ignited, exploding the jug and scattering the burning fluid over her person. Her clothes were consumed and her body terribly burned. She suffered agony for four hours, at the expiration of which she died.

THE tenant house on the farm of Mrs. Dr. Julian Ward, situated in the first district of Cecil county, was consumed by fire about 3 o'clock on Thursday morning of last week. Jos. Tucker, the occupant, with his wife and several children, escaped in their night clothes. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp. Mr. Tucker lost all his furniture.

PAUL REED, colored, convicted in the Cecil county court of the murder of Wm. Green, alias "Billy the Joker," has been sentenced to be hung upon a day to be named by the Governor. A petition to the Governor to commute his sentence has been in circulation for some weeks and received numerous signers.

Capt. John R. Emory, son of the late Col. John R. Emory, has been appointed county surveyor of Queen Anne's county to succeed L. L. Beatty, recently appointed school examiner.

THE bell buzzard is reported to have been seen again on the 13th inst. on the farm of Chas. B. Tilghman in Wye Neck, Queen Anne's county.

THE proposition to light Centreville with electricity is being agitated. The *Observer* contends that it is cheaper than oil.

THE charges at the "Maltby House," Baltimore, are surprisingly low for the accommodations furnished. It is located in the business centre and especially adapted to merchants and planters.

A Lesson of the Salisbury Fire.

"The engine was found to be in such bad condition that it would not work, and no water could be forced through the hose. Had this misfortune not occurred the fire could probably have been subdued and the terrible calamity averted."—*Salisbury Corr. of Baltimore Sun.*

A wise man learns from experience. Communities may do the same. The destructive fire in Salisbury is a warning to other towns to guard as far as possible against the mistakes that contributed to the calamity to that town.

The first of Salisbury's mistakes was to build structures exclusively of frame—without a break or fire-wall to prevent the spread of the devouring element when once started.

The second was in not having fire apparatus in order and a fire company organized and equipped for the emergency.

Chestertown is much better off than Salisbury was relative to the character of her buildings; indeed we have an advantage over most towns in the width of our streets, but in some sections of the town there are too many frame buildings without a single brick wall to break the force and spread of fire. A greater defect is in the utter lack of a fire company. Admirable progress has been made of late years in material town improvements, not the least of which is our water supply. Hose and fire apparatus have also been procured and is *safely housed*, but whether this apparatus is *in order for service* or not we venture to say that no town official or citizen can say. It has not been tested or examined possibly for six months! A fearful blaze at any hour may find the hose out of order or the plugs sealed with rust. One of the engines we are told actually lies stowed away in a wrecked condition—so wrecked at the last fire!

We have no disposition to censure our town officials for neglect in this matter. They have done more within the last few years than was accomplished in the century previous. But the censure should rest upon the citizens generally for this lack of interest in matters of public concern. The mass of our people go on in the "even tenor of their way"—some seeking only to add dollar to dollar in the thirst for wealth, others caring only for the ease of the present, while many discourage all enterprises for fear it might cost them a penny or two. Only a few are found interesting themselves in and pushing forward works of a public character. Such leading spirits are to be found in most communities. They are in Chestertown, and but for their presence our town would be a pitiable place indeed. But the trouble is that they have not the numerical force or the financial strength to do everything needful.

A well-organized and thoroughly equipped fire company is a necessity in Chestertown, the absence of which will only be fully realized when fire devastates and ruins a goodly portion of our town. Military companies are laudable organizations but not half so important as fire companies, and it is to be hoped that our people will profit by the sad experience of our sister town and provide for emergencies. Organize immediately — test the appliances we have for fighting fires and procure more if necessary. At all events see to it that we are not entirely helpless in case of fire. *It may be we are in just that condition*, notwithstanding the advantages we have that might be rendered available by a little attention.

Since writing the above the fire apparatus in the engine house has been *dusted off*, and Officer Simpson says the hose is in order. But how about the plugs? Have they been examined for a year? And the company to man the apparatus? Must we continue to rely upon the unorganized and excited mass to take charge of affairs in case of fire?

SALISBURY'S NEED.

Some of our citizens nobly responded to the appeal from Charleston. Her sufferers were many and her need was great, but her peculiar distress touched humanity everywhere. Her large commercial interests appealed to the self-interest as well as the humanitarian impulses of numerous and wealthy commercial centres.

Salisbury's loss is proportionately far greater than Charleston's, and the effect of her calamity will reach proportionately much narrower limits. Her distress therefore appeals with special force to *neighboring* communities. Every section of the peninsula should respond—not in a niggardly way, and simply from a sense of duty, but, recognizing a neighbor's want, we should spring with cheerfulness to his relief. Let us picture ourselves in a like condition and extend exactly the hand we would have extended to us.

We are glad to state that our town commissioners have moved in the matter and a subscription paper is now in circulation here and meeting with a liberal response.

PERSONAL NOTES.—Philemon B. Hopper, Esq., State's Attorney for Queen Anne's county, and Urie Townsend, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, were in attendance at court on Wednesday.

Hon. John M. Robinson drove over to Chestertown on Tuesday from his Queen Anne's county farm, arriving shortly after court had convened. Judge Stump came down from Elkton on Wednesday, thus giving us a full bench.

Dennis J. McCauley, Esq., a prominent citizen of the first district of this county, suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last Sunday. He was in town with his son, Barney, a day or two previous and complained of numbness in his right side. On Saturday the difficulty continued and about nine o'clock Sunday morning a paralytic stroke prostrated him. Dr. Latimer was called in and found the whole right side affected; he had no use of his right arm and leg. At this writing he is much better and with assistance can move about.

Mr. H. M. Stuart, our well-known contractor and builder, had a severe attack of illness last Tuesday and has been confined to his house since. He is rapidly improving and will be all right again shortly.

Miss Emma Hyland, daughter of Judge Hyland, of Galena, last Sunday evening ate a castor-oil bean in mistake for a candy drop, and was deathly sick the balance of the night in consequence. She has since recovered, but will not be apt to make another like mistake soon.

Deputy-Sheriff John Carroll, of Baltimore, with Detective John Dowling, of the Tolchester Company, and Mr. John Shrouds, of Baltimore, were in attendance upon the grand jury yesterday in the case of the Tolchester bath-room thieves. The thieves, it will be remembered, skipped from our county jail soon after being lodged therein and have not since been heard from.

Messrs. Wm. and Joseph Rasin, two sons of Jos. Rasin, Esq., Lankford, are attending Sadler's Business College, Baltimore.

Mr. Jas. C. Ray, of Baltimore, and two representatives of the firm of R. J. Baker & Co., were in attendance upon the court this week.

Mr. Wm. Gould and wife, of Queen Anne's, spent several days in Chestertown this week.

Mrs. Avis Vannort returned home last Tuesday after an absence of several months. She has been visiting her children in Washington and Baltimore since returning from her northern tour.

Mr. Isaac Parsons is out again after his long illness. He was in town a day or two since.

Mr. John Loller has rented the Dodd farm for next year.

ABOUT $100 more are needed to defray the cost of the town clock. Those who have not subscribed—and there are many in Chestertown—should do so at once.

A GREAT BOOM IN IRON.—Investigation into the state of the iron trade of this country shows that there has been an increased production of 821,565 tons during the first nine months of 1886; that the demand has been and is so great that orders cannot now be filled for some grades of iron; that in the last sixty days an advance in pig iron has taken place of 50 cents to $1 per ton in the East, $1 in the West, and from $1 to $1 50 in the South. Bar iron has advanced at the rate of $2.25 per ton, plate iron at the rate of $5 40 per ton, and muck bars are $5 higher than the lowest price this year. The heaviest business of the year is being done at the present time.—*Phila. Press.*

If you want to see a fine selection of Carpets call to see Crane Bros., 37 W. Baltimore street near Gay, for goods are very cheap and pretty this fall. See advertisement.

An Important Case.

In the report of court proceedings in another column will be found noted the case of R. J. Baker & Co. against Dr. S. Beck. This was a case in which many of our farmers were interested. They bought fertilizer from the firm of Connelly & DeFord and settled for the same by giving credit on former indebtedness to the amount thereof—this firm having become financially embarrassed and borrowed money and otherwise obtained credit from a number of persons. When the fertilizer season closed it came out that Connelly & DeFord were not really the owners of the fertilizer they had sold, but were doing business as agents, under a *private* contract with R. J. Baker & Co. The latter notified parties who had purchased the goods as above stated that payment must be made to them. The purchasers, without an exception, refused to recognize Baker & Co.'s claim and hence the proceeding in the above case. The decision of the court is certainly a just one. Both law and common sense would seem to be consulted in such a decision, otherwise any man or set of men might set up business in a community under a secret compact with other parties and indulge in wholesale fraud. Messrs. Baker & Co. of course intended no wrong, but they stepped outside of lawful protection in extending credit in that manner to the firm with which they were doing business, and hence the loss they sustained. It is both their fault and their misfortune. The innocent purchasers of the goods were within the law and ordinary practice, and consequently have the sanction of the judicial tribunal as well as universal public sentiment.

Sample Whiskey Cases.

As usual much of the attention of the grand jury and court at the present term has been taken up with the consideration of whiskey cases—violations of the local option law. The most important at the present term was that of a white man named Farmer. His trial was before a jury. Three witnesses (colored) testified that they each gave Farmer money and a bottle and he returned them the whiskey. His counsel argued against his conviction for selling upon the ground that he was but the agent for another. The jury convicted him upon one count and cleared him upon the other, and the court sentenced him to pay a fine of $300 and costs and be confined in the House of Correction for three months or until the fine and costs are paid. This result will be a severe blow to the "underground" or "stable" whiskey business in Chestertown.

Henry Hynson, a young colored man, was arraigned on the same charge. He had no counsel, but said he wanted to be tried before a jury. Ed. James, colored, was the only witness, and he testified apparently with great reluctance. Said he gave Hynson the money and a bottle as he passed the market-house and he returned shortly after with the whiskey. Hynson took the stand as a witness in his own behalf. He said James asked him if he couldn't get some whiskey; it was early in the morning; he was dry as well as James; got the whiskey—a half pint—and he and James drank it; got the whiskey from a colored man named Sam Robinson, who lives at Mary Smith's. Hynson said in reply to questions from the court: He met Robinson in Church Alley, who accosted him, "Hello, Pete!" Hynson replied "Hello, Sam!" Robinson then said, "If you see anybody that wants anything to drink tell them I can supply them, and it's all right." Hynson then gave him a quarter and an empty bottle, and Robinson delivered him a full bottle. Robinson had six or seven bottles in his pockets! He left town last week, said the witness, to remain away until after court. The jury gave a verdict of not guilty, without leaving the box. The court cautioned Hynson that he must not conclude from the verdict that his "go between" practice is endorsed.

DEATH OF A HOTEL KEEPER.—Mr. John H. Thomas, proprietor of the Millington Hotel, died on Tuesday last, after a short illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Thomas was recognized by the traveling public as one of the best hotel keepers on the peninsula and his table was praised by all who stopped at his house. He was one of the best known men in the upper section of the county, having filled the positions of constable and tax-collector before taking charge of the hotel. His death will be mourned by a large circle of friends. He leaves a widow and two children. His remains were interred on Thursday in the cemetery at Millington.

SALE OF TOWN PROPERTY.—WM. M. Slay, Esq., sold at public sale last Tuesday the two dwellings on High street, belonging to Capt. J. C. Slaughter, for $2,827. Purchased by the Chester Loan Association. The sale did not realize enough by nearly two hundred dollars to pay the claim of the association.

Brief Locals.

In remitting for advertising in the NEWS Prof. Aug. J. Smith, president of the Maryland Agricultural College, says: "The college is in a highly prosperous condition this year, the attendance being more than twice that of last."

Mr. Wilbur Eliason, the lessee of the Strawboard Mill, has had placed in the mill a third boiler, in order to supply full steam power for running the extensive machinery. It is expected that the mill with its improved machinery will manufacture ten tons of board per day.

There was no service at Wesley Chapel last Sunday in consequence of the repairs in progress to the building. Services will be held tomorrow (Sunday) morning as usual. Reopening services will be held Nov. 14.

The Kent Guards were out in fatigue uniform Wednesday evening and drilled up and down High street with their drum corps. The company now numbers sixty men. They propose having a shooting match some day next month.

The Kennedy mill property situated on the public school road leading from Sassafras to Warwick was sold at sheriff's sale last Monday to the J. Morton Poole Company, Wilmington, Delaware.

The pair of twin oxen which John P. Collins had on exhibition at the State Fair was sold last week to a gentleman residing below Chestertown for $155. He saw them at the fair and determined to become their owner.

The following officers of the Young Men's Christian Association of Chestertown have been elected for the present term: M. A. Toulson, president; Wm. T. Sutton, vice-president; Edw. Lambert, secretary; E. F. Catlin, corresponding secretary; M. Wilbur Thomas, treasurer.

An Appeal

TO THE MINISTERS, LAYMEN AND FRIENDS OF THE CAUSE OF CHRIST.

Dear Brethren:—Last year we built a neat little chapel at Galt's Station, on the Queen Anne's & Kent railroad, at a cost of $1200, on which there remains a debt of $600. We are very much in need of help; in fact, we must have help or suffer loss. If we can secure $300 by the first of December we can then provide for the balance—we have up to this date secured $200 and lack $100 yet. Will the friends please help us just a little. Any contribution can be sent to my address and will be thankfully received and receipted. Very truly yours,

C. K. MORRIS, Sassafras, Md.

Sales to Take Place.

Thursday, November 4—R. Hynson and John D. Urie, Esqs., will sell valuable farm, situated in second election district.

Tuesday, Nov. 16—Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., attorney, will sell the fine farm belonging to Mrs. Maria Sutton, situated near Kennedyville.

Monday, Nov. 8—personal property of the late Mrs. Mary A. Sutton.

Saturday, Nov. 6—personal property of Robt. J. Benton, near Chesterville.

Thursday, Nov. 4—personal property of the late David Jones, on East Neck Island.

Wednesday, Nov. 3—personal property of the late James Kendall, at Fairlee.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, Oct. 19.—Present, Judges Hyland and Stevens.

The inventory of personal property of the late David Jones was returned by the executrix, Mrs. Laura J. Stevens, and an order of sale granted by the court.

J. Frank Wilson, executor of Joseph H. Clinton, returned his second and final administration account.

Mary A. Staats, trustee for Sarah Caulk, filed her trust account for the years 1884 and 1885.

Siedman T. Wickes, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a of Benjamin Chambers, returned account of sales of personal estate of deceased.

Geo. W. Roeder, executor of Wm. F. Roeder, returned account of sales of property of deceased.

Letters of administration upon personal estate of Benjamin Chambers Jones were granted unto Chas. T. Westcott.

Matrimonial.

EVANS—HINES.

MISS BESSIE HINES, daughter of Mr. John W. Hines, of this town, and Mr. WILLIAM J. EVANS, of Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, were united in marriage last Wednesday. The ceremony took place at 1 o'clock P. M. at the home of the bride on High street, and was performed by Rev. S. C. Roberts.

The bride was given away by her father. She wore a brown cloth traveling dress and hat to match. The groom was in full dress suit. The bridal couple was preceded by Miss Lucy Hines, a little sister of the bride, and Marion deK. Smith, Jr., a cousin of the bride. After the ceremony lunch was served, and the bridal party accompanied by a number of friends left for Price's Station, on the Queen Anne's Railroad, where the happy couple took the 4.05 train for a trip to Niagara and other northern points. The presents were numerous and handsome. The following guests, relatives and friends of the bride and groom were present: State Senator W. D. Burchinal and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burchinal, Mr. and Mrs. Marion deK. Smith, Mrs. A. B. Smith, grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. W. F. Hines, Mrs. E. T. Comegys, Miss Millie Comegys, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Dodd, Miss Nannie Hines, Dr. Thos. H. Cooper, J. H. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Catlin, Mrs. S. R. Hurlock, Mrs. Jas. Reed, Mrs. Cochran, the groom's mother; Mrs. W. R. Graham, Mrs. C. D. White, Rev. Dr. Duhamel, Mrs. Thos. J. Smith, Wm. H. McFeely, Miss Mary Burchinal, Josiah Massey, Mrs. Wm. Malin, Misses Florence Burgess, Morgan Beasten and Mary Thomas; Messrs. Horace Beck, P. B. Hollis, W. M. Gilpin, Walter Goodhand and Dr. C. P. Gilpin; Dr. N. Comegys and daughter, Miss Rose Comegys, Miss Mary Sudler and Wm. Evans, of Sudlersville; Dr. S. P. Roberts, Dr. Finley and wife, and Dr. W. H. G. Weedon, of Church Hill; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Evans, of Rolph's Wharf; Messrs. T. S. and C. G. Roberts, of Centreville.

MARRIED.

On Wednesday, the 20th instant, by Rev. S. C. Roberts, WILLIAM J. EVANS, of Church Hill, and MISS MARY E. F. HINES, daughter of John W. Hines, Esq., of Chestertown.

In Philadelphia, October 19th, 1886, by Rev. J. W. Langley, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, WILLIAM E. BECK and MRS. H. A. A. BECK, both of this county.

In Philadelphia, Sept. 22, 1886, by Rev. B. F. Townsend, rector St. John's Prot. Episcopal Church, WILLIAM BARTON, of Newark, N. J., and MISS ELLA, eldest daughter of James S. Bland, late of Centreville, Md.

DIED.

In Millington, on the morning of the 19th instant, after a week's illness of typhoid-pneumonia, JOHN H. THOMAS, in the 48th year of his age.

At Hampden, Md., October 15, 1886, after a short illness of typhoid fever, MINNIE, beloved wife of Alfred W. Cooper, and daughter of the late John Hudson, of this county.

In Chestertown, October 15, 1886, suddenly, JOSHUA DAVIS, in the 54th year of his age.

At the residence of Wm. Keating in Eastern Neck, JOHN M. TAYLOR, in the 27th year of his age.

Dearest Johnnie thou hast left us:
And thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal.
Dead; and my heart died with him.
Buried; what love lies there.
Gone forever and ever
No longer my love to share.
Gone, but not forgotten.

BY HIS TRUEST FRIEND, A. D. G.

Near Rock Hall, October 8, 1886, MARY A. DAVIS, wife of W. H. Davis, in the 57th year of her age.

She was converted in early life and joined the M. P. Church, retaining her membership all the days following. Owing to affliction she was to some extent denied the means of grace, yet she loved the church, and when the fatal malady overtook her and gave her evidence that her mission on earth must soon close, her trust in Christ was firm. She enjoyed religion and loved her bible. Of a quiet and gentle disposition she was loved and respected by her many friends and neighbors. In her long illness she suffered much, yet rested with christian resignation in the will of God; thus she has passed away in holy triumph, leaving to her husband, two sons and five daughters, the blessed legacy of the christian hope. May we all meet her in the land of the blest. J. W. B.

Lines on the Death of Mrs. Hester A. Long.

The deceased was a woman of rare domestic virtues. She was all that could be embraced in that loving word, MOTHER. She has left a vacuum which will be painfully felt. But we must not sorrow as those who have no hope. She is not dead but sleepeth, for as certainly as she has borne the image of the earthly, she shall also bear the image of the heavenly. She joined the Methodist Episcopal Church when but a girl and though her life was full of sunshine and shadow, she never gave up her trust in the Saviour. She suffered most intensely but she bore it with Christian fortitude, never murmured nor complained, but would call her dear children and grandchildren around her and speak loving words of comfort, telling them to meet her in heaven, that their loss would be her eternal gain. What a comfort to her bereaved children and friends. Her memory survives and will be fondly cherished. She would repeat, "I am ready, only waiting; I have many dear ones to leave behind me and many dear ones to meet above." The dear grandchildren will sorely miss the gentle voice which will never cheer them with her presence again.

We saw her sufferings heard her sighs,
With throbbing hearts and weeping eyes,
But now she calmly sleeps at last,
All pain, all grief, all sufferings past.
Lonely the days and sad the hours
Since our dear Mother has gone,
But a brighter home than ours
In heaven is now her own.
Among the blest in realms above,
Where sorrow is unknown,
Oh! may we meet our grandma dear
No more to weep alone.

ANNIE M. HUDSON.

DIVINE SERVICE at Christ Church, I. U., Sunday next, (tomorrow) at 3 P. M.
1t. REV. J. MARTIN.

THE BALTIMORE LAUNDRY

Now open and ready for work at the Voshell House. Work done in first-class style with Pearl and Gloss Finish. Family Washing a Specialty. LOTTIE BRINK,
oc16-3t.* Chestertown.

HOMES WANTED.

A WHITE WOMAN, with child two years old, desires a place to do general housework. She is now in the Kent County Almshouse. Also one WHITE BOY, four years old, hearty and strong. For further information, apply at the almshouse. oc16-3t.

DRESSMAKING.

MISS VIRDIE LOUD, near Goose Hill, is prepared to do Dressmaking or any work in that line by the week. Will go to any part of the county. Postoffice address—Lynch's Station.
oc9-4t*

MONEY TO LOAN.

Large or small sums, on good farms in this county, for five years or shorter periods. Interest 6 per cent. THOMAS HILL,
Fayette and St. Paul streets,
jy23-3m. BALTIMORE, MD.

$50 REWARD!

I will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who maliciously set fire to and destroyed my Stackyard on the Hanes farm (tenanted by John J. Roeder) on the night of Oct. 1, 1886.
Oct. 9, 1886. S. VANNORT.

WANTED.—

A MAN to superintend a Lime Kiln for 1887. Must be well recommended; to such good wages will be given. Also, House and garden furnished.
oc9-3t. R. S. EMORY.

FOR RENT.—

250 ACRE FARM immediately at Cannon Station, Delaware, (near Bridgeville). Large Peach and Apple Orchards and Berry patches; Large 13-room brick house and extensive hotbeds. Early truck and fruit pay handsomely. This section produces the highest colored fruit of any on the Delaware railroad.
Address J. P. R. POLK,
oc9-3t. Wilmington, Del.

FOR RENT FOR 1887—

Possession given January 1st, 1887. The DWELLING AND STORE in Cecilton, Md., now in care of Wm. P. Colvin. It is a good stand; the House is a brick, two stories high, kitchen, meat-house, granary, stable and carriage house and a garden and lot of two or three acres, pump, &c. It is a corner house, a good stand for business, a fine store-room, and will be rented for one or more years as desired. Apply to Mr. Colvin or to
ALFRED C. NOWLAND,
oc9-4t. New Castle, Del.

MISS BETTIE C. DAVIS

Is desirous of obtaining some MUSIC PUPILS. Apply at Mrs. E. N. Melvin's Boarding House.
oc2-3t.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me MUST SETTLE THEIR ACCOUNTS on or before Oct. 1st, 1886.
COLIN F. STAM,
Sept. 11-tf. DRUGGIST.

FOR SALE:

THREE YOUNG MARES, all sound, and will be fully warranted. Terms to suit purchaser. JOHN E. THOMPSON,
oc23-3t.* Still Pond, Kent County, Md.

At Private Sale:

A HANDSOME, PRIVATE RESIDENCE in Chestertown, one of the most desirable and elegant homes in the county. Terms easy. Apply to
oc23-tf. HOPE H. BARROLL, ATT'Y.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

The Tax-Payers of the THIRD DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1886.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and at Worton Heights every Saturday, until further notice. M. M. RASIN,
oc23-tf. Collector Third District.

Caution to Gunners.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon my premises with dog, gun, or otherwise, after this date, under penalty of the law.
Oct. 23-3t. STEPHEN BOYER.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun, or otherwise upon the farm known as GREEN POINT. W. B. TURNER.
Oct. 23-3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, on the farm I now occupy near Chestertown.
oc23-3t. E. N. ROLAND.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on the Shores of Ringgold's Point after this date, with dog, gun or otherwise, as we are determined to enforce the law against all trespassers.
RINGGOLD'S POINT DUCKING CLUB.
Oct. 23, 1886—3t.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby warned against trespassing with dog, gun, or otherwise, upon the "Grove" and "Airy Hill" farms, near Chestertown, now occupied by the undersigned. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
H. CLAY LUSBY,
oc23-3t. S. HERBERT LUSBY.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby warned against trespassing upon the farms of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
C. C. BROWN, HENRY BROWN,
COMEGYS BROWN, Quaker Neck.
Oct. 23, 1886—3t.*

NOTICE.—All persons are forbid Hunting, Gunning, Fishing or otherwise trespassing on the farms of the undersigned. The law will be enforced. THOS. J. WILLIS,
LUCAS ALRICH,
Oct. 16-3t* JAS. W. SKIRVEN.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date, as the law will be enforced against all trespassers.
L. R. SHEWELL,
Oct. 16, 1886-3t* WM. STEVENS.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on the farm of the late B. F. Sappington after this date with dog, gun or otherwise, as we are determined to enforce the law against all trespassers.
F. A. SAPPINGTON,
E. J. WICKES, ADM'RS.
East Neck Island, Oct. 16-3t.

CAUTION.—All persons are warned against trespassing upon the premises of either of the undersigned, with dog or gun, after this date. The law will be enforced.
ISAAC PARSONS,
WM. T. ANDERSON,
THOS. S. PARSONS,
oc16-3t. H. I. PARSONS.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with gun, dog or otherwise upon my home farm and Blooming Neck farm after this date. I shall prosecute all trespassers to the full extent of the law. [oc9-3t.] JAS. S. HARRIS.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on the Shores of Swan Point after this date, with dog, gun or otherwise, as we are determined to enforce the law against all trespassers.
SWAN POINT DUCKING CLUB.
Oct. 9, 1886—3t.

ORDER OF DISTRIBUTION.

THE undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of JOSEPH H. CLINTON, in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, of October 21st, 1886, hereby gives notice that he will on

TUESDAY, 9th day Nov., 1886,

make a distribution of the net proceeds of the sale of the Real and Personal Estate of his testator.

J. FRANK WILSON,
Oct. 23, 1886—3t. Executor.

Don't Do It!

DON'T BUY YOUR WINTER BOOTS UNTIL YOU HAVE EXAMINED THE LARGE STOCK at GOSLEE'S.

Grain Wanted!

SAMUEL B. FOARD,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Agent for L. J. COX & CO., Balto. Md.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID for GRAIN at all times. Give us a call before selling. oc23-tf.

JOHN E. TRIBLE. JOHN E. TRIBLE.

WE ARE GOING TO GIVE YOU BARGAINS IN GENTS' NECKWEAR.

AN ELEGANT SATIN SCARF PIN FOR 20 CTS.

THE LATEST STYLE NECK SCARF FOR GENTS' IS THE FOUR-IN-HAND, WHICH WE OFFER AT 25 CENTS.

VERY FINE SATIN SCARF, and SATIN LINED AND SOLD BY OTHER DEALERS AT 50 CENTS, OUR PRICE 25 CENTS.

THE NEW LARGE FOUR-IN-HAND SCARFS, SOLD BY FURNISHING GOODS HOUSES AT $1. WILL BE SOLD BY US AT 50 CENTS.

THESE ARE REALLY BARGAINS, LOOK AT THEM. IF YOU DON'T BUY.

WE HAVE SECURED A LOT OF IMPORTED TOOTH BRUSHES, KNOWN AS THE LIBERTY BRAND, AND EACH ONE IS STAMPED.

THEY ARE WORTH DOUBLE WHAT WE ASK FOR THEM, BUT WE HAVE PROMISED YOU BARGAINS, AND HERE THEY ARE.

Five-Row Tooth Brushes, imported, 14 cents; worth 25 cents, and another one the best, at 25c.; worth 35c. We have them in four-row at 10c., 12c and upward. We have a lot of Hair Brushes, all imported goods, usually sold at $1 25, our price 85c., and the same goods, larger, at $1, all are special bargains. Zylonite and Ivoroyd Hair Brushes, usually sold at $1, are sold by us at 65 cents. The goods are white backs, and warranted not to crack or warp.

Combs at 8, 10, 15, 25, cts., with Mirrors to match.

New Leather Satchels just opened. One or two specialties we call attention to at 49c., and one at 84 cents. Perfect beauties and cheap at $1 and $1 25. Don't fail to see them. You need not buy unless you want to.

Have you seen those 26-inch Umbrellas, all silk, Paragon Frames 14-Carat gold cap, at $2 50 and the same with sterling silver cap, $3 50, same with plain stick, $2 25, and our great bargain silk mixed Umbrella at $1 65, and our 26-inch Mohair Umbrella $1 18.

These prices can't be beat. "Good buying saves money, and money spent with us brings good value." Prices are loud talkers. We have just what you want in every department. Come and see us.

Kid Gloves. "Foster's" Kid Gloves. We are the sole Agent in Baltimore for the Genuine "Foster." Lacing Kid Gloves, with new hooks. We have Foster's Kid Gloves in 5 and 7 Hooks, Suede Gloves in 7 Hooks and the Mosquetaire Suede Gloves, plain and embroidered backs. Trible's Saxon Beauty Button Kid Gloves, 4 and 5 buttons, and all kinds of Suede Gloves. We have Gent's Gloves in all the new Tans and Browns. Misses' Kid Gloves and Gloves for Young Gents.

JOHN E. TRIBLE,
Oct. 23, 1886. Charles and Lexington Sts.

Administrators' Sale!

THE undersigned administrators of Mary A. Sutton, deceased, under proper authority obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, will offer at Public Sale at the residence of the late Mary A. Sutton, near Lynch's, on

MONDAY, the 8th day of November, 1886

AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

The following PERSONAL PROPERTY:

ONE COW,

Half interest in Wheat Crop; 12 bushels Oats; half interest in Carriage; set of Carriage Harness; 10 bushels Potatoes; one handsome Bureau and Glass; 1 dozen Plated Forks; 1 hair-cloth Rocker, 6 Cane Chairs, 1 Bed and Bedding, 1 doz. Chickens, and a lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture too tedious to name.

TERMS.—All sums of $10 and under cash; all sums over $10 to be secured by the notes of the purchaser with approved sureties.

JOHN C. SUTTON,
RICH. D. HYNSON,
Adm'rs of Mary A. Sutton.
JNO. H. GREENWOOD, Auc'r. oc23-ts.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE PERSONAL PROPERTY of the late JAMES KENDALL will be sold at Public Sale at Fairlee, on