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The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN:

SATURDAY.....SEPT. 10, 1887

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR:

ELIHU E. JACKSON,
of Wicomico.

FOR COMPTROLLER:

LOUIS VICTOR BAUGHMAN,
of Frederick.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL:

WM. PINKNEY WHYTE,
of Baltimore city.

THE Baltimore *Sun* says the number of bay excursionists this year was 325,000.

MR. SUMMERFIELD BALDWIN has accepted the Prohibition nomination for governor.

ONE hundred and thirty lives were lost by the burning of a theatre at Exeter, England, Monday night, and many others were greatly injured.

THE Democratic party in Baltimore is getting in good shape for the fall campaign, which assures the election of the Democratic State ticket by a large majority.

THE residence of Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore was robbed on Sunday of two valuable rings, one of which was a present from Pope Leo; they were stolen from a drawer in the library, the lock of which the thief cut out.

BISHOP W. L. HARRIS, of the M. E. Church, died at his residence in New York on the 2d inst. This makes three bishops of that denomination who have died since the last General Conference in 1884, namely, Simpson, Wiley and Harris.

THE steamer Avalon, Capt. John Thomas, of the Maryland Steamboat Company was entirely destroyed by fire on Sunday night about 11.30, o'clock, at her wharf at Freeport, Va., on the Great Wicomico river and is a total loss. No lives were lost and no person was injured. The Avalon was valued at $90,000, and is insured for $60,000.

A STURGEON seven feet long and weighing 194½ pounds was caught in the Choptank river, at the Red bridge, near Moore's mill on Saturday last, by two colored men, B. Coston and Montgomery Carney. They had to call Mr. Moore and the miller, Mr. Medford, to assist them in landing the fish. It is supposed this immense fish went up the river during the recent freshet.

THE Centreville *Observer*, which supported the minority faction in the late primary contest, urges "every democrat, regardless of factional or personal prejudices, to give the ticket an earnest, hearty and unceasing support." We trust this good advice will be heeded and that the democracy of old Queen Anne's will present to the enemy an unbroken front.

A REUNION of members of the M. P. Church was held on the 2d inst. at Penmar, in which about 1,000 people from Baltimore, Westminster, Uniontown, Union Bridge and other points on the Western Maryland railroad took part. An open-air meeting was held, of which Rev. J. D. Kinzer had charge. Addresses were made by Rev. S. B. Southerland and Rev. W. M. Strayer. About a dozen clergymen were present.

THE International Medical Congress which opened its sessions in Washington on Monday is composed of the most distinguished representatives of the profession from all the civilized countries of the world. The work mapped out for the congress embraces a variety and range of subjects of practical and theoretical importance worthy of the profound and brilliant assemblage which has been gathered together at the national capital.

IT is now understood that the President will be in attendance at the constitutional centennial celebration in Philadelphia on Friday morning, the 16th instant, to remain there until late Saturday night. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland, and they will have the large public parlor on the first floor of the Lafayette Hotel, with private parlor and chamber on the same front. It is expected that Colonel Lamont will be with the President.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Maryland State Farmers' Association will be held in Wilson Post Hall, corner of Second street and Postoffice avenue, in the city of Baltimore, on Wednesday, September 14th beginning at 11 o'clock, A. M., the object of the meeting being to receive and consider the report of the committee on taxation, which was appointed at the annual meeting in January. All persons interested are cordially invited to attend. The Chester river line of steamboats will return free those going by their line to attend the meeting.

GOVERNOR LLOYD announces that the funds required for transporting the Maryland troops to the constitutional centennial celebration at Philadelphia have been assured. This should be gratifying news not only to Marylanders, but to the persons who are immediately concerned in the success of the celebration, for with Maryland unrepresented in the military display on this occasion, the affair would be like the play of "Hamlet" with Hamlet left out. It was the valor of Maryland troops which turned the tide of battle in many a hard-fought field of the revolution, and thus paved the way for the federation of the colonies, which was cemented in the adoption of the constitution.

GOV. LLOYD has appointed the following delegates to represent the State of Maryland in the National Farmers' Congress, which begins its seventh session in Chicago, November 1: At large, Ex-Gov. Wm. T. Hamilton, Col. Edward Lloyd, Hon. Chas. B. Roberts and Samuel Brooke. First congressional district–Hon. Jas. U. Dennis, Col. Wm. McKenney. Second district–Wilmot Johnson, Col. J. Carroll Walsh. Fourth district–John K. Ober, Samuel Sands. Fifth district–Owen Bryan. Sixth district–Hon. Lloyd Lowndes, Outerbridge Horsey. No selection was made from the third district, in Baltimore city, because no names were suggested from that quarter.

IT is reported that Mr. Samuel Spencer, now first vice-president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, has been selected by the new syndicate to succeed Robert Garrett in the presidency of that road. He is said to be the right man for the place. Not only did his ability as a manager and his work in connection with the road commend him, says the *American*, but when he conducted the negotiations which ended in the contract, the syndicate became so thoroughly impressed with his qualifications that it took only a short time for them to agree upon him as Mr. Garrett's successor.

LOCAL MATTERS.

THE Chestertown Strawboard Mill shut down on Thursday, the 1st instant, for repairs. It will resume operations on Monday next.

JOHN WALLS, a colored boy, while crawling under a house in the upper part of town on Sunday last, cut himself with glass, necessitating the services of Mr. Toulson, the druggist, who sewed the cut up and applied suitable remedies.

THE festival held by the M. P. Church at Lynch's last week was well patronized, and a success socially as well as financially. The supper was characteristic of this people and served in fine style. The proceeds amounted to $75.

THE accident at C. W. Kennard & Co.'s factory last week was not as bad as it was supposed. The boiler was bulged and the accident might have resulted seriously. C. W. Kennard & Co. are steadily running and are filling orders promptly. They report a heavy increase of trade this season.

ELI HOPKINS, colored, who was held in $50 bail by Justice Brannock for assaulting Lemuel Stevens, has been rearrested and lodged in jail to await the action of the grand jury, in consequence of the serious indisposition of Mr. Stevens, resulting from the blow inflicted by Hopkins.

THE REGISTRATION.—At noon yesterday there had been 24 persons registered in the Chestertown district—16 white and 8 colored, and 11 transferred—10 white and 1 colored. This is the last day of the September sitting and persons who fail to get registered cannot vote at the primaries on the first day of October.

MR. MONTGOMERY STUART has well under way a neat and comfortable dwelling on Queen street, adjoining Mr. Wm. H. McFeely. We understand it is to be occupied by one of our successful farmers. This is now the prettiest part of our town, but from the outlook of College avenue it would seem that down town is soon to be eclipsed.

A NOVELTY.—Mr. C. H. Hurlock of this county has hired his oxen and driver to Harris' Academy of Music, Baltimore. The team will parade the street for the purpose of advertising, drawing a cart of very *modern* style (not less than one hundred and fifty years old) made exclusively of wood. The team will also appear at each performance on the stage.

FAIR AMUSEMENTS.—Among the diversions advertised for the Baltimore county fair we notice the following: Mule race; slow race, half mile, prizes $5 and $3; 100-yard race, half the distance forward, half backwards, prizes $5 and $3; wheelbarrow race, 100 yards; potato picking race, 50 yards; barrel race, 100 yards; climbing the pole, tug of war, ice-cream and pie-eating contests.

THE LARGEST OF THE SEASON.—Mr. Lem. Stevens, of Swan Point, is recovering slowly from his recent severe hurt and was in Chestertown on Thursday. He left at the NEWS office a cantaloupe which weighed 25½ lbs and measured 42 inches in circumference. This beats Capt. Willson's by several pounds and is the largest so far reported. Although quite palatable it was more than our office force and recruits from the court-house and elsewhere could devour.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH.—Dr. W. Frank Hines, secretary to the State Board of Health for Kent county, publishes in this issue a paper urging precautionary measures for insuring against typhoid fever, which disease has been and still is unusually prevalent in our county. This is a matter of the greatest importance and we cannot too strongly urge the health officer's recommendations upon the attention of all who appreciate the inestimable blessing of life and health.

TEACHERS' MEETING.—The first quarterly association of the Kent county teachers for the school year just inaugurated will be held in Chestertown to-day, beginning at 10 A. M. A question from the previous meeting will come up as unfinished business and the following new questions will be discussed: 1—How may we best gain the confidence and respect of our pupils? 2—In what way may our teaching be made more effective and profitable than it has been in the past?

FIRE.—The stable and straw-stacks on the "Northwest Point" farm, on the Queen Anne's side of Chester river, belonging to Mr. Thomas D. France, of Quaker Neck, were destroyed by fire between four and five o'clock on Sunday afternoon last. The fire started in the straw, but fortunately was checked before any buildings other than the stable were destroyed, although the barn was within a few feet of the stable. How the fire originated is a mystery. The loss is estimated at $250 with an insurance of about $120.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS.—Masters Joseph Burns and Griffith Clift, of Sassafras; Rochester Vansant, of Galena; Horace Constable, of Lankford, and Beecher Stephens, of Hanesville, stood the competitive examination before the Orphans' Court on Tuesday for the beneficiary scholarship at Washington College allowed to this county. Owing to the late hour the scholarship was not awarded, but will be announced next Tuesday. Bennie Perkins and Harry Blackiston have been appointed by the board of visitors to fill the town scholarships.

KITE FEVER.—What might be called kite fever has attacked the youth of our town and even some of our town merchants. The strong September breezes afford a good opportunity for this sport. All seem to try to outrival their competitors in size of kite and the height reached. The climax was attained last Wednesday when Bordley & Co.'s kite measuring six feet and a-half soared a thousand yards in the air. It was of course very hard to hold and our friend Lucas came very near being carried to regions above. Other kites not quite so large have been sent up out of sight.

TEN-DOLLAR WHEAT.—We understand the parties who sold a number of our farmers quantities of "Hulless" oats at $10 per bushel, with a guarantee to make such purchases profitable to said farmers by taking larger quantities off their hands this fall at the same price, are in Kent offering what they claim to be an improved variety of wheat at the same big price of ten dollars per bushel. They claim, when the time comes, to make their oat contract good. Whether they will do so remains to be seen. A committee composed of Messrs. A. J. Hynson, Robert H. Wright, J. W. Chapman, V. Hendrickson, Wm. Morris and Jas. C. Ringgold, of Chestertown; Washington Bishop, of Church Hill; S. A. Wallen, Thos. M. Robinson, Thos. G. Jarman, of Crumpton, upon invitation of this "Hulless" oat company visited their place of business in Westminster a short time ago. What their impressions were we have not been able to ascertain.

The Kent County Fair.

In ten days the Kent County Fair, widely known for its fine exhibits and fairness in the trials of speed, will commence its seventeenth annual exhibition. The managers have decided to make this more interesting and successful than any previous fair, and judging from the vigor and energy with which it is being pushed, it is already assured of abundant success. This fair has more to contend with this fall than any other in the State, and for this reason we should all push forward with greater vim and activity anything that would tend to increase its attractiveness. To do this let everyone take something to exhibit, if not to compete for a premium, then to please the spectator. Everyone can exhibit something. A special feature is to be added this year which will be of more than usual interest, that is, the exhibits from scholars of the public schools of our county. These will be the unassisted results of the boys' and girls' handiwork, and possibly among them may be the basis of a great invention. New buildings are being erected in which to show off to greater advantage than heretofore the exhibits, and Mr. Pippin, the contractor, says they will all be in trim before the 20th. The entries include many noted flyers—in one class as high as nine horses are entered, while in each of two others six horses will contest for the large purses offered, and together with the special race that is to be added the outlook for some fine exhibitions of trotting is bright indeed.

Death of a Prominent Farmer.

Mr. Jos. H. Hossinger died at his residence near Lynch's at three o'clock on Tuesday morning, after a short illness, in the 56th year of his age. He was taken with liver colic about four o'clock on Thursday afternoon of last week and Drs. C. W. Whaland and J. A. Perkins were summoned to his relief, but medical skill proved unavailing in his case. Mr. Hossinger was a highly respected citizen, a kind neighbor and a good farmer, and at the time of his death president of the Kent County Agricultural Association. He had accumulated considerable property, owning two good farms, besides private securities and valuable properties at Kennedyville and Lynch's, and his estate is roundly estimated at $75,000. He was a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church at I. U. and a vestryman. The deceased came to this county about twenty-three years ago from near Newark, Del. In 1864 he married Miss Julia, a daughter of the late Raymond Biddle, who survives him, together with a son, Joseph Biddle, who will be twenty-one in November. The funeral took place at two o'clock on Thursday afternoon and the interment was made at Chester Cemetery. The Rev. John Martin, the deceased's former rector, officiated, having been summoned from Somerset parish, Princess Anne county, for that purpose, and the pall-bearers were Messrs. Edw. W. Hepbron, Wm. D. Shinn, John P. Hendrickson, Wm. Penn Norris, J. Thos. Kelley and Wm. A. Kennedy.

[The casket was built of red cedar, elliptic ends, and of very elaborate design, covered with black broadcloth and velvet, and draped with eight festoons trimmed with chenille fringe and tassels, while the inside was lined with white watered satin and upholstered in artistic style. The sides were only ornamented by handles the whole length of the casket, round silk-covered bars with oxidized lugs and ends, while the top was mounted with a beautifully oxidized plate with the following inscription: "Joseph H. Hossinger, died September 6, 1887, aged 55 years, 1 month, 1 day." The family requested Mr. Reiche, the undertaker, to have everything very nice and of the best, but nothing gaudy, and he complied with their wishes to the letter. It was altogether one of the completest burial outfits we remember to have ever seen.]

CAPSIZED.—Last week Miss Ida Bramble and Mrs. Kidd, of Tennessee, who were visiting Mr. James Bramble, in Quaker Neck, wishing to take a sail procured the services of an unskilled boatman and came very near losing their lives. Mr. Bramble, whose boat they were in, was not home at the time, and they were allowed to go with a German who it is said does not know the bow of a boat from the stern. When opposite Quaker Neck wharf the German tried to "go about" but came in contact with a scow, at that time loading a schooner, and upset. He managed to cling to the sail, while Mrs. Kidd preserved her presence of mind and retained her hold on the boat, but Miss Ida went under and was there a few seconds before she was rescued. They were all finally brought ashore by the men in the scow.

THE Balt. & Del. Bay R. R. will make round trip excursions from Chestertown and intermediate stations to the Philadelphia Constitutional Centennial on Sept. 15, 16 and 17. See adv. for low rates, etc.

PUBLIC SCHOOL CHANGES.—Many schools of our county have been placed under new teachers and are all supplied except No. 5 in 1st district, near Galena, and the Lynch's school. The following changes have been made since last year: Miss Susan Casey takes the Laubson's school in place of Miss Maggie Fowler, who goes to Baker's school in Quaker Neck. Miss Anna M. Beall goes to Chesterville in place of Miss Jessie G. Macbeth, resigned. Miss Mary Stephens takes the Urieville school in place of Miss Beall at Chesterville. Miss Mary Brown, who taught the Island school, goes to Still Pond Neck in place of Miss Meredith, resigned, and the Island school is supplied by Miss Edith Richards of Talbot. Miss L. B. Bramble has resigned the position, her successor not reported. Mr. J. A. Greenwood has the Oak Grove school taught last term by Miss Janvier. Miss Emily Wallis takes the Eastern Neck school filled last year by Miss Adkinson. Worton Station school is supplied by Miss Mary E. Nowland and Miss Emma Davis assistant, last year filled by Miss Bean with Miss Casey ass't. Miss Lily Shaw takes the Piney Neck school taught last year by her sister. Miss V. Belle Coleman teacher at Edesville, taught last year by Miss Annie Trew, gone to the Normal school. Miss M. A. Peacock takes charge of the Broad Neck school held last term by Miss Virginia Johnson. Miss Mary E. Bowen takes the school at Hanesville taught last year by Miss Mary Taylor. Miss Annie Carville has been appointed assistant at Rock Hall in place of Miss Emily Wallis, resigned.

HENRY LEVY, an old defender, died at Jarrettsville, Harford county, last Sunday, aged ninety-five years. He was wounded at Bladensburg, and has been a pensioner for more than fifty years. There are only a few of these old heroes now surviving and but two in Baltimore who will be able to get out on Monday—the 12th—to the annual dinner at Rennert's.

DR. JOHN MORRIS, of Baltimore, who ought to be good authority, maintained that the mind of Ross, the burker, was unbalanced and that he was not a fit subject for the gallows and some other disposition should have been made of him. Ross was executed yesterday however unless executive clemency interposed, which is not likely.

A MISTAKE.—The Cecil *News* stated last week that the fertilizer factory of J. Hersey Hall in Chestertown was destroyed by fire. No doubt the fire referred to was the flour mill owned by this gentleman at Centreville. Our town has thus far fortunately escaped loss by fire and especially the destruction of any of our large factories.

Personal Mention.

Mr. Wm. B. Usilton, of the NEWS, left Chestertown for the sea-shore on Wednesday morning for a much needed rest.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., returned from his lengthy vacation on Thursday, looking remarkably well. While away he visited in turn Newport, Bar Harbor, White Mountain, Lake George and Saratoga.

Mr. J. Leeds Barroll, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives and friends in Chestert'n.

Miss Hallie Beck returned home on Saturday after a delightful sojourn of five weeks' duration at Asbury Park.

Miss Maggie Gale is visiting Delaware City, Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Miss Maggie Sappington, who has been spending a part of the summer with her uncle in St. Mary's county, returned home on Monday last, much improved in health.

Mr. Washington Hudgins returned home Thursday from Atlantic City accompanied by Major B. B. Wroth. Mr. H. is negotiating the purchase of a lot at this prominent resort.

Miss Carrie Manlove, of Greensborough, and Miss Comegys, of Scranton, Pa., are visiting the Misses Welch, on Maple ave.

Miss Jennie Rinn, the popular singer with our community, favored a company of ladies and gentlemen with some fine music in Stam's Hall Tuesday afternoon. Miss Rinn is visiting Mr. L. K. Stam and will take part in the complimentary concert to be given Mr. C. F. Stam next Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Conyer has been seriously ill since the death of her husband, the late Wm. Conyer. She is still unimproved.

Mrs. N. C. Crow is quite ill with malaria.

Misses Maud Bullock and Flora Phelps, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Nannie Rouse, near Kennedyville.

Rev. F. W. Pitman, of Westminster Church, Georgetown, and Grace Church, Kennedyville, will return home from his summer trip this week. Services will be held in both churches to-morrow at the usual hour.

Mr. John N. Dodd, who was reported several weeks ago as being on the sick list, is quite sick yet. He has been confined to his bed four weeks. His fever has been very obstinate, but his physician thinks it is broken now and hopes to have him sitting up to-day.

Miss Annie Hubbard is home and looking well after a month's recreation in the Blue Ridge mountains.

Rev. J. Martin will officiate at I. U. Church on Sunday next, Sept. 11, 3.30 P. M.

Miss Maud Kemp, who tarried with friends in Cecil after the close of Woodlawn camp, returned home on Monday delighted with her protracted vacation.

Rev. S. C. Roberts returned on Wednesday from his visit to Western Maryland and will officiate in his parish to-morrow.

Miss Emma Wilson, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Hattie Bacchus, on High street.

Mr. John F. Whittington, ex-tax collector, residing near Masseys, is lying dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ginnelo, of Philadelphia, who have been spending several weeks with their son-in-law, Mr. Edward Cooper, near Chesterville, returned home last Saturday.

Prof. J. B. Schwatka, M. D., of Baltimore, son-in-law of Mr. Cooper, after spending a week with Mr. C., also returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Carey, of Chesterville, returned home from visiting friends in Washington this week.

Mr. C. H. Crittenden, a former teacher of Chesterville public school, paid the village a flying visit this week. One of Mr. C.'s most amiable qualities seems to be strong attachments for old friends. Although quite ill sometime since he now appears to be enjoying as usual health.

After a vacation of several weeks Rev. I. G. Fosnocht, pastor of Galena circuit, returned to his charge on Friday.

Mr. E. D. Tarr, an old teacher, who has been spending the summer at Chesterville, left last week to take charge of a private school in Cecil.

The managers of the Talbot County Agricultural Association will please accept our thanks for a complimentary ticket to the fair to be held on the grounds at Easton, September 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Mrs. Rosalie Mitchell, a native of this county and an authoress of some note and an occasional contributor to the NEWS, sailed for Europe on the Anchor Line on the 3d inst. for a trip of study and travel. She will make Paris, France, her chief stop. She is well prepared for entrance into Paris art schools, having passed through the principal art schools in Philadelphia and New York with success. She expects to remain abroad five or six months.

Mrs. Samuel M. Shoemaker returned home from an extended tour of Europe last Monday and took up her residence at "Burnside," in Green Spring Valley, Baltimore county. Mrs. Shoemaker was accompanied through Europe by her son and daughter, both of whom returned with her. Mrs. Shoemaker said she never saw before so many Americans abroad.

Rev. J. S. Willis, of the Wilmington Conference, has received an invitation to preach in Plymouth Church in Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Willis has accepted the invitation. It is thought that the congregation of Plymouth Church are looking for a competent man to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Henry Ward Beecher. Mr. Willis retired from regular ministerial duties about two years ago, and is living on his handsome farm near Milford.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Adams is visiting various parts of his diocese to acquaint himself with the condition of the various parishes. He has made a most favorable impression upon all who met and heard him preach. —*Caroline Democrat.*

TOURNAMENT AT QUEENSTOWN.—Quite a successful tournament was held at Queenstown last Wednesday in which thirteen knights contested. Among them were Adam Diehl, "Knight of Kent," and W. W. Duyer, "Knight of Spanish Cavalier," of this county. Mr. Diehl won the first prize, a handsome cutter sleigh, and crowned Miss Mamie Catrup, of Talbot county. Mr. Duyer won the third prize, a silver cup, and crowned Miss Sadie Lower, of Queenstown, as second maid of honor. The tournament was for the benefit of St. Peter's Catholic church and a good sum was realized. Rev. Fathers Scott and Brady were on the grounds. After the tournament a supper was served on the grounds, and a ball followed at night in a pavilion erected for the purpose.

MR. ISAAC GALE has left at the NEWS office a gourd which measures 5 feet in length and about 11 inches in circumference. He says there are larger ones on his vines.

EXTRA services were begun in Chesterville Church South last Sunday night.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, Sept. 6—Present, Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens.

Letters of adm. on personal estate of Mrs. Eliza S. Aldridge, late of Kent county, were granted to J. K. Aldridge, who filed bond.

Joseph Mallalieu, executor of James M. Mallalieu, returned an inventory of the personal estate of his decedent and obtained an order to sell the same.

Charles T. Westcott, adm'r of George B. Westcott, returned an account of sales of personal estate.

An examination for the beneficiary scholarship at Washington College was held. There were five appicants. The appointment will be made on the 13th.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, Tuesday, Sept. 6. Full board present.

Examiners on Still Pond road to Redding's Corner, Alday Clements, Henry T. Massey and Thomas Gale, made a favorable report on said road.

Adjourned to meet Tuesday, Oct. 5.

VENDUES.—The following sales will take place on the days named:

Wednesday, Sept. 14—Joseph W. Price, near Lankford.

Thursday, Sept. 15—Wm. H. Dudley, near Lynch's.

Saturday, Sept. 17—Wm. H. Bowers, executor of Wm. L. Bowers, near Still Pond.

Wednesday, Sept. 28—Geo. R. Reed, near Hanesville.

A SOFT crab has been caught in South river near Annapolis, which measures eleven inches from tip to tip and five and a-half inches across the back. It had one claw nearly nine inches in length.

THE Andover farm, 650 acres, a part of the estate of the late Dr. Charles Noble, in Queen Anne's county, near Millington, was sold recently to Mr. Samuel Hurlock for eleven thousand dollars.

MARRIED.

On the 7th inst., at 303 Monroe st., Wilmington, Del., by the Rev. J. L. Estlin, rector of the Reformed Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, DAVID E. OAKS, of Wilmington, Del., and ETTA E. HICKMAN, of Chestertown.

On the evening of September 7th, 1887, at Wesley Chapel, by Rev. R. L. Lewis, GEO. DAVID SMITH and Miss MARY E. CONNELLY, all of Kent.

DIED.

Near Lynch's, early Tuesday morning, after a brief illness, JOSEPH H. HOSSINGER, in the 56th year of his age.

In Harford county, August 31, 1887, JOHN SMITH, formerly of Baltimore.

Near Locust Grove, Wednesday, August 31, 1887, CHARLES BAKER, aged 56 years.

In Baltimore, DAISY H. TODD, of Millington, on the 7th inst., in the 15th year of her age.

At "Elmwood," near Still Pond, August 22, 1887, of cholera infantum, ALICE ANNIE, infant daughter of George and Abigail Atwell, aged 2 months and 17 days. Jesus said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Near Masseys, August 29, JOHN HARVEY, infant son of Jacob and Addie L. Crossley, aged 4 months.

Gone but not forgotten.
Little Harvey was our darling,
Pride of all our hearts at home,
But the angels came and whispered,
"Dearest Harvey do come home."—MOTHER.

We loved him, yes, we loved him well,
We loved him more than tongue can tell,
God loved him too and thought it best
To take our darling home to rest.—AUNT JENNIE.

WANTED.—A WHITE BOY about 18 years old, to serve Coal Oil Route in Chestertown. Apply at at the KENT NEWS office at once. 65-4t.*

NOTICE.—Every member of the Kent County Agricultural Club is requested to meet at the Club Room at Worton Station next MONDAY, the 12th of September, at 2 o'clock P. M. Business of importance requires the attendance of every member.
W. B. STEPHENS, SEC'Y.

CEMETERY NOTICE.—Inasmuch as the lots in WESLEY CHAPEL CEMETERY are not in the condition they should be, notice is hereby given to ALL lot-holders, that the interior of the Cemetery will be thoroughly cleaned and those who neglect to have lots Cleaned within thirty days from date hereof will have them cleaned and charged to their account. By order of the Board of Trustees.
JAS. E. BLACKISTON, SEC'Y
Aug. 27, 1887–3t. and Treasurer.

"LET HER FLUTTER."—I understand that it has been reported by some of my friends "over the left shoulder," and particularly by some who follow the same business, that I am not capable of calling any more sales on account of my health. I take this method of informing my friends that I feel just as competent now to call a sale, large or small, as I ever did. Any one wishing my services can insert my name at the bottom of their advertisement and it shall be attended to promptly.
U. A. C. GARRETT,
s10-2t. Auctioneer.

NOTICE.
The NOTES taken at the sale of the personal property of the late O. P. Beck, at Worton Heights, are due Sept. 18, 1887, and have been left at the Chestertown National Bank for collection.
All persons indebted to the estate on open account or otherwise are requested to settle the same by that date with the administrator.
MEDFORD M. RASIN,
sep3-3t. Administrator.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
I am going out of business January 1st, and have urgent and immediate use for money. I must have all my accounts closed by cash or note by Oct. 1st. I will be compelled to hand all accounts open after that date to an attorney for collection.
W. A. MYER,
s10-3t.* STILL POND, MD.

TAKE NOTICE.
All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle at the earliest possible date. This notice I hope will be sufficient otherwise I must resort to other means.
Respectfully, MRS. KATE BRADLEY,
aug27-4t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.
The celebrated Jack, "NIMROD," will make the fall season at Rock Hall, commencing on the 10th of September and ending on the 26th of November, 1887. Terms $15 to insure.
s10-3t.* M. ASCHER, OWNER.

25 HEAD OF SHEEP,
COTSWOLD and SOUTHDOWN mixed, one Buck. All young.
For sale by HIRAM BROWN,
s10-3t.* Pomona, Md.

FOR SALE
One Good BROOD MARE, 8 years old, with colt at her side, will work anywhere and is a perfect roadster. Also one Bashaw Mare COLT, two years old next spring. Terms reasonable.
Apply to JAS. L. SCHWATKA,
sep3-3t.* Chesterville, Md.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.—
CHOICE PLANTS for sale of the leading varieties, viz: Sharpless, Crescent, Kentucky and Charles Downing; also the famous Soubregan Black-Cap Raspberry. Now is the time to plant Strawberries for a fair crop next Spring. Address
WILBUR C. STEPHENS,
s10-2t* HANESVILLE, MD.

FOR SALE.
A very desirable property located at Sandy Bottom, (5th district), consisting of a STORE-HOUSE and DWELLING, a LARGE STABLE and CARRIAGE-HOUSE, with ample room for provender, also a Large Corn-House, with (¼) one-quarter of an acre of ground. This property will be sold on such terms as will make it a very profitable investment to the purchaser. Apply to or address
N. LIEBERMAN,
s10-3t. Mellitota, Md.

FOR SALE OR RENT.
STOREHOUSE PROPERTY at Lynch's Md. Best stand in the place. Terms made to suit. Apply to W. HEPBRON,
s10-3t. 705 Swan st., Baltimore, Md.

AT PRIVATE SALE
THREE DWELLING HOUSES in the town of Millington. Terms easy.
Apply to HINES & SMITH,
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A DWELLING HOUSE at LYNCH'S AT PRIVATE SALE.
I will sell at Private Sale at a low price on reasonable terms my DWELLING HOUSE at Lynch's Station, Kent county, Md. The building is a substantial frame of seven rooms besides attic and a good dry cellar; and the location is desirable for business or residence. Apply to WM. H. DUDLEY,
sep3-3t. Lynch's Station.

FOR RENT Until January 1, 1888—
A PRIVATE RESIDENCE, most eligibly located in this town.
APPLY AT THIS OFFICE.
Chestertown, August 27, 1887. 3t

FOR RENT for 1888:
One LARGE DWELLING, containing 12 Rooms, with a nice shaded yard and a pump of good water, and Stable and Carriage-House attached. Also Four Smaller Dwellings, and Blacksmith and Wheelwright Shops—a good old business stand.
Apply to A. ALEXANDER,
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FOR SALE:
A HANDSOME RESIDENCE in Galena, Kent county, Md., or will rent for 1888. For particulars address
DR. J. L. DULANEY,
920 I St. N. W., Washington, D. C.
jy23-3m. or G. W. JACOBY, Galena, Kent Co., Md.

FOR RENT for 1888:
A DWELLING HOUSE on High street, Chestertown, near the wharf. It may also be rented for the remainder of the present year.
Apply to H. M. BROWN,
s10-tf. Chestertown.

OYSTER SUPPER and FESTIVAL!
THE Ladies of Walton's M. E. Church in Quaker Neck, will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER with OYSTERS, FISH and all of the delicacies of the season at the above place WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY evenings, September 28th and 29th. Supper 50 cents; children 25 cents. s10-2t.*

FESTIVAL at EDESVILLE!
THE Edesville Hall Association will hold a FESTIVAL at their Hall in Edesville, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, September 28th and 29th. Supper served each evening.
s10-3t. By order, COMMITTEE.

DANCE in PINEY NECK!
THERE will be a DANCE in the Hall in Piney Neck, over D. W. Crosby's store, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Sept. 14th. Tickets 25 cents, admits gentleman and ladies. Cake and Ice-Cream. Good music. The public is cordially invited.
H. By order, COMMITTEE.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.
BY virtue of competent authority, I will offer at Public Sale, at the Court House door in Chestertown, on **THURSDAY, Sept. 22d, 1887,** at 5 o'clock P. M., the property of Mary Jane Wilmor situated in Sandy Bottom, Fifth Election District of Kent county, near St. Paul's Church. The lot contains FIVE and THREE-QUARTER ACRES of LAND, nearly all cleared, and well fenced. It is improved by a Story and a-half FRAME DWELLING-HOUSE with Kitchen attached, also a Good Stable. TERMS:—One-fourth cash on the day of sale, balance, with interest, in three, six and nine months, properly secured. For further particulars apply to CHAS. T. WESTCOTT,
s10-4s. Attorney.

LUTHERVILLE SEMINARY,
FOR YOUNG LADIES. NEAR BALTIMORE.
THE 35th session begins September 13th proximo. The location is in a flourishing condition with constantly growing patronage. Eighty-four boarding pupils last session. The faculty is large and experienced; the course of instruction thorough; the expenses $225 per year for board, washing, fuel, lights and tuition in English course and Latin. Music and Art extra. Send for catalogue to the principal.
REV. J. H. TURNER, A. M.,
jy25-3m. Lutherville, Md.

FREIGHTING.
Having chartered a vessel I am prepared to receive or deliver freighting at any point on Worton Creek and vicinity. When Captain Hughes cannot be seen at Rock Neck, Mr. Thorington will give any desired information. The host has been newly fitted up and is in splendid condition for freighting. JOHN GALE.
June 18, 1887—6m.

$10,000, $5,000, $3,000 $4,000 $2,000 $1,000 TO LOAN.
jy16-tf. H. W. VICKERS, ATT'Y.

PHILADELPHIA
CONSTITUTIONAL CENTENNIAL
September 15th, 16th and 17th.
Excursion Tickets from Chestertown to Philadelphia and Return $2.85.

Worton, $2.65; Lynch's, $2.60; Still Pond, $2.55; Kennedyville, $2.45; Black's, $2.35; Lamboon's, $2.25; Delancy's $2.05. Tickets good to return on or before September 20. The trains on the Balto. and Del. Bay Railroad will double the road on the above days, giving passengers an opportunity of leaving Philadelphia daily at 8.00 P. M., arriving home early in the evening.
FRED. GERKER,
s10-2t. LESSEE.

COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT!
—TO—
COLIN F. STAM,
PROPRIETOR OF STAM'S HALL,
—ON—
TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 13th
BY THE
CITIZENS OF CHESTERTOWN,
UNDER THE DIRECTION OF
PROFESSOR GRAEFT,
ASSISTED BY THE BEST MUSICAL TALENT OF CHESTERTOWN.
Admission - - 35 and 50 cents.

EXECUTOR'S SALE
—OF—
Personal Property
BY authority granted by the Orphans' Court for Kent county, the undersigned as executor of the late William L. Bowers, will offer at public sale at the late residence of the deceased, "Lamb's Meadows," near Still Pond, Md.,
On SATURDAY, September 17th, 1887,
beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., the following Personal Property:

6 GOOD FARM HORSES,
three of them mares with foal; 1 MULE.
9 GOOD MILCH COWS,
Two Heifers,
13 FATTENING HOGS, 2 BROOD SOWS,
20 SHOATS.
Farming Implements,
consisting in part as follows:
3 Farm Wagons, with harness;
1 Wood's Binder,
1 Buckeye Reaper and Mower, combined;
1 Jump-seat Carriage and harness,
1 Dearborn, 1 Ox-Cart, 1 Dray,
1 Empire Drill, in complete order;
1 Wheat Fan, 1 Wheat Rake,
1 Hyland Sheller and Power,
1 Peach Body and Springs,
1 Heavy Roller, 1 Barrel Corn Sheller,
1 Sleigh, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Plow Harness, Forks, Shovels, Hoes and other kinds of implements necessary for a well equipped farm.
30 Tons Good Clover and Timothy Hay,
Lot Cider Vinegar, 1 Gun, 1 Revolver,
HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE,
consisting of:
4 Feather Beds and Bedding,
Carpeting and Matting,
2 Secretaries, 2 Tables, 2 Coal Stoves,
1 Cook Stove and utensils,
Lot of Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons,
1 Gold Watch.
TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Twelve Months will be given on Note with approved security, payable at the Chestertown National Bank. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.
WILLIAM H. BOWERS,
Executor of Wm. L. Bowers, dec'd.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, ATT'Y.
N. T. HYNSON, Clerk. s10-ts.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.
THE Tax-Payers of the THIRD DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1887.
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,
sep3-tf. Collector 3d District.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.
THE Tax-Payers of the SECOND DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am prepared to receive their taxes for 1887.
For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at Still Pond every Saturday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock; at Kennedyville every Saturday afternoon, until further notice. Prompt payment earnestly requested.
JOHN P. HENDRICKSON,
aug27-3m. KENNEDYVILLE.
Collector Second District.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.
THE Tax-Payers of the FOURTH DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1887.
For the convenience of tax-payers I will