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The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN:

SATURDAY..... OCT. 29, 1887.

Let the Rooster Crow!

VICTORY! VICTORY! VICTORY!

All Honor to Baltimore!

4,425 Majority Over Independents and Republicans Combined!

BOSS COWEN HAS "NOTHING TO SAY!"

Overwhelming Majority for the Whole Democratic State Ticket Assured!

The election in Baltimore city last Wednesday was a grand victory for the Democracy! It sends a thrill of joy to the heart of every Democrat in Maryland. The people were thoroughly aroused and incensed at the slanderous accusations which had been so industriously circulated far and near against their orderly and beautiful city and the result was the heaviest vote ever cast at a municipal election. The election of the Democratic State ticket has never been in doubt since the admirable nominations of the State convention; the result in Baltimore will simply increase the majority. We should not be surprised if Jackson had twenty-five thousand majority in the State!

In 1883 Latrobe's majority was 3,470. In 1885 Hodges' majority was 2,230, and now Latrobe has **4,500**! The total vote of the city was 65,271, of which Mr. Latrobe received 34,827, Mr. Bartlett 30,332 and Mr. Wm. J. Ogden, the united labor candidate, 112. In the presidential election, 1884, the vote of the city was 63,335, and Cleveland received 34,289 votes.

The democrats elected twelve members of the first branch of the city council and seven members of the second branch. The republicans have eight members of the first branch and three in the second branch. In joint convention the democrats will have nineteen and the republicans eleven.

The independents, mugwumps and Republicans are simply dumfounded at the result. They haven't energy enough left even to cry "fraud." The *Sun* reporter tried to get some expression from Chief Boss Cowen after the result was known. He asked Cowen if he had anything to say about the election. Cowen answered "No."

"Did you anticipate Latrobe's winning?"

"Didn't anticipate anything."

"Do you think the election was fairly conducted?"

"I don't know whether it was fair or not; you'll have to see somebody else; I haven't anything to say."

Both Democrats and Republicans awaited the result in Chestertown with great anxiety, and the telegraph office was full of people till a late hour. It was near 11 o'clock before the majority for Latrobe was definitely given, but most of the Republicans had been paralyzed by the earlier flashes from the wires and had gone home to "sleep the sleep of the just!"

COWEN was thought to excel as a raliroad wrecker. His exploit with the B. & O. was unsurpassed. But as a political wrecker he takes the cake! He has damned himself and blasted the hopes of his friends. Poor Wallis and Blakistone and Marshall and "me too" Marbury are in pitiable shame, and Naill and Wilson will go down to posterity as the "keyhole martyrs!" The wreck of the Republican party under his leadership will be even more complete on the 8th of November.

REPUBLICAN LEADERS IN CAROLINE.—"A Republican" writes a letter to the Denton *Journal* complaining of the leadership of his party. He says: "The chief of our managers, a former Democrat who left that party and came to us because of disappointment; the second an imported statesman from the North (disrespectfully called carpet-bagger) installed in a newspaper for the influence he can wield; while the third and not the least of these is the pompous colored barber recently from Queen Anne's. Into the hands of these has my party been committed entirely and without reserve, body and soul."

MR. B. F. JONES, chairman of the Republican National Committee, has issued a call for the committee to meet in Washington on the 8th of December in order to fix the date and place of holding the next Republican National Convention. It is expected that applications for the convention will be laid before the committee from Philadelphia, New York, Saratoga, Baltimore, Chicago, St. Louis and other large cities.

WM. T. HENDERSON, formerly United States postoffice inspector, has entered suit in the Superior Court of Baltimore against Mr. Bernard Carter, claiming $50,000 damages for alleged slander. No declaration was filed, but it is understood the suit is based on charges of political corruption made by Mr. Carter at the twelfth ward democratic meeting Monday night.

FRANCIS A. ELLIS, a member of the Cecil bar, and for over forty years past secretary and treasurer of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Cecil county, became insensible suddenly in his office Monday afternoon. It is believed to have been an attack of heart trouble. He was removed to his home, and is not regarded as dangerously ill. Mr. Ellis is over eighty years of age.

JACOB KUHN, a Pennsylvania farmer from near Altoona, Pa., who recently purchased a place near Greensboro', Md., committed suicide by shooting himself Monday morning while laboring under a temporary fit of insanity. He was about fifty years old, and leaves a wife and two children.

THE President and Mrs. Cleveland have returned from their Western and Southern tour, arriving in Washington Saturday morning.

THE DEMOCRATIC DANGER.

NOT THE COLORED ARMY—BUT THE "STAY-AT-HOMES!"

There is no danger to the Democratic ticket except from the stay-at-home vote.

The colored voters will be *in line* to a man. They will be mustered by their leaders and marched up to the polls as usual to vote the Republican candidates. *Eighteen hundred colored votes* may be counted in advance for that ticket, and it will only take a few hundred whites in addition to endanger the success of the Democracy.

The Democrats are too indifferent to the important issues involved. They are overconfident and each of these indifferent ones think there will be enough without him. A few of these stay-at-homes in each district may possibly lose us some one of our candidates. If a full vote is polled, there is not a particle of danger. Our ticket will have a handsome majority. Jackson will get at least two hundred majority and every candidate on the ticket will be triumphantly elected.

Awake, therefore, ye indifferent ones, and do your whole duty, so that you may have part in the rejoicings to follow the certain victory of Nov. 8.

"A Man Without Tone."

This is the expression used by Baltimore reformers in reiterating the faults and foibles of General Latrobe, the Democratic candidate for mayor. "Without tone!" What a grave offence this is.

But that is just where Senator GORMAN has sinned. He is not up to the standard of TONE required by Teackle Wallis, Charley Marshall, Cowen, Bonaparte and the Blakistone crowd. None are fit for the high honors of office unless they are on stilts in social life. The "blue blood" is the all essential virtue.

ELIHU JACKSON is not *qualified* for the gubernatorial office in this respect. He offends the above named immaculate sons of "tone" in his heritage of toil.

JACKSON reached his goal of honor and wealth through the labor of his own hands and brain. His all in honor or wealth is not in being "the son of his father." *And there Mr. Walter B. Brooks, the Republican candidate, has the advantage of him in the estimate of the Wallis-Blakistone blue-bloods.*

Walter Brooks is the son of his father! He is the son of Chauncey Brooks, the millionaire corporation magnate; and the son succeeds to the *name*—to titles and lands—and all the requisite "social" elements to render him worthy of Teackle Wallis' respect!

Brooks has *tone*, and tone will cover his foibles of every kind. Lobbyism is a horrible sin when indulged in by a plebian, but "the son of his father" may go to Annapolis and lobby with impunity to deprive the State of thousands of dollars in the interest of the Canton Company! Registration frauds are wrong and imported voters for election outrages are awful rapes upon the pure ballot by the "low-lived Democrats," but the Blakistone gentry may indulge even in those things where so *high* an aim is in view as the election of the "son of his father."

Verily the fools are not all dead yet. And the greatest of all fools are those who think themselves better than other people because of birth or family name!

IT was a sorry day when the Republicans chose Cowen for a boss.

THE registered vote of Dorchester county is 6,034—white 4,019; colored 2,015.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has issued his proclamation setting apart Thursday, Nov. 24, as national thanksgiving day.

KEEP John K. Cowen before the people of Maryland ten days longer and Jackson will get twenty-five thousand majority!

THE Hon. E. B. Washburne, ex-minister to France, died at the house of his son, in Chicago, Saturday afternoon, of congestion of the heart and brain.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL ROBERTS has given an opinion on the ballot-box question to the effect that separate boxes and ballots are not required for the vote on the constitutional convention.

GEN. B. F. BUTLER has been definitely retained as counsel in the Anarchists case and will appear for the defendants before the Supreme Court. For his services as leading attorney General Butler will receive a retaining fee of $1,500 and $250 a day.

AT a republican mass-meeting at Upper Marlboro, Md., on Monday, Dr. W. R. Wilmer, one of the speakers, said he had nothing to say against the private life of Hon. Arthur P. Gorman, for many of his acts unknown to the world were deserving of the highest praise.

JUDGE DENNIS, in the circuit court of Baltimore, has passed a decree granting to Henry H. Bottomer an absolute divorce from his wife, Mary A. Bottomer, and giving him the custody of their five children, and dismissing her bill for separation with alimony. It was evidently a just decision.

THE Democrats have been in power in Maryland for twenty years. Not a dollar has been stolen from the State Treasury, nor has the breath of suspicion been raised against any State official. The State tax is low, the credit of the State high, and life, liberty and property are secure. Few States can boast of so good a record.

PREPARATIONS are already being made at Chicago for the execution of the seven condemned anarchists on the 11th of November. Orders have been given, it is said, to the members of the Second I. N. G. that they will be required to be on duty for a full week, or perhaps longer, prior to Nov. 11, at their armory, or wherever else their services may be required.

A PAPER WEDDING.— We have heard of "silver weddings" and "tin weddings" and a half-dozen other names for wedding anniversary celebrations, but the latest is the "paper wedding." This is the *first* nuptial anniversary. The last number of the *Baltimorean* chronicles a "paper wedding at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Timanus, No. 1523 Lanvale street, on Wednesday evening, when a gay party was present and Mrs. T. received her guests in her wedding dress, a handsome combination of velvet and beads." Mrs. Timanus will be remembered in Chestertown as Miss May Zimmerman, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Prof. W. H. Zimmerman, for several years vice-principal of Washington College.

"Don't Let Jay Gould Get Hold of Maryland!"

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett and party left Camden station at 10.05 Sunday morning for their trip to the Pacific coast and Mexico. The Garrett private coaches Maryland and Baltimore were handsomely fitted up for the long journey. A large number of friends and officials of the B. & O. Railroad were at the station. After Mr. Garrett had taken a seat in the coach Baltimore he came out on the back platform as if to say something to those who were waiting to see the train start. His only remark, made in a loud tone that all could hear, was "Don't let Jay Gould get hold of Maryland." He returned to the car amid shouts and clapping of hands.

Another Prohibition Move.

There was another temperance convention held in Chestertown on Tuesday and Prohibition candidates for Senate, House of Delegates and Sheriff nominated, whose names appear elsewhere in this issue. The meeting, we understand, was attended by not over a dozen persons. How the candidacy of Mr. Caulk can be of advantage to the temperance cause is a mystery. Its whole effect will be to assist in Captain Burchinal's re-election. Whether these prohibitionists so intended or not it is nevertheless the fact. *The Republicans will not vote for Mr. Caulk.* We do not believe he can get the votes of *three* republican prohibitionists, *as such*, in the county. So that if Mr. Caulk receives any support at all it will be from the Democratic wing of the Prohibition party. Thus Mr. Harris will be wronged to that extent. We do not blame Republican prohibitionists for voting for Capt. Burchinal. They are Republicans, and they vote for the Republican candidate as such. Democratic prohibitionists are only caught in a *Republican trap* if they fail to cast their votes for their party candidate. Mr. Harris is entitled to receive every Democratic vote in the county. He is a man of exalted virtue. He has the confidence of the people and Democrats who are tricked into throwing away their votes for a "straight out" candidate will see the folly of the act when too late to remedy it. Mr. Caulk, we understand, was not present at the meeting which named him and we can not believe that he will allow the use of his name to compass the defeat of the Democratic nominees.

We do not, of course, intimate any ulterior purpose on the part of the gentlemen present at the meeting. We are willing to concede that their *motives* were good. But the act of nominating local candidates is calculated to do *great injury to the temperance cause*. Such a proceeding cannot possibly be of any advantage either to the gentlemen named or to the cause they represent.

Voting RIGHT all the Time!

A prominent citizen of Chestertown, a democrat, temperance man and christian, received a document a few days ago containing the request to "vote as you pray." His reply was that "that was just what he was doing: He voted and prayed that the Republican party might never again get in the ascendancy in Maryland!"

THE ELECTION.

One week from next Tuesday is election day.

Reader, are you a voter?

Will you cast your ballot?

Is the privilege of voting worth anything to you?

Would you object if the law said you should *not* vote?

Would you not count such a privation a great outrage upon your rights as a free citizen?

Justly you would. And you would rebel against the tyrant that upheld it.

Yet there are men of intelligence in Kent county who count themselves freemen—who value their citizenship, and understand the importance of good government—that *will not vote* at the coming election. Indifference is the tyrant that will control them. They forget their privilege and fail in their duty to themselves and to the community.

Let us hope there will not be many such indifferent ones next Tuesday week.

A SPECIMEN LOCAL OPTION CASE.

A Witness Who Takes a Pint of Whiskey at an Ordinary Drink?

Most of our readers are possibly aware of the difficulty our State's attorney and court have to contend with in getting evidence to convict in local option cases. A specimen case was before the court last Monday. It accomplished nothing in the interest of the law, but it proved one of two things—that Phil Blake is either a reckless liar or the most wonderful whisky guzzler in town! As Phil won't lie we must of course believe the latter. John Carr, white, was indicted for selling whisky to Phil Blake, colored. The latter testified that he had done odd jobs for Carr at Crawford's hotel, and that Carr had given him whiskey, as much as a half-pint or pint at one time. The State thought it had the "dead wood" on Carr, as here seemed a clear case of violation, but the defense put Carr on the stand and showed by him that Blake had only performed a light job and had been given a *single drink* of whisky in a glass. Blake was recalled:

The Court—Blake did you say it was a half-pint or a pint of whisky Carr gave you?

Blake—Yessur.

Court—What was it in, a bottle or glass?

Blake—Glass, like dat. [Nodding to a large tumbler on the stand.]

Court—What did you do with it?

Blake—Drunk it.

Court—What! Do you mean to say you can drink a half pint of whisky at one time?

Blake—Yessur. Pint's ordinary drink fur me!

The court looked at the witness in amazement and the counsel for defense came to the rescue with the suggestion that Blake drank a full gallon every Saturday night, and wanted the court to question him on that point. But the court would hear nothing further from him and dismissed the case.

THE steamer Gratitude of the Centreville and Corsica River Steamboat Company will commence making daily trips from Chestertown to Baltimore Nov. 1, 1887, leaving Chestertown at 5.40 A. M., and Baltimore at 2.30 P. M., giving passengers about two hours in Baltimore. The company have leased Burchinal's wharf.

THERE was a good turn out at the Democratic rally at Kennedyville on Thursday night. Stirring speeches were made by Mr. Jas. W. Hurtt and Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., and much enthusiasm was manifested. The old second will do her whole duty in November. Let all the other districts do likewise!

T. S. BORDLEY has just received 300 Solid Wool Pants in pin stripes, plaids and all colors, worth $5.00 per pair but we offer you your choice of the whole lot for only $3.00 cash. Everybody says they are the cheapest pants in Maryland.

THE entertainment by the ladies of I. U. Church advertised to be given in the new hall at Worton Fair grounds on the 1st of November, has been postponed till the 15th. "The Dairy-Maid's Daughter" will be rendered and a free lunch provided.

SPECIAL attention is called to the change in the day of Mr. Herberd's vendue, by W. N. E. Wickes, Esq.

Public Sales Advertised.

REAL ESTATE.— Nov. 1—"Camelsworthmore," by H. H. Barroll, Esq., trustee.

Nov. 15—"Idylwild," by Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., attorney.

Nov. 17—the Crawford farm, by Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., trustee.

Nov. 19—Small farm by N. Satterfield.

Nov. 22—Still Pond Wharf and Granary, by H. H. Barroll, attorney.

VENDUES.—Oct. 29, Wm. B. Turner.

Nov. 2—H. H. Barroll, trustee for T. H. Lambert.

Nov. 4—Wm. N. E. Wickes for J. G. Herberd.

Nov. 17—Wm. Watts, Still Pond.

ALL those who are in need of carpets should visit our old friends, Crane, Bros. They deliver the goods to your home free of charge.

Renting Rooms for Gambling in Hotels or Other Public Places.

On Thursday morning last — Judges Wickes and Stump on the bench—the court called attention to what seemed to be some misapprehension of the meaning of the decision of the court in the case of W. W. Scoone, acquitted of keeping a gambling house. The court said that in that case the party accused did not keep a *public house* of any description, but as a private citizen simply permitted his friends to play cards at his house without deriving any benefit therefrom or any compensation.

The court said that the decision in that case had no application to keepers of hotels, restaurants or other public houses, and that it was to be distinctly understood that any one keeping a public house and renting or hiring the rooms for or permitting gambling therein would be a violator of the law and would be severely punished.

Personal Mention.

Capt. H. Creighton Wallis, of this county, has been appointed to a position in the Treasury Department at Washington. The position was secured for Mr. Wallis by Hon. Charles H. Gibson.

Miss Annie E. Gale, near Edesville, left last week for a visit to Georgetown, Seaford and Wilmington, where she expects to spend several months.

W. T. Tredway, Esq., of Ohio, is on a visit to his cousin, Rev. S. B. Tredway, in Worton.

Mr. Comegys Cosden, who died on Sunday at his residence near Lankford, represented this county in the House of Delegates at the session of 1864 and was later a member of the board of county commissioners. For several years past he has been deeply afflicted and rarely able to leave his home.

Hon. J. A. Pearce is announced to speak at a Democratic mass-meeting in Hagerstown Nov. 1st.

J. F. Beeks, Esq., of Still Pond, is again confined to his house by a renewed trouble with his thigh. He has been walking with difficulty for some weeks. Drs. J. W. Urie, of Still Pond, and Dr. Hardcastle, of Cecilton, have been rendering medical aid. It has been thought best for him to remove to his brother's—Wm. Beeks—in Cecil, and on Thursday last he went there by private conveyance, accompanied by his wife. We hope soon to hear of his improved condition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Comegys celebrated their wooden wedding on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. James W. Hurtt, the bride's father, near Locust Grove. The spacious parlors were filled with guests and the presents were numerous and useful. Refreshments were served during the evening and the guests departed at a late hour, with the best wishes for the long life and prosperity of the happy pair.

Millington has been represented in Chestertown this week by quite a number of her citizens in attendance as witnesses in the murder case, reported in another column. Dr. A. R. Todd made the post-mortem examination and was an important witness for the State. Dr. B. D. Evans was called to testify relative to certain State witnesses, and among the others were Justice Wm. M. Johnson, Messrs. Samuel Mallalieu and C. P. Loper.

A letter from Rev. W. T. Parsons, now in Dakota, and formerly of Kent, will be found on the first page of the NEWS.

SILVER WEDDING.—Rev. J. D. Kemp and wife celebrated their twenty-fifth marriage anniversary or silver wedding at the M. E. parsonage yesterday evening. Many of the members and friends of the church assembled at the parsonage at eight o'clock, taking with them as a present from the congregation a handsome and elaborately carved silver tea service of eight pieces, consisting of waiter, coffee, tea and chocolate pots, sugar dish, cream pitcher, slop bowl, and spoon holder, manufactured by the celebrated house of Rogers & Bro., New York, and procured through Mr. C. M. Lucas, jeweler, of Chestertown. In the centre of the waiter, beautifully designed and chased, is the following inscription: "Presented to Rev. J. D. Kemp and Wife, on the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of their Marriage, by the Congregation of the M. E. Church at Chestertown, Md., Oct. 28, 1887." The set is valued at $125. The presentation was made by Rev. J. France, P. E., who in a neat address explained that the offering was intended as a slight token of the friendship and esteem entertained by his congregation and friends for the pastor and his better half. The gift was accepted by the pastor, who spoke feelingly of the kindly relations and christian fellowship which had subsisted between himself and flock during his three years pastorate now drawing to a close and which he declared had been among the most pleasant in all his ministry. Refreshments were served and after a season of delightful christianly intercourse the company repaired to their homes with the wish that the reverend gentleman and his estimable wife might live in health and prosperity to celebrate their golden wedding.

THE partridge shooting season begins next Tuesday and many of our sportsmen are getting ready to hunt for the birds that day. Gunners had better consult our columns for caution notices before starting out, or they may get upon forbidden ground.

A BEAR SHOW.—Our town has been visited this week with a novelty in the shape of a bear show. One of the animals was quite a monster, weighing 425 pounds, and three years old, while another was eighteen months old and about half as heavy. They were of course captured when quite young and have been trained to do many amusing things, such as waltzing, drilling as soldiers, tumbling, wrestling, etc. A match at wrestling, two best in three, between the larger bear and his attendant, in front of the NEWS office, was witnessed by an amused crowd and resulted in what might be called a "draw." They climb with agility and take to a tree as naturally as a duck to the water. The animals seem perfectly docile and their keepers pick up a good many nickels and dimes.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, Oct. 25—Present Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens.

J. T. Twilley, exec'r of Wm. Conyer, returned an account of sale of personal property of dec'd.

C. B. Warron, exec'r of Sarah L. Warren, returned inventory of personal estate.

Ann M. Bacon, executrix of George H. Bacon, passed her first admin. account.

H. H. Barroll, guardian to Jas. A. Morris, passed his final guardian account.

R. C. Smyth, adm'r of Robt. H. Loud, returned account of sale of personal estate.

Letters of admin. on personal estate of Jas. H. Pennington were granted to Jno. J. Pennington, who filed his bond with approved security.

DIED:

Departed this life at the residence of her son in Galena, after a lingering illness, Sunday, October 23, 1887, Mrs. SARAH M. HICKS, in the 67th year of her age.

Near Lankford, on the 23d inst., after a long affliction, COMEGYS COSDEN, aged about 73 years.

In Baltimore, October 22, JOSEPH NUSBAUM, aged 67 years and 5 months, beloved husband of Caroline Nusbaum.

In Wilmington, Del., October 21, 1887, BENJAMIN RAYMOND, infant son of Benjamin F. and Etta Gardner, aged 3 months.

"I take these little lambs," said He,
"And lay them on my breast;
Protection they shall find in me.
In me be ever blest."—MOTHER.

In Memory of Mrs. Henrietta Ringgold Smyth.

The subject of this sketch was the second daughter of the late Josias Ringgold and widow of the late Major Richard Smyth, of battle of Caulk's Field memory, fought in this county in our war with England. She was a devoted mother, a sincere friend, and kind in all the relations of life. She has gone to that land where sorrow is unknown and our great loss is her eternal gain. Her memory will be enshrined in our warmest affection and oft will we think of her as she bore unmurmuringly her trials and troubles in this world.

Our mother is sleeping so free from all pain,
Oh! wake her not, sweet spirit, to suffer again;
She slumbers so soundly, O let her sleep on,
Her sufferings are over, her trouble all gone.
Oh! think how she suffered and groaned with pain
In the long night hours as we soothed her in vain,
Till God in His mercy sent down from above
An angel that whispered a message of love.

—DAUGHTERS.

Parsons' Mill for Rent!

For Rent for the year 1888, the Mill of Thomas C. Parsons, in the Third Election District of Kent co., Md., near the village of Smithville, now in the tenancy of Wm. A. Sappington. This mill has a good water power, and is a well known and old established stand. There is no better mill site in Kent co., as it is in one of the best grain districts in the State. Apply to HOPE H. BARROLL,

oc15-4t.* Att'y for owner, Chestertown, Md.

A PERSONAL CARD.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I find in the report of the grand jury that in the examination of the constabulary force of the county they were unwilling to assist the jury in finding "violations of the law." Now, gentlemen, I am personally acquainted with a large majority of those who composed that grand jury, and believe them to be gentlemen in the very essence of the term. In order that there may be no stigma resting where it does not belong, and also that the guilty may not go unpunished, I state here as a fact, that *one member of that grand jury* did, as I am informed by a credible gentleman, so belittle himself as to give such information to a gentleman, as did prevent me (an officer in the discharge of duty) from summoning said party to testify as a witness before the grand jury. For self-defence I at once acquainted the court with the fact so that all the responsibility should not rest on a constable appointed by a body of gentlemen whose political or private lives cannot be defamed by the juror I caught. Guess his politics, gentlemen, you know mine, and therefore can judge the object of his defamatory expressions with regard to the honorable members who compose the appointing power or court. I did not in any sense violate my oath, but methinks there is real necessity for the protection of respectable citizens that better men be chosen for jurors than such an one as will divulge the proceedings of that honorable body in session, thus defeating the law.

ROBERT F. JEWELL,
It. Respectfully, Constable in the 5th District.

A CARD

TO MY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC.

I WOULD say that my card in the *Transcript* of this week was for the purpose of answering some of my would-be inquisitive friends, who I really fancy are no friends of mine. The actual truth in regard to gambling or playing cards in my house is, that since I have been here I do not think that card playing has been allowed more than one dozen times, and then on the occasion of suppers, or when my friends from Delaware (all strangers and hotel men) came to pay me a visit that belongs to the fraternity. I can most positively assert that there has not been a card party in my house since last May; this I can prove by responsible parties. In regard to me giving a friend a drink of whiskey, I claim the prerogative of any other citizen, to do as he pleases with what belongs to him, attend to his own business and let other people's alone. I claim myself to be a gentleman, and propose to be treated as such. I claim my morals to be above slander, and propose to live in this world without dissimulation.

Very truly, &c., SAM'L H. CRAWFORD.
Chestertown, Oct. 28, 1887—1t.

Caution to Gunners.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise on Bayside Farm at Betterton occupied by John Young.
Oct. 29—4t. JAMES B. CANBY.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are notified not to trespass upon my farms. C. H. B. MASSEY.
Oct. 29, 1887—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun, or otherwise after this date, under penalty of the law.
Oct. 29-3t.* ANNIE S. WALLIS, near Chesterville.

CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon either of the farms of the undersigned near Lambson's Station, with dog or gun, or fox-hunting upon the same, after this date. The law will be enforced.
Oct. 29-3t.* MOSES LAMBSON.

CAUTION.—Notice is hereby given that no one will be allowed to gun in any way upon the premises of the undersigned. The law will be enforced in all cases when violated.
Oct. 29—4t. JOHN M. ARCHIBALD.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon the premises of the undersigned on Fairlee creek, after this date, as the law will be enforced.
Oct. 29—3t.* W. S. THOMPSON.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon the premises of the undersigned near Chesterville, after this date, as the law will be enforced.
Oct. 29—1f. THOMAS S. CLEMENTS.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the farms of the undersigned in Morgan's Creek Neck with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date, under the penalty of the law.
Oct. 29—3t.* MARY A. WILMER.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog or gun upon the shore of George W. Davis on Lloyd's creek, on or after the 1st day of November next.
Oct. 29, 1887—3t. WILLIAM PRATT, SAMUEL J. BUSICK.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the farm in the tenancy of Jas. M. J. Byron, near Chestertown, after this date. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice. JAS. M. J. BYRON, JAS. A. PEARCE.
Oct. 29—3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass on the property in the occupancy of the undersigned, with dog, gun, or otherwise, or crossing the same. The law will be enforced against all persons disregarding this notice.
I. C. TAYLOR, B. I. TAYLOR.
Oct. 29, 1887—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are forbid trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned near Kennedyville, with dog, gun or otherwise after this date. The law will be strictly enforced against all offenders.
C. D. M'CLEARY, JOHN CROUCH.
Oct. 29—3t.*

CAUTION NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, either by gunning, fox-hunting or fishing on the shores, after this date, under penalty of the law.
LUCAS ALRICH, JAMES W. SKIRVEN, THOS. J. WILLIS.
Oct. 29—3t.*

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass with dog, gun, or otherwise, on the property occupied by the undersigned. G. R. REEK, JOHN GALE, WM. S. FRENCH, WM. FRENCH.
Oct. 29, 1887—1f.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon the premises occupied by the undersigned, after this date. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
JOHN W. BOGGS, ISAAC W. MATTHEWS, GEORGE BOLTON, WILLIAM RUTTER.
Oct. 29—3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, or fishing upon the farms in Still Pond known as "Willowfield," occupied by the undersigned; "Lamb's Meadows," tenanted by Mr. Wm. H. Bowers; and "Swarthmore," tenanted by Mr. R. Moffett, after this date, under penalty of the law.
Oct. 28, 1887—3t. R. L. RAYMOND.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are warned from trespassing upon the lands occupied by the undersigned. A. R. PARKS, JOHN LEIGH, H. L. CREW, R. T. TURNER, Jr.
Oct. 29, 1887—3t

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby notified not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise on the property controlled by the undersigned. L. R. SHEWELL, WM. STEVENS.
Oct. 22, 1887—3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon the farms occupied by Anthony H. Johnson, S. J. Johnson, Jr., E. G. Clark and R. H. Corballey, after this date, under penalty of the law.
Oct. 22, 1887—3t.* RICHARD C. JOHNSON.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned near Kennedyville with dog, gun or otherwise after this date, under penalty of the law.
Oct. 22, 1887—3t.* THOS. REDMILE.

CAUTION.—Notice is hereby given that no one will be allowed to gun in any way on the premises of the undersigned. The law will be enforced in all cases when violated. C. C. WOOD, JAMES M. WOOD.
Oct 22, 1887—3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog or gun upon either the Geo. W. Howard home farm, where I now reside, or the Pond farm and shore thereof on Sassafras river, under rent by me. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
oc29-3t* WM. B. PRICE.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby cautioned from trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date.
JOHN CLAYTON, ROBERT A. BOWERS, GEO. R. PARROTT, LOUIS S. HEPBRON.
Oct. 22, 1887—3t.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date under penalty of the law.
C. C. BROWN, HENRY BROWN, COMEGYS BROWN. Oct. 22, 1887—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date under penalty of the law.
CHAS. ENGLAND, THOS. BROCKSON.
oc15-3t.*

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise after this date.
ISAAC PARSONS, HARRISON PARSONS, THOMAS S. PARSONS.
oc15-3t.*

CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned in and near Still Pond with dog, gun or otherwise, after this date, as the law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice.
F. H. HARPER, SAMUEL W. WEBB, C. H. PRICE, JOHN HURLOCK, G. W. HARPER, J. J. WEBB, J. FRANK WILSON, WILLIAM CARTER, MRS. M. R. WILSON, WILLIAM WATTS, S. J. FOWLER. Oct. 22, 1887—3t.

NOTICE.—We hereby give notice to the public that Mr. A. T. Bradley, of Chestertown, Md., is no longer authorized to purchase Grain for our account, nor to represent us in any way whatever.
E. L. ROGERS & CO., Grain Commission Merchants, 130 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Oct. 15, 1887—3t.

BEST GRADES OF FLOUR by the barrel.
E. W. F. SIMPERS.

FINAL NOTICE.

TAX-PAYERS of the THIRD DISTRICT still in arrears for Taxes for 1886 are hereby notified that unless said taxes are paid on or before the 25th day of November, 1887, I shall proceed to collect at once. I cannot possibly wait longer and this notice is final.
M. M. RASIN, Collector Third District.
oc29-4t.

ENTERTAINMENT.

The ladies of I. U. Church will give an entertainment, "The Dairy Maid's Reception," in the New Hall at Worton Station, TUESDAY EVENING, Nov. 15th, beginning at 8 o'clock. Admission 35 cents; children half price. Tickets at the door. oc29-2t.

FOR RENT.

WHEELWRIGHT SHOP in Still Pond. Best stand in the county. Call on or address
A. J. HACKETT, Still Pond.
oc22-3t.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$10,000, $7,000, $5,000, $2,000 and $1,000 on Mortgage at 6 per cent per annum.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney-at-law, Chestertown, Md.
oc22-3t.

NOTICE.—Taken by mistake a package of Shirts, marked, Dr. E. N. Crawford, Fredericktown, from Steamer Chester or Trumpeter, on October 4th. Any information leading to the recovery of same will be thankfully received by W. H. BEACHAM, Clerk of boat.
oc15-3t.

FOR RENT and FOR SALE.

Several STORES and DWELLING HOUSES in Chestertown, Md.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney, Chestertown, Md.
oc29-3t.

FOR RENT for year 1888:

One of the best located STORE-ROOMS in Chestertown. Apply to JAMES S. BRADLEY.
oc15-3t.

FOR RENT for 1888:

The "ROCKWELL HOUSE" in Chestertown. The house was enlarged two years since. It is in good repair and a first-class stand for a Restaurant. Apply to J. H. SIMPERS, Chestertown.
oc15-tf.

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, Chestertown.
s10-tf.

FOR RENT,—ARMSTRONG'S HOTEL, on Cross Street, Chestertown, Md., with STABLE fronting on Maple avenue, will be for rent on and after October 21, 1887. The furniture in the Hotel belongs to Mr. John Armstrong and may be bought upon reasonable terms. All applications may be made to the undersigned who will be glad to furnish any information concerning the terms of rental, &c. RICHARD D. HYNSON, Chestertown, Md.
oc1-tf.

FOR SALE:

A HANDSOME RESIDENCE in Galena, Kent county, Md., or will rent for 1888. For particulars address DR. J. L. DULANEY, 926 I St. N. W., Washington, D. C., or G. W. JACOBY, Galena, Kent Co., Md.
jy23-3m.

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☞ I will be at F. Platt's Hardware Store, Chestertown, every Saturday.

RICHARD J. FOARD,
Agent for E. L. Rogers & Co, Masseys Md.
Oct. 29, 1887—3m.

PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

BY virtue of a Bill of Sale from James G. Herberd and Mary C. Herberd, to W. N. E. Wickes, executed Sept. 3d, 1887, and duly recorded in Liber S. B., No. 2, Folio 213, a Chattel Record Book of Kent County, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale on the farm of Jas. Shuster, Buck Neck,

On FRIDAY, November 4th, 1887,

the following property as described in said bill of sale:

4 Head of Horses

1 Bay Mare, "Mag;" 1 Sorrel Horse, "Stonewall;" 1 Brown Horse, "Dexter;" 1 Iron Gray Mare, "Sadie Bell." These horses are true to draft and good drivers;

1 PAIR of MULES,

thoroughly broken and reliable

2 COWS and 5 HOGS,

2 Farm Wagons, one Iron Axle and one Wooden Axle; 1 Jump-Seat Carriage and Double Harness, 1 Champion Reaper, Steel Binder; 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Empire Drill, 3 Iron-Frame Cultivators, 2 No. 20 Chilled Plows, 1 3-Horse and 3 Minor & Horton Plows, 3 No. 4 Wiley Plows, 2 Twin Harrows, 1 AA Harrow, 1 Sleigh and 3 Collars of Bells, 1 Peach Rigging, 1 Carriage Tongue, 1 Iron-Axle Cart and Harness; 2 Sets Wagon Harness, Plow Gears, Spades, Shovels, Forks and Farming Implements,