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The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN:

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THE ELECTION IN KENT.

THE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC BY 110 MAJORITY NOTWITHSTANDING THE ENORMOUS COLORED VOTE AND THE "STAY-AT-HOMES."

The election last Tuesday passed off very quietly in all the districts and was everything we predicted—*and a little more.* The eighteen hundred and eighty colored voters of the county were at the polls almost to a man and as usual were zealous for the Republican ticket. Two hundred Democratic voters, who cast their ballots two years ago, failed to attend the election this year, and herein is the principal cause of the diminished majority for the Democracy and the loss of three of the most important party candidates. One hundred majority for the Democratic State ticket, under the circumstances, is a wonderful victory for the grand old party of the people! It establishes beyond question, what has so often before been demonstrated, that old Kent is democratic to the core and that it only needs a full vote to score an average majority of two hundred and fifty. The total vote for clerk in 1885 was: Beck 2,310, Sparks 2,131—total 4,441. For Senator this year: Harris 2,095, Burchinal 2,124—total, 4,219; showing a loss of 222 votes in comparison with two years ago, of which number only seven are Republican. The prohibition vote in the county is only five more than last year, as will be seen by tables below.

The following are the official figures as returned by the chief judges in each district last Thursday except for the third district—though none of these figures were promulgated. The discrepancy in the return for the third district between the number of ballots in the box and the number certified by the judges of that district required correction, and the completion of the work of the return judges was delayed for that purpose. An adjourned meeting will be held next Tuesday. The figures we give therefore are not official for the third district, but are the same as first reported. The amended return will not be likely to materially change the result:

KENT COUNTY—SEMI-OFFICIAL.

	DISTRICTS 1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	Tot'l 1p.	2p.
FOR GOVERNOR:							
JACKSON ...	525	372	313	358	89	478	2135
Brooks	389	347	271	386	191	441	2025
Baldwin ...	12	7	11	19	10	17	76
Jackson's plurality					-	-	110
COMPTROLLER:							
BAUGHMAN	525	371	313	358	91	473	2131
Dixon	389	348	271	386	190	446	2030
Wright.....	12	7	11	20	9	14	74
Baughman's plurality					-	-	101
ATT'Y-GENERAL:							
WHYTE.....	525	372	313	359	92	484	2145
Miller.....	389	347	271	386	189	439	2021
Pollard	12	7	11	19	8	16	73
Whyte's plurality					-	-	124
SENATE:							
HARRIS.....	506	364	311	336	87	464	2068
Burchinal..	398	351	273	420	199	454	2095
Onalk.....	15	6	8	6	3	15	53
Burchinal's plurality					-	-	27
HOUSE OF DELEGATES:							
BRICE.....	521	352	304	340	90	470	2077
JUSTIS	506	360	304	336	87	438	2031
Baker	391	357	272	410	201	458	2089
Norris.....	393	352	277	393	192	440	2047
Kruzen	12	7	10	14	4	11	58
Judefind ...	14	6	10	7	3	15	55
Brice's maj. over Norris					-	-	30
Baker's maj. over Justis					-	-	58
STATE'S ATTORNEY:							
SMITH	524	371	313	361	93	483	2145
ORPHANS' COURT:							
WALKER...	528	374	313	367	97	474	2155
FISHER	530	372	311	368	94	502	2177
MOFFETT...	533	357	311	355	92	467	2115
Price	394	355	270	392	192	435	2038
Comly.....	388	351	271	393	195	438	2036
Leaverton	392	350	271	406	196	453	2068
Average Democratic maj.					-	-	101½
SHERIFF:							
JACOBY	506	351	307	347	89	446	2046
Casey.....	393	355	272	386	193	463	2062
Mirch.....	13	7	2	29	6	19	76
Casey's plurality					-	-	16
COMMISSIONERS:							
ERNEST	508	369	310	366	95	482	2130
HEPBRON ..	527	366	312	367	97	484	2153
COOPER	529	371	311	362	96	482	2151
MORRIS	530	372	311	357	91	483	2164
DICKINSON	526	374	310	366	94	480	2130
Jacobs.....	409	349	272	399	195	440	2064
Hill	392	354	271	393	193	442	2045
Parsons.....	393	347	272	405	194	443	2054
Trew	392	347	271	399	201	443	2053
Crosby	395	346	271	395	193	444	2044
Average Democratic maj.					-	-	94
SURVEYOR:							
GRESHAM ..	524	372	313	365	90	487	2151
Brown.....	389	347	271	388	193	440	2028
Gresham's majority					-	-	127
CONVENTION:							
For.....	427	326	210	172	65	347	1547
Against.....	395	369	268	533	205	523	2293
Bl'k Ballots	104	31	00	60	21	66	282
Majority against a convention					-	-	846

The Vote for Senator in '83:

	1	2	3	4	5	Total.
USILTON	530	333	290	439	442	2034
Burchinal.....	395	362	285	584	414	2040
	135	29	5	145	28	6

Burchinal's majority 6.

The Vote for Clerk in '85:

BECK.....	587	385	334	379	104	521	2310
Sparks	447	393	280	378	193	440	2131
	140	8	54	1	89	81	179

Beck's majority 179.

For Congress Last Year:

GIBSON.....	380	320	242	349	81	346	1718
Hodson	344	327	257	311	169	301	1709
Melson	23	15	4	14	4	11	71

Gibson's plurality over Hodson 9.

WE are requested to say that the return judges will meet next Tuesday at 10 o'clock sharp.

HE WENT IT STRONG.—One of the tickets in the fifth district poll had nothing upon it but the words "For a Convention." The names of all the candidates had been stricken off. That voter didn't want any county or State officers but he had the convention fever bad!

THE DIFFERENCE.—The difference between Democratic and Republican voters may be seen by the tickets in a single district—the fifth. The Democratic *split* tickets there numbered 102; Republican 20; Prohibition 4. The "colored brother" takes his straight all the time!

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

At a meeting of the "Woman's Christian Temperance Union" of Chestertown, the following resolution was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the members of the "Woman's Temperance Union," express their thanks to Revs. Clemm and Strayer for their eloquent and impressive speeches at the court-house, Nov. 3, in favor of prohibition. We heartily endorse the sentiments expressed and add to them our prayer that intemperance, the mighty enslaver, may soon be banished from our country and that our motto may soon become the motto of all lovers of "God, and home, and native land."

SEVERAL arrests have been made in Chicago of men charged with conspiring to use force to prevent the execution of the anarchists.

The Defeated Candidates.

The election returns for this county published elsewhere in the NEWS record the defeat of three of the Democratic candidates on the county ticket. James S. Harris, for the State Senate, was in every respect a worthy candidate; he was especially well qualified for this position by reason of his intelligence and sterling integrity; his party fealty was unquestioned and his personal chapacteristics most popular. No one can reasonably say that his nomination was not in the highest degree a fit one to be made. Yet he is defeated. Who did it? And why? Republicans did not accomplish this result unaided. Democrats—men who profess to desire the supremacy of Democratic principles—did that last Tuesday which was a great wrong to their party and a cruel stab at its fairly selected standard bearer. We do not propose to lecture or quarrel with those who were led into this act; but certainly Mr. Harris will search and search in vain for the just ground of the treatment he has received. It has been said by some that the "whiskey men" cut him because of his temperance sentiments, and by others that the temperance people refused to vote for him because he was a *Democrat*. And so "between the upper and nether millstone" this unexceptionable candidate is sacrificed. Such a man can afford to be sacrificed to the greed of a few fanatical demagogues whose love of whiskey is stronger than their love of democracy or a few deluded and short-sighted prohibitionists who profess to "vote as they pray" and then vote as they please or as they may be persuaded by cunning or designing partisans.

Lewis C. Justis, Jr., the defeated candidate for the Legislature on our ticket, had a warm fight for his nomination and its effects were no doubt of serious injury to him in the election. He was fairly nominated, and as a sterling party man was entitled to the votes of his party. He was a member of the last General Assembly and made a good record for usefulness and attention to the interests of his county. What his enemies have gained by his sacrifice remains to be seen.

Geo. W. Jacoby, our candidate for sheriff, who is defeated by 16 votes, was also more or less injured by the heated contest through which he passed for his nomination. He is a most estimable gentleman and was a worthy candidate of his party, and his defeat should be a source of intense mortification to every true Democrat. The principal objection to him seemed to be that he was "a foreigner," while the *fact* is that he was not only native born, but actually worked at blacksmithing when a boy right here in Chestertown. In Galena where he lives no man enjoys a more enviable reputation, and his kind ministrations to the sick and poor are said to be proverbial. Pity that such a man should have to be sacrificed because his great-grandfather did not happen to be born in America!

The Successful Republicans.

The successful candidates on the Republican ticket are among the strongest that could have been named by the opposition and are men of high personal character. Senator Burchinal served in the last session and was a recognized leader of his party in that body. He will no doubt continue to look after the interests of his county as a Senatorial representative as zealously and conscientiously as any one of the opposition party that could be named.

JAMES H. BAKER, Esq., who defeats Mr. Justis, is a gentleman of high personal character and intelligence. Indeed no man in the county stands better than Mr. Baker for his general good qualities as a citizen, and as a representative in the Legislature he may be safely trusted to do what he believes to be right. He is a prominent granger, and, besides the usual routine of an agriculturist, is largely engaged in the propagation of blooded cattle and hogs.

MR. CASEY, while not so well known as those above mentioned, is a popular gentlemen of the fifth district, and the vote shows him to be highly appreciated in his own neighborhood. While he is a recognized party man, he will no doubt discharge his official duties impartially and make a good sheriff.

IT SLIPPED!—Mr. James W. Lambert, who served as the Republican judge of the Chestertown district last Tuesday, did something which some might have blamed him for if the result had been a little closer, but none who know the man would ever question his honesty or truthfulness. Two John W. Tilghmans, colored, are registered in this district. While Mr. Lambert was seated at the box receiving tickets a colored individual stepped up, gave his name as John W. Tilghman, and Mr. L. took the ticket and placed it in the cavity of the box to hold until another judge found the name. Two of that name were found, and both had voted; then arose a discussion as to the right of the third individual of that name voting, but the discussion was suddenly brought to a close by the quiet remark of Judge Lambert that "the ticket's gone in!" And so it had. While questioning the man he had unintentionally relaxed his hold of the little piece of paper and it dropped into fellowship it had no right to keep. But there was no way to get it out and so it went upon the record—three John W. Tilghman votes on two John W. Tilghman names!

"Crookedness" in the Third District.

Exciting reports reached us on election night of crookedness in the poll of the Third (Worton) district. Twenty votes were found in the box more than the tally sheets called for. The judges discussed the difficulty and, after consultation with candidates of the two parties present, decided not to count more than the tallies called for, consequently ten Democratic and ten Republican votes were cancelled. How these twenty extra tickets got into the box has not been explained and probably never will be, but it was evidently an awkward attempt at fraud upon the part of some one or more persons. "Padding tickets" must have passed through the hands of the judges undetected. Who did it? We should be sorry to believe that any Democrat or Republican either would resort to such an attempt to defraud. It is not only dishonest but it is in the highest degree wretchedly bad policy. Win fairly, or not at all, is the best policy always. Did the Republicans do it? The evidence to indicate this view is that two colored men were detected in the attempt to vote double tickets. Does this signify anything?

A STUPID ACT.—The wires on the Kent county telegraph line were cut early Tuesday night, in two places. There is no room for doubt that they were cut wilfully, by some party or parties who thought they were accomplishing thereby some end. It was of course a piece of stupid ignorance. The only possible end to be accomplished thereby was the delaying of information and preventing outgoing and incoming reports from reaching their destination. If it is possible to discover the parties perpetrating the outrage, they should be punished to the full extent of the law.

Election Night in Chestertown.

The election in Chestertown passed off very quietly considering the interest taken in it by both sides. There was not the slightest disturbance unless it be the little snarl between two or three drunken colored men. There was about as much whiskey as usual on both sides. The leaders of the two parties were evidently relieved when the town clock struck the hour for closing and the window went down.

At night the streets were thronged with people and the bonfires blazed from seven o'clock until long after midnight. The NEWS office was crowded during all this time with anxious Democrats, while the law office of C. T. Westcott, Esq., appeared to be the Republican headquarters. The returns came in very slow at first, and in such fragmentary shape as to prove very unsatisfactory and continually increase the interest to know the final result. When full returns from the four lower districts were in the democrats lost all hope for Justis and had very little expectation of Harris pulling through, yet thought Jacoby might save himself in his own district. Shortly after midnight we heard through telephone—the telegraph not being in operation—the long delayed returns from the first district, and in a few minutes after the "NEWS EXTRA" was being distributed to the waiting crowds, giving all the figures.

The crowd of colored men about Mr. Westcott's, as soon as they got the news, made the welkin ring with shouts for their victorious candidates and all over town could be heard repetitions of the shoutings which every one who heard recognized as indicating Democratic defeat. In a very little while after this the NEWS office was closed for the night, the country people left for their homes, and, to the credit of the colored rejoicers be it said they soon ceased and in an hour the town was as quiet as though no election excitement had disturbed its tranquility.

THE WORK OF THE PROHIBITIONISTS.—The vote cast for the prohibition ticket in Kent is a very insignificant affair of itself, and rather belittles the cause it seeks to aid than otherwise when regarded from the standpoint of proportion. But when carefully analyzed and considered in its bearing in another direction it is of weighty import. For instance, the fifty-three votes for Mr. Caulk were nearly all cast by former Democrats, thus defeating Mr. Harris, a pronounced temperance man. Mr. Mitch, who received 76 votes as a prohibition candidate, it is said did not vote that ticket *himself*, but that he did vote the Republican county ticket! So that it may be safely asserted that nearly all of his votes were cast by former Democrats, and these would have elected Mr. Jacoby by a handsome majority. Wonder what they think of their work now that some of the results are manifest? If any one of these has a spark of Democracy yet burning how can he regard his act in casting his vote for the prohibition candidate—thus denying himself his political preference for the sake of what he thinks a high moral principle—while that candidate is doubling the effectiveness of that vote *for the Republican candidate* by voting for him himself!

A "Solid" Reason.

Professor Hulme was curious to know why all the colored voters were against the constitutional convention, and so upon meeting a "colored brother" from Sandy Bottom on the morning after the election he determined to interview him upon the subject:

The Professor—Well, Sam, how came all you fellows to vote against the convention.

Sam—How cum we? Why cause dat was right.

Professor—Did you know what it meant?

Sam—Know what it meant? Course we did. I know *I* did, 'cause I informed myself.

Professor—You did. Well, what was *your* reason for voting against it?

Sam—*Why, 'cause I wouldn't get whisky back!*

Professor—Well, you beat me that time. I voted for the convention but didn't know I was voting against whisky in doing so!

BEACHED IN A STORM.—Capt. George T. Jones, colored, of Chestertown, gives an exciting account of his adventure on the night of the 4th inst., when his vessel, the "Marie Westcott," was caught in a storm while returning from Baltimore with a load of shells. When off "Love Point" his jib gave way and after anchoring in a heavy sea the vessel unshipped her rudder and was dragged into shoal water and beached. The crew, consisting of James Horton, Henry Ward and the captain, made a narrow escape with their lives, but succeeded in getting to the shore.

FULLY ORGANIZED.—Prof. E. J. Clark, of Worcester county, the new teacher for the primary department of Washington College, recently elected, took charge last Thursday. The college is therefore now organized with a full faculty and prepared to do more satisfactory work than ever before in its history. Its terms for tuition are less than any other institution of its character in the country, and the board and other expenses are also as low, giving it a great advantage, and offering practical inducements to parents and guardians to avail themselves of its superior facilities for collegiate education.

A CAR-LOAD of nursery stock from the Mount Hope (N.Y.) Nurseries of Ellwanger & Barry, valued at over $2,000, arrived at the Chestertown depot on Tuesday. The stock was principally gooseberries and pears of the finest quality. These goods were sold by Mr. J. W. Startt, of this town, who represents the above firm, and reports his sales for this season at upwards of ten thousand dollars.

FIRE IN STILL POND.—The frame cow shed on the farm of Mr. J. Frank Wilson, in Still Pond, containing fifteen tons of hay and fodder from fifteen acres was destroyed by fire early last Monday night. The fire started in the fodder about eight o'clock, but its origin is unknown. The loss is between $400 and $500, with an insurance of $225 in the Mutual Company of Kent county.

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 "Dairymaid's Reception" and a free lunch will be the most novel thing of the season and full of fun. The cake and milk will be served in "dairymaid" style. A free train will be run from Chestertown.

ARRESTED FOR ILLEGAL VOTING.—A half-witted colored man was arrested at the Worton polls last Tuesday, at the instance of Mr. W. P. Norris, republican, on the charge of voting upon the name of another colored man. Officer Plummer took the prisoner before Justice Beck, who committed him to the county jail in default of bail for a further hearing.

CORN is now going to market. The crop in Kent is a good one. Local buyers, we understand, are paying 42 cents per bushel for corn in good condition this week.

FOUR of the prohibition tickets voted in the fifth district contained the names of W. K. Judefind and *John Brice* for the Legislature. A singular mixture!

Last Tuesday's Election

Glorious Victory in Marland!—12,526 Plurality for Jackson!—The Legislature Overwhelmingly Democratic in Both Branches!—Mugwumpism, Cowenism and Republicanism, a Beautiful Trio, all Go Up Salt River Together!—And their Fifty Thousand "Colored Brethering" Couldn't Save Them!

RESULT IN OTHER STATES—Cleveland's Administration Triumphantly Vindicated!—His Renomination and Re-Election Sure!

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.

How the Senate and House of Delegates Will Stand—Names of the Members.

In the Senate there will be 22 democrats and 4 republicans, as follows:

Allegany—W. M. McKaig, dem.
Anne Arundel—J. Wirt Randall, rep.
Baltimore County—James J. Lindsay, democrat.
Baltimore City—John B. Wentz, Charles Ridgely Goodwin and Charles S. Adams, all democrats.
Frederick—Milton G. Urner, rep.
Garrett—R. T. Browning, d., holds over.
Harford—Jno. Sappington, d., holds over.
Howard—Wm. B. Peter, dem.
Kent—Wm. D. Burchinal, rep.
Montgomery—Geo. Peter, d., holds over.
Calvert—W. C. Somervell, dem.
Carroll—Pinkney J. Bennett, dem.
Cecil—Clinton McCullough, dem., over.
Caroline—Griffin W. Goldsborough, democrat, holds over.
Charles—R. H. Edelin, d., holds over.
Dorchester—Joseph H. Johnson, dem., holds over.
Prince George's—Chas. T. Claggett, dem., holds over.
Queen Anne's—John B. Brown, dem.
St. Mary's—R. J. Cotton, dem., over.
Somerset—Robt. F. Brattan, dem. [Brattan's majority over Hodson, who was the Republican candidate for re-election, 385.]
Talbot—T. T. Tunis, dem., holds over.
Washington—Edward Stake, rep.
Wicomico—E. S. Toadvin, dem.
Worcester—S. K. Dennis, d., holds over.

The Senate stands as at the last session, the changes being the gain of Democrats in Somerset and Calvert, and Republicans in Frederick and Washington.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

In the House there will be 67 democrats and 24 republicans.

Allegany: J. N. Benson, d., Wm. Broderick, d., J. A. Cunningham, r., W. S. Fuller, rep.
Anne Arundel: T. J. Bowie, Jas. Cheston, S. V. Baker and G. Hatch, all republicans.
Baltimore County: John Hubner, Geo. R. Gott, Chas. R. Whiteford, Daniel Boone, J. Nelson Daily, J. A. Smith, all democrats.
Baltimore city: First Legislative Dist.: Wm. H. Thompson, E. D. Fitzgerald, G. Bramble, Peter J. Campbell, J. Hannibal, John B. Keplinger.
Second Legislative District: A. H. Robertson, Patrick Reilly, Henry Barger, Chas. D. Gaither, Jas. W. Denny, George Colton.
Third Legislative District: J. McKnight, J. B. Nichols, Martin R. Joyce, John. A. McGarry, John H. Schaffer, Jr., Wm. Sanders Carr, all democrats.
Calvert: Louis McK. Griffith, rep., H. P. Owings, dem.
Carroll: D. A. C. Webster, Wm. P. Gorsuch, Daniel Ebaugh, Benjamin F. Selby, all democrats.
Cecil: R. C. Mackell, M. Moore, S. J. Caldwell, all democrats.
Charles: F. M. Cox, dem.* John Davis, dem., A. Posey, rep.
Caroline: J. C. Horsey, dem., Thomas R. Green, rep.
Dorchester: Zora H. Brinsfield, D. W. Newberry, S. L. Percy, all democrats.
Frederick: J. Rohrback, D. E. Buckey and Manassas T. Grove, democrats, and S. M. Birely and W. P. Morsell, republicans.
Garrett: G. W. Wilson and T. H. Bittinger, both republicans.
Harford: W. W. Preston, W. Bowman, H. W. Archer, N. L. Mitchell, all democrats.
Howard: W. E. Linn and E. G. Selby, both democrats.
Kent: Jas. H. Baker, r., John Brice, d.
Montgomery: E. Wooton, H. P. Clark and P. D. Laird, all democrats.
Prince George's: Fred. Sasscer, rep., T. H. Perrie and F. M. Hall, democrats.
Queen Anne's: James Roe, John B. Thomas, J. T. Norman, all democrats.
Somerset: R. F. Maddox, Geo. T. Rowe and George W. Howeth, all democrats.
St. Mary's: W. Wilkinson and D. Graves, both republicans.
Talbot: I. D. Clark, M. M. Higgins, H. C. Dodson, all republicans.
Washington: J. H. Harp, J. J. Koontz, W. H. A. Hamilton and Marine Lamar, all republicans.
Wicomico—Thomas H. White, Walter C. Mann and Clayton C. Parker, all democrats.
Worcester: George M. Upshur, Francis H. Purnell, Lemuel W. Onley, all democrats.

The Vote by Counties.

The following is the vote for Governor by counties:

Counties.	Jackson, dem.	Brooks, rep.	Baldwin, pro.
Allegany	2518	3607	234
Anne Arundel	3091	2781	91
Baltimore City	34942	28192	1145
Baltimore county	8366	6542	570
Calvert	1067	1050	30
Caroline	1525	1466	89
Carroll	3656	5391	129
Cecil	2842	2576	17
Charles	1766	1691	18
Dorchester	2712	2456	88
Frederick	5471	5800	229
Garrett	1197	1430	6
Harford	2802	2515	187
Howard	1601	1349	5
Kent	2035	2025	65
Montgomery	3061	2457	122
Prince George's	2637	2147	18
Queen Anne's	2569	1515	..
Somerset	1990	1863	249
St. Mary's	1538	1795	24
Talbot	1678	1678	10
Washington	3948	4494	159
Wicomico	2360	1263	208
Worcester	2203	1299	399
Totals	97,568	85,042	4,092

Jackson's majority over Brooks 12,536.

Baughman's majority over Dixon is 11,917, and Whyte's majority over Miller is 14,708. The call for a convention is defeated by about 20,000 majority.

GOOD FOR QUEEN ANNE'S!—Jackson over one thousand majority! John B. Brown, for State Senator, 791 majority! For clerk the vote was: for Dever, dem., 2,019; Dudley, ind., 1,311; Pierce, rep., 774. Dever's plurality 708!

WE regret to announce the loss of the Democratic Legislative ticket in Talbot, with our friend Robson, of the Easton *Star*, at its head. With eighteen hundred colored voters to start with, Mr. Robson's Republican opponent has nothing to be proud of in defeating him by only fifty votes! On the other hand Robson and his associates on the Democratic ticket have the very highest cause for congratulation in the fact that they receive the endorsement of over 2200 white voters of their county, leaving but a little over *five hundred* for their *victorious* opponents. What a victory!

Public Sales Advertised.

Nov. 15—"Idylwild," by Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., attorney.
Nov. 15—John Schwatka, personalty.
Nov. 16—J. W. Ireland's personalty.
Nov. 16—The late W. J. Porter's personal property.
Nov. 17—the Crawford farm, by Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., trustee.
Nov. 17—Wm. Watts, Still Pond.
Nov. 19—Small farm by N. Satterfield.
Nov. 19—Farm and wharf property of Mrs. T. J. Shallcross, by C. T. Westcott, Esq.
Nov. 22—Still Pond Wharf and Granary, by H. H. Barroll, attorney.
Nov. 23—J. E. Hadaway, near Edesville.
Nov. 23—E. R. Burgess, personalty.

THE Vanderbilt holdings of United States bonds, New York brokers say, are all registered 4 per cents, and amount to $40,000,000.

The Result in Other States.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The election in Pennsylvania took place on Tuesday and the Republicans carried the State by a majority estimated at about 35,000. The Republicans carried Philadelphia on the State ticket by about 15,000 majority, while Chas. H. Krumbhaar, democrat, was elected sheriff by 7,000, and Robt. P. Dechert, democrat, controller, by at least 10,000 majority. This result was brought about by the Republican Citizens' Committee, which bolted their party nominees for these two offices.

VIRGINIA.

The election on Tuesday in Virginia was for all the members of the lower house of the Legislature, 100, and 19 State Senators, and resulted in the Democrats carrying both branches, thus securing a Democratic United States Senator to succeed Riddleberger, whose term expires March 3, 1889, and giving that party control of that body after that date.

NEW YORK.

The most interesting of Tuesday's elections, in its bearing on the next presidential contest, was that in the State of New York, where the Republicans had nominated the son of General Grant for Secretary of State, and had hoped to defeat the Democratic ticket and thus to prepare the way for the defeat of Mr. Cleveland next year. The returns show the failure of this hope and the election of the Democratic State ticket by a larger majority than that given to Governor Hill. This ends all question of President Cleveland's renomination, if it does not settle the election of 1888.

Of the other States that voted on Tuesday, the Republicans elected Ames governor of Massachusetts by about 17,000 majority and the corrected returns indicate that the New Jersey Legislature will be Republican.

THE ANARCHISTS' FATE.

One of Them Blows His Head Nearly to Pieces with Dynamite!

Yesterday was the day set apart for the execution of the seven condemned anarchists at Chicago, but on Thursday Governor Oglesby, in response to numerous petitions and appeals for clemency, commuted to life imprisonment the sentences of Samuel Fielden and Michael Schwab, but refused to interfere in behalf of the other four prisoners, Albert R. Parsons, August Spies, Adolph Fischer and George Engel, who was to hang yesterday. Louis Lingg, of the anarchists, who was also to have been hanged yesterday, fatally wounded himself Thursday morning by means of a fulminating cap containing dynamite or some other explosive, which he placed in his mouth, touching off the fuse with the flame of a candle. The explosive inflicted terrible wounds, from which he died after lingering several hours.

"Three Things Settled."

From the N. Y. World, opposed to Cleveland.

The result of the election in this State settles three points as thoroughly as any political event can be settled in advance.

President Cleveland will be renominated by his party.

Mr. Blaine will not be renominated by the Republicans.

Mr. George will not control the election next year.

New York is the pivotal State. Mr. Cleveland's friends have had a complete triumph. They are entitled to the fruits of the victory.

Grover Cleveland is indeed a lucky man; and James G. Blaine may be said to be a dead cock in the pit.

OBITUARY.—T. Jennings Warren, son of Wm. H. Warren, who lives on Chester river opposite Quaker Neck wharf, died last Sunday night of typhoid fever at the residence of his father, aged 22 years. He was an estimable young man and his early demise is deeply deplored.

CAPT. J. A. RUSSELL will accept our thanks for the Baltimore *Sun* of yesterday, via Tolchester, delivered at 10.30.

A REVOLVING SIGN.—The new sign which Thomas S. Bordley has suspended in front of his Clothing Store is a very attractive one. It stands about 8 feet high and each side is 4 feet wide. Upon one side we read "A Splendid Overcoat for only $3 00, $4 00 and $5 00, Good Suits for the Same Money." Upon another side "The Finest All Wool Pants in Maryland for only $3 00." Upon another "We Sell Clothing Cheaper Than Any House in Maryland," and upon the fourth side "The Reason We Sell So Cheap is Because We Sell Positively for the Cash." Mr. Bordley says that the *Cash System* works far better than he hoped for. People get better goods for less money than they ever bought before. He is carrying out his advertisement to the letter. Read it in this issue and look out for a new one in our next.

DIED.

In Galena, Monday, October 17, of water on the brain, LYDIA BELL, babe of John P. and Katie Smith, aged 6 months.

In Chestertown, Sunday, Nov. 6, of pneumonia, CHARLEY S., infant son of Charles and Etta Nelson, aged 2 years.

Dearest Charley thou hast left us,
We thy loss most deeply feel:
But in Heaven we hope to meet thee,
Where no parting tears are shed.—MOTHER.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. T. L. Tompkinson, a former pastor, of Galena, charge, is visiting friends in Galena, and will preach in the Town Hall on Sunday evening next at 7 o'clock. It.

THE DEVOTION of the Forty Hours will commence Sunday morning, Nov. 13, at 10 o'clock, and continue until Tuesday evening, at church of Sacred Heart. Right Rev. Bishop Curtis will be present and preach. JAS. A. MURPHY, Pastor.

STOLEN:

From Kennedyville, about 11 o'clock Tuesday night, a BLACK STALLION, with small white spot in forehead, curb in right hind leg, long mane and tail; three years old. Also, end-spring Carriage and Buffalo Robe. A suitable reward will be paid for its recovery. JOHN GIBSON.
Nov. 12, 1887—2t.

HOUSE FOR RENT.

The BRICK RESIDENCE on the corner of Mill and Cannon streets, Chestertown, with stable, garden and about one acre of land in the grounds. Apply to MRS. J. N. USILTON.
no12-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.

A very desirable STORE HOUSE in the village of Lynch's, Kent county, Md., will be rented for the year 1888. This is an excellent stand for business when properly conducted. Also a neat Dwelling, located but a short distance from the store. For terms apply to
MRS. JULIA A. HOSSINGER,
or J. BIDDLE HOSSINGER,
no5-3t. Lynch's Md.

FOR RENT FOR NEXT YEAR—

A STABLE and CARRIAGE HOUSE in Chestertown. Apply to
n5-3t. J. HALL, Queen st.

FOR RENT and FOR SALE.

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

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,
oct15-tf. Chestertown.

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,
oct1-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE:

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

FESTIVAL and SUPPER.

The ladies of Galena will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER in the Town Hall, on the evenings of Nov. 23d, 24th and 25th. Proceeds to furnish the M. E. Church. COMMITTEE.

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. 15 beginning at 8 o'clock. Admission 35 cents; children half price. Tickets at the door. If rainy, the first bright evening. There will be a free train from Chestertown the night of the entertainment. It.

LECTURE! LECTURE!!

REV. D. C. RIDGWAY will deliver a Lecture at Salem M. E. Church on TUESDAY, Nov. 15 at 7.30 P. M. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. Admission 25 cents. no5-2t.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends who came to our relief on the night of the 7th instant, we feel very greatly indebted. But for your timely and untiring efforts our loss would have been much heavier.
MARIA R. WILSON,
J. FRANK WILSON.

$4,000, $5,000 and $6,000 TO LOAN.
no 12-tf. H. W. VICKERS, Att'y.

FOR SALE.—Two NEW TOP BUGGIES, one Second-Hand TOP BUGGY, and one Second-Hand JUMP SEAT, will be sold very low.
Apply to HENRY S. DEFORD,
no5-3t. Chestertown.

BATEAU FOR SALE.

Twenty feet long; four and a-half feet wide; with sails, all in complete order for fishing or oystering; oyster license included. Price $25.
L. A. KENDALL,
no5-3t.* near E. R. Strong's store.

HOMES WANTED—For a BOY, 6 years old, and a GIRL, 4 years old, both white, now at the Almshouse. Applicants must give assurances of proper care, &c. n5-3t.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the estate of CHARLES H. BAKER are requested to make payment before the 1st day of January next. All claims remaining unpaid at that time will be placed in legal hands for collection.
MARY L. BAKER,
J. H. BAKER,
no5-3t.* Administrators.

Caution to Gunners.

NOTICE 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. N. BARNARD,
Nov. 5, 1887—3t.*

NOTICE 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. MARY A. E. HEPBRON,
Nov. 5, 1887—3t.* Still Pond.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise after this date. The law will be inforced. HENRY J. GRAY.
Nov. 5, 1887—3t.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are forbidden from trespassing on my home farm in third district, with dog, gun or otherwise, under penalty of the law.
Nov. 5—3t. W. R. GALE.

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.

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