

Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN:
SATURDAY, OCT. 13, 1888.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT:
GROVER CLEVELAND,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
ALLEN G. THURMAN,
OF OHIO.

Presidential Electors at Large:
JAMES HODGES, HENRY PAGE.

District Electors:
1. W. ROY ROBERTS, 2. ISAAC GORHAM MOORE,
3. JAMES G. BERRY, 4. JOHN C. COOK,
5. WILLIAM S. SMITH, 6. MATTHEW W. TALBOT.

FOR CONGRESS:
CHARLES H. GIBSON,
OF TALBOT COUNTY.

Tuesday, November 6, 1888.

Mass Meeting!

RALLY

CHESTERTOWN—
October 24!

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING WILL
BE HELD IN CHESTERTOWN, OCT. 24.

The speaking will be commenced at 8 p. m.

HON. JAMES HODGES,
HON. CHARLES H. GIBSON,
JAMES L. GORTER, ESQ.,
and other distinguished speakers are expected to
be present and address the meeting.

The people are invited to attend, and hear the
views of the campaign discussed.

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One section of an excursion train returning
on Wednesday evening to Williamsport
from the Father Mathew celebration at
Hazelton, Pa., crashed into another section
and 57 persons are reported killed and
25 or more injured.

Messrs. A. S. ARBELL & Co., the proprietors
of the Baltimore Sun, have presented a
finely selected library of English fiction
to the new government cruiser City of Baltimore.
Secretary Whitney has acknowledged
the receipt of the gift in a graceful letter
of thanks.

The final decision of the Supreme Court
of Utah, declaring the Mormon Church
corporation dissolved and cheating to the
government over a million of church property,
may be regarded as the death-blow to
Mormonism in the United States. Good.

Removals of snow in different parts of the
country are growing entirely too frequent
for comfort. It is at least a month before
people usually make preparations for winter,
and already the mountains of Maryland are
capped with white, and blizzards are
raging in the Northwest, while in Vermont
on Tuesday there was a heavy fall of snow.

SENATOR GORHAM was in Baltimore a few
days ago and expressed much confidence
in Democratic success in New York. The
party leaders say they have no doubt of
New York, and the square, outspoken
canvass of Gov. Hill for the national ticket is
winning him the approbation of the people
everywhere. It was expected that the
New York city majority would be
would have been compromised, but the
popular demonstrations to be made in that
city in behalf of Cleveland and Thurman
on both sides of the majority contest will
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Baltimore Business Men in Kent.

Our country was honored last Thursday
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timore business men. The Kent fair was
the occasion of the visit. The party in-
cluded the Commercial City's distinguished
mayor, Hon. Frederick C. Latrobe, and
other well-known citizens. Among them
were John L. Thomas, ex-collector of the
port; Capt. Wm. C. Ellison, and
Wm. H. Bunn, Esq.

The steamer Emma A. Ford reached her
wharf here promptly at the hour appointed
with the party board, numbering three
or four hundred persons, including a num-
ber of ladies. Mr. Samuel Vannoy, one of
the committee of reception on the part of
the agricultural society, met the excursion-
ists at the wharf and conducted them to the
railroad station at the head of town.

Wright's band, fifteen pieces headed the
procession and made fine music during the
march through town. At the station the
company was compelled to wait an hour
for the train in consequence of the extraor-
dinary tax upon the resources of the road
during the morning; but the visitors were
finally landed on the Kent grounds, and
made the best use possible of their limited
stay.

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It was near seven o'clock when the com-
pany reached town from the grounds—the
train on the return trip being so heavily
laden that it was necessary to delay it at
several points, and the number of our
citizens accompanied the excursionists
back to the city and report its safe arrival
shortly before eleven o'clock, though
some of the party were pretty well shaken
up by the heavy sea in crossing the bay.

Good Speaking.

The Democratic club meeting in Stann's
Hall last Friday night was well attended.
The Baltimore speaker did not put in his
appearance, but there was no lack of inter-
est in consequence. H. W. Vickers, Esq.,
the president of the club, delivered a short
address, in which he made some practical
and very pointed hits on the tariff ques-
tion. He was followed by Jas. P. Parsons,
Esq., in a masterly discussion of the im-
portant issues of the hour. Such speak-
ing is what is needed, and it is hoped the
people in other sections of the county may
have the privilege of hearing both these
gentlemen before the campaign closes.

Democratic Gains in Newark.—The char-
ter election held at Newark, N. J., on Tues-
day resulted significantly in that great
manufacturing center of the State show-
ing a democratic gain on the general ticket
of about 700. The republicans elect eight
aldermen and retain control of the council.
The democrats gain two aldermen and
ten school commissioners. For the first
time in thirty years, the democrats have
carried the city at the charter election pre-
vious to the presidential election. The
people are evidently getting to understand
what is inolved in the question of tariff
reform, and a proper understanding of the
subject is all that is necessary to bring
about the modification desired.

**By an accident on the Metropolitan
Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail-
road, last Saturday night, seven persons
were injured, and William H. Wiley and J.
A. Casey, postal clerks, and John Ridgen-
bach, brakeman, were killed.**

**Chief Justice FELDER took the oath of
office on Monday and the Supreme Bench
of the United States is again without a
vacancy. Mr. Fuller is young enough to give
promise of as long a term of service as any
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Marysville	22	14	8
Kennettville	12	10	2
Southville	9	12	3
Kentville	6	12	6
Total	49	48	19

The October registration, which closed
last week, resulted as follows:

DISTRICTS.	NEW.	OLD.	STRIKES OFF.
Marysville	27	9	18
Kennettville	20	19	1
Southville	22	22	0
Kentville	20	22	2
Total	89	70	21

This shows a total gain of 48 white votes
over the colored.

CHURCH DEDICATION.—To-morrow (Sun-
day) is the time fixed for the dedication of
the new Methodist Protestant Church,
Chestertown. The building is completed,
and the furniture in place—the whole be-
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The Baltimore speaker did not put in his
appearance, but there was no lack of inter-
est in consequence. H. W. Vickers, Esq.,
the president of the club, delivered a short
address, in which he made some practical
and very pointed hits on the tariff ques-
tion. He was followed by Jas. P. Parsons,
Esq., in a masterly discussion of the im-
portant issues of the hour. Such speak-
ing is what is needed, and it is hoped the
people in other sections of the county may
have the privilege of hearing both these
gentlemen before the campaign closes.

Democratic Gains in Newark.—The char-
ter election held at Newark, N. J., on Tues-
day resulted significantly in that great
manufacturing center of the State show-
ing a democratic gain on the general ticket
of about 700. The republicans elect eight
aldermen and retain control of the council.
The democrats gain two aldermen and
ten school commissioners. For the first
time in thirty years, the democrats have
carried the city at the charter election pre-
vious to the presidential election. The
people are evidently getting to understand
what is inolved in the question of tariff
reform, and a proper understanding of the
subject is all that is necessary to bring
about the modification desired.

**By an accident on the Metropolitan
Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail-
road, last Saturday night, seven persons
were injured, and William H. Wiley and J.
A. Casey, postal clerks, and John Ridgen-
bach, brakeman, were killed.**

**Chief Justice FELDER took the oath of
office on Monday and the Supreme Bench
of the United States is again without a
vacancy. Mr. Fuller is young enough to give
promise of as long a term of service as any
of his predecessors except Marshall and
Taney.**

Apparently a Big Swindle.

A speculative syndicate which is No. 30
Broadway, New York, is reported to have
been the largest swindling scheme that
has been worked in New York for many
years. It has been brought to light by the
disappearance of one William H. Ingham
and the closing of the brokerage office of "W.
H. Ingham & Co.," at No. 38 Broadway.

**Mr. Carl Schurz in a letter to the New
York Post explains why he shall vote for
Mr. Cleveland this year, and not speak and
vote for Mr. Harrison, as he has been so
solicited to do. The Republican party has
up to the first time, he says, taken up an
attitude of opposition to economy. It is
a monstrous expenditure for all sorts of
things, and he says that he is not
willing to do so to prevent a reduction
of taxes. Yet the great leaders of the
party in all former years have
advocated a reduction of taxes, and the
reduction of taxes is not a new thing.**

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