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# Kent News.

SATURDAY.....Oct. 12, 1889.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR COMPTROLLER:
L. VICTOR BAUGHMAN.

FOR THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES:
F. HYLAND TAYLOR,
SAMUEL VANNORT.

FOR SHERIFF:
SAMUEL COMEGYS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:
ROBERT C. MORGAN,
THOMAS J. SHALLCROSS,
GEORGE W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
JOHN DICKINSON.

GOVERNOR LEE has assented to Governor [illegible]kson's proposition for a survey to de[illegible] the disputed oyster boundary in the [illegible]mac river.

"WAKE UP! and go in with a will, and [illegible]vill be Well—ington!"—*Carrolltonian, [illegible]lican.*

[illegible]t Baughman will be "Victor" still.

A TURN-OVER IN INDIANA.—The victory of the Democrats of Indianapolis Tuesday is significant in many ways. The city has been under republican mayors since 1874. Now it elects a democratic mayor by a good majority. Even President Harrison's own ward shows heavy democratic gains. The moral is that the country is not exhilarated by the civil service, pension, high tariff and sectional record of the administration. There is another moral, that patronage does not strengthen a party.

THE NEW STATE ELECTIONS.—It is now settled that the Democrats of Montana have elected Toole Governor by about 800 and a majority of seven and probably nine on joint ballot in the Legislature, thus securing the two United States Senators. The Republicans elect Carter to Congress by about 1,200 and the other State officers are divided between the two parties, but the exact proportion to each is not yet ascertained. The Republican majority for Carter for Delegate to Congress last November was 5,126. Washington, North Dakota and South Dakota have gone Republican by decided majorities, giving to that party six additional United States Senators.

### BLACK OR WHITE.

The following clipping is from the Baltimore *Baptist* on the "race question." We invite its careful perusal:

"It is one of the significant signs of the times that politics in the South is becoming more and more a question of race. From the days of emancipation the Anglo-Saxon of the South has felt embarrassed by the presence of the negro. Suddenly liberated, poorly fitted to use his liberty wisely, and open to the seductions of political tricksters, the freedman has been a constant menace to the Southern people. They witnessed his enfranchisement with misgiving and wondered what the end would be.

"Nearly a quarter of a century has passed since the ballot was put into the negro's hand. He has had ample time for such sober thought as he is capable of. The white people have educated him, and sought in various ways to form friendly political relations with him. The result is bad enough. The negroes have combined to oppose and upset all of the political plans of the Southern people. They oppose anything which the white people propose. They have no confidence in the white people, and so far as they make up the South, are perfectly solid in their antagonism to the Anglo-Saxon race. They will have no allies except such as will join with them in fighting whites. They will accept any leaders, no matter how base or unscrupulous, who will join in their crusade against the people among whom they live, and upon whom they are largely dependent for labor and life.

"The Northern people do not understand the situation in the South. They do not seem to desire to understand it—they talk about the cruelty of the white people to the negroes, and of a war of the races. They ought to know that the negro leads in the social conflict. They hold a position of constant and inexorable hostility to the white people. They draw the color line. This they have done from the beginning, and they are becoming more and more relentless.

"What are the whites to do? Must they sit still and let the negroes take possession of the government? Are they required either by patriotism or religion to allow an inferior race to dominate them? In the very nature of the case it is vain to expect any such thing. The white people are in possession of the South. Their fathers purchased it for them with treasures and blood, and it is not to be supposed that they will sit idly by, and submit to their own degradation and ruin. The solid South is largely a local condition. It is not so much a solidity against the North as against the negroes."

"Nor is this State of things likely to cease. The race issue is growing sharper every day. The color line is growing into a chasm which it is to be feared will yet be a bloody chasm. The white people of the South mean to rule, and they will rule."

"If the United States Government chooses to interfere it can do so. It may send troops into the South and re-establish a military government. It can adopt such legislation as will practically disfranchise the white people. It can crush the Anglo-Saxon and give the country to the negro. These are some of the ways in which this local problem can be disposed of. But if the two races are to live together, and the antagonism between them is to continue, then be it known unto all men, that the white man is going to rule."

CITIZENS along the line of the Balt. & Del. Bay Railroad on which Senator Higgins' colored friend is agent are making complaint of the manner in which he handles the mail. The regulations prescribe that mail shall be left at the smaller stations only on the down trip, yet so accommodating is the negro agent that he throws out the loose mail from up trains as well. Some of the loose mail gets into the postoffice perhaps, and perhaps it don't.—*Smyrna Record.*

THE Barnum's Hotel property, Calvert and Fayette streets, Baltimore, has been purchased for the National Trust and Guarantee Company for $250,000 cash. A handsome building will be erected on the site.

THERE has already been some cold weather in the northern section of the country. Six inches of snow fell on Sunday at Niagara Falls.

### JOHN A. GROVES.

The above name takes the place of J. T. Dixon on the Democratic ticket. The proceedings of the convention on Tuesday will be found in another column.

The selection is a most admirable one. No better could have been made. Mr. Groves has every qualification needed for the important duties of county commissioner. He is a large tax payer himself and therefore is prepared to care for other people's property. He is one of the most extensive peach growers in the county.

Mr. Groves is popular with all classes. He is a gentleman of intelligence and industry. A man of the people he cannot be otherwise than popular with the people.

The name of so estimable a gentleman will certainly add greatly to the strength of the ticket—though it was already one of the best and one of the strongest ever placed before the people of Kent.

### Perplexed.

Our Republican friends are perplexed over a portion of their ticket. They have not yet succeeded in filling the commissioner blank in the third district. It is rumored now that the nominating committee are trying to find some *sore* Democrat to give it to! The *white Republicans* in that district are very scarce any way, and those who would be accepted by the committee will not accept the candidacy, while those who would accept the honor, the committee won't have! There are no Democrats in Worton open to the questionable honor. If there *is* one so *awfully sore* we hope he will get the place, as such a candidate would be the easiest possible to beat. His *condition* would certainly be repulsive to both Democrats and Republicans.

THE RAILROAD.—The business men of Chestertown and Kent county are requested to meet Mr. Thielens and E. P. Stacey, as representatives of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, on Tuesday next, October 15, at three o'clock, in the company's office, adjoining that of James A. Pearce, Esq., for the purpose of having a mutual exchange of ideas in regard to the affairs of the road. It is stated that the present condition and future plans of the road will be clearly and honestly stated, accompanied by satisfactory vouchers as to the good faith of the management. The proper terminus of the road at Chestertown, its extension to Tolchester and other matters of interest will be discussed.

A BIG BLAZE IN BALTIMORE HARBOR.—Passengers on the steamer Emma A. Ford as she came out of Baltimore harbor on Thursday morning, had a full view of the big fire raging at Canton. The large fertilizer factory of G. Ober & Sons took fire about 10½ o'clock, and in half an hour was enveloped in flames and the half dozen or more fire engines that went to the rescue gave their attention to saving the adjoining buildings. Loss $150,000, fully insured.

DANIEL M. HENRY, JR., a leading lawyer of Cambridge and president of the new national bank at that place, died last Sunday, aged 42 years. He was a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the House of Delegates at the time of his death and was before the convention last year as a candidate for Congress. The announcement of his death has occasioned general regret in the community. His uprightness and integrity of character gained for him the entire confidence of the public, and the loss of his exceptional talents as a lawyer and his enterprising public spirit will create a void in the community difficult to fill. A wife and three children survive him. Mr. Henry was a director in the Cambridge and Seaford Branch of the P. W. & B. Railroad Company and also a vestryman and warden in Christ P. E. Church. Mrs. Henry is the daughter of the late Dr. Adkins, of Talbot.

### The New Election Law in Connecticut.

Under the new secret ballot law (known as the Australian system) now in operation in Connecticut, the town of Norwich Monday elected the straight Democratic ticket for the first time in the history of the Republican party. The town has been known all over southern New England as the "Citadel of Connecticut Republicanism." In no part of the Union, says a writer, has political bulldozing on the part of the mill towns been more flagrantly and judiciously exercised. In some of the mill villages it has been worth a mill hand's job for him to vote openly, as he had to do under the old time ballot, for Democratic national or township officers. Often the hands employed by the most powerful corporations were driven in the mill teams in squads of thirty to forty to the polls, and an overseer walked with the voter to the boxes to be sure that he cast the ballot the bosses had prearranged he should deposit.

*Reported for the Kent News.*

### The Northern Convocation.

The Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton, consisting of all the clergy having charge of parishes in Kent and Cecil counties, met in North Kent Parish on Tuesday evening, October 1. The first service was held in the chapel at Millington, where, after evening prayer, the subject of Missions—parochial, domestic and diocesan—was discussed by Revs. E. K. Miller, of North East, Schouler of Elkton, and William DuHamel, of Central Pennsylvania. On Wednesday morning, after service, the Holy Communion was administered and a sermon preached by the Rev. Mr. Miller in the church at Masseys. On Wednesday night, after a missionary service in the chapel at Millington, the subject of discussion was, "The Press as a Missionary and Parochial Agency," by Revs. Schouler, Roberts, DuHamel and Dr. Duncan. On Thursday morning, at the church in Masseys, after morning prayer, the subject being "The Parable of the Talents," Matthew 25: 15, was discussed by Revs. Schouler, Duncan and Roberts. Thursday morning, after prayer, a sermon was preached by Dr. Duncan. Revs. Munford, Meares and Miller, of Chesapeake City, were unavoidably absent. After each morning service an invitation was extended by the rector, Mr. Ware, to the clergy and congregation present to repair to the rectory and partake of a lunch provided by the members of the parish, which proved a pleasant and social reunion. The rector, at the closing service, announced that the mortgage on the rectory had been removed, which amounted to something over eleven hundred dollars, the holder agreeing to release the mortgage on the payment of five hundred and twenty-five dollars; and at the closing service the amount had been raised and paid, which was a source of the sincerest congratulations to the rector, vestry and parish.

The weather was charming, just such as would delight the farmer prepared for seeding. The congregations were remarkably good, considering the busy season, and very earnest and attentive to what was spoken. All seemed to enjoy the occasion, as not only a pleasant but a happy one, there being much to be thankful for and little to regret, and those who were necessarily absent missed the benefits of a social and refreshing session.

### THE GUNNING SEASON.

The game law for Kent county passed at the last session of the Legislature provides: "It shall not be lawful for any person or persons in Kent county to shoot, kill or catch, or in any way entrap any partridges or quail in said county between the 24th day of December and the 1st day of November in each year; nor any woodcock between the 1st day of February and the 4th day of July in each and every year; nor any rabbits between the 24th day of December and the 1st day of November in each and every year."

Non-residents of the county are required to procure a license from the clerk of the circuit court, for which the sum of $4 is charged, and no person is allowed to sell or ship game outside of the county without a license to do so.

Any person found trespassing upon lands whose occupants or owners have advertised against trespassers may be arrested by any officer and be fined the sum of five dollars, and sent to jail for failure to pay.

Just here it may not be out of place to offer a word of caution to sportsmen. A great many farmers object to gunners going upon their lands to hunt; they have been annoyed and injured by such trespass, and besides that they count the sporting privileges of their farms as of value to themselves, just as their fruit and their grain, poultry or stock, are their own, and no one has a right to disturb them in the enjoyment of the one any more than in the other. A number have already published notices cautioning gunners from trespassing upon them, and those who disregard such notice do it at their peril. The law is ample and stringent for the protection of farmers against all trespassers. Therefore gunners will only be on the safe side by obtaining permission from the owners or occupants of lands to hunt thereon.

ACCIDENT TO THE TOCKWOGH.—The new steamer Tockwogh, of the Sassafras river line, met with a serious accident on Saturday last. When near Fort Carroll, on her trip to Baltimore, the aft beam strap parted, when the heavy connecting rod crashed toward the stern of the steamer, breaking into splinters everything before it. The strap was made by a Pittsburg firm, and the accident was caused by a defect in the welding. The heavy bar which parted was three inches thick and five and one-half inches in width. Connecting with the beam-strap is the heavy rod which propels the wheels, and the working of this against the strap caused the weak portion to give way. The broken beam broke through the hurricane deck, shattering the lovely chandeliers hanging at the entrance to the cabin, ripped up the saloon floor, carried away the main stairway and broke the handsome mirror into atoms. In the descent of the rod a large pin of iron, weighing probably 250 pounds, was hurled through the saloon, and was stopped by a beam in the hurricane deck. The jar caused by the falling of the rod blew out the gland of the stuffing-box allowing the steam to escape through the boat. The piston was sent clear through the bottom of the cylinder into the steam chest. Luckily, no one was on the main stairway when the rod dropped. The engineer, Mr. Thos. Van Buskirk, was at his post and was slightly hurt by a piece of timber striking him on the side of the face.

The damage is variously estimated at from five thousand to six thousand dollars. It is stated that Charles Reeder & Sons, who put the machinery in, will make the loss good. The repairs will be carried forward as rapidly as possible, and the Tockwogh will resume her trips at the earliest possible day—about the middle of November.

A HANDSOME MONUMENT.—Mr. A. J. Hynson has erected in Chester Cemetery this week a beautiful monument to the memory of the late John F. Beeks, of Still Pond. The base is Beaver Dam marble and the other three sections pure Italian without a visible defect. The monument is 13 feet and 8 inches high and weighs 8,010 pounds. The top is adorned with a Maltese cross 2 feet 14 inches wide and 4 inches thick. The monogram, J. F. B., in the centre of the apex, is simply perfect. The whole monument is faultless in design and proportion and is decidedly one of the handsomest in the cemetery. Mr. Hynson says that the rigging to place the pieces in position cost him seventy-five dollars. The cost of the job complete was $425, which was much below city estimates.

Besides the attractive and finished manner in which Mr. Hynson does his work, his prices are much below those of city yards, and there is no reason for persons going abroad for this class of work when they can have it done just as well and much cheaper at home.

BORROWED HIS TEAM.—Mr. Wm. Deford, of Queen Anne's county, came to town on Saturday and hitched his horse and dearborn near Mr. M. A. Toulson's drug store. He drove a young bay mare, and she was a very gentle colt. When he was ready to go home he found his team gone. He inquired and searched all around town and did not give up his watchfulness until he recovered his team. He drove about eighty miles in his earnest search and did not find his team until late the following Sunday evening. Some drunken rowdies had *borrowed* it and, after driving the little horse no one knows where, came back to town; but, instead of hitching where the horse was found, tied her under a shed on Cannon street, in the yard recently occupied by Mr. C. H. Davis. Mr. Deford says she will not recover from her treatment for six months at least. She was without food or water for a day and night, and besides was driven thirty or forty miles or more.

THE LYCEUM.—Christ Church Lyceum held its first meeting since June on Wednesday evening. A good audience was present, the association being presided over by Mr. J. L. McFeely. The following officers were elected to serve for the next six months: President, T. D. Bowers; vice-president, Wm. B. Usilton, Jr.; secretary, W. Bradford Copper; treasurer, Miss Clare Vannort; organist, Miss Clara Usilton; chaplain, J. H. Geoghegan. The president appointed the following executive committee: Mrs. W. R. Graham, Messrs. W. W. Chapman and W. F. Porter. A rich programme is promised for next meeting.

MR. J. B. SAPPINGTON is making a substantial improvement in the corner building adjoining Christ Church. A back building 28 feet long two and a-half stories is being added which will give four or six more rooms. Mr. George H. Cannan is doing the work.

TO PEACH GROWERS AND FARMERS.—Do you want a crop of peaches next year? Do you want to improve your orchards?—*permanently* improve your land? Orchilla Guano will do it, and E. J. Watson, Chestertown, is the agent for the celebrated article. Call and see him.

THE Cecil and Harford county fairs have been held this week. Good weather induced a large attendance at each. No Kent horses were entered and we see nothing in the reports of special interest to our readers.

THE services at Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, tomorrow, will be of a special character, it being the first anniversary of the dedication of the new church.

THE festival held at Masseys last Friday and Saturday evenings for the benefit of North Kent parish was a decided success, the sum realized being more than was expected.

THE ladies of Wesley Chapel will have a festival on the church green this (Saturday) evening. A splendid supper will be served at 5 P. M., and later. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

THE extensive improvements on St. Dennis Church and rectory, at Galena, have just been completed, and the congregation deserve great credit for their donations which have warranted them.

NOT SOLD.—The store-house of Mr. L. K. Stam, on High street, was offered at public sale on Tuesday by C. T. Westcott, attorney, and withdrawn at a bid of $2490.00. It may be purchased at private sale.

A DOG belonging to Mr. Fred Fountain while in the shop of Mr. D. P. Jones yesterday morning became frightened, and to avoid a "strap" bounded through the glass door, breaking the large pane into fragments.

THE W. C. T. U. of Chesterville celebrated its anniversary at Mrs. Wm. Miller's on Thursday evening of last week. The president, Mrs. Miller, assisted by Misses Sophia and Mary Miller and Misses Nellie and Minnie Medders, had the entertainment in charge. The supper was an elegant affair and served amid pretty decorations of evergreen. Music was discoursed and a pleasant evening spent.

THE OLD MARKET HOUSE.—Mrs. Mary E. Brown, the efficient president of the W. C. T. U., suggests that the old market house should be torn down and the site used for a new postoffice building, with a large upper room for the use of Christian associations. This would be an improvement certainly, but the *practical* plan for the accomplishment of such an enterprise has not yet been formulated.

BUSINESS CHANGE.—Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr. advertises his store room—one of the best locations in town—for rent. He has divided his building in two. The down town part he has fitted up for his own use, to give exclusive attention to the lumber and fertilizer business. He has fine front and back offices, tastily papered, and trimmed in hard woods, while several adjoining rooms are to be used for storage of frame stuff and lumber material. The store section also has several apartments adjoining.

ANOTHER SERENADE.—Mr. Sam Comegys, the Democratic nominee for sheriff was serenaded last week at his home by a company of gentlemen headed by a string band. After some excellent music on the outside of the dwelling, though the hour was late, the good natured and hospitable candidate threw open his doors and invited the whole party inside when mutual congratulations were extended. Mr. J. W. Robinson, of Still Pond, was one of the spokesmen for the party.

IN the NEWS of last week was chronicled the death of Mr. Joseph Maslin. His funeral took place on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock. The services were held at Wesley Chapel and were conducted by Revs. B. F. Benson and Dr. D. W. Bates. The bearers were Thomas, George and William Maslin, brothers of the deceased, and T. Romie, E. R. and Chas. C. Strong. A large gathering of friends and relatives were present, evincing the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

SCHOOL HOUSE BURNED.—On Wednesday morning last, about nine o'clock, the colored school house at Sharptown, near Rock Hall, was burned. While the teacher and some of the scholars were engaged in building a fire the chimney was seen to be on fire, and soon the flames were leaping out above the roof. The wind being strong threw the sparks down upon the dry shingles, igniting the whole in a few minutes, and it was soon leveled to the ground. The new church, standing near by, was considerably damaged by the heat arising therefrom.

KILLED IN THE PENITENTIARY.—Isaiah Wheeler, colored, who was convicted in the circuit court of Kent county at the last October term of an assault with intent to kill James Thompson, also colored, on the steamer Emma A. Ford, and sentenced to the penitentiary for two years, is reported to have since died from the effects of a blow on the head inflicted by a fellow-prisoner named Richard Wells on Thursday of last week. The two men had been working together for some time and were apparently good friends. No motive can be assigned for the assault, and it is thought that Wells must have been temporarily deranged.

RUNAWAY.—Mr. Wm. Hudson and wife met with an exciting adventure late Saturday night. He had been to his father's in Piney Neck and was returning to his home on the John N. Usilton farm near Chestertown. Mr. Hudson was driving two horses to a large buggy, in which were eight bushels of wheat, and to which was attached a drill. When coming down the hill at Mr. Bert Decourse's gate the drill run against the buggy, scared the horses and they ran, breaking the tongue loose from the buggy and dragging Mr. H. out. The latter was dragged across the branch, but regaining his feet he stopped the horses and after borrowing a wagon from Mr. R. R. Hatcherson, reached home between one and two o'clock Sunday morning, with a jaded wife and himself somewhat worsted from the rough experience.

CAST UP BY THE SEA.—Thomas Meldrum, a cousin of F. J. Carter, the well known painter and paper-hanger of Chestertown, was second engineer of steamship Earnmore, which sailed from Baltimore, August 28th, bound for Rio Janiero. On September 5th the vessel was struck by a cyclone and sunk in mid ocean. Three of the officers and eighteen of the crew were lost. Only seven of those on board, among them Mr. Meldrum, were saved. They were rescued from the life-boat by the schooner Mosquito, and taken to Santiago de Cuba, which port they reached in an exhausted condition. Mr. Meldrum, has had several narrow escapes and met with many thrilling experiences during his career on the water. He was on board the Domingo which went down in the great blizzard of March 1888, off the coast of Florida. He was one of the few who escaped. Twice since he has been on the Earnmoor has that vessel been wrecked. On the 10th of last January, when opposite Edgemoor, she struck a ledge of rock in the Delaware Bay and sank. Her repairs, which cost $50,000, were completed and she set sail April 30. She is now hopelessly wrecked. The Earnmore was a steel ship of 1,320 tons, 280 feet long, 36 feet, 4 inches beam and 23 feet deep. She was launched in 1886 and was valued at $135,000.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

MRS. W. D. Burchinal, Mrs. James Brice, Mrs. C. M. Lucas, Mrs. Mary Brown and Miss Anna W. Hartley attended the annual convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society at the First Methodist Church, Baltimore, as delegates from Chestertown, on Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mr. Ebenezer Jacobs and family, of Chestertown, have removed to Baltimore.

Mrs. Sydney Dryden, of Pocomoke City, has been spending a week with her niece, Miss Nellie Walters, in Chestertown.

Mrs. Wm. E. Davis, of Baltimore, has been spending a few days with friends in Kent. While in town she was the guest of Mr. W. H. Lambert.

Mrs. George Bryans is visiting her sister, Mrs. Etta Gardner, Wilmington, Del.

Rev. William Munford, of St. Paul's parish, has accepted the call to Salisbury, Md., and will leave next week for his new field of labor. His departure from among us is deeply regretted not only by his parishioners but by all who have made his acquaintance in the community.

Miss Ida Crew, near Lankford, has returned from a pleasant visit to New York.

W. F. Russell, who graduated from Washington College in June, left Tuesday morning to take a course of study at the Maryland Law School, Baltimore.

Mr. Albert Rivers a graduate of the law school has secured a good situation in Baltimore with a prominent law firm.

Miss Ellen Wickes has gone to Cambridge, Mass., where she has accepted a situation as assistant to Mrs. Fanny D. Bergan, an authoress, etc., who was a guest of Miss Ellen's mother during the summer.

Miss Lillian Hynson is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Thomas Lusby, of Still Pond, is attending lectures at the Chicago Homoepathic College.

Miss Jennie Speakman, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Racie Archibald at Kennedyville.

Mrs. Blackiston, mother of Mr. W. J. Blackiston, of Denton is visiting at Mrs. Dr. J. T. Twilley's on High street.

Mrs. Morrison accompanied by her two children, of Virginia, is visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. Micou at Washington College.

Mr. John H. Clendaniel, of Worton, left yesterday for a recreating trip to the Delaware Water Gap.

Mr. John W. Powell, of Wye Mills, has been in Chestertown again this week, the guest of Mr. H. Hyland. He lives on a 1,000 acre farm and inspected the creamery here with a view of starting one on his own premises.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Henley gave a pleasant reception at their home on Cross street on Thursday night. Confections were served and an enjoyable evening spent by the many guests.

Capt. Philip J. M. Young, commander of the steamer William Woodward, of the Ericsson line, died at his home in Baltimore on the 3d inst., aged 58 years. He lived near Still Pond in this county when a boy and at the age of nine years he began to follow the water with an older brother, and at his eighteenth year he was made master of the schooner Minnehaha.

W. Scott Roberts, of the Centreville *Record*, is making a trip through Pennsylvania by carriage.

We acknowledge the receipt of a card of invitation to the nuptials of Mr. J. Edward Tylor, of the *Easton Gazette*, and Miss May Clark, on Thursday morning, Oct. 17, at 11 o'clock, at St. Paul's P. E. Church, Trappe, Md.

Miss Annie R. Galloway, daughter of Rev. Mr. Galloway, of Baltimore, has returned home from a pleasant visit to Mr. Taylor in Kennedyville. She was accompained by Miss Maude Joiner, of Chestertown.

LOCUST GROVE PERSONALS.

Miss Helen Hayes is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Misses Lulu and May Ireland, of Chestertown, are visiting Mrs. James W. Hurtt.

Mr. J. Byron has nearly completed his very neat, little dwelling and will soon have a nice home.

Miss Ida Redmile who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

### MARRIED.

On the M. E. Church, Crumpton, on Wednesday, Oct. 6, by Rev. J. B. Merritt, JAMES ARCHIBALD, of Kent co., and Miss LILLY C. SPARKS, of Crumpton, Queen Anne's county.

### DIED.

On the 5th of October, 1889, MARIA L., beloved wife of Morgan Brown, aged 57 years.

At Edesville, Sept. 21, after a short but painful illness of liver colic, MARGARET S. M. PORTER, beloved wife of Robert W. Porter, sweetly fell asleep in the arms of Jesus, aged 43 years, 1 month and 15 days.

Dearest mother, thou hast left us,
And our loss we deeply feel;
But since thou didst fold thy arms and smile so sweetly at the bidding of thy precious Saviour, upon whom thou didst lean all these years from early life, we can only say, "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away, blessed be the name of the Lord." Rest on, mother dear, till we meet again at Jesus' feet. BY HER HUSBAND AND DAUGHTER.

**In Memoriam,**

At a stated meeting of the "Jackson Democratic Club," held October 5, 1889, of which Joseph Maslin was an earnest and efficient member, interesting eulogies were made by members of the club and the following resolutions passed:

WHEREAS, We have lost to our association by the claim of death, an earnest and active member, beloved by all, Joseph Maslin.

*Resolved*, That we as a club, express the great esteem in which we held our brother member.

*Resolved*, That we deeply sympathize with the afflicted wife and children and commend them to the loving God.

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the bereaved family, and a copy sent to the KENT NEWS for publication.

FODDER YARN, Husking Gloves and Pins, Grain Scoops and Corn Baskets, at the hardware store of J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

**FESTIVAL and SUPPER!**

The Ladies of LOCUST GROVE M. E. Church will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER on THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY Evenings, October 10th, 11th and 12th. Proceeds for benefit of the church. By order of the COMMITTEE.

**LOST:**

On Saturday, Sept. 28, in the public road near Perkins' Hill, a BLUE CLOTH OVERCOAT, with Velvet collar. The finder will receive the thanks of the owner by returning it to JAMES BRICE, Chestertown. o5-3t.


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# SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of two writs of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, State of Maryland, one at the suit of J. S. Vandegrift, endorsee, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of J. N. Moffett and R. F. Moffett, the other at the suit of Wm. S. Kirby, against the goods, and chattels, lands and tenements of R. F. Moffett, to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity, of the said R. F. Moffett, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

## All That Farm, or Tract of Land,

situate, lying and being in the First Election District of Kent county, Maryland, and on the north side of the public road leading from Chesterville to Millington, adjoining the lands of Enoch J. Moffett, Lewis Price's heirs and others, and containing

## 190 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, one hundred and twenty of which was devised to said R. F. Moffett under the last will of his father, and recorded among the Will Records of Kent county, in Liber J. F., No. 1, Page 337; twelve acres of which were conveyed by E. S. Moffett and wife by deed dated August 4, 1884, and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 6, Folio 1 &c., of the Land Records of said county twenty-four acres of which were conveyed by William Cacy and R. C. Johnson, commissioners appointed to divide the real estate of Joseph H. Smith, by deed dated August 4, 1884, and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 6, Pages 2 &c., of the Land Records for said county.

And I hereby give notice that on

**WEDNESDAY, November 6, 1889,**

At Twelve o'clock M.,

*In front of COURT HOUSE door, Chestertown*, I will offer for sale at Public Auction said property so seized and taken into execution to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JAMES A. CASEY, SHERIFF.
Oct. 12, 1889—4t.


**FOR SALE on EASY TERMS**

THREE HUNDRED-ACRE FARM,
near Millington, Kent County, Md.
Apply to RAY W. JONES,
s28-3t. 615 Walnut Street, Phila., Pa.


REV. W. H. LOGAN will preach at Worton Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, the 13th. 1t.

RELIGIOUS.—There will be service and sermon with Holy Communion at I. U. on Sunday Oct. 13, at 10.30 A. M. Service at St. Paul's at 3 P. M. 1t.

M. E. CHURCH, CHESTERTOWN.—Love Feast tomorrow (Sunday) morning at 9.30, preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor and at 7.30 P. M. by Rev. J. France, P. E. 1t.

RT. REV. A. A. CURTIS, Bishop of Wilmington, will visit St. Dennis' Church, Galena, next sunday, the 13th, inst., and have service consisting of Mass and Sermon at 10 o'clock A. M. and at 7.30 P. M. Vespers, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. 1t.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY of the Dedication of the NEW CHRIST CHURCH, Chestertown, to-morrow SUNDAY, Oct. 13. ANNIVERSARY SERMON at 10½ A. M. Special anniversary service at 7½ P. M., and addresses by Rev. D. W. BATES, D. D., and B. F. BENSON, A. M. Welcome to all. 1t.

NOTICE.—The ANNUAL MEETING of the STOCKHOLDERS of the TOLCHESTER BEACH IMPROVEMENT COMPANY of Kent county, will be held at Tolchester Beach, WEDNESDAY, Oct. 16, at 10 A. M. W. C. ELIASON, President.
1t.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun, or in any other manner, upon the premises of either of the undersigned, near Galena, under penalty of the law.
HENRY J. GRAY,
Oct. 12—3t. BENJ. F. MORGAN.


**FOR RENT for the year 1890:**

DWELLING HOUSE corner Princess and Cannon Streets, Chestertown.
o12-4t. Apply to H. C. CHASE.

**FOR RENT:**

The STORE-ROOM now occupied by me. One of the best locations in the town. Possession given at once. T. W. ELIASON, JR.,
o12-4t. Chestertown.

**HOUSE for RENT**

IN THE VILLAGE OF KENNEDYVILLE

a Handsome and Commodious House of nine rooms, good cellar, stable and garden. Possession given at once. Rent moderate. Keys at Weer's Store.
o12-4t. L. C. JUSTIS, JR.

**FOR RENT for 1890:**

The STORE-HOUSE and DWELLING combined in Galena, Kent county, Maryland, recently occupied by Wm. A. Wilson. For terms apply to MRS. MARY A. SUTTON, Perryville, Cecil co., Md. or to GEORGE W. JACOBY, Galena, Kent co., Md.
o12-2m.

**FOR SALE or RENT:**

A small DWELLING HOUSE in BROAD NECK will be sold a bargain or rented to a good tenant. Garden attached and premises well shaded. Also for sale a NEW BOAT and sails. S. KILBURN & SON.
oct. 12 3t.*

**STRAY HORSE.**

Strayed from my premises about the middle of September last, a large ROAN HORSE, ten to 12 years old. Any information leading to his recovery will be thankfully received. A. H. CREW,
o12-3t. near Chestertown.


**NOTICE.**

The citizens of Chestertown and Kent county are requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the railroad office of J. R. Franklin, adjoining the office of James A. Pearce, Esq., on Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which meeting Mr. Thielens and myself, representing the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, will be present and will make a clear and full statement of the affairs of the company, the extent of its improvements and what its future plans are in reference to continuing its tracks to Tolchester and making Chestertown its terminal point. The questions are of interest to the people of the town and county, and a full attendance of business men and all those interested in the county progress and improvement are requested to be present.
E. P. STACEY,
1t. General Superintendent.


# GRAND MUSICALE!

One Night Only - Stam's Hall.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 30, 1889.

**RICCA'S CASTILIAN TROUBADOURS!!**

will appear in the

*Brilliant Spanish Costume of Old Castle*

and produce the wonderfully attractive and dreamy music of their native land. Their music is dainty, sweet and pathetic. It appeals to the romantic in human nature, and affects the emotions like strains from an old song. Their instruments are the

**MANDOLIN, HARP, GUITAR and ZITHERN.**

It is to be hoped this entertainment will be liberally patronized, as it is rarely that a county town is favored with music so attractive.

The price of Tickets, including Reserved Seats, has been fixed at 50c., and the sale limited to 400. It is best to secure your seats now and avoid trouble. Read what the press says.
o12-3t. COLIN F. STAM.

**HURRAH! HURRAH!**

—FOR THE GRAND—

# Racing and Tournament

—TO BE HELD—

# AT WORTON STATION

—FAIR GROUNDS—

**October 15 and 16, 1889!**

PROGRAMME:

FIRST DAY—TUESDAY, 15th:

At 10 o'clock A. M. CLAY PIGEON MATCH. First Prize ——, Second Prize ——.

At 1 P. M., MULE RACE. The slowest Mule wins. Prize, $5 to first, $3 to second, $2 to third.

TROTTING RACE, 2.40 class; premium, $100, divided in four moneys—$50, $25, $15, $10.

RUNNING RACE. Premium $25, $12.50 to first, $7.50 to second, $5 to third.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY, 16th:

At 10 A. M., BASE BALL and FOOT BALL MATCH. Good prizes.

At 1 P. M., GRAND TOURNAMENT, by Amateurs, First Prize, a Set of Single Harness; Second Prize, Bridle and Saddle; Third Prize, Fine Lap Robe; Fourth Prize, Whip. Entrance fee $2, and 10 knights to enter.

TROTTING RACE; Premium $250.00; for horses without records, three in five to road wagons; $12.50 to first, $7.50 to second, $5.00 to third.

CONDITIONS OF TRIALS OF SPEED:

Entrance fee ten per cent. of the purse; five or more to enter; three to start. Both of the trotting races are to be mile heats to Sulkeys. Which eight or more horses start in a heat the distance will be one hundred and fifty yards, and to continue so through the race. Horse distancing the field or any portion thereof will be entitled to only one premium. Entries to close at 12 o'clock M., Saturday, Oct. 12th, 1889. These conditions subject to change.

For further information apply to J. W. IVENS, SEC., Worton Station, Kent co., Md.

COMMITTEE:

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| W. B. STEPHENS, | JOHN W. STARTT, |
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| C. H. HURLOCK, | |

COMMITTEE ON CLAY PIGEON MATCH—THOS. GALE.

COMMITTEE ON TRACK:
JOHN W. STARTT, T. J. PARSONS,
GEORGE B. McWHORTER. o5-2t.


PUBLIC SALE OF

# PERSONAL PROPERTY

UNDER and by virtue of power contained in a Deed of Trust from Montgomery Rankin and wife, the undersigned will sell at the home of the said Montgomery Rankin, on the farm commonly called 'Canik's Field,' in Kent county, Md., the following Personal Property at Public Sale,

**On MONDAY, October 14th, 1889,**

COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

# 6 Head of Good Horses,

2 COLTS, one this spring's colt, and one 2 yrs. old;

**THREE COWS,**

**20 Large and Healthy Fattening Hogs,**

LARGE LOT OF PIGS, 18 SHEEP, ALL EWES;

1 Binder, 1 Drill, 3 Harrows,
Number of Plows, and Cultivators,
1 Carriage and Harness,
1 Dearborn and Harness,
1 Farm Wagon and Harness,
Lot of Plow Gears, 1 Corn Sheller,
1 Grain Fan.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Eleven Months will be allowed; notes payable in bank with approved security, with interest. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

JOHN D. URIE, TRUSTEE.

NOTICE.—All creditors of the said MONTGOMERY RANKIN are hereby notified to file their claims, duly proven, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., within Four Months from this date, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefits of his estate.
JOHN D. URIE,
Trustee of Montgomery Rankin.
JNO. H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. Sept.