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SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1908.

—It is no longer OUR rule, but a United States law, that a subscription a year in arrears must be discontinued, or the publisher pays 1c a copy postage. We notify every subscriber BEFORE discontinuing, and once afterwards, if necessary.

THE late Senator Wm. Pinkney White never used tobacco in any form. He never entered a saloon and never tasted liquor.

AND now the "Annex" talks of secession. O, don't! Let city and county stop wrangling and then they will love each other better. Both are lovable when "jogging along" harmoniously, but both are hateful "fussers!"

MR. FRANK A. MUNSEY says that he selected Mr. Stuart Oliver as acting manager for the News after knowing him only two days. What a compliment to this young man. We'll bet he never was a street corner loafer.

MR. MUNSEY, the new owner of the Baltimore Evening News, says he will not allow advertising matter on his first page because of its value for news. This is on the theory that readers are not interested in ads. The liveliest and best papers in the country long since discovered the contrary. The Baltimore Sun and American are always interesting in their first page advertising.

"COULD NOT BE BETTER!"

Engineer Quick, of the Baltimore city Water Department, among the many suggestions and tests he made in his official visits to Chestertown, upon request of special committee, asked Dr. H. G. Simpers, the County Health Officer, to make careful tests of the several springs that make up the water supply of the Chestertown Water Company. Dr. Simpers, in compliance therewith, drew samples at six different times during the day at each of the pools—the "Free School Spring" and the "New Pool"—and sent them to Dr. W. B. D. Pennimen, the State chemist, for analysis. The report of Dr. Pennimen was received last Saturday, and it was emphatic and unqualified, marked "Good," the highest grade it could call for. Dr. Simpers says the report is substantially that *the water could not be better* for drinking purposes. We have never doubted the purity of these waters, but this testimony from such high authority as the State chemist, will be gratifying to the whole town. This is the third or fourth test of these waters and all have declared them perfect in purity.

This last was made with exceeding care. Dr. Simpers procured the samples himself direct from the springs and had the demijohns sealed and shipped in such manner as to guard against any kind of contamination. The good health of our people, their freedom from fevers is in very large degree, no doubt, attributable to pure water.

A GREAT MAN GONE.

United States Senator William Pinkney Whyte died at his home in Baltimore at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening after a short illness of erysipelas. His death ends a career without a parallel in the history of the State. No other Marylander ever lived a life so filled with public honor as was his or gained a higher place in the esteem of his fellow-citizens.

For many years the eminence and character of Mr. Whyte had been one of the State's distinctions and one of the proudest boasts of its people. That he should have closed his remarkable public career by serving as Senator in the body to which he was first chosen more than a generation ago is gratifying to his thousands of friends and admirers throughout the State. For 20 years he had been Maryland's "Grand Old Man," and in his public life of more than half a century had personified the best traditions of the State.

Born in Baltimore August 9, 1824. Clerk from 1842 to 1844. Graduated at law at Harvard, 1845. Delegate in Legislature, 1847-48. State Comptroller, 1853-55. Contested for seat in Congress, 1857. Delegate to national convention, 1868. Appointed United States Senator, 1868. Governor of Maryland, 1871-74. Elected United States Senator, 1875. Mayor of Baltimore, 1881. Attorney-General of Maryland, 1887. Chairman New Charter Commission, 1897-98. City Solicitor, 1900. Appointed United States Senator, 1906. Elected United States Senator in 1908 to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Gorman.

His successor will be elected next Tuesday by the General Assembly and all signs point to the selection of Senator John Walter Smith.

THE committee on transportation of the Peninsula Horticultural Society will meet in the office of the State Board of Agriculture, Dover, on Saturday, March 21, at 10 a. m., to hear complaints or grievances against the transportation companies, and all farmers are invited to be present at this meeting. If farmers cannot attend they should address the Secretary of the Transportation Committee, Dover, Del., and write in full any suggestions they have to offer. The committee will wait upon Mr. R. M. Patterson, Superintendent Freight Transportation of the Pennsylvania Railroad, Broad street station, Philadelphia, the following Monday to have a conference upon transportation questions.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
House and Lot
IN CHESTERTOWN, MD.

THE undersigned by authority vested in him by the heirs of the late Mrs. Mary Jane Stauffer will sell at public sale in front of the Court Hourt Door, Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 24th, 1908,

between 12 o'clock noon and 1 o'clock P. M.

All That House And Lot

On north east side of Church Alley adjoining the properties of Wesley Boyer and others, having a frontage of 22 feet, and depth of 122 feet, being lot number 28 of the town, and being the same house and lot that was conveyed to Fancratius Stauffer and others by Elizabeth C. Wickes by deed recorded in Liber J. K. H. No. 5, folio 7, etc.

TERMS—One-third purchase money cash on day of sale, balance in six and Twelve Months. Title papers at cost of purchaser.

J. A. STAUFFER, Agent.
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct. f22-ts.

Now Ready

New Spring Overcoats.
New Spring Top Coats.
New Spring Suits.
New Spring Vests.
New Spring Trousers.
New Spring Hats.
New Spring Furnishings.
New Spring Neckwear
New Spring Shirts.
New Spring Shoes.
Style, Quality, Price
Latest, Best, Moderate.

Biggest Because Best — MULLIN'S — Clothing Hats Shoes
Wilmington

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Kent county letters testamentary on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

RICHARD T. TURNER, JR.,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of Sept., 1908, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 14th day of March, 1908.

HOWARD TURNER.
HENRY C. TURNER.
JAMES R. TURNER,
mch14-4t Executors.

To The Ladies.—A subscriber of the NEWS writes us to please send them the receipt for making Maryland biscuit. We would like some of our Maryland lady friends to send us what they consider the best receipt for this Eastern Shore luxury.

New Hall.—The G. A. R. and Ladies' Relief Corps are building a new hall on Princess street on the site of their old Tabernacle which has been torn away. The building will be 22x44, two stories with provision for holding entertainments, suppers, etc., Duyer Bros. are doing the work. Henry Landin is Captain of the order.

MR. WILLIS' STATEMENT.

Messrs. Editors,

Sirs:—My action in voting against the Anti-Saloon Bill has been unjustly criticised in some quarters and I take this opportunity to say that I made no pledges to any body either in the Primary or General Election to vote for any measures or reward by personal appointment for any political services rendered, except I did pledge to cast my vote and use my influence for what I believed to be honest and just and to the best interests of the people whom I was to serve and this I have in my opinion done, my opponents to the contrary. My vote on the Anti-Saloon Bill was cast after the most thorough deliberation and with a full realization of the harsh criticism it would call forth not only in my County but in my own home and family and friends, whose trust in me is as dear to my heart as life itself I knew full well when I cast my vote, that some men would say it was politically unwise. I knew that some would say I had committed a great and awful sin against society and taken my stand with the Saloon; I knew it would be very much easier to fall in line as did some of those who voted for the Bill, and thereby escape the condemnation of the ultra-prohibitionists who do not, and have not, hesitated to threaten.

The expediency of voting for the bill was very plain to me and yet I could not overlook the fact that the Temperance Committee in whom I have the utmost confidence had reported the bill unfavorably after a most thorough and careful hearing of all sides, by an almost unanimous vote and stood on the floor of the House and urged the unjustness of forcing the measures on districts not asking for it; and Baltimore City, through its Delegates was protesting against the bill on the grounds that it would strangle its business interests at a most critical period, a time when the City is recovering from a most disastrous fire and struggling not only to rebuild and equip on modern lines but to attract the southern and Western trade that is so necessary to the prosperity of the City and thereby the State.

It was a business proposition and not one of sentiment and I want the people of my County to know that I am not against Local Option. I voted for it when it was last submitted to a vote of our people and I would vote for it again. I have cast my vote in the House of Delegates in favor of any measure in the interest of Local Option for the different counties when it was asked for by their delegates and I have no apologies or regrets to offer for my stand on the Anti-Saloon Bill and I feel sure that a thoughtful summary of all the facts, in a very knotty problem, will sustain my action in the public mind.

H. C. WILLIS.

Rev. T. H. Lewis, D. D., LL. D., President of Western Maryland College, will deliver his new lecture, "In Tent and Saddle in Northern Palestine," in Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Chestertown, on Wednesday evening, March 25th, at 7.30 o'clock. There will be no charge for admission, but a silver offering will be received at the door from those able and willing to make such offering. All will be welcome whether able or not to make a silver offering. Doctor Lewis spent the greater part of last year traveling in the East. His marked ability to tell interesting what he has seen and studied, together with his general culture and excellent qualities as a public speaker will make this lecture a rare treat for the public of our town. Remember the date, Wednesday, March 25th.

PUBLIC SALE
OF A
SMALL FARM
NEAR ROCK HALL.

THE UNDERSIGNED, as attorney for the owner, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 14TH, 1908,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon,

ALL THAT TRACT

OR PART OF TRACT OF LAND

situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, Maryland, aforesaid, on the south side of the public road leading from Rees' Corner to Tolchester, adjoining the lands of George W. Walbert, James Bramble and others, containing

36¾ ACRES

OF LAND MORE OR LESS.

It is known as the "Ayers Farm" or "Stevens Farm."

IT IS IMPROVED BY A TWO-STORY

FRAME DWELLING

stable, corn crib, barn and other usual outbuildings all in fair condition.

The soil is kind, easily improved adapted to the growth of fruit, grass and grain. It is desirably located, being about two miles from Tolchester Beach and the same distance from Rock Hall, with daily boats to and from Baltimore, convenient to churches, schools and post office. This is a fine opportunity for any one desiring a home or safe investment in this part of Kent county.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue payable in one and two years from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured with a surety or sureties approved of by the undersigned. All title papers at cost of purchaser. A clear title will be given to the purchaser on the day of sale.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
mch21-ts Attorney for Owner.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
PERSONALTY

The undersigned will sell at Kennedyville, Maryland,

On Friday, March 27th, 1908,

at 10 A. M. sharp by order Wm. E. Seney:

One Mare, Two Colts

One black mare seven years old, sound, kind and gentle, medium weight, work single or double.

1 Black Smuggler Colt coming two years old.
1 Bay Colt, one year old.

Farming Implements

Plow, Cultivator, A Harrow, Dearborn Pole, Dearborn, Wagon, Buggy, 2 Carriages, 3 sets of Single Harness, Hay, Corn Sheller, 20 Hives of Bees.

Lot of Household Furniture

including Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Lounges, Stoves, Stands, etc., etc.

TERMS—Ten Dollars and under, cash; all over Ten Dollars good bankable indorsed note taken.

WM. E. SENEY.
D. H. C. WARREN, Auctioneer. mch14-ts.

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If you should spend all your money in going to concerts and theatres and vaudeville shows, you could not buy as much music as you can buy with a small part of the same money invested in an Edison Phonograph and Edison Gold Moulded Records.

This Phonograph is the work of Thomas Alva Edison, the great inventor. It reproduces music and ether sounds more clearly and more perfectly than any mechanical device ever made. You may hear the songs of great singers, the music of great orchestras, the speeches of great speakers.

You can reproduce the latest vaudeville hit, the popular songs that everyone is whistling, or the star part of a star opera singer, in your own home, to a circle of your own friends. The cost is less per week than the price of a cheap theatre ticket.

An Edison Phonograph is especially needed in homes away from the large cities It is the ideal amusement for the farm.

Call and here them free; sold on easy weekly or monthly payments.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD

UNITED TRANSFER COMPANY.
HORSES, $20 TO $65.
MULES, $75 TO $125 A PAIR.
TO BE POSITIVELY SOLD.

100 Horses and Mares and 50 head Mules, ages 5 to 8 years, weighing 900 to 1,400 pounds; all good, serviceable stock, right out hard work; to be sold at rate 25 head weekly. Also, 20 Fat Mares and 4 Mares in Foal, very cheap. See Superintendent at Company's Stables, 505 to 515 EAST LEXINGTON STREET, corner Frederick, Baltimore, Md. C. and P. Phone, St. Paul 5655. f15-4m.

ASPARAGUS CROWNS

in Palmetto, Barr's, Conover's, Giant Argenteuil and Mammoth White, particularly strong this year. Also Fruit, Shade and Ornamental Trees. Write for prices. Catalogue free.

FRANKLIN DAVIS NURSERY CO.,
1 North Paca St., Baltimore, Md.
57 years old—over 1200 acres and still growing.

ADBERT, 35508.
RECORD 2 26¼.

This stallion will make the season in Kent and Queen Anne's counties this Spring, 1908. His pedigree shows him to be one of the finest bred horses in the East. Last year he worked a mile in 3.22, last half 1.19, last quarter in 32. He shows plenty of speed and good finishing qualities.

Any one wishing to breed for speed, high-class roadsters or general purpose horses will find it to their best interests to use this stallion. He is a beautiful seal brown, 15½ hands high, weighs about 1000 lbs., well built, sound limbs. His colts are always of fine size, well colored and fine limbed. Many of these which have been handled for speed have showed plenty of it. All are good gaited trotters, none of them have ever paced.

TERMS—$15.00 single mare; $25.00 for two with privilege of returning until a living foal as long as Adbert is owned by me.

Anyone wishing services of this horse can obtain same by writing me.

COOPER TARBUTTON,
mch21-tf Millington, Md., R. F. D.

HERMAN

THE WELL-KNOWN DRAFT HORSE will make the season beginning about March 20th. Terms same as heretofore.

W. B. ASHLEY,
mch21-tf ROCK HALL, MD.

BIDS FOR PILES
will be received at the offices of the
County Commissioners
For Kent and Queen Anne's Co's
On TUESDAY, March 31, 1908,
AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON.

for use of Chester River Bridge at Chestertown. The same to be delivered to said bridge. Number of Piles, Dimensions and Material as follows:

20 White Oak Piles 20 feet long.
10 White Oak Piles 22 feet long.
10 White Oak Piles 28 feet long.
10 White Oak Piles 30 feet long.
30 White Oak Piles 34 feet long.
10 White Oak Piles 40 feet long.

Plug piles will not be accepted.
Piles to be not less that 16 inches at the larger end and smaller end not less than 6 inches.
The right reserved by Commissioners to reject any and all bids.

JOINT BOARD COMMISSIONERS
f29-tf of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties.

BLACK KING

The thoroughbred PERCHERON STALLION, "BLACK KING," bred by C. E. Arnold, of Illinois, will make the spring season of 1908 in upper Kent and lower Cecil commencing March 20th. BLACK KING is a handsomely made black horse weighing 1700 lbs. For pedigree and further particulars apply to

R. C. MORGAN,
mch21-tf GALENA, MARYLAND.
Agent for A. W. Woodall.

WEST MORRILL
RECORD 2.22¼.

This is a beautiful dark bay, stands 15¼ hands high and weighs 1148 lbs. He is by Walker Morrill, No. 2557. West Morrill holds the fastest record on a trot of any horse raised in Kent county. He will make the season in Kent and Queen Anne's.

Terms—$10.00 by the season, or $15.00 to insure. Payable when mare proves to be in foal.

GEORGE W. RASH, Owner.
mch21-tf Worton, Maryland.

Cedar Hollow McCoy
Wrightsville and Barricks

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WHITE ASH STOVE AND NUT COAL.

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LYNCH'S, MARYLAND.

PICKNELL

RACE RECORD, 2:15¼.
AUTHENTIC TRIAL, 2.09.
FOALED 1901.

REGISTERED No 35,381: RULE No. 1, TROTTING STANDARD

The attention of prospective breeders is respectfully invited to what I believe is the most attractive proposition ever offered in this section. I INVITE THE FULLEST INVESTIGATION of this horse's claims to SUPERIORITY, and can furnish incontrovertible evidence from which the prospective breeder may draw his own conclusions.

PICKNELL'S SIZE, 15.2 hands, and COLOR, mahogany bay, are IDEAL and his BREEDING is THE HIGHEST OF FASHION. HIS CONFORMATION is the "EASY KEEPER" KIND. HE IS ABSOLUTELY LEVEL-HEADED, and HE IS SOUND and WITHOUT A BLEMISH. HE WEARS NO HOBBLES NOR OTHER FALSE RIGGING; and when raced, wore only such boots as are commonly used for protection.

PICKNELL was started GREEN, in the early fall of 1906, in SIX races, winning TWO of them, and being well up in the money the other four. He made his first, regular stud season, last year at Newark, Del.; and Mr. H. R. Tyson, in whose care he was, says that he would have had him in condition for the racing season, and a record well within the 2:10 list, but for the season I permitted him to make.

The oldest of Picknell's get is a two-year-old, bay filly, 15.1, no white, a blue ribbon winner, showing 2:30 speed as a yearling.

PICKNELL'S SIRE is ALLERTON, 2:09¼; CHAMPION TROTTING STALLION to HIGH WHEELS; THE LEADING SIRE FOR 1907, and THE GREATEST SIRE OF HIS AGE LIVING OR DEAD. Allerton 2.09¼, is sire of 178 in the list, of which 136 are TROTTERS WITH RECORDS from 2:07½ to 2:30, and 42 pacers from 2:02 to 2:25. Allerton's sire was JAY BIRD, 2:31, sire of 106 TROTTERS from 2.06¼ to 2.30, and 12 PACERS from 2:09¼ to 2:25; and Jay Bird was by GEORGE WILKES, 2:22, etc.

PICKNELL'S DAM is BON BON, dam of Picknell, 2:1 5¼; Bon Jay, 2:19¼; boul, mat., 2:16, and Laurine, dam of four in the list, including THE KENTUCKY FUTURITY WINNER, OXFORD BOY, 2:20 at two years old. BON BON'S FULL SISTERS, Brava, 2:14¼, and Bon Mot, 2.25¼, each have THREE TROTTERS in THE LIST better than 2:30.

BON BON'S SIRE is BARON WILKES, 2:18, TROTTING, sire of 107 trotters from 2:08¼ to 2:30, and 30 pacers from 2:03¼ to 2:25; and is the world-famed "FUTURITY SIRE."

BON BON'S dam was MARY A. WHITNEY, 2:28, trotting, and dam of FIVE TROTTERS, from 2:14¼ to 2.30. She was by Volunteer, full brother to Dexter, 2:17¼, and the sire of 33 trotters and 1 pacer in the list, including the one-time WORLD'S CHAMPION TROTTER, St. JULIEN, 2:11¼.

MARY A. WHITNEY'S DAM was PEGGY SLENDER, dam of the TROTTERS, Mary A. Whitney, 2.28, and Wm. H. Allen, 2.23¼.

PICKNELL will stand in my Calvert Street Stables, Chestertown, Md.

TERMS—$15.00 the season. Insurance, by special agreement, $25.00. Please make your bookings EARLY. All mares subject to my approval. I offer this very low price for reasons of my own. It is your opportunity.

D. B. McMENAMIN, OWNER.

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An Edison Talking Machine bought at ROTE'S JEWELRY STORE will delight the most critical. Come in and hear these wonderful entertainers. Prices range from $12.50 to $125.00. Our lease-purchase plan, with small monthly payments is simple and convenient. Call or write for catalogue and further particulars.

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28c Unbleached Sheeting Muslin 22½c
32c Bleached Sheeting 25c
Ready-made Bleached Sheets 50c
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25c India Linen, 42 inches wide, for 15c
Androscoggin Bleached Muslin 10c

WHITE GOODS—25 different patterns.

Shirt Waists And Skirts

We have a big line to select from, prices range frrm 35c to $3 25

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Why can't we sell you your shoes? We can fit any man, woman or child.

Ask to see our $2 00 Shoes. We have one—will put it against any $2 50 shoe you can buy for wear or quality. We guarantee every pair.

Special Bargain Table filled with Shoes for Ladies—Choice, $1.00 and up.

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Small Paper Seed, new stock ..... 2 for 5c
First and Best Peas, quart 15c
Wax Beans, pint 10c
Onion Sets, silver skin, quart 10c
Yellow, quart 5c
10 Stocks Good Potatoes for Seed, bushel at $1.00

Farmers Spring Wants

Rop Traces 18c
Heavy Plow Lines 20c
12½c Back Bands, pair 15c
75c Ball Top Hames, pair 60c
Hames for Plow Traces, pair 35c
Chain Traces, Breast Chains, Collar Pads Hame Straps.
$10 00 Set Wagon Harness, half-inch trace $8.50
$12.00 Special Buggy Harness for $10 00
Horse Collar, you can't wear it out if you try, for. $1.95
Buck Skin Collar, for $3 00

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House-cleaning will soon begin and we are prepared for it You will want to brighten your room up with a new matting, rug, furniture or new curtains.

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For painting your rooms? Much cheaper than Paper and much prettier. In all colors. 40c will paint a room. Ask about it and get a sample.

Also, House, Wagon and Carriage Paint, Oil, Turpentine, Harvest Oil, Cylinder Oil, Gas Engine Oil, &c.

SPECIAL WEDNESDAY SALE

30c AGATE DISH PANS 19c
35c TWO-GALLON SAUCEPAN 19c
25c THREE QUART PAN 19c
35c PRUNNING SHARES 19c
25c BROOM 19c
25c ENAMEL COFFEE POT 19c

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