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DENTON, MARYLAND.

Thursday, May 12, 1898.

THE Centreville Record says that [illegible] is responsible for [illegible] Queen Anne's court. Is [illegible] discovery for the Record [illegible] is it given as a warning to the tax payers? We all know that Caroline is far ahead of our sister county and one of the ways we explain it is along the drink line. Nearly a quarter of a century ago our wide-awake citizens conceived the idea that the drink traffic was detrimental to our general welfare. Experience has proven that they were right. Many of the men that came to town once or twice a week in those days and imbibed too freely, have passed away. Their boys have not, with few exceptions, followed in the footsteps of of their fathers, but have turned their attention to agricultural and other pursuits, and have made for their families comfortable homes, instead of wasting both time and money at the public bar. The results accruing from no-license in this county, is evident on every hand. The worst feature we have to contend with, comes from New Bridge and other near by places where licenses are granted. Do away with them and we would have still less drinking. What drunkeness we do have is almost altogether confined to the lower class of people, and in the course of a few more years with local option in adjoining counties, we think would be materially decreased. Our courts, as a rule, holds only about one half as long as they did under the license system, notwithstanding the popula- [illegible] has materially in- [illegible]sed [illegible]ase. The soon- [illegible]e people of Chapel district and [illegible]en Anne's county learn this les- the better it will be for them. [illegible]hey followed Caroline's exam- [illegible]ago, doubtless it would be [illegible]ith them at this time. Let [illegible]rd tell her tax payers [illegible]whisky is bad; not the kind [illegible]out long court dockets and [illegible]citizens with extra debt [illegible]t any of it has a tendency [illegible] degrade rather than elevate.

THE President on Monday sent a message to Congress in which he says he directed Secretary of the Navy to telegraph Commodore Dewey, commanding the Asiatic squadron to proceed to the Philippine Islands and to engage the Spanish fleet. Promptly obeying orders he at once started for the islands and in one week to the day he engaged the enemy and completely annihilated the Spanish fleet, and had Manila at his command. It being customary to recognize so conspicuous a victory, the President promptly notified Congress on receipt of the official notification. After the opening of Congress, the highest honors the nation can bestow were awarded to the commander and the brave men under him, to the humblest man in the ranks. A place was made for Dewey among the rear admirals, and to all who participated in this historic naval battle, a vote of thanks was formally tendered by Congress. The first step was taken by the President who sent the message to Congress recommending action, which both houses promptly took, without a word of dissent. In addition to this the Senate in a joint resolution unanimously agreed to direct the secretary of the navy to present to Commodore Dewew a sword of honor, and to have struck, in commemoration of the battle of Manila, a bronze-medal for each of the officers and men who participated in the gallant fight. The resolution appropriates $10,000 to enable the secretary carry out these provisions.

PRESIDENT McKinley is winning all classes and shades of people to himself by his fair and patriotic course at this time, and it was clearly demonstrated last week by the appointment of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee as Major General. He did not stop here for of the four major-generals nominated he selected one from the North, two from the South and one from the Middle State namely: Wilson, of Delaware; Sewell, of New York; Lee, of Virginia, and Wheeler, of Alabama. This distribution of major-generals ought to be satisfactory to all parties.

A FLEET of eight vessels will guard the Chesapeake. It is called the "mosquito fleet," and will operate at the mouth of the bay to relieve the flying squadron at Hampton Roads. —Kent News.

Does our esteemed contemporary think that it requires eight vessels to keep the mosquitoes from the mouth of the bay or is it a joke! Please label your puns that we may know [illegible] when we see them.

THE Dingley bill is a most complicated and oppressive tax on the business of the country, but has a tender regard for great wealth. . . . The passage of the Dingley bill will do more harm to the American people than a ten years' war with Spain if she were twice as powerful as she now is.—Harrington Record.

It is said that Spain is 85 per cent. illiterate but what per cent the Record puts on its readers we have never heard, but judging from the above statement it must think they are easily deceived to accept such stuff as true. Does'nt the Record know that well informed Democratic papers have stopped picking at the Dingley bill? It is out of sight as a revenue producer. When you see a paper condemning it now it isn't a difficult thing to see why. The bill has gone ahead of the expectations of the most sanguine, and is producing a large revenue daily. Democratic papers prophecied a bond issue more than a year ago, still it has not been made. We are all familiar with the fact that Democratic prophecies are not always fulfilled; for examples refer to those of Mr. Cleveland's last term, and those of Mr. Bryan, and then those regarding President McKinley. After you have done this draw your own conclusion. If some one would explain matters to the Record and show it that it is helping the party it would defeat and at the same time is making for itself an unenviable reputation along political lines, doubtless you would confer a favor.

THE great naval battle of May 1, which resulted in the destruction and annihilation of the Spanish sovereignty in the Philippine Island, has brought some responsibilities with it. If our government shall deem it best to retain ownership after the final account with Spain has been settled, it will devolve upon the government to make thorough preparation for its retention and defence. To do this it will be necessary to provide ways and means to hold it against all intruders. While it will involve this and more too, what is that when taken in consideration of the growth and our constantly increasing commerce, our growing strength and importance in the family of the great nations, with large possibilities opening up to us along various lines? This is a question that will engage the most thoughtful attention of able statesmen. It is undoubtedly the proper thing for us to annex the Hawaiian Islands as a naval defence and commercial interest. Manila harbor is one of the finest commercial harbors in the world, and many of the considerations which favor the acquisition of the Hawaiian are applicable to a similar movement as regards the Philippines.

A FEW days ago some of the Spanish seamen took an oath that they would never return to Spain until they were victorious. Well, let the fight go on and if they want victory why don't they see Sampson and get it? He will give them all they want and that without their asking for it. Americans naturally supposed that they would put up a sham battle after all of their braggadocio. Now that the Spanish nation has lost its glory and its honor, and its brilliant record is smeared all over with cruelty, despotism, inhumanity, blood and crime. Her brutality and black crimes are being avenged. Such as she has sown the same must she also reap. Her day of usefulness is past, if she ever had one, and we hope soon to say that Spain is no more, and by doing away with that nation it is riddance of bad rubbish.

THIS government made a call for 125,000 men for war. It would be no trouble in getting three or four times that number to fight against Spain. Uncle Sam is learning more and more to abhor her. Such being the case all he has to do is to say to his stalwart sons, "go take her." We endured considerable before we consented to strike, but as we have now begun a war we will win, no matter if other nations go against us. The Yankee nation can whip the world. Uncle Sam about fighting is like the fellow sneezing. He had rather do anything than sneeze until he gets ready, and when he is ready he had rather sneeze than do anything else.

ONE of the best informed members, says the Dover Sentinel, of the Legislature, thinks the new Constitution will cost the State one hundred thousand dollars, and yet this is a reform legislature. When Congressman Handy comes to Denton he points to the Delaware Legislature with pride. Why shouldn't he when he is usually on the wrong side of almost everything.

TROUT have made their appearance in our market. Look out for flies.—Seaford News.

Did the News mean flies or mosquitoes? We thought flies were of secondary importance in Delaware after mosquitoes came.

A colored man in Kent county recently killed himself because he had too many wives. The report didn't state how many he had but as we are all married the editor didn't think it was necessary to say.

THE UNION is the only paper in Caroline county designated to publish the laws passed at the last session of the General Assembly, will in the near future publish the same to the amount of 3,000 copies, so that they will be generally circulated throughout the county.

THE School Board of Caroline county on Tuesday appointed trustees. Eighteen of them are women. —Exchange.

Yes, but while our county is not in favor of woman suffrage, at the same time we owe our ladies a debt of gratitude and the School Board acknowledged it in this way.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline County, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

HORACE GIBSON,

late of Caroline County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 30th day of November, 1898, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said deceased's estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of May, 1898.

FRED. R. OWENS,
Administrator of Horace Gibson, dec'd.
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ROAD NOTICE.

To the Honorable County Commissioners of Caroline County:

We, the undersigned citizens and tax payers of the 3rd Election District of Caroline county, petition your Honorable Board to appoint examiners on the new road leading from Andersontown to Williston, between the lands of Edward Neal and William B. Nuttle, running with the division line between the said lands until it intersects Edward Neal's land, then through the said Neal's land until it intersects Charles Murphy's land, thence through the said Neal's land until it intersects Frank Mitchell's land between Edward Neal's and Frank Mitchell's land, thence to the mouth of a new road that has lately been opened and then to run with a new road till it intersects the road leading from Andersontown to Denton.

JAMES C. COLLINS,
S. G. NUTTLE,
CHAS. W. HOBBS,
CHARLES MURPHY.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE
—OF—
TOWN PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of power and authority cntained in a mortgage from Franklin L. Davis and Isabelle R. Davis, his wif e,to Isaac L. Noble bearing date 24th of October, 1889, and duly of record in Liber L. H. G., No. 54, folios 542 and 543 one of the land record books of Caroline county, the undersigned, as mortgagee, will offer at public sale in the town of Preston on the herein described premises on

SATURDAY, JUNE 4th, 1898

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m. of that day, the following real estate.

All that tract or parcel of land situate lying and being in the 4th Election District of Caroline county on the Main street of the town of Preston, adjoining the lands of Jessie T. Dennis and William H. Hollis and known as the Blacksmith lot. The lot is improved by a comfortable two-story building, a good stable and other outbuildings. Said lot more particularly described in a deed from Charles H. Whiteley et al to F. L. Davis dated April 22, 1889 of record in one of the land records for Caroline county.

TERMS.—All the purchase money cash on day of sale. Title papers at expense of purchaser.

ISAAC L. NOBLE, Mortgagee.
HARVEY L. COOPER, Attorney.

Teachers' Annual Examination.

Office of the School Commissioners, }
Denton, Md., May 10th, 1898 }

Notice is hereby given that the next Teachers Examination for Caroline county will be held on Thursday and Friday, June 2d and 3d, 1898 at the Denton High School Building. The morning sessions will begin at 9.30 o'clock and close at 12 o'clock noon; The after noon sessions will begin at 1.30 o'clock and close at 5 o'clock. Candidates for second grade certificates will be examined in the following studies and must make a general average of seventy per cent. and the percentage in Arithmetic and English Grammar must not fall below the required general average. Orthography, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, History of Maryland and the United States, the Constitution of Maryland and the Constitution of the United States, English Grammar, Physiology, Algebra to Quadratics, Geometry, one book, Theory and Practice of teaching, the laws and by-laws of the public school system of Maryland. Candidates for a first grade certificate must make a general average of eighty per cent. and in addition to the above named studies will be examined in Natural Philosophy Book-keeping, Geometry, four books and Algebra through Quadratics. All teachers whose certificates have expired by limitation must take this examination. By order,

M. B. STEPHENS,
Sec'y & Examiner.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All persons having claims against the funds arising from the sale of the real estate of Susan E. Stevens under an execution of Elizabeth Beachamp, et al administrators of John Beachamp, deceased, are hereby warned to file the same, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 22 DAY OF MAY, 1898, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

OSCAR CLARK,
Special Auditor.

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ORDER NISI.

Albert G. Towers, assignee,
vs.
Isabelle Crossy and John S. Crossy, her husband.
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered this 29th day of April, A D 1898 that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Albert G. Towers, Assignee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown, on or before the

4th DAY OF JUNE, 1898, —Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, aforesaid, once in each of two successive weeks before the 20th day of May, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,019.53

CHARLES W. HOBBS, Clerk,
True Copy.—Test:
CHARLES W. HOBBS, Clerk.

ALBERT G. TOWERS,
SOLICITOR-IN-CHANCERY.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF—
HOUSE & LOT
IN DENTON.

By virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court for Caroline county, sitting in equity, passed on the tenth day of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, in a cause wherein, Albert G. Towers, Trustee was complainant, and Charles H. Shields, administrator of Richard J. Shields, deceased, and others were defendants, the undersigned trustee will sell at public sale in front of the Court-House door in the town of Denton, Maryland on

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between the hours of 2 and 4,o'clock p. m., the following real estate to wit: All that lot, piece or parcel of land or ground, situate, lying and being on the South side of Gay street in the town of Denton, Maryland, adjoining the lands of William Stevens, Mrs. Annie H. Downes and others, and is a part of the same real estate which was conveyed to Richard J. Shields, deceased, by George A. Deakyne, trustee, by deed dated September 15th, 1887 and duly of record among the land records for Caroline county. This lot is improved by a house of one and one-half stories, in fair repair.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms of sale as prescribed by the Court, are one half cash, balance in six months, deferred payment to be secured by interest bearing note or bond of purchaser to the satisfaction of the trustee, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Title papers at the expense of the purchaser.

ALBERT G. TOWERS,
J. W. THOMAS, Trustee.
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Business Men Take Notice!

BY VIRTUE of Chapter 264, Acts of 1898, I am authorized to issue a license to every person who shall apply for the same. But I am expressly forbidden to antedate any license or issue to any person or persons any license other than in the month in which the same is legally obtainable, under a penalty of $50.00 for each and every offence, and am also required to lay before every Grand Jury a list of all licenses granted by me for two years prior to the meeting of such Grand Jury.

4-5-3t] CHARLES W. HOBBS Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

Philip Noble, Et., Al., vs. William W. Noble, Et., Al.
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 877.

All persons having claims against the fund in the above cause are hereby warned to file the same properly proven with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, on or before the 7th day of June 1898, as I will proceed on that day to state an audit in said cause.

ALBERT G. TOWERS,
td. Special Auditor.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS TRADERS & OTHERS.

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ALL PERSONS and bodies corporate or politic, in Caroline County, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a license is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a licence or renew the same before the

FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT,

under the penalty imposed by said laws or the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the requirements of the License Laws:

TRADERS LICENSES.—The amount to be paid by traders for license, (the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath) is as follows:

If the applicants stock in trade does not exceed $1,000, $12.60.			
Over $1,000	and not over	$1,500	$15.60
" 1,500	" "	2,500	18.60
" 2,500	" "	4,000	22.60
" 4,000	" "	6,000	30.60
" 6,000	" "	8,000	40.60
" 8,000	" "	10,000	50.60
" 10,000	" "	15,000	65.60
" 15,000	" "	20,000	80.60
" 20,000	" "	30,000	100.60
" 30,000	" "	40,000	125.00
" 40,000			150.00

Females Vending Millinery and other small articles of merchandise whose stock does not at any time during the year exceed five hundred dollars shall be entitled to a license on paying $6.60 but if stock exceeds $500, shall pay the same rates as other persons the amount of stock in trade to be ascertained by oath as in other cases.

The applicant must either make oath as heretofore before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at the principal season of sale or an oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting a license applies through an agent.

Persons may sell sault to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Billiard and Pool tables.—A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a Billiard or Pool Table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $60.50 and for and for every additional table the sum of $25.60 provided that all additional tables shall be kept in the same apartment

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their license on or before the 1st day of may, as other traders. The rates are as follows:

To travel on foot	$100
With one horse and wagon	200
With two horses and wagon	300

Brokers—Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase of stocks, bill's, notes, bank notes or other obligations; shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:

Stock Broker	$75.60
Real Estate Broker	25.60
Merchandise—for each individual or member of firm	75.60
Bill Broker	50.60
Insurance Broker (granted by Insurance Commissioners)	101.00
Exchange Broker,	100.60
Exhibitions—Circus	30.60
Menageries	15.60

LICENSE TO OWNERS AND KEEPERS OF STALLIONS AND JACKS.

The owners and keepers of every Stallions or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the circuit court of some one of the counties of this State, the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare, and the receipt of the said Clerk with the seal of his Court attached thereto for said sum shall be the license for stationing or standing such Stallion or Jack for one year from date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section be less than $10, and that every Stallion of Jack upon which said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax.

ROBERT C. RICE,
Sheriff of Caroline County.

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PENINSULA PARAGRAPHS.

—John Keas has been elected mayor of Berlin.

—J. Frank Vincent has been appointed postmaster at Pocomoke City.

—William H. Withgott has been elected a town commissioner at Easton.

—Zoar campmeeting will begin on August 12th and continue for 10 days.

—The Rev. John D.C. Hanna will lecture at Clayton on Monday May 16th.

—Mrs. Betsy Bristow, aged 99 years, died at Chesapeake City a few days ago.

—The German church at Maple Dam, Dorchester county, has been dedicated.

—A special election will be held in Cambridge on the license question, May 24th.

—The new pipe organ of the M. E. Church at Middletown, will be dedicated May 23d.

—William H. Fields has a permanent position as brakeman on the Queen Anne's railroad.

—Thieves entered Eli Coulson's store, at Corner Ketch, Cecil county and stole $100 worth of goods.

—Harry Watkins of Milford Neck, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver on hTursday.

—Benjamin W. Turner has contracted to do Smyrna's hauling and street work for $450 per annum.

—Assistant Secretary of State, J. B. Moore will address the graduates of Delaware College on June 15th.

—Dwight M. Lowry, of Philadelphia will address the graduates of the Smyrna High School on June 27th.

—The directors of the National Bank of Delaware have declared a dividend of 6 per cent for the last six months.

—W. H. Virden, of Lewes, has contracted to repair the Cape Charles quarantine station at a cost of $2,896.

—Telephone connection will soon be made from Easton to Oxford via Trappe. The poles are now being erected.

—Restaurateur Blackiston, of Dover found in an oyster a blue pearl which a local jeweler informs him is worth $40.

—David Jones, convicted at Cambridge of attempted criminal assault, has been sentenced to seven years imprisonment.

—The dwelling and outbuildings on the Harris farm, at Mechanics Valley, Cecil county, were destroyed by fire last week.

—Benjamin Stafford convicted at Cambridge of assaulting his wife with intent to kill, has been sentenced to 5 years imprisonment.

—John P. Moore has been elected mayor of Snow Hill, and Dr. Wm. D. Straughan, John H. Burbage and William D. Cordrey have been elect-councilmen.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zanesville, O., suffered from the piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. George & Redden and H. Duffy.

—W. E. Livingstone of Dover was held up by two foot pads on the principal street of Harrington and relieved of a watch and chain and $25 in cash.

—The one-year-old son of Capt. Wm. Brown, of Tilghman's Island, Talbot county, drank nearly a half pint of coal oil and soon died from the effects.

—Dogs attacked the flock of sheep owned by Mr. Edward Green, tenant on the Wye farm in Queen Anne's county, of ex-Senator Turpin, and killed twenty of them.

Thousands of sufferers from grippe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures coughs, colds bronchitus pneumonia, grippe, asthma and all throat and lung diseases. George & Redden and H. Duffy.

—Mrs. Catherine Reynolds, relict of Dr. S. P. Reynolds, died Friday at Queen Anne. She leaves no children. Mrs. Reynolds was the daughter of the late Dr. John Holt, of this county.

—Woodland Beach was greatly damaged by the recent storms. It is estimated that 1,000 loads of dirt will be required to repair the damage. The excursion season will begin on June 8th.

The farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly and is a well known cure for piles. George & Redden and H. Duffy.

—Joseph Wallace, indicted for the murder of his brother-in-law, John T. Daniel, in Kent county, on December 27 last, was convicted of manslaughter at Centreville. He was arraigned in court and plead not guilty, when his trial began.

—The Jackson and Sharp company has a pretty passenger coach in Wilmington for a railroad company in Cuba, but the builders will not take the risk of having their work made the target of Spanish guns.

—Friday morning the residence of Dr. Samuel C. Trippe, at Royal Oak was burned, together with the furniture and most of the other household effects. The family was asleep, and when awakened by the fire had barely time to secure some clothing and a few other valuables and escape. The loss is reported to be about $4000 on which there was a partial insurance.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache and stomach troubles. George & Redden and H. Duffy.

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MAIN STREET.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given to all persons, who were Creditors of Jerome A. Cox prior to and including the 13th day of July, eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896) and who have not already released said Jerome A. Cox from further payment thereof, to file their claims properly authenticated with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County on or before the

13th DAY OF JULY, 1898.

This notice does not apply to Creditors who have become such since said 13th day of July, eighteen hundred and ninety-six.

JEREMIAH B. FLETCHER,
5-12 3t] Trustee.

QUEEN ANNE'S RAILROAD

CHANGE OF TIME.

Schedule in Effect April 28th, 1898. Steamer connections between 9½ Light Street Wharf, Baltimore, and Railroad division at Queenstown, Md.

Eastward. DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.			Westward. DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.	
3 Exp.	1 Mix'd	STATIONS,	Exp.	4 Mix'd
Leave P. M.	A. M.		Arrive. A. M.	P. M.
3.25		Baltimore	10.45	
6.25	8.35	Queenstown	7.55	6.00
6.31	8.43	Bloomingdale	7.50	5.51
6.38	8.52	Wye Mills	7.43	5.42
6.44	9.01	Willoughby	7.37	5.35
a6.51		D. & C. Junc.	a7.29	
6.53	9.13	Queen Anne	7.27	5.23
6.55	9.16	Hillsborough	7.25	5.21
6.59	9.22	Downes	7.21	5.16
7.02	9.26	Tuckahoe	7.19	5.13
7.07	9.35	Denton	7.12	5.05
7.16	9.55	Hobbs	7.01	4.50
7.23	10.05	Hickman	6.54	4.39
7.27	10.10	Adamsville	6.50	4.33
7.31	10.16	Blanchard	6.46	4.28
7.37	b10.26	Greenwood	6.40	c4.20
7.44	10.44	Owens	6.32	3.57
7.47	10.48	Banning	6.28	3.53
7.50	10.54	Deputy	6.24	3.49
7.58	c11.00	Ellendale	6.18	3.43
8.06	11.24	Wolfe	6.06	3.30
8.11	11.30	Milton	6.00	3.20
8.19	11.38	Whitesboro	5.52	3.12
8.22	11.41	Drawbridge	5.49	3.09
8.26	11.45	Burton	5.45	3.05
8.30	11.50	Lewes	5.40	3.00
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

CONNECTIONS.

"a" connects at D. & C. Junction for points on Delaware & Chesapeake R. R.

"b" connects at Greenwood with the Delaware Division of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore R. R. for points Seaford, Delmar, Salisbury and south.

"c" connect at Ellendale with the Delaware, Maryland & Virginia Railroad for Georgetown.

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ADDITIONAL BOAT SERVICE.

Monday only, Steamer leaves Baltimore 5.30 a. m.

Sunday only, Steamer leaves Baltimore at 8.00 a. m. and Queenstown at 5.00 a. m. and 4.00 p. m.

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