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Thursday, June 23, 1898.

CHAIRMAN Dingley of the ways and means committee, never opens his mouth but that he says something. Last week he presented an interesting estimate of the amount of income to be derived from taxation. The total revenue the bill will produce the next fiscal year is placed at over $250,000,000. As respects the coinage of seigniorage, Mr. Dingley says there is nothing new in it, that it is but a legislative provision requiring the secretary of the treasury to continue to do what he has been doing for eight years. Under the law of 1890 during the present fiscal year over $20,000,000 of the silver bullion bought under the Sherman act have been coined and in about five years, without a word of new legislation, all the silver bullion left in the treasury, costing about $102,000,000, would have been coined under the repealed provisions of the Sherman act. Without the seignorage provision of the new law, therefore, the $102,000,000 of silver bullion now in the treasury would, under the act of 1890, have been coined in the next five years, with the result of putting the $42,000,000 of seignorage among the treasury's assets. The new law, accordingly, only requires that something be done which would be done quite as rapidly without it. The process is safe, Mr. Dingley goes on to say, because the silver certificates thus issued go into circulation in denominations required for the retail trade and do not tend to accumulate in banks whence they might be drawn in lieu of gold for the payment of tariff duties. The new [illegible] bonds and certificates to be [illegible] the treasury are to be used only as needed and that for war purposes exclusively. The certificates may be issued at discretion and constitute a new and permanent re[illegible]e of the secretary of the treas[illegible] The position of the secretary a[illegible] business man is undoubtedly much improved by the power now conferred upon him of borrowing as much as $100,000,000 when necessa[illegible] [illegible] is also provided that people may be provided with bonds at the different postoffices, and thereby the poor and rich may become the government's creditors and enjoy the benefits derived therefrom alike.

ON and after one week from next Friday, July 1, it will be imperative to use stamps to certain commercial and legal papers. In the meantime the public should familiarize themselves with the requirements of the new law, in order to meet its obligations. This is important as penalties are attached to the non-use of stamps, and legal and other instruments may be invalidated by their absence. Mortgages, conveyances, powers of attorney, bills of lading, passes, telegraph messages, warehouse receipts, bank checks and drafts must all be stamped, and every person affixing a stamp must write thereon the date of execution and his initials. The enforcement of this law will be rigid, and it would be very unwise on the part of any person to think of evading its requirements. The law is plain and explicit on this subject and says any person who shall fail to affix a stamp to a paper coming under the taxable list "with intent to evade the provisions of the act shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not exceeding $50 or be imprisoned not exceeding six months, or both." Offenders will be arraigned before a U. S. Commissioner, and the usual formalities of a judicial hearing be held. Legal instruments, it should be remembered, lose their binding effect by the omission to have stamps duly affixed to them. The statute says "that such instruments, documents or papers not being stamped according to law shall be deemed invalid and of no effect." Promisory notes exceeding $100 must be stamped, and the lenders should see to it that this formality is not neglected. In the matter of real estate deeds, the absence of stamps will create flaws in titles that may result in much trouble and litigation.

TEN thousand dollars for printing the ballots for one election. Democratic testimony to Democratic fraud; Democrats had absolute control of this Democratic job. It was given out by Democratic officials to Democratic printers, paid for by Democratic officials, and the State, as usual, is swindled. This is startling, but not new, it surprises nobody. "When rogues fall out honest men get their dues.—Dover Sentinel.

This is plain talk and explains the need of ballot printing reform in Delaware. Further comment is unnecessary.

WICOMICO county, unlike many others of this State, had a special delegation wait on the Governor last week for the purpose of inducing him to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of the members of the lynching party who recently operated in that county. The Governor heard the complaints of the delegation and promised to take the matter under executive consideration. It was suggested that such measures had already been repeatedly taken before, but with no practical results. There has never as yet been a conviction secured as a direct result of the offered reward, said the Governor. He also suggests that an effort be made to awaken the public officials into a vigorous promotion of prosecutions would accomplish more in the way of penal results than the offering of a reward. This is the view the UNION has taken of things of this kind. Lift the moral standard of a community and put it where it should be, and immidiately you are freed from the dominant influences of those who defy law and common decency. There is an element in every community that know no bounds only as they are taught it by law and law-abiding citizens. Wicomico is to be congratulated on this move and while nothing may come out of it, it shows that some of its people do not believe in lynch law.

THOSE gold bug papers will now have to "show their teeth" since the price of wheat has taken such a tremendous tumble.—Ex.

We don't see why gold bug papers should eat crow, the free silver press diet. The silverites had nothing to do with forcing the price of wheat up, but admit that the gold bugs did. Neither do the silyerites expect to see wheat down to what it was, judging from the large aceage many of them planted last fall. We are not too sure but that there was a deal among the wheat kings a few days ago to drop the price on wheat, and that young Leiter was not the instigator of it. We don't consider him a poor man by any means. He, as well as the rest of them, can afford to drop the price on what he has on hand, if thereby they can force the price down on new wheat and then buy it at their own price. They, evidently, have the silverites eyes closed, and those who sell their wheat early this season, will, in all probability, make the same mistake they did a year ago.

DURING the recent meeting of the Democratic County Editors in Baltimore recently, from various parts of the State, in speaking of the prosperity now upon us, paid the Republican party a compliment. These editors said they thought greater prosperity may be expected this year than for several years, etc. This is what the Republican party told the voters several months ago would be the case if their party went into power. This is only one of the many promises made and redeemed by the present administration. These editors are right at this time but were deceived a few months ago, like thousands of others. Time has clearly demonstrated this fact, and it is manly in them to admit that they were mistaken on the signs of the times as viewed from their standpoint. Now that we are in the midst of renewed prospertity and on the eve of still greater, we admire men that will come out and give the credit to those to whom it belongs.

YES, it will be a hard campaign for the Demo-Populist orators this year. They will go on the stump to talk among the producing classes of the country at a time when there is abundant prosperity. Last year's crops were large and prices remunerative. Debts that have been accumulating for the past few years are being cancelled. Prices for farm products are on the up-grade and things generally are encouraging for the farmer. The country is full of money, which is ready for the farmer and business man. With these facts and many others that could be enumerated, it will be a hard campaign for the Demo-Populist orators. They have got to talk against demonstrated facts. Their old argument about silver is annihilated. If they venture to repeat it, they are met with derision. It is in a pit dug for their political opponents with no visable means of extricating itself.

IT is reported form Democratic sources that Gov. Tunnell will have nothing to do with the new ballot bill that is in the Morgue waiting his signature before becoming a law. It is a Democratic measure in every respect, but some have said the Republicans could use the proposed law to a good advantage. Here is where the rub comes in, and therefore the Governor proposes to wash his hands of the whole thing so far as possible. A refusal to sign the bill shows his disapproval of it and kills it at the same time.

Soft coal for threshing purposes for sale at Denton Bridge.

MONEY TO LOAN.—I have money to loan on First Mortgages on real estate, in sums to suit borrower.
ALBERT G. TOWERS,
1-20-tf] Denton, Md.

For Sale.

60,000 Tomato plants for sale,
A. G. GELLETLY,
Williston, Md.

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MAKE
American Beauties



CORRECT SHAPES.
ARTISTIC EFFECTS.
All Lengths.


On Each Box.

NEWEST MODELS.
FANCY AND PLAIN.



KALAMAZOO CORSET CO.,
SOLE MANUFACTURERS.
SOLD BY
MRS. JULIA DAY.

Notice of Election Supervisors.

The Supervisors of Election for Caroline county, Md., met at their office in Denton, on Tuesday June 14th, 1898, and appointed the following Officers of Registration for the ensuing year, who shall also act as Judges of Election for their respective election districts:

First District—George T. Musselman, Republican; William H. Goodwin, Democrat.

Second District—Joseph T. Cooper, Republican; William L. Cooper, Democrat.

Third District—Edgar L. Todd, Republican; Correll H. Stewart, Democrat.

Fourth District— William Cheezum, Republican; Joseph H. Trice, Democrat.

Fifth District—John Kent, Republican; A. Pierce Redhead, Democrat.

Sixth District— Edward L. Melvin, Republican; Isaac L. Dukes, Democrat.

Seventh District—Alfred W. Thompson, Republican; Thomas G. Cline, Democrat.

Eighth District—William H. Beachamp, Republican; John S. Willis, Democrat.

The board of Supervisors hereby give notice that they will meet at their office in Denton on

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1898,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of examining the above appointed officers of registration.

Such officers will attend without further notice.

B. FRANK EDGELL, Prest.
W. W. SEWARD,
JAS. T. SYLVESTER,
Board of Supervisors for Caroline Co.
W. I. Norris, Clerk. june16 2t.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND LAW LIBRARY.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Caroline county, the undersigned administrators of James N. Todd, late of Caroline County, deceased, will sell at public auction, at 10 o'clock a. m.,

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1898,

at the late residence of the said James N. Todd, in the town of Denton, Md., all of the personal property of said deceased, a part of which is a lot of Kitchen Furniture consisting of an Othello Range and fixtures, Ice Cream Freezer, Clothes Wringer, Tinware, Agateware, Tubs, Sad Irons, Porcelain Kettle, Kitchen Table, Cupboard, lot of Glass Cans, and numerous small articles found in a well equipped kitchen.

Dining Room Furniture.

One very fine Refrigerator, Extension Table, China Closet, Leather Bottom Chairs, Chandalier, Pictures, &c.

Also a large Mirror, Reclining Rocker, large Easy Chair, Rockers, Lamps, 2 suits of Parlor Furniture almost new, 4 Large valuable Oil Paintings, Venetian Ornament, 3 Bed Room Suits, Mattresses, Springs, Pillows and Bolsters, Chamber Sets, Iron Bedstead with mattress and springs, Baby Coach, Swinging Crib, a large lot of Valuable Carpets, several rugs, Portier Curtains, Mattings, &c. All of this furniture is of a high grade and in good condition.

LAW LIBRARY.

25 Volumes Maryland Reports (Perkins.) 40 books U. S. Supreme Court Reports, volumes 1 to 162, and 3 digests, Md. Code. Brantly's Digest, 2 volumes. Miller's Equity. 12 volumes Central Reporter and other valuable text books. Itemized list furnished on application. Also office furniture consisting of Carpet, Matting, Chairs, Stove, Desk, Typewriter, Ink Stands, Rulers, &c.

ONE GOOD COW

will also be sold, also lot of straw and fodder, 1 Sleigh, several Halters, Fly Nets, and other small articles.

Terms of Sale.

All sums of $10 and under cash, on all sums over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security, payable at the Denton National Bank and bearing interest from day of sale.

CLARA N. TODD,
T. PLINY FISHER,
Administrators of Jas. N. Todd, dec'd
jun16-td

Notice to House Painters

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL BOARD,
Denton, Md., May 31, 1898.

Sealed proposals. Marked on outside of envelope, "Proposals for painting School House" are enyited until June 28th for furnishing materals and painting in first class manner the outside of the school house in Federalsburg including steps, steeple, shutters and outside doors with two good coats Lewis's pure lead in wooden hoop kegs. Second coat half zinc and pure boiled linseed oil for the body of the building and Imperial French green upon lead priming for the shutters: Doors in colors and colored steps. Bidders are requested to make separate offer for additional coat throughout, provided the third coat may be deemed necessary. The work must be completed by the middle of August for which payment will be made in September. The right of rejection of any and all bids is reserved.

By order,
M. B. STEPHENS, Sec'y.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscribers, of Caroline Co., have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline County, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

JAMES N. TODD,

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, to the subscribers, on or before the 10th day of December, 1898, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said deceased's estate.

Given under our hands this 8th day of June, 1898.

CLARA N. TODD,
T. PLINY FISHER,
Administrators of Jas. N. Todd, dec'd.
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ORDER NISI.

Isaac L. Noble, Mortgagee,
vs.
Franklin L. Davis and Arabella R. Davis.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered this 7th day of, June A D 1898, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Isaac L. Noble, Mortgagee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown, on or before the

9TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1898, —Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of 3 successive weeks before the 1st day of July next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $455.

CHARLES W. HOBBS, Clerk,
True copy—Test:
CHARLES W. HOBBS, Clerk.
6-9-4t]

ALBERT G. TOWERS,
SOLICITORS-IN-CHANCERY.

Trustee's Sale of House and 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, 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

SATURDAY JULY 2nd, 1898,

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 13th, 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 perscribed 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, Auct. Trustee.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1, 1898.

Whereas by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK OF DENTON," in the town of Denton, in the County of Caroline, and State of Maryland, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

NOW THEREFORE I, Charles G. Dawes, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Peoples National Bank of Denton," in the town Denton, in the county of Caroline, and State of Maryland, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine, of the revised Statutes of the United States.

SEAL PLACE. In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this First day of June 1898.

CHARLES G. DAWES,
Comptroller of the Currency
NO. 5122.

June 9-60d.

QUEEN ANNE'S RAILROAD

Schedule in effect May 23rd, 1898. Steamer connections between 9½ Light Street Wharf, Baltimore, and Railroad division at Queenstown.

Eastward.			Westward.	
3	1		2	4
Exp.	Mix'd		Exp.	Mix'd
Leave		STATIONS	Arrive	
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
3.15	5.30	Baltimore	11.00	4.45
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
6.51*a*		D. & C. Junc	7.29*a*	
6.53	6.13	Queen Anne	7.27	5.33
6.55	9.16	Hillsboro	7.25	5.31
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*b*	10.27	Greenwood	6.40	4.20
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	11.00	Ellendale	6.18	3.43
8.[illegible]	11.24	Wolfe	6.06	3.30
8.11	11.[illegible]	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 Del & Chesapeake R R.

b connects at Greenwood with the Del. Division of the Phila, Wilm & Balto R R for Seaford, Salisbury and points so.

c connects at Ellendale with the Dela, Md & Va. R R for Georgetown.

e connects at Greenwood with the Del Division of the Phila, Wilm & Balto R R

I. W. TROXEL, Gen'l Manager, Queenstown.
C. C. WALLER, Gen'l Ft.-Pass Agt Baltimore.

C. P. DUNNING,
CONSTABLE & COLLECTOR,
Denton, Md

Order of Publication.

Rudolph Cephas vs. Ann E. Cephas. In the Circuit Court for Caroline County In Equity

The object of this suit is to procure a divorce "a vinculo matrimonii" by the complainant from the respondent. The bill states;

1. That on or about the 9th day of November 1876 he was married to his wife, formully Ann E. Thomas, by the Rev. Charles Ash, in Denton in Caroline County, Maryland, and that he resided with her as husband and wife until some time in the year 1889.

2. That although the conduct of the complainant towards the respondent has always been kind, affectionate and dutiful, she was without any just cause or reason abandoned and deserted him, and that such abandonment has continued uninteruptedly for three years, is deliberate and final and the separation beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation.

3. That since the said abandonment and desertion, the complainant is informed, believes and so charges, that the respondent has been guilty of gross acts of adultery and that as a result of said acts of adultery illegitimate children have been born to her.

4. That the said respondent is not a resident of the State of Maryland, but resides in the District of Columbia.

It is thereupon, this 1st day of June, 1898, ordered by the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity that the complainant by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 2nd day of July 1898, give notice to the said absent respondent of the object and substance of this bill, warning her to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 18th day of July, 1898, to show cause if any she has, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

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

ORDER NISI.

William H. Hollis
vs.
James P. Covey, admr. et al.

In the Orphans Court of Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered this 14th day of June, 1898, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James P. Covey Trustee in the above entitled cause be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the

16th DAY of AUGUST 1898 NEXT,

Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 16th day of July, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1201.

JOHN A. SIGLER,
J. B. ORRELL
A. R. WRIGHT,
Judger of the Orphans Court of Caroline County.
True Copy—Test: Robt. J. Jump.
Register of Wills for Caroline County.
jn16-4t

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with High Prices has resulted in a general reduction all along the line and we are now offering bargains in almost anything you can mention.

Shirts:

Men's Soft Bosom Dress Shirts, white neck band and finest finish, per pair, only 90 cents. Boy's sizes 40 cents. These prices and the Quality of the goods cannot be beaten.

Lawns

AND WHITE GOODS in all styles. French Batiste 8 cents. Lawns from 4 cents up.

Shoes.

THE BEST SHOE EVER SOLD FOR ONE DOLLAR. All the latest styles in Ladies' and Children's Summer shoes and slippers. Vesting top, laced or button, black or tan, any size or last desired. Patent Leathers, all the popular styles.

GENTS' PATENTS, Gents' Russets, all shades. The celebrated "BION" Shoe, made in Boston, in Tans, Patents and Calf. See our $1.25 leader. Boys Russets, Boys Calf-skins, Boys Russet calf A dandy black calf-skin for 85c.

Mattings

are going fast and several styles will soon be out. Call now and have your choice. Porch Rockers $1 and higher—Solid comfort.

VICTOR BICYCLES—Prices $100, $75, $60, $40.

J. H. NICHOLS & SON.

Chester River Steamboat Company
CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.



Daily Round Trip.

Beginning Wednesday, June 1st: 1898,

STEAMER EMMA A. FORD

will leave Chestertown at 7 o'clock a. m., dailey except Sunday, stopped at Rolph's Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogles' and Queenstown; leave Queenstown at 8:45 arriving in Baltimore about 11:45; leave Baltimore at 3:15 p. m., arriving at Queenstown at 5:45 p. m.; Centreville 7:30.

STEAMER B. S. FORD,

leaves Centreville at 7.00 a. m., stopping at landings on Corsica River, Bogles, Jackson Creek and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11 a. m.; leave Baltimore 3:30 p. m., arrive at Centreville 7:30.

THE STEAMER GRATITUDE

leaves Rock Hall at 8 a m., arrive in Baltimore 10:15 a. m. Leave Baltimore 4:00 p. m., arrive at Rock Hall 6:15 p. m.

GEORGE WARFIELD,
President.

JAMES A. WILLOUGHBY,
AUCTIONEER,
Smithville, — Md.

I will call sales in Caroline, Dorchester, and near-by points in Delaware. Prices reasonable, and prompt attention given to inquiries by mail. 1-20-3m

Canning Peas.

The canning of peas has assumed great proportions around Bridgville. A few years ago the work was tedious and persons to pick the peas were difficult to obtain, but now the conditions are different. The peas are brought on vines to the factories, and there they are threshed by a recently invented machine, which does the work quickly and thoroughly. The farmers realize considerable money from the pea crop, as an acre of land will yield from $30 to $60 worth of peas. The output of the Bridgeville and Seaford canneries is large, they packing from 50,000 to 100,000 cans daily.

Want to Raise the Price of Phosphate.

A phosphate dealer was in Baltimore last week inquiring among dealers as to the probable prices of raw fertilizer materials for the fall trade. He says the wholesale prices quoted are fully thirty per cent. in advance of the figures at which he purchased goods at this time last year. Inability to secure vessels to bring ingredients to this country and scarcity of goods on hand, are the reasons given for the advance in prices. Ingredients used in most of fertilizers have remained about the same as yet. If the agents can get more for their phosphate next season than they have this of course they will do so.

Educational Association.

For the National Education Association Convention to be held at Washington, D. C., July 7 to 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line to Washington and return at rate of simple fare for the round trip plus $2.00 membership fee. These tickets will be sold on, and good going, July 4 to 7, and good to return leaving Washington July 8 to 15, when stamped by Joint Agent at Washington. By disposing ticket with Joint Agent on or before July 12 and on payment of 50 cents the return limit may be extended to August 31. Tickets for side trips from Washington to Gettysburg, Richmond, Old Point Comfort, and Southern battlefields will be on sale at the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in Washington during the continuance of the Convention.

School House Lot For Sale.

Office of THE SCHOOL BOARD,
Denton, Md., May 31, 1898.

The School Boards invites. Sealed proposals until June 28th, (marked on outside of envelope, "Proposals for purchase of School lot") making offer for the sale and purchase of vacant school lot near Thomas Todd's residence. The lot contains one half acre of land more or less from which was removed the house for colored school. The right of rejecting any and all bids is reserve. Conveyance papers at the expense of purchaser. Terms cash.

By order,
M. B. STEPHENS, Sec.

BLACKSMITHING.

PRACTICAL HORSE SHOER AND GENERAL BLACKSMITH.

I guarantee all material and work. Give me a call. Prices to suit the times. Shop on Third Street adjoining Shields' Livery Stables.

WALTER W. MOORE.

Harry B. Mason,
House Painter and Decorator,
DENTON, MD.

Having had ten years' experience with skilled mechanics in the cities of New York, Philadelphia and Wilmington. I can give estimates, contracts and skilled work. Fair prices by the hour, day, or job.

John J. Barnes.
PRACTICAL
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Twenty years in business in Denton and 33 years experience in Blacksmithing. Constantly on hand a full supply of Iron and Steele for all kinds of Farm and Wagon Work. All sizes of new wheels and axles furnished at short notice. The best grades of horse-shoes used. I guarantee all work and material at lowest prices, to suit the hard times Shop on Third St. Give me a trial.

JAMES T. COOPER,
—PRACTICAL—
Undertaker & Embalmer



Having had several years experience and practice in all departments of the business I offer my services to the public. Calls attended today or night. My office is at my residence, corner of Main and Third Streets.

JAMES T. COOPER,
mch3y Denton, Md.

Eolingly—Queenstown

On and after June 1st the beautiful Summer Resort, Bolingly-on-Chester, located at Queenstown, Md., will be opened for the season of 1898. Special rates, over the Queen Anne's Railroad, will be given to Sunday Schools, desiring to use this delighful spot for a day's outing. Grounds are being laid out for Lawn Tennis, Croquet and Base Ball, for the exclusive use of the Patrons. Those not taking lunches with them can be accommodated at the Hotel, with meals, at popular prices. Fishing, boating, bathing, crabbing, and all other popular amusements.

For Railroad rates, apply to C. C. Waller, G. P. A. Queen Anne's Railroad Pier 9½ Light St., Baltimore.

M. J. Marx, Manager, Hotel Bolingly, Queenstown.

DRS. W. T. & L. D. KELLEY

DENTIST.

Main office on Dover Street, near Hotel Avon, Easton, Md.

One will practice at Preston on Mondays; Denton on Tuesdays; Federalsburg the second and fourth Thursday in every month. Gas and local anasthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth. Best work guaranteed. Terms cash.

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for Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

THE NEW STORE

AT DENTON HAS
SHOES, DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS.
—JUST RECEIVED—
New Lawns and Summer Goods.
New Bicycles Less Than Cost.
CASH PAID FOR EGGS.
EVERYTHING AT BALTIMORE PRICES.
Graphophones for Sale. R. B. BOND.

HORNER'S ABSOLUTELY Pure Animal Bone
FOR
ALL CROPS AND PERMANENT GRASSES.
WARRANTED IN THE FULL PRICE OF THE GOODS.
Higher in Essential Qualities than any other Goods on the Market.
WE WILL SELL EITHER BY ANALYSIS, OR WEIGHT, PREFERABLY THE FORMER WAY.
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By order of County Commissioners,
THOMAS R. GREEN, Clerk
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