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AT this time when the race problem is uttermost in the minds of some, Professor Booker T. Washington, a colored man who comes the nearest to filling the late Frederick A. Douglass' place, while unwilling to discuss race troubles in the South, he made a near approach to it when he said "it must be apparent at this time that the effort to put the rank and file of the colored people into a position to exercise the right of franchise has not been a success in those portions of our own country where the negro is found in large numbers. Either the negro was not prepared for any such wholesale exercise of the ballot as our recent amendment to the Constitution contemplated, or the American people were not prepared to assist and encourage him to use the ballot. In either case the result has been the same. In my mind there is no doubt but that we made the mistake at the beginning of our freedom of putting the emphasis on the wrong end. Politics and the holding of office were emphasized almost to the exclusion of every other interest, and we accepted responsibilities which our experience and education had not fitted us to perform with success and credit. To my mind the past and present teach but one lesson—to the negro's friend and to the negro himself—that there is but one way out, that there is but one hope of salvation and that is for the negro in every part of America to resolve from henceforth that he will throw aside every non-essential and cling only to essentials—that his pillar of fire by night and pillar of cloud by day shall be property, skill, economy, education and Christian character."

The above is good advise and is worthy of emulation by the whites of the South and West. Were they inclined to treat the negros in those sections with some degree of civility, the recent troubles might have been averted. When we come to look at the real cause, it is politics. With but few exceptions he is with the party that gave him his liberty. He counts his franchise of the same importance as his white neighbor of the same intelligence. If we expect to make good citizens of any race, it must be by education. The two races are dependent upon each other and should have learned this fact years ago, and not have been deceived by low politicians who want to remain in power at any cost. In the future it might be well to try education instead of the shot-gun. Little Delaware's political bosses are spoiling for a race fight, if we can judge anything by the papers, but it doen't seem at all likely that the people will pay attention to them. The last election was a Republican landslide, and for some excuse or as a means of breaking the force of it have endeavored to use the negro as their scapegoat.

A SHORT time ago Commissioner D. J. Zacharias struck a popular cord when he suggested a convention of all the county commissioners of the Eastern Shore be held annually This has been discussed in various counties and meets with general approval by the commissioners. An exchange of ideas along any line by practical men, can't be other than profitable. The Baltimore Herald thinks there could be a general discussion of the best methods of road and bridge management, of almshouses and jails and other public institutions, as well as many othe questions that confront such boards from time to time. Since the Legislature has extended the term of county commissioners from two to six years, such a plan as Mr. Zacharias suggests might be carried out. Such a convention might not only include commissioners from Eastern Shore counties, but the whole State. That such an interchange of views would tend to greater uniformity in county administrative methods there can be no question. Let the work of aggitation go on.

THE Republicans of Baltimore are wondering what struck them on November 8th and are quarreling among themselves. They are also very much frightened at the united front shown by the Democrats in their compact organization.—Snow Hill Messenger. Yes, the Republican party would naturally feel badly, but not at the turn the election took, but at the ignorance displayed by some Democratic papers. They seem to think that because they got two out of six Congressmen in this State, they are going to control congress. whereas in that great Republican body they will be congressmen; that is in name only, and when it comes to voting it will be "Me, too." Isn't it strange how easily some people are pleased?

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TODAY the people all over this beloved land will observe it as a day of thanksgiving and prayer to Almighty God for his goodness to this nation. In some way the Ruler of the Universe, deals with the States in a special manner, bestowing upon them special gifts and favors unknown to any other country on the face of the earth. As there are reasons for all things there must be one or more for this. We are recognized the world over as *the* christian nation, and this being the case is it strange that we should be the especial recipients of His best gifts? We think not. As we are the nearest to an ideal Christian nation, it would not be God to reward us in any other way. Therefore, as this day not only means reunions for thousands of families, it also means more—a day when all secular duties are laid aside as no other one is, save the Sabbath, and observed as a day of genuine "Thanksgiving" by the better element in every section. Let us look at a few of the many things we have to give thanks for which pertain to our every day needs; such as a condition of general prosperity beyond that of several years past, for more work and better pay, the number of hands employed being 32.64 as compared with five years ago, the increase to the wage earner being 45.05 per cent. As to expansion of foreign trade, we now excel anything ever before attained, with heavy increase in export trade. The successful war just ended was one in behalf of humanity and reached the object for which it was intended. These alone should be sufficient to show us that we are the objects of His care and protection.

THE Every Evening thinks it has solved the problem of Democratic defeat in Delaware when it said: "It is sufficient to say that the Democratic party has been to heavily burdened—so much so that even the nomination of unusually good State and local candidates this year could not save it from condemnation. When the past is reviewed it is not to be wondered that Delaware Democrats were so sorely defeated. A Democratic Representative in Congress who was elected on a sound money platform advocating a debased coinage; a Legislature that was extravagant, indifferent to public sentiment and tinged with corruption; a Legislature that elected R. R. Kenney to the U. S. Senate. Is it any wonder that disaster overtook the party? It is absolutely shorn of political power."

It is all our contemporary says of it and more too. But, why didn't that paper give its Democratic readers these facts before election? It knew them as well then as now, but took the opposite course and strained every nerve for the success,it says, of a corrupt party. Now for that paper to turn its back on its party and give the lie to what it did and said before election, is inconsistent to say the least. Two years ago it left its party and stood for sound money and received the approval of right thinking people. Had it pursued the same course this fall it would have been said that the Every Evening was better than its party, but as it is such is not the case. Thirteenth hour repentance availeth nothing, brother.

THOSE familiar with the inward workings of Col. Smith's campaign say his election cost over $40,000, yet this was the party that went to Easton on two different occasions, apparently so anxious for a pure ballots and left holding their hands up in holy horror, and with threats of persecution for any and all who were known to deal in the vote traffic, yet when election morning came their men were as busy as bees working the doubtful voter. The number deceived by this old and exploded pretence must have been small, but the boodle is what told on election day.

SOME of the Democratic papers of the Eastern Shore have mentioned ex-Senator Thomas A. Smith, of Ridgely, as a possible candidate for comptroller again next year. Should this honor happen to go to a Democrat, we don't know of one we had sooner have it than Mr. Smith, but while our State is so securely moored to Republican principles as she is at present, we see no reason for apprehension in that direction. Comptroller Goldsborough, the present encumbent, fills every square inch of the place with marked ability.

FOR sale, cheap. The windmill located on my premises. Will be sold at once, as I have no use for it. John Walter Smith, Snow Hill, Md. —Messenger. Reports say that this "great Eastern Shoreman," like Col. Jackson, is going to shake the Peninsula dust off his feet and reside in Baltimore, notwithstanding he and his party papers' statements to the contrary a few weeks ago. Some one has said the Colonel gave the Eastern Shore voters such a heavy dose of wind this fall that the machine is worthless for further servive.

THE Treasury Department has recommended to the Secretary of War that quinine be admitted into Cuba and Porto Rico free of duty. Under the Spanish law the duty was $3.50 a pound.

MANY Delaware newspapers are bragging about the amount of job work they are turning out just at present. There isn't any business that gets hit any harder or any more quickly on account of the coming of hard times than the country print shops, and it is cause for considerable satisfaction to know that things are coming their way again.—Seaford News. If we can judge anything by the way elections have been going since the Cleveland administration got in its work, we should think, not only men with "print shops," but all business men have reason for rejoicing. Business houses are like a row of bricks set on end near each other, strike one and down goes all of them. We have had that experience, to our sorrow, now we are having the reverse. A bad rule that doesn't work both ways. While bad legislation kills the business interests of a nation and sets labor tramping the country begging for bread, good legislation has the opposite effect on business. You can't crush your neighbor with vicious legislation without hurting your own business. Help or hinder the "print shop," and your neighbor feels it. The common people know a good thing when they see it and know enough now they have it to hold on to it.

THE war with Spain has cost her double what it cost us. In balancing the ledger at Washington we see this difference: Spain's losses, such as Navy, Island of Cuba, Philippines and Porto Rico, cost of war and loss of commerce, all foot up $435,000,000. The United States' losses are: The Maine, cost of war, loss of commerce and pensions are $215,000,000. We have something to show for our war while Spain has nothing.

OVER $3000 has been given Chief of Police Lees, of Delaware, to take the witnesses to San Francisco, to attend the Botkin murder trial. This will be only a drop in the bucket as compared to what it will ultimately be. Jealousy here costs too much to be reckoned by dollars and cents.

FACTS are stubborn things—so are some people—those for instance who insist on calling the Dingley bill a "prohibitive tariff." If they read the treasury reports they would discover their error. Let 'em alone if it pleases 'em it don't hurt us.

SOCKLESS Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, since his defeat, has decided to turn his attention to farming. It is to be hoped that Jerry will make more of a success of it than he did as a congressman.

SPAIN has agreed to leave Cuba on January 1, and it was only on February 15 that the Maine was blown up and that one mine has cost Spain nearly $450,000,000.

TODAY is Thanksgiving. Give thanks to Him who rules and governs all things. Let the festive board this year be one long to be remembered.

FOR RENT.—A large 11-Room Dwelling on Main street; a desirable location. Possession given January 1, 1899. Apply to
A. R. WRIGHT, Denton.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Publishing Company of Caroline county, will be held at their office in Denton, Md., on Thursday, December 1st, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five directors to serve for the ensuing year.
By order of the Board.
FRED R. OWENS, Prest.
A. G. TOWERS, Sec'y.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE!

In Caroline County, Md.

By virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, passed in a cause therein pending, wherein James E. Graham was complainant, and James B. Wilkinson and others were respondents, the undersigned Trustee, named in said decree, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, in the town of Denton, on

Tuesday, December 20, 1898,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, p. m., all the right, title interest and estate of all the parties to the aforesaid cause of, in and to all those lots, tracts or parts of tracts of land situate and being in Caroline county, Md., on the road leading from Hollingsworth Corner to Greensboro, containing

EIGHT ACRES and Six Square Perches

of land, more or less, and being part of the same land conveyed unto Nathan Wilkinson, deceased, by two deeds: one from William T. Jarman and wife, dated the 21st day of January, 1879, and recorded in Liber J. W. T., No. 41, folios 109, etc, one of the land record of said county, and the other from Louisa Jarman and others, dated the 2d day of May, 1896, and recorded in Liber E. C. F., No. 62, folios 347, etc, one of the said land records.

The improvements on this property consists of a single story dwelling with shed, also, stables, carriage house and other out-buildings, all in ordinary repair.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree, are one half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, on the residue a credit of 6 months will be given. The deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured by the note or notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with surety or sureties to be approved by the Trustee or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

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PEREMPTORY SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned intending to discontinue farming will sell at public sale at his residence near Hobbs station on

THURSDAY, DEC. 1,

1898, if fair weather, if not, the first fair day, commencing at 10 o'clock, sharp his Farming Stock, Household Good and Utensils, consistitg of Bedroom Suits, Bedsteads, Chairs, Stoves, Carpets, one Double Heating Stove No. 14, New, and many things not herein mentioned.

Two Good Horses

one eight years old and one nine years old, sound, gentle and good workers in any harness; 4 head of cows, 2 giving milk, one that will be fresh by Dec. 15, and one fat ready for beef. These cows are Jersey Stock and Good Milkers.

ONE FARM WAGON,

One Dayton Wagon, 1 Spindle Buggy, 1 Dearborn, 1 Log Wagon and Chains, 1 Cart, 1 Binder, 1 Mower, 1 Drill, 1 Corn Planter, 1 Acme Harrow, 1 Rake, 1 Wheel Cultivator, 1 Land Roller, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Grain Fan, 1 A Drag, 1 Hinge Drag, Cultivators, Plows, Forks, Hoes, Shovels, 1 Food Cutter, 2 suits of Carriage Harness, Wagon and Cart Harness, also a lot of Blade Fodder and many things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of and under $10 cash on day of sale; on sums over that amount a credit of nine months will be given, purchasers giving notes with approved security. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.
H. C. HOBBS,
J. W. Clark, Jr., Auct. 11-24 1.

LARGE SALE
—OF—
Personal Property!

THE UNDERSIGNED, intending to quit farming, will sell on his farm in Tuckahoe Neck, on

THURSDAY, DEC. 8,

1898, commencing at 10 a. m., sharp,

All of his Stock and Farming Implements and part of his Household and Kitchen Furniture,

Consisting of Bedroom Suits, Feather Beds and Bed Clothing, Tables and Chairs, Two good Fire-Place Heaters, and other Stoves, and many things not herein mentioned.

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TWO REED CREAMERIES,

one nearly new.

One Dayton and Buggy; Horse Cart; Two Farm Wagons; Dearborn; McCormic Binder and Mower; Plows, Cultivators, harness, etc., and all implements found on a well equipped farm One Corn Planter with check rower; a good corn and cob mill; also a lot of Carpenters' and Blacksmiths' Tools including portable Forge, Vise, and many other things. A fine lot of BLADE FODDER and TIMOTHY HAY will also be sold.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of five dollars and under, cash; on sums over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given, purchasers giving notes, bearing interest, and secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. H. C. FISHER.
J. W. CLARK, JR., Auct. 11-24 3t.

Denton Tax Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Town Commissioners of Denton will sit to hear appeals from the late Town Assessment on the evenings of November 22nd, 23rd, and 25th at 7.30 o'clock, in the Grand Jury room of the Court House; after that date the books will be in the hands of the Bailiff for collection and no further abatements will be allowed. In the meantime and until the last named date, when the board is not in session, the books can be seen at the office of Wm. A. Stewart at the Hardware Store. WM. A. STEWART,
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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage given by Susan E. Parris and John Parris, her husband, to Joseph H. Bernard, dated February 24, 1898, and duly recorded in liber C. W. H. No. 2., folio 102 and 103, a mortgage record book for Caroline county, the undersigned mortgagee will offer at public sale in front of the hotel of Talbot & Millington, in Greensboro, Caroline County, State os Maryland, on

SATURDAY, NOV. 26,

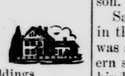
1898, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m.; All that valuable farm or tract of land situated in the Second Election District of said Caroline County, of which John W. Simpson, late of Caroline County, deceased, died seized and possessed and which thereupon descended to his only child and heir at law the said Susan E. Parris, and contains the quantity of

186 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, as will more fully and at large appear by reference to said mortgage recorded as aforesaid.

The improvements thereon consist of a two-story

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and the necessary outbuildings.

There is a PEACH ORCHARD in bearing on this property.

This farm fronts on the Choptank River and is located about one-half mile from Greensborough, and convenient to churches, schools, railroad depot and wharf.

Terms of Sale.

Cash on day of sale. Title papers at expense of purchaser.
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ORDER NISI.

William J. Payne,
vs.
Real Estate of Laura B. Stubbs, dec'd.

In the Orphans' Court of Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered by the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Fred R, Owens, trustee, appointed by a decree of this Court, to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th day of January, 1899; 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 25th day of November, 1898.

The report states the amount of sales to be $260.

JOHN A. SIGLER,
A. R. WRIGHT,
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Register of Wills for Caroline County.
11-3 4t

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MATTERS OF INTEREST.

Dover is troubled by a "Peeping Tom."

Gunning is good in Kent county Delaware.

Smyrna wants the free rural mail delivery for the adjacent country.

Bridgeville is enjoying a building boom and capenters are in great demand.

Farmer Benjamin McNair, who resides near the Delaware-Maryland line, put two steerers to flight by drawing his shot gun.

Jocob Tome's personal property was appraised at $1,456,025.69, and his real estate at $375,378.33.

Dr. Rilie F. Lank, of Seaford, died last week of consumption after two months' illness, aged 30 years.

Dr. B. L. Lewis, Hezekiah Harrington, J. B. Mileham and Albert Harrington, of Harrington, are on their annual deer hunt in the woods of Virginia.

The large Richardson & Robbins cannery is now running on full-time canning poultry. Two carloads, 32,000 pounds, were recived on Tuesday and from one to three carloads will be received daily during the season.

Saturday morning there was a rift in the clouds, and a brilliant meteor was seen sweeping across the western sky at Bridgeville, leaving behind it a trail of reddish light.

Miss Annie Bayard, second daughter of the late Thos. F. Bayard, died of consumption last week in Algiers where she went for her health. She was accompanied by her youngest brother, Philip Bayard.

The marriage of Miss Georgia Richardson Smith, daughter of Col. John Walter Smith, to Mr. Arthur Douglass Foster will be solemnized at Makemie Memorial Church, Snow Hill, Wednesday morning, Nov. 30th.

George C. the six-year-old son of Mr. George C. Moore, near Queen Anne, was kicked on the forehead by a young mule. Fortunately the skull was not fractured, but the skin was torn loose several inches across the forehead from his brow to the base of the hair.

Recently a little son of Mr. John Grigsby, who lives near Brooke, Va., in Stafford county, was badly burned. Dr. Barksdale Hales tried the experiment of engrafting the skin of a live rabbit upon one of the most severe burns and from present indications it will be entirely successful.

The good roads movement is the absorbing topic of conversation by Republicans and Democrrts alike in Delaware. Democrats admit that if the project is carried out, it will be the best thing the state has ever done. Wheelmen are warm supporters of the movement.

In the United States District Court at Wilmington, Guiseppe Speciali and Michael Costello, who pleaded guilty to counterfeiting small coins, were sentenced to 18 and 15 months' imprisonment respectively in the Trenton (N. J.) penitentiary, and a fine of $1000 each.

Excitement prevailed in Milton Saturday evening when it was discovered that Frank B. Carey's house was on fire. The dwelling is a model, considered to be the finest finished in Minton, and is known throughout Sussex county as Frank B. Carey's mansion. The loss is estimated to be $500.

No Malaria on the Shore.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Maryland Public Health Association which convened at Easton a few days ago, the following interesting statement was made:

"Dr. Edward M. Schaeffer, of Baltimore, said he was glad to bear the testimony of an outsider to the marked change which the malarial question had undergone on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Having had frequent occassion during the past three years to conduct a still hunt for this monster of ancient memory, his experience confirmed the statement of local physicians as to its rapid dissappearance from localities now so accessible to and popular with the summer visitor.

"Ordinary prudence was, of course, desirable here, as in Washington or Baltimore. His inquiries and investigations had been made at all seasons of the year and among all classes of people, including the school children and summer boarders.

Purity of drinking water was a much more practical issue in the rural life of Maryland.

Found a Diamond-Back.

Some days ago a farmer, residing just outside of St. Michael's, was walking across a plowed field bordering on a creek, and came across a fine diamond-back terrapin, measuring seven inches across the shell.

The farmer boxed the terrapin up, shipped it to a prominent epicure in Baltimore city, and received a check for $10 by the next mail. Diamond back terrapin are said to be more plentiful in the waters of Talbot this year than common. There is an industry in St. Michael's from which small shipments are made, and the prices realized are about $60 per dozen.

Purged by a Sanctified Band.

Moses Coulborne, a former leader of the sanctified band of Bridgeville, who stole a gun some time ago and was forced to leave the band, was taken back into the fold after having been freed from his sins.

The ceremony was a novel one. Coulborn knelt in front of a stand, upon which was placed a Bible, while the entire band marched slowly around him chanting their weird hymns. The singing gradually became louder, and suddenly they began shouting and yelling around the mourner like Indians at a war dance. The evil spirit was driven from him. Some of the band fainted from exhaustion.—Ex.

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7.25 down to 6.25.
6.50 down to 6.00.

Best Tinned Carpet Tacks, 5c per 1000.
" " " " 12c per 3000
Hog Rings, 5 cts per 100,
Egg Whips, 2 cents each.
Tea Strainer, 2 cents each.
Fire Shovels, 2 for 5 cents.
Three Boxes of matches, 1 cent.
Flesh Forks, two for 3 cents.
Harrow Teeth, $2.50 per hundred.
When the above stock is reduced prices will be higher.

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39c., 50c., 75c., 90c., $1.15, $1.30, $1.40, and $1.50 per gallon.

A LARGE LOT OF BLANKETS AND Robes from 60c up to $7.50.

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