THE JOURNAL.

WM. HENRY LEGG, Editor.

DENTON, SATURDAY MORNING, December 13, 1873.

THE Spanish Government has agreed to the supplementary protocol, and Tuesday, the 16th inst., has been fixed as the day for the delivery of the Virginius to an officer of the United States Navy. The survivors of the crew and passengers, now held at Santiago de Cuba, will be given up on the same day. The United States steamer Canandaigua will sail immediately for Havana, and her commander (Captain Lowry) will receive the Virginius on behalf of the United States. Captain Braine will take the prisoners on board the Juniata and bring them home.

THE four bank burglars, at New Castle, Del., that were recently sentenced to pay a fine of $500 each, to stand in the pillory one hour, to receive forty lashes and ten years imprisonment each, were placed in the pillory and received their whippings on Wednesday last, in the presence of a very large crowd. These brazen-faced scoundrels went through the operation without a wince, a murmur or a groan, and seemed not to recognize at all the disgraceful and degrading nature of their punishment.

Though this Delaware whipping post has been called "a relic of barbarism," we think to-day the feeling is in regard to the scoundrels whipped there on Wednesday that they showed too much "cheek" and the sheriff too little muscle.

"BOSS" TWEED, according to a local journal, that is said still to cherish a lively sympathy for the deposed 'Boss,' intends to employ his leisure hours while in prison, in the writing of an autobiography of his live. It is stated that he has carefully kept a diary of his life, and he proposes, now that he occupies a felon's cell, to give the world some startling disclosures. He proposes to tell his manner of doing business, whom he bought to serve his purposes, and what the average price of Albany Legislators is. Probably no man in the country has had so varied an experience in this line as Mr. Tweed and no man can make such startling revelations. Hundreds of straight-laced, proper-acting people will by this book be shown up in their true light, and the world at large will get an idea of the inner workings of a gigantic "Ring."

THE NEWLY APPOINTED CHIEF JUSTICE.—The Springfield (Mass.) Republican says that "the nomination of Mr. Williams, of Oregon, to the chair of the late Chief Justice, has been a surprise to almost everybody. After taking the whole summer and fall to look around him and make up his mind, our taciturn chief magistrate finally fixes upon a gentleman whose qualifications for the place, to put it mildly, had not prepared either bar or public for his appointment. President Grant is addicted to these little surprises; it is a way he has." The Republican considers all the points that Mr. Williams does and does not possess, and finally comes to the last but not the least item—Mrs. Williams—who, it is said, is one of those wonderful western women who are equally good at puddings and politics, and whose influence it is thought the present appointment is largely due.

TWEED GETTING USED TO PRISON.—The New York *World* says:

"William M. Tweed is described as being more reconciled to the inevitable, and is gradually returning to his accustomed health, if not of spirits. He has apparently quite recovered from the effects of his bath, and has entered upon his duties as hospital orderly as if he had been in the manner born.—He does not yet show great disposition to fraternize with his fellow-convicts, but is not unpopular with them on that account, his fortitude having aroused their respect, and they apparently recognize that he is not one of them.—They treat him with deference, and appeared gratified when they learned of his recovering his health. He reads the newspapers more than he did, and affects an interest he has not heretofore shown in what is said against and about him. His son, General Tweed, continues to visit him at the proper times, but generally exhibits so much agitation that his calls exercise a depressing rather than a cheering effect."

SPEAKER BLAINE has announced his standing committees. He has placed the salary grabbers and the Credit Mobilier men at the front, as chairman of the leading committees. He has given the foremost place as Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and leader of the House to Dawes, who combines the dishonest greed of the salary grabber with the odious venality of the Credit Mobilierist. A more insolent affront to the just sentiments of honest men of both parties was never offered. Speaker Blaine's political career ends with the present Congress.—*New York World.*

A dense fog prevailed in London on Tuesday last. So dense was the fog that at 2 o'clock, P. M., it was as dark as night. It was impossible to transact business, and locomotion was made slow and hazardous. The streets were filled with men and boys bearing torches to light pedestrians on their way. The fog, it is said, in density, was without precident, even in London.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate, on Monday, Mr. Windom introduced a bill to incorporate the Southern Transcontinental Railroad Company, granting a charter to build a road from the mouth of the Arkansas river via the San Juan mountains to San Francisco. Mr. Clayton submitted a resolution directing the committee on railroads to consider the expediency of preparing a bill providing for a general system of railroad corporations. On motion of Mr. Anthony, Rev. Byron Sunderland was elected to be chaplain of the Senate, and Jas. R. Young executive clerk. Mr. Wright spoke in favor of his bill to repeal the increased pay of Congressmen and other government officers, and at the conclusion of his speech the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

In the House, Mr. Cox offered a resolution recognizing Cubans as belligerents, but objections were raised and the resolution withdrawn. Mr. Hale, of Maine, from the special committee on the salary question, submitted a bill repealing the bill of last March, fixing the salaries for congressmen and other officials at what they were before the passage of that act. At the expiration of the present presidential term the President's salary to be what it was before the increase. Messrs. Kasson and Jewett submitted a minority report. An effort was made to press the bill, but delay being desired by some to introduce amendments, it was decided that it should be taken up the next day, and be open to discussion until a majority should agree to close the debate. After the transaction of some further business the House at 4.40 P. M. adjourned.

Several new bills were introduced in the Senate on Tuesday and referred.—The Vice-President gave notice that he will be absent for some time, and a President pro tem. must be elected.—Various resolutions calling for information were disposed of, and Mr. Buckingham advocated his free banking bill.

The House passed a bill for the redemption of the loan of 1858. Mr. Chipman, delegate from the District of Columbia, was sworn in. The Committees on Territories and the District of Columbia were announced. The bill to repeal the increase of salaries came up as the main feature of the day. The discussion was lively, and the scenes that ensued were ludicrous in the extreme. Personalities were freely exchanged between Messrs. Cox, Negley, Lawrence, Wilson, and Parsons, in which some queer developments came to light. Mr. Lamison, of Ohio, squarely opposed any repeal, and Mr. Lynch took the original ground that the salaries of the next Congress ought to be cut down, but it would be improper for members to reduce their own salaries. Mr. O'Brien, of Maryland, denounced the back-pay grab, but thought a reasonable increase of salaries justifiable. Pending debate the House adjourned.

In the Senate, on Wednesday, Mr. Ferry, of Michigan, introduced a bill authorizing the Secretry of the Treasury to issue the forty-four million reserve and make it a part of the permanent circulation; referred to the committee on finance. Mr. Hamilton, of Maryland, offered a constitutional amendment providing that only gold and silver coin shall be legal tender for public or private debts. A majority and minority report from the committee on finance were submitted with regard to devising measures to redeem the pledge of public faith, and providing for a currency of uniform value.—It was agreed that reports should be taken up on Monday. The House amnesty bill was received and read for the first time, and the Senate after an executive session adjourned.

In the House Mr. Phillips, of Kansas, introduced joint resolutions condemning the Virginius massacre, and recognizing Cuban independence, which were refered to the committee on foreign affairs. A bill from the naval committee was passed authorizing the employment of ten thousand men in the navy, but limiting the increase of force to January, 1875. A bill was reported from the committee appropriating the $5,000,000 asked by Secretary Robeson for the navy, and referred to the committee of the whole. The House then resumed debate of the salary repeal bill, adjourning without action.

A WILD WOMAN IN PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA.—Mr. Roda Fewell and others report to the Manassas (Va.) Gazette that as they were hunting in the woods near Bland's Ford bridge, Prince William county, Va., on Tuesday last, they discovered smoke arising from a thick pine grove a few hundred yards distant, which proved to come from the bivouac of a woman nearly nude, who was seated near the fire picking a large bird. Upon the approach of the huntsmen she grasped a bow and arrows and fled. They represent the woman about thirty years old, wearing undressed bearskin about the loins, her only covering. The Alexandria Gazette a few days ago reported a wild man in the woods of Prince William.

The gentlemen employed in the new translation of the Bible for the Church of England, have got as far in the New Testament as the twenty fifth chapter of the Acts af the Apostles. They will have completed their work in about two years more.

NEWS GLEANINGS.

The public debt increased $9,028,000 during the month of November.

The city of New York has appropriated $79,450 for charitable purposes.

At Milton, last week, Drs. Hopkins and Carey operated very successfully on a double hair lip.

Mr. Aldridge, of Garrard county, Ky., recently sold five fox hounds to a Madison county man for $50 apiece.

In the election which has just taken place in Texas the State has gone Democratic by forty thousand majority.

Boston announces that last month was the coldest November known in that latitude for half a century.

Richmond papers pitifully entreat the buzzards to come there and in mercy to the suffering citizens scavenger the streets.

General N. B. Forrest, of Tennessee, has tendered his services, with an indefinite force, to General Sherman in case of a war with Spain.

President Grant's message contained eleven thousand words, and was despatched from Washington to Baltimore, on Tuesday, of last week, in an hour and fifteen minutes.

Chas. H. Shales, a pretended physician in Boston, was held to bail in the sum of $15,000 Saturday, charged with manslaughter in procuring an abortion, which terminated fatally to his victim.

The total number of hogs slaughtered in Cincinnati for the past week is 77,000, and since November 1 to date 288,000. During the same time last year the number slaughtered was 208,000.

Religious disturbances between the Catholics and Protestants are reported to have occurred at Tezcoatlan, Mexico. Troops have been sent to arrest the rioters and restore order.

Seth Adams, a well-known business man of Boston, and, with his brother, the first manufacturer of the Adams printing press, died on Sunday last, in Newton, Mass.

An Imperial ukase has been issued requiring that six men out of every one thousand inhabitants of Russia, including the Polish provinces, shall be drafted into the army.

Judge James De Mott, aged 88, was married in Seneca county, New York, a few days since, to Rachael Covert, aged 77. The dame is the Judge's third wife, and the Judge is the dame's fifth husband.

A correspondence is going on in a London Ritualistic newspaper, advocating the abandonment of sermons, and in lieu of the same, reading extracts from the works of the Fathers."

An intelligent resident of Maine letting called him 'an indefatigable genius,' and an equally intelligent judge and jury awarded $212 damages for the undeserved epithet.

The counsel for the prisoners convicted of an attempt to rob a Delaware bank have thrown up the sponge and withdrawn their reasons for a new trial. The culprits have been sentenced to the pillory, forty lashes, a fine of five hundred dollars, and ten years' imprisonment.

A Lexington, Va., young lady has made herself a heroine by wearing leather gloves. A few nights ago she was awakened by cries near her bedside, and found a little negro girl in flames. She gathered up the little negress, pitched her into bed, and smothered the fire.

The Seventh Day Baptists of Rhode Island have special legislative permission to break Sunday provided they keep Saturday holy, which is very convenient for shopkeepers and manufacturers, who, by selecting half their clerks and operatives from this sect and the other half from other denominations, manage to keep their business going all through the week.

Even in Massachusetts strongholds the tide is turning. Three of the principal cities in that State which have always been republican, have just elected Democratic Mayors—Lawrence, Springfield and Fall River. The town of Gloucester, where Butler usually has great influence, has also given a Democratic majority.

DEFRAUDING INSURANCE COMPANIES.—Aaron Harris, who kept a cigar store in New York, was, last week, upon conviction of perjury, sent by Recorder Hackett to the State prison for ten years. The crime which led to the punishment of this prisoner was one which has of late been not unfrequent—an attempt to defraud an insurance company. His store was burned, and he made claim upon the insurers for heavy loss, swearing that he had a large amount of property in the building. There were grave suspicions that he had set fire to the store, but he was only indicted for the perjury, of which offense he was convicted. In sentencing the prisoner the recorder said he had no doubt that he had committed both arson and perjury, and that he had done both in order to successfully obtain money by fraud. The sentence imposed was to be a penalty corresponding to the magnitude of the crime, and was also intended to deter others from the commission of similar offenses. Hence he imposed the longest sentence permitted by the law for the crime of perjury, of which the prisoner had been convicted.

THE LATE PETER J. WILLIS.

We copy the following from a Galveston (Tex.) paper:

"The cortege which followed the remains of the late Peter J. Willis to his last resting place, yesterday, was one of the largest that ever did funeral honors to a departed citizen of the city.

The ceremonies, conducted by Dr. Bird, of Trinity Church—from whence the procession moved to the cemetery—were peculiarly solemn and impressive, moving tears many of the old friends who assembled in the church to take a last farewell of one for whom they cherished the kindliest feelings of which the human heart is capable.

The immediate family of the deceased gentleman, and those of his bereaved brother and sons, and the employes of the house of which deceased was the head, were in attendance, and never was evidence of grief made more manifest than in each and every one of those to whom the places of chief mourners were accorded on the melancholy occasion.

There was a general outpouring of ladies and gentlemen, many of whom had known Mr. Willis for many long years, and were attached to him by bonds of friendship which only death could loosen.

The Galveston Artillery, of which deceased was a member, served as military escort. The procession contained fifty carriages and not less than two thousand persons, all of whom followed to the cemetery, where the body was temporarily deposited.

PETER J. WILLIS

Was born in Caroline County, Maryland on the 26th day of March, 1815.

In January, 1836, Mr. Willis arrived in Texas where he remained until the following June, when he returned to Maryland and remained until October of the same year, when, accompanied by his two younger brothers, William H. and Richard S., he returned to Texas and commenced the mercantile business, in which he remained to the day of his death, having by indomitable industry, strict integrity, and great knowledge of the country and its resources, succeeded in building up an establishment which has few equals in any country. William H. Willis died on the Brazos in July, 1843. Richard S. Willis survives, and by the death of his brother becomes the head of the great mercantile establishment of P. J. Willis & Bro.

In 1844, Mr. Willis began the business of a merchant at Montgomery, having removed from the first location. He removed from Montgomery to Houston in 1859, where he remained until 1867, when the house was removed to this city, where it has grown to its present collosal proportions.

We have neither time nor necessary statistics to follow the business struggles of Mr. Willis; suffice that no disaster could dampen his ardor or discourage him in his undertakings. His example is one from which young men ambitious of success may derive much benefit. By industry and integrity he founded a colossal fortune, and built up a business which amounts to millions each year, and which will continue, under the old style and name, for many years to come, a monument to his memory, and a source of pride to the city of which he was so long an honored and beloved citizen.

SPEAKER BLAINE AND "SUNSET" COX.—On Monday last our friend Cox, of New York, was more than usually active, spurty and irrepressible in the House. The Star says:

He was continually at the front, "catching on the fly," and rampaging round generally. Finally when the House came to an agreement to proceed with the debate on the salary bill in twenty minute speeches, Cox dispatched a page with the following note:

"*Dear Mr. Speaker:* Put me down for twenty minutes. S. S. C."

To which the Speaker replied:

"*Dear Cox:* I would be delighted if I could keep you down half that time.

J. G. B."

DEATH WARRANTS ISSUED—TWO MORE EXECUTIONS IN MD.—In the case of Joseph Davis, convicted of the murder of the miller, Abraham Lynn, in Carroll county, on the 5th of April, 1872, Governor Whyte has decided the application for pardon or commutation of sentence adversely to the prisoner.—The Governor has determined that the course of the law shall be carried out, and in conformity with it has issued the warrant for the execution of Davis.—The day fixed upon is Friday, the 6th of February next. The warrant is directed to the sheriff of Carroll county, the county in which the murder was committed. The Governor has also issued the warrant for the execution of Wm. H. McCotter, convicted of murder in the first degree of his father-in-law, Robert Insley, in Dorchester county, to the sheriff of which county the warrant is directed. The form of these two documents is precisely like all other similar papers in this State, and requires the executions to take place on the day named before the hour of two o'clock. Both warrants were issued at Annapolis yesterday. These two make ten death warrants the Governor has signed since he has been in office—not quite two years. Under seven of these warrants executions took place, one murderer's sentence was commuted to the penitentiary, and the time for the execution of the last two has not yet arrived.—*Balto. Sun.*

PENINSULAR NEWS.

KENT COUNTY, MD

An investigation into the death of John Bauer, whose body was washed ashore near Rock Hall, Kent county, Md., on the 22nd of November, proves that he was not murdered (as a jury of 23 men had rendered a verdict) but that he fell overboard from the pungy Fashion, in the Bay and that every effort was made to save him.

On Friday, of last week, the dwelling of Mr. George W. Roloson, at Pine Neck, Kent county, was burned during the temporary absence of the owner and his family. Most of the household goods were saved, but the building was entirely consumed. The fire was accidental. On the following day Mr. George Diehl's fine residence, at Rock Point, in the same county, was destroyed by fire.

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.

The dairy of Mr. Joseph K. Cook, residing near town, was broken open on Saturday night, and about 50 pounds of butter stolen therefrom. The burglars have not yet been arrested.

The Rev. Andrew Manship, of the Philadelphia Conference, dedicated, on Sunday, the lower story of lhe new African M. E. Church, in this town.—Mr. Manship is 51 years of age, but looks vigorous yet and good for many more years of usefulness.

Mr. James W. Thompson, the Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner of the Schools of this county, is now quite sick at his residence, at the Centreville Landing, with pneumonia. Mr. J. West Thompson, Jr., has been appointed to the office during the temporary absence of his father.

Some thieves broke into the barn of Mr. Wm, McKenney, on the Harper Farm, near town, one night last week, week, and stole a considerable quantity of wheat, some 30 bushels. Mr. McKenney offers a reward of $50, and all the wheat recovered, for the apprehension and conviction of the thieves.—*Observer.*

TALBOT COUNTY.

Daniel J. Sharp was presented, by the grand jury, at the late session of Court, for committing an assault and battery on Mrs. Whitman, residing near St. Joseph's church, in Chapel district. Mrs. Whitman charged that he attempted to outrage her person, but the evidence was not quite strong enough to sustain the charge. The Monday after the adjournment of Court he met her on the road in a piece of woods near St. Joseph's church; made infamous proposals to her, but was repelled. He then seized the lady, and to silence her screams, beat her in the face with his fist, choked her, stuffed a handkerchief in her mouth, threatened to kill her, and then proceeded to accomplish the devilish deed. Fortunately a carriage passed at the time, which alarmed him, and he took to the woods. Mrs. Whitman went to Justice Robinson, at Cordova, exhibited her bruises, and had a warrant issued for the arrest of Sharp. He has been arrested and held to bail in the sum of $1,000. We understand that Sharp denies Mrs. Whitman's statement, and claims that he can prove an alibi.—*Easton Star.*

KENT COUNTY, DEL.

Hog killing time is upon us. The squeal of the fatling struggling with the merciless butcher disturbes the usual quiet of the farm yard, and the morning air is redolent with the apetizing odor of fried sausage. Great hogs are not so much in favor as in by-gone days, the succulent porker of two or three hundred weight being regarded as most profitable as well as much more toothsome, but there are still those who take pride in wearing the palm of victory in the hog raising line and having their achievements held up for the admiration of posterity. The most notable hogs killed this year were those owned by inn-keepers, the presence of these porcine mammoths affording topers an excellent excuse for frequenting the bar-room and enhancing the pleasure of the exhibition by the enlivening influence of strong drink. The inevitable guess box also ministered to the interest and excitement especially that attending the decease of their hogships. The hog on exhibition and subsequently slaughtered at the Capital Hotel, in this place; we judge, was the heaviest in the county, his dressed weight being 931½ lbs. Age three years and five months. The guess box on this occasion contained $147,-50, which was accepted by the owner, while the hog was taken possession of by the person making the nearest guess, which was 931¾. Mr. Fountain also had slaughtered, on Tuesday, nine hogs, the aggregate weight of which was 3228½. E. Clark, of Whiteleysburg slaughtered an eighteen months old pig that weighed 515 pounds and one thirteen months old that weighed 378 pounds. Sam. Molliston and his company of Dover hog-slayers butchered sixty-four up to last Wednesday, the weights running from 200 to 400 pounds.—*Delawarean.*

THAT IRON is valuable as a medicine has long been known, but it is only since its preparation in the particular form of Peruvian Syrup that its full power over disease has been brought to light. Its effect in cases of dyspepsia and debility is most salutary.

The Delaware Historical Society met in Wilmington, Friday, and elected Hon. Daniel M. Bates President for the ensuing year, with other officers.

This piece of useful information is given to those who have not yet bought their winter clothing. We are selling off our entire stock of reliable winter goods, and persons who have delayed purchasing, will find this *the best opportunity ever offered for getting splendid clothing very cheap.* The goods *must be sold*, and, to secure purchasers, WE HAVE REDUCED THE PRICES SO VERY LOW, that they are now *far below* any others, even where *inferior goods* are offered. Now is the time to buy cheap. We have a large stock, an unbroken assortment of durable, reliable, and satisfactory goods, and every garment is guaranteed as represented. Such genuine bargains were never offered, and it will repay any person to invest a few dollars at this time. Bennett & Co., Tower Hall, 518 Market Street, Philadelphia.

A Manual of Health.

An edition of between nine and ten millions of copies of a very useful work is now ready for gratuitous distribution, and can be had for the asking at any drug store in the United States, the British Colonies, Spanish America or Brazil. The work referred to is Hostetter's Almanac for 1874. The medical portion of it treats of the various ailments to which the human system is subject, and sets forth the peculiar properties of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters—the purest and best tonic at present known—as a preservative of health and strength, and as a remedy for debility and disease. The Almanac is printed in all the principal languages of the civilized world, and reaches a larger number of families and individuals than any other medical treatise that ever issued from the press. No man or woman who has a due regard for that choicest of heaven's blessings, bodily vigor, should fail to read the plain, simple and convincing articles which this truly practical publication contains. The miscellaneous matter is varied, instructive and amusing, and the calender department copious and comprehensive. Hostetter's Almanac is, in short, a household convenience, adapted to the use of all classes and callings. The farmer, the planter, the miner, the merchant, the mechanic, the laborer, the professional man, all need it; and to invalids of both sexes it is literally an article of prime necessity. The medical technicalities which render so many medical treatises intended for popular use unintelligible to the general reader, have been carefully avoided in this pamphlet. All is clear, explicit, and reconcilable with reason and common sense.

The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Examiner's Notice.

WE, the undersigned, having been appointed by the County Commissioners of Caroline county, to examine, and if found necessary, to locate a new County Road, commencing at or near Geo. W. Buck, L. Smith, Thomas Watling, L. Smith and Thomas Jones, to intersect the public road leading from Castle Hall School House to Hollingsworth's X Roads at or near the corner of the farm occupied by Jas. Kinnaman, give notice that they will meet at the proposed point of commencement of said road, on THURSDAY, 15th day of January, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of executing said commission.

The County Surveyor will meet us on said day without further notice.

SAMUEL J. JARMAN,
DAVID S. MOORE,
CHAS. H. WHITBY.
Examiners.

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J. WEST THOMPSON, JR.,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CENTREVILLE, MD.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Queen Anne's county, Md., sitting in Equity, (passed in the cause of Wm. McKenney, surviving Trustee, vs. the Executor and heir at law of John M. Harper, deceased) the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at public auction, in front of the Court House door in Centreville, in said county, on

TUESDAY, December 30th, 1873,

the following described REAL ESTATE, to wit:

THE FARM

formerly belonging to the said John M. Harper, situate partly in the 2d and partly in the 3d Election District of Queen Anne's county, on the north side of the road leading from Ruthburg to Bridgetown, and on both sides of the road leading from said road to Roceville, containing, by recent survey,

300 Acres, 2 Roods, and 10 Perches of Land.

And also, at the same time, a WOOD LOT, lying contiguous to, but not immediately adjoining said land and considered as a part of the same, containing

31 Acres and 26 Perches of Land.

107 Acres (more or less) are cut off by the road dividing the tract, which is improved by

7000 Peach Trees,

three years planted, and just commencing to come into full bearing. The land on which they stand has been limed, newly fenced in part, with white pine and cedar, and otherwise improved since the purchase made by said Harper. The remaining portion of the tract has on it a small but comfortable

Dwelling House,

an excelledt and almost NEW BARN, with CORN HOUSES and other Out Houses in moderate condition. The fencing on the whole tract is about in an average condition, some of it being excellent. The land is of excellent character and in moderately good condition, susceptible of the highest improvement, nearly all arable, high and needing but little expense comparatively for drainage. It lies exceedingly convenient to the village of Ruthburg, Roesville and Bridgetown; to churches of different denominations, schools, mills, &c. Any one wishing an investment will find here a rare, unusual opportunity.

THE TERMS OF SALE,

as prescribed by the decree, are: One-fifth of the purchase money cash, and the balance in four equal instalments of one, two, three and four years from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale on the deferred payments, said payments to be secured by the bonds or notes of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee. The property will be offered first in three parcels, the north east of the road on which the house stands of 208 acres, more or less, the lot on the south west of the road, on which is the peach orchard, containing 107 acres, more or less, and the wood lot. The first two lots will then be offered together; and finally the whole three, and the sale will be made in which ever way brings the most money. All title papers, &c., at the expense of the purchaser.

J. WEST THOMPSON, Jr., Trustee.
J. H. COSTIN, Auctioneer.

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$3,000 TO LOAN,

IN sums to suit. Apply at the office of the Citizens Building and Loan Association. Money loaned from 30 days to 10 years.

JOSIAH WHITE,
Nov29-4w. Secretary.

FOR SALE.

12,000 Osage Orange, quicks, of first-rate quality. Apply to

ED. C. PEITCHETT.
dec6-3w. Denton, Md.

Fence Notice.

I hereby give notice that six months after date I intend to discontinue the divtsion fence between my land and the land of Josiah White.

dec6-3w. PETER D. PHILLIPS.

Auditor's Notice.

James B. Steele, surviving Trustee of Jas. Ll. Martin and James B. Steele, Trustees, vs. Reyner B. Downes.

NOTICE is hereby given that on or after the 30th day of December next, the Auditor will proceed to make a final audit of the fund in this cause. All persons having claims against the said fund are hereby notified to file the same, properly proved, in the office of the Clerk of Caroline county Circuit Court, on or before the said 30th day of December or they may loose all benefit of said fund.

ROBT. J. JUMP,
dec6-3w Special Auditor.

Order of Ratification.

George W. Ward and Margaret W. Ward his wife. vs. Jacob C. Wright, Peter W. Wright, Martha J. Ledham, John L. Lloyd and Louisa Lloyd, Wm. C. Fleetwood, Ann Fleetwood, Sallie M. Stafford, Wm. H. Stafford, Deborah C. Wright. } Circuit Court for Caroline county. In Equity.

ORDERED, this 3d day of December in the year 1873, that the sales made and reported by J. W. Bryant, Trustee in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 8th day of February, 1874; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Caroline county once in each of three successive weeks before the 29th day of December, 1873.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1200.00.

JOHN W. TEMPLE, Clerk.

True Copy,
dec6-3w Test—JOHN W. TEMPLE, Clk.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, the undersigned as Administrator of Amos Heckler, dec'd., will offer at Public Sale at the Mill of Heckler, Bingham & Co., near Greensborough, on

THURSDAY, 18th day of Dec., inst.,

the following personal property, to wit:

One Horse; two Cows, fresh at the pale; four fattened Hogs; one York Carriage and Harness; one Single Buggy; one set Carpenter's Tools; three Bedsteads Beds and Bedding,

TERMS OF SALE.

On all sums of $10 and under, Cash; on all sums over $10 a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving note with approved security bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

WM. N. COHEE,
dec6-ts Adm'tr.

LATE SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of two writs of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, both at the suit of the State of Maryland against Geo. W. Kugler, and to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution and will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the Hotel of Jas. H. Willis, in the town of Greensborough, on

SATURDAY, 3rd day of Jan., 1874,

between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock P. M., of that day, all the said Geo. W. Kugler's right, title, claim and interest, of, in and to the following described tracts, parts of tracts or parcels of land, viz: All said Geo. W. Kugler's right, claim and interest, to all that tract or parcel of land called "Fenn Ridge Corrected," the "Wyatt Farm," or by whatsoever name or names the same may be called and known, situate and being in the first Election district of Caroline county, on the West side of the County road leading from Greensborough Station to Castle Hall School House, containing

145 Acres more or less,

and being the same land described in a deed from Geo. W. Thawley, Mary E. Thawley and others, to Geo. W. Kugler, recorded in Liber J. J., No. 31, folios 95 and 96, one of the Land Record Books of Caroline county.

Also, all the right, title, claim and interest, at law and in equity, of Geo. W. Kugler, of, in and to all that tract or parcel of land, called "Hog Pen Ridge," the "Sylvester Farm" or by whatsoever name or names the same may be called and known, situate and lying in the first Election district of Caroline county, and on the county road leading from Castle Hall School House to Bridgetown, and adjoining the lands formerly owned by Robert E. Hardcastle and others, containing

97 Acres, more or less

being the same lands described in a deed from P. B. Hopper, Trustee, and others, to Geo. W. Kugler, recorded in Liber R. J., No. 30, folios 565, 566 and 567, one of the Land Record Books for Caroline co.

Also, all the right, title, claim and interest of Geo. W. Kugler at law and in Equity; of, in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land and premises, opposite Castle Hall School House, improved by a two story

DWELLING HOUSE,

the usual outbuildings and a steam Saw Mill, lately occupied by Geo. W. Kugler and at present occupied by Amelia M. Hough and Lewis S. Hough, her husband, and containing 6 ACRES, more or less, called and known as a part of the Brody land, and is the same land described in a deed from Samuel Culbreth to Geo. W. Kugler, recorded in Liber T. F. G. No. C. C., folio 40, one of the Land Record Books for Caroline county.

Seized and taken in execution and will be sold at public sale at the time and place named above, to pay and satisfy the debt, interest and costs now due or that may become due thereon.

JONATHAN EVITTS,
dec6-ts Late Sheriff.

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T. H. KEMP,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

DENTON, MD.

I have resumed the practice of law, and will give strict attention to all business entrusted to my management. Will practice in the Courts of Caroline, Talbot, Queen Anne's and adjoining counties.

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NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company will meet at the office of the Company, in the town of Easton, Maryland, on Wednesday, December 10th, 1873, for the purpose of electing officers of the Company for the ensuing year. By order, JOHN W. SCOTT,

nov22-3w Secretary.

DR. ENOCH GEORGE,
Denton, Md.

Offers his professional services to the citizens of Denton and vicinity, can be found at the office of Geo. M. Russum, Esq., unless professionally engaged. [apr12-tf

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