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MR. A. LEO KNOTT, of Baltimore, assumed the duties of second assistant postmaster-general on Monday last.

THE Democratic Club of Chapel District, Talbot county, at its meeting last week adopted a series of resolutions, drafted by a committee of which Hon. James M. Wooters was chairman, heartily approving the policy of the present administration and commending Hon. Arthur P. Gorman's valuable services in the recent campaign. The Chapel district Democrats are evidently wide awake.

WHEAT has considerably advanced in price in the various markets of the country, yet it is possible that the maximum figure has been reached. The reports of the threatened war between Russia and great Britain have in the last 48 hours indicated a much more conciliatory spirit between the belligerent nations and it seems now barely possible that there will be a collision between these great powers. Moreover, the great surplus from the last year's crop is yet in the granaries. Germany and France have practically closed their markets to American wheat by the high duties established. Thus the market for our grain will be materially narrowed. The crop of wheat for 1885 will, it is estimated, fall short of that of 1884 by seventy-five to one hundred million bushels, but with the present enormous surplus the amount available for export during the year will be over two hundred million bushels.

The Bribery Controversary.

To the Editor of THE JOURNAL:

The facility with which Reflex handles statistics pertaining to election frauds, and his avowed knowledge of the facts in the case, prove very clearly to my mind that such knowledge is the outgrowth of actual experience.

If I had not been taught, from my youth up that "actions speak louder than words" I might be induced to consider favorably the so-called propositions which the gentleman states—but never debates or enlarges upon — and credit him with some degree of sincerity; but conscious of the fact that a man must be judged more by what he does than by what he says, we are thus actuated to retain our "doubtful" position and denounce the course adopted by Reflex in his treatise on buying and selling votes.

I may be "too previous," but I still maintain that Reflex has not suggested a remedy, in either of his letters, by which we may impede or check the progress of this prevailing evil. He says the remedy lies in the "press and the people." Why did he so confine his remedy? He left out the gods and goddesses. "The press and the people" are no remedy, but only are agents to act upon or execute a remedy. Give the agent satisfactory material to work upon and satisfactory results may be obtained. What we are after is the HOW, and this part of it he is apparently as afraid of as a chicken is of a mill pond.

Let us take up a "proposition."—Some few years ago a Democratic ticket was elected just by the "skin of its teeth" and no one would be so unreasonable as to deny that money led the "hosts to victory." Two or three men upon that ticket, according to election returns, were not so popular as other men with whom they were associated; and conceding that their superiors—in point of popularity—owed their election to the money that was used, isn't it more reasonable to believe that these gentlemen owed their election to the "doubtful" votes? Yet we are told that one of these very men has always been an exponent of anti-bribery.

Now this kind of work will never discourage the traffic of buying votes, but only tend to aggravate the vicious habit, because of the deception practiced by those who would rather be thought opposed to the practice.

Reflex next takes the Maryland statutes and there finds a way to break the "thing" up. But I would like to ask, Is there any particular person to enforce that law? I know of none. It seems to be every body's business; and as it is everybody's business it is nobody's business. For the same reason that Reflex never took it upon himself to enforce that law other men have refrained. It is just as worthless as no remedy because it is impracticable.

To remove the evil, first the cause of the evil must be removed. Money is the cause, hence my conclusion. When this is achieved politics will assume that spirit which unites patriots before partizans and uses party for state, and not state for party.

MARQUE.

Meeting of the State Temperance Alliance.

The Maryland State Temperance Alliance has issued the following letter to which is appended the names of Edwin Higgins, Robert McLaughlin, William Silverwood, C. S. Mosher, E. B. Newnam, William H. Harris and F. L. Morling:

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE PROHIBITION PARTY IN MARYLAND:

Dear Brothers:—We have no reason to blush for the record made by our party at the recent National election. On the contrary we have much reason to thank God and take courage. Although we did not elect our candidates (which we did not expect to do), yet we did elect our issue, and placed it at the front as a factor in American politics, National and State, and there to stay until the great question of the suppression of the liquor traffic, this "gigantic crime of crimes," is settled; and settled rightly, too, in the sight and fear of God, and not by compromises with politicians or political parties.

More than 152,000 of the purest and most patriotic voters, among them being included a number of the profoundest thinkers and most earnest, practical and far-seeing workers this or any other country can boast of, left the flesh-pots of Egypt and severed all the ties of political bondage at the late election, and are marching onward with supreme faith in God, to victory. And in their march they are being joined by goodly numbers of others who more recently have become possessed with like convictions and inspired with like faith.

The future is full of encouragement. The local elections that have taken place since the National campaign closed, and especially recently, have in many places more than doubled and trebled the Prohibition vote at the late National election. Whilst more temperance legislation has been obtained in the various States in the way of the enactment of laws requiring scientific temperance to be taught in the schools, the submission of constitutional amendments, local prohibition, and otherwise, than has been obtained for three times the length of time in any period since 1856. Miss Willard, President of the W. C. T. U., and other leaders best posted, not only assert this, but prove their assertions. So much for the doleful prophecies of our enemies, and the weak-kneed professed friends of prohibition, to the effect that the good cause had been set back twenty years, by reason of that fatal election of last fall.

Maryland which has in the years past stood in the front rank of States earnestly and successfully contending for local prohibition, and whilst still so doing must not be behind in this new and much more efficient method of prohibition work, through the means of a thoroughly organized ballot. She started well and did nobly in the last campaign, but this was only the beginning, the earnest and promise of much better things to come. A number of other States have already held grand conventions and organized on this line. For the purpose of thus thoroughly organizing, you are earnestly requested to meet with the friends of this movement in conference or convention on the 23d of April, 1885, in Oratorio Hall, Howard St., next door to the Academy of Music, in the city of Baltimore at 10 o'clock a. m., and bring with you as many good and true men as possible. Col. Geo. W. Bain, of Kentuckty, (known as the silver-tongued orator,) Prof. A. A. Hopkins, the efficient co-laborer of Gov. St. John in his recent temperance campaigning in the South, and Miss Willard, President of W. C. T. U. are expected to deliver addresses and take prominent part in the proceedings. Good music will be furnished under the direction of Prof. Geo. W. Walker, of Montgomery county. Whilst the lady friends of the cause in Baltimore will furnish the delegates and friends from the counties with a bountiful and excellent lunch. Arrangements will probably be made for reduced boarding, definite information concerning which may be had upon application to C. S. Mosher, Secretary, 34 N. Calvert St.

PENINSULAR.

—Albert Jump, son of Mr. John T. Jump, residing near Ruthsburg, died on Wednesday of last week from erysipelas, which settled on the brain. His suffering was intense, it requiring at some times as many as three persons to hold him in bed. He was the only remaining child and was in his thirtieth year.

—It was decided at the meeting of the Kent County Agricultural Association last week that it is advisable to use fertilizer to the amount of 300 to 400 pounds per acre on the corn crop; that the extra amount of corn and fodder raised will repay the cost of fertilizer, and that the benefit will, in part, remain for future crops.

—A despatch from Snow Hill, Worcester county, Md., says that about dusk Saturday evening Mrs. George R. Hill, wife of a farmer living about four miles from that village, was feloniously assaulted and beaten into insensibility by Robert Collins, a negro. Mrs. Hill regained consciousness shortly after and gave the alarm. A large party of armed men started in pursuit, and in a short time tracked the scoundrel to a house, which they surrounded. A deputy sheriff conveyed the negro to jail.

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BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from Samuel Blocksom, late of Caroline county, deceased, to the undersigned bearing date the twenty-first day of March in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and duly recorded among the land record books of Caroline county, in Liber L. H. G., No. 48, folios 41 and 42, the undersigned mortgagee will sell in front of the Court House door, in the town of Denton, to the highest bidder for cash, on

Tuesday, May 5, 1885,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, P. M. of that day; all the right title, interest and estate of the said Samuel Blocksom, deceased, in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Second Election District of Caroline county aforesaid, adjoining the lands of John E. Starkey, the lands of the heirs of John Reid, deceased, the lands of William Kenny and others, fully described in the above recited mortgage, and containing the quantity of

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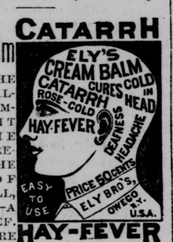

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TRUSTEES' SALE —OF— Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, in equity, in the case of Henry and Sarah E. Cohee vs. George W. and Maria J. Kugler, the undersigned, as trustees, will sell at public sale, in front of the court house door in the town of Denton, on

Tuesday, April 21, 1885,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., of that day, all the right, title, interest and estate of the parties to said cause of, in and to the following described real estate: All

THAT TRACT OF LAND

situate and being in the Second Election District of Caroline county on the east side of the Choptank river, called and known by the name of

"CAPE ANN,"

"Pinkine Land," or by whatsoever name or names the same may be known or called, containing the quantity of

238 ACRES

of land, more or less; which land is particularly described in a deed of trust from Michael J. Pinkine and others to George M. Russum, trustee, dated 23rd of March, 1866, and recorded in Liber J. J., No. 32, folios 14, etc., one of the land record books for Caroline county, reference thereto being had will fully appear.

TERMS OF SALE.

The decree prescribes that one-third the purchase money be paid in cash on day of sale; the balance in two equal instalments in 9 and 12 months, purchaser giving notes or bonds, bearing interest, with security to be approved by the trustees. Title papers at purchaser's expense.

GEORGE M. RUSSUM,
GEORGE T. MELVIN,
HENRY IRWIN, Auct. Trustees.
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Trustee's Sale OF REAL ESTATE IN THE Village of Ridgely.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF the Circuit Court for Caroline county, in equity sitting, the undersigned will sell at public sale at the Court House door, in Denton, on

Tuesday, 28th Day of April,

1885, between the hours of 2 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following valuable real estate, namely:

All the right, title, claim and interest of Emeline H. Dungan and Charles B. Dungan, at law and in equity, being an UNDIVIDED ONE-HALF, of, in and to all that tract, part of a tract or parcel of land situate and being at Ridgely, in the 2nd Election District of Caroline county, called

"FERN RIDGE"

or the "Roe Farm," containing

12 Acres, 2 Roods and 36 Square Perches,

more or less; being part of the said tract called "Fern Ridge" or the "Roe Farm," conveyed by Thomas Bell and wife to Rev. G. W. Ridgely by deed duly recorded among the land records for Caroline county, and being the same undivided one-half conveyed by the said Rev. G. W. Ridgely to Emeline H. Dungan by deed dated 31st day of January, 1870, duly recorded in Liber T. H. K., No. 33, folios 507, 508, as by reference thereto will more fully appear.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are: Two hundred and fifty dollars in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal payments of 6 and 12 months from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds or notes of the purchaser or purchasers bearing interest from the day of sale, with securities to the satisfaction of the trustee. W. S. RIDGELY,
HENRY IRWIN, Auct. Trustee.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE —IN THE— VILLAGE OF RIDGELY.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, in equity sitting, the undersigned, as trustee, will sell at public sale at the Court House door, in Denton, on

Tuesday, 28th Day of April, 1885,

between the hours of 2 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following valuable real estate, namely:

NO. 1.

All the right, title and interest of Rev G. W. Ridgely, deceased, BEING AN UNDIVIDED ONE-HALF, of, in and to all that tract or parcel of land situate and being in the 2nd Election District of Caroline county, at the village of Ridgely, called "Fern Ridge" or the "Roe Farm," containing 12 ACRES, 2 ROODS and 36 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less; being the same land conveyed by Thomas Bell and wife to Rev. G. W. Ridgely, as by deed duly recorded among the land records of Caroline county will more fully appear.

NO. 2.

All that tract or parcel of land situate and being at Ridgely, beginning at a point on the west side of Second avenue in said town, being the south-west corner of lot No. 1, and running thence with the west side of Second avenue, southerly, to the public road leading from Hillsborough to Greensborough, thence with said road to Central avenue, and the south-east corner of lot No. 1; then with lot No. 1 and the north side of Sixth street to the place of beginning, containing 2½ ACRES, more or less.

Terms of Sale.

One-fifth of the purchase money in cash and the residue in three equal payments of nine, eighteen and twenty-four months from the day of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest and be secured by the bonds or notes of purchaser, with sureties to be approved by the trustee.

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OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CAROLINE COUNTY.
DENTON, MD., April 6, 1885.

TO THE HONORABLE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR CAROLINE COUNTY.

GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit statement showing in detail gross receipts and disbursements for the three months ending March 31, 1885.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on Dec. 31st, 1884,	$ 6.98
" Collection of county taxes,	22,397.84
	22,404,82

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Co. orders pd. by Coll's,	469.22
By Cash pd. to ord'r Co. Com's,	17,263.45
By Cash to balance,	4,672.15
	22,404.82

Respectfully submitted,
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First day of May next,

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

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

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

If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed	$1,000			$12 60
If over	$1,000	and not over	$1,500	15 60
"	1,500	" "	2,500	18 60
"	2,500	" "	4,000	22 60
"	4,000	" "	6,000	30 60
"	6,000	" "	8,000	40 60
"	8,000	" "	10,000	50 60
"	10,000	" "	15,000	60 60
"	15,000	" "	20,000	80 60
"	20,000	" "	30,000	100 60
"	30,000	" "	40,000	125 60
"	40,000	" "	50,000	150 60

The applicant must either make oath as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at the principal season of sale; or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when a person wanting a license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed sufficient compliance with the act:

Caroline County, to wit:

On this —— day of ——, 1885, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared, —— —— and declared that he intended to apply for a trader's license under the second section of the Act of January Session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, and made oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by a partnership,) at the principal season of sale (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade (that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $——

Sworn before —— ——

If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must also be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license. Venders of cakes and venders of beer and cider, are not required to pay license.

The special act of 1874 forbids the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors in the districts where a majority of the legal voters decide it shall not be sold, and districts No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, having by a vote of the people of those districts decided against its sale, no license can be granted for the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors within the limits of those districts.

HOTEL LICENSE is $12 85.

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.—The license to be paid by the keepers of oyster and eating houses is $50 60 throughout the State.

BILLIARD TABLES.—A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $100 00.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS must renew their license on or before the 1st day of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows:

To travel on foot	$41 60
With one horse and wagon	51 60
With two horses and wagon	71 60

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of a partnership or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. No such license shall extend beyond the county in which it is issued. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, recoverable before a Justice of the Peace.

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

Exchange Broker,	$100 00
Stock Broker,	50 00
Bill Broker,	50 00

FEMALES VENDING MILLINERY and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, pay a license of $6 60 only; but if over that amount, they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to amount of stock at principal season of the year.

STALLIONS.—The owner and keeper of every stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animals, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties of the State the highest sum that he intends to receive for the season for one mare; and the receipts of the said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing or standing such stallion or jack for one year from the date