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IN THE

TOWN OF EASTON.

The undersigned, agent for Mrs. Mary E. Martin and Richard T. Martin, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door in the town of Easton between the hours of 2 and 4 P. M. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16,

1898, all and singular that lot or parcel of ground situate on the south side of South street in the town of Easton, adjoining the residence of Thomas H. Trippe, which lot is improved by a frame

DWELLING HOUSE,

three stories high, with two-story back building, eight rooms in main building, kitchen with one room and bathroom over same; electric lights on first and second floors and in kitchen; hot and cold water in kitchen and bathroom; conservatory adjoining dining room.

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and chicken yard on the rear of the lot. Grapes of several kinds, pear trees and Engish walnut trees. Large shade trees in front of residence. A very desirable home and one of the coolest residences in Easton.

The lot fronts on South street for a space of 88 feet, and has a depth of 310 feet; and is the same property described in a deed from Oswald Tilghman and wife to the said Mary E. Martin, dated June 14, 1888, containing

2 Roods and 14½ Square Perches of Land, More or Less.

Terms of sale are one-third cash, one-third in six months and one-third in twelve months, or all cash at the option of the purchaser; credit portions to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

Title papers at expense of purchaser.

WM. H. ADKINS, Agent.
JAS. A. ROE, Auctioneer.

∴ COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION ∴

...FOR...

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS.

All applications for free scholarships must be addressed to the Secretary of the School Board; and the applicants will appear for competitive examination at the Easton High School building, Wednesday morning,

AUGUST 10, 1898,

promptly at 9 o'clock.

Scholarships as follows: Western Maryland College, one for female student only; St. John's College, one for male student only; Maryland Agricultural College, one for male student only; Charlotte Hall Academy, one for male student only; Maryland State Normal School, three for either male or female students; Maryland Institute School of Art and Design, one for either male or female student.

By order of the School Board,
ALEXANDER CHAPLAIN,
7-23-2t SECRETARY.
All county newspapers copy.

Notice to Creditors.

Horace M. Turner, a resident of Talbot County Maryland, having applied for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of the State of Maryland, there will be a meeting of the creditors at the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot County on Saturday, the 30th day of July A. D. 1898, at 12 o'clock M., to select a Permanent Trustee.

JAMES C. MULLIKIN
Preliminary Trustee.

LITTLE NEWS NOTES.

Snap Shots by the Gazette's Reportorial Kodak.

The manual training department at the Easton High School will be greatly enlarged and improved for the coming year. Prof. W. C. A. Hammel of the State Normal School inspected this department some time ago with a view to making a report to the State Board of Education. Examiner Chaplain has been advised that this report will be a favorable one, which means that the school will get $1,500, the sum appropriated by the last Legislature for the manual training department in each county where conditions warrant it. The plant will be enlarged, new tools and benches will be added, and the department will be otherwise improved.

A gentlemen residing in the neighborhood of the Hotel Avon remarks upon the dilapidated condition of the hotel yard and fence, the one overgrown with weeds and the other sadly in need of whitewash or paint. The hotel itself is resplendent in a new coat of paint and does not deserve these unattractive surroundings.

In the Orphans' Court on Tuesday, J. Frank Turner, attorney in the case of Potts vs. Potts, consented to file an answer to the petition and caveat filed by Major William E. Stewart, requesting that August 9 instead of August 2 be named for respondents to appear, which was granted.

Col. S. H. McBryde, editor and publisher of the Sabine Pass (Tex.) *News*, died at Galveston, Texas, on Wednesday. He leaves a widow, the daxghter of Nathaniel Leonard, of Oxford.

There will be a lawn fete at Mr. Wm. King's, one mile from Kirkham, next Friday evening, August 5. Refreshments served. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The apportionment for the purchase of school books has been made, payable on Monday next. Talbot receives $2,483.41 for white and $802.60 for colored schools.

The Nickerson Fertilizer Company has added a bagging machine to its plant, which will more than double the output, which has long been the largest of any factory on the shore.

The Peninsula huckleberry crop is the smallest on record, due, it is said, to the cutting down of the forests, the falling trees destroying the growing bushes.

In another column will be found the advertisement of a sale of live stock, etc., by Dr. Isaac A. Barber. This is an excellent opportunity to get some bargains. Read ad.

The Commissioners of Trappe are in correspondence with two electrical companies with a view to lighting the town by electricity.

It is said that there are more summer boarders in St. Michaels than ever before. A number of new places have been opened.

Mr. George T. Robinson exhibited this week a Henderson's Ponderosa tomato weighing over a pound and three-quarters.

The John H. Holt farm, near Cordova, containing 66 acres, has been sold to R. Charles Morgan for $1500.

Hog cholera is prevalent in Trappe district.

Was This Dog Mad?

R. N. Chambers's two children, Mabel, aged 8 years, and Norris, aged 6 years, have been spending several days this week at their uncle's, George F. Kinnamon's, at Pleasant Valley. They are from Baltimore. Last Thursday a dog came into the yard where the children were playing and bit one of them. He was beaten off; but in a few minutes he returned and bit the other one. The girl was bitten on an arm and the boy in the stomach. There was but little laceration of the flesh. Dr. Bateman cauterized the wounds. Sunday night Mr. Kinnamon sent the children to their father in Baltimore, who on Tuesday placed them under the Pasteur treatment in that city. They are not to be confined in the Pasteur hospital but sent there daily for three weeks to be treated. It is not certain the dog was mad. It was one of Mr. Kinnamon's own fox-hounds, and he had the brute killed and buried immediately after the biting. By direction of the Pasteur authorities he subsequently cut off the head and expressed it to the Institute.

School Trouble in Talbot.

Mr. N. Price Turner, of Salisbury, principal of the Oxford Grammar School, in Talbot county, for several years, has been succeeded by Mr. W. S. Jackson. The change has stirred up much bad feeling among the patrons of the school, three-fourths of whom entered a protest against the appointment of Mr. Jackson, and the displacement of Mr. Turner. It seems that a majority of the trustees totally ignored the petition for the retention of Mr. Turner, and there is much friction in consequence. The patrons of the school testify to the ability of Mr. Turner and the high efficiency which the school has maintained under his management.—*Wicomico News.*

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Meeting to be Held at Agricultural College in August.

William L. Amoss, Director of the Maryland Agricultural College writes us as follows:

DEAR SIR:—Having heard from nearly all the counties that the round-up Farmers' Institute, which has been announced, if held August 24, 25, and 26, will not conflict with any of the County Fairs nor other farmers' meetings, I hasten to inform you by this card of the special dates decided upon for this Institute, that no engagement may be made that will prevent you from attending, and aiding me in informing others, to make it the largest gathering of representative farmers that has assembled in Maryland, to inform themselves what State and National Governments are doing to advance its agricultural interests. This excursion to the Agricultural College and Washington will be as near Free as we can make it. *Do not forget the dates.* You shall receive a programme and other information at our earliest possible convenience.

THE CROP REPORT.

Observer Shreve's Local Report for the Past Week.

Henry Shreve, local reporter for the Maryland State Weather Service, says that the past week superficial rains of great advantage to the late corn have occurred Hay crop fairly good. Early tomatoes ripening and early potatoes not plentiful. The general report is as follows:

The past week was characterized by warm, sultry weather, with frequent, and sometimes very heavy, thunderstorms early in the week. The drought prevailing for several weeks is broken. Rains were abundant in all sections excepting Washington and Frederick counties, where they were light and local in character; in these counties drought conditions continue to prevail.

Nearly all growing crops have been greatly advanced and improved. Wheat is about all threshed; the average yield per acre continues to be reported about half that of last year, though in some localities it is fair. Oats are turning out a light crop in all sections. Corn has been greatly improved; it is beginning to show tassel, and is looking well. The rains came too late for early potatoes; excepting in a few sections, they are not yielding well. Tomatoes, late potatoes, tobacco and pastures have been much improved. Early tomatoes are ripening and being shipped. Peaches and apples are scarce; a few peach orchards along the bay may produce fair crops. Pears are quite abundant. Late cabbage is being planted. Fallowing for wheat has been commenced in some localities.

OF RELIGIOUS INTEREST.

Notes of the Churches in Our Town and County.

Rev. B. S. Highley passed through Easton yesterday on his way to Tilghman's Island, where he is engaged to preach to-morrow morning for Presiding Elder Canter. He will also preach at Wittman in the afternoon.

Mrs. M. F. Boehme, Miss Helen Boehme and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Evans, of Baltimore, have presented to the Church of the Holy Trinity, Oxford, a handsome Bible, and another friend has given a beautiful oak prayer desk and stand.

The annual picnic for the Sunday School of Trinity Cathedral was held at Cedar Point, on the Tred Avon, on Thursday. A very pleasant day was spent by all.

The Ebenezer M. E. Sunday School had its annual excursion Thursday, July 28th, over six hundred people enjoying the delightful trip to Tolchester. Although the pupils of the Sunday School went free, besides other complimentary tickets given out, the school realized quite a nice sum of money.

The annual excursion of the M. E. Church, South, to Ocean City will take place August 26. Circulars later.

Dr. Barber's Enterprise.

Dr. Isaac A. Barber will remodel and increase the capacity of his Easton mill and introduce the gyrator system of flour bolting, which is an improvement on the roller system both in regard to bolting capacity and quality of the flour as a product. The best machinery in the Londonderry mill will be used in the combination, and the plant when completed will have a capacity equal to that of both mills at present. The front half of the Easton mill will be torn down and a substantial building suitable for the purpose erected. The Londonderry mill will not be torn down, neither will the boiler and engine be removed. It would make a nice plant for a canning house or other manufacturing purposes.

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Maryville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at Dr. Councell's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cts. and $1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

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HATS.
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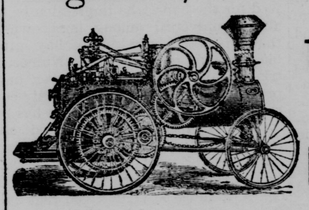
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Official Notice.

Registers of Voters for Talbot County, 1898.

Second District, Third Precinct—Forrest Scott, Rep., vice James A. M. Denny, excused.

LEWIS BUFFETT,
JOHN T. TRAX,
J. HARRY RADCLIFFE,
Supervisors of Election for Talbot County.

E. H. LACHMAR,
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For the speedy and permanent cure of tetter, salt rheum and eczema, Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment is without an equal. It relieves the itching and smarting almost instantly and its continued use effects a permanent cure. It also cures itch, barber's itch, scald head, sore nipples, itching piles, chapped hands, chronic sore eyes and granulated lids.

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