The Transcript,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Tuesday Morning, Aug. 13, 1878.

THE convention to nominate a candidate for Congress for this District will be held at Easton on Wednesday, September 4.

PARKS BROS., of Chestertown, as we learn from the *Record*, have just erected at Chesapeake city, a large Building for the manufacture of fertilizers.

THE Kent County Temperance Central Committee will meet in Chestertown Tuesday, Aug. 20, at 2 P. M., for the transaction of important business. A full attendance is desired.

THE *Laurel Gleaner* says that town has need of a good practical jeweler. Chestertown has four. A smaller number, we imagine, would be amply sufficient for all the business done here in that line.

RICH'D. HYNSON and Wm. M. Slay, Esqs., spent several days at Cape May last week, and Hon. Geo. Vickers and Mr. J. K. Aldridge left here on Wednesday for a brief sojourn at the same place.

No one can hope to faithfully act his part in life, if constantly suffering with that scourge Dyspepsia. Keller's Vegetable Life Drops have been proven to be the most reliable remedy ever known for this distressing disorder.

DR. ROBERT WRIGHT, of Centreville, the oldest living graduate of West Point Military Academy, is preparing to pay a last visit to the scenes of his youthful pleasures and ambitions. It has now been over sixty years since the Doctor set foot on the shores of West Point.

REV. C. B. MIDDLETON, junior preacher on Kent circuit M. P. church, left here yesterday morning for a sojourn of several weeks among the mountains of his native State, Virginia, the congregations of his charge having tendered him a vacation for the benefit of his health.

WITH the reduced rates of fare on the Railroads it will be possible for many of our citizens to visit Dover during the great Fair to be held there during the latter part of September. From the horses which will start in several of the races it may be anticipated that the fastest time ever made on this Peninsula will be done there.

THE ENGLISH CLING HEATH is a very old natural variety, originating in the Linthicum family, near Cambridge, Dorchester county, Md., over one hundred years ago—is very late, large, and has sold in the Baltimore market, annually, to canners, for a high price. Mr. Barnard is now budding this valuable peach.

THERE is said to be, says the *Republican*, more than sixty thousand dollars worth of business and private property standing idle in the city of Annapolis. Rather a bad showing for the "ancient city." In Chestertown every thing is occupied, and rents are as high, in many instances, as they were during the war.

THE STEAMER CHESTER, recently rebuilt, made a trial trip last Saturday, down the Patapsco, which was very satisfactory in its results as to speed and the general working of the machinery. The *Chester* belongs, we learn, to Capts. Andrew Woodall and Wm. Cundiff, the latter gentleman being in command of the boat.

A NEW feature in the conduct of camp meetings has just been introduced at Summit Grove camp, Pennsylvania. The grounds are enclosed by a high plank fence, and visitors are charged an entrance fee of five cents. By this means the lifting of collections is avoided, and the burden of expense taken from the shoulders of the few, and equally distributed among all. The plan works satisfactorily and brings in a large revenue.

THE COMMERCE, a steam propeller of considerable carrying capacity and average speed is engaged in running peaches from Chester river to Baltimore, going as far up as Crumpton, and having a very small propeller running, in connection with her, from Crumpton, as far up the river as Coppage's wharf. The *Commerce*, it will be remembered by many of our readers, was built in this county, at Fairlee, by a joint stock company, some eight years or more ago, but proving to be an unprofitable investment, was soon sold. The original stockholders, we believe, lost every dollar they invested in the enterprize.

CO-OPERATIVE STORE.—A writer in the *Record*, published at Pocomoke city (formerly known as Newtown) Worcestor county, says that it is rumored that the farmers and mechanics contemplate establishing a co-operative store at that place, the plan being to get one hundred men to invest twenty dollars each as stockholders, and start a general store. They propose to buy for cash and sell for cash and if a farmer brings his produce here to sell the co-operative store proposes to buy it and pay him the cash, and sell him goods at ten per cent. less than he can buy them for in this city, and let the profits go to increase the stock, and share the profits every twelve months.

DEATH OF VERY OLD LADIES.—The *American*, of Tuesday, records the death, in that city, on Sunday of Mrs. F. L. Bansemer, aged ninety-five years, from congestion of the lungs. She enjoyed good health until a short time previous to her death. She was strictly temperate in all her habits and seldom suffered from sickness. In the days of her childhood Baltimore city was but a small village—she lived to see it attain a population of upwards of 350,000 inhabitants.

Mrs. Mary Butcher died on Monday, in the ninety-eighth year of her age. She was also born in Maryland, and did not suffer much inconvenience from ill health until about four years ago. She never drank liquor, and was very temperate in eating. She always went to bed early and rose about daybreak or soon after it.

EIGHT steamboats took excursions to St. Michaels on Sunday, July 28th, the occasion being the session of the Delaware M. E. Conference, colored, then going on at that place. The crowd of people numbered about six thousand, filling the town to overflowing with colored people, but there was no disorder, no trespassing upon the property or rights of others, no rowdyism. The *Comet* says—A very sensible and practical speech was made by William Perkins, a successful colored business man of Chestertown, on the education of the colored people, in which he took occasion to speak in praise of the Legislature of Maryland for the appropriations it had made for the colored schools, and he assured his colored auditors that if they would always make their wishes known to a Maryland legislature, they could depend upon a respectful hearing.—According to Perkins's account of himself, and his visits to Annapolis while the Legislature is in session, he is a most successful lobbyist.

BEAUTIFUL MARBLE WORK.—At the well known works of Mr. W. Register, in Chestertown, we noticed the other day, a most beautiful piece of marble work, designed to mark the last resting place of the late Major Richard Smyth, in Chester Cemetery. The stone is of the finest Italian marble and will rest on a subbase of the same material, the whole being sustained by a massive foundation of white marble. The lettering is almost faultless and not to be surpassed in workmanship by the most celebrated city establishments. The most prominent portion of the lettering is of an original and beautiful design, just gotten out by Mr. Register, and has been so greatly admired by representatives of city marble works, that copies of them have been taken. The ornamentation of the stone is also of a highly artistic character, and sufficient of itself to establish the character of Mr. Register as a first-class workman. There is now no necessity for resorting to the cities for tombstones or monuments, that sort of work being done much more cheaply and better at home. An examination will convince any who may be at all skeptical on this subject, and Mr. Register will take pleasure in showing his work and giv prices and every other necessary information.

REAL ESTATE SALES.—R. Hynson and C. T. Westcott, Esqs., sold on Tuesday last the Comegys Home Farm, containing 456½ acres, and the Curry farm, containing 370½ acres, to Thomas B. Hynson, Esq., of this town, for $26 per acre.

C. T. Westcott, Esq., on the same day, sold Mr. Thomas B. Trew's Hill Top farm, in Quaker Neck, containing 131 acres, to R. Hynson, Esq., for $5,100.

The Welch Home Farm was withdrawn at a bid of 33,000; the Howard Farm at 28 per acre; Huntingfield at 4,600, subject to an annuity of 300; Bartus Trew's farm at 25 per acre, and W. H. Davis' farm at 10 per acre.

The John C. Hynson farm, on Lankford's Bay, offered on the same day by George Vickers, Esq., was not sold.

C. H. Baker, sold at private sale on Thursday last the Wm. Wilkins farm in Quaker Neck, containing about 274 acres, to J. H. Hossinger, for $6,008.

THE annual election of officers of the Kent Mutual Building and Loan Association, of Chestertown, took place Saturday night last, and resulted as follows: President, J. K. Aldridge; Vice President, James W. Lambert; Secretary, Harry Rickey; Treasurer, James A. Shaw; Solicitor, H. W. Vickers; Directors—James A. Pearce, S. Franklin Smith, Dr. W. H. Meeteer, Milton Baker, Colin F. Stam, being a re-election of the entire old board. The Association has just completed its second year, and all the shares—six hundred—are taken. Each share is now worth $69.00—$52.00 is the amount paid in, up to the present time, on every share. There is a considerable amount of money on hand awaiting loans.

A COUNTY TEMPERANCE MEETING was held in Chestertown on Tuesday last. A number of persons from different sections of the county were present and much interest manifested. The meeting organized by the election of ROBERT S. GRIFFITH, Esq., as Chairman, and C. H. BAKER, Esq., Secretary.

Col. G. A. Hanson stated the object of the meeting to be to organize the temperance men of Kent county and prepare for the fight this fall against the liquor traffic. We are sure of triumph if we do our duty, but if we fail will try again, and not rest content till victory perches upon our banners. He moved that a committee on resolutions be appointed.

The chair appointed the following: Col. Hanson, James S. Harris, J. Bordley, C. A. Leary, Wm. Archibald, who reported thro' the chairman the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, the sale of, and traffic in, liquor is illegal in the State of Maryland unless expressly authorized by the people; and whereas no community has the right to barter the industry, sobriety, welfare, happiness and lives of its individual citizens for the *blood money* received for licensing an immoral and destructive traffic; and whereas licensing the sale of liquor enriches a few only, to the manifest and wanton destruction of many, who would otherwise be good and valuable citizens of the community; and whereas, in spite of the efforts of demagogues, fanatics in morals and the enemies of religion and philanthropy, the Court of Appeals of Maryland has decided that the people have a right to withhold the privilege to sell liquor, and thereby protect their families, their neighbors and themselves from legalized vice, demoralization and self-destruction; and whereas the General Assembly of Maryland passed an act enabling the people of Kent county to express and declare, in a legal mode, their authoritative will upon this subject at the election in November next; now be it

Resolved, By the people of Kent county, irrespective of party, in county convention assembled the 6th day of August, 1878, that it is the duty of every good citizen to vote for the withholding of permission to sell liquor in Kent county and for the prohibition of that immoral trade and traffic.

Resolved, That the people of Kent county are entitled to the full protection of their inalienable rights of life, liberty and happiness, and that no class and set of men have the right to mar their heritage by licensing, upon brutal and mercenary considerations, a traffic which is acknowledged by all men to be destructive of the health and happiness of the people.

Resolved, That the money arising from licensing the sale of liquor is *blood money*—accurst of God and man—and entails upon the community receiving it an inculculable amount of vice, crime, pauperism and misery in exaggerated requital.

Resolved, That we appeal to every true and good citizen, to every legal voter, irrespective of politics or religion, to unite and crush out of Kent county forever traffic in liquors and its attendants, intemperance, vice, crime, pauperism and misery.

Resolved, That in this great matter we disclaim, any affiliation with or the control of either political party, and that we will vote with a single eye to temperance only.

Resolved, furthermore, that we hereby organize ourselves into a Temperance Band, and pledge ourselves to use every honorable effort, direct and indirect, to secure the triumph of our principles in this county, and that we will not cease our efforts or disband our organization until we are successful.

Capt. James Young, of the Fifth District, wished to know if the paper touched the sale of "Bitters." This was the great trouble in his neighborhood. Intoxicating "bitters" were sold with impunity, and there must be some way to reach such cases. He thought the action of this meeting in its resolutions ought to be very decidedly directed against *all* intoxicants, whether under the name of rum, bitters or beer.

The Chair—This paper has no reference to violation of existing laws. Those who sell "Bitters" are amenable to the law, and law-abiding citizens ought to "go for" such characters, and see that the Grand Jury attends to their cases.

Col. Hanson explained that the paper met all the requirements of the case; all intoxicants were aimed at.

Capt. Young—With this explanation he favored it. But some people will not so understand it.

The report after some further discussion, was adopted.

C. H. Baker moved the appoinment of a committee on permanent organization, and the Chair appointed C. A. Leary, B. F. H. Caulk and Capt. Young, who reported for permanent officers; President R. S. Griffith; Vice-President, A. W. Melvin; Secretary, C. H. Baker; Treasurer, Capt. James H. Thompson.

Mr. James Leary objected to taking all the officers from Chestertown. There were many present from other sections, and no one point ought to monopolize the honors. He meant no reflection upon either of the gentlemen proposed.

Col. Hanson thought the officers ought to be centrally located. The committee had in view only the good of the cause. The duties imposed upon the officers, the secretary especially, were laborious, and could certainly not be desired by any one. We are not here to scramble over petty honors or we had better abandon our efforts altogether at once.

Mr. Leary still thought other sections of the county ought to be represented, but whether so or not he was opposed to abandoning the cause. No such thought should be suggested. We are to work on till success is assured.

Mr. Baker withdrew his name, and after some further remarks Mr. J. Horton Kelley was substituted for secretary.

The Chairman also asked to be relieved. He lived in a remote part of the county, and it would be a great sacrifice for him to attend the meetings of the Central Committee; he was willing to work, but thought it wrong to "ride a free horse to death."

The meeting, however, insisted upon Mr. Griffith's acceptance, and the report as amended was adopted.

After considerable discussion over the composition of the Central Committee, it was decided that the Chair should appoint three from each district to serve as such, with power to appoint district committees; and that the President of this convention be the chairman of said central committee, and is hereby directed to call said central committee together for organization.

Mr. B. F. H. Caulk offered a resolution requesting the county papers to publish the proceedings of this and future meetings, which was adopted.

The Chair after adjournment, in consultation with members from the several districts, appointed the following as the county central committee: First District—Joseph P. Ireland, S. W. Aldridge, Henry Tonkin. Second District—Dr. M. A. S. Maxwell, Jos. E. Wear, Wm. Archibald. Third District—Jas. S. Harris, S. Vannort, A. R. Parks. Fourth District—Geo. A. Hanson, T. W. Eliason, John Hadaway.—Fifth District—C. A. Leary, J. A. Kendall, Jas. Young.

Second District Letter.

The loss of those we dearly love is a trial that will crush the stoutest heart. The parent that loves his child better than his own life, has something to bear when he watches it breathe its last, and then follows it to its last resting place. Men may boast of their firmness, but when the bitter hour comes, it will melt away. The consolation that our loved ones are free from the trials and temptations of life, will not suffice—unless we have the hope of meeting them in the future world. A father's hope and a mother's joy may be taken from them, and the thought of a reunion hereafter, will alone soothe their aching hearts. The hearts of many parents have been saddened of late. Many homes that were radient with the smiles and playful ways of a darling baby, have been made desolate. The only consolation that can be found is in the hope of a reunion beyond the tomb, "Where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest."

Rain and heavy wind storms have been prevalent of late. The damage done to corn and fruits has been considerable. Corn is making fine growth, but is not earing well. Corn wants heat and sunshine.

Farmers have ample opportunity for breaking fallow. The more fallow wheat there is seeded, the less phosphate there will be used. If farmers are wise they will use less phosphate, and improve their lands by lime, clover and rest.

Fruit is selling well this season—owing to the scarcity. Choice peaches will bring two dollars per basket. Wind-fall pears are bringing two dollars per bushel—they are used for cooking. The market has been overstocked with green apples—and they are selling low.

The July crop of "Slug Worm" were worse than the June crop. The Hellebore fixed them where it was applied. Some orchards have not been infested by them.

The Grape Rot that has destroyed crops of grapes in the West during previous summers, has reached us. The Concord are all rotting. Hartford and Ives are free from it. We understand the Concord are rotting badly in Jersey. Sudden climatic changes are supposed to be the cause.

Last year the wheat crop in this country was estimated at three hundred million bushels.—This year it is estimated at one hundred million more. What will the price of wheat be? The prospect is that the corn crop will be thirty per cent larger than last year. There certainly is no danger of us starving.

Bang! Bang! What will the fair sex come to next? They have at last succeeded in disfiguring themselves by means of Bangs. If you want to see a babboon, go to the city and look at a woman with false hair and bangs. The great Creator made woman fair and adorned her with beautiful hair. He certainly never intended her to powder, paint, wear dead people's hair, or comb her hair in a ridiculous manner. The loss of beauty so early in life, must be a judgement sent upon woman for her folly. The simplicity of the Quakeress is attracting the attention of men who detest the follies of fashion. If all women would follow their fashion, our wives and daughters would look natural.

The low price of pear trees may be of interest to growers. First-class, medium size Dwarfs are selling for sixty and seventy dollars per thousand. The same quality, Standard, is worth ninety and one hundred dollars per thousand. Two years ago the same kind of tree cost us two and three hundred dollars per thousand.

Colored camp meetings are all the rage; they are well attended by white people.

The Tramp Show that has been among us attracted a good many people, and the writer among them, but such things are humbugs, and we ought not to countenance them.

We sympathise with the owner of Modoc—but such is life. Our hopes and expectations are often blasted in a moment.

We never knew until lately that is was customary to sell whiskey on Sabbath School excursions.

We understand a new political party was organized, yesterday, in Chestertown. There is no doubt some good men are into the new movement, and they may be sincere—but they cannot succeed. The democratic party is good enough for us; it will continue to control this county and State. We need reforming and intend to reform ourselves. No new party can accomplish the good that we can.

Aug. 7th, 1878. TUSCARORA.

DANGERS OF MOONLIGHT RAMBLES.—A young couple engaged to be married, while promenading in the twilight along what is known as the "Bridal Path," in Central Park, seated themselves upon one of the rustic benches among the rocks, where they lovingly told anew that old, old story, entirely unconscious of the chill night air surrounding them. Upon reaching home it was found that the young lady had contracted acute Rheumatism, which defied all medical treatment, and apprehensions for her recovery were felt. A friend in Washington recommended Keller's Roman Liniment which was applied with the same astonishing effect that it produced in thousands of other cases where it has proven itself the most miraculous pain extractor and healer on earth.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. I shall proceed after the 20th inst., to collect by law all claims due S. Merritt & Co.

Aug. 13—3t. C. H. BAKER, Atty.

PRICE REDUCED

And Greater Reduction to Cash Buyers of

LISTER'S

Standard Phosphate,

Is offered by the undersigned to those who may favor him with their orders for Phosphate for this Fall's

WHEAT SEEDING.

For the character of LISTER'S PHOSPHATE would refer to the following named gentlemen who use it extensively:

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W. H. COLEMAN,	SAMUEL COOPER,
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Send in your orders early for the

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The BICKFORD & BUFFMAN DRILL.

Recollect we could not supply the demand last Fall because we did not get your orders in time to do so.

DON'T FAIL TO GET

A RANDALL HARROW,

to put your fallow ground in order with. For what they will do ask

V. Hendrickson, James Shuster,
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E. M. Wilkins, Samuel Todd,
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MARBLE WORKS,

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THE attention of the public is called to the fact that I work only the finest and best marble, such as the Italian, Statuary and Rutland. These will certainly stand the weather, if finished correctly.

I also call attention to the fact that I guarantee all my work, and set it up, thus relieving the purchaser of all trouble and risk of breaking or defacing.

In every Cemetery and Burial Ground in this county, numerous specimens of my work can be seen. I have now finished some of the latest designs ever offered to this community.

Persons in want will do well to call and examine my work and different designs.

Money can be saved by calling on me and ordering work at my establishment.

Aug. 13, 1878.

FRUIT JARS, FRUIT JARS, and Preserving Sugars—Cheapest in town—by

Aug. 6. J. B. SAPPINGTON.

DEATHS.

KENNARD.—Departed this life near Crumpton, Queen Anne's county, July 29th, of Typhoid Fever, ANNIE A. KENNARD, daughter of Joseph R. and A. Kennard, aged 20 years, 8 months and 16 days.

JESSOP.—At Lankford, Kent county, Md., August 6th, 1878, GERALDINE VICKERS, youngest child of Geo. A. and Maria L. Jessop, aged 17 months, 4 days.

CLARK.—In Millington, August 1st, RICHARD J. infant son of Dr. E. G. and Mary P. Clark, aged 1 month.

ELLIOTT.—In Chestertown, August 7th, WILLIAM BENJAMIN, son of Thomas B. and M. V. Elliott, aged 7 months, 1 week and 3 days.

TO THE MEMORY OF LITTLE KATE.

We did not think that the dark grave
So soon, thy home would be;—
When late, in joyfulness, we gave
An earthly name to thee.

O why could not that first sweet smile
That sparkled in thine eye,
Stern death of his intent beguile,
Why was't thou born to die?

But no, we will not ask, in grief,
Why thou art laid, so soon,
Where some would gladly find relief,
In manhood's darkened noon.

Thy little form is sleeping now,
The sod upon thy bosom prest;
But on thy bright angelic brow
The crown of life doth rest.

REV. C. HUNTINGTON.

Dover, Del., Aug. 3d, 1878.

Our Kate is Dead.

Our Kate is dead, and with us mourns the breeze,
The flower are drooping, sombre look the trees,
Into their hives in silence crowd the bees.

The birds into their shaded nests have soared,
Our darling's absence they have so deplored,
And o'er her vacant couch sad requiems poured.

Our Kate is dead. Alas, 'tis not a dream,
Our tears still flow in a wild torrent stream,
Where through the darkness, sunlight cannot beam.

Anguish from bleeding hearts doth fill the room
Where lay her silent toys; all wrapped in gloom,
Our thoughts do wander to her new-made tomb.

Our Kate is dead, but even death could spare,
One precious lock of silken golden hair,
And little robes our darling used to wear.

She is with playmate Cherubs round the throne
Where Jesus claims all children for His own,
But we are desolate, so left alone.

Our Kate is dead! yet over death's cold sea,
An angel pure and beautiful we see;
Then our souls whisper, we will go to thee.

God said, "'Tis I who sent my angel down,"
For the bright gem I missed from off my crown,
A loan to earth, from fields celestial mown.

MATILDA CANBY.

Montrose, Penna., July 30th, 1878.

New Advertisements.

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We can confidently recommend this well known Standard article to the attention of Farmers from numerous testimonials from some of the best Farmers of Maryland, as well as from personal knowledge of its beneficial results. All we ask is a trial, and you will not regret it.

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agents, Chestertown; offices at Wickes' Drug Store and clerk's office.

Aug. 10, 1878—tf.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the VOTERS of KENT COUNTY.

THE UNDERSIGNED, REGISTERS OF VOTERS for Kent County, hereby give notice that for the purpose of discharging the duties devolving upon them as such under the Act of the General Assembly passed at January Session, 1876, chapter 249, they will sit for the CORRECTION of the lists of REGISTERED VOTERS, on

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday and Friday,

The 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th days of September, from 9 o'clock A. M., to 6 P. M.,

AT THE FOLLOWING NAMED PLACES:

For the FIRST Election District:
AT GALENA.

For the SECOND Election District:
AT KENNEDYVILLE.

For the THIRD Election District:
AT A. L. VANNORT'S STORE, AT HANESVILLE.

For the FOURTH Election District:
AT E. T. WILLIS' JEWELRY STORE IN CHESTERTOWN.

For the FIFTH Election District:
At B. B. ADKINSON'S STORE, at EDESVILLE

The attention of those interested is called to the following provisions of the Act of 1876:

The fifth section provides that the officers of Registration shall, before striking from said list of qualified voters and from said books of registration the name of any registered person, diligently inquire and accurately ascertain that said registered person does not possess, or before the election next ensuing will not possess the requisite qualifications to entitle him to be registered as a qualified voter in such precinct or election district, or that such person is disqualified under the provisions of the second and third Sections of the first Article of the Constitution; and if it shall appear that said registered person does not possess or will not possess said qualifications and that he is so disqualified, then said officer shall strike the name of such person from said list of qualified voters and said books of registration, but if it shall appear otherwise then such officer shall not strike the name of such person from said books of registration and from said list of qualified voters; and before registering as a qualified voter any person who has applied to said Officers of Registration to be registerted as a qualified voter, said officer shall diligently inquire and accurately ascertain that such person possesses or will possess before the election next ensuing the requisite qualifications to entitle him to be registered as a qualified voter, and that he is not disqualified under the provisions of the second and third sections of the first Article of the Constitution; and if it shall appear that said person so applying possesses or will posses before said day of election said qualifications, and is not so disqualified, then said officers of registration shall register the name of such person as a qualified voter; but they shall not register the name of any person who does not or will not possess said qualifications or is so disqualified; and when any person applying, as aforesaid, for registration, shall have been previously registered within this State, the officer of registration to whom such application is made, before registering such person shall demand and receive from him a certificate of his previous legal registration, and such certificate of previous registration shall be cancelled by the officer who shall register such person anew.

The thirteenth section provides that no person shall be entitled to be or remain registered in any precinct or election district, unless he shall have been a resident of the State for one year, and of the city of Baltimore, or of the county in which registration is claimed, for six months next preceding the next ensuing election, at which such registration would be evidence of the right of the person so registered to vote; and in case any county or city shall be so divided as to form portions of different electoral districts for the election of representatives in congress, delegates or other officers, then to entitle a person to be or remain registered in any particular section or part of such county or city, he must have been a resident of that part or section of the electoral district in which he claims to be or is registered for six months next preceding the next election, at which such registration would be evidence of the right of the person so registered to vote; and the residence necessary to entitle any person to be or remain so registered, shall be an actual bona fide residence within the precinct or district within which such person may claim to reside and to be registered, and such actual bona fide residence shall be established upon the oath or affirmation of competent evidence to the satisfaction of the register to whom the application is made, and to the satisfaction of the judge or judges to whom any appeal is made under the provisions of this Act; and the neglect or refusal of any person deeming himself aggrieved by the refusal of any officer of registration to register his name, or by the striking off of his name from the list of qualified voters, to appeal by petition from such action, as provided for in this act, shall be deemed and taken to be conclusive evidence that the said person was rightfully refused registration, or that the name of such person was rightfully stricken from the list of qualified voters of such precinct or election district.

The law further provides, that whilst discharging the duties imposed by the several sections of this act, said officers of registration shall have and exercise the powers of a Justice of the Peace for the preservation of order around the place of registration, and may compel the presence of witnesses for the purpose of obtaining any information necessary to an intelligent discharge of the duties of their office; they shall have power to issue summonses, attachments and commitments, to any constable or sheriff, who shall serve such process as if issued by a Judge of a court or a Justice of the Peace.

Voters desiring to be transferred from one district to another, or from one county to another, can only be transferred on certificate from the officer of registration where last registered.

JAMES P. MASON,
Register of Voters for First Dist.
L. A. PENNINGTON,
Register of Voters for Second Dist.
THOS. H. KENNARD,
Register of Voters for Third Dist.
EDW. T. WILLIS,
Register of Voters for Fourth Dist.
SAM'S. G. FISHER,
Register of Voters for Fifth Dist.

Aug. 13, 1878—td.

Grand Excursion

To CAPE MAY.

The Catholics of Chestertown

And vicinity will give, for the benefit of their new church, their first grand excursion to

CAPE MAY,

On Wednesday, August 14.

Excursion Tickets:

From Chestertown, including Kennedyville and Black's	$2 00
From Lambson's, Masseys, Clayton and Smyrna, Smyrna Landing and Douglas	1 50
From Bombay Hook	1 00

Leave Chestertown at 5.30, Worton 5:45, Lynchs 5:55, Still Pond 6:00, Kennedyville 6:05, Blacks 6:15, Lambsons 6:20, Massey's 6:35, Delaneys 6:45, Binghams 7:00, Clayton 7:15, Smyrna 7:30, Bombay Hook 7:50.

The steamer will arrive at Cape May at about 11:30 A. M. and leave at 5 P. M., giving excursionists about FIVE HOURS AT CAPE MAY.

The Q. A. & Kent R. R. will connect at Masseys—the Delaware and Maryland and Delaware Railroads at Clayton.

No spirituous liquors will be sold on the boat. Our friends and the public generally are invited.

See handbills. [July 30.

COX'S GELATINE, CROSS & BLACKWELL'S English Chow-Chow—for sale at

June 25, 1878. SPARKS'.

A GOOD LINE of Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Tickings, Canton Flannels, ladies Corsetts, Notions, Hosiery, &c—all at lowest prices, by J. B. SAPPINGTON.

FOR GOOD GOODS and low prices, call at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

SYRUPS—30, 50 and 60c. a gallon. Sugars 8, 9, 10 and 11c. by

Aug. 6. J. B. SAPPINGTON.

SALT, BACON, and Salted Fish, wholesale, at city prices, by J. B. SAPPINGTON.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ESTATE of D. C. WILLSON.

On application ordered, that R. B. Willson, Administrator of D. C. Willson, late of Kent county, deceased, give notice by advertisement, that a dividend on the personal estate of said deceased will be made in this Court on TUESDAY, August the 27th, 1878.

Test: WM. STEPHENS, Register of Wills.

NOTICE.—The creditors of D. C. Willson are notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Register of Wills, on or before Tuesday, the 20th of August, 1878, or they will be excluded from the dividend in the personal estate.

R. B. WILLSON,
August 6, 1878—4t. *Administrator.*

DELAWARE

STATE FAIR

AT

FAIRVIEW PARK,

DOVER, DEL.,

September 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 1878.

PREMIUMS $6500.

Competition Open to the World.

Awarding Committees composed of competent gentlemen selected from different parts of Peninsula.

CITIZENS OF THE EASTERN SHORE ARE ESPECIALLY INVITED TO VISIT THE FAIR AND EXHIBIT THEIR

FINE STOCK.

Good Premiums given for Stock and Agricultural Exhibits.

No Entry Fee Charged on Exhibits.

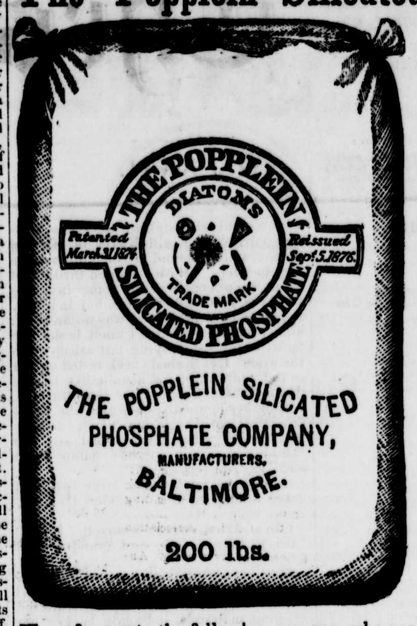
Favorable arrangements with the various Railroads for transporting stock will be made.

HAY AND STRAW FREE.

All animals and other exhibits properly housed and well cared for. Send for Premium List.

W. H. WALLACE, Secretary,
Aug. 6, 1878. *Dover, Del.*

The Popplein Silicated Phosphate.



Entirely Mineral,

No refuse inorganic matter; supplies all the ingredients taken out of the soil by cropping; less moisture, more solid matter than is contained in any other Fertilizer; in incomparably better condition than any other article in the market; free from all odor or any objectionable feature; rapidly supplanting all previous favorites wherever introduced.

We make separate and distinct compounds for each class of plant, preserving in all the proportions as found by analysis in the ash. Recognized by Prof. William H. Taylor, state chemist of Virginia, and fully endorsed by Prof. F. A. Genth, state chemist of Pennsylvania. One trial will command the approval of every farmer.

We refer you to the following persons, who used it last fall on their Wheat:

Capt. W. I. Raisin,	W. S. Walker,	S. Constable,
T. A. Hulme,	Capt. J. Hadaway,	Tilden Brice,
Dr. J. H. Price,	Vincent Lee,	James Lewis
Sol. Wright,	Jos. Raisin,	J. W. Crew,
Henry J. Gray,	Jas. P. Hatcheson.	

T. W. WICKES, Drug Store, S. H. Blackiston, Clerk's Office, Agents,

CHESTERTOWN, Kent Co., Md.

Aug. 13, 1878.

FERTILIZERS

For the Fall of 1878.

EXCELSIOR

Ammo. Super Phosphate.

HORNER'S

Concentrated Ammo. Super Phosphate.

Wm. Whitelock & Co.'s

VEGETATOR.

GEORGE OBER & SON'S

Acid Phosphate.

Pure Dissolved Animal Bones.

6 per ct. PERUVIAN GUANO.

Dried Blood

AND ALL FERTILIZING MATERIALS,

For sale by

T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

Chestertown, Aug. 6, 1878.

STRAY COW.

Strayed from Chestertown, July 17th, a HORNED COW, red in color except white on the belly, hind feet and end of the tail. Ears marked. A suitable reward will be paid for her return to the subscriber.

A. MING,
Aug. 6, 1878—tf. *Chestertown.*

GAMBRILL'S FLOUR, Patapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Grove Extra—by the barrel, sack or pound. Patapsco Family, 4c. a pound; good flour 3c. a lb. at

Aug. 6. J. B. SAPPINGTGN'S.

STRAYED

On July 21st, a BUFFALO COW, white, with light brown spots. Any one giving information that will lead to her recovery will receive a suitable reward by informing R. J. BOULDEN,

Aug. 6, 1878—tf. Massey's, Md.

A YOUNG LADY

Who has been successful in teaching young children, desires a situation as teacher in a private family.

Address MISS M. H. S.,
July 30, 1878—3t. *Ellicott City, Md.*

NOTICE.

Mrs. L. K. Stam

Is giving lessons in CRYSTAL IVORYTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPHIC PAINTING IN OIL. Charges very moderate. She can be seen at the residence of Mr. John L. Stam. Specimens on exhibition at C. F. STAM'S Drug Store. [July 30.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The creditors of the late John Lusby are hereby notified to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the clerk of the circuit court for Kent county, within two months from the date hereof. GEORGE VICKERS,

July 30, 1878—4t. Auditor.

Notice to Corporation Taxpayers.

THE Town Taxes are now due, and all indebted, without respect to persons, are hereby notified that prompt payment must be made, or the taxes will be collected according to law. T. W. DUGAN,

July 30, 1878—3t. *Collector.*

NOTICE

To Parents, Guardians and Others

Washington College

NOTICE having been received by the Orphans' Court that Kent county is entitled to an additional Beneficiary, under the Act of the Assembly of Maryland, of 1874, chapter 282, who will be admitted to all the instructions given in the college, free of charge, for Tuition, Board, Books and Stationary. The law requires that the student receiving such appointment, shall execute a Bond to the State of Maryland, in such penalty, and with such security, as the Judges of the Orphans' Court may approve, with the condition that he will teach in one or more of the Public Schools of this State, for not less than two years, after leaving college; and should any student refuse to teach the length of time required by this Act, his bond shall be liable. In compliance with the Act above mentioned, the Orphans' Court for Kent county hereby gives notice to Parents, Guardians and Others who are disposed to avail themselves of this notice, that they will proceed to elect or designate a student to be sent to said college, on

TUESDAY, Aug. 27, 1878.

All applications must be filed, with the Register of Wills, on or before the day named.

WM. STEVENS,
Aug. 6, 1878. *Register of Wills.*

FINE WHITE SUGAR at 11 cts.;
GOOD EXTRA BROWN at 9c.;
VERY FINE CORNED SHAD;
COIL OIL 17 cts. a gallon;

Coffee Essence, Coffee, and Teas, at reduced prices.

A very good Tea at 37½ cts. a pound.

Lemons, Extracts, Ball Potash, Pickels Soaps, &c., at CHAS. W. KENNARD'S.

July 16, 1878.

FARMS WANTED.

WE have the best facilities to procure purchasers for Real Estate, and respectfully ask all who have property they wish to sell to write to us and have it placed on our list. There will be no cost unless a sale is effected.

200 Farms for Sale.

If you want to buy a farm, write to us for our 48 page Catalogue. We have many fine farms for sale that are not generally known to be in the market—also, low price land; therefore, if you wish to BUY OR SELL, call on, or address, for information,

MANCHA & GIBSON,
CENTREVILLE, MD.,
Or J. H. THOMAS,
July 16, 1878—6m. MILLINGTON, MD.

NOTICE

To Parents, Guardians and Others.

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—That the Orphans' Court of Kent county will, on

Tuesday, August 20, 1878,

proceed to designate or elect one pupil from Kent county, to be sent to the Baltimore Female College, under the law passed by the Legislature of Maryland, and who will be "admitted to all the instructions given in the College, and to the privileges of the Normal Class, with all necessary books, without any charge whatever," except for board.

Parents and others disposed to avail themselves of this notice, are requested to make written application, stating name and age of the young lady applying.

Written testimonials of moral character and intellectual capacity will be required.

The Court will also expect some guarantee that the pupil will remain at the Institution sufficiently long to complete the usual course of study.

All applications to be filed with the Register of Wills on or before the day named.

By order of the Orphans' Court.

WILLIAM STEVENS,
Register of Wills for Kent Co.

July 30, 1878—td.

A Talk With Fruit Growers.

I HAVE now growing, on my farm, a fine seedling Peach Nursery, (from the seed of the Smock,) of over 200,000 trees.

Being from Smock seed, and growing on land that never grew trees before, they must prove especially hardy and prolific.

I shall bud 50,000 (commencing June 15th) for this Fall's planting; such trees will run from 3 to 4 feet in height.

I shall bud the balance in August, for planting the following fall. As must all planters have preference for special varieties, I propose to take orders, before the budding is done, customers furnishing their own buds if they prefer; so that all may be accommodated. Do not fail to give this matter proper consideration, and send in your orders early. By so doing you can secure just the varieties you want; but if delayed till you are ready to plant, nurserymen may not have the kinds you prefer. I will give instructions how to forward buds, up