The Transcript,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Thursday Morning, Aug. 4, 1881.

S. E. SULLIVAN. C. G. WOODALL.

SULLIVAN & WOODALL,
Editors and Proprietors.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:

THOMAS J. KEATING,
OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.

Democratic Primaries.

In pursuance of resolution passed by the County Executive Committee, the primaries for the nomination of two members for the House of Delegates, one Sheriff and five County Commissioners, will be held at the respective polling places in each district, on *SATURDAY, AUGUST* 13, between the hours of one and six o'clock P. M., under the following conditions:

First—That members of the county committee for each district shall appoint the judges for their respective districts, who shall have power to appoint their clerks.

2d—Each district shall appoint or elect five delegates who shall meet in convention in the Court House on the Tuesday succeeding the primaries, at 11 o'clock A. M., to nominate and publish the names of candidates for all offices to be filled, provided that each district shall be entitled to one candidate for county commissioner, who shall be voted for only in the district in which he resides—provided further that all candidates shall be balloted for at the time of the appointment or election of delegates. The candidate or candidates having a plurality in the district shall be entitled to the votes of the delegates in convention.

3d—That in voting at the primaries no one shall be allowed to vote whose name does not appear upon the registration book.

That in receiving the votes the judges shall be assured that the party offering to vote is a Democrat.

W. S. WALKER, Chairman
of Co. Executive Committee.

J. HORTON KELLEY, Sec.

HABIT.

When the boy of twelve or thirteen summers begins to think it time he is showing some signs of sprouting manhood, he generally sets his stomach resolutely to work to learn the art of smoking a cigar. It may prove to be a hard fight between his manly pride and his stomach, but if he be an ambitious boy, his stomach will gradually yield and his manly pride will gradually win. If he keeps on practising the art till he is twenty-five, his stomach will show deep resentment if he should leave off. Everybody has observed and everybody knows the power of this sort of habit.

When the twelve or thirteen year old boy's pride of sprouting manhood takes a different turn, and he gets a little tipsy now and then, and occasionally sets up the wine and has a hilarious time, with some boon companions, if he keeps it up till he is twenty-five he will probably have formed a habit that will stick to him in spite of him for the balance of his natural life. Everybody has observed and everybody knows the power of this sort of habit.

When the twelve or thirteen year old boy has been raised to feel the inconvenience of poverty, and gets his eyes opened to the power of money, and starts out in life cherishing a feeling of veneration for the almighty dollar, if he continues to cherish and nourish his early affection till he is twenty-five, the love of money will have become to him almost as strong as the love of life.

Most people have observed, and most people know the power of this sort of habit.

So there are many other great peculiarities, and thousands of minor peculiarities, that are fixed upon men and women, that everybody recognizes as the results of habit. These are generally the results of outward habits—habits of body, and habits of action in man's intercourse with man. It is an easy matter to trace this sort of peculiarities to the habits of which they are the result.

But there is another form of habit that is not so generally recognized. It is the habit of opinion or the habit of belief. A ten or twelve year old child may have opened to its mind, by an older and wiser person, a religious creed. The child has confidence in the person who imparts the creed, and believes it without inquiry or reasoning. He grows from twelve to twenty, and the creed grows with his growth and strengthens with his strength. When he arrives at years of maturity, he has got a settled religious belief. It may be Mohamedanism, it may be Mormonism, it may be Greek Catholicism, it may be Roman Catholicism, it may be one of a half dozen forms of Protestantism. It may be a right belief or it may be a wrong belief; it is all the same a belief that is a habit.

The power of the habit is attested by the fact, that not one in fifty forsake the religious faith in which they have been trained in childhood. For years and years, missionaries have been working in heathendom, but the number of converts in comparison with the millions who adhere to the faith of their childhood is small.

As in religion, so it is in politics, in morals, and even in science. People acquire beliefs and opinions, that are mere habits, and stick to their beliefs and opinions with as great a tenacity as though they had reasoned them out.

In politics, many a man votes with this party or with that, believes in the righteousness of this measure or of that, not because he has reasoned out the matter with himself, but because he has imbibed his opinion from those with whom he associates.

The so called scientific men of the days of Columbus, believed the earth to be flat. The opinion of Columbus that the earth is round, though supported by plausible arguments, came in conflict with this habit of belief, and was therefore treated with derision.

Galileo in the sixteenth century, propounded theories regarding the movement of the heavenly bodies that have since been generally accepted; but his theories came in conflict with the habit of belief of his day, and he was forced to deny them on pain of death.

In more modern times nearly every great scientific discoverer and every great inventor has had to contend with being gibed at as a lunatic, until success forced conviction upon those who mocked him.

Habit, whether it bears upon the mind or the body, is a great power. It is a great thing for a man to be able to cast off and rise above bodily habits but it is a greater thing for him to be able to rise above habits of mind. Surely no man can be condemned, either here or hereafter for seeking truth for himself, and for endeavoring to make up his own mind. When he does not seek truth for himself, his beliefs and his opinions are mere habits that he has picked up.

THE PRESIDENT.

The President is reported as getting better all the time. The ball has been located definitely. It lies in the front wall of the abdomen, about five inches to the right of the navel, and immediately over the groin. The instrument used in determining the location of the bullet is called an Induction balange. It is a new invention in medical science, and was used for the first time on the person of the president. The ball is to be let alone, as the physicians believe it is in a fair way to become encysted.

AT THE MEETING of the Democratic County Executive Committee, held in Chestertown the 19th of April last, the following resolutions, determining the time and manner of holding primaries this year, were adopted. We reprint the resolutions for the benefit of Democratic voters who may have forgotten their purport:

Resolved, That the primaries shall be held on the 13th of August, between the hours of 1 and 6 P. M.

Resolved, That as explanatory of the district plan adopted at the last meeting, the following be passed: Each district shall appoint or elect five delegates who shall meet in convention, in the court-house in Chestertown, on the Tuesday succeeding the primaries, at 11 o'clock A. M., to nominate and publish the names of candidates for all offices to be filled; *provided*, that each district shall be entitled to one candidate for county commissioner, who shall be voted for only in the district in which he may reside. Provided, further, that all candidates shall be balloted for at the time of the appointment or election of delegates. The candidate or candidates having a plurality in the district shall be entitled to the votes of the delegates in convention.

Peninsula News.

The last log house in Milford was demolished last week.

Dr. Gove Saulsbury died at his home in Dover on Saturday.

Among the guests at Ocean City is a young Parisian widow, of reported beauty and "untold" wealth.

R. T. Carter, son of Col. R. C. Carter, has been appointed cashier of the newly organized Denton bank.

It is expected that there will be from 80 to 100 tents at Camden camp this year. Last year there were 144 tents.

John H. Hoffecker, the Smyrna canner, has sold his remaining stock of canned peaches, 4,000 dozen, to a Philadelphia house, for $2.50 per dozen.

M. J. Morgan, cashier of first national bank of Seaford, Del., was confined to his room by sickness last week, and Miss Clara Darbee acted cashier during his absence.

A number of the colored ministers attending the M. E. Conference, lately in session at Snow Hill, were entertained at the houses of Hon. George W. Covington and Dr. Geo. W. Bishop.—*Sussex Journal.*

Mechanics and laborers of Middletown have all they can do this season. It is almost impossible to get a piece of work done unless you engage a workman a good ways ahead; and after you get him you have to watch him pretty sharply or somebody else will carry him off.—*Middletown Transcript.*

Mr. C. Walton Cannon and four young ladies from Bridgeville, Del., narrowly escaped being drowned while boating on the mill pond at Middleford. The accident occurred when the party was about a mile up the stream, and was caused by Mr. Cannon rowing the boat on an old stump, which gave it a careen, threw him and the ladies all upon one side of the boat and overturned it. They all clung to the boat and screamed for help which brought a colored man with another boat, who rescued them. One of the ladies came near drowning before she could get hold of the boat. They were in the water about ten minutes.

PROF. BARRET tells in Nature the story of a family in Derbyshire, every member of which is able to read thoughts committed to paper without seeing the paper, or touching or even seeing the writer. A scientific committee is about to investigate the facts, or alleged facts, for which he answers. The family is that of a Nonconformist minister, the Rev. Mr. Creery of Buxton. He answers for it that there is neither deception nor conjuring; the children do get "intuitions," which enable them—how they do not know—to guess what other people are thinking about. Meanwhile the savants who have hitherto investigated what is called mind-reading declare it to be simply muscle-reading. Few people can so control their muscles as to hide the facts which an intelligent "reader" wishes to discover. It is interesting to remember in this connection that the most impassive of modern statesmen whose face was a mask, could not prevent himself from revealing emotion in the twichings of his hands.

A YOUNG man of 19 and a girl of 16, arm-in-arm, jumped from the seventh story of an old palace in Naples to commit suicide. The young man was killed and the young girl lit upon her feet. They were lovers.

SENATOR LAPHAM.

The New York World of July 23.

Mr. E. G. Lapham was yesterday elected a Senator of the United States in place of Roscoe Conkling. This bare announcement seems to carry its own moral, and almost to dispense everybody from "improving the occasion." Is there a Republican in the State of New York who will pretend that the change is, upon personal grounds an improvement; that Lapham is an abler man than Conkling, a more honest man than Conkling, a more dignified or more reputable man than Conkling; a man likely to be more influential than Conkling in the Senate, or to use his influence, whatever it may be, for more worthy and more public objects; a man likely to be either more useful or more ornamental than the man whom he succeeds and whom he has defeated? Of course there can be only one answer to these questions. One may have as low an opinion of the ex-Senator as any reasonable view of the facts of his career will warrant. He may cheerfully admit that Conkling's ambition was much beyond his capacity; that he was inflated with vanity and adulation to that degree that he was a very uncomfortable statesman to get along with; that he was not well equipped as a legislator, and that he did not make an honest use of such faculties and such knowledge as he had, and that he was unscrupulous as well as incompetent in his treatment of public questions and political opponents. He may admit that Conkling's resignation in a pet because his colleagues in the Senate refused to sustain him in his quarrel with the President was an amazing blunder which a man of moderate sense and only moderate vanity never would have committed. And yet how can a man possibly say that Senator Lapham marks an advance upon Senator Conkling in any respect without discrediting either his own honesty or his own intelligence.

The truth is that Conkling and his dummy have been succeeded in the Senate by two dummies. Although the Evening Post rejoices in the overthrow of a boss, "especially if he is a man of ability and determination," it is aware that every dummy is the tool of somebody, and that as neither Mr. Miller nor Lapham can be accused of being a man of ability and determination, each of them will be run by abler and more determined persons. The two persons to whom they chiefly owe their election are probably Mr. W. B. Woodin and Mr. Loren B. Sessions. It is likely that under Boss Woodin or Boss Sessions—for Judge Robertson is scarcely expected to be more than a titular boss—the Republican polics of New York will be purer or more public-spirited than they have been under Boss Conkling? Do Woodin and Sessions, whose boss-ship is begun with the choice of Miller and Lapham for Senators, "open the way to free movements of public opinion and give reform a new chance?" Is it creditabie or otherwise to Conkling that under his management of the machine Woodin and Sessions, who have now come to the front, were kept in the shadow until they were driven into revolt? Since Conkling's successor is personally, by the admission of everybody, a much less fit person to be a Senator than Conkling, since Platt's successor is in the same admission a much less fit person than anybody who has ever represented New York in the Senate than Platt, and since the backers of Miller and Lapham are the most conspicuously venal and corrupt even of the Republican politicians of New York, where do the "better elements" of the Republican party come in? Or in what way can the choice of these two nobodies to the Senate be claimed as the triumph of any respectable man or of any respectable cause?

BALTIMORE AND YORKTOWN

Mr. John R. Bland, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association, was in Washington on Saturday attending the session of the Yorktown Centennial commission. There were present Senator Johnson, chairman, Senator Butler and Representative John Goode, of the congressional committee; H. H. Blackburn, Joseph McKibbin, W. H. Morrison and C. C. Duncanson, of the National Fair Association; Col. Peyton and Mr. Bland. The intention of the Yorktown Centennial Association had been to run the celebration from the 6th to 18th of October, then turn it over to the government, to run it to the 21st; but after some discussion it was proposed to have the celebration at Baltimore on Oct. 10, 11, 12 and 13; the National Fair at Washington Oct. 14, 15, 16 and 17, and the Yorktown Centennial Oct. 18, 19, 20 and 21, which seemed to meet the views of Senator Johnson. Mr. Bland, on behalf of Baltimore, and Col. Blackburn, for the National Fair, presented requests to have the French visitors present at the respective celebrations, previous to attending the Yorktown Centennial, which Senator Johnson said was a matter to be settled by Secretary Blaine. Mr. Bland, and Col. Blackburn afterwards saw Secretary Blaine, who promised to do all he could to further the requests of the gentlemen. The secretary had changed his mind in regard to bringing the French visitors over on a government vessel, and they will probably come over on a merchant vessel accompanied by Minister Noyes. The site for the military encampment at Yorktown will be Temple farm, which will be under charge of Col. Craighill, who will lay out streets, &c. Mr. Reuben Foster, agent of the York-river line will attend to the construction of the wharves, 100 feet long and 40 feet wide. The congressional committee, the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and the National Fair Association, are to each appoint a committee of three, to meet in Washington this week and confer on the arrangements for the joint celebration. The Yorktown Centennial Association propose to continue the affair five days after the regular ceremonies are over. The Centennial Association will meet at Richmond, Va., to-day, to decide upon matters relating to the finances. Maj. Gen. Hancock has been invited to take charge of the military arrangements.—*Balto. Sun.*

A ROBBER walked up to the open window of a house at Franklin, Ind., and said to the woman inside: "Your money or your life!" She fired a pistol without waiting to take aim, and by chance killed him on the spot.

THE MEXICAN SMALL BOY.—In many ways the Mexican small boy sets an excellent example to his young cousins north of the Rio Grande. Growing up in this placid social organization his disposition naturally is mild, and he has as his birthright an allowance of good manners so liberal that it might be divided among a whole boarding school of United States little boys and make a good showing in each. The other day at San Pedro—it was the Saint's day of the little town and the place was in a ferment of pleasurable excitement—I hailed a small chap who was darting across the small plaza and asked him to get me a drink of water. Now the average United States small boy of like humble station if similarly addressed under similar conditions—say by a Frenchman on the Fourth of July—pretty certainly would refuse to comply with the request, and very probably would couch his refusal in some such enigmatical phrase as: "Just you hold your left ear while I get it!" or, more curtly: "You go boil the back of your head!" But this little Mexican, not having enjoyed the advantages of a higher civilization, pulled up short when I hailed him and promptly went into a house and brought me the water that I asked for. As he handed me the mug he took off his ragged little hat and held it in his hand while I drank; and he bowed very prettily, this gentle lad, as I handed back to him the empty mug with a "gracias" that came from my heart. Water fresh and cool from the tenaja is pleasant drinking in this thirsty land: but it is all the sweeter and more refreshing for being so charmingly served. All these children are courteous to each other as well as to grown-up people. Out in the suburbs of the town, last evening, I saw two little chaps sitting beside an acequia—dabbling their little bare feet in the running water—while they played very contentedly together with a dead bird that they had picked up somewhere. There was no quarreling as to which should have the bird. One of them had it in his hands and was plucking out the feathers, while the other, very much interested, was looking on. They were talking away earnestly, and seemed to be full of the quiet happiness that, with their gentle natures, is born in them.—*Mexican letter to Philadelphia Times.*

In the St. Louis Post Office is employed a man with a phenomenal memory. He was taken on in the mailing division about eighteen months ago and given the lowest position. He has several times been promoted on account of his good record, and at his last examination gave evidence of his close application and phenomenal memory. It is customary for the examiner to name the Post Offices in a certain amount of territory, and require the examinee to give the location. In this case the employee was examined on the Post Offices of Missouri, of which there are 1,790. He did not need to be questioned, but without prompting named every Post Office in the State and the county in which it is situated, and without missing or mistaking a Post Office or a county, and did this in thirty minutes.

A BRIDEGROOM at Aurora, Ill., forgot to engage the Episcopal rector for the ceremony, though he arranged with the sexton to open the church, with the organist for music, and sent out hundreds of cards.—The guests were all assembled before the omission was discovered. The reverend gentleman had gone to Chicago, and as the bride declared that none other could tie the knot, the couple followed him to that city on a special train, accompanied by all who desired to go.

A SOCIETY for the Promotion of Marriage was started two years ago in Cincinnati. An inaugural picnic was given, and one of the ceremonies was the marriage of James McHugh and Belle Walker. The society died quietly soon afterward. Its memory has now been revived by the brutal murder of Mrs. McHugh by her husband.

ELIZA BARTELY, the colored servant of Mrs. Thomas Killeen of New Orleans, poisoned five children of her employer, by putting rat poison in their soup. She said that she wanted to make them sick, because they threw stones at her, and called her "Nigger, nigger." One child has died, but the others will recover.

A PHILADELPHIA divine was lately cheated out of his fee by a mean fellow who promised to call next day, but the reverend man got even with the defaulter by advertising the wedding, adding to the announcement: "No cards, no cake, no cash, no certificate."

WHILE several Italian emigrants, returning homeward from America, were passing through the Mont. Cenis tunnel, on the 29th ult., one of the number was missed on issuing from the mouth of the tunnel; he had been assassinated and thrown out of the car window.

INQUIRIES as to the prosperity of negro farmers in Louisiana were sent to all parts of the State by the New Orleans Picayune, and the replies show clearly that "it is within the reasonable ambition of any healthy colored man now to own land, and to establish himself in an independency."

A NEGRO boy whose skin is turning white, spot after spot, has frequently been exhibited in New York. The change began several years ago, and continues steadily. A little negro girl at Lafayette, Ala., has begun in the same way to turn white, and in her case the hair also is bleaching.

A VENGEFUL Illinois farmer has commenced 9,000 suits against a railroad company for failing to keep axes and saws, as ordered by law in that number of cars. The aggregate penalty would be $1,800,000 if the prosecution proved successful, and the complainant would receive half.

WHEN Sarah Bernhardt entered on her London engagement she reserved the right of selecting one member of the company, and every one supposed this would be her sister Jeanne. But it proved to be one M. Angelo, who played with her in this country.

A CONSTABLE volunteered to watch a store which was to be robbed, at New Sharon, Iowa. He slept at his post, and the burglars took away his money, pistol, and clothes, leaving him covered with molasses.

THE San Francisco Chronicle gives a list of twenty-nine Comstock mines, not one of which has paid a dividend in the last six months. On twenty-four assessments were levied

VIRVINIA farmers in the neighborhood of battlefields are still able to gather up enough old gun barrels to supply their blacksmiths with horseshoe iron.

An Ohio woman owed her hired man $320. She married him to square the account, and then for $60 got a divorce, thus saving $260.

AN elephant belonging to a menagerie died of heat in an Iowa railroad car.

GOOD NEWS.

No more Chills and Ague in this section. Our Druggist is selling an article called "AGUE CONQUEROR." It is about the only satisfactory preparation sold for the cure of Fever and Ague, Dumb Chills, Intermittant or Bilious Fevers. The Proprietor of the AGUE CONQUEROR has used but little energy to make this medicine known, and yet its sale is immense in Ague Districts. It purifies the blood, Liver, and other Secretory organs so effectually that the Chills do not return even when persons have had them for years. Entirely vegetable preparation. Price 50 cents and $1.00 per Bottle. Two doses will stop the chills.

MARRIAGES.

ASHLEY—COLEMAN.—On July 21, 1881, by Rev. George Leary, at his residence near Edesville, WILLIAM W. ASHLEY, son of Capt. Joseph Ashley, and Miss MARY E. COLEMAN, daughter of Capt. Wm. Coleman, both of this county.

MOFFITT—SOLLOWAY.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Galena, on Tuesday, 26th instant, by Rev. W. M. Warner, CHARLES J. MOFFITT and Miss MARY C. SOLLOWAY, both of Kent.

DIED.

DARROUGH.—On July 2d, 1881, BERTIE MAY, infant daughter of Annie E. and Samuel Darrough, aged 5 months.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The Board of County Commissioners will meet in regular session on *TUESDAY, the Sixth day of September next*, for the transaction of official business. By order.

Aug 4—tm T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.

LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST!

THIS is our price for the best whiteash coal for August.

2240 lbs. per ton.

Stove.....$5.25
Egg.....5.00
Nut.....5.00

If you prefer it by measurement we make it:

Stove.....$5.10
Egg.....4.85
Nut.....4.85

Aug. 4—tf. [N] J. T. TWILLEY.

PICNIC!

THE ANNUAL PICNIC of St. Dennis congregation will be held in McCauley's woods near Lambson's Station, on

Wednesday, August 10th.

Prof. Wright's band will assist.
SUPPER will be provided.

Tickets admitting to the grounds & supper 50c.
" " " platform, 25 cts.

Should the weather be stormy the picnic will come off the next day, Thursday, 11th.

RICH'D. H. CORBALEY, General Manager.
GEO. S. BRADFORD, Pastor.

Aug. 4, 1881—1t.

Ratification Notice.

In the matter of the sale of the Real Estate of George W. Reynolds & Co., as agents for Captain Tucker or Captain Thatcher, made by Richard H. Corbaley, late a Collector of Taxes for the First Election Disfrict of Kent county, Maryland.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county.

The Report of Sale and proceedings in the aforegoing case having been read and considered, and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of Law in relation thereto having been complied with, it is thereupon, this 19th day of July in the year 1881, ordered that the sale made and reported by Richard H. Corbaley, late a Collector of Taxes as above set forth, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown, on or before the third Monday of October next, provided a copy of this Order be published in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks prior to the third Monday of September next.

FREDERICK STUMP.

True copy—Test:
SAMUEL BECK,
August 4, 1881—4t. CLERK.

R. W. F. SIMPERS,

Dry Goods,

NOTIONS,

QUEENSWARE,

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

WOULD call special attention to our stock of Plain and Fancy Groceries, which is full and complete, all at BOTTOM PRICES.

Flour by the sack or barrel.

BEST SUGAR CURED HAMS,
DRIED BEEF;

TOBACCO and CIGARS.

MASON'S IMPROVED FRUIT JARS,

As good as any in the market.

Don't fail to call and see us!

E. W. F. SIMPERS,
August 4 Chestertown.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Letters of Administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JOHN C. BURCHINAL,
late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of February, 1882; otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 2d day of August 1881.

MARY M. BURCHINAL,
WILLIAM D. BURCHINAL,
Aug. 4, 1881—4t *Administrators.*

Ladies' Shoe Store.

A NEW stock of SHOES for Spring and Summer wear, just received at
MRS. KATE GILL'S.

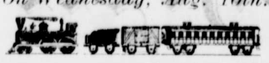
HORSE RAKES.—We have three Horse Rakes which we will sell at cost. They are new and perfect in every particular.
THOS. L. HINES & CO.

COME AND GO!

—TO—

CAPE MAY

On Wednesday, Aug. 10th.



M. E. SABBATH SCHOOL of CHESTERTOWN will make an excursion to this Popular Watering Place by the Kent Co. & Del. Bay Railroad to WOODLAND BEACH, thence by the

SPLENDID BAY STEAMER

THOS. CLYDE

TO CAPE MAY!

TIME TABLE AND PRICE OF TICKETS:

Leave Chestertown	6.30	Adult ticket	$1.75
" Worton	6.45	" "	1.75
" Lynch's	6.50	" "	1.50
" Still Pond	6.55	" "	1.50
" Kennedyville	7.00	" "	1.50
Children, under 14 years, from above points			75c.
" Black's	7.10	Adult ticket	1.25
" Lambson's	7.20	" "	1.25
Leave Massey's	7.30	" "	1.25
" Delaney's	7.40	" "	1.25
" Bingham's	7.45	" "	1.25
" Clayton	7.55	" "	1.00
" Smyrna	8.05	" "	1.00
" Woodland B.	8.30	" "	1.00
Children under 14 years			60c.

Tickets for Woodland Beach (round trip) 50c.

GIVING about 5 HOURS at CAPE MAY!

HONORARY COMMITTEE:

Smyrna—R. D. Hoffecker, Prof. J. H. Groves, Walter O. Hoffecker.
Massey's—C. W. Kennard, Chas. Hamersley.
Millington—Thos. Mallalieu, T. J. McWhorter.
Chesterville—Harry C. Layman.
Locust Grove—T. J. Shallcross, Dr. J. H. Kelley.
Still Pond—F. H. Harper, Geo. W. Harper, James S. Harris.
Fairlee—Henry Bramble, I. R. Leaverton.
Quaker Neck—James H. Baker, R. S. Emory.

MANAGERS:

Rev. T. H. Haynes, Thomas G. DeFord,
Marion deK. Smith, C. G. Woodall.
E. W. F. Simpers, Aug 4

Picnic and Supper!

THERE will be an Afternoon and Evening Picnic in the

BEAUTIFUL LAWN

of

Mr. JOHN BRICE, of Lankford,

TUESDAY, AUG. 9th,

beginning at 2 o'clock P. M.

Ice Cream and Refreshments

on the ground.

A large platform will be erected for dancing. Music will be furnished by Prof. Wright's Band from Baltimore. Persons coming from a distance may have their horses attended to.

A SUPPER

of Fish, Oysters, Crabs, &c., will be served at a convenient hour.

Admission, including Supper, 50 cts.

Children under 12 years of age half price.

COMMITTEE OF ORDER:

JOHN BRICE, JAMES T. DIXON,
R. B. WILLSON, WALTER STRONG,
JAS. L. BECK, L. K. STAM,
T. ROMIE STRONG, JOSIAH MASSEY.

The public is cordially invited. Care will be taken to make this picnic such an occasion of pleasure as is seldom to be met with in Kent county. Should the weather prove unfavorable on the 9th, the picnic will be held on the 11th.

By order of the Committee.

July 28, 1881—2t.

Trustee's Sale

OF

Desirable Dwelling and Store Room,

IN SASSAFRAS,

KENT COUNTY, MD.

BY VIRTUE of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a Court of Equity, passed in a cause in said Court wherein Henry C. Kennard and James A. Pearce, Executors of Dr. Thomas C. Kennard, deceased, are complainants and James M. Davis and Hannah Melvin are defendants, the undersigned as Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY,

The 20th day of August,

1881, at 12 M., at the Voshell House Porch in Chestertown, the

House & Lot

situated in the village of Sassafras, Kent county, Md., formerly occupied by Thomas R. Davis, deceased, and conveyed by James M. Davis to Hannah Melvin.

The Lot contains 63 square Perches

of land, more or less, and is located on the main street of the village, adjoining the lands of the heirs of Joshua Deputy and others. It is improved by a

FRAME DWELLING,



with front building 16x38, and back building 12x14, containing a hall and eight rooms, beside shed kitchen. One room is used as

A STORE ROOM,

and the location is excellent for this purpose, the Post Office having been kept there for many years, and up to the death of T. P. Davis.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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GEORGE S. DIEHL,
late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same; with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before the 30th day of January, 1882; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 26th day of July, 1881.

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