The Transcript,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Thursday Morning Oct. 18, 1883

C. G. WOODALL,
Editor and Proprietor.

Democratic State Ticket.

For Governor:
ROBERT M. McLANE.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
J. FRANK TURNER.

For Attorney-General:
CHARLES B. ROBERTS.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For the State Senate:
WILLIAM B. USILTON.

For the House of Delegates:
JOHN F. WILSON,
BENEDICT B. ADKINSON.

For Sheriff:
DULANEY RASIN.

For State's Attorney:
MARION deK. SMITH.

For Judges of the Orphans' Court:
WILLIAM S. WALKER,
R. BENNETT WILSON,
WILLIAM A. HYLAND.

For County Commissioners:
CHARLES P. LOPER,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
VICTOR HENDRICKSON,
JOHN C. WHEATLEY.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING

A Grand Democratic Rally and Mass Meeting will take place at Chestertown, on

Saturday, 27th October, 1883,

at 2 o'clock P. M.

Hon. Robert M. McLane,
Hon. Chas. B. Roberts,
Hon. J. Frank Turner,
Hon. Samuel J. Randall,
H. H. Keedy, Esq.,
Hon. Jas. A. Buchanan,
Gen. Bradley T. Johnson,

and other eminent speakers will be present, and address the people on the issues of the day. A BRASS BAND will be in attendance, and a general good time will be had.

The Democratic voters of the county and all other citizens interested in a good government and an economical administration of affairs are invited to attend,

C. G. WOODALL,
T. ROMIE STRONG,
J. J. SPEAR,
State Central Committee for Kent Co.

The Pending Issue.

From the Hagerstown Mail.

The plain but important issue presented to the earnest Democrat is whether he is ready and willing to transfer the Executive power of the State to the Republican party.

The State is conceded to be Democratic by a large majority, and an immovable majority when the party is contented with the nominations and the management. Therefore, if the transfer is to be made, it must be made by Democrats themselves. And, are Democrats prepared to do it, is the present question!

Before doing so extraordinary a deed it should be upon a masterful consideration, and with full knowledge of what is being done and the certain consequences of such action.

It must be steadily kept in view that the whole election machinery is mainly in the hands of the Governor. He has the appointment of all the registers of voters, and in the city of Baltimore of the supervisors of election who appoint all the election judges for the city, and therefore practically has it in his power to appoint himself all such judges by appointing superserviceable supervisors. Here exists a tremendous power for good or evil. Here lies, in fact, the whole political power of the State, and if the Executive should be unscrupulous or weak enough to pervert it himself, or allow it to be perverted to bad purposes, the result could not rest in doubt. We have experienced, during the period from 1854 to 1859 in the city, when Know-Nothingism was in power there, what corrupt and unprincipled men who possess the election machinery can do; in fact, make themselves absolute masters of the city government, and by large majorities there countervail any in the counties, and thus become absolute masters of the State.

This was experienced during the war, when the Republican party determined to hold the State by force and fraud, and got the benefit of both under the semblance of popular elections.

And since, when our party came into power, like uses were made of the election machinery to carry municipal and State elections, and with a high hand.

Ought it be that our Democratic party shall surrender this great power by handing it over to our Republican opponents?—We have not the slightest security that the Republican party, when once in possession of it, will not use it as we know they did. Is it not a matter almost of certainty that if Mr. Holton is elected it will be so used and with an accumulated force, having 35,000 colored voters on the registration lists now and any number in the District of Columbia and the adjacent States to draw upon.

The fact that Mr. Holton, during the war, got his seat in the Senate by casting aside the Democratic vote of his county, and not counting one of it, makes the assurance doubly sure that in elections he is capable of doing anything, and therefore not to be trusted with the election machinery of the State.

As things have improved under the present Executive, whose active and earnest efforts have been devoted to securing fair and honest elections both in the city and State, there can be a reasonable hope entertained by every Democrat that his policy, in this respect at least, will be carried out by Mr. McLane if he should be elected. We have the assurance, furthermore, that the Democratic sentiment is overwhelmingly for this just and upright policy; that we have obtained a fair registration under this Democratic administration, and that no effort has been spared to secure a fair election in the city and have a fair count of the votes as cast, and that with such progress made under a Democratic Governor, we cannot conceive it to be in the nature of things that the coming-in Democratic Governor could now be brought to reverse such a course of action.

We repeat, the plain and painful question is now presented to our Democratic people: Shall the State, with all its power, be handed over to the foe? Or shall we not, as faithful and consistent Democrats, hold fast to the old organization, maintain its integrity and power, and, if still necessary, struggle on within it until the better sentiment of the party shall at last prevail.

It is the great principles which the party is organized to cherish and promote that are the cardinal objects and not the men on the ticket or the men who strive for party favor. The ticket that is nominated should embody these and is presumed to represent them and as all good Democrats supporting it expect it to be faithful in standing by them. It is this thought that makes allegiance to party honorable and noble, for without such high and patriotic motives inspiring organization it descends to a band simply of mercenaries whose sole purpose is their personal, selfish interests, either in the pursuit of office or for money or for power.

Animated by principle and inspired by hope, the good Democrat must at times endure, and he has done so often, bad or disagreeable nominations. This is for the time only. For in the recurrence of nominations and elections, his faith with works will in the end triumph.

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.

CANDIDATES IN THE COUNTIES OF THE STATE OF BOTH PARTIES.

In order to show the character of the nominations made by democrats and republicans in the counties of the State, a full list of all who will submit their names on party tickets for the next General Assembly has been made up and given below. The list does not include Baltimore city. Of the Senators 13 hold over, 5 of them democrats and 8 of them republicans. Thirteen Senators are to be elected, 11 of them in the counties and two in Baltimore city. Additional importance is attached to the Senators to be chosen this fall from the fact that, holding office for four years they will be in the General Assembly long enough to vote for two United States Senators.

SENATE.

The counties to elect Senators and the candidates of both parties are as follows:

Anne Arundel County—Dr Geo Wells, dem; Nicholas Brewer, rep.
Baltimore—C John Slingluff, dem; Thos T Brenton, rep.
Calvert—Thos W Smith, dem; Edward H Ireland, rep.
Carroll—T Herbert Shriver, dem; Isaac C Baile, rep.
Frederick—Noah Bowlus, dem; Dr Lewis H Steiner, rep.
Howard—Edwin Warfield, dem; Geo W S Hall, rep.
Kent—Wm B Usilton, dem; W D Burchinal, rep.
Queen Anne's—Wm T P Turpin, dem; Jos Mallalieu, rep.
Somerset—Geo Paul Jones, dem; Thos S Hodson, rep.
Washington—J Clarence Lane, dem; Wm B Kelley, rep.
Wicomico—Elihu E Jackson, dem; A J Benjamin, rep.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

The candidates of both parties in the counties for the House of Delegates are as follows;

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.

Allegany—James Wilson, George H Arnold, John Barnard, P A Crowe.
Anne Arundel—Dr Joseph R Owens, H H Brogden, Dr Elijah Williams, Wm A Shipley.
Baltimore County—Samuel Brady, S. Allen Leib, Milton W. Offut, James J. Lindsay, Thos Kelbaugh, Joshua H Cockey.
Calvert—Ex-Judge Daniel R Magruder, John W Peterson.
Caroline—Robert B Culbreth, James H Douglass.
Carroll—Johnzee E Beasman, James H Koons, John W Abbott, Edward W Leeds.
Cecil—Henry Jones, Frank R Scott, Wm B Rowland.
Charles—(No nominations.)
Dorchester—William T. Staplefort, Zora H Brinsfield, Isaac H Houston.
Frederick—Lewis H Moberly, Harry H Quynn, Noah Flickinger, Joseph Byers, J C O'Donnell.
Garrett—Eli Stanton, Wm D Hoye.
Harford—Jacob H Plowman, Benj Silver, Jr, R Harris Archer, J Martin McNabb.
Howard—Wm Clark, of T Reuben D Johnson.
Kent—J Fletcher Wilson, Benedict B Adkinson.
Montgomery—Howard Griffith, Somerset O Jones, August L Graves.
Prince George's—Richard Wootton, George C Merrick, George W Duvall, of George.
Queen Anne's—Wm H Legg, A J Gadd, Wm E Barton.
Somerset—Henry Page, John H Miles, Henry F Chelton.
St. Mary's—(No nominations.)
Talbot—Philip F Thomas, Edward Lloyd, Joseph B Seth.
Washington—J Munrone Sword, David Seibert, Charles A Little, Dr Wm Booth.
Wicomico—Thos B Taylor, Wm S Moore, Wm E Sheppard.
Worcester—Benjamin F Taylor, Edward D Martin, Francis T Taylor.
Note—In Charles county the convention determined that it was inexpedient to nominate a ticket; in St Mary's a similar disposition is manifested.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

Allegany—Hector Cochrane, C F Hetzel, J M Weller, E T White.
Anne Arundel—J Wirt Randall, Geo D Lyles, Dr Harry Gault, Ulysses G Owings.
Baltimore County—C F Fusting, Frank Sanderson, John F Gore, James F Lee, N H Parker, B F Taylor.
Calvert—Thomas Parran, Jr, James C Chaney.
Caroline—Wm H Casho, Robert M Messick.
Carroll—Joseph F Snavely, Joel Ebaugh, Nicholas D Norris, Marshall G Shaw.
Cecil—Thomas Waring, Peter Hartenstine, J Hanson Knorr.
Charles—W DeC Mitchell, Richard H Mitchell, Lee M Southerland.
Dorchester—James Wallace, Jr, Joseph T Davis, Philip L LeCompte.
Frederick—Charles F Markell, John M Morrison, Andrew A Annan, J J Henshaw, Harry C Keefer.
Garrett—H Wheeler Combs, A F Speicher.
Harford—Wm B Raker, Stevenson A Williams, John T Ward, W Scott Whiteford.
Howard—Marion A Brian, Richard C. Pindell.
Kent—Joseph Downey, Joseph C Raisin.
Montgomery—Phil M Smith, Benj H Miller, Samuel R Priest.
Prince George's—Charles E Coffin, J Benson Perrie, J Alfred Osborn.
Queen Anne's—Elwood B Pierce, Henry B Simpson, Wm F Ford.
Somerset—Noah M Lawson, J R Milbourne, W E Parks.
St. Mary's—Washington Wilkinson, John L Milbourn.
Talbot—Robt B Dixon, Wm H Councell, Wm S Grace.
Washington—Thomas J Keller, Thomas J McDaniel, Devoit Stottlemyer, R H Cottrell.
Wicomico—A F Turner, T H Williams, L B Price.
Worcester—William B R Selby, Levin S Metson, Thomas Z Johnson. The latter declined.
Note—Anne Arundel and Worcester are fusion or people's tickets.

A TALK WITH VANDERBILT.

THE MILLIONAIRE'S VIEWS ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS OF INTEREST.

The New York *Times* publishes an interview with Mr. William H. Vanderbilt, had with him on Saturday, Mr. Vanderbilt says he is delighted at being out of business, and with thus having an opportunity to loaf. His health was never better. He has no extensive foreign tour in prospect, and has no idea of having a yacht built, the Cunarders being good enough for him when he wants to take a sail. Mr. Vanderbilt says his interest in art has not abated; he has about 200 pictures that the public have not seen, but which will be on exhibition in two months, when his new gallery will be opened. In regard to his railroad investments and the future of the country, Mr. Vanderbilt is quoted as saying:

"A man whose judgment I rely on told me while I was in the White mountains that the middle of November would see a great change and that securities would be up. In six weeks you will see all the railroads driven to the utmost with business. When you see the next report of the New York Central you will see that it has earned its dividends and more too. Money is only 1½ and a drug in the market. Who ever saw money at that price in October before? There is plenty of money, but people have not the confidence to invest it. Too many worthless securities have been put on the market, and the trouble is people have not discriminated between them and the good ones. My brother used to tell me that people invested to secure the interest without looking at the principal. I do not mean to say that all the securities that have lately been put on the market are worthless, but far too many of them are not worth the paper they are written on. The good ones have been borne down with them. When my father died, New York Central sold at 192. That was because of the feeling of uncertainty among people as to the future of the road. It has since sold at 150. The stock is as good now as it was then or at any time, and was as good then as now. Michigan Central is selling 45 per cent. lower than it was a year ago, but the real value is unchanged. Lake Shore is worth as much as it was before the decline. The fall of the substantial properties from one and two years ago has been too much and cannot last. When I put money in an enterprise I do not do it to benefit myself alone, but every one else as well who is interested. I always look into the investment to see that it is safe, and do not drag people in to lose their money. It is strange how different people are. A man who acquires money quickly is apt to lose it in the same way. A man who earns his money by hard work knows the value of it and takes care that he does not lose it.

"This is a growing country and cannot be kept down. The immense immigration will be the salvation of the country. The mingling of the different nationalities will preserve the peace and contribute to the prosperity of it. The people of one race will be a check on the people of another and prevent any one class from acquiring an undue influence. You see no riotous demonstrations here such as you see elsewhere. The people here are free and equal—all on the same level. Immigrants come to America who in their own countries were held down. Here they find that their rights are as good as any one else's, and they are stimulated to better thoughts and higher ambitions. The effect is to ennoble and enlighten them. There is one thing that I do not like to see, and that is the redemption of the government bonds. Look at the bonds to day. They are quoted at 120, I bought mine at 104. They ought not to be called in the way they are. The country should have a larger debt and give every one who can an opportunity to buy. That is what adds strength to France. If a man can hold a bond, that makes a loyal and loving citizen of him, and too much cannot be done to make all men love their country. When I see a spirit of communism cropping out I cannot help thinking of public opinion and how much care should be taken in molding it. Public opinion is right nine times out of ten. Wrong acts are only done in haste. One man in the heat of feeling might lead a mob to unlawful acts, but people who thought it over soberly would see how ill-advised it was. If public opinion has time to mature it is infallible. The press wields a great power, and should be used for good which it can accomplish."

THE STORY OF THE SOUTH.

HENRY WATTERSON DEPICTING ITS PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE TO THE BANKERS.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 11.—The Hon. Henry Watterson addressed the Bankers' Convention today on invitation. He was received with lively applause. After some pleasing allusions to banks and bankers, which put the Convention in good humor, Mr. Watterson said:

I am told that to-day you are considering that problem which has so disturbed the politicians of the South, and that you wish me to talk to you about the South. The South? The South? It is no problem at all. I thank God that at last we can say with truth it is simply a geographical expression. [Applause.] The whole story of the South is summed up in a sentence. She was rich, and she lost her riches; she was poor and in bondage; she was set free, and she had to go to work, and she is richer than ever before.

The curse of slavery was here God passed a rod across the land and smote the people Then, in His goodness and mercy, He waved the wand of enchantment, and lo! like a flower, His blessing burst forth. [Applause.] Indeed may the South say, as, in the experience of men, it is rare for any to say with perfect sincerity, "Sweet are the uses of adversity." [Applause.] The South never knew what independence meant until she was taught by subjection to subdue herself. We lived from hand to mouth; we had our debts and our "niggers." Under the old system we paid our debts and wholloped our "niggers," but under the new we pay our "niggers" and wallop our debts. [Laughter and applause.] We have no longer any slave; we have no longer any debts, and can dance with the old darky at camp meeting whenever he got happy, went about shouting "Bless the Lord; I'm gittin' fatter and fatter." [Laughter.] The truth is that behind the ruffle the South wore on its shirt there lurked a superb manhood. That this manhood was perverted there is no doubt; that it was in its energies upon trifles is beyond dispute; that it took a pride in cultivating what is called the "vices of a gentleman" I am afraid must be admitted. But at heart it was sound. From that heart flowed honest Anglo-Saxon blood, and when it had to lay aside its broadcloth and put on its jeans it was equal to the emergency [great applause], and the women of the South took their place by the side of the men of the South, and with the spinning-wheel and plough-share together they made a stand against the wolf at the door. That was fifteen years ago, and to-day there is not a reward offered in a single Southern State for wolfskins. The fact is, the very wolves have got ashamed of themselves and gone to work. [Laughter and applause.]

The future of the South is not a whit less assured than the future of the West. Why should money which is freely loaned to Iowa and Illinois be refused to Alabama and Mississippi? You have money to loan. We have a great country to develop. I know that capital is proverbially timid, but what are you afraid of? Is it our cotton that alarms you, or our corn, or our sugar? Perhaps it is our coal and iron. Without you, in truth, many of these products must make slow progress, while others will continue to lie hidden in the bowels of the earth. With you the South will bloom as a garden and sparkle as a gold mine; for whether you tickle her fertile fields with a straw or apply a more violent titillation to her fat mountain sides she is ready to laugh a harvest of untold riches. [Applause.]

At the conclusion of Mr. Watterson's speech the unusual compliment of a unanimous rising vote of thanks was accorded him.

The Senatorial Contest.

Half of the Maryland Senate is elected every two years. Thirteen Senators hold over and thirteen are to be elected in November for four years. Of those holding over eight are republicans and five are democrats. Two democratic counties—Harford and Montgomery—through dissensions and indifference, are now misrepresented by republicans. The republicans need six more Senators to control the Senate, and they are making a desperate effort to secure them. Frederick and Washington counties will give them two of the six, and they are now endeavoring to elect their candidates in Anne Arundel, Calvert, Kent, Somerset and Carroll. Somerset usually goes republican, Calvert is close, and so is Anne Arundel, by reason of local differences. If the Senate should be republican, the Governor would be hampered in his appointments of magistrates, registers of voters and other officers, for all of them have to be confirmed or sanctioned by the Senate; and by holding one branch of the Legislature they would be in a position to and would defeat democratic legislation In all of these counties—Calvert, Anne Arundel, Kent, Somerset—the democrats have even chances of success, and more than an even chance in Kent. Calvert is likely to go democratic also, and the Senator from Carroll may have the deciding vote.—*Westminister (Md.) Advocate.*

Two Views of President Arthur.

From the St. Louis Republican.

"Whom do you think the most suitable candidate the Republicans can select?" the reporter asked Gen. W. T. Sherman.

"Chester A. Arthur. He has made a good officer for the country, in spite of many obstacles, and has, I think, shown himself the proper man for the place."

From the Washington Critic.

"Could President Arthur carry New York next fall if nominated?"

The question was directed to Col. Thomas M. Bayne, Republican member of Congress from Pittsburgh.

"No, sir; not by one hundred thousand majority," replied the Colonel. "In fact, I believe he would be defeated by two hundred thousand majority,' he continued.

"How would he go in Ohio?"

"Arthur in Ohio! Why, he would be overwhelmed with defeat there. No, sir; he couldn't carry New York, Ohio, nor Indiana, nor even Pennsylvania, in all probability. But he wouldn't be nominated. The Republicans have more sense than that would show."

"Where is the President popular, anyway?"

"The Lord only knows; I don't. He's the worse yet,' replied Col. Bayne.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhœa, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the system. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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Coffees, Teas, Spices, Cocoa, Chocolate, Gelatine, Cheese, Hominy, Hominy Grists, Dry Yeast, Corn Starch, "Hecker's" Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour.

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E. W. F. SIMPERS,
Oct. 18, 1883. Chestertown, Md.

HEATING STOVES, ten to fifteen kinds on hand, some very nicely finished with nickel foot rail and trimmings. Call and examine Stoves and Prices at
J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

OUR line of TOBACCO 25 cts. to $1.00 a pound. Our 2 for 5 cts. Cigars the best in town, at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

HUSKING PEG GLOVES, for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

DIED.

VANDEGRIFT.—In Chestertown, at the residence of Mr. Wash Hudgins, of liver colic on, Thursday morning, Oct. 11, JOHN VANDEGRIFT, (deaf and dumb), in the 63d year of his age.

MARRIED.

PENNINGTON—SPARKS.—At the residence of Norris Barnard, Esq., Howell's Point, on the evening of the 4th inst., by Rev. L. E. Barrett, WM. D. PENNINGTON and Miss ELLA SPARKS, both of this county.

SMITH—SHRECK.—At Rock Hall, Oct. 9, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. G. S. Conway, JAMES W. SMITH, of Philadelphia, and Miss MAMIE E. SHRECK, of this county.

Supper and Festival

By the ladies of St. James' M. P. Church, at Worton Fair Grounds, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, October 17th and 18th. A splendid SUPPER will be served each evening; also, Refreshments, &c. Oct. 11—2t.

Fair and Festival.

The ladies of the M. E. Church propose holding a Fair and Festival in Town Hall, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th of Oct. An Entertainment each evening. Admission to entertainment 10 cts. Oct. 4—3t.

Mill for Sale.

A Desirable GRIST MILL, in good repair, with excellent water power and a good run of business, will be sold at private sale. The Mill is located in Queen Anne's county, in a prosperous neighborhood. It will be sold on easy time as to payments. There is a Farm of 175 acres that can also, if desired, be purchased in [illegible] with the Mill. This Farm is within [illegible] Steamboat Landing, on a part of the [illegible] to purchase can be put [illegible] with the owner, by inquiring [illegible] of the *Transcript.*

Oct. 11, 1883—4t.

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 W. CULLEN,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of April, 1884, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate. Given under our hands this 16th day of October, 1883.

CHAS. H. B. DAY,
SAMUEL WHORTON,
Oct. 18, 1883—4t. *Administrators.*

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters Testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

J. THOMAS ROWLEY,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 11th day of April, 1884, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of Oct., 1883.

H. W. VICKERS,
Oct. 11, 1883—4t. *Executor.*

A CARD.

I respectfully call the attention of my friends and acquaintances to the old reliable fair dealing house of Messrs. C. N. Ochm & Son. The clothiers 229 W. Pratt st., through to 55 Hanover st. Baltimore, Md., by whom I am now employed. This house has been for years past the headquarters for serviceable, well made garments and its low prices are known everywhere. A visit will soon demonstrate that no house in this line can do so well for you and I shall be pleased to have my friends remember this fact and pay us a call.

Respectfully,
Oct. 4—3t. JOS. L. DOWNES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

EDWARD B. WOODALL,

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 17th day of April, 1884, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 25th day of September, 1883.

RICHARD C. JOHNSON,
Oct. 4th.—4t. Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters Testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JAMES H. EDES,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of March, 1884, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate

Given under my hand this 18th day of Sept. 1883.

JOHN P. EDES,
Sept. 20, 1883—4t. *Executor.*

STATE OF MARYLAND,

Treasury Department

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

Annapolis, Oct. 1st, 1881.

In pursuance of the requirements of Section 6, of Article 69, of the Code of Public General Laws, as amended at January Session, 1876, Chapter 206, I herewith publish the following list of accounting officers in Kent county who are in arrears to the State of Maryland, and liable to publication under said law, together with the amount due by each as of this day.

THOMAS J. KEATING,
Comptroller of the Treasury.

John N. Dodd, late collector 4th district of Kent county, for 1881, $1,076.55.

Oct. 11, 1883—4t.

Betting on Elections

The attention of all persons is particularly called to the following section of Article 35, Code of Public General Laws of Maryland:

46. No person shall make any bet or wager on the result of any election to take place in this State.

47. Any persons offending against the last preceding section shall be liable to indictment in the Circuit Court, if the offence be committed in any county, or in the Criminal Court of Baltimore; and on conviction, shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars, to be paid to the State for the use of the School Fund.

48. Every deposit of money in any part of the State as a wager or bet upon elections in this State or elsewhere shall be forfeited and paid over to the County Commissioners of the county where deposited for the use of the county, and if deposited in the city of Baltimore, to the Mayor and City Council.

R. W. CALDER,
Oct. 18, 1883—te. Sheriff.

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Oct. 4, 1883—y.

Trotting Exhibition

—AT THE—

GRAND TOURNAMENT.

A Trotting Exhibition between "Young Smuggler," owned by John W. Hines, and "Lankford," owned by W. J. Vannort, two noted stallions of this county will positively take place at Worton Fair Grounds immediately after the Tournament exercises are over. The horses will be driven by two experienced drivers, and a very interesting and beautiful trot may be expected.

Music by Weber's Grand Orchestra

J. W. BORDLEY
B. F. FLEMING
J. F. CONNELLY,
Oct. 18, 2t. Managers.

GRAND

Fair and Festival

BY THE LADIES OF THE M. E. CHURCH, CHESTERTOWN,

—AT THE—

Kent Guard's Armory.

OCTOBER, 16th, 17th, 18th & 19th

SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENTS

EACH EVENING,

commencing at 8 o'clock.

TUESDAY EVENING,
Specially Arranged Concert.

WEDNESDAY EVENING,
A Novel and Pleasing Entertainment

THURSDAY EVENING,
Supper will be served from 6 o'clock, A la Japanese and every patron will be presented with a memento of the occasion.

SUPPER TICKETS 50 CENTS.

FRIDAY EVENING,
Special Closing Out Sale.

To the several entertainments an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged.

The ladies intend that the four evenings shall be occasions of rare enjoyment, and the public generally is invited to participate in the pleasures at the Fair Room.

Oct 11—2t. COMMITTEE.

WINTER, WINTER, WINTER

STOVES! STOVES!

A Splendid Line of

COOKING STOVES,

such as

The New Emerald, with and without Reservoir; The Virginia, Farmer Girl, Southern Girl, New Charms and New Regulator Cooks; also, The Maryland Reliance, Clifton, Oriole Cozy, and Daisy Ranges, and the Celebrated Victor Cook.

A Complete Line of Double Heaters, viz.: The 'Crown'—the finest Double Heater on the market, full nickled; also, the 'Truly Yours,' and the Derby.

HEATING STOVES.

Such as

The Argand, Alliance, Clifton, Derby, Hexagon Edison, Nation, Prince, New Regal, Portland, Chum, Favorite and many others.

FODDER YARN—Four kinds and prices.

Hines & Clements.

Oct. 18, 1883.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

C. M Lucas's.

Gold Watches,
Solid Gold Jewelry,
WEDDING RINGS,
Rogers' Silverware,
&c., &c., &c.

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FODDER YARN! FODDER YARN!! Four kinds and four prices. You will save money by buying your yarn from
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PUMP, call at
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A GRAND

Tournament

—AT—

Worton Agricultural Fair Grounds,

—ON—

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25

WEBER'S BRASS BAND, of Baltimore city, in attendance.

EVERY FEATURE FIRST CLASS.

A QUEEN OF LOVE AND BEAUTY and Three Maids of Honor will be Crowned.

FOUR GRAND PRIZES will be contested for.

And some very fine riding will take place.

1st Prize—A Set of Harness complete. Value $50.
2d " —Bridle and Saddle complete. Value $30.
3d " —A Buffalo Robe " $20.
4th " —One Afghan. " $15.

One Fine Driving Whip to the best equipped Marshal.

One set Silver Spurs to the best equipped Knight.

Entries open to Delaware and Maryland.

Entrance fee.....$5.00
Admission to Grounds.....50 cts
Children under 15 years of age.....25 "

☞ Horses and Carriages free.

Judges { Wm. M. Slay, W. D. Burchinal, Dr. Samuel Beck.

Chief Marshal—Thos. A. Hulme.

Associate Marshals—John Brice, C. W. Warren, John W. Loud, J. C. Wheatley, Thos. G. DeFord, C. W. Kennard, Geo. W. Hatcherson, Dr. J. A. Catlin, Dr. J. H. Hessey.

A Glorious Day For Old Kent!

☞ A GRAND PROCESSION will take place in Chestertown on the morning of the Tournament, headed by Weber's Brass Band, of Baltimore.

The Riding will commence promptly at 11 o'clock in the morning.

AT NIGHT, A GRAND BALL

will be given in honor of the Knights, at which time Weber's Orchestra will be in attendance.

Entries close October 20, 1883.

Admission to Ball—admitting lady and gentleman $2.00.

JOHN W. BORDLEY,
J. FRANK CONNELLY,
BENJ. F. FLEMMING,
General Managers.

☞ For further particulars, address

JOHN W. BORDLEY,
Chestertown, M

October 4, 1883—4t.

The Tournament's Practicing Grounds

To the Knights who desire to practice for the Tournament of Oct. 25, '83, the managers will erect on Monday next, rings, etc., at Capt. W. D. Burchinal's lot, adjoining C. W. Kennard's phosphate factory. A general practice on Friday afternoon of each week is requested of all the Kent county Knights.

N. B.—The riding for the rings is to be on "hold the spear as you please" conditions. Length of spear must be seven feet.

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Oct. 4. General Managers.

NEW STOCK

—OF—

FALL GOODS

—AT—

J. H. SIMPERS',

CHESTERTOWN.

DRESS GOODS, Water Proofs, Velveteens, White, Red and Grey Flannels, Canton Flannels, Ginghams, Muslins in all widths, Cassimeres, Kerseys, Prints and a general line of DRY GOODS.

HOSIERY in all grades and prices. Ladies', Gent's and Children's Shoes; Ladies' and Children's Merino Vests, Jerseys, Felt and Cloth Skirts. Gent's Undershirts all grades from 25c. to $2 each. Fine Toilet Soaps, Cologne, Hair Brushes, Combs, &c.

Men's & Boy's Winter Boots at all prices, Men's and Boy's Fine Shoes, Ladie's, Misses and Children's Kid but. Goat, but. and grain but. Shoes, Calf and Grain sewed and pegged, lace Shoes and Rubber over Shoes. Would call special attention to our Boot and Shoe Stock, we carry a large assortment, carefully selected, bought at lowest prices, and offer at a small advance.

WE HAVE just received a nice assortment of new styles Wool Fur Fall HATS for men and boys.

INGRAIN CARPETS from 30c. per yard up. Also, Oil Cloths in handsome patterns at lowest prices.

QUEENSWARE & GLASSWARE.

Groceries, Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Soaps, Tobacco, Segars, &c., as low in prices as can be found.

Always Aim to make it to the interest of buyers to favor us with a call. J. H. SIMPERS.

Merchant Tailoring

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Chestertown and vicinity that he has opened near the Catholic Church, in Chestertown, a

Merchant Tailoring Establishment

and has on hand a fine assortment of

Cloths and Cassimeres.

He will make suits to order and

GUARANTEE A FIT

and satisfaction in every case. A call and examination of his goods is solicited.

☞ Prices Moderate. ☜

Sept. 20. LOUIS STOLL.

COOK STOVES! COOK STOVES!

RANGES! RANGES!

The EXCELSIOR is ahead, one of the *BEST* Cook Stoves in use for wood or coal. 6 or 8 kinds of cook Stoves, and *guarantee* all the stoves we sell. Ranges of three or four manufactures, and selling at *very* reasonable prices at
J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

BOOTS & SHOES—Men's and Boys' Heavy Boots and Fine Shoes. Ladies, Misses and Children's Button and Lace Shoes for fall and winter wear at low prices.
J. H. SIMPERS.

4 BARB STEEL FENCE WIRE and Buck-Thorn Barbed fence, for sale at lowest market price by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

John Wanamaker's Store, Philadelphia.

These are the First Days of the

Fall Business,

already the hum of activity begins. We launch the busy season with

Some Special Things

that prove to be strangely low. A few of these have been in store some days, but, to give everybody a fair chance, we held the announcements until the return of people from their holidays.

A good lot of first-rate Jerseys at $2.25. These are all black. The colors are $2.50.

A Black Dress Silk at 75 cents, that until recently was always $1.00.

A fine Black Rhadama, 22 inches wide, at $1.50.

Half-wool Black Dress Goods at 12½ cents, which is just half-price.

All-wool stylish Plaid Suiting, 42 inches, at 50 cents. We sold the same at $1.00.

Another in stripes at 65 cents. Not dear at $1.00.

A quality of Lupin's Cashmere for 50 cents (all wool). The new tariff will prevent this quality from ever again selling at this price.

A Black Albatross at 25 cents, exactly half-price.

A fine Black Camel's Hair 46 inches wide, at 60 cents.

A good 36-inch all-wool Cashmere at 40 cents.

An excellent Black Cashmere, all-wool, a yard wide, at 45c.

A very few much admired Embroidered Robes at one-third off of usual price.

A Bleached Muslin, full yard wide, for 10c. The best we ever had at that price.

The best Twilled, All-Wool Red Flannel we ever sold for 25c.

The best Canton Flannel for 12½c. We never could get so good a quality at the price before.

An extraordinary lot of Towels at 25c.

Eight lots of Ladies' and Children's Hose that are on our counters at 25 per cent. under prices.

These lots of Shoes that are amazingly desirable for the prices:

250 pairs Women's Straight Goat Button, $4.35.

172 pairs Women's Straight Goat Button, $3.25.

245 pairs Women's Curacoa Kid Button, $4.25.

186 pairs Women's French Kid Button, $5.00.

152 pairs Women's Kid Slippers, $1.25.

112 pairs Women's Kid Ties, $2.00.

110 pairs Women's French Kid Oxford Ties, $3.25.

141 pairs Women's Front Lace Walking Boots $3.25.

131 pairs Women's Front Lace Walking Boots, $4.50.

150 pairs Women's French Kid Button Boots, $5.25.

China and Glassware we hardly dare to risk saying anything about, as the lots announced are nearly always sold out in a few hours of the day they are presented. Watch the city daily papers for the announcements, and if these lots are sold when you come do not be disappointed, as we have new lots in every day or two.

In Furniture. Young couples should see

The new Ash Suite of Bed Room Furniture for $25.
The same goods in Cherry for $28.

Our Works at present turn us out only four suites per day of these goods, so that first come, first served. Nothing like this has ever been done in Philadelphia before.

A fine frame Body Brussels Carpet at $1.25 that we are willing to endorse as a good thing.

We are not permitted to give the makers' names