# The Transcript,

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## The Democratic Convention.

The Democratic Presidential Convention met at Chicago and organized on last Tuesday by electing Gov. Hubbard, of Texas, temporary chairman. Nothing formal was done on Tuesday except to effect an organization. There was enough in the informal proceedings, however, to indicate the likelihood that Governor Cleveland, of New York, will be the nominee of the Convention. John Kelly, who has distinguished himself by vigorously kicking against the nomination of Cleveland, lost in his effort to have the Convention break the unit rule. Indeed, John Kelly in his opposition to Cleveland has probably strengthened the latter's chances before the Convention, and has undoubtedly made him a stronger candidate before the country at large, if nominated. There is a prevalent feeling, in more than one State of the Union, that he whom John Kelly fights bitterly must be a good man.

Prior to going to press, Wednesday evening, no tidings pointing to more than a probability of who will be the candidate were received. The indications appear almost positive however that Cleveland will be nominated. For the second place, the most likely man is McDonald of Indiana, but possibly Hoadley or Thurman of Ohio may be put up instead.

## The Proposed Pension Legislation.

*From the Baltimore Sun.*

When the war came to an end the country found that beside all that it had given in money and blood it had piled up a debt of almost $2,800,000,000. Exhausted as the people were by the sacrifices which war had demanded and compelled, they set themselves to the work of removing this heavy load with a spirit and a determination which in a like cause has probably never been equalled in the world's history. The principal of the debt has been cut down almost one-half, while the high credit of the country has enabled a still greater reduction in the annual interest charge, so that instead of the $143,000,000 which were paid out for interest in 1867, only $59,000,000 were expended for that purpose in 1883. But the debt is not the only burden which four years of battle have left behind them. More than two million of men were called to arms. Many died of wounds and disease, many more survived, diseased and mutilated, while there are still greater numbers who, as years go by find that they are becoming more and more incapable of earning a reasonably comfortable support, and rightly or wrongly they are not unnaturally inclined to ascribe their growing infirmities to the hardships they suffered in the service. To the country for which they fought they look for assistance to meet the difficulties which they believe their exertions in its behalf have brought upon them. To their call the country has lent a ready ear. Indeed, so anxious has it been to do all and more than all that could be expected from it that it now becomes a serious question as to how much further it can go without bringing embarrassment upon the people as a whole. The pension list has grown in proportion more rapidly than the interest charge has been diminished. In 1867 the expenditure for pensions amounted to a little less than $21,000,000; by 1883 it had been multiplied by three and was more than $66,000,000, and the end is not yet. It has been the accepted opinion in Congress that the government was bound to make pecuniary compensation according to a scale laid down by law to everybody who incurred a total or partial disability in its military service, whether the recipient was in need of the money or not. This principle, if it were newly propounded, might perhaps be questioned, but it has become too firmly established to be successfully disputed at this day. But in the arrears of pensions act of 1879 it was given an wholly unwarranted extension, which has already cost millions of money and will cost millions more, with very little real benefit to anybody but the claim agents. It had been the law, with certain exceptions and qualifications, that a pension began from the date of application. By the act of 1879, as to all applications filed before July 1, 1880, the pension was to begin from the date of discharge from the service, which was often eighteen or nineteen years before. The natural consequence was that the number of applications increased five-fold, involving thus not only an enormous immediate outlay, but swelling the annual charge for an indefinite period to come. In spite of all this, the republican national platform demands a repeal of the limitation clause in the act of 1879, so that all persons who have applied since 1880 should receive what are miscalled arrears of pensions. By an unexpected firmness on the part of some few republicans and the great body of the democrats in the Senate, the attempt of Mr. Ingalls to tack such a provision to the Mexican pension bill failed—finally it is to be hoped rather than expected. The amendments which the Senate did make are of such a character, however, that the House of Representatives would do well to consider their effect very carefully before giving to them the seal of its approval. The bill, as it passed the House of Representatives, simply contemplated doing for the survivors of the Mexican war and their widows what was done for the veterans of the wars of the Revolution and of 1812, though at a somewhat longer period after the hostilities ceased. In the Senate there was manifest a strong inclination to do now as much for the soldiers of the late war as for those of the Mexican war, and finally it was voted to pension all Union soldiers who were now or might hereafter become, from any cause save their own vicious habits, incapable of earning their own support. The original bill called for an annual expenditure of from five to six millions. It was stated that nobody knew whether the amendment would add ten millions or one hundred millions to the yearly burden. In a word the Senate voted almost without debate on that point, that there be added to the annual expenditure a sum which is equal to the interest on perhaps $330,000,000; or perhaps $3,300,000,000. If it turns out to be the latter, that vote may burden us as much as England is by the debt representing the cost of the two centuries of successful warfare which have brought beneath its rule one quarter of the population of the globe.

But this is not all. There were something over 70,000 soldiers in the Mexican war; in the last there were nearly thirty times as many. If in 1884 a bill to pension the Mexican veterans will involve an annual expenditure of $5,000,000 or $6,000,000, in 1901 the pensioning of the survivors of the war for the Union would require a yearly outlay of from $150,000,000 to $180,000,000. Unless the public is taught by discussion to feel that no government can hope to prevent or redress all individual suffering and embarrassment, even among its own defenders, without creating such a burden of taxation as will bring even greater misery upon far larger numbers of innocent people, every Union soldier will be on the pension rolls long before 1701. Many, no doubt, would wish that it were possible to put them all upon it, but nobody who studies the question can resist the conviction that their very numbers make it impossible in justice to the body of the people to do more than to administer to the necessities of those whose present need is occasioned by the injuries actually and undoubtedly received in its service.

SOME mesmeric experiments in London of Herr Carl Hanson, the Danish mesmerist, have thrown the rivals Cumberland and Irving Bishop completely into the shade. On one occasion, by a simple act of volition, he drew (for it was literally nothing less) a lady from the body of the hall up to the platform, made her sing as if she was performing at a concert, and then in the twinkling of an eye, transformed her into a housemaid, busy with a broom in her hand sweeping the floor. Again there was a change in the spirit of her dream. She was a lady gathering flowers in her garden, and the flowers which she graciously presented to several of her audience and wore, in her bosom were pieces of paper which she picked as flowers from the floor. At the bidding of the mesmerist she retired to her place in the body of the hall, and when released from the trance was totally unconscious that she had left her seat. On the same evening a gentleman was rapidly mesmerized and made to believe himself Sims Reeves, the vocalist and, for a wonder, free from a cold. Believing that he was called out to sing, he gave "My Pretty Jane" with great effect and was encored. A red-headed Scotchman again declaimed as Mr. Gladstone, and created much amusement by declaring he did not want any policemen about him.

SOME time ago a well-known English sportsman, who is a devout Roman Catholic, was married to a wealthy Protestant lady. It was agreed that the children (of whom there were several) should be educated in the Roman Catholic faith. The gentleman's speculations on the turf proving extremely unfortunate, he was compelled to ask his wife for assistance. This she consented to render on condition that the son and heir was brought up in the Established Church. After some demur this was agreed to, the father consoling himself with the reflection that the other children would be left to him. But ill fortune still pursued him, and after another loss he had to apply to his wife again, with the same result, viz., the surrender of another olive branch. Still the luck did not turn, and at a recent race meeting, after a series of reverses, he was heard shouting excitedly, "Outsider wins! Outsider wins! good heavens, I shan't have one d—d little Catholic left!"

## DIED.

ALDRIDGE.—At her home, near Chesterville, June 24th, 1884, in the 55th year of her age, SARAH E. ALDRIDGE, wife of S. W. Aldridge.

MEEKS.—Near Tolchester, June 28, 1884, after a short illness, AQUILLA J. MEEKS, in the 64th year of his age.

FORD.—At her late residence, Ware's Landing, Queen Anne's county, June 11, 1884, in the 61st year of her age, Mrs. LOUISA FORD, relict of Thomas Ford, of Delaware, and daughter of the late Wm. C. Anderson.

BIDDLE.—In the village of Still Pond, on the 3d inst., after a lingering illness, Miss MARTHA ANN BIDDLE.

ROE.—In Worton, June 5, 1884, CHARLIE O., son of James W. and Emma R. Roe, aged 4 years, 9 months and 3 days.

GRAND

Musical & Literary Entertainment

—AT—

TOWN HALL,

CHESTERTOWN,

On Tuesday, July 15th,

under the management of

PROF. T. D. GAMBRILL,

Choice Selections by the Emerson Quartette. Cornet Solo by Prof. P. C. Orem, Jr. Tenor Solo by Mr. Henry Waltjen. Choice Humorous Readings by Messrs. A. Hawks and Chas. C. Saffelle.

Tickets 50 and 25 cts.; No extra charge for reserved seats. July 10—1t.

Wanted.

100,000 BUSHELS

—OF—

Wheat!

For the WM. LEA & SONS CO., Brandywine Mills, Wilmington, Delaware.

E. T. COMEGYS,

LOCUST GROVE,

KENT COUNTY, MD.

July 10, 1884—y.

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.

NOTICE—

TO WHEELWRIGHTS.

Besides a small stock of Oak and Ash Plank here, I have at my Mill in Virginia a large lot of last year's sawing of selected butt cuts of White Oak and Ash, 1, 1¼, 1½, 1¾, 2, 2½, 3, 4, 5 and 6 inches thick, seasoned and in splendid shipping order. Terms Cash.

JOSEPH TURNER,

Scott's Point, June 17, 1884.—tf.

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, of

*GEO. W. SPENCER,*

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 26th day of December, 1884, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of June, 1884.

RICHARD HYNSON, Executor.

June 26, 1884—4t.

Notice.

BY ORDER of the Board of Directors of the MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent county, the undersigned will receive

Sealed bids for 150 Shares of the Capital Stock of the KENT NATIONAL BANK of Chestertown,

*AT PRIVATE SALE FOR CASH.*

Said bids to be submitted to the Board of Directors for disposal at their meeting in August next.

N. G. WESTCOTT, Treas'r of the Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Kent Co.

July 10—3t.

Trustees' Sale

—OF A—

HOUSE AND LOT.

BY virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, the undersigned will offer at public sale, in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md., on

Saturday, the 2d day of August, 1884,

at 3 o'clock P. M.,

THE HOUSE

AND LOT OF LAND OF TWO ACRES,

more or less, in Quaker Neck, near Pomona, adjoining the lands of Jas. H. Baker and others, of which Wm. Hall died siezed.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third cash on the day of sale or in 60 days thereafter, at the option of the trustee; the balance to be paid in two equal instalments in 6 and 12 months from the day of sale; all unpaid money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by bond of the purchaser with approved security.

C. H. BAKER, Trustee.

The creditors of William Hall, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims with the vouchers thereof in the Orphans' Court for Kent county, within three months from the day of sale. C. H. BAKER, Trustee.

July 10, 1884—ts.

NOTICE

To Parents, Guardians & Others.

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE.

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

Tuesday, July 15th, 1884.

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 Tuesday, July 8th.

By order of the Orphans' Court.

JOEL C. SLAUGHTER, Register of Wills for Kent Co.

July 3—2t.

ORDER NISI.

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County, State of Maryland, June 17, 1884.

ORDERED that the sale, made and reported by Richard T. Turner, executor, of the last will and testament of Annie E. Bowers, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the nineteenth day of October next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some paper published in this county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 17th day of July next. The report states the amount of sale to be $11,300.

W. S. WALKER,
WM. A. HYLAND,
WM. STEVENS,
Judges of the Orphans' Court.

Test: JOEL C. SLAUGHTER, Register of Wills.

June 19—4t.

PEACH BOXES!

WE HAVE UNSOLD

100,000

PEACH BOX PATTERNS,

Which can be had at prices that will be an inducement to purchasers. Apply early.

BACON & THORINGTON,
Melitota P.O. Buck Neck, Md.

July 3—10t.

MATTING, MATTING.—Fancy, Check & White Matting to arrive. Carpets and Oil Cloth at lowers prices. J. H. SIMPERS.

SUGAR CURED HAMS, Sugar Cured Shoulders, Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, Sugar Cured Broiling Beef, Side and Shoulder Bacon, at lowest prices, by J. B. SAPPINGTON.

VERY BEAUTIFUL line of Window Shades, very low at LOUIS K. STAM'S.

ONION SETS.

SILVER SKIN and RED SKIN, Very cheap. M. A. TOULSON, March 27. Druggist.

NEW Stock of Horse-Collars and Bridles, Halters, Traces and Plow-Lines at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

COLLARS, Bridles, Back Bands, Traces and Plow Lines at lowest prices. J. H. SIMPERS.

THE best $2 Jerseys, in all colors, in Town to be found at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

TO arrive—A Large Lot of Fruit Jars and Jelly Glasses. Prices as low as the lowest. WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

CHAIRS—very large lot of many kinds cheap, LOUIS K. STAM.

NEW GOODS.

Paper Flower Materials. A large and choice assortment just received from the N. Y. Factory. For sale at City Prices. COLIN F. STAM, Druggist.

HANDSOME

and Valuable

REAL ESTATE

—AT—

PUBLIC SALE.

UNDER the power and authority vested in me by the last will and testament, which has been duly probated, of Colonel George W. Spencer, late of Kent county, State of Maryland, deceased, I will offer at Public Sale, on

THURSDAY.

the 7th of August, 1884,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

IN THE VILLAGE OF GALENA,

the whole of his Real Estate, consisting of

Three Farms,

two of which are in the First Election District, and the other in the Second, and are herein distinguished by the Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

NO. 1 IS

THE 'HOME FARM.'

It lies directly on the public road from Chestertown to Galena, and is not more than a mile from the latter; being within two miles of the steamboat landing at Georgetown and Lambson's Station on the Kent County Railroad. It probably contains over

600 Acres,

every acre arable save about thirty-five or forty, and is divided into convenient tillages.

In view of its situation, the natural fertility of its soil and high state of cultivation, its valuable and beautiful improvements, this estate is justly considered equal, if not superior, to any in this county.

The Improvements

are a commodious and Conveniently arranged

THREE STORY

Frame Dwelling

with a Dry Cellar, Pantry and Kitchen. It is on the south side of the public road, from which there is a shelled carriage-way through a magnificent lawn, highly improved and embellished with beautiful evergreens and shade trees.

THE OUT-BUILDINGS are Large and Ample for all farming purposes, and are admirably located and arranged in reference to their utility. There is also an

*Overseer's House*

within convenient distance of the dwelling, and on the east side of the farm a number of small TENEMENTS intended for the accommodation of the farm hands. All the buildings are in good order.

It has a small PEAR ORCHARD and an APPLE ORCHARD of seventy-five or a hundred trees.

No. 2

Is generally known as

"The Todd Farm"

It adjoins No. 1 on the north side of the Chestertown and Galena public road, and contains

Between 350 & 400 ACRES.

all arable but thirty-five or forty acres. It is divided into five fields and

A PEACH ORCHARD

of about thirty Acres.

One of its boundaries is a tributary of the Sassafras River, on which it has a lime and grain landing. Its distance from the Steamboat Landing at Georgetown, the village of Galena, and Lambson's Station is about the same as that of No. 1.

THE IMPROVEMENTS

ARE A

Frame Dwelling

and the necessary OUT-BUILDINGS, all in good order, and a

PEACH ORCHARD IN BEARING.

No. 3

Lies in the Second Election District on the public road from Galena to Black's Station, very near the station and not far from the landings on Sassafras and Chester Rivers, and less than a mile from the village of Locust Grove.

It contains

280 Acres,

of which two hundred and forty-four acres are arable, the residue is in a detached Wood Lot.

The Farm proper contains two hundred and forty-four acres, which are divided into fields and lots, conveniently arranged for purposes of cultivation and pasture.

It has the reputation of being one of the most productive farms in its thrifty and highly improved neighborhood.

*The Improvements*

are a Commodious

Frame Dwelling,

with a Cellar, Pantry and Kitchen; a fine lawn handsomely improved with evergreens, shade trees and flowers.

There is also an OVERSEER'S HOUSE and the usual Out-buildings, all in fair order.

These Farms are well fenced, on the lines along the the public roads are strong, compact, and thrifty hedges, which show intelligent culture and attention, and being in a central location are convenient to Churches, Schools, Post Offices, &c., and have easy and frequent communication by water and rail with our large cities. They are preeminently distinguished for their natural fertility and high state of improvement; being well adapted to cereals, peaches and other fruits.

THE HOME FARM

possesses rare advantages for stock raising, being nearly surrounded by running water. The contents of Nos. 1 and 2 may be increased or diminished by the survey to be made by C. J. Scott, Esq., plots of which will be exhibited at the sale.

NO. 1 is now under the charge of Mr S. Walker, NO. 2 is occupied by Mr. Samuel Todd and NO. 3 by Mr. Jervis Spencer. Each of these gentlemen will be pleased to show his premises to any one desiring to view them. The following

TERMS OF SALE

are desired, but may be modified to suit the convenience of the purchasers: One-third of the whole purchase money cash on the day of sale or on its final ratification, at the option of the seller; residue in equal instalments of six, twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months from the day of sale, the deferred payments to be secured by bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing interest from Jan. 1st, 1885, when absolute possession will be given.

RICHARD HYNSON,
TRUSTEE.

July 10, 1884—tds.

CIGARS! CIGARS!!

Come and try our Edward Allen Poe CIGARS.

M. A. TOULSON, Druggist.

March 27.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

TWO

Valuable Farms,

Near Turner's Creek Landing.

BY virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from George W. Howard and Mary J. Howard, his wife, to Thomas W. Eliason, dated the twentieth day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty, and recorded in Liber S. B. No. 1 folios 482, 483, 484 and 485, one of the land record books for Kent county, in the State of Maryland, the undersigned mortgagee will offer at Public Sale, at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, Kent county and State aforesaid, on

*WEDNESDAY,*

*the 30th day of July, 1884,*

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M., and 1 o'clock P.M., the sale to begin at 11 o'clock A.M., ALL THAT VALUABLE FARM on which the said George W. Howard resided at the time of his death, called

"Young's Neck,"

or the "NOTLEY YOUNG FARM," situated in the Second Election District, in Kent county aforesaid, on the Northwest side of the public road leading from Kennedyville to Turner's Creek, adjoining the lands of Franklin H. Harper Mary E. Janvier, Jno. L. Wethered's heirs and the "Upper Bloomfield Farm" of the said George W. Howard, and containing

265 Acres,

2 Roods and 11 Perches of Land,

more or less, including therein the 13 Acres, 2 Roods and 32 Perches, which were intended to be conveyed to the said George W. Howard by a certain instrument purporting to be a deed from John L. Weathered, and his wife, dated the eighth day of April, A. D., 1865, and since recorded among the Land Records of said county; but exclusive of the 8 Acres, 2 roods and 33 perches of land more or less, part of "Young's Neck," which the said George W. Howard and his wife intended to convey to John L. Wethered in the year 1865, by a certain instrument purporting to be a Deed.

About 215 Acres of this Farm is arable, and the residue in Wood and branch or meadow land.

The arable land is divided into seven fields and a lot and

APPLE ORCHARD.

It has on it about 2000 old PEACH TREES IN BEARING, 3000 Peach Trees two years old and 3000 set out last fall; also, a PEAR ORCHARD of about 600 to 800 trees, and about 5 Acres in Asparagus.

The soil is a loam with red clay subsoil, suitable for wheat, corn and fruit, and in good condition. The hedges and fencing are mostly in good condition. The improvements are a

Fine, Large Three-Story

*Brick Dwelling,*

with a two-story Brick Kitchen in good condition. A Granery and Cribs under one roof, a Stable, Sheds, Carriage House, Poultry House, and Meat House, and a pump of good water, and a cistern for water. There are also

THREE TENANT HOUSES,

one of them has 4 rooms and a basement; one 4 rooms and shed kitchen. Each of these may be used by two families, the other has two rooms.

ALSO,

ALL THAT FARM

CALLED

'UPPER BLOOMFIELD'

on which George C. Howard now resides, adjoining the first above described farm, and lands of Franklin H. Harper and William T. Hepbron, and the "Lower Bloomfield" farm of said Geo. W. Howard, and containing

208 Acres,

2 ROODS AND 12 PERCHES OF LAND,

more or less; about 168 Acres of which is arable, and the residue in Wood and branch or meadow land. The arable land is divided into five fields and two lots. It has on it about 2500 old Peach Trees in bearing, and about 1100 Peach Trees set out last spring; about five acres in Pear Trees, Cherry Trees and Berries, and about 8 acres in Asparagus.

The soil of this farm is also a loam with red clay subsoil, suitable for wheat, corn and fruit, and in good condition, and the fencing is in fair condition.

The Improvements are a good

*Brick Dwelling*

and Kitchen two stories high, with dormer windows in the garret, which is finished; a Granery, Cribs and Stable under one roof; a Carriage House, a Shed, a Poultry House, a Meat House, a pump, and

TWO TENANT HOUSES.

These Farms are in a highly improved neighborhood, and desirable for residences, convenient to a Public School, and to Churches, and for the shipment of their products by sail vessel at Turner's Creek Landing, or by railroad at Kennedyville station of the Kent County Railroad.

Persons wishing to purchase will examine the property.

THE TERMS OF SALE:

Eight thousand dollars cash on the day of sale, on the first named farm, and one-third of the purchase money for the last named farm, in cash on the day of sale, the balance of the purchase money on each of these farms payable in two equal instalments in one and two years from the day of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with sureties approved by the undersigned; the interest on the whole amount of the deferred payments to be payable with the first instalment and on the residue, after the first instalment is paid, to be payable with the last instalment. The purchaser or purchasers to have possession of the farm purchased on the first day of January next, and to have the privilege of seeding wheat thereon this fall, but is not to be entitled to, or receive any part of the crops or rent for the present year.

THOMAS W. ELIASON,
MORTGAGEE.

Chestertown, July 3, 1884—ts.

Colin F. Stam,

Bookseller and Stationer,

Has now in stock a large assortment of Sea-Side, Franklin Square and Lovell's Popular Libraries. Aslo, books of general Literature, Writing Paper, Envelopes and

*General Stationery Materials*

in Large Quantities.

Bear this in mind—you will always find the Largest Stock and Cheapest BOOKS at

Stam's Drug Store.

March 1, 1883.

FLOUR.

Good Bread,
Good Health
And level head
Gains Wealth.

Patapsco Superlative Patent, Patapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Extra, Clifton F. F. F., Kirkwood Extra, Occidental Extra, by the barrel, sack or pound. Get our prices on Flour before buying. We may save you money.

J. B. SAPPINGTON.

FENCE WIRE at the Lowest Prices at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S. March 27.

LOT OF BRACKETS, WALL POCKETS, &c., Will be closed out about cost. Jan. 24. LOUIS K. STAM.

OUR BLANKETS at $1.00 a pair; Our Blankets at 85 cts. a pair; Our Bed Comforts, large and heavy at 90 cts. at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

TRUSTEES' SALE

—OF—

Valuable

Mill Property.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a Court of Equity, the undersigned, as Trustees, will offer at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, at the Voshell House in Chestertown, Kent county, Md.,

*ON TUESDAY,*

*the 29th day of July, 1884,*

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

ALL THAT

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY,

in Kent county, Md., commonly called

"The Urieville Mill Property,"

situate on the public road from Chestertown to Kennedyville, about six miles from the former and two miles from the railroad depot at Kennedyville.

This property consists of a

GRIST MILL,

with two Turbine Wheels, and a

NEW TWO STORY SAW MILL,

both in running condition.

A TWO-STORY

*DWELLING,*

with Kitchen and Stable and Carriage House, on a

LOT OF ABOUT THREE ACRES,

and immediately opposite and adjoining the Mill-house; Store-House and Dwelling with Garden immediately on said public road; a Small Dwelling with Garden unoccupied; a Small DOUBLE DWELLING with Garden as enclosed; and two other Small Tenant Houses on the meadow land, and an old Shop, now used as a barn.

There is probably no better or finer stream of water in the county; it is abundant for use at all seasons. There is also

About 30 Acres,

including the above Gardens, attached, being valuable as meadow land and for Trucking.

The neighborhood is good: Schools, Churches and Railroad are near, and there is probably no finer Mill Property in the county.

This property will be offered in parcels and then as a whole, and sold in the way most is realized; the above store-house and dwelling with garden, the small dwelling with garden, and the small double dwelling with garden, each being a parcel, and the residue of the property a parcel.

*TERMS OF SALE.*

One-third of the purchase money in cash on day of sale, or in sixty days thereafter, on note with interest added and approved security, and the residue of purchase money in two equal installments in 9 and 18 months from day of sale, with interest from said date on each installment till paid, to be secured by the bonds or notes of the purchaser, with a surety or sureties, to be approved by Trustees.

Further particulars made known on day of sale.

JOHN B. BROWN,
EDWIN H. BROWN,
Trustees.

JAS. H. COSTIN, Auct.

July 3, 1884—ts.

THE BEST

CLOTHING,

The largest and finest stock ever shown at prices which cannot be equaled elsewhere.

Our entirely *new stock* is so desirable that every man and boy should have a suit, and to appear handsomely dressed you must wear our clothes.

Should your circumstances be such that only a small amount can be invested in clothing, then our house is the one to patronize for the reason that you can get just what you pay for economical administration of all its affairs makes our establishment the popular one to buy from. Every garment in our house entirely new, handsome and serviceable.

Acme Hall,

"The Glass of Fashion,"

209 W. BALTIMORE ST.

ABSOLUTELY ONE PRICE.

Fashionable Tailor

*DO YOU WANT A NEAT SUIT OF CLOTHES THIS SPRING?*

THEN GO TO STOLL'S,

opposite the Kent Nat. Bank, Chestertown.

Spring styles of Casimeres on hand, and suits made to order in latest styles.

L. STOLL.

May 8, 1884.

GRASS Scythes and Grass Snaths, Bush Scythes and Bush Snaths, Grass Hooks and Scythe Stones, for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

A LARGE assortment of Rims, Spokes, Hubs, Shafts, Poles, Plow and Cultivator Handles, Neck Yokes, and Double Trees. For sale by JOHN K. ALDRIDGE.

A FEW Chamber China Sets, very low in price at LOUIS K. STAM'S.

Writing Paper

In Beautiful Boxes, the Nicest Assortment in town—at STAM'S DRUG STORE.

GARDEN TOOLS! GARDEN TOOLS! Hoes, Rakes, Spades, Spading Forks, at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

THE ROLAND FARM BELLS. For sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE. March 27.

CHEAP LOT OF FURNITURE

In sufficient quantities,

Will be delivered at your home free of charge.

Feb. 14, 1884. LOUIS K. STAM.

NO Brand Cigar can only be found at SPARKS.

FOR latest styles in Gents' Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs, &c., go to WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

YOU can get a Box (containing 50) Good Cigars for 87½c. Best 50c. Tobacco in Town. WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PUMP, call at J. K. ALDRIDGE

SHEEP SHEARS! SHEEP SHEARS!! A very large assortment on hand, and prices *very* low, at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S

BALTIMORE & DEL. BAY R. R.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

*Connecting with Delaware Rail Road at Clayton*

On and after Monday, June 30th, 1884, until further notice trains (Sundays excepted) will run as follows:

| GOING NORTH | Pass'r & freight no. 1 daily except We'n'days. | Passe'r & freight No. 3, Th'days. | no. 5, Pas. Cape May excursion, We'n'days only. |
|---|---|---|---|
| LEAVE | A. M. | P. M. | A. M. |
| Chestertown | 6 45 | 1 45 | 6 00 |
| Worton | 7 03 | 2 05 | 6 20 |
| Lynch's | 7 10 | 2 15 | 6 30 |
| Still Pond | 7 18 | 2 25 | 6 35 |
| Kennedyville | 7 30 | 2 40 | 6 45 |
| Blacks | 7 45 | 2 55 | 6 55 |
| Lambson | 8 00 | 3 10 | 7 05 |
| Masseys | 8 13 | 3 22 | 7 20 |
| Delanys | 8 27 | 3 25 | 7 35 |
| *Bingham | 8 37 | 3 45 | 7 45 |
| arr Clayton | 8 50 | 4 00 | 8 00 |
| leave " | 9 02 | 5 50 | 9 02 |
| " Middletown | 9 22 | 6 19 | 9 22 |
| " Wilmington | 10 00 | 7 10 | 10 00 |
| arr Philadelphia | 10 54 | 8 09 | 10 54 |
| Baltimore | 12 25 | ...... | 12 25 |
| New York | ...... | 10 20 | ...... |

| GOING SOUTH. | Passenger & Freight No. 2 daily | Passenger No. 4 Thursdays and Saturdays only. |
|---|---|---|
| LEAVE | A. M. | P. M. |
| New York | | |
| Baltimore | 7 00 | 12 10 |
| Philadelphia | 8 00 | 3 00 |
| Wilmington | 9 05 | 3 50 |
| Middletown | 10 11 | 4 28 |
| arr Clayton | 10 40 | 4 47 |
| leave " | 11 17 | 4 55 |
| " Binghams* | 11 30 | 5 05 |
| Delanys | 11 40 | 5 10 |
| Masseys | 11 55 | 5 25 |
| Lambson | 12 10 | 5 35 |
| Blacks | 12 25 | 5 45 |
| Kennedyville | 12 40 | 5 55 |
| Still Pond | 12 50 | 6 02 |
| Lynchs | 12 55 | 6 07 |
| Worton | 1 05 | 6 12 |
| arr Chestertown | 1 20 | 6 30 |
| | p. m. | p. m. |

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents.

Freight for Delanys and Bingham's must be prepaid.

The morning trains make connection at Clayton with the Delaware Railroad going North and South.

Passengers on morning train for Baltimore change at Wilmington.

Freight carried at low rates to all points and must be at Stations 30 minutes before starting time, in order to insure dispatch.

Excursion Tickets issued at reduced rates

FRED. GERKER, Lessee.

July 3, 1884

Farmers', Builders'

—AND—

MECHANICS' HARDWARE

Our Stock is complete in every department and the public are invited to call and examine our goods and prices.

For the Farmer we have Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Feed Cutters, Corn Crushers, Corn Shellers, Shovels, Forks, Spades, Hoes, Axes, Wagon Hames, Chain and Rope Praces, Plow Lines, Hinges, Locks, Saws, Drawing Knives, &c., which we are selling at very moderate rates.

Joel R. Clements.

**For Builders** we have everything in the way of Hinges, Locks, Bolts, Catches, Sash Locks, Cord and Weights, &c., &c.

**For Mechanics** we have all kinds of Tools, such as Planes, Saws, Chisels, Hatchets, Braces, Bits of almost any quality; Saw Files, Spirit Levels, Plumbobs, &c., which we are selling as cheap as can be had in the city. Call and see us.

JOEL R. CLEMENTS, adjoining Kent Nat'l Bank.

Jan. 31, 1884.

TO THE FARMERS

—OF—

KENT, QUEEN ANNE'S & CECIL

IT is universally acknowledged by the most practical farmers that the Ohio Chilled Plow is the best plow in the world for neatness of work, and lightness of draft to the team. As I have ordered a large number of these plows, both two and three-horse, farmers will do well to give me an early call.

We also keep on hand, the Old Reliable Concave Nos. 9, 10 and 11. Polished Minor and Horton, Wiley Nos. 3 and 4, and Two-Furrowed Plows, and Harrows, Twin, Single A, and Double A A, Cultivators and Cultivator Teeth unsurpassed by any manufacture. Single, Double, 3 and 4 Horse-Trees and Hames.

As there have been a great many Chilled Plows sold in these counties, and as farmers have been put to a great deal of trouble to get Castings for them, if they will only give the name and number of the Plow, I will endeavor to keep them on hand at my shops in Galena and Chestertown. I always have on hand Plain and Slip Shares for the Ohio, Oliver, Roland, Advance and Syracuse.

If any of you are in need of anything in my line, please give me a call, as I intend to sell them *low* for the *cash*.

Thankful for past patronage, I solicit a continuance of the same.

W. A. Hyland,

Galena and Chestertown.

Feb. 21—t01.

Ice Cream!

ICE CREAM!!

AT REDUCED PRICES!

TO enable us to compete with Baltimore and Middletown, Del., quotations the following will hereafter be the prices for Ice-Cream to parties, picnics and excursions, delivered on cars or steamboat, viz:

| | |
|---|---|
| Ten gallon and over | 90c. per gal. |
| Under 10 gallon | $1.00 " " |
| Half gallon | 60c. " " |
| One quart | 40c. " " |
| One pint | 20c. " " |

Above prices not packed in ice. All orders at above reduced rates must be accompanied with the CASH.

PRICES OF ICE:

1 cent per pound for all quantities less than 100 lbs.; 100 lbs, 75 cents.

WM. PERKINS, "Rising Sun" Saloon.

June 19.

To Our Customers.

We have a large supply of Coffees, Flour, and Provisions, &c., prior to the late sharp advance in prices, and are prepared to give our patrons the advantage of our good luck: We have a good article of New Orleans Molasses at a *reasonable* price.

J. B. SAPPINGTON, Leader in Low Price

PLOW CASTINGS! PLOW CASTINGS!

For the Roland Chilled Plows, Concave, Wiley, and Minor and Horton Plows—at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

STRAW HATS.—We have a large assortment, newest styles, Fine Straw Hats. Also common Straw Hats at low prices. J. H. SIMPERS.

Machine Oil

All Kinds!

LARGEST STOCK IN TOWN!

Lowest Prices

AT

LOUIS K. STAM'S

CHESTERTOWN, June 17, 1884.

CLEAR WEST VIRGINIA

Yellow Poplar Perfectly Seasoned

AND WIDE,

which I am selling at less than city prices.

Joseph Turner

SCOTT'S POINT.

All kinds inch Seasoned Hard Wood Boards for Inside Finishing or Cabinet Work. Selected and seasoned.

1 Inch Walnut.
1 Inch Cherry,
1 Inch Ash.
1 Inch Maple.
1 Inch Chestnut.
1 Inch Cypress.
1 Inch Virginia Yellow Pine.
1 Inch White Pine.

Selling in the rough or moulded to order

JOSEPH TURNER.

June 19, 1884.

Wroth & Aldridge

Have received their Full Invoice of

SPRING GOODS!

Summer Goods.!!

Everything desirable kept in a First-Class Store now in stock.

Extra Inducements offered this season! The ladies are especially invited.

Large Stock of White and Fancy Mattings, from 12½ cts. up.

Floor and Table Oil Cloth in all widths and styles.

Straw Hats! Straw Hats to suit all ages!! 20 doz. of one kind.

Spring and Summer Dress Goods! Choice lot of Percals and Lawns. India Linens from 12½c. to 35c.

Our stock of Shoes and Slippers is complete.

Our Grocery Department is Full of Choice Goods. Best Granulated Sugar 9c.

SPRING 1884.

E. W. F. Simpers.

Larger Room, Larger Stock, Low Prices

DRY GOODS,

4-4, 5-4, 10-4 Bleached Muslins, Brown Muslins, Prints, Percals, Dress Gingham, Sheetings, Cottonades.

NOTIONS.

Vic. Lawns, Swiss Pld. Muslins, Corsets, Ladies' Hose, Gent's ½ Hose, Gloves. Gent's Neck Ware. Towels all prices.

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,

A full stock, in part as follows:

Teas, Coffees, Grain Cut Loaf and Powdered Sugars, Chocolate, Cocoa, Cheese, Corn Starch, Dry Yeast, Oat Meal, Wheaten Grits, Plum Pudding, Pickles, Chow-Chow. A nice assortment of Canned Goods.

Wm. Lee & Sons' FLOUR, all grades.

Glassware, Crockeryware.

Bacon, Shoulders, S. C. Shoulders, "Best" Sugar Cured Hams.

Chewing Tobacco, Smoking Tobacco, Segars, Graveley's Tobacco.

"Chromo" Yeast Powder.

We are thankful for past favors, and ask for a continuance of same, assuring all that our "motto" is to always please in *Price* and *Quality*.

E. W. F. SIMPERS, Chestertown, Md.

April 3, 1884.

WOOD! WOOD!!

Hickory, Oak and Pine.

The subscriber has purchased 1000 cords of the very best seasoned Oak, Hickory and Pine that has been in this market for some time, and is selling it, delivered, at $5 00 per cord for oak, and $6 00 per cord for hickory; wood sawed and split to order.

This Wood has all been culled over; is full length, clear of knots and small sticks.

Pine KINDLING WOOD for sale low.

WILLIAM PERKINS,

Rising Sun, Saloon, Chestertown

Nov. 22, 1883.

EXTENSION TABLES—new lot just received, very low

Feb. 14. LOUIS K. STAM.

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