The Transcript,

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Editor and Publisher.

LATEST.

Dispatches received as late as 4 o'clock yesterday indicated that New York, New Jersey, Indiana, Connecticut and possibly Wisconsin had gone Democratic.

A dispatch to the *Transcript* from Democratic headquarters in Baltimore city received at 4 o'clock P. M. said, "New York gone Democratic beyond a doubt, and Cleveland elected."

IT LOOKS HOPEFUL!

A Close Contest.

Probably A Democratic Victory.

At our time of going to press Wednesday evening, no certain returns were received fixing beyond a doubt the Presidential contest. In nearly all the States which have been doubtful, the contest is very close. New York, New Jersey, Indiana and Connecticut are all close. The Philadelphia *Times* of yesterday, publishes the following despatches from the doubtful States:

NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, Nov. 4—Midnight. The indications at midnight point to the carrying of New Jersey by Cleveland by about 3,000 majority. The returns come in very slowly and it is almost impossible to estimate with any degree of accuracy. Essex county will give Blaine about 3,000 majority, a slight Republican gain. Bergen county is put down at 800 majority for Cleveland, a Democratic gain of nearly 300.—Passaic county gives Blaine about 1,000 and Atlantic City gives Blaine 500. Mercer county probably gives Blaine 500 majority. The Democrats lose heavily in Sussex county. Hudson county will probably give Cleveland 5,000. The Democratic State committee claim the State by 9,000. The Republicans claim the State by 2,500.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 4. There are but few returns in, but enough to indicate that the State has gone Democratic by a majority of 5,000 or upwards, electing our State and Legislature and ten of thirteen Congressmen.

J. E. MCDONALD.

VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND, Nov. 4.

MIDNIGHT.—Fuller returns received at midnight indicate that the Republicans have made very considerable gains in this State over their vote of last year, when the Democrats carried it by 17,000. They assert that if their gains continue they will have the State by a majority of from 8,000 to 10,000. The Democrats are not so confident as earlier in the evening. The whole matter is conjecture. The Democrats believe the returns from the white districts will be more than overcome by their losses elsewhere. The Democrats will not give figures.

WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 4. The total number of precincts in Wisconsin is about twelve hundred. One hundred and seven towns and precincts in Wisconsin, including four wards in the city of Milwaukee, give a net Democratic gain of 4,811.

CONNECTICUT.

HARTFORD, November 4. Returns from thirty counties show a Democratic gain of over 600 on the vote of 1880, when Garfield had 2,600 plurality. Cleveland has probably carried the State by a small plurality.

COURANT, Rep.

WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, November 4. The Democrats carry the State. Eight precincts in this city give Goff, (Rep), for Congress, 140 majority, Republican gain of 264 on October vote. Parkersburg district complete gives Barbee, for Congress, 1,078; Gibson, 760; Blaine, 979; Cleveland, 777, a Republican gain of one. The majority for Goff (Rep.) in Clarksburg is 158, which indicates a majority of 600 in Harrison county.

The headlines to the New York *Sun* of Tuesday, a paper that has fought Cleveland with venomous vindictiveness read:

"A very close election, several States in doubt and the result not reached. Cleveland's chances best. New York undoubtedly Democratic by a fair plurality. Both sides claim Connecticut. New Jersey goes for Cleveland by a fair plurality. New York City gives Cleveland 44,000 majority, King's co. rolls up 15,000, Grant elected Mayor by a good majority—Indiana in doubt, with leanings toward the Democratic ticket.

Kent County.

The election of Tuesday passed off quietly in this county. There was little excitement manifested at the polls anywhere. Returns from all the districts were received in Chestertown before eleven o'clock. The following table shows the vote cast in each district:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th. 1st p.	4th. 2d p	5th.	Total
Cleveland	539	366	306	371	105	470	2151
Hendricks	539	360	306	371	105	470	2151
Blaine	436	357	285	374	195	405	2052
Logan	436	357	285	374	195	405	2052
Gibson	544	363	309	372	105	469	2162
Russum	432	361	288	376	195	406	2058

Cleveland's majority - - - - - 99
Gibson's majority - - - - - - 104

St. John vote in county 39, distributed as follows: 1st district 4, 2d district 8, 3d district 6, 4th district, first precinct, 11, 2d precinct 3; 5th district 3. Butler 1 vote in the county, from 3d district.

The total registered vote in the county, including this year's registration, is as follows:

Districts.	White.	Colored.	Total.
First	687	428	1115
Second	452	338	790
Third	367	270	637
Fourth { 1st prec't	477	332	809
Fourth { 2d prec't	163	157	320
Fifth	665	288	953
Total	2811	1813	4624

The above table shows, on comparison with the sum of votes cast for Blaine and Cleveland, a stay-at-home vote of 322 in the county. Of this absentee vote 78 was in the first district, which may partly account for the decreased Democratic majority in that district.

1883.

From the election last year we select the following, which will give some data for comparison:

Governor						
McLane	545	357	293	464	447	2106
Holton	387	341	283	563	409	1983
McLane's majority						123
For House of Delegates:						
Wilson	545	344	289	465	444	2087
Atkinson	536	340	289	467	448	2080
Rasin	380	348	287	555	398	1968
Downey	387	359	281	562	415	2004
Average Democratic majority						98
For Sheriff:						
Rasin	494	342	287	432	444	1999
Parsons	427	351	284	590	408	2065
Parsons' majority						61
For the State Senate:						
Usilton	530	333	290	439	442	2034
Burchinal	395	362	285	584	414	2045
Burchinal's majority						6

ELECTION OF 1880.

In the presidential election of 1880, between Hancock and Garfield, the vote in the county was as follows,—

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	Total
Hancock	505	390	266	409	399	1969
Garfield	348	332	297	517	359	1853
Hancock's maj						116
Covington	505	390	266	410	399	1970
Smith	348	331	297	517	359	1852
Covington's maj						117

For Weaver, (greenback) 1 in 3d and 1 in 5th dist.

The Congressional District.

Gibson has carried the first Maryland Congressional district by a majority approximating 2,000. The following despatches indicate majorities in counties of the district heard from:

Kent, Gibson's majority	105
Queen Anne's " "	635
Talbot " "	257
Caroline, Russum's "	60
Dorchester " "	146
Worcester, Gibson's "	600
Wicomico, " "	900

In the State.

Maryland goes Democratic by a majority of from eleven to twelve thousand. The Democrats elect five out of six Congressmen, Barnes Compton defeating Holton in the fifth district, which went Republican at the last Congressional election.

Oyster Propagation.

Artificial propagation of oysters is to be tried in New York waters. The Chesapeake Zoological Laboratory, conducted under the control and at the expense of Johns Hopkins University and established in 1878 at Fort Wool, Va., deserves credit for discovering the possibility of this operation. In 1879, while Dr. W. K. Brooks, the director of the laboratory, was at work at Crisfield, Md., studies of the oyster beds were begun and have continued most of the time since. During 1883 most of Dr. Brooks' attention was devoted to the oyster industry, and the result is a costly monograph, the "Report of the Oyster Commission," published about three months ago. The entire subject is economically so important that a review of various experiments is justified.

Before Dr. Brooks' experiments, in 1879, the European oyster authorities were accepted without question by American writers. In the oyster of northern Europe the eggs are hatched inside the parent shell and protected till able to fasten themselves. Dr. Brooks, studying the early stages of the development of the American oyster, found that "the unfertilized eggs are thrown out in immense numbers into the water, where they are fertilized and develop without the need of protection," and also the "perfect practicability of rearing oysters in unlimited numbers as soon as the practical difficulties are overcome. Lieut. Winslow in 1880, while in Cadiz, Spain, repeated Dr. Brooks' experiments and found that the oyster of the south of Europe is like the American oyster in its breeding habits, and in November of that year he read a paper on this point before the Maryland Academy of Science.

The French Government, alive to the enormous commercial value of such a discovery, even greater in its possibilities than artificial fish culture, which a generation ago was largely subsidized in France, appointed a commissioner, who reported in 1882 that he had met with entire success. He states that he was urged to the experiment with the Portuguese oyster by the experiments of Dr. Brooks with the Virginian oyster. He used a pond 100 metres in area and 1 metre in depth. In June and July artificially impregnated oyster eggs were introduced, tiles were furnished for the attachment of spat, and the enemies of the oyster were, of course, excluded. The result was that by October 2,000 young oysters, measuring from two-fifths to four-fifths of an inch in diameter, could be counted on a single tile. The paper in which the steps by which M. Bouchen-Brandeley achieved this success are described has been published in the bulletin of the United States Fish Commission for April 19, 1883. The same experiment was at once tried in Maryland by Mr. John A. Ryder, and the results published last September, under the title "Rearing Oysters from Artificially Fertilized Eggs." Experiments this year in Maryland are on a more extensive scale, and with every prospect of success.

It will thus be seen that artificial oyster culture promises to become a business of large dimensions, employing many persons and greatly increasing the present oyster supply. It is high time, for all the best oyster beds, even in private hands, show signs of exhaustion, while the State ownership of the famous Chesapeake beds has been productive of endless difficulties and enormous waste. Maryland oysters are no longer as abundant nor of as fine quality as they were a few years ago, but artificial culture is the hoped-for remedy.

EXCENTRICITIES OF GENIUS.

SOME OF HORACE GREELEY'S PECULIARITIES—A STRANGE BREAKFAST PARTY.

[*Groffut's Letter in Kansas City Journal.*]

I wonder if all overmastering minds are not conspicuously weak in some direction. It was a theory of the late eminent scientist, Dr. Geo. M. Beard, that there were no great men, that "if a man is great in one direction he is limited in another." We know it was so with old Sam Johnson, with Milton, with Fontenelle, with Humboldt, with Franklin, and later with Sumner, Greeley and Conkling.

I worked on the *Tribune* under Mr. Greeley, and, though I saw him every day, I never yet heard him say "good morning" or "good evening," "how do you do," or "good by," or inquire after anybody's health. But he scrupulously answered every letter that came to him, and answered it on the spot, so that the writer generally got the reply in the next mail. His conscience was abnormally developed on this subject, and he probably wrote 20,000 letters that did not need writing, and died the sooner for it. On the street he seldom spoke to even his nearest friends unless he had business. I have known him to enter a street car down town, sit by the side of a friend and ride a mile without speaking a word, then suddenly nudge him and say: "Let me take your paper?" read the paper for another mile, look out for the friend's house, hand the paper to him just before reaching it, and part company without speaking to him or looking at him. He did not believe in that expenditure of force which conversational civilities require.

A gentleman who breakfasted with him in 1865 tells me about it. Mr. Greeley was not living at home at the time; he was what Mrs. Greeley calmly called "boarding somewhere else." This somewhere else happened to be the Westmoreland, on Union Square, only a couple of blocks from his house. "Prof. L. S. Packard and I were invited to breakfast with him at 9 o'clock. We roached the dining room of the hotel before him, inquired for his table and sat down. Presently he came in, handed his overcoat and hat to a waiter, and without looking towards us ordered a breakfast for one—a poached egg, some milk toast and a cup of tea. Reaching the table he looked a little surprised, but said: 'Have you ordered your breakfast?' We assured him that we had not, but we ordered the same that he had done. 'What paper have you?' he inquired of Packard as he sat down. It was the *Citizen*, after Miles O'Reilly left it and while Roosevelt had it. 'Anything in it?' he asked. 'Not much, except an article attacking you,' said Packard. It was a column and a half long, but Greeley read it through. 'Absurd!' he said, 'to take so much space for that. It isn't good journalism. It all ought to have been said in one-third of the space. That article ought never have been permitted to go below there,' he said, indicating a place with his finger. He did not allude to the substance of the attack at all, but denounced the slovenliness and extravagance of using so much space. We took a hasty cup of tea and departed." Prof. Packard's school was one of his hobbies. The last speech of his life, I believe, was made before its students during the campaign of 1872.

Building Mills to Rust Out.

When the irrepressible Yankee isn't doing something he is generally getting ready to do something. The revised Directory of the Iron and Steel Works of the United States, just published by Secretary Swank, points out in a remarkably clear and explicit manner this tendency. Notwithstanding the general stagnation in the iron and steel trade of the country, the capacity of production is increasing in a very marked ratio.

Since July, 1882, the number of rolling mills and steel works have increased from 400 to 434. The annual capacity of rolling mills in finished iron and steel has increased from 7,000,000 tons to 7,600,000. In the same period the nail machines have increased from 4,030 to 5,395. The number of Bessemer steel works have increased from 15 to 21, the open hearth steel works from 27 to 35, with three new ones in course of erection at present. The annual capacity of the open hearth furnaces is 550,000 tons, against 400,000 two years ago. There is an apparent decrease in blast furnaces, the number having fallen from 686 to 675. The decrease, however, is only caused by the abandonment of a number of old and unimportant furnaces, while the new ones are of such large capacity that the possible output has really risen from 8,000,000 tons to upwards of 9,000,000.

These figures show conclusively that of all people in the world the Americans are the hardest to stop when they get a going. There has been everything in the situation of the iron and steel trade for the past two years to induce curtailment instead of expansion. Enforced curtailment there has been in the actual output, of course, but new furnaces and new mills have been erected just as though it was expected that the world's supply of these staples was soon to depend on American capacity to furnish. It would be the part of common business prudence to spend no more money building new works of this kind till there is a prospect they will be needed.—*Phila. Times.*

A $20,000 Property Given Away.

A law suit involving an unusual and interesting question of law has been brought in the Superior court of Baltimore. The facts are as follows,—Mr. John C. Holland, of Catonsville, made a trade of his property in Catonsville, valued at $20,000, with Mr. Samuel Black, of Baltimore, for three houses on St. Paul street, which he valued at $38,000, there being a mortgage of $6,000 on each house, which Mr. Holland was to take care of. In a short while Mr. Holland found out that the city property was not as valuable as had been represented. The mortgages were foreclosed, and the houses did not bring enough to pay them by nearly $2,000. Mr. Black was compelled to pay the deficiency, and brought suit for the amount against Mr. Holland, who already had nothing to show for his country place. There was no express agreement who was to pay the mortgage debt, and Judge Dobbin decided that Mr. Black could not recover. Since then the Court of Appeals has decided, in the case of George vs. Andrews & White, that the purchaser of property assumes the payment of the mortgage debt, and the motion to reopen is made on that authority. Judge Brown said he would act just as he knew his predecessor would act if now on the bench, and conform his ruling to that of the Appellate Court. On the question of striking out the judgement, Judge Brown said he was not quite certain, and desired to hear from counsel. Mr. George M. Gill, for Mr. Holland, spoke against striking out the judgment, saying that if that could be done in five years, it could be done in fifty or a hundred years, and cases would never be decided. Mr. George Hawkins Williams, for Mr. Black, contended that until there was a verdict of a jury there was no final adjudication of the case. Judge Brown reserved his decision.

MARRIED.

NOLAND—BRAMBLE.—On the 28th ult. at Salem M. E. Church by the Rev. E. C. Macnichol, Miss MARY L. BRAMBLE to MR. G. EDWARD NOLAND.

NOTICE.

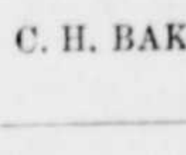
The "Anniversary Services" of Shrewsbury Parish will be held in the church, on Saturday morning, commencing at 11 o'clock A.M. Public invited. R.H. MURPHY, Rector.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

A Fine Farm of 380 acres, arable, on the water at public landing, on public road. Terms easy. Good neighborhood.

Oct. 30, 1884—3t. C. H. BAKER, Att'y.

FORSALE.



Two very fine Driving HORSES and one easy Riding Horse for sale. Terms easy. Apply to JOSEPH TURNER.

Oct. 23—3t.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

A SMALL FARM, near Betterton, well located, good buildings, apple orchard, good peach orchard—about 1,400 trees—soil good and improved. C. H. BAKER, ATT'Y,

Oct. 9, 1884—3t. Chestertown, Md.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

One acre of land, with a Two-Story Dwelling and Kitchen attached, in Chesterville. A very desirable location. Easy terms.

CHAS. H. BAKER

Oct. 2, 1884 Att'y.

Money to Loan.

Large or small sums on good farms in this county for five years or shorter periods. Interest 6 per cent.

THOMAS HILL,

Fayette and St. Paul Sts., Baltimore, Md.

Sept. 11, 1884—3m.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise after this date, upon the premises near Hanesville, tenanted by Wm. B. and John A. Parsons.

GEORGE R. BECK.

Oct. 23, 1884—3t.

SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

Oysters, Ice Cream and "Goodies" in general. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 6th, 7th and 8th of Nov., a Supper and Festival will be held in the Town Hall, at Galena, for the benefit of the Galena Public School. Come all, and whilst enjoying yourselves, you will be helping one of your best friends—the Public School. Oct. 23—2t.

Notice to Trespassers.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the farms known as "Camelsworthmore," "The Skirven Farm" or "Merritt Farm," after this date, with dog, gun or otherwise. The law will be strictly enforced.

WILLIAM R. GALE.

Oct. 16—tf.

The Royal

ART ENTERTAINMENTS

AT THE

COURT HOUSE, CHESTERTOWN

TWO NIGHTS ONLY!

Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 12 and 13,

AT 8 O'CLOCK P. M.

Programmes:—Wednesday evening, Nov. 12th, "A Trip to Paris and Rome." Thursday eve: Nov. 13th: "From the Peaks of the ALPS to the Crater of Vesuvius."

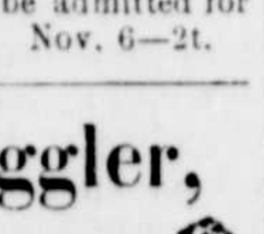
Under auspices of Chestertown M. E. S. School.

Admissions 35c. Seats may be reserved without extra charge at M. A. Toulson's Drug Store, where a Diagram of seats will be found.

Afternoon Entertainment.

A Special Entertainment for children will be given on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 13, at two o'clock, to which children will be admitted for TEN CENTS. Nov. 6—2t.

Young Smuggler,



Record 2.29¼, Standard.

Will make a full season of two months from date at $40 for the season. Persons wishing to breed to him this fall will please call on J. A. Russell, Chestertown, who has him in charge, also his pedigree. In settlement the cash or a note payable at Kent National Bank will be required at ninety days from first service of the horse. He will be limited to 30 mares.

Very respectfully,

Oct. 30—1m. J. W. HINES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

CAROLINE S. PRYOR,

late of Wilmington, Del., 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 23d day of April, 1885, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 21st day of October, 1884.

JOHN A. BENSON, *Administrator.*

Oct. 23, 1884—4t.

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, Md., of

JACOB BARKMAN,

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 3d day of April, 1885, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 30th day of September, 1884.

CLARISSA G. BARKMAN, Executrix

Oct. 2, 1884—4t.

SURVEYING.

CHARLES E. PERKINS,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

offers his services to those desiring lands surveyed or laid out. Will have the advice and assistance of his father, E. F. Perkins, formerly county surveyor. [July 31—y.

HARDWARE.

Having purchased the stock of Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, &c., of Mr. J. R. Clements, I intend continuing the business at the old stand; and hope I may be favored with the patronage of our former friends and the public generally. I shall keep on hand a full stock of everything in the Hardware line—and will sell at lowest prices. Give me a call.

W. A. WHEATLEY,

Sept. 11—tf. adj. Kent Nat. Bank

Large Public Sale

—OF—

Valuable Stock

—AND—

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

HAVING discontinued farming, I will offer at public sale the following valuable personal property at my residence one mile from Kennedyville, Kent county, Md., on

Wednesday, November 19, 1884.



8 HEAD OF HORSES,

No. 1.—ROB ROY, a handsome and well-bred stallion, 8 years old, dark bay, 16 hands high, without fault or blemish. A sure foal getter. With a little driving could be made very fast. Will pay six per cent on $5,000 yearly. Longer time than is named in terms of sale will be given on this horse if desired.

NO. 2—CONSUELLO, a blood bay, very stylish, without blemish. As a driver, has not his superior in the county. Will work anywhere.

NO. 3—DAN, bay. A perfect picture. Good driver and will work to anything.

NO. 4—BLACKIE, black mare, good and safe driver and splendid worker. Been bred to Rob Roy.

No. 5.—MADGE, young bay mare, splendid worker, with foal by Rob Roy.

No. 6.—KATE, bay mare, 16 hands high, extra driver, and very handsome, with foal by Rob Roy.

No. 7.—BILL, light bay, good worker and driver, is sound safe and reliable.

No. 8.—BOB, first class driver and worker, suitable for any purpose.

30 HEAD

young Durham cattle

HOME-RAISED STEERS and HEIFERS, most of them will be in condition to butcher on day of sale. Grain fed.

16 FAT HOGS,

6 SOWS WITH 43 PIGS BY THEIR SIDE;

26 SHOATS.

Pigs and Shoats all got by a Thoroughbred Jersey boar. All are well fatted.

Farming Utensils.

1 Drill, 1 Hench Riding Cultivator, 1 Buckeye Wheel Cultivator, 1 Wheel Corn Marker, 1 Spring-tooth Harrow on wheels, 1 Hagerstown Horse-rake, 1 Grain Fan, 2 good Farm Wagons, 1 Buckeye Reaper and Mower, 1 Farm Dearborn, 1 Top-buggy in good order, 1 No-top Buggy eliptic springs, 1 Family Carriage. The Family Carriage cost when new $400, and is now in perfect repair. 1 Sulkey, 1 Cider Mill and Press, horse power, capacity one barrel per hour. 4 sets of Wagon Harness, 1 set Double-carriage Harness, 1 set Single-carriage Harness, Plow Harness, Collars, Bridles, &c.

An Extra Large Farm Bell, an Automatic Stable Lamp, Plows, Harrows Cultivators, and all the varied utensils required to conduct a large farm.

Household & Kitchen Furniture,

consisting of Beds, Bed-steads, Carpets, &c. Stoves—1 Kitchen Range and 1 Kitchen Stove, both nearly new.

LOT OF POULTRY.

Numerous other articles not mentioned in this advertisement, but which will be exhibited on day of sale. No postponement on account of weather.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under the cash will be required. All sums over $10, a credit of ten months, on note with approved security, bearing interest from date.

L. C. JUSTIS, Jr.

C. W. Warren, Auct.

Spring Goods

—AT—

J. H. SIMPERS',

GLASS FRONT.

We have just received a large supply of spring goods, comprising in part

Dress Goods,

Percals, Ginghams, Calicoes, Muslins, Cassimere, Cottonades, Flannels, Cheviots, Victoria Lawn, Piques, Swiss, Nainsook.

A full variety of

Hosiery and Goves,

Hamburg Edging, Laces, Towels, Bed Spreads Shawls and Notions Generally.

SHOES

of all grades, from the cheapest to finest goods made to our order. Gent's and Boys' Calf English Ties, Congress Gaiters and Button Shoes. Ladies and Misses Pebble Button, Kid Button and Kid Fox Button Shoes, Children's Pebble Button, Kid Button and Solar Tipped Shoes.

Large assortment of Fine

Straw Hats.

for Men and Boys; also, common Straw Hats,

MATTING—Fancy, Check and White Matting to arrive.

CARPETS,

FLOOR & TABLE OIL CLOTH

GROCERIES,

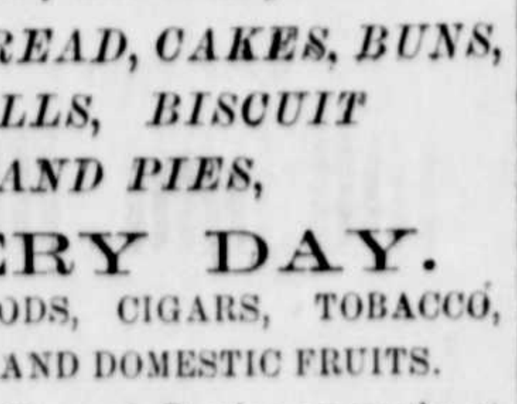
Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Spices, Tobacco, Segars, &c.

With a full line of goods put at lowest prices, we are prepared to sell at prices to compete with the lowest. A call solicited.

April 10. J. H. SIMPERS.

THE OLD STAND

Still Alive.



I am now ready to serve the public with

FRESH BREAD, CAKES, BUNS, ROLLS, BISCUIT AND PIES,

EVERY DAY.

CANNED GOODS, CIGARS, TOBACCO, FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Orders for Families and Parties promptly attended to; also, orders for Ice Cream taken.

Wm. H. Blakeney,

HUDGINS' OLD STAND, CROSS ST.

Chestertown, July 17—3m.

DAVID B. STEWART. GEORGE W. PERRY.

D. B. STEWART CO.,

General Commission Merchants

and Wholesale Dealers in

Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Live Stock, Poultry, Eggs, Dried Fruits, Canned Goods, &c., Southern Fruits and Vegetables a Specialty.

150 W. Pratt Street.

Orders for Sweet Potatoes, Aspinwal Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Produce generally, promptly filled. [Feb. 21.

Trustees' Sale

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE.

THE undersigned, under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Kent county, in Equity, will offer at public sale in front of the store room of B. B. Adkinson, Esq., at Edesville, in Kent county, Maryland, on

SATURDAY,

the 22d of November, 1884,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

THE REAL ESTATE.

of which James H. Edes, late, of Kent county, owned at the time of his death, consisting of a

FARM & A NUMBER of LOTS, &c

THE FARM

lies at or near said village of Edesville, in the Fifth Election District in said county, on the east side of the public road leading from said village into Piney Neck, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Sarah E. Page and others, and contains

145 Acres of Land,

MORE OR LESS.

The Farm is conveniently divided into fields, and under fair fencing. The soil is of good quality, well adapted to the growth of cereals, fruits, &c., and in good health, convenient to churches, schools, post office, &c., and very desirable as a residence.

The Improvements

ARE A NEW

2-Story Frame Dwelling



and all necessary out-building, in fair repair.

LOT No. 1

contains about ½ of an Acre of Land in said village, improved by a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING and Store Room, also, Granary, Carriage House and Stable. This is the best location in the village for a store, and desirable as a residence.

LOT No. 2,

10x16 feet, adjoining lot No. 1, and is improved by a Small One-Story Building, well suited for a shoe shop or barber shop.

LOT No. 3

adjoining lot No. 2, contains about ½ of an acre of land, is improved by a

TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING



and Kitchen, in good order; also, a Stable, Hay Loft, Carriage House and Meat House, in fair repair.

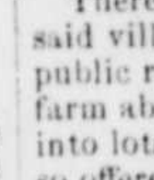
LOT No. 4

is situate near said village on the road leading from the Rock Hall road to the Piney Neck road, adjoining the property of William Wagner and others, contains about ½ of an ACRE of Land, and is improved by a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING and Kitchen, all in good order.

LOT No. 5

adjoins lot No. 4, contains about ½ of an ACRE of Land,

improved by a



FRAME DWELLING

of one and a-half story and a Shed Kitchen.

There is also a WOOD LOT lying at or near said village, and on the opposite side of the said public road leading into said neck, from the farm above described. This lot will be divided into lots suitable for building lots, and will be so offered at the sale.

This estate will be offered in parcels and as a whole and sold as the trustees may deem most advantageous to all the parties concerned.

A survey of the farm and lots will be made, and plats exhibited on the day of sale.

THE TERMS OF SALE

as prescribed by the decree are, one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale or in sixty days thereafter, at the option of the trustees; one-fourth in twelve months, one-fourth in two years and one-fourth in three years from the day of sale; the credit payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and payment threof to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with security to be approved by the trustees.

R. HYNSON,
JAS. A. PEARCE,
C. H. BAKER,

Oct. 30, 1884—tds. TRUSTEES.

Kent County.

STATEMENT

—OF—

Receipts and Disbursements

FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES,

—FOR THE—

Year ending September 30th, 1884.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 30th, 1883	$2424.47
State School Tax	7921.56
State Free School Fund	1644.62
County School Tax	16916.73
Oyster Licenses, white	270.75
Fines under Oyster Law	5.00
Old School House	50.40
State appropriation to col'd schools	3438.16
Oyster Licenses (colored)	38.00
	$32709.69

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers Salaries	$26660.26
Fuel	1100.25
Incidental Expenses	219.38
Rent	50.00
Books for indigent pupils	12.62
Building School Houses	710.28
Repairing	515.69
Furniture, Black-boards, &c	198.23
Sec., Treas. and Examiner	1200.00
Per diem of School Commissioners	290.80
Account Books	8.50
Printing and advertising	59.25
Colored Teachers' Salaries	2785.11
Col'd School Buildings	150.00
Fuel for Col'd Schools	400.46
Col' Schools, Incidentals	.72
Registers and Reports	60.35
Postage	19.74
Att'ys Fees and Com's	31.80
By-Laws	8.05
Delegates to State Associations	46.31
Donation " " "	10.00
Black-board Slating	20.50
School Lot and Survey	105.00
Overpaid by B. B. Adkinson	175.00
Magistrates' Fees	1.50
Balance cash on hand	3869.89
	$32709.69

On the first day of October, 1884, the following collectors of taxes were indebted, exclusive of interest:

*G. W. Jacoby	$300.00
*W. F. Roeder	850.00
	$1150.00

*Since Paid.

EBEN F. PERKINS,
Treas. School Board.

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL BOARD,
October 14, 1884.

We hereby certify that we have examined the aforegoing report of EBEN F. PERKINS, Treasurer of the Board of County School Commissioners of Kent County; and the books and papers with the vouchers upon which it is based, and find it correct.

R. W. JONES,
CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
JAMES A. PEARCE,

Oct. 16, 1884—3t. (N) Commissioners.

WHITE Wash Brushes, all sizes at low prices. J. H. SIMPERS

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.

Important to Parties Wanting to Buy

DRY GOODS.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS

Nos. 199, 201, and 203 Baltimore St.,

BALTIMORE,

Are LARGE RETAILERS, JOBBERS and IMPORTERS of

DRY GOODS.

Their stock embraces every class and description of Goods that can be named under that head. They do not keep any article in Stock that, though low-priced, would be worthless to the buyer at any price. They have been in business under the firm of HAMILTON EASTER & CO. or HAMILTON EASTER & SONS for FIFTY-FOUR YEARS. They do business honestly and fairly. The Price, in plain figures, is marked on every article. The most inexperienced buyer can deal with them and pay no more than any one else.

They show their goods freely, but do not solicit or press any one to buy.

Will send Samples when requested, on receiving plain instructions in regard to the goods required—about the Price wanted, Colors preferred, &c.

Being Regular IMPORTERS and LARGE PURCHASERS, they are in a position to buy their Goods on the best terms, and consequently can sell their Goods at Prices much to the advantage of purchasers.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS,

199, 201, 203 Baltimore Street.

Oct. 9, 1884—3m.

SPRING 1884.

E. W. F. Simpers.

Larger Room, Larger Stock, Low Prices

DRY GOODS.

4-4, 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,

April 3, 1884. Chestertown, Md.

COAL AND WOOD

Having laid in a full supply of the Best Quality of

WHITE ASH COAL

of various sizes.

We would call attention of all in need to give us a call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing. We are sure it will be to your interest. We keep also on hand a genuine article of

SOFT COAL

or blacksmiths' and threshing purposes. Try it

WOOD.

In Wood we can give entire satisfaction either long or sawed to suit. Hickory, Oak or Pine. All orders promptly attended to, and delivered at short notice.

Thankful for past favors. Give us a call

T. DEC. RUTH,
Chestertown, Md.
J. B. McINTIRE,

Oct. 9, 1884. AGENT.

T. J. MANN

Has Enlarged His Store,

and keeps on hand a Larger and More Complete Stock of Goods than formerly. His stock embraces not only

DRY GOODS

of all kinds,

HARDWARE, NOTIONS,

BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS,

WOOD and WILLOW-WARE, but New Orleans Molasses, the Best Syrups, Broiling Beef, Flour, Meal and Feed. Canned Goods a specialty. All goods will be sold at bottom prices for cash or trade.

T. J. MANN,

opposite Kent National Bank,

Feb. 8, 1883. Chestertown, Md.

Lime for Sale.

Having purchased

THE LIME KILN

at the Railroad Station at Chestertown, Md., formerly owned by Levi Fiddis, Jr., I am now prepared to sell either

Saked or Quicked Lime

for building purposes, at the following rates at the kiln: Slaked, 6c. per bushel: quick, 12c. per bushel. WM. PERKINS.

Oct. 20 1881.

HOPE H. BARROLL,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Chestertown, d.

Prompt attention to the collection of claims. Loans negotiated.

Office opposite the Court House, on Main St. next door to the store of T. W. Eliason, Jr.

Feb. 1, 1883.

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FOR THE HOLDAYS!

THE public are invited to call and examine our Large and Well Selected Stock of

Seaslonabe Goods,

SUCH AS

Candies, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Oranges, Lemons, Nuts of all kinds, Figs, Prunes, Plum Puddings, Canned Goods, Mince Meat, Cranberries, &c., and in fact everything kept in a first-class

Grocery and Confectionery Store,

together with a very fine line of choice

CIGARS AND TOBACCOS,

of which we always aim to keep the *very Best* on the market. All these goods now open for inspection. We aim to keep the best fresh goods, and by fair dealing and a disposition to please all, we hope to merit a continuance of the patronage so kindly granted us in the past.

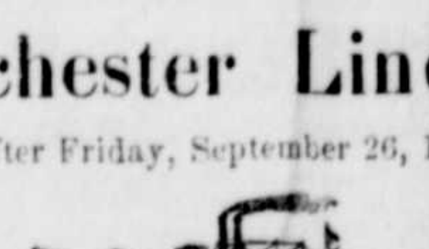
Very respectfully,

WM. H. LAMBERT.

FALL and WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

Tochester Line.

On and after Friday, September 26, 1884,



Steamer PILOT BOY

Will leave Tolchester at 9 A. M., and 4 30 P. M., on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Leave Baltimore, Pier 15, Light St., at 7.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

Passengers by this route have over three hours in Baltimore and return the same day.

Excursion Tickets (good day used) 50 cts.
" " " until used 75 "

Fare Each Way 40 cents.

For further information apply to

WM. C. ELIASON,
Pier 15 Light street, Baltimore.
CHARLES LLOYD, Tolchester Beach.

Sept. 25, 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.

J. ARMSTRONG. W. H. SPARKS.

ARMSTRONG & SPARKS,

LIQUOR DEALERS,

SALOON ATTACHED,

146 LIGHT ST. WHARF,

Baltimore, Md.

☞ Jugs and Demijohns a specialty. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

Feb. 28, 1884.

DR. T. H. COOPER,

HOMEOPATHIC,

Office Main street, opposite Voshell House, assisted by his brother.

Having permanetly located in Chestertown, can be found all day and evening at office, except otherwise professionally engaged.

Special attention given to women and children. June 21, 1883.

Compound Wine

—OF—

Peruvian Bark.

An efficient and agreeable preparation for the cure of chills.

Especially recommended as a tonic during the bilious season.

We have prepared this with great care, and believe it will do all that is claimed for it.

COLIN F. STAM, druggist.

Chster River Steamboat Company

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TO FARMERS AND SHIPPERS

With every facility we are now prepared receive GRAIN on consignment, or the highest CASH PRICE paid for the same by

J. R. CLEMENTS, AGENT,

July 6, 1882—tf. Chestertown Granary

INSECT POWDER.

DALMATIAN.

Guaranteed to exterminate Roaches, Ants and kindred Pests.

M. A. TOULSON,

March 27. Druggist

WE Give a China Cup and Saucer or Fancy Fruit Plate with every Pound of Henkle's Baking Powder; also, with Half-pound, a Fancy Cup and Saucer. The Baking Powder Guaranteed to be as Good as Any on the Market, or Money Refunded.

WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

PLOWS. PLOWS. PLOWS.

The ROLAND CHILLED PLOW, Nos. 43, 33, 23, 13, 133 and ORIOLE PLOWS, For sale by

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

CIGARS! CIGARS!!

Come and try our Edward Allen Poe CIGARS.

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March 27 Druggis

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 BLANKETS at $1.00 a pair; Our Blankets at 85 cts. a pair; Our BedComforts, large and heavy at 90 cts. at

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HIGHEST Market Price given for Country Produce, such as Butter, Eggs, Meat, Lard Chickens, &c., at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S

THE ROLAND FARM BELLS

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

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