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The Transcript

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 6, 1887.

—Hope H. Barroll and Richard D. Hynson, Esqs., two young attorneys of this town, were admitted to Court of Appeals on Monday, and argued the appeal case of Cahoon vs. Miers.

—The minstrel entertainments Thursday and Friday nights of last week drew large houses at Stam's Hall. It was generally pronounced the best minstrel show that has visited the town.

—Read the announcement of Messrs. Mabley & Carew, made elsewhere in this issue. Their splendid store is on the corner of Light and Baltimore streets, just up from the steamboat wharves.

—The October sitting of registrars closed Tuesday evening. The *Transcript* has not at hand for publication in this issue the results from all the districts, and cannot therefore give an accurate tabulated statement.

—John Minner, who has for some time past been 'tending bar for Terrence Carvin at Kenton, Del., cut his throat on Sunday night last. At last reports he was still living, but with small hopes of recovery. Minner is a younger brother of Mr. Wm. H. Minner formerly living in this county, and has relatives here. He would assign no reason for the act.

—At the tournament held at Cecilton last week, Kent county knights were well up in the lists, and Mr. W. B. Stephens captured the first prize of $60, after riding off a tie with G. M. Tayman, of Cecilton. Adam Diehl, Knight of Kent, took eight rings out of a possible nine, and John Duyer, Knight of Glencoe, took 7. When it comes to daring riding and skillful shooting, the Kent boys generally take the cake.

—Mr. Wm. H. Bowers a few days ago, while coming from Galena, had a runaway that might have resulted seriously had not Mr. Bowers been a strong man and his harness stout. Just below Gooding's Mill two colored men were seated on the steps of a house, with brass horns in their hands. As the horse got opposite them they blew a loud blast, evidently with the intention of frightening it. In this they succeeded, and the animal ran a mile or more before he could be stopped. Such practices should be properly punished.

—The circuit court for Kent county meets Monday week. It can never be told definitely beforehand whether or not a session will be long or short. From the trial docket, the indications would seem to be that the coming session will be a short one. It can never be told, however, exactly how much business a grand jury will develop. There are two serious criminal charges that will come before the grand jury, and possibly before the court. One of these will be the case of the young colored girl who is in jail charged with having poisoned her grandmother, near Millington last spring. The other is that of the colored boy charged with having caught another and, having carried him to the edge of a wharf and dropped him over in deep water, by which act the boy dropped overboard was drowned.

—County commissioners met Tuesday, Oct. 4, full board present.

The board cancelled a contract with Whittington & Huey for a wooden bridge over Cypress Branch, and executed the same contract with I. N. Huey. The bridge is to cost $360.

Application from Daniel Hill in behalf of his daughter, Jennie M. Hill, for admission into the Maryland Institution for the Blind was certified under the law by the board for such admission.

The application of Miles M. Culver, recommended by Dr. Wm. F. Hines, was considered and an order passed entitling him to the county's free bed in the Maryland Hospital.

Board was further engaged in examining and passing accounts, &c.

—Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1887—Present, Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens.

Letters of administration on personal estate of John F. Whittington, were granted unto Mrs. Francis M. Whittington, Sam'l Key and Richard D. Hynson, who filed their bond; A. F. Huey and C. S. Hurlock were appointed to appraise the estate.

Letters of administration on personal estate of John W. Ireland, were granted unto Mary R. Ireland, and J. Herman Ireland, who filed their bond; D. J. Nowland and R. C. Morgan were appointed to appraise estate.

Wm. M. Slay and M. A. Clothier, admrs. of E. S. Clothier, returned additional accounts of sales.

The last will and testament of Sarah L. Warran was admitted to probate.

The last will of Joseph Riley was admitted to probate.

Rich. D. Hynson and John C. Sutton, admrs. of Mary A. Sutton, passed their first admin. accounts.

Emma A. Stradley, as executrix of Benj. M. Stradley, passed her second and final admin. account.

Washington College.

The College opened last week with more than usually favorable promise. There are forty-six students already entered, and it is believed that this number will be materially increased within the next few weeks. The present faculty are all young men, and may be expected to put enthusiasm and energy into the building up of the school. There are matters under consideration by the faculty and board of visitors which will probably shortly be put into practical shape, and which it is believed will aid very considerably in strengthening the position of the school with the public, and also increase its working effectiveness. The principal, Mr. Williams, comes with the reputation of being not alone an educator of experience and abilities, but also of possessing practical ideas as to the general business connected with managing a school. Prof. Micou also has high credentials as a gentleman of scholarly attainments. Mr. Watts, the youngest of the faculty, is a graduate of the college, and is very well known in this community as an uncommonly bright young man, and as possessing industrious habits and scholarly tastes. Work for the school year has fairly begun, all the various classes being organized.

Capt. Willson Resigns.

James B. Willson, captain of the oyster police boat Mary Compton, has tendered his resignation to the Board of Public Works. Capt. Willson has made an efficient and zealous officer, and his retirement will be a loss to the force. Mr. Willson's reasons for retiring are that his business interests would suffer by his continuance in command of the boat. The Board of Public Works have as yet taken no action in the case, and who will be appointed as captain of the Compton is not yet known.

Personal Notes.

Miss Rosalie Mitchell, formerly of this county, who is making a trip abroad engaged in art studies, sends the following notes from Edinburgh to the *Transcript*, on a British postal card: "I find Scotland most charmingly picturesque. I spent yesterday, September 18th, out at the ruined castle Craigmillar—seat of the Prestons. It has been a famous stronghold, is now a noble ruin. Walls 14 feet in thickness. Ivy reaches to highest battlements. Favorite resort for tourists. I made several sketches of it and an old cottage near. I attended famous Church of St. Giles. It is the established form of worship in Scotland. Very beautiful cathedral, with its stained windows and massive pillars. From the top of each inside are the battle flags of soldiers who have died in service abroad. Many tablets in brass are on each column commemorative of the deeds of Scotland's braves who fell in Indian and African campaigns. The flags are torn and riddled with bullets. John Knox preached in this church. I start to-day for London. Will stop at Melrose Abbey, noted as the home of Sir Walter Scott."

New Advertisements.

The following new advertisements appear in this issue:

Sheriff's election notice.
Mabley & Carew's fall announcement.
Notice to creditors of J. W. Ireland, deceased.
Notice to creditors of J. F. Whittington, deceased.
The holding of temperance convention on the 12th inst.
The "arm-locked bed spring."
J. H. Simpers' fall announcement.
F. J. Carter's change of location.
Advertisement of George H. C. Neal.
Jos. Turner's lumber adv.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

A Ticket Placed in the Field Quietly and Harmoniously.

The Democratic convention for nominating a ticket met at 11.30 o'clock on Tuesday. Five delegates from each district made up the assemblage. The meeting was called to order by Wm. S. Walker, chairman of the State Central Committee. Thomas J. Shallcross was nominated for chairman, and by a unanimous vote was elected to preside over the convention. Upon nomination Chas. L. Dodd was elected secretary. The chairman appointed the following committee on credentials:

1st district, Noble E. Pennington; 2d district, James W. Hurtt; 3d district, John W. Ivens; 4th district, T. W. Russell, 5th district, B. F. Beck. The committee retired, and shortly reported the following delegates entitled to seats:—

1st District. Wm. A. Hyland, Wm. E. Staats, Thos. C. Roe, Noble E. Pennington, Dr. B. D. Evans.

2d District. Garrett Foxwell, J. W. Hurtt, T. J. Shallcross, I. R. Starkey, William Archibald.

3d District. Jas. T. Ireland, Jno. W. Ivens, Geo. W. Rodenhizer, R. C. Smyth, Dr. Wm. B. Turner.

4th District. T. Waters Russell, Stephen Lecates, Jos. A. Henry, J. M. J. Byron, Chas. L. Dodd.

5th District. Benj. F. Beck, Thos. C. Maslin, Rich. B. Wilson, Jr., Edgar H. Strong, Geo. E. Leary.

The report of committee on credentials was accepted, and nomination of candidates being in order, T. W. Russell placed before the convention the name of Jas. S. Harris, of the third district. The nomination was seconded, and Mr. Harris was made the choice of the convention by a unanimous vote. When the call came for nominations for House of Delegates, Jas. W. Hurtt nominated L. C. Justis and John Brice. A vote was taken as follows: John Brice on first ballot received 25, L. C. Justis 15, and the first and fifth districts cast a complimentary vote to Mr. Josiah Massey. On second ballot Justis and Brice were declared the nominees by a unanimous vote.

George W. Jacoby was next nominated for sheriff, and received 17 votes, 7 complimentary votes being cast for Samuel H. Crawford and one for James C. Roseberry. On the second ballot Jacoby was declared the nominee by a unanimous vote of the convention.

Marion deK. Smith was nominated for State's Attorney by a unanimous vote of the convention.

When the point in the proceedings for nomination of county commissioners was reached the following names were placed before the convention:

1st district. John F. Ernest; 2d dist., Edw. W. Hepbron; 3d dist., Sam'l F. Cooper; 4th dist., Wm. Morris; 5th dist., John Dickinson. All were unanimously nominated.

Wm. S. Walker, Dr. Sam'l G. Fisher and Rich. F. Moffett were nominated by a unanimous vote as candidates for Judges of the Orphans' Court.

H. H. Gresham was unanimously nominated for county surveyor.

The convention adjourned until half past 2 o'clock, at which hour the meeting opened again, and was called to order by the chairman. It was moved and seconded that the old County Ex. Com. be continued. The names constituting the committee were read as follows:

1st District—J. Fletcher Wilson, C. O. Cacy, Isaac Gibbs, Thos. E. Roe, Noble E. Pennington.

2d District—Dennis J. Nowland, C. W. Spry, Wm. J. Hurlock, G. O. Roder, Wm. Fletcher Wilson.

3d District—R. C. Smyth, W. R. Gale, W. W. Rasin, Geo. W. Rodenhizer, Jno. W. Ivens.

4th District—Wm. S. Walker H. H. Barroll, J. M. J. Byron, Colin F. Stam, John W. Loud.

5th District—E. R. Strong, E. H. Strong, Geo. E. Leary, Harry Francis, W. M. Miller.

T. Waters Russell made a motion that the chairman, Wm S. Walker, have the power to call the committee to organization whenever it is thought proper to do so. The motion was seconded and carried. The convention adjourned *sine die*.

THE PRIMARIES.

The contention in each of the districts at the primary on Saturday was without any marked ill-feeling. The candidates who received the nomination on Tuesday, carried not only a majority of the districts, but were also endorsed by a popular majority in their county. Following is a tabulated statement of the vote as cast for each candidate whose name appeared upon the ticket:

	Districts					
SENATE:	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	Tot'l
Harris,	245	280	258	318	406	1507
HOUSE OF DELEGATES:						
Brice,	194	195	184	240	317	1130
Justis,	137	198	180	216	146	875
Massey,	186	106	89	142	249	772
STATE'S ATTORNEY:						
Smith,	288	280	252	316	374	1510
ORPHAN'S COURT:						
Walker,	285	278	247	316	346	1472
Fisher,	284	278	250	319	403	1534
Moffett,	267	275	241	307	364	1454
SHERIFF:						
Jacoby,	192	141	9	240	82	564
Roseberry,	12	122	112	70	19	335
Crawford,	82	12	128	19	212	453
Mullen,	1	5	2	3	11	
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:						
Ernest,	260					
Hepbron,		280				
Cooper,			155			
Crew,			88			
Morris,				295		
Dickinson,					233	
Calder,					171	

Democratic County Tickets in the Eastern Maryland Counties.

The Democratic party in all the Eastern Maryland counties now have their tickets in the field, and below is given the composition of the ticket in each of the counties:

In Cecil the Democratic ticket is as follows:

For House of Delegates—Dr. R. C. Mackall, Michael Moore, S. J. Caldwell.
For County Commissioners—Frank W. Jefferson, Wm. Benjamin, Henry D. Keen.
For State's Attorney—Wm. S. Evans.
For Sheriff—Benjamin P. Hanson.
For Judges of the Orphans' Court—David P. Davis, James McCauley, James M. Evans.

In Queen Anne's the following is the ticket:

State Senate—John B. Brown.
House of Delegates—James Roe, John B. Thomas, John T. Norman.
For Clerk—William Dever.
State's Attorney—Philemon B. Hopper.
Sheriff—Saulsbury Seny.
County Commissioners—John L. Spry, George Davidson, James E. Cockey.
Orphans' Court—John Dodd, James R. Sudler, Edwin S. Valliant.

The following is the Democratic ticket that will make the fight in Talbot this fall:

For State's Attorney—Wm. E. Stewart.
For House of Delegates—Thomas K. Robson, Wm. Collins, P. Addison Morgan.
For Judges Orphans' Court—Ormond Hammond, Jerome B. Bennett, Lewis C. Smith.
For County Commissioners—James E. McDaniel, Robert R. Butler, Joseph B. Harrington.
For Sheriff—John S. Sullivan.

In Caroline the Democratic party has put up the following ticket:

For State's Attorney—Henry R. Lewis.
For House of Delegates—James C. Horsey, Elon S. Hobbs.
For County Commissioners—Wm. E. Lord, John Dailey, John W. Thawley.
For Judges Orphans' Court—Ernest Downes, Wm. E. Liden, Albert W. Sisk.
For Sheriff—R. Kemp Williams.
For Surveyor—Theophilus W. Smith.

In Wicomico, the home of Maryland's next Governor, Hon. Elihu E. Jackson, the following county ticket will back the Governor:

For State Senate—E. Stanley Toadvin.
For House of Delegates—Thos. W. H. White, Walter C. Mann, C. C. Parker.
For State's Attorney—T. F. J. Rider.
For Judges of the Orphans' Court.—Geo. A. Bounds, Benj. B. Gordy, Levin M. Dashiell.
For County Commissioners—Randolph Humphreys, Lambert H. Cooper, Levin J. Dashiell, Geo. W. Mezick, Wm. A. Holloway.

The Worcester Democracy will make the fight with the following ticket:

For House of Delegates—George M. Upshur, Francis H. Purnell, Lemuel W. Onley.
For State's Attorney—Wm. S. Wilson.
For Sheriff—Uriah F. Shockley.
For Judges Orphans' Court—Dr. Chas. P. Jones, Elijah B. Carey, Major T. Hall.
For County Commissioners—Charles H. Coulbourn, Major W. Pilchard, Charles Bishop, Edwin A. Mariner, John B. Dale.

In Somerset, the ticket stands as follows:
State Senator—Hon. Robert F. Brattan,
House of Delegates—George T. Rowe, George W. Howeth, Robert F. Maddox.
Sheriff—Alexander Laird.
States Attorney—Joshua W. Miles.
County Commissioners—William C. Coulbourne, Elijah D. Reid, Sidney R. Riggin.
Orphans' Court—Burton C. Gibbons, C. W. Marsh, William R. Carew.
Surveyor—Thomas Williams.

Kent Fair Premium List.

The following is a list of premiums awarded at the Kent fair, with the exception of the awards in fruits, vegetables and table delicacies, which were published in the foregoing issue of the *Transcript*:

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

Best crochet tidy, in cotton, Mrs. Wm. S. Walker; 2d best do, embroidered table cover, Miss Nelie Walker; best crochet counterpane, Miss Helen Welch; 2d do., Mrs. H. Strong; best silk crazy quilt, Mrs. Wm. P. Norris; 2d do, Mrs. Alfred Perkins; best worsted afghan, Mrs. W. B. Trew; 2d do., Mrs. W. G. Trew; best knit counterpane, Mrs. E. W. F. Simpers; 2d do, Mrs. M. J. Wilmer; best silk crazy cushion, Miss Maggie Hill; 2d do, same; best worsted rug, Mrs. T. A. Hulme; 2d do, Mrs. J. W. Corey; best crochet mats, Miss Alice Crew; best crochet worsted lace, Miss Dolly Crew; table cover, silk embroidered, Miss Beulah Crew; tidy, silk embroidered, same; lambrequin, arasene, Miss Madge Wethered; knit shoulder cape, Mrs. Bell Newman; hand-made collar, same; hand-made shirt, same; machine-made shirt, same; crochet infant's sack, Miss Helen Welch, 2d do, Mrs. Henry Brown; best linen pillow shams, Miss Helen Welch; braided do, Miss Daisy Welch; drawn net, do, Mrs. Belle Newman; worsted pincushion, Mrs. Dr. Turner; best collection of fancy braid, Miss Mana Parsons; hand-made apron, same; 2d do, Miss Bessie Brown; best samples of lace, Miss Alieda Stephens; samples linen lace, Miss Ellen Fisher; collection of lace, Mis Alieda Stephens; silk lace, same; worsted lace, same; feather-edge braid, Miss Georgie Baker; crochet silk infants' socks, Miss Alieda Stephens; embroidered table napkins, same; painted piano cover, Miss Hette Jacobs; embroidered shoe bag, Mrs. Wm. P. Norris; silk mittens, same; crochet shawl, same; dried grasses, same; embroidered splasher, Miss Mollie Nowland; drawn handkerchief, Mrs. Dr. Maxwell; crochet worsted socks, knit woolen hoes, knit sack, Mrs. S. H. Thomson; silk pinchushion arasene, banner kensington painting, embroidered slippers, Miss Ida Crew; sofa pillow embroidered, set underwear with crochet trimming, Mrs. Alfred Perkins; crochet dress trimming, Miss Lou Thomas; crochet mittens, Mrs. G. B. McWhorter; banner in ribbon and arasene, stand scarf, Mis Cora Moffett; quilt done by a lady over 70 years old, Mrs. J. T. Palmatary; painted table scarf, Miss Shallcross; embroidered pillow shams, Miss Annie Enler; worsted quilt, silk quilt, calico quilt, darning, crochet shoulder cape, Miss R. J. Trew; embroidered shirt, Miss Minnie Trew; 2d do, Mrs. Monrowe; best embroi'd afghan for a child, Miss Minnie Trew; crazy cushion in arasene, lambrequin applique, Mrs. Walter Hurlock; knit cotton hose, Mrs. E. S. Chapman; buttonholes, Miss Jennie Holton; knit slippers, Mrs. Monrowe; knit mittens, Mrs. T. Skirven; oil painting: Miss Emma Wilson; 2d do, and best milk stool, Mrs. Treadway; best crayon drawing, Miss Madge Wethered.

DISCRETIONARY PREMIUMS.

Best quilt, silk and plush, Mrs. Estelle Mitchell; silk crazy quilt, Mrs. Dr. Maxwell; 2d do, Prof. A. E. Twiford; best embroidered stockings, Miss Ella Fisher; rickrack tidy, Miss Beulah Crew; Brussels lace, Miss Madge Wethered; crochet toboggan, Mrs. Belle Newman; crochet tam o'shanter, Miss Sadie Burgess; out-lined laundry bag, Miss Charlotte Hulme; worsted crazy quilt, Mrs. T. A. Hulme; hem-stitched handkerchief, Miss Anna Welch; silk embroidered handkerchief, Miss M. Comegys; macremi hand bags, Mr. Mr. August Hahm; drawn table scarf; Miss Lou Snyder; embroidered table scarf on canvas, Mrs. S. A. Goff; apron and lace, Mrs. Finelli; macreme stand cover, Mrs. Mary Parsons; card of stuffed birds, collection of coocoons, Miss Sadie Thomas; crochet shirt. Mrs. J. Clandaniel; rickrack pillow shams, Miss Cora Moffett; lamoise vase, painted, Mrs. Brewington; sunflower-pincushion, Mrs. Henry Crown; knit marble bags, Mrs. Mathiot, hemstitched and out-lined apron, Miss Minnie Trew; transferred handkerchief, Mrs. Burgess; slumbering robe, Mrs. Monrowe.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

Best button holes, Janie Cooper; crochet lace, Lydia Norris; rick-rack, Grace Parsons: crochet mats, paper flowers, dried grasses, Lydia Norris; crochet tidy, Minnie Hudson; dressed doll, Daisy Crew; pin cushion, Martha Plummer; rug, Hirons Clifton; painting, Harry Simpers; bread, Lizzie Brown; 2d do., Lydia Norris; best biscuit, Katie Parsons; 2d do., Lydia Norris; best hand made apron, same; 2d do., Janie Cooper; best collection cake, sample cocoanut cake, chocolate, and fancy cake, Lizzie E. Sappington; best crab apple jelly, Sallie Brown; 2d do., Mary Hulme; best grape jelly, Sallie Brown; 2d do., Mary Hulme; best pear jelly, Sallie Brown; whisk holder, Lucy Crew; crochet hood, Elma Rasin home-made candy, Katie Benjamin; table scarf, Martha Plummer; crochet tidy, Katie Parsons; stocking bay, key rack, Clare Vannort; outline splasher, Martha Plummer; 2d. do., Clare Vannort; best tidy in crazy work, Clare Vannort; outline tidy, Lizzie Brown; 2d do., Sallie Brown; best pop-corn, Joe. Watson; hand-made tidy, decorated plaque, Lydia Norris; pickled tomatoes, Lizzie Brown; hairpin lace, Alice Tredway; scrap book, Maude Ringgold; collection of insects, Hirons Clifton; 2d do., Charlie Skirven; best collection of minerals, Hirons Clifton.

CLASS A—HORSES.

Quick Draft Horses.—Best colt 1 y'r old, 1st premium Dr. T. H. Cooper; best mare and colt by side, 1st prem. W. W. Stephens; best colt 2 yrs. old, 1st premium do.; best gelding, 1st premium W. J. Vannort; best stallion, Lankford, 1st prem. do.

Heavy Draft Horses.—Best colt 1 year old, 1st prem. W. W. Duyer; best gelding, 1st premium E. W. Hepbron; best stallion, Prince Royal, 1st premium do.

Horses, General Utility.—Best colt 1 year old, 1st premium Frank Shinn; best colt 2 years old, 1st premium W. J. Tarbutton; best mare and colt by her side, 1st premium Harry Casey; best stallion, Messenger, T. E. W. Crew.

Drivers and Saddle Horses.—Best single driver, 1st premium W. B. Stephens, 2d best J. M. J. Byron; best double team, S. Vannort, 2d best Joe Duyer; best saddle horse, T. E. W. Crew, 2d best C. H. Hurlock.

Special Premiums, Offered by J. W. Hines for Young Smuggler Colts under 15 Months Old.—Best colt, 6 months old, 1st premium W. W. Stephens; 2d best do, A. Corey; 3d best, Dr. T. H. Cooper.

CLASS B—CATTLE.

Shorthorn, Not Registered.—Best bull 2 years old, 1st premium W. Newcome.

Alderneys, Registered.—Best bull 3 years old, 1st premium James H. Baker; best cow 5 years old, 1st premium do.; best heifer 2 years old, 1st premium do.

Alderneys, Not Registered.—Best bull 3 years old, 1st premium James H. Baker; best cow calf 1 year old, 1st premium do.; best bull under 1 year old, 1st premium do.; best cow 7 years old, 1st premium do.; best heifer 2 years old, 1st premium do.; best herd, first premium do.

Herefords, Registered.—Best bull 4 years old, John Gale.

Herefords, Not Registered.—Best heifer calf under one year old. 1st premium John Gale; best cow 5 years old, 1st premium do.; best heifer 2 years old, 1st premium do.; best heifer 1 year old, 1st premium do.; best bull 1 year old, 1st premium do.; best herd, first premium do.

"Dutch Belt."—Best cow 3 years old, 1st premium S. Lecates; best calf under 1 year old, 1st premium do.

Holstein, Registered.—Best bull 2 years old, 1st premium Wm. H. Stewart; best cow 3 years old, 1st premium do.; best calf under 1 year old, 1st premium do.; best heifer 1 year old, 1st premium do; best heifer 2 years old, 1st premium do.; best herd, 1st premium do.; best pen of 5 calves, diploma do.; best milch cow, 1st premium do.

Work Oxen.—Best yoke Lucas Alrich.

Grades or Natives.—Best cow 10 years old, 1st premium Jos. Porter; best bull 2 years old, 1st premium do.

Fat Cattle.—Best fat cow, John Gale.

CLASS C—SHEEP.

Shropshiredowns.—Best buck, 1st premium Walter R. Hudson; best pen of ewes, James H. Baker.

Southdowns.—Best buck, 1st premium, John Gale; best pen ewes, do.

Grades.—Best pen of lambs, 1st premium James H. Baker; best pen ewes, 1st premium do.

CLASS D—HOGS.

Chester Whites.—Best sow and boar, 1st premium James H. Baker; best pen of pigs 4 months old, do.

Jersey Reds.—Best pen of pigs, 1st premium W. J. Tarbutton.

Berkshire.—Best boar 1 year old, 1st premium Jos. Porter; best sow 1 year old, 1st premium do.

CHICKENS AND OTHER BIRDS.

Thomas Bowers, best pair white Poland bantams; B. F. Shinn, best pigeons; Jos. Watson, 2d best pigeons; C. C. Brown & Bro., best pair light Brahma, best pair dark Brahma, best pair Plymouth Rock, best pair Wyandotte, 2d best pair Langshans, best pair white Plymouth Rock, best pair white Leghorn, 2d best pair white Wyandotte, 2d best pair Pekin ducks, best pair Aylesburg, best pair brown Leghorn, best pair Golden Seabright Lantams, best collection of poultry; Frank Crow, best collection Pekin ducks; Mrs. W. H. Stewart, best pair Leghorn; J. Allie Thomas, best pair white bantams.

CLASS I—IMPLEMENTS.

W. P. Norris, 1st premium on Empire grain and phosphate drill, Sheldon wheat and hay rake, horse yoke; W. S. Trew, Jem City disk harrow; Elliott & Brice, corn-planter, bag-holder and truck, feed mill, harrow, engine and thresher; Chas. S. York, Kirkwood wind engine, Gould's force and lift pump.

Carriages.—E. K. Copper, 1st premium on side bar no-top buggy; Nobe Geares, 1st premium on Dayton wagon; Chapman & Lambert, 1st premium on side bar top buggy; Chapman & Lambert, 1st premium on Duplex wagon for farm use.

Wanamaker on Advertising.

"I never in my life use such a thing as a poster, or dodger, or hand-bill. My plan for fifteen years has been to buy so much space in a newspaper and fill it up with what I wanted. I would not give an advertisement in a newspaper of four hundred circulation for 5,000 dodgers or posters. I lay aside the profits of a particular line of goods for advertising purposes—the first year I laid aside $3,000; last year I laid aside and spent $40,000. I have done better this year and shall increase that sum as the profits warrant it. I owe my success to the newspapers, and to them I shall freely give a certain profit of my yearly business."

Peninsula Notes.

A correspondent of the Wilmington *Morning News* writes from Milford,—"This year the Milford evaporators, notwithstanding the high price that the green fruit commanded, put out at least 120 tons of dried peaches, valued roughly at not less than $50,000. These evaporators, of which there are a score or more in the vicinity, are a great advantage to the fruit-growers of Milford. They do away with gluts and provide a sure market. When the peach crop is excessive or the markets become glutted from other sources these evaporators are run in full blast, and this year they could have consumed the entire crop, if it had been necessary. Then, too, they use up all the poor qualities of fruit. Culls are carefully saved by the Milford grower, for he always finds a market for them with the evaporator. This year green peaches averaged 85 cents a basket, which is about twice as much as the evaporators had been accustomed to pay for it, but they consumed, nevertheless, about 60,000 baskets. An ordinary peach crop pays better at 25 cents a basket than wheat does at $1 a bushel."

The Dover fair had a remarkably bad run of weather. The first day, however, the attendance was estimated at something like 20,000.

Lewis Buchanan, a well-to-do retired farmer, residing in Elkton, was inveigled into a tent on the circus grounds last week and after watching a game of three-card monte which was in progress there, went to the bank and drew $750, with which he returned to the tent and bet the entire amount on the turn of a card. The monte men claimed that they had won and grabbed up the money. By threatening to arrest the sharpers he succeeded in getting back $600, leaving him $150 out. Mr. Buchanan sent for Bailiff King to arrest the men, but afterwards changed his mind.

Probably the oldest man on the Peninsula is John Smith, of L., living about eleven miles southwest of Dover, near Thomas' Chapel. He is 106 years old, never wore glasses in his life, has perfect eyesight, attends to his own business affairs, and last week before he came to Dover to attend to some business with his lawyer, pulled 300 sheaves of blades, seemingly suffering no ill effect from his violent exertion. He has not a tooth in his head but can eat anything that is set before him, his only ailment being a weak back.—*Dover Index.*

Talbot county has a local law, like Kent, awarding 50 cents per head for hawks killed in the county. On Tuesday of last week the commissioners paid $461.50 for 983 hawks killed on Saturday in Bay Hundred district. When all the returns of the day's hawk-shooting are in the number will be brought up to 2,000. On the previous Saturday flocks of thousands of hawks, coming from the south, poured into that section and swooped down on farms and poultry yards. The inhabitants stopped all other business and went to shooting hawks. Many more would have been killed, but the neighborhood's supply of gunpowder became exhausted. In the evening the hawks again gathered together in flocks and moved off up the bay. Such an invasion of the birds was never before known in that section. One citizen thinks the hawks numbered a million or more.

Noble McCaslin, a day laborer of Wicomico county, was found recently standing in an upright position in the Wicomico river, dead. Dr. George W. Truitt was summoned and examined the body. No mark of violence could be discovered. He had evidently walked off the wharf during the night. He held his pipe in his left hand and his tobacco in his right. He was probably intoxicated.—*Denton Union.*

A daring attempt was made to rob the Delaware Bank, at New Castle, Del., early last Friday morning. Four masked men entered the dwelling attached to the bank, gagged Mr. Cook, the cashier's brother-in-law, and proceeded with their operations, until interrupted by Cashier Cooper, who shot one of the burglars and succeeded in frightening the other men off.

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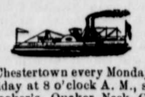

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