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EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

Democratic Primaries.

Democratic Primary Meetings will be held at the usual places of voting in the several election districts of Kent county, at 2 o'clock P. M., on SATURDAY, the 5th day of MAY, 1888, to elect five delegates for each election district to meet in convention in Chestertown on Thuesday, May 8th, at 11 o'clock A. M., to elect three delegates to represent Kent county in the Democratic State Convention called to meet in Baltimore on Thursday, May 10th, at 12 M., for the purpose of electing two delegates from each congressional district and four delegates from the State at large to the National Democratic Convention, to be held in St. Louis, June 5, 1888, to nominate candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States; and for the nomination of electors for President and Vice-President. The said county convention will also elect three delegates to represent Kent county in the convention to be held in Denton, on Thursday, May 24, 1888, at 12 o'clock M., to nominate a candidate for Congress from the First Congressional District.

SAMUEL BECK,
J. F. NICHOLSON,
C. S. HURLOCK,
State Central Committee for Kent County.

GEORGE T. MELVIN, ESQ., has purchased full control of the Annapolis *Republican*. The *Republican* is a Democratic paper, and is the leading paper published at the State capital. Mr. Melvin is a bright newspaper man, of Eastern Shore origin. Such being such, we wish him and his paper an extended prosperity.

A. S. ABELL, the founder and proprietor of the Baltimore *Sun*, died Thursday of last week. For fifty years Mr. Abell watched and directed the growth in power and influence of the *Sun*, and lived to see it one of the great newspapers of the United States. He leaves it to his sons, a great and influential journal.

THE will of Mr. A. S. Abell of the Baltimore *Sun* has been placed on probate. It makes numerous small bequests. The *Sun* newspaper and printing business is left to his three sons, Edwin F. Abell, George W. Abell and Walter R. Abell, as tenants in common. The remainder of his estate is left to his eight children, five girls and three boys, share and share alike. Some reports have estimated the estate as exceeding twelve millions.

HAVE you heard the news from Louisiana? The N. Y. *Sun*,—anti-Cleveland paper,—has been figuring Louisiana as doubtful for the Democrats. Indeed, there has been a strong tendency to place Louisiana among the protective States. But concerning the recent election even the *Sun* says,—

"Four years ago the Democratic majority was 40,000. Since then it has been reduced to 18,000. But now it is variously estimated at from 65,000 to 100,000, and we observe that one correspondent sets it at the enormous figure of 120,000. That would make Texas look to her laurels as the banner bearer of the Democratic party."

Death of A. S. Abell—Founder of "The Sun."

Arunah S. Abell died shortly after three o'clock Thursday morning at his residence, corner Charles and Madison streets, Baltimore, in the 82d year of his age. He had suffered from no organic or special complaint, but died of general failure of vital powers. He had been losing strength for some time past, but never gave up. For the last two weeks he had been confined to his room, but got up each morning and dressed as usual, just as if he was going out.

Less than a month ago he was at the *Sun* office in his usual spirits, and drove out several times recently before being confined to his room. Mr. Abell Wednesday evening was fully himself in all save physical ability. His mind remained clear to the last. He went to bed about 9.30 o'clock and slept until about 2 o'clock next morning, when he roused up and complained of shortness of breath and a general feeling of oppression.

After a short time this feeling of oppression passed off and he composed himself to resume sleep, requesting the gas to be turned low, and was apparently fully relieved from the trouble which had disturbed his sleep. In a short time, however, he became unconscious and sank without pain into what appeared to be a slumber, but which was in reality the beginning of death, and he passed away in this gentle manner at 3.05 o'clock.

Some 52 years ago the firm of Swain, Abell & Simmons founded the Philadelphia *Ledger*, and shortly after the Baltimore *Sun*; two great daily papers which persistently held the lead in their respective cities.

The *Sun* was successful from the start. In less than three months it had attained a greater circulation than the *Ledger* in nine months, and within a year circulated more than twice as many copies as the oldest newspaper in Baltimore. The original quarters, on Light street, near Mercer, soon became too contracted, and on the 16th of February, 1839, the office was removed to the southeast corner of Gay and Baltimore streets. On the 13th of September, 1851, the present *Sun* Iron Building was occupied for the first time. The property was purchased December 22, 1860, by Mr. Abell, who in 1864 sold his interest in the Philadelphia *Ledger*, and four years later became the sole proprietor of the *Sun*.

On May 17th of last year the *Sun* celebrated its 50th birthday. On the day of the anniversary, Mr. Abell associated with himself as co-partners his sons, Edwin F., George W. and Walter R., and retired from the active management.

No Answer to It.

Madison (Wis.) Democrat.

When Mr. Mills, who has charge of the Tariff bill, drove home the income tax spike the defenders of protective tariff for trusts must have felt as if they would like to creep through a knothole in the floor. Mr. Mills said:

"Congress had imposed a tax on income to help carry on the war, and there were 460,170 people in the United States in 1866 that had $707,000,000 of net income upon which they were assessed a duty which brought into the Treasury in 1886 $22,000,000. But that tax had gone. It was a tax on wealth. It was said to be inquisitorial in its nature. It was said to be oppressive. This tax was swept away, but the war tax on clothing, upon food and upon labor still remained."

That was a tax upon labor—wealth protected by the government—but that was oppressive. The tax has been kept up on the farmer, mechanic and workingman for twenty years since the tax upon wealth was repealed. It has been kept up so high and so long that all the public debt that can be paid is paid, and the tax rolls into the treasury faster than Congress can waste it on all sorts of jobs. Wealth, monopoly, trusts fatten on the protection this tax affords, and still the monopolies and trusts oppose any reduction of the tax upon the people. There is not in all history anything more infamous than this which goes right on where the people have votes.

THERE is another Richmond in the field for Congressional honors from this district. Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., of Kent, has been named through the Kent county papers. Mr. Vickers is a son of Senator Vickers, is one of the leading lawyers of Chestertown, and would make an able and conscientious representative should he receive the stroke of the political lightning so many are targets for. The aspirants are about ten times greater than the demand. It is conceded that Mr. Vickers will carry Kent. This may somewhat complicate affairs when the convention meets, as Kent was conceded to Hon. Charles H. Gibson, present incumbent, should there be no local aspirants.—*Centreville Record.*

The Claim of Sherman's Lieutenants Disputed.

From the Philadelphia Record.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The claim put forth by some of Sherman's more enthusiastic lieutenants that he already has 312 delegates to the Republican Convention is based upon their expectations of support from the Southern delegations. They expect to get almost every Southern vote. It is needless to say that this expectation is laughed at. Despite the efforts of Canaday and other agents of Sherman, there is a division in almost every Southern delegation. The anti-Sherman men are in a majority apparently in several of the States. Four out of the nine North Carolina districts are against Sherman, and the others are not strongly for him. Canaday will find it difficult to go to the convention as a delegate from North Carolina. There is a strong Gresham movement in Mississippi and a Harrison movement in Tennessee, where Harrison has a brother and other influential relatives. In Virginia the Republicans are split in two. Mahone favoring Sherman and Riddleberger and John S. Wise opposing him. Sherman's utmost strength at this time, according to a careful estimate made to-day by an expert politician, does not exceed 200 votes, and probably falls below those figures.

Mr. Thurman's Gift and Advice.

From the Chicago Mail.

Luther Laflin Mills, ex-State's Attorney will sail from New York on the Servia for an extended tour in Ireland, Scotland, England, and France. This is his first trip abroad. Mr. Mills returned from Ohio a few day ago, where he has been for the last two months assisting in the election fraud cases. He was associated with Allen G. Thurman. After case was over, and the "Old Roman" was about to bid the eloquent attorney of Chicago adieu, he said to him:

"Mills, I have taken a liking to you, and I want to make you a present of a red bandana. Whenever I like a man real well and want to make him feel that I do, I give him one of these red bandanas. They are the only order that the Thurman family has. Take it and use it. A man has no business with a handkerchief that he can't use.

Syrup of Figs

Is Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to Cleanse the System when Bilious or Costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds, and Fevers; to Cure Habitual Constipation, indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, Cal.
April 12—y.

Office Local Board of Health.

CHESTERTOWN, Md., April 20, 1888.

THE Secretary of the State Board of Health, through the daily papers and otherwise, has warned the public of the prevalence of small-pox in several localities north of us, and advised vaccination and re-vaccination as the proper preventative. There is at this time a number of cases of this disease in Philadelphia and Wilmington, two cities with which our county has daily and frequent intercourse. It is deemed advisable to urge the people to exercise the greatest caution, and to protect themselves by vaccination, especially school children and the traveling public. The physicians of the county may obtain virus from the State vaccine agent in Baltimore.

W. FRANK HINES, M. D.,
April 26—3t. Secretary Local Board of Health.

FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The ladies of Galena M. E. Church will hold a Festival and Oyster Supper in a tent on the parsonage lot, to begin on Wednesday evening, April 25th inst., and to continue each following evening during the week. The public cordially invited.

April 19—2t. COMMITTEE.

STANDARD KEEPER'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned, having been appointed STANDARD KEEPER for Kent County, Maryland, hereby gives notice

TO MERCHANTS SHOP KEEPERS,
AND ALL OTHERS INTERESTED,

that he will, by order of the County Commissioners, attend at the following places on the days named, for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting all

BEAMS & SCALES

WEIGHTS & MEASURES,

used or intended to be used in this county, viz:

MONDAY, May 7—Worton Station, Lynch's, Still Pond, Betterton, Kennedyville, Locust Grove, Galena and Georgetown.

TUESDAY, May 8—Sassafras, Massey's, Millington, Chesterville, Morgan's Creek Neck.

WEDNESDAY, May 9—Pomona and Quaker Neck, Lankford, Edesville, Piney Neck and Rock Hall.

THURSDAY, May 10—Grey's Inn, Sandy Bottom, Fairlee, Hanesville and Smithville.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, May 11 and 12—Chestertown.

☞The Stores, Mills and Butchers at unnamed places in various parts of the county will be attended to at convenience in passing from one more prominent point to another.

RICHARD S. USILTON,
April 25—3t. Standard Keeper.

Salesmen Wanted

to canvass for the sale of

NURSERY STOCK! Steady employment guaranteed. SALARY AND EXPENSES PAID. Apply at once, stating age. (Refer to this paper.)

SNELL & HOWLAND,
April 19—2m. ROCHESTER, N. Y.

A CARD.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

A report has reached us that we are selling our Pure Raw Ground Oyster Shell Flour (Phosphate) at $7.00 per ton. We wish to say our prices are as follows: F. O. B. Cars or Boats at our factory at $9.00 per ton. And further, all parties, by calling on our agent, Mr. Wm. A. Elliott, can get our prices on our Truck. Tree and other Fertilizers, and buy at factory prices. Please give him a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Very respectfully,

C. OREM & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS PURE RAW GROUND
OYSTER SHELL FLOUR,
High Grade Phosphate for All Crops,
AND SPECIAL FRUIT TREE MIXTURE.

WM. A. ELLIOTT, AGENT, Chestertown.
April 12—3t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

MOSES LAMBSON,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of October, 1888, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 19th day of April, 1888.

MARY H. TOWNSEND,
WILLIAM M. SLAY,
April 12—4t. Administrators.

Peach Baskets.

I am now prepared to take orders for PEACH BASKETS for future shipment to any point desired. Send a trial order, or for a sample.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

to buyers, or dealers. Price to suit the times.

W. H. COULBOURN,
MANUFACTURER,
Seaford, Delaware.
Apr 12-6m

Agents Wanted

To canvass for one of the LARGEST, OLDEST ESTABLISHED, BEST KNOWN NURSERIES in the country. Most liberal terms. Unequaled facilities. GENEVA NURSERY. Established 1846.

W. & T. SMITH,
April 19—4t. GENEVA, N. Y.

JUDEFIND BROS.

$8,000, $4,000, $3,000, $1,200 to loan on Farm property. Bargains in FARMS for sale. Printed list free.

m15-tf, JUDEFIND BROS., EDESVILLE, MD.

TOLCHESTER LINE!

AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 2d, 1888, BEGINNING SATURDAY APRIL, 7th,

THE STEAMER EMMA GILES,
Leaves Baltimore
EVERY SATURDAY & WEDNESDAY
At 7 o'clock A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

LEAVES TOLCHESTER,
At 9 o'clock A. M. and 4.30 P. M.

☞Freight Received in Baltimore Daily!☜

☞SPECIAL.—In order to make the change in our schedule, there will be no boat between Monday, April 2d and Saturday, April 7th. Every Wednesday and Saturday thereafter, as per Schedule.

TOLCHESTER STEAMBOAT CO.,
Office, Pier 16 Light Street, Baltimore
March 29, 1888.

—WANTED—

ALL PERSONS VISITING TOWN DURING COURT TO CALL AT SPARKS' UNDER "NEWS" OFFICE.

He is selling goods Cheaper than ever. Only think of it, a Handsome

HANGING LAMP FOR $2.25!!

Clocks from $1.25 up.

A nice Eight-Day Clock for $4.00, warranted.

A nice Tumbler at 45 cents a dozen. *All Glassware Cheap.* When you want Fine Glassware, Sparks' is the only place you can find it.

☞If you get hungry during court hours, just run down to Sparks', under "News" office, he has lots of good things to satisfy the hungry; and then if you feel like enjoying a good smoke there is no better place to buy a Cigar than at Sparks'. Come and see us, we will treat you right.

SPARKS,
a12. Under "News" office.

Dry Goods!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS,
Nos. 23, 25 and 27 BALTIMORE STREET,
Between Light and Charles Streets,
BALTIMORE,
Importers, Jobbers and Retailers of Dry Goods,

Are prepared to offer a Choice, Extensive and Select Stock, not excelled in Variety, Style and Price by any house in the United States. Their experience of 57 years in the business, and the advantage that they possess in sending a buyer to Europe twice a year, enable them to offer all Foreign Goods at *Importers' Prices*, whilst their facilities and the extent of their purchases enable them to purchase goods of *American manufacture* direct from the mills.

They offer at all times a first-class Stock of DRESS GOODS, SILKS, VELVETS, LINEN GOODS, WOOLEN GOODS for Men's and Boys' Wear, HOUSEKEEPING GOODS, BLANKETS, QUILTS, CURTAINS, MATTINGS, LADIES' and MISSES' WRAPS, MOURNING GOODS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, LACES, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ALL-WOOL and MERINO UNDERWEAR, UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, DOMESTIC COTTON GOODS, &c.

They have but one price for all retail purchasers, and the price is marked on each article in plain figures. Samples sent by mail when we receive *plain and explicit directions of what is wanted, about the price, &c.* a5-3m.

SALESMEN WANTED—

To canvas for the sale of Nursery Stock! Steady employment guaranteed. Salary and Expenses paid. Apply at once, stating age. (Refer to this paper.)

CHASE BROTHERS COMPANY,
3-tj15. ROCHESTER, N.Y

SHOES, SHOES, SHOES

DON'T pay fancy prices for Shoes. We have a good, fresh stock for Ladies, for Misses, for Boys and for Babies, at prices that will sell them on sight. Call and see at

J. B. SAPPINGTON'

NEW Stock of Horse-Collars and Bridle Halters, Traces and Plow-Lines at

WRO TH & ALDRIDGE

Public Local Law.

CHAPTER 227.

AN ACT to amend article fourteen of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled "Kent County," sub-title "Chestertown," by repealing sections forty-two, forty-three, forty-five, forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-four and fifty-six, as amended by the Act of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, Chapter three hundred and eighty-six; and sections fifty-seven fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-four, sixty-five, sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, seventy-two, seventy-three and seventy-eight, and to repeal Chapter one hundred and ninety-two of the acts of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty, and to enact the following in lieu thereof, for the purpose of extending the limits of Chestertown, and defining the powers of the Commissioners of Chestertown to pass ordinances and by-laws and empowering the town Collector to collect taxes of delinquents; and provide for the return by the County Commissioners of a portion of the county taxes paid by said town.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That sections forty-two, forty-three, forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-two, fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-four, sixty-five, sixty-seven, sixty eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, seventy-two, seventy-three and seventy-eight, of article fourteen of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled "Kent County," sub-title "Chestertown," and section fifty-six as amended by the Act of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter three hundred and eighty-six; and also chapter one hundred and ninety-two of the acts of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty, be and the same are hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

SEC. 42. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners of Chestertown shall have power to adopt and enforce by proper fines and penalties all by-laws and ordinances necessary for the good government of said town; to protect and preserve the property and health of the inhabitants thereof; to prevent, abate and remove nuisances, to lay out and establish new streets and alleys, and to widen, straighten, grade, extend or close up any street or alley, to locate, lay out, construct and keep in repair all necessary drains, sewers, side-walks, culverts and bridges, to provide for the appointment and compensation of bailiffs, police and other officers, and to define their duties; to erect and regulate markets, to provide for the inspection and cleaning of chimneys and private premises; to establish and regulate wards and fire companies; to restrain or prohibit gaming; to license bowling alleys, billiard and pool tables, theatrical and other public amusements; to regulate and protect water pipes, fire plugs, hydrants, sewers, fountains, pumps and water apparatus in the streets and alleys of the town; to fix, impose and collect fines, penalties and forfeitures for the breach of the by-laws or ordinances of the town; to levy and collect taxes on the assessable property within the town limits; to require the laying of gutters and paving the sidewalks by the owners of the adjoining property and to keep them in repair; to provide for the arrest and fining or committing to the Kent county jail of all vagrants, tramps, drunken or disorderly persons; to cause surveys and plats of the streets and town lots to be made, and when adopted by said commissioners, to be recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county; to prevent and prohibit all encroachments upon the streets; to impose an annual tax upon dogs and public carts; prohibit horses, cows or other animals from running at large; to regulate the erection of buildings and prohibit the construction of wooden buildings where the fire risk would warrant it, unless the same be protected by fire walls; to preserve order, and protect persons and property from violence, danger and destruction; to erect hospitals or pest houses, and provide for the proper management of the same; to restrain or prohibit fast driving through the streets, the firing of guns, pistols, cannons or fire-works, contract for water supply for fire purposes, and provide for the payment of the same; to erect lamps and light the streets or contract for the lighting of the same, and provide for the payment thereof; to locate and restrain or to prohibit and suppress the keeping of hogs or shoats, slaughter houses, fertilizer factories or houses for the storage of fertilizer within the town limits; to purchase and keep in proper condition hose, hose carriages, engines, ladders, trucks and other apparatus for extinguishing fire and protecting property from fire, and to erect and keep in repair proper buildings therefor; to require bonds with penalties from officers of the town for the faithful performance of duty; to protect the property of any water company or gas or electric light company or the owner of such which may supply water, gas or electric light to the town or citizens thereof; and generally for the promotion and securement of the health and good government of the town, and to give effect to the powers vested in said commissioners.

SEC. 43. *And be it enacted*, That the corporate limits of Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, be and the same are hereby extended so as to embrace all the territory within the following metes and bounds: Begining on Chester river at the eastern bounds of the town and division line between the lands leased out by Wasinngton College and the lands of Mrs. Mary R. Perkins, and running thence in a northerly direction with said division line and the easterly bounds of said college lands to the intersection of Washington Avenue with College Avenue, thence westerly in a straight line to the point where the public road from Chestertown to Fairlee crosses the mill stream, the headwaters of Radcliffe creek, thence in a southerly direction to the point of intersection of the lands of Wm. S. Walker with the lands of the heirs of Geo. B. Westcott on the public road leading from Chestertown into Quaker Neck, and thence with the division line between said lands to Chester river, and thence easterly by and with Chester river to the beginning; provided, no taxes shall be levied by the commissioners of Chestertown for corporate purposes upon any real estate situated in the newly added portion of said town unless the same is divided into lots of an acre or less in area, or has a dwelling house or other building thereon, and then not exceeding one acre of such land shall be taxed in addition to the buildings, and provided no public street or alley shall be opened by said commissioners of Chestertown through the campus or garden, belonging and contiguous to Washington College without the authority and consent of the visitors of said college being first obtained therefor.

SEC. 45. *And be it enacted*, That the clerk to the board of commissioners of Chestertown may be the collector of taxes for said town, with the same authority and power to receive and collect the taxes that may be annually levied by said commissioners, by distress or levy and sale of either real or personal property as collectors of State or county taxes are now authorized; Provided, such levy and sale be conducted in accordance with the same provisions of law that control and direct the collection of State and county taxes of delinquents in Kent county.

SEC. 56. *And be it enacted*, That the county commissioners of Kent county shall annually, on or before the first day of January, pay over to commissioners of Chestertown that proportion of the entire county levy for roads and bridges which the total property assessed within the limits of Chestertown bears to the whole amount of assessed property in Kent county, so that the commissioners of Chestertown may receive and disburse the amount levied upon the property within the limits of Chestertown for roads and bridges by said county commissioners of Kent county.

SEC. 2. *And be in enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4th, 1888.

I hereby certify the aforgoing to be a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1888.

W. G. PURNELL,
April 18—3t. Secretary of the Senate.

J. H. HILL, M. D.,
Millington, - - - Maryland.

Office and Drug Store on Cypress street. May be found at Mallalieu's Hotel at night. A supply of Medicines carried for out-of-town patients. d15-tf.

NOTICE.

THE RISING SUN SALOON is now prepared to accommodate the public with all the delicacies of the season, such as Spring Chickens, Soft, Deveiled and Hard Crabs, Beefsteak, Ham and Eggs, Turtle Soup, Terrapin Soupand Ox Tail Soup.

WM. PERKINS,
June 2, 1887 Proprietor.

ONLY THINK OF IT! Twelve inches—*a whole foot of Good Tobacco*—nice flat plug for ten cents! Sound twist Tobacco at low as 25 cents a pound at

J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

SHERIFF'S LICENSE NOTICE.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, TRADERS AND OTHERS,

All Persons and Bodies Corporate or Politic in Kent county, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license, or renew the same, on or before the

1st day of May, 1888

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by traders for license—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows:

If the applicant's stock in trade does exceed $1,000.	$12 60
Over $1,000 not over $1,500	15 60
" 1,500 " 2,500	18 60
" 2,000 " 4,000	22 60
" 4,000 " 6,000	30 60
" 6,000 " 8,000	40 60
" 8,000 " 10,000	50 60
" 10,000 " 15,000	65 60
" 15,000 " 20,000	80 60
" 20,000 " 30,000	100 00
" 30,000 " 40,000	125 60
" 40,000	150 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business of the amount of goods kept on hand the principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting a license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent county, to wit:

On this —— day of——, 1888, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared —— ——, and declared that he intends to apply for a Trader's License under the second section of the Act of January session 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and made oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership), at the principal season of sale (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade, that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c.) does not or will not exceed $——

Sworn before —— ——.

If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Venders of cakes and venders of beer, who are makers of such beer, (Lager Beer excepted) are not required to take out License.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a License of $6.50; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same License as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A License may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which License there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their Licenses on or before the first day of May as other trades. The rates are as follows in the county:

To travel on foot	$101 00
With one horse and wagon	151 00
With two horses and wagon	201 00

No such License shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of any partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such License. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, recoverable before any Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, bank notes, or other obligations, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:

Exchange Broker	$100.60
Stock "	75.60
Bill "	50.60

The following Act—chapter 448, page 862—entitled "An Act to add to the 16th section of article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub section, requiring a License to enable any person to act as Real Estate Broker," provides—

That any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars may obtain a License for carrying on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual, co-partnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate Broker without a License, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon other Brokers by section seventeen of this article."

LICENSE to KEEPERS or OWNERS of JACKS or STALLIONS.

The owner or keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of the said clerk with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the License for stationing said Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in case shall the sum directed to be paid for said License be less than ten dollars; and that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing any Stallion or Jack without a License shall pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid as stipulated above, one-half to the State and the other to the informer.

JAMES A. CASEY,
March 25, 1888—5t. Sheriff of Kent county

GARDEN SEED!

GUARANTEED RELIABLE.

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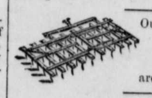

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March 22, 1888.

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