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COLLINS & HOPPER,

EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

NOTICES will be sent out this week by Chairman Archer, of the Democratic Central Committee, to the members elect, giving notice that a caucus of the party will be held at Annapolis in the State House on the evening of December 31. Officers and employees will then be nominated who will be voted for at the organization of the two houses on January 1.

A JOYOUS SEASON.

Christmas, the Most Beautiful of All Christian Festivals.

Yesterday, throughout the broad expanse of the Christian world, people of all religious beliefs, kindred and tongues celebrated the most beautiful of Christian festivals. The sublime story which the day commemorates dates back through more than eighteen hundred years, and to-day as the beautiful story is repeated by the aged lips of the centuries it comes with a sublime warmth and beauty possessed by no other church festival. Indeed, hoary centuries have but added to the sublimity of the world-reaching chorus which the angels sung at the birth of the Christ Child. No other event in the history of humanity is fraught with so much of sacred grandeur to the human race, and it matters not whether it be among the bleak hills of far-away New England or among the sunny groves of the smiling South land, in the barren wastes of "Greenland's icy mountains," or beneath the smiling skies of more pleasant climes, the sacred season is hailed with rejoicing and praise. The joyous Christmastide knows no North, no South, no East, no West, but casts its mantle of "Peace on earth, good will toward man" around the fireside of every nation, kindred and people. All acknowledge the charm of the season which brought the most beautiful promises of peace to fallen man. A King is born, we were lost, now are we saved. Let there be songs and gift offerings, but let the sacred season inspire an awe and reverence. Let the heart forget its bitterness and sorrow, and hail another Christmastide with praise to the "Prince of Peace, Wonderful Counsellor." We lose all of its meaning and beauty of purpose if we make of it only an occasion for merry-making and feasting. There is a nobler, purer lesson to be taught than that of worldly enjoyment and social cheer, a grander truth to be established among men. We cannot afford, either as individuals or as nations, to forget the moral or religious side of the beautiful festival which we celebrate.

Let us light upon the sacred altars of our hearts the purer flame of charity and good will, and let us see to it that we touch the kindly spark and set the warm glow of peace and good will burning on other altars than our own. Let the responsive chord be touched, and sweet music will be awaked which will break in golden numbers on the distant shores of eternity, and all the ages will be happier and better from our having lived, and our lives be better from having brightened the lives of others. Let the bonds of common humanity bind the earth together as one people speaking one language and worshiping one God, the Bethlahem Child who was bruised for our iniquities and died that a fallen world might live. During this beautiful season let not the necessities of others be forgotten, as God has prospered you, share with those who have not. Pour healing upon hearts that are sorrowing and extend the hand of succor to those who have fallen, live better, act nobly and be Godlike in purpose. That man must be a misanthrope indeed who can live through the Christmas season without feeling that a holier atmosphere has been breathed and that he is better for it.

HENRY W. GRADY DEAD.

Henry W. Grady, the brilliant Southern orator and editor of the Atlanta *Constitution*, died at his home in Atlanta, Ga., at 3.40 o'clock on Monday morning. The attack from which death resulted was pneumonia which was contracted during his recent visit to Boston, when he delivered one of the most eloquent addresses of his life.

Many tributes of respect have been shown throughout the State. The body lay in State in the First Methodist Church until two o'clock yesterday, when the funeral services took place. Services were also held in many of the larger cities of the State. Ex-President Cleveland sent a message of sympathy, and pronounced Mr. Grady's death a national loss.

Henry Woodfen Grady was born in Athens, Ga., May 17, 1851, and was educated at the University of Georgia and at the University of Virginia. At the last-named place he was a college mate of John W. Daniel, now United States Senator from Virginia, and of John Wise. His father was a wealthy business man of Athens, who, although a Union man and a supporter of Bell and Everett, went with his State when she seceded and while gallantly leading the Twenty-fifth North Carolina Regiment at Petersburg was shot seven times and died from his wounds.

At the age of twenty the journalistic career of the brilliant newspaper man commenced, which did not end until the hour of his life. As an orator Mr. Brady was fluent and eloquent and had but few equals.

BY THE WILL of the late Hon. Jefferson Davis, Miss Mary Ridgely Dorsey, of Maryland, receives a fine estate is Louisiana, in the following words: "I give and bequeath of Mary Ridgely Dorsey, the eldest daughter to Wm. H. G. Dorsey, of Howard county, State of Maryland, all of my right, title and interest in and to the Limerick plantation, being and situated in the parish of Tensas, State of Louisiana, viz., the interest in and to so much of said plantation as was the property of the late Mrs. Saralf A. Dorsey."

Says the Baltimore *Sun*: "Miss Mary Ridgely Dorsey, to whom Hon. Jefferson Davis bequeathed the Limerick plantation, in Louisiana, is a daughter of the late Wm. H. G. Dorsey and Mrs. Comfort Dorsey, and is now living with her mother and sister at their county home, about two miles from Ellicott City, in Howard county. She is a niece of Charles S. W. Dorsey, the husband of Mrs. S. A. Dorsey, from whom Mr. Davis inherited "Beauvoir." Mrs. Dorsey was a Southern lady, and was an ardent admirer of Mr. Davis. She was an authoress of some note, and one of her books was praised by Mr. Davis. She died about ten years ago. Miss Mary Ridgely Dorsey's father was a prominent lawyer of the Howard county bar."

THE POSTOFFICE FIGHT.

The Situation Increases in Interest but is Still Uncertain.

The postoffice contest daily waxes warmer, and, however, much outsiders may enjoy the play which is being enacted upon the political boards, the matter has long since assumed a degree of uncertainty, which is anything but pleasant to those who are directly interested in the luscious persimmon, which, with all the splicing of poles which has been done by petitions and strong letters of endorsement, the tempting fruit still hangs an unwon prize to aggravate the anxious fruit gatherer.

The situation in Chestertown during the past ten days has undergone as many modifications. It was at first supposed that the central committee—Hodson investigation, would bring the matter to a close and that the postoffice agony would soon be over, but affairs were apparently only worse confounded. The visit of Messrs. Westcott and Hodson to Washington was productive of conflicting statements in the newspapers which raised hopes and then cast them to the ground. One *special* declared that: "There is little doubt that Messrs. Westcott and Hodson will endorse Mr. Carroll as he has the the support of the best men of both parties," then the postoffice "wheel of fortune" took another turn, and it is claimed that Mr. Carroll is now out of the race. Mr. Lambert it is said then withdrew in favor of Mr. Burchinal reducing the aspirants to Messrs. Burchinal and Brown, with the chances strongly in favor of the former with the latter suffering a downward tendency; indeed, it seemed an accepted fact that Mr. Burchinal had secured the coveted prize.

But inconstant fortune at present seems to indicate that Mr. Westcott and Mr. Hodson have failed to agree upon a man and Mr. Hodson has surrendered the matter entirely to Mr. Wanamaker, and refuses to endorse any one of the parties applying, and it is claimed that Mr. Westcott has endorsed Mr. Brown; in that case, that gentleman at present has the decided advantage and may yet be the successful knight. Mr. Burchinal, however, will visit Washington in person and will urge his claim most energetically.

Whether or not Mr. Wright will continue in the contest we cannot say, but the two gentlemen named are making the fight most interesting.

Worton is still cut off the line of regular mails, notwithstanding the fact that the Baltimore *American* sometime since announced the appointment of Mr. Ivens. Mr. Ivens, it is generally thought, will secure the place. The mails for that point go by way of Hanesville.

The fight for the Centreville postmastership is even more animated than that of Chiestertown, and the fates have been as inconstant with Queen Anne's aspirants as with those of Kent. At one time last week it was thought Mr. Thompson had virtually gotten the place, then Mr. Keating's prospects brightened and he was thought to have the winning card. As a checkmate to these flattering prospects Mr. Keating's good character was assailed and a change came. But that gentleman with Rev. C. A. Hill, his minister, and a few friends hurried to Washington with an exhaustive petition and it is thought set affairs right, and he is now sanguine of success.

The contest is over in Cecil and Joseph Wells, J. A. J. Creswell's man now holds the pole which knocked the persimmon.

Easton is enjoying the fun with her neighbors and the contest wages fast and furious. Congressman Gibson asks that Postmaster Covington be retained, but if that could not be he recorded his endorsement of Mr. Shreve, who was also endorsed by Senator Willson and Robert Dixon, Esq.

Somerset is also sending delegations to the national capitol to interview Mr. Wanamaker in regard to candidates for official preferment.

WE have before us a neat volume—"Swanhilde," a translation of intensely interesting stories from the German by Miss Carrie Norris Horwitz, of Baltimore. Miss Horwitz in her translation has preserved all the richness and beauty of the original, and has given to the literary world a work bearing the impress of talent combined with rare perseverance in the originality of its execution. The book is thoroughly readable, and would make a neat and highly appropriate present for any season. The book is on sale at Colin F. Stams. Miss Horwitz has relatives in Kent and is known as a lady of unquestioned literary talent and as a close student.

TO LADIES WHO NETER READ ADVERTISEMENTS.—We desire you to see the grand display of *children's and boys' clothing* we have gathered for your inspection. Our specialties are the $3.50 and $5 lines of All Wooll suits and overcoats, (ages 4-14). Perfect wonders of style, durability and cheapness. No competition in Baltimore can ever hope to touch them. Trade with the Bell Clothing Company, cash clothiers, Pratt street, adjoining Hanover. Twenty-five per cent. saved to all patrons.

ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON about 4 o'clock Harry Williams, of Centreville, the 19-year-old son of James H. Williams, Esq., fatally shot himself while out gunning. The young man had purchased an old gun for fifty cents, and while fixing the hammer, at the same time resting the muzzle against his side, the gun was discharged, the entire load entering his side and passing upward, pierced the lung and embeded itself in the spinal column. The young man died within a few hours.

THE EASTERN SHORE of Maryland is confessedly the garden spot of the world; in fact we are inclined to think that Eden was situated here rather than on the other side of Jordan, a supposition which becomes more probable when we recall the story of Adam's fall, which was far more likely to have been due to a luscious Eastern Shore peach than to an ordinary apple. Baltimore is the natural market for the varied products of this section, and the efforts which have been made by the Baltimore SUN to advance the interests of the Eastern Shore and to develop its manifold resources deserve hearty recognition. The SUN knows a good thing when it sees it, and is fond of the Eastern Shore, and the Eastern Shore is no less fond of the SUN, which gives us all the news at home or abroad, and never fails to defend and promote Maryland interests.

THE ADVANTAGE OF OUR SPECIAL ORDER DEPARTMENT is so great that hundreds of customers are added daily to the numerous throng already with us. For $18, $20 and $25 per suit, we are making in the most elegant manner, the very latest patterns and most fashionable materials. Perfect fit and satisfaction as well as a saving of 25 per cent. guaranteed to the patrons of the order department. Bell Clothing Company, Pratt street, adjoining Hanover street.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Colin F. Stam.

MARYLANDERS ON COMMITTEES.

Speaker Reed Names the House Committees.

SPEAKER REED has had much difficulty in arranging the House committees. Independent of the difficulty which must of necessity accrue in the mere fulfillment of promises made during an active campaign, the labor was greatly augmented by many of the members themselves, who were urgent in their solicitations to be placed on some particular committee. Congressman Gibson will remain on the river and harbor committee, where he has already done such efficient work for his constituency. Since Mr. Gibson finds himself re-instated on the committee a period of hard work confronts him, but his past record shows clearly his thorough competency to meet the requirements. As an earnest and conscientious worker for the interests of his State Congressman Gibson had no superior in the House, and to his efforts are due many of the most important improvements made in his State. With a wider experience and a more intimate knowledge of men and methods his effectiveness as a representative will be vastly greater during the present session.

The Baltimore *Sun's* correspondent says: Mr. Stockbridge is very well satisfied with his assignment to the committee on commerce and the committee on mines and mining. His predecessor, Mr. Raynor, had three committee assignments: Commerce, foreign affairs and the new library.

Mr. Gibson again sits at the river and harbor table and is exceedingly pleased. There was a lively contest for places on that committee, for a river and harbor bill is about due for passage during the present Congress, and the Eastern Shoreman has gone home to Easton to tell his people of his good fortune. There are several important improvements under way in Maryland rivers and harbors, and Mr. Gibson is not modest in asking for what he thinks his State should have. He is also assigned to the committee on militia. In the last Congress he had four committees: Rivers and harbors, militia, printing and government printing office.

Mr. Rusk, after a lively struggle, secured a reassignment to the naval committee. This was one of the last committees completed, and there was a strong competition among certain Democrats. His second assignment is to the committee on Indian depredations. Last Congress he had naval affairs and reform in the civil service.

Mr. Compton's familiarity with District affairs was recognized, and he goes back to the District committee. As that is one of the hardest-working committees in the House, he is relieved from any other assignments. Last Congress, in addition to the District committee, he served on labor and ventilation and acoustics.

Mr. Stump goes to the committee on immigration and naturalization, which promises to be of more than usual importance during the present Congress by reason of the numerous propositions that will come before it for investigation.

OUR GREATLY ESTEEMED CONTEMPORARY, THE BALTIMORE SUN, which neglects no part of the State, evidently has a weakness for the Peninsula, if we are to judge from the pleasure it takes in all evidences of our prosperity and from its commendable efforts to assist in everything looking to the development of our section. The Peninsula has a right to be proud of itself, for there is no country in the world to which nature has been more lavish in the distribution of its good things. Canaan was nothing to it, for it only had milk and honey, but we have everything that can grow on land or live in water. No wonder THE SUN is fond of us, and THE SUN being so full of good things intellectually as the Peninsula is materially, no wonder we reciprocate THE SUN'S affection. It is a good, honest, sterling journal, and we wish there were more like it.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to WM. A. WHEATLEY on Book Account, Note or otherwise, are notified that unless they settle before January 1st, 1889, I shall be compelled to place their claims in suit.

d26-3t. MARION DEK. SMITH, Trustee.

FESTIVAL.

The ladies of the new Zion M. E. Church, at School House corner, Morgan's Creek, will hold a delightful Festival and Supper at the Church, commencing Thursday December 26, and closing December 28. Proceeds for the benefit of the new church.

WANTED.

A CLERK—one experienced in the Hardware business preferred.
Address, with reference,

J. L. McFEELY, Chestertown, Md.

d12-3t.

NOTICE.

The board of County Commissioners for Kent county, give notice that no articles or supplies of any kind for Kent county, purchased by any county officer, supervisor or agent will be recognized by the board unless such purchase or purchases have been made upon the written order of the County Commissioner of the district in which the party purchasing such supplies or goods may reside.

By order of
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk. Dec. 5—tf.

NOTICE.

The board of County Commissioners for Kent county give notice, that all persons traveling either on horse back or in road vehicles of any kind, across the embankment at Sandy Hook Hill, near Galena, will do so at their own risk until said road is open to travel, due notice of which will be given.

By order of
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk. Dec. 5—tf.

NOTICE.

All persons are forbidden, under penalty of the law, from trespassing with gun or dogs on the farms in Queen Anne's county, in the tenancy of

WM. E. DEFORD,
SAMUEL LOLLER,
JOSEPH J. KENDALL,
CAPT. J. E. NICKERSON,
ALBERT STORY,
THOMAS WALLACE,
JOHN F. RUTTER,
JOHN SAPP,
C. E. SMITH.

Aug. 22-tf. W. IRVING WALKER.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County.

GEORGE B. WESTCOTT,
vs.
MARIE L. TURNER.
No. 596 Equity.

ANY of the creditors of E. J. Turner or any creditors who may be interested in the fund remaining undistributed in the hands of the trustee in this cause, are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county within Sixty Days from the date of the first publication of this notice, after which an account will be stated distributing the fund.

By order of Court.
EBEN F. PERKINS, AUDITOR.

Dec. 5—4t.

ESTABLISHED 1876.

E. T. COMEGYS,
DEALER IN GRAIN,
LOCUST GROVE, Maryland.

NEW CORN WANTED!
EITHER ON COB OR SHELLED,
IN ANY QUANTITY,

delivered at any point convenient to farmers. As I am buying derect for the manufacturers, I can pay more for grain than those who buy on the market.

Yours truly,
Jan. 1-89. E. T. COMEGYS

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE
PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned will sell at the town hall in Kennedyville, Md., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1889,

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following Property:

2 HORSES,

One Large Bay Horse (Dick) six years old, splendid driver, stand without hitching and fearless of steam;
Grey Horse (Selim), six years old, good safe driver, and promises to be fast.
Both horses sound and alright.

1 new York Carriage, made to order;
1 York Carriage, used a little;
1 Set Single Harness, best Moffett leather, cost $60;
1 Set Single Harness, in good order;
1 Buffalo Robe, large size, good condition;
1 Blanket, 1 Cutter (new) and Bells,
1 Carriage Pole.

Lot of Fine HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

consisting of
Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Carpets (stair), Brussels Carpets and Matting, Mattresses, Pillows, Bolsters, 2 Large Feather Beds, Blankets, Sheets, etc. 1 Set of Parlor Furniture (hair cloth), Marble-top Stands, 1 Secretary and Writing Desk combined, 1 Beaufet, 1 Sofa and a number of articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums over Ten Dollars a credit of Eight Months will be given, on bankable note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.
No postponement on account of weather.

LEWIS C. JUSTIS, JR.,
Agent for CHARLES .B WARREN.
d12-3t. JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of four writs of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, State of Maryland, one at the suit of Williams & Clark Co., against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James A. Spry; one at the suit of John T. Harrison against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James A. Spry; one at the suit of Chestertown National Bank against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James A. Spry and Mary A. Spry, and one at the suit of John T. Harrison against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James A. Spry Mary A. Spry, to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said James A. Spry, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

One FARM,

situated in the Second Election District of Kent county, Maryland, near and adjoining the village of Chesterville, and adjoining the lands of J. W. Jarman and others, and

Containing 102 3-4 ACRES of LAND,

MORE OR LESS,

the same farm upon which the said James A. Spry now resides, together with

280 BUSHELS OF WHEAT,

more or less, threshed; also,

1 Roan Stallion,
2 MARES,
ONE COLT, TEN HOGS,

ONE FARM WAGON and Harness,

2 Plows, 6 sets Plow Gears, 1 Roller, 2 Harrows, 1 Cultivator, 1 Sulky Cultivator and 2 Empire Drills.

And I hereby give notive, that on

Saturday, the 11th day of January, 1890,

at 12 o'clock M., on said premises, I will offer for sale at public auction said property so seized and taken into execution, to the highest bidder for cash to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JAMES A. CASEY,
LATE SHERIFF.
B. B. WROTH, Auct. d19-ts.

OFFICE

Local Board of Health.

DECEMBER 12th, 1889.

Complaint has been made to me, as the executive office of the Local Board of Health, that parents and others had permitted children under their charge to attend school when exposed to contagious diseases.

The prevalence of German Measles (Rothelyn) in our midst, undoubtedly is due in a large measure to want of proper care in this direction. Whilst German Measels is one of the mildest of congatious diseases it is not free from danger by any means, and if teachers, parents and others are derelict in their duty in mild diseases, they will prove so when the trouble is of a more serious and dangerous character. We publish below an extract from the law governing such cases, and earnestly hope some regard will be paid to its injunctions. It is not the desire of the board to deal harshly with any one, and hope it will not be necessary to do so:

Chapter 55, laws of 1882, sec 5. "And be it enacted. That any person, parent or guardian or other party, who carelessly carry about children or others affected with infectious disease, or *who knowingly or willingly* introduce infectious persons into other people's houses, or *permit children* under their care to attend any *school, theatre, church* or any public place where they will be brought into contact with others, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars in each and every case."

Respectfully,
W. FRANK HINES, M. D.,
d19-3t. Sec'y Local Board of Health.

DESIRABLE BUSINESS
FOR SALE.

INTENDING to change my present business to engage in the hardware business adjoining the Chestertown National Bank, I offer at private sale my entire stock of goods and fixtures, consisting of

Tobaccos, Cigars, Pipes,
CONFECTIONERY,
Fruits, Nuts, Raisins, Etc.,

TOGETHER WITH GOOD WILL.

I will transfer the lease of rent for the year of 1890. The location is one of the most desirable in town—situated opposite the court house in the business centre of the town.

Possession given January 1st, 1890.
For further particulars apply to or address

J. L. McFEELY,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

In order to reduce my stock I am now offering Special Prices.

Dec. 12, 1889—tf. J. L. McFEELY.

OUR YEARLY VISITOR,
SANTA CLAUS,
WILL MAKE HIS APPEARANCE
Saturday, December 21,
AT HUDGINS' BAKERY.

We invite every one to visit us and see our

FINE DISPLAY OF DOLLS,
TOYS, BABY CARRIAGES,
SHO-FLYS, WAGONS, &c.
PURE CANDY IN ABUNDANCE.
NUTS & CONFECTIONERY OF ALL KINDS.
TRY OUR CORN CANDY,

manufactured from pure A sugar. Bring the little ones to see Santa Claus at

d19-tf. HUDGINS' BAKERY.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONAL PROPERTY!

Intending to discontinue the hotel business and having more furniture and other articles on hand than I need, I will offer at public sale at the Armstrong Hotel, Chestertown, Md., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1889

at 1.30 o'clock, P. M., the following Personal Property to wit:

Three GOOD BUGGY WAGONS,
1 DAYTON WAGON,
1 EXPRESS WAGON,
Five Sets of SINGLE and One Set of DOUBLE HARNESS,

and numerous other articles about the stable. Also a Fine Lot of

HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE,

consisting of
BEDS, BEDDING, BUREAUS, WASH-STANDS, CHAIRS, TABLES, STOVES, Etc.

TERMS:—Sums of $10 and less cash, sums over that amount a credit of 9 months will be given on note satisfactorily endorsed and payable at the Chestertown National Bank.

ROBERT H. WRIGHT, Owner.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for Kent county, State of Maryland, at the suit of William A. Wilson against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Mary C. Wilson, to me directed. I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Mary C. Wilson, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

A Dower or One-Third Interest in

The FARM,

called and known by the name of

MARGARET'S DELIGHT

CONTAINING

162½ Acres of Land

MORE OR LESS,

and now occupied by said Mary C. Wilson, situate in the First Election District of Kent county, State of Maryland, adjoining the lands of the late George W. Spencer, Eugene Gooding and others, and having a right-of-way to the public road through the lands of the late George W. Spencer, it being the same land of which the late William Wilson, the husband of Mary C. Wilson, died, seized and possessed, and which said land was devised unto the said William Wilson by James Wilson by his last will and testament, bearing date the 7th day of October, 1870, duly filed for probate and recorded in the office of the Register of Wills for said Kent county.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 21st day of January, 1890,

at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, I will offer for sale at public auction said property so seized and taken into execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

SAMUEL COMEGYS,
d26-ts. SHERIFF.

Sheriffs Sale.

BY virtue of two writs of fieri facias issued out of the circuit court for Kent county, State of Maryland, upon two judgments rendered by Thomas S. Dodd, a Justice of the Peace for Kent county, State of Maryland, one at the suit of William C. Orrell and others, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the Kent County Agricultural Club, and one at the suit of Russell Morgan Printing Co., against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the Kent County Agricultural Club, to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Kent County Agricultural Club, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

28 ACRES OF LAND,

MORE OR LESS,

Improved by Several BUILDINGS

suitable for agricultural exhibition purposes, situate, lying and being in the Third Election District of Kent county, and bounded in part by the roads leading from Worton Station, on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, to I. U. Church, and to the road leading from Hanesville to Chestertown, and adjoining the village of Worton, being a part of what is usually known as the "Gears' Farm, which a certain Henry A. Porter, late of Kent county, deceased, by his last will and testament, devised to his wife, A. M. Porter, during her widowhood. The said 28 acres of land, more or less, being now held and owned by the Kent County Agricultural Club, and conveyed to it by George M., Ann M., Joseph H. and Sarah M. Porter, by deed duly recorded with the clerk of the circuit court, in Liber D.C. B. No. 4, folio 477, of the land records of Kent county, State of Maryland.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 21st day of January, 1890,

at 11 o'clock, at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., I will offer for sale at public auction, said property so seized and taken into execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and become due thereon.

SAMUEL COMEGYS,
d26-ts. SHERIFF.

$20.00 INVESTED. $5.00 SAVED.

Every Twenty Dollars Invested With Us
Means a Saving of Five.

We are determined to do the

Leading Clothing Trade

even at the sacrifice of profits. To-day we commence our

GREAT REDUCTION SALES!

everything is marked down fully 20 per cent. lower than any other house in town.

A FULL LINE OF

Christmas Novelties!

at exceedingly Low Prices.

A. FRIEDMAN,
THE LEADING CLOTHIER,
Chestertown, - - - Maryland.

COAL AND WOOD.
BUILDING LIME, CEMENT
—AND—
Plastering Hair.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS will do well to get our Prices on Lime, Cement and Hair before buying elsewhere.

J. D. BACCHUS,
f2-tf. COAL AND WOOD DEALER.

Beautiful New Upright Piano, Rosewood Case, only $165. New Organs, only $31. Greatest Bargains Ever Offered. Est. 28 Years. GEM PIANO & ORGAN CO. Washington, N. J., U. S. A.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

Gold Spectacles, Silver Thimbles, &c.,
AT LOW PRICES!
Engraving Initials, &c., Free.
D. T. WILLIAMSON,
JEWELER,
Cross Street, Next Door to Bordley's Corner, Chestertown, Md.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry Accurately Repaired and Warranted,

Here We Are,
In Season Again!

HEATERS! RANGES!
And Cook Stoves

WE are still selling the SPEAR'S GOLDEN SUN HEATERS. There are none better. They are economical burners, and give satisfaction generally. Are also selling the SPLENDID FIRE-PLACE HEATERS this fall. It has been sold in this section during the past six years, and has proven quite satisfactory. Will be pleased to show these goods and give prices.

EXCELSIOR COOK STOVES!

The Excelsior Cook Stove is still to the front. It is undoubtedly the Best Cook Stove on the market. It is only to be used to be liked. Have them in all sizes. Repairs for the Excelsior kept in stock. Have plenty of other styles of Cooking Stoves and Ranges,

Heating Stoves.

In the way of Heating Stoves we have too many to mention. Have a splendid assortment. Right along with the same line of goods we will mention Coal Stoves, Coal Hods, Coal Sieves, Zinc Stove Boards, &c. Resp'y,

J. K. Aldridge & Co.

J.T.BLACKWAY,

S. E. corner Main street and College avenue, Chestertown, Maryland,

DEALER IN
CANNED GOODS,
Groceries & Provisions.
CIGARS AND TOBACCO.
SELLING AT BOTTOM PRICES
FOR CASH.
COUNTRY PRODUCE SOLICITED,

for which I will pay the highest Cash price.

Thankful for past favors. Come and see me, and see what I will do.

Yours respectfully,
J. T. BLACKWAY,
Dec. 20, 1888. Chestertown, Md

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AGENT,
—THE—
Painter AND Paper Hanger,
NEXT DOOR TO JAMES BRADLEY.

I have just received my Spring Stock of

WALL PAPER,
WINDOW SHADES
—AND—
PICTURE-FRAME MATERIALS!

GILT PAPER FROM 12½c. UP.

Hortshorne Spring-Roller Shade from 45c. up.

A GUARANTEED
HOLLAND WINDOW-SHADE SPRING ROLLER
for only 75c.

CURTAIN POLES 75c. A PAIR.

PICTURE FRAMES MADE TO ORDER.

I have removed my Store Room from under the Vosbell House to the one formerly occupied by James Bradley.

CHRISTMAS
GREETING.

COLIN F. STAM

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS A GRAND OPENING OF

Christmas Goods

At His Store,

A general invitation is extended to the public to visit him on that day. His stock will embrace presents and Christmas tokens suitable for all persons and all ages.

Store on the Corner, under Stam's Hall; the Flag on the tower of hall will show you the place. Remember the Grand Opening at 9 A. M., Saturday morning.

Chestertown, Dec. 12, 1889—tf.

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—IN—
STORE GOODS!
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ALL IN WANT OF SEASONABLE GOODS ARE INVITED TO CALL AT

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WE HAVE A COMPLETE, WELL SELECTED AND BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF

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Cloths, Ginghams, Prints, Cassimeres,

ALL KINDS OF DRY GOODS
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—ALSO—
A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF
SUMMER HATS,
GROCERIES, &c., &c.,

which stock will be kept complete.

FINE ASSORTMENT OF NECKWEAR!
SHOES A SPECIALTY.

Prices guaranteed Low! Quality warranted as represented! Best Prices for Trade!

All cordially invited. Resp'y,
WROTH & ALDRIDGE

NOVEMBER 14th, 1889.

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You can find some additions to our heretofore Handsome Stock of

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1x8 16 N. C. T. and G. (matched).
1x10 16 N. C. double rabbited and double beaded, one side dressed, already worked and in pile at $17.50.
1x12 12, 1x12 14, 1x12 16, in both North Carolina and White Pine and two qualities of each for BARNS and Outbuildings.
⅝x6¼ White Pine House Siding;
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⅞x6 White Pine, Cypress and North Carolina German and Rabbitted Siding.

All Kinds of Novelty & Bevelled Sidings

6 Rived Heart Shingles;
6 Sawed Heart Shingles;
6 Sawed Sap Shingles;
5 Sawed Heart Shingles;
5 Sawed Sap Shingles;

Va. Lath, Hemlock and Spruce Lath,
SELLING AT
Very Low Cash Figures
to reduce stock before January 1.

Address orders to
JOSEPH TURNER.

A FIRST-CLASS
Eating & Oyster Saloon
IN CHESTERTOWN,
AT THE ROCKWELL HOUSE.

THE undersigned respectfully notifies his friends and the public generally that he is prepared to serve at all hours OYSTERS in every style.

Raw Box a Specialty.

Also, on Tuesdays, a FIRST-CLASS DINNER for my country friends.

Ladies not accompanied by their husbands will find accommodations at my house under the care of my wife.

The LADIES' PARLOR will be opened at all hours, where bundles can be sent and taken care of.

HORSES FED AND CARED FOR.

Hoping for a generous patronage, as I will leave nothing undone to please all, I am respectfully,

A. I. DUGAN.

Oct. 10—3m

Having placed in stock preparatory to the approaching Christmas Holidays a fine and extensive assortment of Solid Gold and Silver Watches and Jewelry suitable for Holiday Presents, I would call the attention of my patrons to this fact, and assure them that upon examination of my stock they will find that they can be suited as well at my store, both in quality and price, as in the city. Handsome Clocks, and Rogers' Triple-plated Silverware a specialty.

Respectfully,
C. M. LUCAS.
HIGH STREET,
NEARLY OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

THOMPSON LINE CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
OILS, GASOLENE AND BITUMINOUS COAL.

Kainit, Salts, Laths, Lime, Plastering Hair, Cement, Plaster and Seeds.

DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
BUGGIES, PHAETONS, DAYTONS,
Road Carts, Buckboards & Wagons
of every description.

We also have the agency for THE REMINGTON and the "WORLD" TYPE-WRITERS. Every business man should have one.

FREIGHTING!

Our Schooners, the "ADAMS" and "REMITTANCE," are still running in our line, soliciting freight. Advancement made on grain to reliable parties.

JOSEPH W. THOMPSON,
Feb. 28, 1889. MANAGER.

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Over 100 gross sold by one druggist. They have no equal for curing Dizziness, Headache, Costiveness, Malaria, Liver Complaint, Fever and Ague, Indigestion, Backache, and all Liver and Stomach troubles. They Never Fail. Sold by all druggists and country store keepers. Sellers & Co., Prop's, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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INSURE YOUR HOMES!
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And in the near future we will tell you what we have in

BOOTS! BOOTS!

Just now we are busy collecting a line of

School Shoes!

For the Children.

COME AND SEE US!

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!
LIGHTNING! LIGHTNING!
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INSURE YOUR STOCK!
—AGAINST—
FIRE and LIGHTNING
—IN THE—
ÆTNA INSURANCE CO.,
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Assets, ... $5,061,247

Losses paid on buildings damaged by lightning, whether fire ensues or not.

HARRY L. BOYD,
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July 11—y. Chestertown, Md.

FRAME HOTEL.
LIVERY AND FEED STABLES.

THE undersigned, having moved into the "Maxwell Property," in the town of Millington, and having thoroughly fitted up the same, would announce that he is prepared to accommodate both permanent boarders and transient visitors with good and comfortable rooms and beds.

MY TABLE

will be furnished with the best the market can afford.

MY STABLES

contain good and reliable horses; attentive hostlers, and a plenty of food. Travelers conveyed to any part of the Peninsula. Terms moderate. Give me a call.

SAMUEL MALLALIEU,
Jan. 27, 1887. PROPRIETOR.