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EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

SENATORS BROWN AND WATERS have submitted a minority report controverting the constitutionality of the bill to increase the salaries of the judges of the Court of Appeals.

THE Farmers' Alliance *Journal* comes out with "the solved problem of Democracy," and thereupon announces "Hon. Arthur P. Gorman the next president of the United States."

ATTORNEY GENERAL POE has given an official opinion, that under the amended State constitution the Legislature must fix the terms of office of County Commissioners elected last fall.

THE Republican State Central Committee, in session last week, decided upon Frederick City as the place and May 4, as the date for the meeting of the State convention for the selection of delegates to the national convention.

SENATOR JOHN WALTER SMITH has introduced a bill in the Legislature, providing for free text-books for the public schools. The measure will not increase taxes, as it is proposed to discontinue the tax levied for the Treasury Relief fund, which is no longer required, as the loan has been paid.

CENTREVILLE last week had three commercial tourists, who registered as Jay Gould, W. H. Vanderbilt and W. W. Astor. There is more of the luxurious feeling of a millionaire to be gotten from one quart of bad whiskey than from the average California gold mine, and these distinguished visitors had gotten an extra supply before visiting the shire town of Queen Anne's.

"IT IS pretty well understood that Chas. T. Westcott, of Kent, Col. Thomas S. Hodson, of Somerset; the Hon. James A. Gary, of Howard, and Hon. Louis E. McComas will be the delegates at large. There are some other gentlemen, whose names have been mentioned, but for the sake of showing to the administration that the Republicans of Maryland are for once at peace amongst themselves, no other names than those mentioned will be presented in the convention."—*Balto. News.*

GOVERNOR BROWN is jealously watching the course of legislation at Annapolis, and to his honor and that of the sturdy manhood who vetoed the autocratic power of certain managers and their henchmen, in his election, he is continuing the veto power with startling effect. Several hidden evils which have crept past the members of both houses, have been captured by the watchful eye of the Governer, and have been strangled and have fallen helpless. The corporation and its advocates are the anacondas which, though plainly seen, are most difficult to throttle.

CAROLINE COUNTY has for several months past, been considering the advisability of adopting a more economical and more satisfactory method of collecting county and State taxes, and a measure has been introduced in the Legislature, having in view the adoption of the Treasurer system. The board of county commissioners, however, is Republican, and in order to forestall this measure of decided improvement, collectors have been appointed for each district, and they will be duly installed before the bill for a treasurer can possibly be passed. It is party and place, not the good of the people after all, that the political vultures of all parties are after.

REPRESENTATIVE WALLEN, of Queen Anne's, has introduced a bill in the Legislature, which has called forth much favorable comment, and should become a law. It provides that "all wages due any laborer shall be made a preferred claim against any in dividual or corporation employing such laborer. The wages due are made by the act a specific lien upon the real and personal property or the franchise of the employer. There is also a provision in the bill which takes care of the widows' allowances as it exists under the present law. Delegate Wallen's bill was referred to the committee on labor." There is no reason why the laborer, the man of all others least able to suffer delays,—a law suit—and possibly the loss of his wages, should not have this safeguard thrown around him.

REFERENCE was made in a recent issue, to the claim made by certain Republican leaders in the county, that Mr. Westcott and his friends represent the anti-administration or anti-Harrison element or wing of the Republican party in Kent. We would now state, upon no less authority than Captain William D. Burchinal, than whom no gentleman stands nearer to Mr. Westcott and his interests, politically or otherwise, that this claim "basely misrepresents Mr. Westcott and his friends." And further, that "Mr. Westcott and those acting in concert with him, are loyal to the administration, and will use whatever influence they may possess in sending such delegates from Maryland to the National Republican Convention as will vote for the re-nomination of President Benjamin Harrison." Capt. Burchinal states that: "I am not, nor have I been, a candidate as a delegate from the district, or at large, to the National Convention."

MR. HIRAM M. BROWN AND C. C. HOPPER, representing the Board of Trade of Chestertown, visited Philadelphia last week for the purpose of endeavoring to induce Messrs. Leibrandt & McDowell, large stove manufacturers, to locate in Chestertown. The trip, though not altogether successful, clearly manifested the wisdom of taking active and prompt measures in bidding for foreign enterprise for Chestertown, for though early on the scene, there were others far ahead of us in point of time. Mr. McDowell extended every courtesy to his visitors, and stated that there is at present no intention to remove his extensive plant from Philadelphia. He further said that a move is now on foot looking to a combination of twelve or fifteen of the largest stove manufacturers of the country, and in that event some persons favored a removal of the united plants to some out-of-the-city point. Personally, however, he favored remaining in Philadelphia.

In the event of the combination, and in the further event of leaving the city, he (Mr. McDowell) would favor the syndicate securing about twenty-five or thirty acres, and building their own houses for their twenty-five hundred or three thousand operatives. Kent's advantages were placed as strongly as possible before the manufacturer, and a bid placed on file in the event of any change of location.

WHY SHOULD Chestertown not have a rousing demonstration on November 12, in commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America? Let the town get some life in it; let us show our neighbors what our people can do. No town in the State could arrange a more creditable display of home enterprise and local products than could Chestertown, and no more successful method could be adopted, for a thorough display of the advantages of both the town and county, than by a general exhibition of her manufactured and natural wealth by a trades-display; and no more appropriate time could be selected than the anniversary of the very birth of our national life, with the discovery of the American continent four hundred years ago. We offer this as a suggestion for the careful consideration of the practical business men of our town.

A THROUGH ROUTE FOR KENT?

The following letters have such a bearing upon the local development and local interests of the county, that we give them in full, hoping that the suggestions contained, may have a tendency to awaken the people to the importance of making a strenuous effort, to not only increase our railroad facilities, but to keep the unrivalled advantages possessed both by the county and Chestertown, prominently before the world. The letters are as follows:

BRIDGETON, N. J., March 3, 1892,

MR. G. E. NOLAND, SUPT., TOLCHESTER BEACH, KENT COUNTY MD.—*Dear Sir:* Your favor of 29th ult. is duly at hand. I am investigating the matter of the feasibility of more direct rail communications from our Southern peninsula to the South, including from Cape May and Atlantic City. The route via. Tolchester Beach looks to me the best, can you inform me if this is so, or of any better one. Also any details of the business and probable development likely, as I may want to lay your information before some railroad men. Please make it full as to freight and passengers, and if this would make a good through route for an express company to New York. Yours truly, J. N. BODINE.

A second letter from the same gentleman, bearing date March 8, 1892, is as follows:

Dear Sir: I am much obliged for yours of 7 inst., I cannot go over your end of the route until I go all rail from here, let us hope it will be by July 1892. It would be well for you and your friends to exert yourselves immediately in this matter, in any way you think would be of advantage. I have sent in some elaborate maps and data which I hope to get before President McLeod, of the Reading, and some other influential interests will be also brought to bear from others. Can you not bring influence on vice-President Maxwell, of the New Jersey Central, 109 Siberly street New York? I understand he was a southern R. R. man before he took his present position. I will be greatly obliged for any developments that you may learn in regard to the matter. Yours truly.

J. N. BODINE.

KENT AND THE PEACH YELLOWS LAW.

During the past three years the TRANSCRIPT has urged the necessity of the passage of a Peach Yellows law, similar in all particulars to that in force in Washington county and in Delaware, and we are now pleased to announce that the Peach Yellows law of Washington county, has been made operative throughout the State It may be true, as asserted by Senator Hepbron, that the peach-growers themselves are competent to deal with the Yellows without the assistance of the Legislature, but one thing is not less certain, that to the present time they have been unable, in a marked degree, to deal successfully with the terrible blight, which has cost Kent county thousands of trees and possibly a half million in money. If there is any salvation for the peach interests of the county, we believe that it is represented by this bill. The Baltimore *Sun* of Tuesday, in its report of Monday's proceedings, thus speaks of the great fight which the bill created during its passage in the Senate:

"The Senate got into a playing mood to-night entirely at variance with the traditional dignity of that body. The fun began when the House bill to apply the Washington county or Michigan Peach Yellows law to the whole State came up. Mr. Hepbron desired to have Kent county exempted from the operation of the bill. Kent is about the largest peach-growing county in the State, and the Yellows has appeared in the great orchards of that county. Mr. Hepbron was careful to explain that this is entirely due to the superior fertility of the soil, and that the peach-growers themselves are competent to deal with the Yellows without the assistance of the Legislature. His request to have his county exempted having been voted down, he took his revenge to-night during the absence of the Senators who especially desire the bill, and undertook to kill the bill with ridiculous amendments and motions to postpone indefinitely. Senators from the non-peach-growing counties entered into the spirit of the thing and the fun waxed furious. Mr. Wooten and Mr. Wirt called the attention of the Senate to the importance of the bill and that it was not a subject for trifling, and after some difficulty had the bill recommitted. Mr. Hayes, who had been selected as president *pro tem.*, called Senator Pearre to the chair, and then there was more fun. There were numerous motions to adjourn, which were voted down, and finally Mr. Posey made the point of "no quorum." The roll was called and but ten Senators answered. Mr. Pearre promptly counted a quorum and said there was a visible quorum present not voting. This brought down the House and an adjournment quickly followed.

STATE AND PENINSULA.

Hagerstown has a pawn-broker's office.

Horse thieves are operating in Cecil county.

Peeler crabs are being caught at Crisfield.

Easton has organized a Board of Trade, and is hustling for manufactures.

Public schools in Carroll county will be closed for the spring term April 14.

Alfred Brown, an oysterman, tonged up a silver watch in Wye river last week.

Theodore Johns, colored, of Kent Island, was knocked overboard by the gibing of the sail of his boxt last week, and drowned.

The streets of Queenstown would make respectable moats for defence if placed around the town instead of through it.—*Queenstown News.*

The managers of the Delaware State Fair held at Dover, have decided upon September 19th to 24th inclusive, as the dates for holding the fair this year.

The town commissioners of Easton have passed an ordinance prohibiting the erection of any frame buildings within the business centre of the town.

THE MARYLAND PRESS AND THE PRESIDENCY.

The Baltimore *Daily News* recently sent out queries to the rural press of Maryland, asking for an expression of their first and second choice for the presidential candidate, in the approaching campaign. The following are some of the answers received:

J. B. Oder, Frostburg *Mining Journal*, for "The Hercules of tariff reform—Grover Cleveland;" James F. Melvin, Ellicott City, *Democrat*, first choice Cleveland, no second choice; Eph. G. Polk, Princess Anne *Marylander*, first choice Gorman second, Cleveland; Paul Motter, Emmittsburg *Chronicle*, Cleveland; A. E. Baker, Embla *Spectator*, first Cleveland, second Gorman; Busteed, Price and Bryan, Centreville *Observer*, Gorman; A. E. Wands, Glyndon *Advocate*, Cleveland; J. M. Aker, Queenstown *News*, first Gorman, second Hill; Thomas Perry, Salisbury *Advertiser*, Cleveland; J. Y. Yonce, Lutherville *Seminarian*, Cleveland—will vote against Hill if nominated; C. E. Casseli, Catoctin *Clarion*, "My first choice is Senator Gorman, my second Senator Palmer, Cleveland last and Hill next to last out of the 6,000,000;" J. E. Hill, Ellicott City *Times*, Gorman; J. B. Perkins, Catonsville *Argus*, Cleveland; Edward Reisler, Carroll *News*, Cleveland; John Blake, Hagerstown *News*, Cleveland; E. S. Riley, Annapolis *Record*, Hill "first and only;" Brewington Bros., Wicomico *News*, Cleveland; I. S. Wilson, Marlborough *Gazette*, first Gorman, second Hill; Francis V. King, St. Mary's *Beacon*, Gorman "first and last;" Fred Sasscer, Prince George's *Enquirer*, Gorman; W. Laird Henry, Cambridge *Chronicle*, German; S. H. Willey, St. Michael *Comet*, Cleveland; E. R. Johnson, Cumberland *Courier*, Cleveland.

The TRANSCRIPT was honored with a request to express a preference as to the Democratic standard bearer for the present year. Not that we wished to be disobliging to our Baltimore contemporary, but because we preferred to emphasize through our own columns, a preference which we have time and again expressed, and which we are ever ready to repeat, no response was made to the request, but we are here ready in direct terms to declare for that sterling Democrat, fearless Statesman and champion of the people, Grover Cleveland. Elected by the purest and best elements of his own party assisted by that great bulwark of safety to the constitution and the people, independent American thought, he gave his party an issue, and the nation an administration, which for honesty of purpose and national dignity, stands second to none in our history. Fearless in all things, and displaying a broad and comprehensive grasp of national affairs during his administration, he has so endeared himself to a grateful people, that nothing short of political corruption, coupled with the basest ingratitude of his native State, can foist upon the American people a substitute for this man, Grover Cleveland.

With all due respect for the opinion of our contemporaries, we record as our opinion, that Mr. Cleveland is by all odds the choice of the American people, and along the line of that great fundamental principle and true doctrine of Democracy, that the voice of the people should be heard and respected, had we not already recognized in Grover Cleveland the noblest type of American manhood, the patriotic citizen and a wise and fearless administrator of national affairs, we would have ere this, bowed in acquiescence to the popular demand.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Mr. Wallen, of Queen Anne's, has been granted leave to introduce a bill, to amend the charter of Church Hill.

Leave has been granted Mr. Maddox, to introduce a bill to regulate the deposit of money by officers of Kent county.

The bill has been read a second time, to make the Australian ballot spstem applicable to primary elections in Queen Anne's county.

The bill has passed both the House and Senate, to appropriate a sum of money for the relief of Washington College, also to reimburse the college for the tuition of a student erroneously appointed.

The Governor has approved a bill amending the law creating a treasurer for Calvert county; also one incorporating the Kennard Novelty Company of Baltimore. Mr. Charles E. Kennard, of Kent, is largely interested in this company, and is now in Chicago looking after the interests of the company's plant at that point.

Mr. Hepbron has presented the petiton of Andrew Woodall, Stephen Boyer and 152 other citizens of Kent county, praying for a law to authorize the county commissioners to appropriate money to keep the Chestertown bridges in repair. He has also introduced a bill to fix the terms of the county commissioners of Kent county.

Mr. Thompson, chairman of the committee on Chesapeake bay and tributaries, reported unfavorably on Monday night, the bill to encourage oyster culture, introduced by Mr. Sams. This bill provided for the leasing of Eastern bay and tributaries to private parties for the purpose of oyster-planting. It was introduced with the view of testing the practicability of the theories that oyster culture could be made profitable, and would also tend to increase the oyster supply of the State. On motion of Mr. Sams the bill was substituted for the unfavorable report, and it was made the special order for Tuesday, March 22, at 12.30 o'clock. The house adopted an order giving the use of the House to the Canton Oyster Exchange from 7.30 to 9 o'clock on Thursday night for discussion in opposition to this bill. The use of the hall had been previously granted to the advocates of the bill for Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. H. Gafford, formerly of Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, but at present residing in Baltimore, had her leg cut off Thursday night by falling under a street car.

The Only One—Are You Going West This Spring?

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway is "the only one" running solid-vestibuled electric-lighted and steam-heated trains between Chicago, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Milwaukee, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul and Minneapolis, making direct connection at Council Bluffs and Omaha with all lines for all points in Nebraska, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, Nevada and California; at St. Paul, with all lines for all points in the Northwest and Puget Sound.

It now operates over six thousand miles of thoroughly equipped road, in Illinois, Wisconsin, Northern Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Iowa, South and North Dakota.

Through sleeping cars between Chicago and Portland, Ore., over Northern Pacific railroad via Jamestown, Butte, Spokane Falls, Tacoma and Seattle. If you are going West to locate or visit you will save money by writing to Wm. Kelley, Jr., Traveling Passenger Agent, No. 50 South Third Street, Philadelphia, for rates of fare, maps, time tables and full information furnished free. All coupon ticket agents in the United States and Canada have tickets over the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway; ask for them.

CHESTERTOWN'S STREETS.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—While the bill now before the Legislature, relative to reducing the taxes allowed Chestertown, is pending, a few pertinent questions may be asked. The report of the town commissioners for '90, made April 27, '91, shows that the town received of the county some $2,193.45 of the $12,000 or $14,000 taxes paid on the property within the limits of Chestertown. This same report shows that at that time the commissioners had in hand a balance unexpended of $2,273.21! Estimating that the expenditures of 1891 did not exceed those of 1890, and the wretched condition of our streets for the past twelve months, indicate that no more was spent, then, the town commissioners must have in hand, or did about the first of March, some $3000. Why is this? Would it not be better to expend every dollar levied than to carry a surplus, or sinking fund or whatever it may please us to call it? Are not the streets of this town in little better condition than are the streets of Galena or Kennedyville, or any village the county commissioners look after? If not at this present moment, March 16, 1892, were they not on February 1, when we began this last patching-up process.

With the money *received for the streets*, we should by a proper system, in a few years have all the thoroughfares macadamized!

What is the reason for the present condition of affairs? Either all the money is not spent on them, or else it is wasted. That is the plain answer. If it isn't then let us have some figures showing that it isn't. High street has been a succession of ridges, lumps, gullies and mud-holes for years past. We put shells on it and then immediately one of our plumbers digs a deep trench, finishes his "job," and throws in the dirt, and leaves a ridge to tease the springs of every carriage that attemps to pass over it. Not one such ridge, but moderately speaking, twenty from the Vosheil House to the wharf. Watch the excavation in front of Toulson's and see if this is not a repetition of the past, in spite of the fact that we have at a heavy expense just shelled that portion of the street.

Look at the dump-ground and mud wallows we wade through on the way to the steamboat and have waded through for years. Look at the dump in front of the residence of the Rev. Mr. Greenfield.

Recollect the wretched condition of the street by the Episcopal church, round by the market house, and up by Albert Dugan's. Cause of the latter—load after load of clay hauled there and *actually dumped on a hard shell road!* If you doubt it, a spade and ten minutes will convince you the shells are still there; the mud speaks for itself. Examine the gully in front of Barnett's. Twenty dollars and some pipe would have cured a condition which is a disgrace, and which the county commissioners would not have let exist for one month on the most obscure road in the county. Examine the drain from the Tom Mann lot, back of the Kemble apple orchard. Same trouble; same remedy applicable. Look at Calvert and Cannon streets, and then after looking over the town, get down to facts and figures, and tell us, if you can, how $2,200 is spent on the streets.

Let the commissioners pass a law compelling parties who dig up the streets to ram in the earth in filling in; then to put six inches of shells on top of the trench. This will keep what has been done this winter in good condition. They have such a by-law! Who would ever dream it? Who enforces it? We ought to be tired of paying taxes for streets which are such a disgrace, as are and have been the streets of this town. TAX PAYER.

Deafness Can't Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustacian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever: nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

WANTED:

A HOUSEKEEPER for small family on farm. Apply to or address

E. COOPER,
m17-3t.* Chesterville P. O.

NOTICE

To the Residents at Betterton.

In consequence of the large number of fowls allowed to run at large, all my wheat and other seed crops are getting destroyed. I respectfully request that the fowls be kept on their own premises, or it will be a painful duty to myself to take summary measures.

Signed D. GENESE,
Branksone Heights, Betterton, Kent Co., Md.

PRIVATE SALE.

I will offer at private sale at Kennedyville, Md.,

Saturday and Monday, March 19 and 21, 1892,

A very fine lot of about 20 head of

Grade Holstein Cows & Heifers.

SOME ARE REGISTERED.

These are fine cattle, have been selected with great care from some of the finest dairies of Central New York. They will suit the farmers for dairy and creamery purposes. *Will soon be in profit.*

E. A. PERKINS.

Notice to Creditors.

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

RICHARD T. TURNER,

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 24th day of Sept., 1892, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand the 15th day of March, 1892.

ELIZABETH B. TURNER,
ja28-4t. Executrix.

To Breeders.

The Fast Trotting & High-Bred Stallion

GROVER S.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON AT

CHESTERTOWN, WORTON POINT & MELITOTA

Terms, $20 to Insure.

W. W. STEPHENS,
m17-3t.* CHESTERTOWN

Hendricks' Bashaw!

Foaled Dec. 13, 1884,

Is 7 years old, dark chestnut sorrel, 15½ hands high, weighs 1000 pounds, excellent qualities and fine driver; can show a mile in 2.50 without training.

PEDIGREE:

Bashaw was foaled by J. F. Godwin, the owner of Bashaw, Jr., (51) 2.24¾, known as Fawcett's Bashaw, who won over $20,000 in stakes and purses; first dam by Hines' Sherman, he by David Blackiston's Priam, nearly a thoroughbred horse.

TERMS OF BREEDING:

Eight Dollars for season, payable at end of season; Five Dollars single service, due at time of service. Eighteen Dollars to insure single mare, Fifteen Dollars for two or more.

W. A. HENDRICKS, OWNER.

WM. BROWN, Groom. Fee for groom 25 cents.
March 17—2m.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed out of the Circuit Court of Kent county, Maryland, at the suit of Colin F. Stam, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Alonzo F. Fowler, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Alonzo F. Fowler, in and to

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND

in the Third Election District of Kent county, in the village of Melitota,

CONTAINING ONE-HALF ACRE OF LAND,

more or less, and improved by a DWELLING and STORE-HOUSE combined, Blacksmith and Wheelwright Shops and Outbuildings, being the same land which was devised to the said Alonzo F. Fowler by the late Thomas Fowler by will dated the 9th of June, 1880, duly executed, probated and recorded in Liber E. C., No. 1, folios 54, etc., one of the Land Record Books of Kent county, Md.

And I hereby give notice that on

SATURADY, the 26th day of March, 1892,

at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Court House door, I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash.

EDWARD J. PLUMMER,
m3-ts. SHERIFF.

EXAMINERS'

BRIDGE NOTICE

THE undersigned, appointed by the Honorable County Commissioners of Kent county, upon the petition of sundry tax-payers for

A NEW BRIDGE

over stream at "Whaland's Mill," and also upon the petition of sundry tax-payers for a new Bridge over stream at "Brice's Mill," which have been heretofore advertised according to law, hereby give notice that they will meet at "Whaland's Mill,"

ON THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1892,

at 10 o'clock A. M., and afterwards on same day at Brice's mill, to discharge their duties under two several commissions to them issued. If the day should prove stormy, they will meet on the next day following.

VICTOR HENDRICKSON,
STEPHEN LECATES,
THOMAS J. VICKERS,
m3-6t. EXAMINERS.

EXAMINERS'

ROAD NOTICE!

THE undersigned, examiners appointed by the Hon. County Commissioners, to examine and determine whether the public convenience requires the

Widening of the Public Road

leading into Shrewsbury Neck, along the line of Robt. Comley's land, to the line of the land of W. N. E. Wickes, in the Second Election District of Kent county, Md., hereby give notice, that they will meet on the said road at 10½ o'clock A. M., on

Thursday, the 24th day of March, 1892,

to execute the duties of the said commission.

CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
JOHN R. BENNETT,
GARRETT FOXWELL,
f11-6t. EXAMINERS.

ORDER NISI.

William S. Busick, Trustee,

VERSUS

George H. Clark.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 16th day of February, 1892, that the sale of the personal property and collections mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by William S. Busick, trustee, under a deed of trust from George H. Clark, dated the 23d day of April, 1890, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23d day of March next;—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 10th day of March next. The report states the amount of sales to be $5,049.18.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test.
f18-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

Grand Opening

—OF—

Garden Seed!

THIS DAY, MARCH 17, 1892.

Stam's Drug Store.

Largest Stock. Lowest Prices.

We are ready to supply all our friends with the

CHOICEST LOT OF GARDEN SEEDS

ever exposed for sale in Chestertown. We can supply you with all sorts and varieties, from a five-cent paper to a bushel of Seed.

Especial attention of Market Gardeners is called to our stock.

COLIN F. STAM,

DRUGGIST.

Welcome Springtime!

ONCE MORE WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH THE FARMERS OF KENT AND QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTIES WITH

PLOWS.

Rope and Chain Traces,

BACKBANDS, FARM BELLS,
GRUB HOES, VICES, FORKS, SHOVELS, SPADES, GRINDSTONES, AXES,
FARM and GARDEN BARROWS,
WAGON HAMES, PLOW HAMES, HATCHETS, GATE HINGES, Etc.

Roofing and Spouting a Specialty.

Northern Early Rose Seed Potatoes. Northern Beauty of Hepbron Seed Potatoes.

Don't buy FENCE WIRE until you get our prices.

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.,
Feb. 25, 1891. CHESTERTOWN, Md.

WAGNER'S

Green House Restaurant

W. Pratt Street,

BALTIMORE, MD.

J. & B. L. WAGNER, - Proprietors.

The Restaurant is the oldest and most extensive in its accommodations of any in the city. [n5-y.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale in front of the Market House, Chestertown, Md., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1892,

at 2.30 o'clock P. M., if fair, if not fair, the following Tuesday at same place, the following Personal Property:

Two Fine Mares,

NAMELY:

One Bay Mare, Daisy, extra fine driver; one Iron Gray Mare, Sadie, heavy in foal, kind and gentle, good worker and fine driver;

1 York Carriage as good as new;
1 Cutter, in good order; 1 Road Cart,
2 Bridles and Saddles, in good order;
2 Single-Barrel Breech-Loading Guns, in good order.

TERMS OF SALE ARE:—All sums of $10 or under, cash; all over that amount a credit of Six Months will be given, purchaser to give bankable note with good security and payable in the Second National Bank of Chestertown. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Notes to bear interest from day of sale.

B. SPENCER SUTTON & BRO.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.
Kent News please copy. [m10-ts.

TREASURER'S LAST NOTICE!

TO TAX-PAYERS

IN THIRTY DAYS my official term expires. The law requires me to turn over to the sheriff on the first day of April EVERY UNPAID TAX BILL, and he must proceed at once by legal process.

I have no option in the matter; the law is plain and imperative. Those indebted for the past year should settle AT ONCE. This will save the heavy costs certain to follow delay.

This is my LAST NOTICE.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM B. USILTON,
March 3, 1892. TREASURER.

Order of Publication.

Elizabeth W. Clift, Plaintiff.

VERSUS

Sax G. L. Clift, Defendant.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

The object of this bill is to procure a divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* of the complainant from the defendant.

The bill alleges that the complainant and defendant were married on the 23d day of October, 1869, at the village of Sassafras in Kent county, Maryland, and resided in said village until sometime in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

That although the conduct of complainant towards defendant has always been kind, affectionate, obedient and above reproach, said defendant has without any just cause or reason abandoned and deserted her ever since the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and that such abandonment has continued uninterruptedly for fourteen years, and is deliberate and final, and the separation of the parties beyond any reasonable expectation.

That said defendant from the time of said separation has contributed nothing whatever to the support of complainant and her children, and she has been obliged to depend for entire support and that of her children upon the generosity of her father and her own exertions.

That complainant and defendant have had born unto them three children as follows: Francis Middleton Clift, who was 21 years of age on the 2d day of February, 1891; R. S. Griffith Clift, who was 19 years of age on the 19th day of November, 1891, and Bessie Clift, who was 16 years of age on the 18th day of July, 1891.

That said defendant is not and has not been a resident of the State of Maryland since 1878, and that plaintiff has not heard anything whatever of, or from kim since the year 1880, and that she does not know where he is or whether he is dead or living.

It is thereupon ordered by the circuit court for Kent county as a court of equity, this first day of March, 1892, that the complainant cause a copy of this order, together with the object and substance of the bill, to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county, once a week for four successive weeks, before the 3d day of April next, giving notice to the defendant in said bill, and warning him to appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 20th day of April next, to show cause, if any he has, why a decree shall not pass as prayed.

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