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☞ We hope those indebted to the TRANSCRIPT for subscriptions and other bills will remit promptly next week, as we are now putting in some new machinery and making other necessary improvements, which has entailed considerable expense, and in order to meet our obligations we must ask for prompt settlement from those indebted to us. Kindly give this prompt and careful consideration.

A happy and prosperous New Year to one and all, is the greeting of the TRANSCRIPT to its friends.

MR. CLEVELAND received of the vote cast on November 8, 391,379 more than all other candidates. The totals were: Cleveland, 5,567,990; Harrison, 5,176,611; Weaver, 1,025,060; Bidwell, 258,374.

ACCORDING to the Baltimore *Herald*, Messrs. Schurz, Gorman, Whitney, Boies and Bayard hung up their political stockings on Christmas night for Cabinet positions. Santa Claus Cleveland did not, we are sure, forget *all* of them.

SENATOR GORMAN is said to have decided to support Murray Vandiver, of Harford county, for Collector of the port of Baltimore; George Colton for Naval officer; Stephen Gambrill for collector of Internal revenue, and L. Victor Baughman for Public Printer.—*Cambridge Chronicle.*

CHARGES have been preferred against Boiler Inspector W. O. Saville, which, should the committee of investigation sustain by their report, the political head of that gentleman must be sacrificed. In the event of such an occurrence, Mr. Shaeffer, well known in Kent, and at present an employee in the inspector's office, is an applicant for the position.

MAJOR WM. E. STEWART, State's Attorney for Talbot county, is a candidate for the United States District Attorneyship. When the proper time arrives his numerous friends will strongly urge his appointment. The major has served several terms in the Maryland Legislature and has been three times elected State's Attorney for Talbot county, receiving at his last election more votes than any other candidate on the ticket.

THE WEATHER FOR JANUARY.

The Asheville (Ala.) *Weather*, a journal of meteorological science, ventures the following predictions with regard to the weather for January:

Northwest.—Cold dry weather, with but few snow squalls. About 1st to 3d, high winds, cloudy, low temperature, snow light, first week. Quiet, snow light, second week. Quiet, except 15th to 16th in Omaha and St. Paul districts flurries indicated. The last week in the Denver and Omaha districts high winds are indicated about 25th to 26th.

The rain or snowfall about the lake region will be excessive, extending from Marquette, Mich., to Cleveland, Ohio, Chicago being rather dry until the last two weeks.

A spell of rainy weather or snow will develop in the middle Western districts the first week; this includes Nashville. Winds highest about Louisville. At the close of third week another rain or snowstorm may be looked for with winds, and a lighter spell about 25th to 26th, heavy in Nashville, and high winds in the St. Louis and Nashville districts about the 27th.

No very high winds in Southwest districts; rainfall somewhat continuous at New Orleans, but ligt; heavy in Montgomery district about 26th to 27th, lighter rains 5th to 6th, 11th to 12th, and 22d.

Snow pretty well covers the Northeastern districts from Portland down to New York; brisk winds will characterize the weather in New York, but no decided storms seem to be indicated. The snows of New England and the lakes may become cold rains and sleet further south; the heavy rain or snow of the 6th in New York may not extend south of the Susquehanna. New York may get a wind flurry on the 22d, and Baltimore a storm about the 25th.

In the Southeastern districts the rains seem to be more continuous in Savannah district, but the heaviest rainfall is indicated for Wilmington on the 5th; otherwise the rain seems light except for Savannah, where a storm may develop about the 2d or 3d. High winds are indicated at Wilmington about 22d and 27th and Savannah about 2d and 5th.

It is now very certain that the winter will not be an excessively cold one.

PUBLIC ROADS.

What the Counties of Maryland Expend for Their Repair.

Maryland's public road system is one of growing importance, and already the amounts expended annually for the purpose of keeping public roadways in repair, have assumed such enormous proportions that the question of "Good roads" is one which the people consider with no little concern, and is one which the wisdom of the progressive legislator must dispassionately deal with in the future. Baltimore and Somerset counties have taken the initiative, and have made a step in the right direction in the matter of road legislation.

Calvert county has a road commissioner elected by the people in each of the three election districts. In one of the counties each citizen between certain ages is compelled by law to work on the road or pay a substitute, but this is being resisted as a tax imposed on the person and not on the property, as required by the constitution. In a majority of the counties the roads are divided into small sections and each placed in the care of a supervisor.

By considering the tabulated statement below it will be seen that the amount annually expended for public roads throughout the State agregates a sum worthy consideration of the people. Is our present system the best.

The following is the appropriation in each county of the State to roads and bridges for the current year:

Allegany	$40,600	Kent	$29,052
Anne Arundel	30,000	Montgomery	13,500
Baltimore	137,595	Prince George's	15,000
Calvert	4,958	Queen Annes	14,564
Caroline	15,653	Somerset	5,500
Carroll	21,342	St. Mary's	4,926
Cecil	20,000	Talbot	14,382
Charles	8,000	Washington	19,000
Dorchester	10,000	Wicomico	5,659
Frederick	24,847	Worcester	4,000
Garrett	9,776		
Harford	30,216		
Howard	9,800		
			$508,770

A YEAR'S HAPPENINGS.

The Sunshine and Shadows Which Have Rendered Joyful or Sad the History of a Year.

JANUARY—

1.—9.00 A. M., Good resolution-making.
1.—10.30 A. M., Good resolutions quaking.
1.—12 M., Good resolution breaking.
1.—3 P. M., Good resolutions gone.

2. Mrs. Amanda F. Sheppard, wife of Dr. F. N. Sheppard, died at Crumpton, aged 49 years.
3. Mrs. Ephraim Grace, mother of Mrs. E. N. Roland, died at Elkton, Cecil county, aged about 76.
5. Mrs. Hannah Lecates, wife of Stephen Lecates, died, aged 76.
5. Five inches of snow fell.
8. Thermometer registered 19°.
9. Rev. J. A. Murphy died at Elkton, Cecil county, aged 42 years.
9. Meeting to elect delegates to the State's Farmers Meeting, in Baltimore. Delegates elected: S. Vannort, George S. Biddle and C. S. Harlock; alternates, Jos. R. Usilton, E. W. Hepbron and R. W. Jones.
11. Steamer Trumpeter did not make her return trip up the Sassafras because of ice.
14. Mrs. Arsula Moffett, wife of Jeremiah Moffett, died, aged 54.
15. Eight inches of snow fell.
16. Senior Class of Washington College gave an entertainment in college chapel.
16. Harry Biggs came near freezing to death by having his row boat caught in the ice near Buck Neck wharf.
16. James Anderson, aged 30 years, died of Grip near Spry's gate.
19. A sleighing carnival enjoyed.
19. M. deK. Smith qualified as Comptroller of the State treasury.
19. Mrs. Margaret Stavely died at her home near Lynch's, aged 57.
19. Mrs. Emma Galatia Catlin, wife of J. W. Catlin, died at her home, near Rolph's Wharf, 42 years of age.
20. Thermometer registered 11°; river frozen over with one-inch ice.
20. Rev. Jesse Shreeve, of Edesville, given a surprise by his congregation.
23. Thomas S. Wilmer died of general debility, aged 83 years.
25. Mrs. Lucy Ashley, wife of Howard Ashley, died at her home, Rock Hall, aged 27 years.
26. Capt. James Kelley died at his home, Chestertown, of typhoid-pneumonia, aged 79 years.
26. The handsome residence of R. G. Nicholson destroyed by fire.
26. Chester river frozen across at Chestertown.
27. William Cacy died near Massey's, in his 80th year.
28. 1½-inch ice on Chester river and thermometer at 12°.
29. Thomas Thompson, colored, executed at 6.30 o'clock for the murder of "Bully" Adams on the night of August 22.
30. Mrs. Susan C. Jolly, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Frazier, Chestertown, aged 63 years.

FEBRUARY—

2. Ground Hog Day.
3. Mrs. Sarah C. Crew, wife of J. Welch Crew, died, aged 71.
4. A number of ice houses in the county filled.
6. Richard T. Turner died suddenly at his home near Betterton, aged 73 years.
6. First catch of Tuckahoe herring.
8. E. T. Jacobs died, aged 71 years.
8. Mrs. Mary M. Beck died at the home of her son, Dr. Samuel Beck, Chestertown, in her 74th year.
8. The congregation of Bond Chapel surprised their pastor, R. W. Mowbray.
12. Thermometer registered 13°.
18. Talk of a new steamboat line in Chester river.
20. James T. Melvin, died in Baltimore, aged 75 years.
21. Col. Richard Johnson, died of heart trouble, aged 77 years.
21. Richard H. Corbaly, from general debility, died at Millington, aged 73.
22. Mr. George Twilley, of Chestertown, had $85 stolen from his pocket.
23. Two barges loaded with oyster shells, destination Chestertown, sunk off Love Point.
29. The American Strawboard mill destroyed by fire.

MARCH—

2. First day of Lent.
5. Dr. W. S. Maxwell credited with the assertion, that there were enough live peach buds on the Peninsula to make 5,000,000 baskets of peaches.
5. Clarence S. Hurlock elected county treasurer.
6. Cleveland Club formed in Chestertown.
8. Much scarlet fever in Fifth district.
9. Mr. George Reed, near Chester Bridge, in Queen Anne's, commenced planting corn. The earliest reported.
10. Mrs. Jarman, mother of Mrs. George Gleaves, Crumpton, died at the home of her daughter, of heart trouble.
10. New lodge, Knights of Pythias, organized at Still Pond.
14. Columbus Ashley, aged 18, while gunning, by the accidental discharge of a gun, had his arm blown to pieces.
15. About an $800 fire in store of Dashiell & Bro., at Rock Hall.
15. The Milford safe-robbers and railroad desperadoes passed through the upper section of Kent.
16. Lot of corn, hay and agricultural implements of John B. Parrott destroyed by fire.
21. The eighteen-month-old child of Mr. Malcolm C. Shuster, burned to death in Wilmington.
28. Miss Cora B. Johnson, Kennedyville, died of paralysis.

APRIL—

6. Arbor Day observed throughout the county.
15. Snow storm visited Kent.
15. John R. Tarbutton, died at Sassafras, and James Thompson died at Chesterville.
16. Republican primaries in Kent.
17. Easter Day.
17. James E. Clark found dead in his house at Castletown.
17. Large barn on farm of Martin B. Burris, and tenanted by Henry C. Gray, near Urieville, burned, together with 1500 bushels of wheat and 300 bushels of corn.
18. John Wesley Gibbs and Anthony Potts, both colored, drowned in Sassafras river.
19. Republican convention to select delegates to Congressional Convention.
19. Mrs. Ann B. Smith, mother of Comptroller M. deK. Smith, died at the home of her son-in-law, John N. Dodd.
19. County Treasurer C. S. Hurlock bonded in $25,000 to county and $15,000 to State.
23. Dr. J. Heigh Hill murdered near Millington.
29. Mrs. Kate Bradley died in Baltimore.

MAY—

1. Miss Mary McKee painfully kicked in the face by a horse which she was driving.
2. Chestertown ice factory commenced operations.
3. Thermometer in the nineties.
3. Outlook in Kent for one-third of a peach crop.
5. Indignation meeting held by colored citizens of Millington and Chestertown, condemning the murder of Dr. Hill.
9. Corner-stone laid of Dulaney M. E. Church.
11. Eclipse of the moon.
12. Work on the Adventist Church at Rock Hall, progressing.
13. Delaware College base-ball team defeats the Washington College team by a score of 10 to 2.
15. Severe hail storm in Quaker Neck.
15. Nellie, the 11-year-old daughter of Mr. John Silcox, of near Kennedyville, brutally outraged by James Taylor, a negro.
17. James Taylor, the negro who outraged Nellie Silcox, lynched by a band of masked men. The negro was hung on a small tree on Cross street, nearly opposite the jail.
22. Thirty-seven persons immersed at Huntingfield Point and received into the Adventist faith.
22. Mr. George E. Harrison and family, of Crumpton, narrowly escaped fatal suffocation.
25. Peach prospects rapidly lessening.
28. Washington College base-ball team defeated the Pastimes of Baltimore. Score 7 to 6.
28. Democratic primaries held.
30. Washington College base-ball team defeated the Centreville Combination base-ball team. Score, 17 to 3.

JUNE—

1. Brooks, Williams and Comegys brought from the Baltimore city jail to Chestertown.
1. Tolchester's season opened.
2. Annual convention W. C. T. U. in Chestertown.
4. St. John's College defeats Washington College at base-ball, score 10 to 7.
5. Children's Day celebrated in many of the churches.
6. Good trials of speed at Worton track.
6. Capt. Isaac S. Rodgers, died at his home near Fairlee, aged 86.
8. Three horses killed by lightning on Nicholson farm, tenanted by Robert Moffett.
9. Mrs. A. M. Gray, relict of the late John R. Gray, died suddenly at her home in Chestertown.
9. Washington College base-ball team defeated the Cylburns, of Baltimore. Score 4 to 3.
12. Charles Waite, a Tolchester acronaut fell 2000 feet from his balloon and was seriously hurt.
14. Treasurer Clarence S. Hurlock took the oath of office.
14. Little Paul Bolton died of rheumatism of the heart, at Millington.
15. Lyceum Tennis Club organized; membership 18.
16. Miss Baker's Kindergarten commencement.
17. Washington College base-ball team defeats the Mutuals, of Baltimore. Score 5 to 1.
18. George Welch, near Chester bridge, Queen Anne's, stricken with sunstroke.
18. The Washington College base-ball team defeats the Woodberry team. Score 7 to 0.
18. Miss Ollie Price and Miss Caroline Smyth, chosen delegates to State Teacher's Association.
20. The peach crop declared a tremendous failure.
20. John Potts, Frank Baynard, Walter Roe, Henry Hynson and John Harrison, arrested for complicity in the Hill murder.
21. First wheat cut in the county.
22. Capt. Benj. Coburn of Rock Hall had valuable horse killed by lightning.
22. Fearful thunder storm at Rock Hall.
26. Miss Gussie Rockwell, formerly of Chestertown, painfully injured in a railroad wreck in S. Harrisburg, Pa.
27. A number of Chestertown ladies play base-ball.
30. Public schools close.

JULY—

1. Postmaster Brown's salary increased to $1,600.
3. Terrific cyclone visited sections of Quaker Neck, other sections of the county, and sections of Queen Anne's doing much damage.
4. First shipment of Kent county peaches made by E. A. Corey, from Gale's wharf. Eight packages were shipped.
6. Crumpton wharf property purchased of Geo. E. Harrison by the Chester River Steamboat Company.
7. Mrs. James H. Thompson, Chestertown, died in the 78th year of her age.
12. Work commenced on brick work of American Straw-board Mill.
13. Accident to steamer Emma A. Ford near Seven Foot Knoll.
14. Mr. Schwab, a Baltimore drummer, fined $2.50 for trotting his horse across Chester bridge.
15. First trip of the steamer J. B. Dallas, of the new Thompson Line.
16. Mrs. Catherine Woodall, died at Georgetown, aged 77 years.
16. Four grandsons of Dr. J. T. Twilley drowned while bathing in the Monokin river.
18. Mrs. C. F. Thompson died.
19. County commissioners determined upon 97¾ cents on the $100, as the rate of taxation for county purposes.
20. New steamer Sassafras launched.
20. Henry Bramble died suddenly, aged 72 years.
21, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29, thermometer registered as follows: 92°, 93°, 106°, 100°, 92° and 95° with a cool spell in sight.
23. Mrs. Sarah Joiner died in Worton, aged about 71.
25. Chester bridge draw knocked off by schooner Virginia.
25. Mr. Elias Walraven died, aged 64.
27. Ice famine in Chestertown with thermometer 100°.
28. Charles Gordon Ricaud died in Baltimore, aged 48 years.
29. Local buyers offering 76 cents for wheat.
30. A gala day at Betterton. Boat races, etc.
30. Theodore H. Pennepacker blown to atoms while fishing off Plum Point with dynamite bombs.
31. Miss Mary L. Chapman died.

AUGUST—

1. Prof. R. Watts resignation accepted by the Board of Visitors of Washington College.
2. Albert C. Constable died, aged 18.
10. Mr. Comegys Brown made temporary teller of Second National Bank, in place of Mr. Wm. F. Wroth, who was granted six months holiday on pay, because of sickness.
10. New barn on farm owned by Mrs. S. C. Jones, and tenanted by R. M. Bryan, struck by lightning, one end knocked out.
10. Thermometer registered 98°.
10. Mr. Cormen, a Pennsylvania glass manufacturer, in Chestertown, preparatory to starting a factory.
11. Two men fell from a balloon at Tolchester, and were painfully injured.
16. George Holland, a colored boy, drowned off the Chestertown wharf.
18. Mr. Joseph Peterson resigns the cashiership of the Chestertown National Bank.
19. Low Tilghman, a colored man, found dead in a lot on Washington ave., Chestertown.
21. Fredus M. Aldridge, died in Wilmington, Del.
22. Mrs. W. W. Rose died of typhoid fever.
23. Joseph R. Coburn died, aged 25 years.
25. Mr. Harry Rickey elected cashier of Chestertown National Bank, vice Joseph Peterson, resigned. Mr. Walter W. Chapman was elected paying-teller and Mr. R. Snowden Thomas receiving-teller.
28. Mr. Joseph Pearson, of Millington, buried a daughter of 16 and a son of 20 years of age, at the same time. The deaths were the result of typhoid fever.
29. Barn and contents burned on farm of John Dickinson, near Rock Hall.
31. A two-year-old son of Mr. T. J. Parsons fell from a second-story window, but was not seriously injured.

SEPTEMBER—

1. Public schools opened.
1. John W. Hines died, aged 55 years.
4. The barn, 1500 bushels of wheat and a valuable lot of farming implements belonging to Mr. Larry Reese, near Millington, destroyed by fire.
8. Tournament at Worton. Miss Ida Jewell crowned queen by Mr. George Rouse, to whom Mr. William Stephens accorded his right.
11. Master Arthur Merritt died, aged 16.
11. B. R. Meginnis died in Wilmington, aged 75.
11. Corner-stone layed of the new Betterton M. E. Church. Services conducted by Rev. R. W. Todd and Rev. J. D. Kemp.
13. Cleveland and Stevenson banner in Chestertown thrown to the breeze.
15. Oyster touging season opened.
18. Barn and stable on farm of Theodore Diehl destroyed by fire.
20. Second Annual Convention of Easton District Epworth League, convened at Chestertown, Rev. E. C. Macnichol in the chair.
22. One man killed and another injured by a train on the B. & D. R. R., near Lynch's Station.
22. William Ford, Jr., instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun.
24. Democratic Congressional Primaries held.
25. Lightning struck and seriously damaged the house of Mr. John McLane, near Rock Hall.
26. Democratic Convention met in Chestertown to elect three delegates to Easton Congressional Convention. Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, W. B. Usilton and John Brice selected.
28. Congressional Convention in Easton. Hope H. Barroll substituted for Dr. Jacobs, who was detained at home. John B. Brown, of Queen Anne's, nominated for Congressman Page's unexpired term of 52d Congress, and Robert F. Brattan, of Somerset, for the 53d Congress. Harrison W. Vickers, of Kent, was put in nomination by Hope H. Barroll, Esq.

OCTOBER—

1. Oystermen of Rock Hall and vicinity held a mass meeting, favoring Capt. J. H. Horney as his own successor on the police schooner Helen Baughman.
12. Grand bicycle parade in Chester town.
14. Five mile bicycle race from Worton station to Chestertown. James D. Lucas, winner in 22 minutes; Carl Westcott, 2d in 23 minutes; H. Rickey, Jr., 3d in 24 minutes.
14. Rev. A. T. Melvin, died at Bel Air, Harford county, aged 52 years.
16. Fourth anniversary of the dedication of Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Chestertown.
20. Rousing Democratic meeting in Chestertown, over 300 horsemen in line.
21. Columbus Day celebrated by the public schools throughout the county.
24. George Tayman drowned in Sassafras river, near Shallcross' wharf.
25. Opening of the trial of John Potts, Moses Brown, Fletcher Williams, Charles Brooks, Joshua Baynard, Charles S. Emory, Henry Hurtt, Frisby Comegys and Louis Benson, charged with the murder of Dr. J. H. Hill, near Millington, on the night of April 23.
25. New steamer Sassafras made her first regular trip on the Sassafras river line.
28. Thomas J. Britton, died at Millington, aged 86 years.
29. Terrific forest fires raging in forests near Golts and Vandykes stations, and much property destroyed.
29. Washington College foot-ball team defeated the Maryland Agricultural College team by a score of 38 to 0.
29. Mr. Stephen M. Thomas, of Millington, stricken with paralysis.
30. House in Millington belonging to T. J. McWhorter, destroyed by fire.
30. The Worton Presbyterian Church dedicated. Rev. W. H. Logan, of Princess Anne, preached the dedicatory sermon.
31. Judge Joseph A. Wickes pronounced sentence of death upon the three men Brooks, Williams, and Brown, and the five boys, Baynard, Benson, Comegys and Emory for the murder of Dr. Hill.
31. Mr. John Z. Clark had his arm broken by being thrown out of a dearborn.

NOVEMBER—

2. Five-mile bicycle race from Worton to Chestertown, won by Carl Westcott in 19 minutes; W. W. Chapman second, in 19¼ minutes, and James D. Lucas third in 19½ minutes.
2. Mrs. Theodore Pennypacker had her hand blown to pieces by the accidental discharge of a dynamite cap.
2. Joseph Goff, of razzle dazzle notoriety, taken to the penitentiary for five years for bigamy. Goff, while having a wife living in Delaware, married Miss Ida Cooper, of Chestertown.
2. Potts, the negro acquitted of the murder of Dr. Hill, and Bradshaw, who turned State's evidence, released from jail and went to Baltimore.
3. A distressing drought prevails.
4. A granary and other outbuildings, stock and farming implements on the farm of W. Irving Walker, near Chester bridge destroyed by fire. Loss about $3,500.
4. Protracted drought broken.
6. John G. Myers died at Galena, aged 82 years.
8. DEMOCRATIC Election Day. The ring and the bosses knocked out.
9. Eugene Gooding died at his home in Baltimore, 49 years of age.
9. First snow of the season.
10. Democrats ready to explode because of a muchness of rejoicing.
11. Death warrants of the Hill murderers signed by Governor Brown, and December 30 named as the day of execution.
11. Mrs. Ida V. Catlin, wife of Dr. J. A. Catlin, died suddenly at her home in her 45th year.
14. Mr. John Judefind, an enthusiastic Seventh Day Adventist, arrested and fined for working on Sunday.
21. Millington has a monster celebration of the Democratic victory of Nov. 8.
21. Governor Brown, at the solicitation of citizens, changed the date of the execution of the Hill murderers from December 30 to January 13.
22. Chestertown and Kent's rousing ratification and celebration.
24. Washington College foot-ball team defeats the Elkton team 32 to 0.
27. The big comet expected in Kent, but did not put in an appearance. Many disappointed.

DECEMBER—

2. R. K. Pippin & Son completed the woodwork on the American Straw-Board Mill.
2. The Fifth District has a monster parade and Cleveland & Stevenson celebration.
2. William Jones, of Queen Anne's, appointed keeper of Chester bridge.
3. Sheds and fodder on the farm near Lynch's, tenanted by J. Ford Caulk, destroyed by fire. Origin unknown.
7. Annual convention of the Dual Grand Lodge of Good Templars opened at Still Pond.
7. Captain Thomas W. Hyland appointed by the Board of Public Works, to succeed Captain J. H. Horney in command of the oyster police boat, Anna B. Smith.
8. Petitions for and against a commutation of the death sentence of the five boys condemned to death for the murder of Dr. Hill, to imprisonment for a term of years, put in circulation.
8. The full particulars of the great Rock Hall improvement first made known to the public through the TRANSCRIPT.
9. Death warrants read to the Hill murderers.
9. The handsome barn, six horses and other valuable property destroyed on the Knight's Island farm of Capt. Andrew Woodall.
15. Rock Hall postoffice robbed of $135.
21. Bishop A. W. Wayman visited the murderers of Dr. Hill, in the Chestertown jail.
22. The name of "Cleveland" suggested for the new town to be built adjoining Rock Hall.

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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 constitution remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian 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; which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Owing to not having received our supply of Mules for hauling straw, we desire all parties who can deliver it at the mill to do so, and receive $1.25 per ton for hauling same.

AMERICAN STRAWBOARD COMPANY.
W. T. MATTHEWS, Supt. d29-3t.

SCHOOL BOARD NOTICE.

The Public Schools will close Friday afternoon, Dec. 23, and reopen on TUESDAY MORNING, January 3rd. By order

d29-1t. E. F. PERKINS, SEC.

BANK NOTICE:

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the SECOND NATIONAL BANK of Chestertown, Md., that their regular *Annual Meeting* for the election of Nine Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking house, in Chestertown, *TUESDAY, JANUARY, 10th, 1893*, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

W. B. COPPER,
d8-5t. CASHIER.

LOST.

On the streets of Chestertown on the night of Tuesday, November 24, a SIX SHOOTER, 32 CALIBRE PISTOL. A suitable reward if left at the TRANSCRIPT office.

JOSEPH TURNER.

NOTICE:

Parties owing the undersigned can pay the amounts in my absence by depositing to my credit in the Second National Bank with duplicate deposit ticket, or mail check to Chestertown postoffice, for which receipts will be mailed. Accounts not so paid will shortly be given to my attorney for collection.

d22-1t. JOSEPH TURNER.

CHURCH NOTICE.

St. Paul's and I. U. Churches—Services at 10.00 A. M. and 3.00 P. M. for the winter months, commencing Dec. 18, 1892.

MAGIC LANTERN EXHIBITION.

A Magic Lantern Exhibition will be given at the LOCUST GROVE M. E. Church, on Friday Evening, DECEMBER 16, commencing at 7 o'clock, for the benefit of the Sunday school.

PROF. C. C. PERKINS,

Will re-open his Dancing School in Stam's Hall, on Friday, December 16, 1892. Lessons from 7.30 to 9.30. None but scholars allowed in dance room.

d15-3t. PROF. C. C. PERKINS.

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Real Estate Broker,

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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.

T. J. SHALLCROSS, Pres;
R. C. MORGAN,
G. W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
HORACE WILLSON,
10-tf. Commissioners.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Kent County, Maryland, to wit:

I hereby certify, that William J. Vannort, of Kent county, made complaint under oath before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for Kent county, this 7th day of December, 1892, as astray trespass upon his enclosures TWO WHITE SOWS with pigs, which have since farrowed, said estrays taken up on December 3, 1892. Given under my hand.

THOS. S. DODD, J. P.

The owner of the above-described property will please come forward, prove property, pay charges, including costs of this advertisement, and take it way.

d8-4t. W. J. VANNORT.

County Commissioners' Notice.

Owing to the great expense attending the Hill murder case, the County Commissioners have resolved not to consider any petitions for new roads and bridges throughout the county the coming year, 1893.

THOS. J. SHALLCROSS,
R. C. MORGAN,
G. W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
HORACE WILLSON,
County Commissioners.

Test—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk. d15-4t

ORDER NISI.

Albert L. Corey,

VERSUS

Samuel H. Crawford & Julia R. Crawford.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity No. 1013.

ORDERED, this 3d day of December, 1892, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Albert L. Corey, assignee, under power contained in a mortgage from S. H. and Julia R. Crawford to Charles H. Baker, attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 7th day of February, 1893 next—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 5th day of January next. The report states the amount of sales to be $300.

True Copy—Test: SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk,
d8-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk

Mortgagee's Sale

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate

In Kent County, Md.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage from Norris Barnard and Martha A. Barnard, his wife, to Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., dated the 10th day of June, 1890, and recorded among the Land Record Books for Kent county, Maryland, in Liber S. B. No. 13, folios 408, etc., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, '93,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., ALL THAT

Valuable FARM

AND PREMISES,

situated in the Third Election District of Kent county, Maryland, lying on the Chesapeake bay and the public road leading from near Lynch's Station to Barnard's Wharf, and adjoining said wharf, the Howell's Point farm and others.

Containing 443 Acres,

And 20 Perches of Land, More or Less.

subject, however, to the rights of way as now laid off and used, and the use of the landing in common with the farms and lands mentioned in the will of Robert Polk, deceased, which will has been duly recorded in the Register's office for Kent county aforesaid, and also the Staats and Marton or Moffett farms, the right of way across the field called Perry's, along the eastern line of the "Middle Farm," or Howell's Point, till it intersects the present lane thereby, said lane to the landing, all of which the said farms now have. Being the same land which was conveyed by Robert E. Wallis and wife to the said Norris Barnard in fee simple by deed dated the first day of January, 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county aforesaid, in Liber J. K. H., No. 5, folios 433, etc, saving and excepting therefrom, however, all that part thereof containing 2 roods and 2 perches of land, which was conveyed by the said Norris Barnard and wife to the president and directors of the Barnard Wharf Company, by deed recorded among said Land Record Books in Liber J. K. H., No. 8, folios 380, etc., to which deed, and to a confirmatory deed of mortgage from the said Norris Barnard and wife to the said Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., duly executed and acknowledged, dated June 13, 1890, and recorded among said Land Record Books in Liber S. B., No. 13, folio 417, reference is made for a fuller description of the same.

THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSIST OF

ONE OF THE

Best Residences

in the county, having the modern conveniences of Steam Heating and Water throughout the larger part of the house, and ample Outbuildings for the farm, including

4 Double and 5 Single Tenant Houses,

TWO BARNS, and Stabling sufficient for 14 horses and 5 cows, etc., etc.

The land is well adapted to the growth of wheat, corn, truck and fruits, and at the present time has from

30 to 40 Acres in PEAR TREES,

40 to 50 Acres in APPLE TREES,

600 to 800 CHERRY TREES,

100 to 140 Acres in PEACH TREES,

old and young orchards;

20 to 30 Acres in Raspberries and Blackberries

5 to 6 Acress in ASPARAGUS,

About 40 Acres in WHEAT,

The balance of the arable land being in pasture. The farm is convenient to churches and schools, being located about four miles from the village of Still Pond and about 1½ miles from Betterton, and in one of the best neighborhoods of Kent county. It has daily communication by water with the cities of Baltimore and Philadelphia, when steamers are signalled, and during fruit season steamers stop regularly at Barnard's wharf, adjoining the farm.

Possession given on the ratification of the sale, subject to the rights of the tenant in the wheat now seeded on the farm.

TERMS OF SALE ARE:

One-third of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; the balance to be paid in one, two and three years in equal instalments, with interest payable annually, or the entire purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, at the option of the purchaser. The credit payments to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with surities approved by the undersigned.

THOMAS W. ELIASON, JR.,
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct. MORTGAGEE.

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Gold Embossed Papers.....11 cts. the roll.

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PERCY T. McFEELY,
d8. Chestertown, Md.

Order of Publication.

Albert Godwin, Plaintiff,

vs.

S. Ellen Spry, Samuel M. Ford, Eliza J. Ford, George W. Spry, Charles H. B. Spry, Walter M. Spry, James A. Spry, Walter M. Spry, James A. Spry, Vermadilla S. Massey, Robert B. M. Massey, Lena Ireland, Jonathan J. Hurlock, Araminta Hurlock, George A. Ireland, Mary Ireland, Thomas G. Jarman, Elizabeth Jarman, Lillie Wiggins, Charles Wiggins, William Jarman, Samuel Boyd, Martha Boyd, Hannah Gooding, Perry Ruth, Sarah Ruth, Peter Brinsfield, Mattie Brinsfield, C. W. S. Medders, Andrew Medders, John Medders, Charles T. Westcott, trustee of C. Wright Spry.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, No. 1,019.

THE object of this bill is to obtain a decree appointing a trustee to collect certain annual rent charges due the estate of Martha Jane Walmsley, formerly Martha Jane Mann, due her under deed from Caleb W. Spry to Thomas J. Mann and Martha Jane Mann, his wife, and to distribute the same to the heirs at law of the said Martha Jane Mann, deceased.

The bill states that heretofore Martha J. Walmsley, late of Kent county, deceased, formerly Martha J. Mann, was entitled to a certain annuity or rent charge out of a certain farm situated at or near Spry's gate, in Kent county, Maryland, as will appear by a certain deed filed in this cause, marked Exhibit No. 1, which deed was made to Thomas J. Mann and Martha J. Mann, who, after the death of Thomas J. Mann, intermarried with a certain J. B. Walmsley, who is now dead.

The bill further states that the said Martha Jane Walmsley, formerly Martha Jane Mann, was empowered by the before-mentioned deed, to dispose of the aforesaid annuity or rent charges by her last will and testament or appointment executed in the presence of two or three witnesses, but failed to do so, as will be seen by a copy of the last will and testament of the said Martha J. Walmsley, filed in this cause and marked plaintiff's Exhibit No. 2.

The bill further states that the said Martha J. Walmsley left the following heirs at law, namely, a sister, S. Ellen Spry, one of these defendants, another sister, Sarah Welch, who has since died, leaving an only child, Martha Godwin, formerly Martha Welch, who intermarried with Thomas Godwin, both of whom died, leaving two children, Wm. E. Godwin, who is now dead, and Albert Godwin, the complainant in this cause.

The said Martha J. Walmsley also left a brother, Wm. T. Spry, who has since died, leaving the following heirs at law, namely:

Eliza J. Spry, who intermarried with Sam'l M. Ford, George W. Spry, Charles H. B. Spry, Walter M. Spry, James A. Spry, Vermadilla S. Spry, who intermarried with Robert B. M. Massey, Araminta Spry, who intermarried with Jonathan J. Hurlock, Mary Spry, who intermarried with George A. Ireland, and Susan Spry, who intermarried with Joseph P. Ireland, both of whom are now dead, leaving a daughter, Lena Ireland, Elizabeth Spry, who intermarried with Thomas G. Jarman, and died, leaving the following children: Elizabeth J