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COLLINS & HOPPER,
EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

THE affairs of the Reading Railroad system were placed in the hands of receivers on Monday.

GEN'L P. G. T. BEAUREGARD, the last survivor of the great Confederate military leaders, died in New Orleans on Monday night.

THE Crisfield *Times* says: "An Eastern Shoreman is sure to be the next Governor of Maryland, and John Walter Smith, of Worcester, will be that Eastern-shoreman."

THE HOME, at Brownsville, Pennsylvania, in which James G. Blaine was born, was last week raided by the police as being used for carrying on a disreputable business.

GOVERNOR McKINLEY, of Ohio, by overconfidence in a friend, has been compelled to pay over one hundred and ten thousand dollars, and is virtually a bankrupt. His wife will surrender her fortune to meet the financial demands upon her husband.

HAWAII'S relations with the United States have been of a character eminently satisfactory to the Republic. The annexation of the remotely situated island and its semi-civilized people would result in being a source of weakness rather than strength to the United States.

THE NOTORIOUS POLITICIAN, David Bennett Hill, of New York, has, by his consummate arrogance and assininity, eternally blighted any and all claims upon the consideration of the national Democracy as a candidate for Presidential honors, unless the "managers" can temper the political breezes to the shorn lamb, which they often do.

GEORGE A. JENKS, of Pennsylvania, has been appointed by President-elect Cleveland, United States Attorney-General. The Philadelphia *Record* says: "He is a man of very Democratic tendencies, modest and unassuming. He is a remarkable reasoner, and many believe him to be one of the ablest lawyers in the country. As a Democrat he has always been a stalwart of stalwarts.

IT IS STATED that Congressman John B. Brown will be the successful applicant for the Collectorship of the Port of Baltimore in defiance of the "Bosses" and the State "machine." "The general speculation as to who, or what phase of influence, will have the call under Grover," has, we believe, already been removed from the State of agonizing uncertainty to which the petty managers of local politics refer. It has long since become evident that Mr. Cleveland is far too large for the arms of the Maryland Octopus to throttle.

HAD MR. CLEVELAND'S record as President been smirched, or characterized by blunders in dealing with national or international affairs, there might be some reasonable excuse for the criticisms of his appointment of Judge Gresham to a Cabinet position, but with a manhood and honesty unimpeached, an administration marked by a success as broad as his statesmanship was unerring, the Democracy of America can well afford to trust the man who gave his party a platform, the people a leader and the country at large an administration pure, statesmanlike and courageous.

A MASS MEETING has been called to meet in Centreville, on March 7, at one o'clock, to discuss the feastibility of forming a Road League. Mr. W. Irving Walker, the member of the State League, from Queen Anne's, is taking a lively interest in the matter and will thoroughly explain the plans and operations of similar organizations elsewhere in the State. It is claimed that the local Leagues are potent factors in supplementing the efforts of local authorities in their work of securing good roads. Would it not be well for Kent to be represented at the proposed meeting? Surely such an organization could do no harm and if any benefits can possibly accrue let us have them.

NO OFFICIAL action has been taken by the board of county commissioners relative to a radical change of method in the public road system of Kent county. Jas. A. Pearce, Esq., in response to a communication asking weather or not the power was vested in the board of commissioners to make the change, says that the law clothes the local authorities with the necessary right to inaugurate the system referred to, and that no trouble from want of legal authority need be feared. The county commissioners inform us that they will have their road-work specifications completed by the seventh of March, when they will advertise for proposals to do the work specified, as will be exhibited by each district specified thereon.

COMMENCING with the last issue of the TRANSCRIPT a new era of success was evidently commenced. The paper was for the first time within its history printed by steam, and under conditions so entirely new and satisfactory that its continued success is already assured. The engine and presses have all been placed on solid brick and cement foundations, and the machinery in its every part works with the precision and steadiness of clock-work. Many friends were present to witness the starting of the machinery, and expressed themselves as astonished at the thorough equipment of the TRANSCRIPT for all manner of work. Congratulations have been received from every section of the county and State. In the form of a practical recognition of the vast progressive movement made, an amount of work was already on file which, with the old facilities, would have taken weeks to have disposed of. This kindly feeling as expressed from every section, has been peculiarly gratifying to the management of the paper.

TO THE INAUGURATION VIA B. & O. R. R.—For the benefit of those desiring to witness the inaugural ceremonies at Washington, March 4th, the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Co., will sell excursion tickets to Washington and return from all stations on its lines at low excursion rates. Tickets will be sold March 2d and 3rd, and for trains reaching Washington before noon of March 4th. They will be valid for return journey until March 7th inclusive. The round trip rate from Baltimore is $1.60.

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OUR VACCINATION LAWS.

With several cases of small pox in Cecil county, it is of vital importance that every precaution be exercised to prevent the spread of the disease, and to render, so far as can be done, its introduction into Kent county impossible. Examiner Eben F. Perkins has insisted upon it that the law governing the examination of children in, and before being admitted to the public schools be strickly adhered to, and so far as known the law is strickly observed. The law requires that:

"It shall be the duty of every parent and guardian to have his or her child vaccinated within twelve months after its birth, if it shall be in proper condition, or as soon thereafter as practicable; and if such parent or guardian shall have any other person under his or her control or care, not duly vaccinated, he or she shall cause such person to be vaccinated prior to the first day of November of each year. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

"No teacher of any school shall receive into such school any person, as a scholar, until such person shall produce the certificate of some regular practicing physician that such applicant for admission into the school has been duly vaccinated. Any teacher so offending shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a fine of ten dollars for each offence; and no public school trustee or commissioner shall grant a permit to any child to enter any public school without such certificate, under the same penalty."

Dr. W. Frank Hines, secretary of the Board of Health for Kent county, has labored industriously to prevent the introduction and spread of any contagious diseases, and with marked success.

THE TAX CONVENTION.

The tax convention called by Governor Brown to consider the subject of taxation, and to elicit such expressions of opinion from every section of the State if possible, as would tend to lead up to and assist in the passage of such a bill by the next Legislature, as would equalize taxation and furnish relief to a tax burdened people. Dr. Frank T. Shaw, of Carroll county, the State tax commissioner, was chosen temporary chairman, and State Senator George A. Pearre, of Allegany county, was made temporary secretary. After listening to the address of Governor Brown convening the convention, the delegates adjourned until Wednesday, March 1, when they will meet again at the same place at seven and ahalf o'clock at night. Many of the county delegates made a stubborn fight against such a long adjournment.

Messrs. Charles T. Westcott, William S. Walker and James S. Harris were present from Kent. Mr. Westcott is president of the Chestertown National Bank, and one of the largest real estate owners in the county. He has given the subject much consideration, and has decided views in regard to the tax question, and though he would make no statement for publication, it is known that he is favorable to the right of local assessments or the vesting of the power in the boards of county commissioners upon the grounds of economy and for other reasons. Mr. Wm. S. Walker left on Tuesday morning. Mr. Walker stated that he had considered the question only in a general way, and would enter the convention unprejudiced in favor of any particular system or method of taxation, and will therefore be in a position to act for the best interests of the State at large irrespective of classes or particular characters of property.

Mr. James S. Harris has possibly given the subject as close investigation as any farmer in the county, and entered upon his duties thoroughly equipped to vote intelligently and dispassionately, and solely for the best interests of the county and State.

THE EASTON AND NORTHERN RAILROAD.

With characteristic and commendable zeal, the Cecil *Democrat* is pushing the matter of better railroad facilities for the lower sections of that county, which means virtually that the proposed Easton and Northern Railroad be pushed to a completion. A correspondent says in the *Democrat*:

"I would suggest the revival of the Elkton and Massey's Road, which could be built on the old bed of the Eastern Shore Road, which is already graded from Elkton to the Bohemia river, a point at the head of tridewater, and would not require expensive bridging, thence via Warwick and Sassafras to Massey's, connecting with the Kent Road to Chestertown and Bombay Hook on the Delaware, also with the Queen Anne's Road to Centreville, thus making a direct line which no doubt would be extended down the Shore.

"I believe if there was a proper effort made by the citizens there could be enough stock subscribed to secure the $55,000 appropriation from the State. With the extension of the Northern Road from Singerly (on the B. & O. Road) to Elkton, the Baltimore merchants would see their chance to get their share of the Peninsula trade, which naturally belongs to them.

A VERITABLE BLIZZARD.

Destruction to Property in Kent—Sufferings on Land and Water.

After a day of almost spring-like sunshine and warmph, a terrific storm swept over Kent county on Sunday night scarcely second in severity to the destructive cyclone which struck Still Pond in 1888, killing eight persons by the destruction of a cannery. About nine o'clock it became intensely dark, rain commenced to fall rapidly changing into a heavy snow squall driven before a heavy northwest wind. Shortly after ten o'clock a tremendous roaring was heard, and in an instant the mighty force of the storm swept down, striking dwellings with a sound like that made had some heavy weight been thrown suddenly against them. Buildings rocked and the greatest consternation prevailed, many persons being afraid to retire during the night. Window shutters and window glass were smashed, fences and telephone poles blown down, and general havoc was played in this way. Rev. D. L. Greenfield states that his home rocked like a cradle.

Mrs. T. J. Shallcross asked if an earthquake were not coming. Reports from every section of the county state that fences were blown down and straw stacks blown over by the gale. A large shed was completely demolished on the farm tenanted by Mr. William Hudson, near Fairlee, and four cows, three of them finely bred Herefords belonging to R. G. Nicholson were killed together with eight sheep.

The large exhibition hall at Worton fair grounds was moved from its foundation about four feet, and the large hay barrack belonging to Mr. L. C. Justis, Jr., was completely overturned.

On the bay and on Chester river the violence of the storm was terrific. Capt. John A. Clark, commander of the Chester river steamer B. S. Ford, rescued a crew of two men and a boy from a perilous position on their ice-logged vessel, the Sarah Eldridge from the Wicomico river loaded with 900 bushels of oysters. The water had swept over the vessel and frozen until she was a solid mass of ice from stem to stern and was entirely unmanagable. Ropes as large as a man's thumb had become encrusted with ice until they were as large as a man's body. The boat was leaking badly and was at anchor when abandoned by her crew. A heavy sea was on at the time, and not until three unsuccessful attempts had been made were the men, with a small amount of clothing gotten on board the steamer. The captain of the half-sunk and helpless vessel tried in vain to induce his crew to remain on board, and only after their positive refusal was a signal of ditress run up at half mast. The men were kindly cared for by Capt. Clark, were brought to Chestertown and carried to Baltimore on Tuesday morning. Passengers offered to pay for the care of the men, but the Ford's commander refused, proudly declaring that no shipwrecked seaman or others could be financially indebted to the Chester river company or its representatives for such acts of kindness to suffering sailors.

The following complimentary resolutions were passed by the passengers and the rescued crew:

We, the undersigned passengers aboard the Chester river steamer B. S. Ford, take pleasure in congratulating Capt. John A. Clark, master thereof; his officers and crew, for their gallant rescue of the captain and crew of schooner Sarah Eldridge, of Norfolk, from their perilous position on their ice-logged and sinking vessel, in face of a heavy sea and high wind, near the mouth of Patapsco river, Monday morning, February 20, 1893. Signed

WM. J. VANNORT, W. IRVING WALKER,
F. D HADDAWAY, J. E. KIRK,
RICHD. J. MACKALL, BERNARD P. SCHREVE,
MRS. JOHN BRICE, JR.

We, the rescued Captain and crew of the schooner Sarah Eldridge, tender to Capt. John A. Clarke, officers and crew of the Chester river steamer B. S. Ford, our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for their gallant and heroic rescue of us from our sinking vessel in the face of so many dangers attending theron. Signed

JOSEPH WEST, captain;
THEO. UPCHURCH, mate;
VANCE ROBERTSON, cook.

A large schooner was blown ashore off My Lord's Gift, near the mouth of Queenstown creek, and the large grain schooner Chesterfield, belonging to Captain C. H. Clash, of Centreville, was reported ashore in Earle's Hollow, Corsica river, having on board 3600 bushels of grain. A vessel which was struck by the storm near Fort Carroll, in the Patapsco, was forced to send under bare masts, and was beached and sunk on Swan Point. Signals of distress were raised, and the Ford would have rendered assistance but the shallowness of the water rendered it impossible. A boat was manned at Rock Hall and rescued the crew. A number of sail vessels had their sails torn into shreds and were otherwise injured. A vessel is capsized off Comegy's bite.

THE EFFECTS OF THE STORM AT ROCK HALL.

Our Rock Hall correspondent writes: The northwest gale that struck us about 10 P. M. Sunday night did considerable damage. The new bugeye I. X. L., Capt. George T. Sewell, owner and master, is high and dry on Scoone's Point, on a shoal at the mouth of Rock Hall Creek proper. As the I. X. L. was the only vessel in Rock Hall Creek proper, she was in no way damaged by coming in contact with other boats in dragging ashore. Around at the steamboat wharf things are torn up in general. The pungy Stephen Hopkins, Capt. Jas. F. Stevens; the Wm. A. Egerton, Capt. Thomas Hogan; the Ann Parker, Capt. B. F. Sewell; the Aerial, Capt. Winfield S. Boyer, the dredge boat which was captured last Saturday, and several small boats are ashore at the wharf. There is more damage done to the smaller crafts, as many of them were tied at the wharf, and the water blowing over them filled them and sunk them, and scattered their fixings in every direction.

The captain and crew of the pungy Express, tell a very thrilling story of their experience in the storm. The captain said: "We left Pocomoke sound early Sunday morning and had a good breeze from the south until we were between Seven-foot knoll light and Sparrows Point, when a squall struck us with such fury we could'nt carry a yard of sail; the only thing we could do was to turn before it, and this we did, and were not long about it. Many times the sea would wash me from the heim. It was about midnight when we struck on the bar, and from then until two o'clock the following day, when we were rescued, was the roughest experience of my life. The water raked us fore and aft, and we went in the cabin and had to shut ourselves in to keep the water from filling her through the companion way. About two hours after we struck, the vessel began to leak, and as the water raised we raised our stove accordingly until we had it as high as we could possibly get it from the floor, and as our wood was nearly gone, we would have perished before midnight if we had not been taken off." Early Monday morning the boat was seen by the residents of this place, but owing to the extreme high wind and cold no one ever thought of trying to reach her until the wind subsided a little. It was about half-past one o'clock, when Capt. Wm. Urie said he was going out there and he wasn't long getting several others to go with him. The crew consists of captain, one man and two boys. They are staying aboard of Capt. Willa Stevens' pungy the Marion, and will try to get their boat off as soon as the weather permits.

THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

At Annapolis roofs were blown off and some families prepared to remove from their homes in the midst of the storm. The gale entailed a loss of fully $15,000 to Westminster, Carroll county. The greatest damage was to the Western Maryland College, which stands on a high hill. The tin roof of the young ladies' dormitory was rolled up by the wind and kited away. The young ladies were in their rooms at the time but had not retired. Their beds were showered with bricks and mortar. The loss to the building will be about $1,500.

The steeple of the Reformed Church was leveled to the roof; the organ was damaged and the memorial windows broken. Many other buildings were seriously damaged. The storm in the county was fearful and it is impossible to estimate the damage. Throughout the State the storm was of great violence and the cold in some sections was intense. In Chestertown the thermometer registered ten degrees above zero.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

DOG LOST.

Double nose, Orange and White Setter, answers to the name of Joe or Uke. Any information will be liberally rewarded. Had on a very heavy white leather collar.

JOHN MEDDERS,
f16-3t. Kennedyville, Md.

FOR SALE.

100,000 Choice Barr's Mammoth ASPARAGUS CROWNS.

HENRY BROWN,
COMEGYS BROWN,
f16-tf. Pomona, Md.

FOR SALE.

200,000 *ASPARAGUS ROOTS*, one and two years old, of the Palmetto variety, from which I carefully selected the seed from the largest stalks, and many bunches I packed last season had only 11 stalks per bunch. Also, 200 Bushels Choice Yellow SEED CORN of the big cob variety.

W. O. SHALLCROSS,
f16-tf. Cecilton, Cecil Co., Md.

FOR SALE.

ONE PAIR OF YOUNG MULES; three years old next spring. For terms, apply to

S. J. ROSEBERRY,
f9-3t. Still Pond, Md.

$25 Reward.

The Board of County School Commissioners offer a reward of Twenty-Five Dollars for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have broken into the Hopewell School House. By order.

E. F. PERKINS,
f9-3t. Sec.

FOR RENT.

The DWELLING and STORE HOUSE in Kennedyville, formerly occupied by Weer & Brother, for balance of present year. For terms, etc., apply to

WEER & BROTHER,
f2-4t.* Kennedyville, Md.

HAIR DRESSER'S NOTICE.

MRS. LULA HENSON, wife of "Phil," barber on steamer Emma A. Ford, is a practical hair-dresser, and kindly invites the ladies of Chestertown and vicinity to call at her residence and have their hair shampooned and bangs trimmed. Hair dressed in latest fashions for parties, receptions, weddings, etc., etc. Residence Cannon street, opposite Voshell House. f2-3t.

Chester River Steamboat Company.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT
—FOR—
The Inauguration at Washington
MARCH 4.
Steamer EMMA A. FORD

will leave Chestertown at 8 A.M., Friday, March 3, stopping at Rock Hall in addition to her regular landing, arriving in Baltimore about 1.30 P. M. Parties desiring to take a later boat, can board the steamer B. S. Ford at Centreville 3 P. M. same day, and all the intermediate landings between Centreville and Chestertown, on her regular trip to Chestertown, without extra charge. Will leave Quaker Neck at 4 P. M., Booker's 4.15 P. M., Rolph's 4.30 P. M.

Will leave Chestertown for Baltimore at 5 P. M., arriving in Baltimore about 9 P. M. Returning, will leave Baltimore at 8 P. M. Saturday.

Regular Fare Each Way.

GEORGE WARFIELD, President.

Auditor's Notice.

No. 633 Equity.

William W. Rasin,
vs.
Joseph C. Rasin.

THE lien creditors of Joseph C. Rasin are hereby notified to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the 25th day of April, 1893, when an account will be stated, distributing the fund in the hands of the trustee.

By order of the Court.

f23-4t. E. F. PERKINS, Auditor.

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

JAMES A. TOULSON,

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 15th day of Aug., 1893, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of February, 1893.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
f9-4t. Executor.

ORDER NISI.

Hope H. Barroll and James J. Archer, Trustees,
vs.
Henry W. Archer, of Robert.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 6th day of February, 1893, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll and James J. Archer, trustees, under a deed of trust, filed in this case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 6th day of April 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 6th day of March next. The report states the amount of sales to be $1,175.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
f9-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

George J. Houston,
vs.
Heirs of Sydney Derry.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 8th day of February, 1893, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, by a decree of this court, passed in the above-entitled case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 8th day of April 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 8th day of March next. The report states the amount of sales to be $280.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
f9-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

George W. Harper
vs.
Charles Ringgold, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 7th day of February, 1893, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, appointed by a decree of this court passed in the above-entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 7th day of April 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 7th day of March next. The report states the amount of sales to be $325.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
f9-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

Samuel C. Welch,
VERSUS
Sarah M. Christopher, et al.

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

ORDERED, this 28th day of January, 1893, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, appointed by a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a court of equity, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th 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 three successive weeks before the 28th day of February next. The report states the amount of sales to be $150.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
f2-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER Clerk.

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-tf

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Horses.

THE undersigned, having more Horses than they need, will offer at public sale, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1893,

on the Market House Square, Chestertown.

ELEVEN HEAD OF FINE
Horses and Colts

TERMS.—Nine Months' note with approved security and payable at the Second National Bank of Chestertown. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

J. F. NEWCOMB,
W. W. NEWCOMB.
L. W. WICKES, Attorney.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of five writs of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of George Scott, one at the suit of Feldeman & Collins, one at the suit of the New Jersey Chemical Co., one at the suit of the Queen Anne's National Bank, one at the suit of Alex. G. Cummins; two issued by C. W. C. Johnson, a Justice of the Peace of Kent county, at the suit of Susan E. Sutton, use of J. D. Urie; one at the suit Marion deK. Smith, trustee; one writ issued by J. Evan Thomas, a Justice of the Peace of Kent county, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Jeremiah N. Moffett. I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, claim and estate at law and in equity of the said Jeremiah N. Moffett, in and to

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND,

in the said county, on the east side of the public road leading from Chesterville to Millington, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Wm. Welch, W. W. Baldwin, et al, called "Chester Grove," "Palmer's Hazzard," containing 123 ACRES of LAND, more or less, which was devised to Jeremiah N. Moffett by his father, Richard Moffett, by will dated July, 1866. Also,

12 Head Horses & Colts,

10 HEAD COWS AND HEIFERS,

1 Top Buggy, 1 Binder, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Peach Body and Springs, 1 Wheat Rake, 1 Drill, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Harness, etc., etc.

And I hereby give notice that on

SATURDAY, March 18, 1893,

at 11 o'clock A. M., in front of the Court House door in Chestertown, I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash.

EDWARD J. PLUMMER, Sheriff

BY THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT

SHOWING THE CONDITION OF THE

Mutual Fire Insurance Co

—OF—

KENT COUNTY, MD.,

DECEMBER 31, 1892.

ASSETS:

Value of Real Estate owned by the Company, less amount of encumbrance thereon	$20,859 07
Loans on Bond and Mortgage	60,300 00
Stocks and Bonds absolutely owned by the Company (market value)	6,000 00
Amount of all Loans (except Mortgages) secured by Stocks, Bonds, and other securities hypothecated to the Company for cash actually loaned by the Company	2,488 21
Interest due and accrued on Stocks, Bonds and other securities	3,565 48
Cash in Company's principal office and belonging to the Company deposited in bank	5,310 89
Premium Notes in force $192,560 75	
All other admitted Assets detailed in statement on file in this office	
Total cash Assets	$98,523 65

LIABILITIES:

Losses reported, adjusted and unpaid	$ 1,210 00
Amount reclaimable by the insured on Perpetual Insurance Policies	53,376 95
Premium Notes in force $192,560 75	
All other claims	7,431 73
Total Liabilities	$62,018 68
Surplus as regards policy holders	
Total income	$36,504 97
Total Expenditures	$12,051 83
Amount of Policies in force in Maryland on December 31st, 1892	17,635 50
Amount of Policies written in Maryland during the year 1892	2,722,247 28
Premiums received on Maryland business in 1892	135,698 24
Losses paid in Maryland during 1892	6,719 68
Losses incurred in Maryland during 1892	8,561 21
	9,161 21

STATE OF MARYLAND,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 13th, 1893.

In compliance with the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent Co., Md., to December 31, 1892, now on file in this department.

I. FREEMAN RASIN,
Feb. 23, 1893—3t. Insurance Commissioner.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
—OF—
RealEstate

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage given by Alfred White and wife to Thomas A. Strong, dated 8th day of May, 1885, recorded in liber S. B., No. 6, folios 508, etc., which said mortgage was by several assignments transferred to the undersigned assignee, the undersigned will offer at public sale,

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1893,

in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md., between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., the following real estate:

ALL THAT LOT OF LAND,

lying in the Third Election District of Kent county, Md., on the north side of the public road leading from Melitota to the bay shore, adjoining the lands of Jacob Freeman, Samuel Latham, et al, containing

SIX ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, together with all the Buildings and Improvements thereon.

TERMS OF SALE.—$150 cash on day of sale, and balance in six and twelve months from day of sale; all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
f9-4s. ASSIGNEE.

EVERYBODY is talking about DUGAN'S STEAMED OYSTERS at the Rockwell House, Monday and Friday evenings of each week.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Thomas S. Wickes, use of F. S. Dunlap, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Frank D. Justis, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Frank D. Justis, in and to

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND,

situated in the Second Election District of Kent county, Maryland, on the road leading from Kennedyville to Turner's Creek, adjoining the old home farm of Daniel Jones, deceased, and

Containing 382 Acres of Land,

more or less (the interest of said Frank D. Justis therein, being one undivided fourth part of said tract of land, subject to a mortgage of $4,997.97, with all interest accrued and unpaid thereon, and subject also to the life estate of Lewis C. Justis, Senior, now held and owned by Lewis C. Justis, Jr.)

And I hereby give notice, that on

THURSDAY, the 2d Day of March, 1893,

at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, Md., I will offer the said interest of the said Frank D. Justis, in and to the property so seized and taken in execution, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

E. J. PLUMMER,
f9-4t. Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., at the suit of Nathan Lieberman, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Ester A. Diehl and Theadore Diehl, to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution all the right, title, claim and interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Ester A. Diehl and Theadore Diehl, in and to

ALL THAT FARM,

situated in the Third Election District of Kent county, Md., in Worton Point, adjoining the lands of Joseph R. Usilton and William Richardson, and known as "Rock Point," which was conveyed to the said Ester A. Diehl by the last will and testament of the late Joseph Usilton, and duly recorded in Liber J. F. No. 1, folio 306, Record of Wills for Kent county, Md.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, the 11th Day of March, '93,

between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., in front of the Court House door, Chestertown, Md., I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said debt, interest and costs.

EDWARD J. PLUMMER,
f16-4s. SHERIFF.

An Act for the Mutual Protection of Breeders and Owners of Stallions.

AN ACT to prevent deception and fraud by owners or agents who may have control of any stallion kept for service, by proclaiming or publishing fraudulent or false pedigrees or records, and to protect such owners or agents in the collection of fees for services of such stallions; and to prevent the entering of trotting horses out of their classes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That every owner or agent who may have the custody or control of any stallion, who shall charge a fee for the services of such stallion, shall before advertising or offering such service, to the public, for any fee, reward or compensation, file with the clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which such owner or owners, agent or agents reside, or in which such stallion shall be kept for service, or if such service shall be offered in the city of Baltimore, then with the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, a written statement giving the name, age, pedigree and record, if known, and if not known, then that the same is unknown, the description, terms and conditions upon which such stallion will serve. Upon filing such statement, the clerk of the Circuit Court for the county, or for the Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore, as the case may be, shall issue a certificate or license to the owner or owners, agent or agents having the custody or control of such stallion, that such a statement has been filed in his office; the owners, or agent or agents of the owners of such stallion shall then post a written or printed copy of the statement so filed with such clerk, in a conspicuous place in each locality in which said stallion shall be kept for service.

SEC. 2. Every owner or agent who shall proclaim or publish a false or fraudulent pedigree or record or statement of any kind regarding any stallion, or who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of section one of this act shall forfeit all fees for the services of such stallion, and the person or persons who may be deceived or defrauded by such false or fraudulent pedigree or record or statement may sue and recover in any court of competent jurisdiction such damages as may be shown to have been sustained by reason of such false and fraudulent representation.

SEC. 3. Whenever the owner or agent of an owner or owners of any stallion shall have complied with the foregoing provisions of this act, the services of such stallion shall become a lien on each mare served, together with the foal of such mare resulting from such service for an amount agreed upon between the parties at the time of service, or in the event of no such agreement having been entered into between them, then in such an amount as specified for service fee of such stallion or stallions in the statement hereinbefore required to be filed with the clerks of said respective courts; provided, that a notice of such lien shall be filed within six months after such service, which lien shall terminate at the end of one year from the date of filing notice thereof, unless within that time an action shall be commenced for the enforcement thereof.

SEC. 6. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7, 1892.

SAMUEL G. FISHER,
f9-4t. Clerk.

Order of Publication.

A. R. Todd,
vs.
Emily Crossley, John Crossley, George E. Maslin, Henrietta Voshell, John Voshell, Jane Maslin, Adeline Maslin, Elizabeth Maslin, Edward Maslin, John D. Urie, Administrator, of George Maslin.

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County, in Equity.

The object of this bill is to procure a decree for the sale of the real estate of George Maslin, late of Kent county, deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts of the said George Maslin.

The bill of complaint of A. R. Todd by William W. Beck, his solicitor, respectfully shows, that George Maslin was, in his lifetime, indebted unto your orator, A. R. Todd, in the full and just sum of fourteen dollars and seventy cents $14.70, with interest thereon from the 17th day of April, 1891, upon a certain open account filed herewith and marked Plaintiff's Exhibit No. 1. That the said George Maslin, being so indebted unto your orator as aforesaid, and also unto divers other persons, and having real estate of some value, but no personal estate sufficient to pay his debt as appears by certificate of Register's Exhibit No. 2, departed this life about fourteen months ago, leaving no widow, but the following children surviving him as his heirs at law: (A) Emily Maslin, who married John Crossley, both of whom reside in Smyrna, in the State of Delaware; (B) George Maslin, who resides in Kent county in the State of Maryland; (C) Henrietta Maslin, who married John Voshell, both of whom reside in Kent county in the State of Maryland, and the said George Maslin also had a son by the name of James Maslin, who is now dead, but who in his lifetime intermarried, and the said James Maslin, by said marriage, left four children who now survive him as follows, namely: Jane Maslin, Elizabeth Maslin and Edward Maslin, all of whom are minors, and who reside in Kent county aforesaid, and Adeline Maslin, who resides at Tapan in the State of New York, who is also a minor.

And your orator is informed and believes that the said George Maslin left a small and insufficient personal estate for payment of his debts, and that letters of administration upon his personal estate have been granted unto John D. Urie, and your orator is advised, that in order to pay his debts and the other debts due from the said George Maslin, it is necessary for the said real estate to be sold, which said real estate consists of thirty-five acres of land more or less, with a house thereon, in the first election district of Kent county aforesaid, and there is nothing else out of which your orator can secure the payment of his claim.

To the end, therefore, that the said real estate of the said George Maslin, deceased, be sold for the payment of your orator's debts and the other debts which may be due from the said George Maslin, and that your orator may have such other and further relief, as this case may require.

It is thereupon, this 31st day of January, 1893, ordered that the complainant, A. R. Todd, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the fourth day of March next, give notice to the said non-resident defendents, Emily Crossley, John Crossley, Elizabeth Maslin and Adeline Maslin, of the object and substance of this bill, and warning them to appear in this court in person or by solicitor, on or before the 25th day of March next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

JAMES T. DIXON, Register.
True copy—test:
JAMES T. DIXON, Register.

"KENT STUD."

SEASON 1893.

ALCANTELL, 21308.

BY ALCANTARA, 2.23.

A Son of Geo. Wilkes, 2 22, and Alma Mater, (dam of 6 in 2.30 list.)

DAM SATINET, by Wedgewood, 2.19 (Sire of Lucille, 2.14¼, Favonia, 2.15); second dam, SUSIE, (dam of Allen Lowe, 2.16¼, and DeBarry, 2.19½), by Happy Medium (sire of Nancy Hanks, 2 04); third dam, COUNTY HOUSE MARE (dam of Nettie, 2.18, and Odd Stocking, 2.45 (dam of Happy Russell, 2.21½), by Seely's American Star.

ALCANTELL is a bay horse, 15 hands high, foaled 1890. He is speedy, a good looker and a sure foal-getter. At the close of the season he will be placed in a trainer's hands for development.

TERMS--$30.00 THE SEASON,

with return privilege until mare proves with foal, or return of service fee at my option. Money due on demand after first service.

Season March 1 to June 1, 1893.

CALAVERES, 1274[illegible]

BY CALIFORNIA, 4132.

A Son of Sultan, 2.24, and Minnehaha, (dam of 5 in 2.30 list.)

DAM FLORENCE, by King Mambrino, 2563 (sire of Mamb. Payne, 2.30, and Dr. M., 2.15), second dam Firstlove, by Clark Chief, 89 (sire of the dams of Martha Wilkes, 208, Corolloid, 2.13¾, Phallas, 2.13