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COLLINS & HOPPER,

EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

Democratic Ticket

FOR COMPTROLLER.
MARION DeKALB SMITH.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE:
DR. E. G. CLARK,
of the first district.
T. ROMIE STRONG,
of the fifth district.

FOR SHERIFF:
THOMAS S. DODD,
of the fourth district.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR:
MILTON MELVIN,
of the third district.

A CASE OF CHOLERA is reported on the steamship Russia, in the New York harbor.

SENATOR CHARLES H. GIBSON, who was reported as quite sick last week is much better.

THE handsome building for the Tome Institute in Port Deposit is nearly finished. It is one of the finest educational structures in the State.

COL. A. K. MCCLURE, editor of the Philadelphia *Times*, is reported to be in a very precarious condition of health. Mr. McClure has many admirers in Kent.

A COMMITTEE of the representative business men of Baltimore visited Washington last week and made earnest appeals to the Senate for the passage of the repeal silver bill.

GOVERNOR BROWN has appointed Mr. Samuel L. Pratt, of Sudlersville, as supervisor of elections for Queen Anne's county, vice Joseph Mallalieu, resigned. Mr. Mallalieu being a candidate for office was disqualified from acting as supervisor of elections.

MR. JAMES R. RANDALL, author of "Maryland, My Maryland," was last week appointed to an important position in the Senate by Sergeant-at-Arms Bright. He was strongly recommended by a large contingent of Southern Senators, as well as by the Maryland Senators. Mr. Randall is a native of Maryland, but, with a short intermission passed in Baltimore, has resided for several years in Georgia. His appointment gives general satisfaction in the Senate.

THE SENATE went into continuous sessions yesterday, and the whole country is anxiously awaiting the result. The Senators from the silver states stand as firm as ever against repeal, while the supporters of the administration stand just as firm for unconditional repeal. It is the general opinion that they will be unable to come to any decision, and will adjourn until the first of December. Can they afford to do this when the voice of the people from every section of the country are demanding decision on their part, that the financial depression may be relived?

THE RACE for the Queen's cup between the American yacht, Vigilant and the English yacht Valkyrie is watched with much interest throughout the country. The interest in Chestertown is very great in the sporting circles. The contest is to be decided by 3 best in 5 races. The first race begun on last Thursday but was given up on account of no wind, and postponed until Saturday when the Vigilant beat the Valkyrie by 5 minutes and 48 seconds. The second race took place on Monday and was again won by the Vigilant by 10 minutes and 35 seconds. The third race took place yesterday, and if the Vigilant won, the cup remains in America. The cup was won by an American yacht in 1851 on English waters, and repeated unsuccessful attempts have been made by England yachts to carry it back to England. The Vigilent is owned by a New York syndicate and the Valkyrie by Lord Dunraven.

A TERRIBLE STORM swept over the islands in the southern part of Louisana on Sunday of last week, which resulted in the loss of over 2000 lives and millions of dollars worth of property, besides depriving thousands of inhabitants of the means of making a livlihood. The islands were almost submerged and will hereafter be abandoned as a habitation for man. Men, women and children are crying for bread, and although provisions and clothing have been sent them, it is not sufficient to meet the needs of the suffering population. The swamps, which are impossible to explore, are covered with dead bodies which is conducive to an epidemic of fever. Hundreds of oyster boats and luggers were lost with most of their crews. The inhabitants of these islands were largely engaged in fishing and oystering for a livlihood. Grand island, one of the group, has been used as a summer resort for several years, though not to a very successful degree. Calls for aid are made to all parts of the country.

JUDGES PAGE AND LLOYD THE NOMINEES.

Judges Henry Page and Henry Lloyd were nominated at the First Judicial Circuit Convention Tuesday, which convened at Princess Anne on Monday.

When the 5650 ballot was taken ex-Governor Jackson called E. Stanley Toadvine, of Wicomico, to the chair and took the floor. Governor Jackson said: "My delegation has voted for Judge Holland. We have done this because we think he is justly entitled to the nomination. Not only are the delegates from Wicomico county of this opinion, but 90 per cent. of the people of my county are of the same opinion. Judge Holland is a Democrat. The delegates to this convention are Democrats and the people who sent us to this convention are Democrats, and we are not willing to run the risk in having Republican Judges in the first judicial district of Maryland." After thanking the Worcester delegation for their loyalty to Judge Holland, the Governor said: "In the interest of harmony and furtherance of Democratic principles we withdraw the name of Judge Holland and cast our four votes for the Hon. Henry Page."

A ballot was then taken for associate judge. Dorchester, Somerset and Wicomico voted for Hon. Henry Lloyd, giving him twelve votes. Worcester county cast her four votes for Clayton J. Purnell.

Harmony prevails and the election of Judges Page and Lloyd is assured.

THE PENINSULA RAILROAD.

The business men and farmers of the Peninsula are very much interested in the subject of the building of a branch road of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad from Elkton down the Peninsula through the counties of the Eastern Shore. An urgent appeal is being made for a Peninsula convention before the meeting of the Legislature, as some important legislation may be needed to complete the project. The establishment of such a railroad could but result in the mutual advantage of the farmers and business men of the entire Peninsula. Better accommodations and cheaper rates for travel and freight would necessarily be the result. It has been suggested that each county of the Eastern Shore appoint a committee of representative men, and a convention be held at some convenient point and the matter thoroughly investigated. We heartily concur in the suggestion. Let some county take the lead and we believe the rest will follow. Kent is ready and willing to do her part.

The Baltimore *Sun* of date of Oct. 4, published the following from Mr. James E. Ellegood, of Wicomico county:

"I have favored the project for several years. I believe such a road would pay, for it would pass through one of the best farming sections of the State, and would be beneficial to our agricultural interests, for it would give two outlets to the lower Peninsula as well as to the upper portion. This Peninsula, with good, rapid railroad facilities, with its present waterways, and many other peculiar advantages of soil, climate and geographical situation, must, in the nature of things, become a prosperous agricultural community. But present transportation rates are practically prohibitory for fruit and truck-raising, and unless there is competition or a reduction in rates our people will be driven solely to wheat and corn-raising."

EX-GOVERNOR GROOME DEAD.

Hon. James Black Groome, ex-Governor of Maryland, died on Wednesday night last at his home, 2 East Preston street, Baltimore, aged 55 years. Mr. Groome was taken sick on Sunday while visiting his mother, Mrs. John C. Groome, Elkton, Cecil county, and was taken to Baltimore on Monday. Mr. Groome became gradually weaker after his removal to Baltimore, and his system seemed to have completely collapsed.

After studying law in his father's office he was admitted to the Cecil bar in 1861. A renumerative practice rewarded his work.

He early identified himself with the Democratic party, and was active in maintaining its organization through defeats until the party was victorious in Cecil county in 1866. The following year he was elected a member of the reform convention, called to frame a new State constitution.

After a period of activity in the ranks of the party Mr. Groome was elected to the House of Delegates in 1871, and was also on the electoral ticket in Horace Greeley's campaign for the presidency. He was again elected to the Legislature in 1873. When Governor Wm. Pinkney Whyte resigned, after being elected United States Senator, Mr. Groome received 62 of the 70 votes on the first ballot in caucus for the vacancy. A few days later he was elected Governor, and was inaugurated March 4, 1874.

He was elected United States Senator from Maryland for the term of six years from March 4, 1879, and was afterward appointed collector of the port of Baltimore in President Cleveland's first administration. He held that office until his successor was appointed upon the change in administration.

Mr. Groome's wife and one daughter, Miss Mariah Edmonson Groome, aged fifteen years, survive him.

[COMMUNICATED.]

SOME INTERESTING FACTS AND VALUABLE SUGGESTIONS CONCERNING THE PROPOSED RAILROAD.

For several years past the counties of Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne and Talbot have been interested in a projected railroad from Singerly or Childs, above Elkton, down the Peninsula, designed to connect with the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Railroad at Easton, and to open up a northern route by the B. & O. R. R. both to Philadelphia and to the regions of central Pennsylvania. The lower counties of the Shore, for some time, failed to exhibit any practical interest in the movement, but they are now actively interested, and appear ripe for definite action in the matter.

The people of Cecil county have always been ready to do their part, and that county has a fund of $53,000, which can be made available within its limits, to aid in the construction of such a railroad. Leading citizens of Queen Anne's county have entered heartily into the movement, and a convention is now proposed to be held at Easton sometime in November, after the election, to consider this matter; and if possible to secure the cooperation of the B. & O. R. R. in practical measures for the construction of a road running through Elkton, Chestertown, Centreville, Easton and various thriving villages between these towns.

The local benefit of such a road in the development of the lands along the route, and the opening of the country to settlers from the north and west, would be great, for it is a well established fact that only a trunk road offers adequate inducements to settlers or prospectors. These will avail themselves of the convenience of a trunk line like the Del. R. R. even upon inferior lands, when they will refuse to purchase, or even inspect better lands upon the branch roads which make up the Eastern Shore's present system.

The experience with this year's fruit crop sufficiently proves the need of a competing trunk line, if the grower is ever to realize decent net returns from his fruit and truck products.

No county on the Shore has more to gain by the construction of such a road than Kent. Our lands are as fertile as any in the State, and our county roads are the best dirt roads in the State. Our people are as hospitable and neighborly as any in the land, and our public schools, both in the character and capacity of teachers, and in the thoroughness of supervision, may challenge comparison with those of any rural community, while Washington College affords admirable opportunities for higher education on the most reasonable terms. But the miserable railroad and telegraphic service with which we have contended in vain for so many years, has deprived us of our proper advantages in the competition with our sister counties, and unless something is done to remedy the situation, we shall soon be left still further in the rear.

We cannot therefore too strongly urge upon our business men and public spirited citizens the duty of sending an earnest and influential delegation to the proposed convention, and of supporting with liberality and vigor any well matured and judicious plan which may be recommended to secure the construction of a Peninsular railroad.

Beware of Ointment for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

☞ Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

THE PROHIBITION TICKET.

FOR COMPTROLLER:
OLIVER H. BRUCE,
of Allegany county.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE:
R. T. TURNER,
JOSHUA R. JARRELL.

FOR SHERIFF:
JOSEPH DOWNEY.

FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Union M. E. Church will hold a Festival at the Hall at Worton Fair Grounds, on FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings, OCTOBER 13 and 14, 1893. A Grand SUPPER will be served; also Ice Cream, Oysters, Confectionery, etc.
COMMITTEE.

MUSIC LESSONS.

I desire to secure pupils in Chestertown and vicinity for instruction in music. Will go to the residences of pupils or they can have instructions at my residence on maple avenue. I have a certificate from Miss Cobb, of Baltimore, who is well known in musical circle as a proficient instructor. Terms moderate.
ELIZABETH WICKES.

ORPHANS' COURT NOTICE.

The Orphans' Court will be in session on TUESDAY and THUSDAY, the 17th and 19th of next week.
JAMES T. DIXON, Register.
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W. C. T. U. NOTICE.

Mrs. Haslup, State Organizer for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be in this county for a week, commencing Oct. 17th, and will address the Unions already formed, as well as organize new ones wherever desired. She is a pleasant speaker and knows the work thoroughly. Those desiring her services will address the Co. Pres. immediately.

FOR RENT.

For the coming year, 1894, a Comfortable DWELLING HOUSE. One of the most desirable locations in the town. Apply to
LEWIN W. WICKES, Attorney.
Chestertown, Oct. 5, 1893.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Tolchester Beach Improvement Co. of Kent County, will be held for the election of Directors and transaction of other business, at the office of the company, Tolchester Beach, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14th, at 9.30 A. M.
o5-2t. W. C. ELIASON, Prest.

FOR SALE.
The Farm
adjoining the village of Pomona,
Containing 50 Acres of Land.

Improved by a MOST EXCELLENT DWELLING Barn or Stable. Anyone desiring a pleasant home for a very little money, and upon accommodating terms, would do well to examine the same.

If not sold as a whole, it will be divided and offered in lots to suit purchasers.
WM. D. BURCHINAL,
o5-3t. Chestertown, Md.

PLASTERING AND BRICK LAYING.

Myself and partner offer our services as plasterers and bricklayers, to the public of Kent and Queen Anne's counties. After an experience of 42 years we can give entire satisfaction in the character of work.
H. B. SMITH & PARTNER.

SHEEP ON SHARES.

FIFTY FINE STOCK EWES to put out on shares with reliable parties.
For further particulars, call at
TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.
Sept. 21—ts.

FOR RENT FOR 1894.

STORE ROOM with DWELLING attached. Good location—right on the corner. Stable, Carriage House and Garden. All in good order (in Still Pond).
Apply to W. S. BUSICK, Still Pond.
a14-tf.

NOTICE.

In consequence of the pollution of the springs, combined with the destruction of signboards and young trees upon my premises, and malicious destruction of property, last year, this notice is to warn all persons against trespassing upon my shore or premises with dog, gun or otherwise, under penalty of the law. Ten dollars reward will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any trespasser.
Signed, D. GENESE,
jl-4m. Betterton, Kent Co., Md.

Notice to Creditors.

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

THOMAS J. MANN,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of April 1894, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of October, 1893.
LEWIN W. WICKES,
o12-4t. Administrator.

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

THOMAS C. PARSONS,

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 28th day of March, 1894, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of September, 1893.
THOMAS A. PARSONS,
s21-4t. Executor

SPORT! SPORT!
Grand Wind-Up at Worton!

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25, '93
HORSE RACING AND CYCLING.

Cycling Free for All, 2 in 3 mile heats; appropriate prizes awarded. Trotting—2.50, 3.00 and 3.15 classes. The 3.15 class is filled. Entrance fee $2.50 for each horse with additional $5.00 to each race. I will try and have the track in fine shape, and can promise a day of fine sport. Come one, come all. Admission Fee, 25 cents. Ladies, 15 cents.
J. B. PENNINGTON,
o12-2t. Proprietor.

LOOK! WAIT!
The Big Supper!
ROCK HALL,
FRIDAY and SATURDAY, OCT. 20 & 21
100 BUSHELS OF OYSTERS!

BARRELS OF CAKES! Candies and Refreshments.

☞ 50 GALLONS OF ICE CREAM. ☜

Turkey, Goose, Lamb, Pig, Duck, Chickens, Mutton, Fish and all kinds of Salads.

Two Large Tents will afford safe shelter.

☞ The Grand Supper Tickets only 50 cents.
s28-2t.

LADIES' and Misses' Seamless Fast Black Hoes 12½c. WESTCOTT & DODD.

NO. 4327.
REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
SECOND NATIONAL BANK
OF CHESTERTOWN,

at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, October 3, 1893.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$138,061 79
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	48,950 47
Due from other National Banks	934 67
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	13,500 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	860 22
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,500 00
Checks and other cash items	2 26
Bills of other banks	1,065 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	143 50
Specie	8,913 50
Legal-tender notes	8,018 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	562 50
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	450 00
TOTAL	$235,461 91

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock paid in	$50,000 00
Surplus fund	6,500 00
Undivided profits	2,315 39
National Bank Notes outstanding	11,250 00
Individual deposits subject to check	156,021 26
Certified checks	288 54
Due to other National Banks	7,306 38
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,780 34
TOTAL	$235,461 91

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss.:

I, W. B. COPPER, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. B. COPPER, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October, 1893.
CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
JAMES A. PEARCE,
HARRISON W. VICKERS,
W. W. HUBBARD,
DIRECTORS.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Horses.

I will offer at Public Sale, at MARKET HOUSE SQUARE, Chestertown, Md., on

SATURDAY, OCT. 14, 1893,

at 2 o'clock P. M., a lot of

Valuable Horses and Colts,

IN PART AS FOLLOWS:

LARGE BAY MARE, 11 years old, with Colt 7 months old;
LARGE BAY MARE, 7 years old, with Colt 6 months old;
LARGE GRAY MARE, 12 years old;
BLOODED BAY BROOD MARE, with Colt 6 months old;
BAY MARE, 5 years old, a fine driver;
BAY HORSE, 3 years old;
BAY MARE, 7 years old;
BAY MARE, 6 years old;
BAY COLT, 1 year old, and several others.

TERMS OF SALE:—A credit of Twelve Months will be given on note with approved security, payable in bank.
WALTER S. TREW.
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auctioneer.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., and to me directed, at the suit of Franklin H. Harper, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Joseph C. Rasin, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, claim and estate at law and in equity of the said Joseph C. Rasin, in and to

All That House and Lot of Land

situated and lying in the village of Still Pond, on the north side of the public road leading to the M. E. Church, adjoining the lands of F. H. Harper and others, and

Containing One-Fourth of an Acre

of Land, more or less, and improved by a

TWO-STORY
FRAME DWELLING

and convenient outbuildings, which was conveyed to Joseph C. Rasin by John Smith and wife, by deed dated Dec. 26, 1866, and recorded in Liber J. K. H. No. 6, folio 49, being the same lot of land which was conveyed to the said John Smith by Nathan T. Hynson October 31, 1861, which will more fully appear in Liber J. K. H. No. 13, folio 23, etc., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Md.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, November 7, 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, to pay and satisfy said debt, interest and costs.
o42-ts. EDWARD J. PLUMMER, SHERIFF.

Order of Publication.

John P. Taylor,
vs.
George W. Taylor, Annie Robinson, —— Robinson, Sallie Taylor, Alfred Taylor, Lucy Taylor, Frank Taylor, Jessie Taylor.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

No. 1006.

THE object of this bill is to obtain a decree for the sale of the real estate of which Alexander Taylor, late of Kent county, Maryland, died, seized and possessed, and for the distribution of the proceeds of such sale among the heirs at law of the said Alexander Taylor, according to their respective interests in the same.

The amended bill states that Alexander Taylor, late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased, was, during his life-time, and at the time of his death, seized and possessed of certain real estate in Kent county, and dying, left the complainant, and George W. Taylor and Annie Robinson as his only heirs at law, as alleged in the original bill of complaint filed in this case.

The bill further states that a certain Sallie Taylor, of Kent county, Maryland, claims that she was the lawful wife, and is now the widow of said Alexander Taylor, which the complainant does not admit, and that four children, namely: Alfred Taylor, Lucy Taylor, Frank Taylor and Jessie Taylor, were born to her in lawful wedlock, by said Alexander Taylor, and that all of said children are still living, and are infants under twenty-one years of age, and have been made parties defendant in this suit.

The bill further states that the said Annie Robinson and —— Robinson, her husband, are not residents of the State of Maryland, but as it is said, reside in the State of Pennsylvania.

It is thereupon ordered, this 26th day of September, 1893, that the complainant, John P. Taylor, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper, published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the 31st day of October next, give notice to the said non-resident Annie Robinson and —— Robinson, her husband, 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 20th day of November next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

True copy—Test:
s28-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

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Canton Flannels, 6, 8, 10 and 12½ cents. Dress Ginghams, Flannels, Henriettas, Serges and other styles. Special Bargains in all grades of UNDERWEAR for Children, Misses, Ladies an Men.
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Don't forget to call and examine our stock of DOUGLAS SHOES. A Good Boot for $2.00.
TOBACCO, 25c., 40c., 50c., 75c., and $1.00 per lb.

GROCERIES OF EVERY KIND.

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I OFFER ANY OF MY HERD OF

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at reasonable prices, on time to suit the purchaser. These COWS have all been selected from my own herd and that of Mr. Isaac Gibbs, all of which herds are fine milkers. I am overstocked, and the purchaser takes his choice, price suiting. The purchaser may name his own time, within reasonable limits.
L. C. JUSTIS, JR.,
s28-tf. Kennedyville, Md.

COUNTY TREASURER'S
Tax Notice

IN pursuance of Act of Assembly, passed January Session, 1890, Chap. 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that, for the purpose of receiving the

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

in said county, for the year 1893, he will sit in the several Election Districts as follows:

THURSDAY, Oct. 12th, WORTON STATION, Parson's Store.
SATURDAY, Oct. 14, - ROCK HALL, Chesapeake Hotel.

BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A. M. AND P. M.

☞ The Treasurer's Office in the Court House, in Chestertown, will be open EVERY DAY from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., for the receipt of taxes.

Tax-payers will please take notice that Taxes are due and payable on Sept. 1st, and that on all bills unpaid January 1st interest will be charged and collected from September 1st. On the first of January all taxes unpaid are declared by law to be in arrear, and delinquents will be warned that unless settlement in full be made before April 1st, the claims against them will be

Placed in the Hands of the Sheriff

of Kent county, who shall proceed to seize their property and dispose of the same to pay the taxes due, with the charges thereon and all costs of sale.

The Treasurer would, therefore, respectfully urge all tax-payers to pay promptly.
CLARENCE S. HURLOCK,
Oct. 5, 1893. TREASURER.

DANCING ACADEMY!

Every Friday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock

At STAM'S HALL,

a school for the instruction of Dancing Classes, embracing lessons to those who know nothing of the art, and to pupils who may have more or less knowledge of dances, both plain and fancy.

At any point in the county where classes or private scholars may desire lessons, satisfactory terms will be offered and convenient dates arranged.

Special attention will be paid to the instruction in the glide waltz.

The result of five years' experience in teaching in Philadelphia, and three years' teaching in my native county, warrant the belief that my work will be as eminently satisfactory in the future as it has been in the past.

Terms for scholars in Chestertown: $3.00 a quarter of 12 lessons, or 25 cents single lesson.

Satisfactory rates to private pupils.

Will give a grand soiree Friday evening at eight o'clock. Ladies specially invited free of charge.
CAROLE C. PERKINS.
☞ Correspondence solicited. s14-3m.

IMPORTANT

To Buyers of Dry Goods.

When you want to purchase Dry Goods of any description, it is very important that you deal with a concern of well-established reputation, where no advantage will be taken of parties not fully acquainted with the value of what they want to purchase. Such a Business House is

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS,
23, 25 & 27 BALTIMORE ST.,
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WHITE MARBLE WAREHOUSE,
BALTIMORE, MD.

They are large Importers, Jobbers and Retailers, dealing only in goods that they believe will give satisfaction to the purchaser—no trash articles, that would be dear at any price—no humbug advertisements of great reduction in price. The price, in plain figures, marked on every article. Therefore, the most inexperienced buyer can purchase from them with confidence.

Their stock includes Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings, Mourning Goods, Ladies' and Misses' Wraps, Housekeeping Linen Goods, Blankets, Comforts, Quilts, Art Squares, Shawls, Flannels, Domestic Goods, Hosiery and Underwear in all Sizes, for Ladies, Gents, Misses and Boys. Gloves, Notions, Corsets. Goods for Men's and Boys' Suits and Ladies' Wraps. Calicoes, Ginghams, Gents' Furnishings, Lace Curtains, Table and Piano Covers, &c.

☞ Will send samples when we receive plain instructions of what is wanted, Colors prefefered and about the Price.

Washington College.
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Classical and Scientific Courses Leading Up to the Degree of A. B.

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Healthy location. Fall term begins Sept. 20, 1893. Send for catalogue.
C. W. REID, President,
s7-tf. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

ST. MARY'S FEMALE SEMINARY, St. Mary's City, Md., commences its 49th year September 23d. Instruction thorough. Terms moderate. Location healthful. Address the Principal.
MRS. A. E. THOMAS LILBURN.
a17-2m.*

PURE CIDER VINEGAR for Pickling. WESTCOTT & DODD.

Sheriff's Election Notice.

TO THE JUDGES OF ELECTION & VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE Judges of Election and Qualified Voters of Kent County, that an ELECTION WILL BE HELD

On TUESDAY, November 7, 1893,

(it being the first Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, 1893), at the usual places of voting in the several Election Districts of said county that is—

For District No. 1, at ..... MASSEY'S;
" " No. 2, at ..... KENNEDYVILLE;
" " No. 3, at ..... SMITHVILLE;
" " No. 4, 1st prec. CHESTERTOWN;
" " No. 4, 2d prec. ..... POMONA;
" " No. 5, at ..... EDESVILLE.

And the election so to be held is for the purpose of choosing—

One person to be Comptroller of the State of Maryland.

Two persons to represent Kent county in the House of Delegates of Maryland.

One person to be Sheriff of Kent County.

One person to be Surveyor of Kent County.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and close at 6 o'clock P. M.

The Returning Judges are required and directed to make their return on the second day (Thursday) following the election, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and also to the Governor of Maryland.
EDW. J. PLUMMER, Sheriff.

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE.

For or Against the Constitutional Amendment as Proposed at the Last Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, in 1892.

The amendment proposed is to add an additional section to Article four of the Constitution of this State, which additional section gives the Legislature the power to provide by law for the election of an additional Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city as often as the General Assembly may think the same proper and expendent: said Judge to be subject to the same constitutional provisions, hold his office for the same term of years, receive the same compensation, and have the same powers as are, or shall be provided by the Constitution, or laws of this State, for the Judges of said Supreme Bench of Baltimore city, and the General Assembly may provide by laws, or the Supreme Bench by its rules, for requiring causes in any of the courts of Baltimore city to be tried before the Court without a jury, unless the litigants or some one of them shall within some reasonable time or times, as may be prescribed, elect to have their causes tried before a jury. And the General Assembly may re-apportion, change or enlarge the jurisdiction of the several courts in said city.

Concealed Weapons
—ON—
ELECTION DAY.

The following Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session of 1874, and approved April 6, 1874, is also published for the information of the public:

AN ACT

To prevent the carrying of guns, pistols, dirks, dirk-knives, razors, billies or bludgeons by any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or Montgomery counties on the day of election in the said counties.

SECTION 1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this Act it shall not be lawful for any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or Montgomery counties to carry on the days of election, secretly or otherwise, any gun, pistol, dirk, dirk-knife, razor, billy or bludgeon, and any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before any Justice of the Peace, in either of said counties, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and on refusal to pay said fine shall be committed by such Justice of the Peace to the jail of the county until the same is paid.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That the fines collected under this Act shall be paid by the officer collecting the same to the School Commissioners of the county where such offence shall have been committed, for school purposes.

SECTION 3. And be it enacted, That any constable of either of said counties, or the sheriff thereof, who shall refuse to arrest any person violating any provision of this Act, upon information of such offence, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before the circuit court of such county, shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, and shall forthwith be discharged from office.
EDW. J. PLUMMER, SHERIFF.

Forbidding the Sale or Giving Away Liquor on Election Day.

For the information of all persons concerned, the following Act of the Legislature, passed March 24, 1875, is published:

AN ACT prohibiting the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors in the counties in the State on the day of Election.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store, drinking establishment, or other places where liquors are sold, *or for any person or persons* directly or indirectly to sell, barter, give, or dispose of any spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks of any kind, on the day of election hereafter to be held in the several counties of the State.

Section 2. And be it enacted, That any person violating the provisions of this act shall be liable to indictment by the Grand Jury of the county where the offence is committed, and shall, upon conviction before any Judge of any of the Circuit Courts of this State, be fined a sum not less than fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every offence; one-half of the fine to be paid to the informer, and the other half to the County Commissioners for the use of the public roads
EDW. J. PLUMMER, SHERIFF.

Betting on Election.

The attention of all persons is particularly called to the following sections of Article 35, Code of Public General Laws of Maryland:

46. No person shall make any bet or wager on the result of any election to take place in this State.

47. Any person offending against the last preceding section shall be liable to indictment in the Circuit Courts, if the offense be committed in any county, or in the Criminal Court of Baltimore, if the offense be committed in Baltimore; and on conviction, shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars, to be paid to the State for the use of the School Fund.

48. Every deposit of money in any part of the State as a wager or bet upon elections in this State or elsewhere shall be forfeited and paid over to the County Commissioners of the county where deposited for the use of the county and if deposited in the city of Baltimore, to the Mayor and City Council.
EDW. J. PLUMMER, SHERIFF.
Oct. 5, 1893 —1c.

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RETURNING, will leave Baltimore at 10.30 A. M., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for the same landings.

STEAMER B. S. FORD

Will leave Chestertown at 8 A. M. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Centreville, Bogle's, Jackson Creek and Rock Hall (will leave Rock Hall at 12 M.)

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