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THE baccalaureate sermon of the Washington College commencement exercises, will be preached in the Chestertown M. E. Church by Dr. Upham, professor of practical theology at Drew, Madison, New Jersey, on Sunday, June seventeenth. Dr. Upham is one the finest and most eloquent preachers of the M. E. Church. S. J. Owens, Esq., of the Baltimore bar will address the Philomathean Society.

MESSRS. COXEY, BROWNE AND CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS JONES, champions-galore of the commonweal army, were sentenced on Monday to twenty days imprisonment in jail for displaying a banner in the Capitol grounds on the occasion of the May-Day demonstration. Coxey and Browne were also sentenced to pay five dollars fine or ten days' imprisonment in default thereof for trespassing on the grass of the Capitol grounds.

A WASHINGTON DESPATCH under date of may 21, says: "Representative Breckinridge was seen to-day about reports that a delegation of prominent Kentuckians intended coming here to urge him to withdraw from the race for Congress in favor of his son Desha. Mr. Breckinridge said: "I have heard the rumor. You can say for me that the old man will be in Congress next time. After that the young man may be allowed to take his chance in the race, but for the present I am still in it."

PHILADELPHIA experienced a five hundred thousand dollar fire in the very heart of her shopping district, on Sunday afternoon. The stores of the Julius Sichel Company, Nos. 50, 52 and 54 North Eighth street and No. 806 Arch street, and L. Dannenbaum's Son & Company's place, Nos. 808 and 810 Arch street, were gutted and several adjoining places were damaged by smoke and water. At least $500,000 worth of millinery, trimmings and finery close to the feminine heart were reduced to an ash heap. The origin of the fire is a profound mystery.

SURVEYOR OF THE PORT OF BALTIMORE CHARLES RIDGELY GOODWIN, died suddenly but not unexpectedly, at his home in Baltimore city on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Goodwin went to the Custom House to qualify as Surveyor of the Port on Monday. A carriage was summoned to take him home, and that was the last time he was ever on the street. He died at a quarter-past five o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Goodwin was born in Savannah, Georgia, fifty-two years ago. He was Senator from Baltimore in 1888.

The matter of the successor of the lamented official is now agitating political circles. Buchanan Schley is making what is thought by many to be a winning fight for the place.

THE PRESENT STATUS of the tariff situation in Congress, is far from reassuring to the business interests of the country, and is a sad commentary upon the political honesty of purpose of the representatives of a great people in the halls of national legislation. Maryland may well blush at the humiliating travesty upon the intelligence and consistency of her people as presented by her Senators. No State in the Union was more emphatic in its demands for tariff reform; no State in the country gave a more significant emphasis to these demands at the election when Mr. Cleveland, the champion of the tariff reform issue was placed at the head of national affairs, yet, in spite of repeated protests against political dickering in regard to this great issue, Maryland finds herself today in a more humiliating position than were she not represented in the United States Senate at all, for the proud old commonwealth finds herself shamelessly *mis*-represented by senatorial barterers and money-changers.

Senator Gorman, after having been a party to two miserable barters with the enemy, is now openly placed among the avowed antagonists of reform, while Senator Gibson is recorded as "not counting." With characteristic coolness, the Senior Senator from Maryland, after having humiliated his constituents by a shameless surrender of the great issue upon which the great tariff battle of 1892 was fought and won, says to the people of the sovereign State of Maryland assembled in open protest to his methods, that he "hopes they enjoyed themselves"; "The people must have something to amuse themselves with and this is just as good a way to do it as any other, I suppose. I sincerely hope they enjoyed themselves." This is the gentleman who coolly says the people and the press be d——. The Indianapolis *Sentinel* says, relative to Mr. Gorman's absolute disregard of the wishes of the people, in thus insulting their manhood and their rights as citizens of a free and sovereign State:

"There is your political boss in a nutshell. There is the gentleman who coolly says, 'I am the machine. Get into line.' We think he has gone a step too far this time. Possibly he might have excused or condoned his outrageous action on the tariff bill to his constituents, but if there is a particle of manhood, or honor, or self-respect left in the Democracy of Maryland, he cannot excuse or condone this open and flagrant insult to them. If the Democrats of Maryland are such men as we believe them to be, Mr. Gorman's political career will end with his present term in the Senate. And we may add that the Democratic party of the country will not shed any tears over his removal from political life."

FROM CLIFF CITY.

I think you can say that this week the Cliff wharf will have been repaired. The men were at work on it last week, and expect to complete it in a few days.

Our peach crop does not show up as well as was expected. The drop already is heavy, and if it is to be continued into June, will nearly clean the thing up.

Soft crabs have been in abundance, and many were the men and boys at work catching them, but the low prices discouraged most of them, and they have given it up, and will put up with no bread sooner than take half a loaf.

T. P. Benny is building a new house for John Dickinson.

Mr. Dick Bedford Titter says that your Rock Hall correspondent only reports the horse races when some one down there comes in ahead. On Whitsuntide he claims to have won the race easy, with the next best horse running to try to catch up.

Mrs. Anne M. Townsend, of Townsend, Delaware, was taken ill while on a visit to her neice, Mrs. Reynolds, at Townsend, and was not able to be moved to her own home, but a short distance away. Her daughter, Mrs. John D. Carter, of the Cliffs, was sent for and went up immediately by way of Centreville. There seems to be no hope of Mrs. Townsend recovering. She is about 84 years old.

CONGRESSIONAL POLITICS.

A call has been issued by Chairman Compton of the Democratic State Central Committee, for a meeting of the committee, at the Carrollton Hotel, Baltimore, on June sixth. Its purpose is to arrange dates for holding conventions in the six congressional districts of the State to nominate Democratic candidates for Congress, to be voted for at the next election. In the first and fifth congressional districts, candidates are to be selected to fill out the unexpired terms of Congressman Brattan, and Mr. Compton, who resigned his seat to accept the appointment of naval officer at Baltimore. These candidates will be entirely independent of the selection of candidates for the full term of two years commencing March 4, 1895. It is claimed that the party leaders are favorable of a candidates for the unexpired term and a different candidate for the full term in each district, stating that two men will be put in the field to make the canvass instead of one, thereby producing greater enthusiasm. Chairman Compton is reported as saying: "There is an incentive for candidates to desire to complete the unexpired terms of both himself and Mr. Brattan for the reason that the candidates elected for the short term will draw ten months pay amounting to over $4000. The pay for the short terms will not begin at the time of the qualification of the successful candidates, but from the date of the resignation or death of their predecessors. Therefore, while those elected to serve out the terms of Mr. Compton and Mr. Brattan will only be in Congress from December 10, 1894, to March 4, 1895, they will draw pay, in Mr. Compton's case from May 10, 1894.

It is now quietly rumored, (*sub rosa*, of course) that the *senior* member of the Siamese twin aggregation, supported by the dainty "me too" of the political household, will enter the contest from Kent.

"This is the state of man; to-day he puts forth
The tender leaves of hope, to-morrow blossoms,
And bears his blushing honours thick upon him;
The third day comes a frost, a killing frost,
And—when he thinks, good easy man, full surely
His greatness is a ripening—nips his root,
And then he falls."

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

The Crowning Event in the History of Maxwell Lodge, Rock Hall.

On Tuesday, May 12th, 1891, the following grand officers of the Grand Lodge, left Baltimore for Rock Hall: Wm. Grason, D. G. M. acting as grand master; John M. Jones, grand secretary; Wm. G. McLure, grand marshall, and past grands, Frank G. Maxwell and John Zimmer, of Monumental Lodge No. 14, Baltimore city. On arriving at Rock Hall they were met by a special committee and conducted to the Satterfield House; after supper they were escorted to the K. of P. hall, where the room was filled with applicants for the lodge. The grand secretary at once observed that the occasion meant work, and hard work at that, and no time was lost in proceeding to business. Acting grand master took the chair, and the grand secretary the desk and proceeded to the institution of the lodge, when the following officers (who had previously taken their withdrawal cards from Monumental Lodge), were elected and installed: John W. Boyer, noble grand; John T. Stevens, vice grand; Abraham Casey, recording secretary; Jos. R. Ryan, permanent secretary, and George A. Scoone, treasurer. The grand officers then, assisted by Messrs. E. C. Reiche, C. J. Reiche, Sam'l Mann, G. S. Biddle, Wm. T. Matthews, of Amicable lodge, of Chestertown, initiated 52 candidates into the mysteries of the order. It was 2 A. M. when the grand officers got through the work of initiating and conferring the degress. The lodge was named after Col. F. G. Maxwell's father, to whose untiring labors, the county is largely indebted for the progressive, flourishing lodge which on Wednesday celebrated its third anniversary at Rock Hall, and at the same time celebrated the 75th anniversary of the establishment of Odd-Fellowship in America. The exercises were elaborate, elegantly carried out, and of more than usual interest. The veteran, William Hamilton, the eloquent and genial T. G. Maxwell, and that King among the zealous, devoted young men of Monumental Lodge, of Baltimore city, Richard King, were present, and each made timely and effective speeches—eloquent appeals in behalf of the magnificent order of which they are active and honored members. Messrs. E. C. Reiche, J. W. Chapman, B. H. Coburn, J. R. Ryan and C. C. Hopper made addresses. Mr. Ryan's was an exhaustive and splendid review of the order. Mr. Hopper's remarks were in response to the toast: "The relation of the press to Odd-Fellowship." Miss Maggie Hersch, one of the most talented elocutionists of Rock Hall gave a delightful reading, as did also Mr. Charles Porter.

Prof. Eugene Wilson, James L. Beck, violinists, and Prof. Mannie Maslin on the autoharp, gave a number of beautiful instrumental selections. The choir, which was enthusiastically declared by the gallant Maxwell to possess many voices of rare merit, was composed as follows: Mrs. May Judefind, Mrs. Ellen Downey, Mrs. Nellie B. Ashley; Misses Gertie Judefind, Bessie Downey, Rhoda Downey and Eva Downey. Messrs. Charles Hynson, Chas. Judefind, J. Kendall, William Hynson, William Davis, Harry Webb, Frank Downey, Jessie Stevens, William Downey and Benjamin Ashley. The accomplished organists were Miss Rhoda Downey and Miss Gertie Judefind. The musical selections by the choir were inspiring and beautiful, and reflected much credit upon Prof. Judefind, of whose vocal class many of the choir are members. About the middle of the evening a recess was taken, during which splendid refreshments were served to the more than two hundred guests and members present. Among the visiting members of other lodges were: Messrs. W. T. Matthews, Samuel Mann, C. J. Reiche, A. B. Frazier, F. M. Miller, F. D. Leary, W. H. Lambert, Jr., Edward Lambert and William M. Culp, of Amicable Lodge, Chestertown; John A. Hersch, Iris Lodge, Baltimore; F. S. Hogans, of a lodge in Pennsylvania. A splendid shad and soft crab supper was prepared for a number of the visitors, at the Satterfield House.

The following is the programme:

Music....by Choir
Prayer....by Chaplain Davis
Anniversary Ode....by Choir
What is the Object of the Meeting by N. G. Davis
Answer....Secretary Boyer
Address of Welcome....J. R. Ryan
Opening Ode....Choir
Select reading....Chas. Porter
Address....B. H. Coburn
Address, by Past Grand Wm. Hamilton, of Monumental Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., Baltimore city.
Music....by Prof. Willson
Address....by C. C. Hopper
Music and Chorus....by Choir
Recess and Refreshments
Address..by J. W. Chapman, P. G., of Amicable Lodge, No. 117, of Chestertown.
Music....by Prof. Willson
Address..by Richard King, Noble Grand of Monumental Lodge, No. 14 of Baltimore city
Address....by Past Grand F. G. Maxwell, of Monumental Lodge No. 14 of Baltimore city
Select reading....Miss Maggie Hersch
Music....by Choir
Closing Address....by E. C. Reiche
Vote of Thanks.

The elective officers of Maxwell Lodge are: George Davis, N. G.; Jas. B. Willson, V. G.; J. W. Boyer, R. S.; Milton L. Maslin, F. S.; Jas. A. Casey, Treasurer; D. K. Ayres, Chaplain; B. I. Ashley, Marshall.

The appointive officers are: J. W. Downey, R. S. to N. G.; Chas. Porter, L. S. to N. G.; L. I. Whaland, Warden; J. R. Ryan, Conductor; John Willson, R. S. to V. G.; Wm. P. Durding, L. S. to V. G.; J. J. Davis, R. S. S.; Joseph Williams, L. S. S.; R. J. Harrison, I. G.; Wm. Hinds, O. G.

The third anniversary exercises of Maxwell Lodge were gloriously successful. May she live to enjoy many of even greater success.

A rising vote of thanks was extended the committee having the arrangements of the handsome affair in charge, the vocal class of Prof. Judefind, the musicians, the participants in the different parts; also to the representatives of the press for their favorable comments, and to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Judefind for the use of their organ.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

A Trunk Line for the Peninsula—Organization of the Elkton & Southern.

The people of Kent county have for many years suffered great inconvenience and pecuniary loss from the inferior service and poor connections of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, but they have now an opportunity to secure a new outlet, both to Philadelphia and Baltimore, in connection with the B. & O. R. R. at Child's Station, in Cecil county, *provided the people on the route appreciate the opportunity and will meet the projectors of the proposed road in a spirit of wise and liberal business methods; but if the new road is to be met as an intruder, and is to be subjected to unreasonable delay and cost in locating and securing the right-of-way, the opportunity will be lost.*

We feel warranted in announcing that notwithstanding the Legislature refused to transfer to the Elkton and Southern Railroad the $58,000 to the credit of Cecil county in the State treasury, the value and the necessity of that road is perceived by business men, and the capital for its early construction is assured.

The route preferred by those who are in charge of this improvement, runs from Child's to Lambson's, taking in Elkton, Chesapeake City, Cecilton, Galena, and this will be the route selected, if property owners on the line will do their part. But if delays and obstructions are interposed, involving heavy damages in construction, the towns along that line will be ignored, and the road will hug the State line, and connect at Massey's.

The advantages of the former route, both to the people of Cecil and Kent, are so obvious and lasting that we think all fair minded and liberal men will agree that the right-of-way for the line would be a most reasonable price for these advantages. Upon the construction of this line a traffic contract with the B. & O. R. R. is assured, which will at once make the road self-sustaining, and which gives promise also of the construction of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad from Chestertown to the bay shore, and thus at last extending its facilities to the people of the fifth district, and opening a speedy route to Baltimore. A charter for the construction of a railroad from Chestertown to Easton will be taken out in a short time, and a company will be organized for the prosecution of this work, with the most encouraging prospects for its success, and this line, when constructed, will complete a Peninsula system traversing the best parts of the Eastern Shore, touching its chief centres of population, and leading direct to an advantageous connection through the great B. & O. system with all points in Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey.

The incorporators of the Elkton and Southern Railroad met on Friday, at Elkton, and took steps toward the construction of the road. Subscription books for the capital stock of $350,000 will be opened. Of the incorporators H. H. Brady and Geo. S. Woolley have withdrawn and George N. Bennett, of Chesapeake City, and W. H. Mackall, of Elkton, were put in their places. The board now consists of George Biddle, David P. Davis, Z. Porter Lusby, John J. Williams, George N. Bennett, John S. Wirt, W. H. Mackall, Manly Drennen, Dr. Howard Bratton. If reasonable rights of way can be secured, it is probable the original route will be followed from Childs to Elkton, Chesapeake City, St. Augustine, Cecilton, Fredericktown, Galena to Lambson's, on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Road. It is said that a corps of engineers will survey a route this week.

The Pennsylvania Railroad civil engineers engaged upon the proposed Elkton, Massey's and Middletown Railroad are now working between Bohemia Manor and Cecilton. Several lines have already been run between Chesapeake City and Middletown.

FARMING NOTES OF INTEREST.

Damage From the Wheat Blight—Fruit Locals, etc.

Never, within the memory of the oldest farmers, has the blight to wheat heads been so extensive in Kent county. While the blight is general throughout the county, some fields are much more seriously affected than some others. The trouble is a black fungous growth on the head, completely destroying its vitality and productiveness.

Mr. I. R. Leaverton says: I have never seen the trouble so general, and while some put the loss at a higher percentage, my observation would suggest the damage at certainly not more than one tenth. I notice that wheat is somewhat damaged by the storm, many stalks being broken in such a way that they will never straighten up.

Mr. L. C. Justis, Jr.: I would put the damage at about one tenth. I have always found that wheat which is grazed in the winter or spring always suffers less from this trouble. I graze with cattle; in Queen Anne's I believe they turn in their sheep. I am not sure that it makes any material difference as to what stock does the eating.

Mr. Geo. Beck, Broad Neck: My wheat is not seriously damaged, not so much so indeed, as some fields which I have seen. The cut worms are getting in heavy work on tomato plants during these cool, cloudy days.

Dr. Samuel Beck: This has been the heaviest rain, in my opinion, which has fallen during the past two years. Wheat is injured some by the blight, but to what extent I cannot say.

Mr. Eugene Bonwell's wheat is one of the most seriously injured of any in the vicinity of Still Pond. He gathered up a bunch, and by an accurate count found the extent of injury to be one-ninth.

Mr. James S. Harris: My crop is not seriously injured, but some fields which I have seen are damaged, I should say to about one-tenth, not more.

Mr. Thomas J. Shallcross: I am not troubled about the matter. I never in my life knew it to fail, that this trouble always foretells a tremendous crop. The gentlemen who have the blight need not fear about having a big crop.

Isaac Parsons: Damage I would say is about two bushels to the acre, not more, and in many cases less. This thing generally accompanies a big yield.

John Bell: Peaches are getting scarcer. The storm knocked off a great many, but they were small and would have fallen any way, so the storm really did not effect the outlook for fruit at all.

Mr. George W. Davis: The recent rain was badly needed, and will in some cases double the hay crop, and will largely increase the grass crop throughout the county.

Reports are being received from every section of the county of the serious damage to tomato plants and late corn from the cut-worm. The cool weather has been favorable to the operations of these pests, and if no further material damage is done, the growers are being given a great amount of extra work and expense in replanting.

Commissioner Shallcross reports prices for asparagus as ranging low, but the crop fine. The asparagus beetles are giving but little trouble. His lilac crop this year was blighted by a storm, and his shipments were small.

FLOOD-SWEPT.

Many Rivers in Pennsylvania and Maryland Overflow—West Branch of the Susquehanna Higher Than in 1889—Two Hundred Million Feet of Logs Carried Away.

A DREAD SUNDAY AT WILLIAMSPORT.

The tremendous rain storm which swept over Pennsylvania for four days reached a climax on Monday, and the floods which followed were almost unprecedented. The usually placid Schuylkill became a raging torrent, flooding mills, railroads and residences, exceeding in violence anything within the memory of the oldest inhabitants. Great as was the flood, records kept at Manayunk show that it fell three feet short of the high water mark of the great storm of 1869, which holds the record. The highest point reached there was 24 feet and 6 inches above low water mark.

Williamsport was fearfully flooded, two-thirds of the city being under six feet of water. Two big bridges were carried away, and the Philadelphia and Reading bridge at Muncy was destroyed. The lumbermen lost millions in that valley.

The main boom of the Susquehanna Boom Company, at Williamsport, broke. There were 175,000,000 feet of logs confined there, and all of them passed out and down the Susquehanna river. The loss will be more than $100,000, the value of the logs in the boom, and will throw hundreds of men out of employment.

The boom at Lockhaven broke, and 15,000,000 feet of logs were lost. The Upper Linden boom also broke. It contained 10,000,000 feet of logs, and they went down the river. There were about 150,000,000 feet of logs in the main boom, and half as many more in the city mill ponds which were threatened.

Streets were flooded and vast damage done in other Pennsylvania towns. Families were rescued from flooded homes, and many lives were swept away by the roaring waters.

IN MARYLAND.

The Potomac river at Williamsport, was 20 feet above its usual high-water mark. The water rose at the rate of seventeen inches an hour. Fears were entertained that mills and other property would be flooded. The canal overflowed its banks above and below Williamsport and spread over meadows. Several families vacated their dwellings along the river and removed all their household goods.

A despatch to the Baltimore *Sun* Sunday, from Elkton, read: "One of the worst storms for years has prevailed in Cecil county all day, and at a late hour this evening continues unabated. Rain has fallen in torrents. The streets in Elkton, cellars and various roads leading from Elkton are badly flooded, and in some cases travel over them is impossible. Several small bridges have been moved from their foundations and a repetition of the flood of 1885 is feared. The Elk river is rapidly rising and threatens to overflow its banks. People residing along the river-front are preparing for the worst. Several small washouts are reported along the line of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad between Elkton and Perryville. On the Philadelphia division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad the company has ordered their section hands to be ready if called on.

The citizens of Chesapeake City fear the canal will be unable to stand the immense volume of water passing through, and have taken every precaution to prevent a break.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

In view of the many conflicting statements which are afloat, concerning the investigation of charges reflecting upon the character of the Rev. J. D. Kemp, and in view of the many inquiries that are coming to me by mail and otherwise concerning the unpleasant affair, I have concluded that it will be best for the church and all concerned, to give out for publication an official statement of the case, as I have been related to it, which statement I herewith subjoin.

1. Upon arriving at Still Pond, Md., Saturday, May 5th, I found rumors afloat, affecting the character and usefulness of the Rev. J. D. Kemp, the pastor of our church at that place.

2. In the evening of the same day, letters, claiming to have been written by the said J. D. Kemp to the wife of T. G. Lockard, of Betterton, Md., were placed in my hands.

3. Upon returning home on Monday following, I immediately proceeded to summon a committee of nine members of the conference to investigate the case.

4. The committee did meet in the M. E. Church, of Smyrna, Thursday, May 10th, at 10 A. M.; Rev. N. M. Browne appearing as counsel for the church and Revs. W. P. Compton and W. L. S. Murray for the defendant. R. Irving Watkins acted as secretary.

5. The charge was that of seeking to alienate the affections of another man's wife. To this charge the defendant pleaded not guilty. The letters in question were submitted in evidence. The defendant acknowledged their authorship, but denied most positively that he intended them to convey any such meaning as had been attached to them.

6. After a faithful and pains-taking investigation, lasting through several hours the committee rendered the following verdict:

We, the undersigned committee appointed to investigate rumors reflecting upon the moral and ministerial character of Rev. J. D. Kemp, after hearing the evidence given in the case, do find:

1. That the said Rev. J. D. Kemp has not been proven guilty of immorality, in the case referred to.

2. That the said Rev. J. D. Kemp has been proven guilty of very great indescretion, imprudence, and unministerial conduct, which merits severe rebuke and which has occasioned harm to the church.

Signed by committee, T. H. Haynes, J. M. Collins, J. A. Arters, Albert Chandler, Adam Stengle, W. O. Hurst, W. R. Mowbray, F. F. Carpenter, E. H. Hynson.

After the investigation Brother Kemp returned to his home, and occupied his pulpit last Sunday; preaching, as I have been reliably informed, to large congregations all day. His removal from Still Pond is not contemplated at the present time.

ALFRED SMITH,
Presiding Elder Easton District.
Smyrna, Del., May 15, 1894.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY, } ss

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886,
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TO BUY A SECOND-HAND ONE-HORSE CART, Iron Axle. Will pay the Cash.
W. W. PARKS,
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I am prepared to do all kinds of Plastering and Masonry Work at short notice, and with dispatch.
H. B. SMITH,
m3-3t. Chestertown, Maryland.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL.

The ladies of ST. JAMES M. P. CHURCH, will hold a festival on the Church Green, on FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, May 25th and 26th. Strawberries, Ice Cream and Cake will be in abundance. The public are invited to attend. Supper tickets 35 cents. m17-2t.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

Kent Lodge, No. 125, Knights of Pythias, will hold a Strawberry Festival at KENNEDYVILLE, Md., THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, JUNE 7th, 8th and 9th, 1894. All the delicacies of the season. All are respectfully invited to come see us.
m10-5t. COMMITTEE.

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Remember the date, and make your arragements to attend. Admission, 25c.; Reserved Seats, 35c.; Children under 12 years, 15c. Doors open at 7.30; Concert commences at 8 o'clock.

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ORDER NISI.

The Second National Bank of Chestertown, use of Wm. H. Newnam.
vs.
John S. Welch, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED this 4th day of May, 1894, that the sale of the personal property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, attorney named in a mortgage from John S Welch, et al, to the Second National Bank of Chestertown, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 4th day of July 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 4th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be $500.00.
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test.
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
May 10, 1893—4t.

Wheat Has Declined!

—CAUSING THE—

Flour Market to Weaken.

WE NOW OFFER

"OUR Little Beauty FLOUR"

For the Cash,

$3.50 per BARREL

The Best and Most Popular Family Flour on the market.

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We have a Good Kitchen Flour for $3.00 per barrel. Give us a call.
Flour delivered within a reasonable distance.

Turner & Son,

Correspondence solicited. BETTERTON, MD.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE

Real Estate

IN KENT COUNTY, MD.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage from Wm. T. Davidson and wife to J. Hall Pleasants and Richard H. Pleasants, dated April 29th, 1889, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in Liber S. B., No. 12, folios 140, etc., the undersigned, the attorney named in said mortgage, will offer at Public Sale

In Front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, in said County, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 14th, 1894,

AT 12.30 P. M.,

the property more particularly described in said mortgage, containing

315½ ACRES OF LAND,

MORE OR LESS,

bounded by Still Pond Creek, Chesapeake Bay and Churn Creek, and distant about 8 miles from Chestertown, 4 miles from Gale's Wharf, and 3½ miles from Worton Station.

The IMPROVEMENTS consist of A COMMODIOUS

Brick Dwelling,



Carpenter's Shop, Goose House, Barn, Dairy, Poultry House, Sheep Sheds, Meat House and Hay Barrack, now insured for $5,000. This farm,

Known as Kennard's Point,

is almost surrounded by water, and for beauty of location, is unsurpassed in the county. The soil is of excellent quality, and produces well, being also admirably adapted for grazing purposes, and the cultivation of fruit, especially pears.

Good Fishing and Ducking Grounds

are near the property, and Plum Point Shoals, recognized as one of the best fishing grounds in the bay, are close at hand.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fourth cash on the day of sale or on final ratification thereof, and the balance in equal instalments of one, two and three years, or all cash, as the purchaser may elect; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. These terms may be modified, and a portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage if deemed advisable. A cash deposit of two hundred dollars required on the day of sale.

PHIL H. TUCK,
Attorney named in Mortgage,
m24-ts. 207 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.

Mortgagee's Sale of

VALUABLE

RealEstate

THE undersigned, as attorney named in mortgage, under and by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from George W. Minnick and Mariana Minnick, his wife, to John H. Lowe, trustee, for Mary F. Lowe and children, dated the 28th day of December, in the year 1892, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in the State of Maryland, in Liber S. G. F., No. 1, folios 215, etc., will offer at Public Sale,

ON SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1894,

AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.,

At the Court House Door in Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, all that

Valuable FARM,

situated in Eastern Neck, in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, aforesaid, on the waters of Chester River and Church Creek, adjoining the lands of John T. Blackiston, and containing

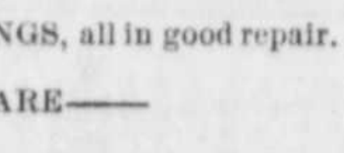
250 ACRES OF LAND,

MORE OR LESS,

it being the same property which was conveyed by Thomas W. Ringgold and wife to the said George W. Minnick, by deed dated the 4th day of March, in the year 1854, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, aforesaid, in Liber J. F. G., No. 2, folios 52, etc., as on reference thereto will more fully appear.

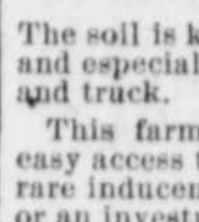
THE IMPROVEMENTS are a TWO-STORY

FRAME DWELLING



and the usual OUT-BUILDINGS, all in good repair.

—THERE ARE—



Large Orchards in Bearing

The soil is kind, easily cultivated and in good heart, and especially adapted to the growth of fruit, grain and truck.

This farm is conveniently located, being within easy access to Baltimore by steamboats, and offers rare inducements to those desiring either a home or an investment.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash on the day of sale, or on the final ratification thereof. The above terms may be modified to suit the purchaser.

JOHN H. LOWE,
m17-ts. Attorney named in Mortgage.

RARE OPPORTUNITY.

A STOCK OF

Hardware and Store Goods

IN CHESTERTOWN

For Sale!

J. LLOYD McFEELY & CO., having discontinued business, and appointed the undersigned Trustee to close the same, hereby offer for sale the

Stock of Goods and Fixtures

in the store adjoining the Chestertown National Bank, near the corner of High and Princess streets, Chestertown. An inventory of the stock has been taken, and it can be purchased as a whole and possession given immediately. It is a fine, large storeroom and a most desirable stand.

All persons indebted to the said J. LLOYD McFEELY & Co. are notified to make settlement within the next SIXTY DAYS, or I shall be forced to place the claims in a legal train for collection, as the whole business must be closed up within that time.

The books of the above firm can be found at the office of the trustee at his coal yard, where settlements can be made.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—All persons having claims against the said J. LLOYD McFEELY & Co. are notified to file the same within sixty days from this date with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county.

JEFFERSON D. BACCHUS,
m10-tf. TRUSTEE.

Notice to Physicians.

ALL PRACTITIONERS of Medicine and Surgery in Kent county, are hereby notified, that under the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Code of Public General Laws, as amended by the last Legislature, you are required to procure from the Circuit Court a Certificate of Registration before the FIRST DAY OF JULY, 1894, the fee for the same being fixed by the law at One Dollar. A failure to comply with this provision subjects the party to a fine of not less than $10 or more than $200 for each offense.

SEC. 53. From and after the first day of July, 1894, no person shall practice medicine or surgery in the State of Maryland, unless he or she shall be duly registered as a physician or surgeon, in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

m17-7t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF

Blacksmith and Wheelwright SHOPS

And Valuable BUILDING LOTS

IN THE VILLAGE OF STILL POND.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, the undersigned, as trustee, will offer at Public Sale on the premises, in the village of Still Pond, Md., on

SATURDAY, MAY 26TH, 1894,

AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

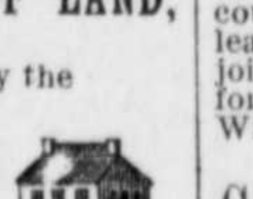
ALL THAT LOT OF LAND,

belonging to the heirs of the late Richard S. Thomas,

CONTAINING FIVE ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, and improved by the

Blacksmith & Wheelwright SHOPS



lately occupied by Roeder & Krusen, and used as such for over 30 years past.

This property lies between the streets leading to the Kennedyville road and to the Creamery. It has recently been surveyed and laid off into

SEVEN FINE BUILDING LOTS

by Comegys Brown, surveyor. This survey can be seen at the law office of the undersigned. The property will be first offered in lots and then as a whole, and sold in the discretion of the Trustee. The lot with the shop contains 2 roods and 21 perches of land. The other lots offered are excellent opportunities to persons desiring to build in the most thrifty and progressive village in Kent.

Terms of Sale:

One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the balance in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen month, from day of sale, all unpaid purchase money to draw interest from the day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee by note or bond of purchaser. Deed at purchaser's cost.

m10. HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

THREE FINE HOUSES

And Lots of Land,

AT LOCUST GROVE.

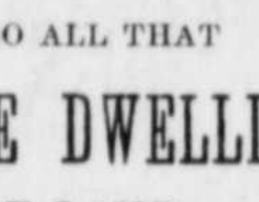
BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., in the case of James L. Willis, et al vs. Henry C. Pennington, et al, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction in front of the Court House door in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, MAY THE 29, 1894,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, all the real estate of James Willis, deceased, situated in the village of Locust Grove, consisting of

ALL THAT FINE

Dwelling & Store House



in excellent condition and repair, now occupied by Owen Hayes; this is an old and well established stand, and is a valuable and desirable property.

ALSO ALL THAT



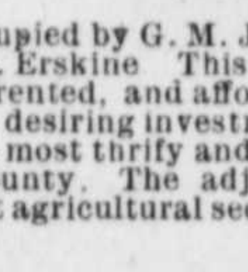
FRAME DWELLING

AND LOT OF LAND,

now occupied by Aaron W. Tayloy, with usual outbuildings,

—ALSO, A—

Comfortable Dwelling



and LOT OF LAND, occupied by G. M. Jones, formerly occupied by Wm. Erskine. This property is at all times easily rented, and affords a fine opportunity for those desiring investments in real estate in one of the most thrifty and prosperous portions of Kent county. The adjacent country is one of the finest agricultural sections any where to be found.

TERMS OF SALE.

Terms of sale on each lot sold will be: One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal instalments, in one and two years from day of sale, to be secured by the notes or bonds of the purchasers with security to be approved by the trustee, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from date of sale. Deeds at purchasers' cost.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Trustee.

Proposals

—FOR—

Oak Piles

—AND—

SAWED OAK LUMBER.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County Commissioners of Kent county and the office of the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's county until

Tuesday, May 29, 1894,

at 2 o'clock, to furnish 50 White Oak Piles 50 feet long, 17 inches across stump and 6 inches at small end, and also about 12,000 feet Sawed White Oak Lumber 20 feet long, 12x12 inches and 12x6 inches. To be delivered on Chester Bridge or the County Wharf at Chestertown; to be furnished on or before 15th of June next. All which will be subject to inspection and acceptance by the committee in charge of Chester bridge. Payment to be made by levy July 1st next.

By order of joint meeting.
JOHN A. GROVES,
Chairman.
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS

—TO—

RENEW SUBSTRUCTURE

—OF—

Chester Bridge Draw

—AND THE—

Protection Pier Thereof.

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the County Commissioners of Kent County, or the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County, until

Tuesday, May 29, 1894,

to furnish all necessary requisites, and to drive Fifty White Oak Piles about fifty feet long, and make other necessary repairs to Substructure and Protection Pier to said draw, according to specifications to be seen at either office, work to be completed not later than the 15th July next. Work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Committee in charge. Payment to be made by levy, July 1st next.

By order of Joint Meeting.
JOHN A. GROVES,
Chairman
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Secretary.

Notice to Officers.

THE recently appointed officers of Kent county are notified that their commissions were received on Saturday last, April 28, and unless they qualify within thirty days from that date, their commissions will be null and void.

SAMUEL G. FISHER,
m3-3t. Clerk for Kent County

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity, passed in a cause wherein John P. Taylor is complainant and George W. Taylor and others, are defendants, No. 1006 Chancery, the undersigned, trustee, will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, JUNE THE 5TH, 1894,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

All That Real Estate,

mentioned in the above entitled proceedings, of which the late Alexander Taylor died seized and possessed, consisting of

A LOT OF LAND,

situated in the Fourth Election District of Kent county, Md., on the west side of the public road leading from Chestertown to Goose Hill, and adjoining the lands of Josiah Smith and the lands formerly owned by the heirs of the late Simon Wickes, now owned by Harrison W. Vickers,

Containing 8 Acres of Land,

MORE OR LESS,

it being the same lot of land which was devised by Thomas Taylor to said Alexander Taylor by last will and testament, duly probated by the Orphans' Court of Kent county, and recorded in the office of the Register of Wills, in Liber J. F. B. No. 12, folios 159, etc.

This Lot is not improved by any buildings, is of excellent natural quality, and of great productiveness; admirably adapted to trucking, being only a very short distance from Chestertown, and also well located for grazing purposes. The graveyard on the back part of the lot will be excepted from the operation of this sale. Possession will be given immediately on compliance with terms of sale.

Terms of Sale:

The terms of sale as follows: One-half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale or in thirty days thereafter, at the option of the trustee, and the residue in twelve months from day of sale, with interest from day of sale; or all of the purchase money to be paid in cash on day of sale, at the option of the purchaser. The deferred payments to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with a surety or sureties to be approved by the trustee.

LEWIN W. WICKES,
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. Trustee.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF A—

Desirable Small Farm.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage from John W. Carter and Sarah A. Carter, his wife, to Sarah J. Gears, dated 26th of May, 1888, duly recorded in S. B. No. 11, folios 127, etc, one of the land record books for Kent county, Maryland. The undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland,

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 5TH, 1894,

AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.,

All That Desirable Farm

AND PREMISES,

Containing 76 Acres

AND THREE ROODS

of land more or less, situated in the 3d Election District of Kent county, at "Catts' Corner" within a mile of Worton station, and on the public road leading from Chestertown to I. U. Cross roads and from said cross roads to Hanesville, and adjoins the lands of Geo. M. Porter and the heirs of Jas. W. Ivens, deceased.

The IMPROVEMENTS consist of a

New Frame Dwelling



2½ stories and the outbuildings are sufficient for the farm.

There is a PEACH ORCHARD

of about 900 trees, 6 years old, healthy and excellent varieties.

Two Small PEAR ORCHARDS

of good varieties, in all about 300 trees.

EXCELLENT APPLE ORCHARD

of some seventy-five trees, early and late varieties.

The soil is of good quality, strong red clay, free from gulleys and washes and no waste land.

Possession given on the final ratification of the sale, subject to the rights of the tenant for the present year.

TERMS OF SALE.—Under the mortgage cash on day of sale, but these terms may be modified to suit the convenience of a desirable purchaser.

SARAH J. GEARS,
Mortgagee.
HARRISON W. VICKERS,
m10-ts. Attorney.

LUMBER.

LUMBER.

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White Pine Barn Boards

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