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Democratic Primary Meetings.

The Democratic voters of Kent county are invited to meet in the several election districts of Kent county, at the usual voting places on

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1894

at 2 P. M. and elect by ballot or otherwise *five delegates* from each of said districts to meet in Chestertown in County Convention on the following TUESDAY, JULY 17, at 12 M., to elect *three* delegates to represent Kent county in the convention at Ocean City, on THURSDAY, JULY, 26th, 1894, to nominate a candidate for Congress from the First Congressional District of Maryland for the unexpired term of the late Congressman Bratlan, and to represent the First Congressional District in the Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States.

The mode of selecting district delegates is left to the respective districts, as well as the appointment of the Judges and Clerks, should the same be found necessary. And in the event of a ballot the polls will not close until 6 P. M.

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
A. F. HUEY,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
State Central Committee for Kent County

"JOURNALISTIC HYENAS" are a new introduction into Maryland newspaper life by the Maryland Republican.

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY is enjoying a "red hot" factional fight. Two district primary meetings have been called, and confusion worse confounded reigns.

HON. FREDERICK STUMP has written to Mr. Lemuel Dunbracco here to notify the bar that the July session of the Caroline county court has been posponed until the first Wednesday after the fourth Monday in July. The postponement was made necessary by the sickness of Judge Wickes and the sickness of Judge Stump's father. —*Centreville Record.*

THE Democratic Convention of Wicomico county, was held on Monday, and was called to order by ex-Governor Jackson. As Wicomico county will have no candidate for Congress, there were no instructions or resolutions, except a resolution bidding ex Governor Jackson Godspeed on his trip to Europe and praying for his safe return.

MR. C. GROSVENOR DAWE, of the *Review of Reviews*, who is making a tour of the entire Peninsula, declares city life a failure, and says that the Eastern Shoremen are the happiest people in the world. He might also have added that Kent leads the Eastern Shore procession, because they have more to make them unadulteratedly happy.

THE CONGRESSIONAL FIGHT in Queen Anne's is now on in earnest, and both sides are claiming vantage ground. It is, however, contended that Mr. Hopper, who represents the Brown element in the county, will come out a winner. A number of representative Democrats of the first election district held a meeting at Sudlersville on Saturday endorsing Mr. Hopper's candidacy.

KENT COUNTIANS who have so often participated in silent caucusses, quiet fix-ups and general "political understandings" at the old Maryland hotel, Annapolis, will doubtless be surprised to know that Messrs. Luther H. Gadd and George T. Melvin have purchased the historic old hostlery, buildings and furniture, for sixteen thousand dollars. The Maryland Hotel was for years the great Annapolis political rendezvous for Maryland's lawmakers, and its walls, could they speak, might give many a chapter of interes ting fact and fancy.

WE WOULD respectfully call the attention of our commissioners and town officials to the renewal of the nuisance of making a dumping ground for all manner of rubbish and unsightly filth, of the vacant lot near or on the public landing at the wharf. A carter was seen last week throwing out two loads of old boxes, tin cans, paper and other refuse collected from some quarter unknown to us, on this lot, which, instead of being an eye-sore and disgrace to the cleanliness and neatness of our people, should be an ornament and an attraction to the town. This is a matter worthy the consideration of the town authorities.

MR. GEORGE COLTON, than whom but few men have a keener knowledge of politicians or things political, says that two prominent Eastern Shore politicians, in discussing Governor Brown's Gubernatorial prospects, puts the following counties of the State to his credit: Allegany, Garrett, Carroll, Anne Arundel, Charles, Calvert, St. Mary's, Kent, Caroline, Queen Anne's and Baltimore county, which would give him 44 votes, and if he carried the 21 votes of the city, would give him seven more than a majority; these with the votes of Harford, Cecil and Somerset, for which he has a good fighting chance, would make his nomination certain by a large majority.

THE CONGRESSIONAL PRIMARIES in Queen Anne's will be governed by Act of Assembly of 1888, and the Australian ballot law of 1892. The Act of 1888 provides that none but bona fide members of the party holding the election shall vote. By the Austalian ballot law, the Democratic State Central Committee is authorized and empowered to assess and collect of the various candidates represented by the delegations to go on the ticket, a sum sufficient to pay for preparation of ballots, room rent and a fair per diem to judges and clerks, to be scaled according to their discretion; according to value of office, and a full statement of the amount collected and expended with the manner thereof, shall immediately after the primary election be published in one or more of the Democratic newspapers of the county.

M. CARNOT, President of the French Republic, was assassinated in his carriage in Lyons, on Sunday afternoon. President Carnot was in Lyons, visiting the exhibition of arts, sciences and industries, and when going from the Palais de Commerce, where a banquet had been held, to the Grand Theatre, amidst an immense mob, a young man jumped on the footstep of his carriage and stabbed the President in the abdomen. Death resulted in a few hours. The assassin, Santo, was born in Lombardy, in December, 1873, and was known as a dangerous Anarchist. It was with difficulty that the infuriated people were kept from tearing him to pieces on the spot where he dealt the fatal blow. When President Garfield fell before the bullet of the assassin Guiteau, the French Chamber of Deputies expressed its sympathy with the American people by adjourning. On Tuesday, when President Carnot lay dead by the dagger of an Anarchistic Italio-Suisse assassin, the Congress of the United States expressed the sympathy of the American people with the bereaved sister Republic by adjourning. Strong resolutions of sympathy were passed.

...OUR TAX RATE.

...county commissioners on Tuesday ...ed the county tax rate at 84 cents on the $100, which, with the rate for State taxes of 17¾ cents on the $100, makes the rate for all taxes in Kent county $1 01¾. The exact taxable basis can not be officially given as some minor changes are expected to be necessary before the figures are finally corrected for the annual levy. The substantial increase of $19,651 however, has been made to the basis during the present year. The rate of 1893 was 90 cents on the $100, while the rate of 1892 was 97 cents on the 100, showing the substantial decrease in the rate for county taxes of 13 cents on the $100 in two years. The adoption of the new road system, which was largely responsible for the decrease last year, is still working satisfactorily, and a member of the commissioners board stated on Tuesday that the reduction for 1894 is to be accounted for by economical reductions all along the line of county affairs, extreme care having been exercised to keep expenditures down to the very lowest point. The amount of county taxes for 1893 on assessment basis of $7,978,313 at 90 cents on the $100 was $72,521.61. Amount of State taxes for 1893 on assessment basis of $7,786,756 at 17¾ on the $100 was $13,821.50

PRODUCTIVE FARMING.

The Baltimore *Sun* refers editorially to the report of its special correspondent from Chestertown, and in making such reference, pays a high and deserved tribute to the spirit of progress, the practical use of brains and its inevitable result, as practiced by a Kent county farmer. Mr. Cochran is a practical, business like and successful farmer, and merits the recognition of even the *Sun* when it says:

The *Sun's* special correspondent in Kent reports that a farmer in that fertile county cleared this year $1,395 on twelve acres of land planted in asparagus. If any great number of people engaged largely in this industry it might become unprofitable. But this farmer's experience this year suggests that agriculture has its rewards for enterprise, industry and brains. A report from another county says that a farmer found the production of mushrooms profitable. Wheat and corn are not the only things which can be produced on the fertile soil of Maryland. Competent and sagacious farmers are constantly advising their coworkers to vary their products and not have all their eggs in one basket.

OPPRESSIVELY HOT.

Highest Previous Record For the Month Equaled—Overcome by the Heat.

Sunday was the hottest day of the present year, and it is doubtful that the record of last Sunday has been beaten in June for fifty years. A pleasant breeze sprung up in the afternoon, however, and brought relief to oppressed and suffering humanity. Saturday with the thermometer at 96° in the shade in Chestertown, was hot enough, but Sunday went a full score better. At Stam's Hall the record of Sunday was 98°. In other parts of Chestertown it ranged from 100° to 102°. At Washington College it stood at 99°. Millington sweltered under the intense heat of 106°, and Mr. McWhorter said that the mercury simply marched out of the top of his thermometer and let the weather take care of itself and the people do their own recording of heat. At Edesville the thermometer registered 97° on Saturday and between 99° and 100° on Sunday. At Still Pond the mercury stood at from 104° to 106°. A number of farmers on Saturday stopped their hands and gave a full holiday on account of the unbearable heat.

The record for high temperature Saturday was 97° in Baltimore, but Sunday went beyond that and scord 98° between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon. This record has only been equaled in Baltimore twice for June in the past twenty-five years—June 20 of last year and June 9, 1874. Other high June temperatures have been: June 26, 1877, 95°; June 12 and 24, 1880, 95°; June 25, 1882, 97; June 14, 1885, 95°.

The thermometer registered 101½° at Hagerstown. At Washington it stood 100° in the shade.

FROM MORGAN'S CREEK NECK.

Notes From the Farmers—What is Going on.

Harvest is about over, but low prices, hot weather and a generally poor outlook give the farmers but little encouragement for the future.

"Doc" W. H. Cooper has lost one of his finest fox hounds. The dog was in full chase of a fox when he was shot. "Doc," in a sportsmanlike manner, made no complaint, as the party who shot the dog did not know whose it was. The loss is, all the same, a heavy one to the veteran fox-hunter.

Mr. Will Wilmer has the finest field of corn in Morgan's Creek Neck, and Nehemiah Clark the finest shocked field of wheat.

We would like to know whether Mr. James McKee's Tommy M. will appear at Tolchester on the Fourth. Tommy M. is one of the best, and we would like to see him measure up with the best of the good ones in the county. It is expected that McKee will be heard from when the roll is called, and some of the boys had better watch the Morgan's Creek Neck flyer.

Children's Day at Zion M. E. Church, Morgan Creek, on Sunday, was a perfect success and too much praise cannot be sounded in behalf of all those who participated in the exercises. "The church of the future" was the theme of the evening. Mr. Jefferson Lecates was the choirester, while Miss Rose Frazier, of Chestertown, presided in a most excellent manner at the organ. The church was trimmed with boxwood, evergreen and holly, while in every nook and corner were potted plants. The church was crowded notwithstanding the threatening weather.

"Doc" W. H. Cooper will be the first to thresh his wheat in the Neck. He will commence on Friday. OCCASIONAL.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

EXCURSION RATES FOR 4TH OF JULY.—In pursuance of its usual liberal custom, the B. & O. R. R. will sell excursion tickets between all ticket stations on its lines east of the Ohio river for all trains July 3d and 4th, valid for return trip until July 5th inclusive, at reduced rates.

WITH THE HORSEMEN.

What Horsemen and Their Flyers are Doing.

James B. Green's pacer Saladin, beat the world's champion pacer, Mascot, in straight heats over the Belmont track on Thursday. Time 2.08½ and 2.10. Mascot's record is 2.04.

Today will be a great occasion at Poplar Grove. Daniel Hayden will be down from Marydel, with Dan Russell and George Frazier, with two fast pacers, and Mr. Slemmer with Victor Russell and Lady Avon; Mr. Cahall from Sudlersville, with Mattie Russell, the Wallace colt and others; Mr. John F. Godwin, with the speedy two-year-old, Happy Jack; Mr. Wm. Satterfield, with Happy William; Mr. Ford, from Piney Neck, with his pacer, and Kent Island will be represented by the Avonmore stallion, Childe Harold, and Summerfield Tilghman, with Sabol. These have already sent in their entries.

Mrs. Janvier, near Parson's Mill, lost a valuable two-months-old colt on Friday last. The colt jumped a five-rail fence, tripped and fell in a ditch breaking its leg near the shoulder. Dr. G. Allen Jarman was summoned, but decided that from the location of the injury it would be impossible to successfully set the broken bone, and advised that the colt be killed, which was done.

Mr. William R. Clough lost a horse valued at $200 last week, of lockjaw, caused by over exertion.

The races at Tolchester on Wednesday, July 4, and at Worton Manor on July 11, promise of be occasions of rare pleasure to local lovers of fine horses. Kent has a number of good ones which will probably be entered, and if they are, some of the talkers had better keep their weather eye open for squalls. Dr. G. Allen Jarman has one, which, in spite of the doctor's silence upon the subject, we believe will make it monstrously interesting for the best goers of this or adjoining counties should any visitors be on hand. Now, should the doctor determine to enter the lists with Alcontell, by Alcontara, 2 23, as we hope he will, matters will certainly be highly interesting, perhaps just a trifle too much so for the comfort of those gentlemen, if there be any, who have an eye single to purses to any exaggerated extent. Alcontell is a good one, to say the least of it.

Mr. A. J. Hynson has one of the daintiest little goers on the Eastern Shore, by Belton. Sailor Girl is as pretty as a picture, has good action, and in regard to speed, ask some of the opposition after the races, should she be entered, which, for the benefit of those who love a good race between good horses, we hope that both she and Alcontell will be on the list. Mr. Hynson has a first-rate track, and his friends are insisting that he give Sailor Girl the benefit of earnest work and enter her for honors. She's a good one, and no mistake, and Mr. Hynson loves her with the devotion of a boy for his first sweetheart.

And why should not Jack, the goer of W. C. A. Thompson, find an honorable position in the list of some of the races, as a member of the Chestertown representation?

Now, Biddle Pennington, the veteran developer of local speed, and a man who has worked most zealously to raise local trotting standards will, it goes without saying be on hand with Regulus, one of the most reliable goers in the county. Now, Pennington is not to be forgotten on the track and with half a show will figure very near a purse.

Mr. Wm. B. Stephens is working a youngster by Grover S., which will also probably be found on the lists when the scoring up takes place on the 4th and 11th.

What about Mr. Ivens' mare as a most worthy representative from Worton. The Ivens mare has many friends who would gladly see her measure speed with anything in her class in the county.

John Gale is another owner of a speedy stallion which should be found in the list.

William McKee's Maryland Russell, the handsomest of recently imported flyers from Queen Anne's, the home and native heath of good horses, it were safe to prophesy will be on hand and make matters interesting for somebody. W. B. Titter, has figured prominently of recent date on the local turf, and should he decide to put his mare in any of the several races, will show some of the drivers the rear of a well-built and well kept Quaker Neck sulky.

Noble Gears' gray mare, May, the old reliable from Worton station, it is hoped will be registered as a contestant for honors. T. E. W. Crew, an ardent admirer of good horses in general and a first-class Messenger in particular, may also be heard from when the local roster is made up.

Our old friend Coburn, of Rock Hall racing fame, should also come from his long seclusion and again, as of old, wear the laurels of a turf battle well fought and nobly won. George Walbert's flyer would certainly make an interesting acquisition to this list.

Mr. Richard Lockwood, of Georgetown, has one of the best goers in the county, and the probabilities are that he will form one of the contestants at Tolchester on the 4th of July. John Belton, Mr. Lockwoods horse, is pronounced by a gentleman who knows whereof he speaks, as being a good one and equal to meeting the fastest of Kent county company without asking odds.

July Weather.

Hicks the weather prophet gives the following forecast for the weather during July: The month will come in with rising temperature in the western part of the country. Reactionary storms centers on 2d and 3rd, with new moon on 2d. The force of the Venus equinox blending with these, will insure excessively high temperature, crisis 2d, 3rd and 4th. Storm culmination on 2d or 3rd, followed by a cool dash of polar air. Next storm period from 6th to 10th, during which one of the warmest waves of the summer will be realized. Violent electrical storms with rain, hail and wind about 8th, 9th and 10th. A sudden change to cooler is certain to press closely on the rear of the great heat storms. This cool wave will in turn give place to warm, with much bluster and storminess on 13th and 14th. Surprising changes of temperature will be a feature of all July storm periods, but heat will be prevailing temperature. From 18th to 22d falls next regular storm period. Full moon on 17th will likely precipitate heat and storms. The 25th and 26th will bring reactionary rise in temperature, bursting into bluster and storm and bringing in a cooler breath. The month closes with a storm period, which will run its course in the first days of August. Upon the whole, a stormy July—some heavy rains and cloud-bursts, but a general shortness of moisture.

Mr. Simeon Davis, aged about 27 years, while at work in his harvest field, in Morgan's Creek Neck, about three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, was completely prostrated by the heat, and was carried to his home in a perfectly helpless condition. Messrs. John Hodgskin and William Ayres, at work on the new residence of Hope H. Barroll, Esq., were forced to give up work on Saturday because of the intense heat. The number of serious prostrations from the heat throughout the county has been unexpectedly small.

PEACH NOTES.

Local and General Shipments of the Fruit—The Season Opened.

A gentleman from the fifth district said on Tuesday, that there are two peach orchards near Rock Hall, from which will be gathered this season between 30,000 and 40,000 baskets. Can any other section of Kent county or the Eastern Shore come up with this? We doubt it.

The first shipment of peaches from Cliff wharf was sent on Friday by Mr. Wm. C. Townsend, tenant on the Porter farm. There were 7 baskets of the Waterloo, Amsden, Alexander varieties. Mr. Charles Brown joined in on Saturday and shipped some of the same varieties.

Wm. T. Brown, C. C. Brown, Henry Brown, Wm. C. Townsend, E. Cole, J. P. DeCorse and others report having some peaches of the late varieties, but none have anything like a crop. Capt. Chas. Brown has a sprinkling of the middle and best varieties and has about one-fifth of a crop of Fosters, one of the finest. The crop on Salt Box which looked so bright and encouraging until June, has dwindled away to a mere shadow of a crop. J. D. Carter has only a few Crawford's Early and Salways.—*From our Cliff City Correspondent.*

Mr. Thomas A. Hudson shipped 8 or 10 packages of peaches last week.

Mr. W. M. Elburn, of Rock Hall, shipped 7 packages to Baltimore on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. J. W. Kerr has ripe Musser peaches. —*Denton Journal.*

The Easton *Ledger* says: "No peaches will be put up in Talbot this year.

Superintendent Robert L. Holliday, of the Delaware division, Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad, estimates that the Peninsula will show up this year about one-fifth of a crop of peaches. But they are not on the immediate line of the Delaware Peninsula or its branches. The peaches are found off in the Necks; on the salt-water farms, and on places exposed enough to retard the budding, or protected enough to save the buds from frost-hurt.

In Talbot county there are peaches in Bailey's Neck, in a portion of Miles River Neck, on a few Wye river farms, and in a number of Choptank farms from Oxford to Dover bridge. But in the interior—in the northern and eastern sections of the county—there are no peaches. You see none as you ride up the Delaware and Chesapeake road from Easton to Clayton, nor as you drive the highway from Easton to Centreville.

In Queen Anne's and Kent, as in Talbot, there are peaches in orchard's situated as above described. There are more peaches in Queen Anne's than Talbot, and more in Kent than Queen Anne's.

Caroline has more, Joseph H. Bernard, the well-known Greensboro' fruit and vegetable packer, says. Last year Mr. Bernard had the remarkable yield of 1500 baskets from 100 trees of the Troth variety—part of a large orchard of trees equally as well fruited as these hundred were, but which had to be abandoned, as the next variety came ripening speedily.

Mr. Bernard thinks that take peach crops as they come and go, there is more in them at 25 cents a basket than in wheat and corn at present prices.

The peach crop in Western and Southern Maryland is a total failure this year. During a trip over the Western Maryland railroad a few days ago the writer saw the beautiful peach orchards on the south slopes of the Catoctin and Blue Ridge mountains, but the trees were without fruit. These mountain peach trees are beauties.

Col. Richard T. Starr, of Salem, N. J., an extensive fruit and vegetable packer, who was in Easton last week, says there is a good crop of peaches in New Jersey; and the growers are expecting good prices for them.

Mr. J. W. Bradley, of Vienna, Dorchester county, shipped two boxes of fine peaches to Baltimore, on Friday. The fruit was excellent in color, size and flavor.

Two crates of Hale's Early, grown near Salisbury, were sold in Wilmington on Thursday at $2 per crate. Peaches for Jersey City and Newark, N. J., were shipped from Pocomoke, Eden, Barren Creek, Delmar and Georgetown. Shipments of peaches usually do not commence until July 1.

Capt. W. D. Burchinal shipped the first peaches of the present season from Chestertown, yesterday morning.

Mr. C. C. Wood, Eastern Neck Island, estimates his crop of Smock, Salways and Bilyeu peaches at from 1500 to 2000.

Mr. James S. Harris shipped three baskets of Waterloos on Friday, and seven on Monday.

Mr. Kay, of Worton Point, shipped a number of packages from Gale's.

The Sassafras carried over about twenty-five packages, which sold for from $1.00 to $1.25 per basket.

CLIFF CITY NEWS.

What is Going on at the Chester River Summer Resort.

Mr. T. P. Benny has taken the contract and will proceed immediately to build a new house for Mr. Wm. Brown in Buzzardville. The house will front on Comegy's Bight.

The seine-haulers are meeting with but poor success, but soft crabbers find plenty of crabs but are getting poor returns, in fact the river is not returning much pay for hard work. So far no violations of the oyster law have been seen, and the truth is the bivalves were so scarce at the close of the season that there is not much encouragement to depredate. There is still a good many oysters left over from the last of the season along the shores, there not having been much of a demand in the local markets for canned stock. Centrevillians won't buy oysters at any price during the closed season. One man took five gallons over there for sale and returned to Kent with the same five gallons, and no good opinion of Centreville as a market for oysters out of season.

A lady living near the Cliff wharf thinks it is dangerous for children to play on the wharf, and greatly fears one of hers might fall overboard and get drowned. She was greatly relieved when informed that if a petition were sent to the company, that they might put up a wire netting so the children might play in safety.

Most all the bay in this neighborhood has been saved in splendid condition. The protracted dry spell is not helping corn much, though there is yet time for it to make.

There have been no picnics this summer to Cliff City, and it is about time for them to commence. The police and sanitary regulations are all right, and it is a strict prouibition city. No spirituous or malt liquors on sale.

John Dickinson, one of our young tongers, having gotten tired of paying rent, has had built for himself a snug little house near the Cliff road. T. P. Benny, the carpenter, and Freeman Wickes fiddis, the plasterer, have done the work. This paying of rent seems distasteful to many persons, in fact some would rather move than pay rent; they say it is cheaper.

Emory Crouch and Walter Elburn are furnishing many of your citizens with soft crabs, making three trips a week. HIVER.

EXCURSION TO ASBURY PARK, N. J.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co. will sell excursion tickets to Asbury Park, N. J., and return, from all points on its lines east of the Ohio River, July 8th, 9th and 10th, good returning until July 16th, with privilege of extension until September 1st, provided the return portion of the ticket is deposited with the Joint Agent at Asbury Park on or before July 13th. The round trip rate from Baltimore will be $7.05, Washington $8.25 and Lexington $13.75, and correspondingly low from all other points on the B. & O. system.

KENNEDYVILLE NEWS.

K. of P.'s Elect Officers—Other Items of Interest.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The following officers were elected on Monday night, in Kent Lodge No. 125 K. of P., for the term commencing July 1, 1894: C. C., T. Shafer; V. C., J. E. Weer; P., L. J. Smyth; M. of W., J. R. Copper; M. of E., W. S. Hurlock; M. of F., H. S. Redmile; K. of R. & S., J. H. Weer; M. at A., G. M. Glenn; I. G., Wattie McKnett; O. G., W. T. Hague. They will be installed Monday night, July 2d, to serve six months.

The ladies are making every possible preparation for a good time on the occasion of their lawn fete, on July 12. Should the weather prove unfavorable on the twelfth, the fete will be held the next clear night. The proceeds of the pleasent affair will be devoted to buying an organ for their church—a most worthy object. The ladies of Kennedyville have a reputation unequaled in the county for getting up splendid meals.

The mercury crawled out the top of the town thermometer on Sunday, after registerng 106° in the shade. Next to a cayenne pepper factory in August, Kennedyville was the hottest place, we venture to say, in the county.

Harvest is about over, and the wheat crop promises a fair yield, all things considered.

Mr. L. C. Justis, Jr., has, we believe, the finest tomato patch in the county.

The creamery paid 50 cents per hundred pounds for milk for last month. Rather low, but not the lowest point reached within the history of creameries in the county.

TOLCHESTER BRIEFS.

The Season on—A War-Time Band at the Beach.

EDS. TRANSCRIPT:—One of the most noteworthy events at Tolchester this season, was the visit on Thursday last with an excursion from York, Pa., of a brass band organized in 1855 with nineteen pieces. The members hurried to the front at the breaking out of the war in 1861 with nineteen men, and from that time to the present have lost but three of their number, two having died and one moved from the State. They still play well, though their instruments are a little old-fashioned and their music of the old-time order.

The season at Tolchester is now on and the hotel is filling up with guests from New York, Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore. If the weather is alright we expect a rousing day on the "Glorious Fourth." Some of the best horses in the county will be here and the races promise to be first-class, and will doubtless draw a crowd.

That prince of caterers to the pleasures of the public, W. A. Potts, has been as busy as a beaver adding to his amusements.

Mrs. Paesler has become perfectly at home at Tolchester and enjoys the beauties of the place immensely.

Mrs. Noland, we are glad to say, is greatly improved in health, and is truly herself again.

Messrs. L. C. Frances, J. Romie Ashley, G. Thomas Rollison, Bartus Wilkins and Lewin Wheat, last week engaged in a "tug of war," an athletic contest, with the same number of gentlemen accompanying the South Baltimore Business Men's excursion, and defeated them.

PUBLIC SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

The last meeting of the Public School Association of Kent county for the school year ending June 30th, was held in the school-room at Chestertown, on Friday last, and in spite of the excessively warm day, the meeting was moderately well attended. It being the regular meeting for the election of officers, the chair appointed Messrs. Lawrence J. Smyth and Frederick Willson tellers, and proceeded with the election, the result of which was the reelection of all the old officers: Mr. E. F. Perkins, president; Mr. Henry Tonkin, vice-president; Mr. Thomas H. Topping, recording secretary, and Miss Jeannette E. Gooding, corresponding secretary. Miss Carrie Meredith was named as essayist for the next regular meeting, to be held in September.

The first regular question, "What supervision has the teacher over the play-ground?" was discussed, after which Prof. Humpheys, of Washington College, gave the association a very interesting address, upon the subject of Astronomy, etc.

The literary committee reported the following questions, which were adopted for discussion at the next regular meeting: 1st. How can we best inculcate a high sense of honor in our pupils? 2d. How can we best teach the diacritical marks? The question, "What basis have you adopted and what aids to determine promotion for the next school year? was carried over to the next meeting.

Nothing further claiming the attention of the association, the president declared the meeting adjourned.

Deer Park.

ON THE CREST OF THE ALLEGHENIES.—To those contemplating a trip to the mountains in search of health and pleasure, Deer Park on the crest of the Allegheny Mountains, 3,000 feet above the sea level, offers such varied attractions as a delightful atmosphere during both day and night, pure water, smooth, winding roads through the mountains and valleys, and the most picturesque scenery in the Allegheny range. The hotel is equipped with all adjuncts conducive to the entertainment, pleasure and comfort of its guests.

The surrounding grounds, as well as the hotel, are lighted with electricity. Six miles distant on the same mountain summit is Oakland, the twin resort of Deer Park, and equally as well equipped for the entertainment and accommodation of its patrons. Both hotels are upon the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R., and have the advantages of its splendid Vestibuled Limited Express trains between the East and West. Season excursion tickets, good for return passage until October 31st, will be placed on sale at greatly reduced rates at all principal ticket offices throughout the country.

One way tickets reading from St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Columbus, Chicago, and any point on the B. & O. system to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, or New York, or vice versa, are good to stop off at either Deer Park, Mountain Lake Park or Oakland, and the time limit will be extended by agents at either resort upon application, to cover the period of the holders visit.

The season at these popular resorts commences June 23d.

For full information as to hotel rates, rooms, etc., address George D. DeShields, Manager, Deer Park, or Oakland, Garrett County, Md.

Teachers' Examination.

An examination for Certificates to teach in the Public Schools of Kent county will be held at the school room in Chestertown, on THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1894, commencing exactly at 9 o'clock A. M.

Candidates will bring *ink* and *pen*, paper will be furnished.

An Act of the last Legislature fixes the minimum age for female teachers at 18 years.

Candidates for the Normal school will be examined at the same time.

EBEN F. PERKINS,
j28-td. [N] EX.

Sunday School Excursion!

The Sunday Schools of Galena Circuit will give an Excursion to

TOLCHESTER BEACH!

on the Steamer Sassafras, on

THURSDAY, JULY 19th, 1894,

leaving Georgetown at 6.30, touching at Shallcross', Cassidys, Turner's Creek, Betterton, Harris', Gale's and Buck Neck. Returning, will leave Tolchester at 5 o'clock P. M. sharp, but will not stop at Turner's Creek on the return. j28-3t. [N]

SUMMER INSTRUCTION.

Being at home in Chestertown until October 1st, I am prepared to give instructions to any who may be preparing for college, or who may desire coaching in special branches of study.

j21-1. BENJ. F. PERKINS.

LAWN FETE.

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1894.

The ladies of SHREWSBURY PARISH purpose holding a SUPPER on Shrewsbury green. Supper consisting of all kinds of Cold Meats, Salads, Chocolate and Coffee, at 25 cents. Cakes and Ices. Tennis and Croquette to be played in the afternoon, beginning at three o'clock. If the weather should be unfavorable, it will be held the next clear day. Proceeds will be devoted to buying a church organ.

j21-4t.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Came to my premises on or about June 14th, 1894, THREE HEIFERS, one a jet black, another black with white hind legs and white belly, the other black with white belly and white hind legs. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges of this advertisement and take them away.

j21-3t. H. I. PARSONS, Worton, Md.

GRAND GYPSY LAWN FETE.

LOOKOUT for the GRAND GYPSY LAWN FETE at Mr. W. W. Parks', SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1894. The Great-est Novelty of the Season, consisting of Music by the "Gypsy Band," together with Dramatical Plays, Tableaux and Vocal Music by the best local talent. One of the special features of the evening will be "The Gypsie Queen," in her booth awaiting the opportunity to "Unveil the Future" for all who desire her. Entrance fee, 10 cents. Lunch served from 5 to 9 P. M., at the reasonable sum of 15 cents. Ice Cream, Lemonade and Cake in abundance. Proceeds for the benefit of Union M. E. Church of Worton. If stormy, the first clear night. By order COMMITTEE.

Photographer's Notice.

Having located on Main street, Chestertown, for a short time only, I am now prepared to do all kinds of work pertaining to photographs, crayons, pastells, etc. Copies made in water-color and India ink from any style or class of photographs. My prices are moderate, and satisfaction guaranteed. Have been located in Smyrna, Del., for many years, where you can secure reference if desired.

j21-3t. T. J. LAWRENCE.

NOTICE TO LOG-OWNERS.

A NUMBER OF LOGS came adrift on the shores of my farm, Eastern Neck, during the recent storm. The owner or owners are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay salvage charges, and cost of this advertisement, and remove the logs, or they will be disposed of according to law.

j14-3t.* DAVID A. SMITH, Rock Hall, Md.

NOTICE TO LOG-OWNERS.

A NUMBER OF DRIFT LOGS have come ashore on the farm on Chesapeake bay, tenanted by the undersigned. The owners are notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwise they will be disposed of according to law.

j14-3t. PERCY G. SKIRVEN.

NOTICE TO LOG-OWNERS.

The undersigned have taken up and secured on the shore of D. C. Crew on Still Pond river, recently, about SEVEN HUNDRED LOGS. The owner or owners of the above-named property are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges of salvage, together with the cost of this advertisement, and remove the same, or they will be disposed of according to law.

D. C. CREW,
F. WILLSON,
j14-3t. FOUNTAIN CREW.

NOTICE TO LOG-OWNERS.

Came adrift on my shore on Still Pond river, recently, between 500 and 1000 LOGS. The owner or owners are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay salvage charges, together with the cost of this advertisement, and remove the logs, or they will be disposed of according to law.

J. W. IVENS,
j14-3t. Worton Station, Md.

Railroad Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will open books for subscriptions to the capital stock of the EASTON AND CHESTERTOWN RAILROAD COMPANY, at 12 o'clock noon, on the 23d day of JULY, 1894, at the office of James A. Pearce, Chestertown, Kent county, Md.

Chestertown, June 20, 1894.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
CHARLES T. WESTCOTT,
j21-5t. PHILIP H. FEDDEMAN.

LOOK! LOOK!

On the New and Fast Track at

Worton Manor Beach,

JULY 11th, 1894,

we will give an afternoon of fine sport, consisting of a 3-minute class and a 2.50 class. Entries solicited. Several other races are spoken of for the same day. The East Baltimore Business Men will have a large excursion. Come one, come all. Admission fee 25c. for races. Ladies free.

j21-2t. PENNINGTON & GALE.

Sealed Proposals

TO FURNISH

35 Tons Egg Coal and 15 Tons Nut Coal,

(2240 lbs. to each ton), for Court House and Jail, to be delivered in coal house in jail yard, at lowest prices in reasonable time, will be received at the office of the County Commissioners of Kent county 'till JULY 3d next, at 2 o'clock P.M.

Payment to be made by present year's levy.

By order of Board,
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk.
j21-2t.

PROPOSALS TO FURNISH TRUSTEES OF THE POOR

20 Tons Nut Coal and 30 Tons Stove Coal,

(2240 lbs. to each ton,) will be received at the same time and place, untill the same hour.

This coal to be delivered at the depot, Chestertown, on board of cars.

Payment January, 1894.

WILLIAM FORD,
j28-1t. Pres. Trustees of the Poor

THE PLACE TO BUY

FURNITURE!

CARPETS,

PICTURES, WINDOW SHADES,

Paints, Oils and Glass,

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Percy T. McPeely's

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Ready-Mixed Paints!

Pure White and Red Leads,

Colors ground in oil.

Carriage Enamel Paints, Wagon Paints,

WOOD STAINS,

Oil, Varnish, Turpentine, Dryers,

PUTTY, ETC.

JOHN BARTLEY,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

FURNITURE, CARPETS,

Oil Cloth,

Window Shades and Wall Paper.

Our Prices are the Lowest on Everything.

4th. JULY 4th.

—AT—

TOLCHESTER BEACH

THE TOLCHESTER COMPANY have gone to greater expense than ever before to amuse and entertain their *patrons*, and have arranged to make it a day of pleasure for all. It will be *the* day to meet your friends and relatives, and take in all the sights FREE. A great feature of the day will be

2 Grand Trotting Races, 2

BY COUNTY HORSES,

and under the following rules: First Race, for horses with a record not better than 2.50, purse $100.00, in three monies, viz.: $60.00, $25.00 and $15.00. Five to enter and three to start, best two in three; the horse distancing in the field will be entitled only one money. An entrance fee of $5.00 will be charged.

Second Race, rules as above: Purse $40.00, for horses with a record not better than three minutes. Purse divided into three monies, viz.: $20.00, $15.00 and $5.00; entrance fee of $150. All horses to be drive to a two-wheel vehicle. This race to be trotted alternately with the above.

All entries will close July 3rd at 3 P. M. For further information, apply to

G. E. NOLAND, SUPT.
j21-2t.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage of Archer M. Hepbron and wife to Hope H. Barroll, recorded in Liber S. B. No. 8, follos 505, etc., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale,

ON FRIDAY, JULY 13TH, 1894,

in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon,

All That FARM,

situated on the north side of the public road leading from Chestertown to Millington, adjoining the lands of John Noland, and formerly of Elizabeth R. Burgess. The said farm is situated about two miles from Crumpton, and is convenient to Churches, Schools, Steamboats, etc. It

CONTAINS 60 ACRES OF LAND,

and is improved by a Comfortable

Two-Story and Attic

FRAME DWELLING,

with good Barns, Stable and other Outbuildings, all in excellent condition and repair.

TERMS OF SALE:—Terms will be cash on day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the court, but these terms may be modified to suit the purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Attorney and Assignee of Mortgage.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. j21-4s.

ORDER NISI.

James L. Willis, et al,
vs.
Harry C. Pennington, et al.

*In the Circuit Court for K