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PROF. IRA GUILFORD, who has diagnosed the cranium of more than one Kent countian, is now filling the editorial sanctum of the Caroline county People's [illegible] the Eastern Shore Populist organ.

[illegible] MOCRATIC PARTY with its duo-[illegible] bosses, will, it is believed, find [illegible] thy competitor for honors along [illegible] line in the G.O.P. with its Duke Well-[illegible] ton and a dainty corps of other as-[illegible] nts.

[illegible] ATTORNEY JOHN D. URIE was [illegible] mally sworn into office by Judge Joseph A. Wickes, on Thursday last. The new prosecuting attorney bonded in ten thousand dollars, with his wife and Jas. W. Chapman as sureties.

HOWEVER STRANGE it may seem, it is a fact that the candidacy of Senator Charles H. Gibson fails to figure among political speculations at the State capital. Why the eloquence of this senatorial silence on the part of the Senator's friends?

IT IS NOW His Honor Governor Lowndes, and Farmer Brown must annex an Ex to his name. The new chief executive was inaugurated yesterday. Fifty representatives from the Chestertown Republican club and five from the Pomona club, were scheduled to attend, but the number from the two clubs was not so great.

THE POSSIBILITY that reassessment is again doomed, is being advanced by some political seers. It is claimed that the reassessment members of the present Legislature will agree to no bill that in any degree bears the stamp of make-shift but must be gilt-edge and sufficiently radical to be absolutely effective. On the other hand it is claimed that the Governor will sanction no radical reassessment measure. The question presenting itself is, what will be considered radical? It is unfair to the new executive, to infer for one moment that in his campaign and platform promises he has ever contemplated giving the reassessment advocates of the State anything less radical than would embody every element of effectiveness operating upon the most equitable basis of taxation, and the reassessment people will accept no other bill from the present Legislature, without an emphatic protest.

OF COURSE it comes within the shadow [of t]he eternal fitness of things, that the [har]dy, courageous honesty which now, [a]t any time dare rise and assert itself opposed to the introduction of the [bo]sses and the old regime of bossism, [sh]ould be contemptuously branded as the [tu]rtledoves of politics, and as representa-[ti]ves of the "more righteous than thou" [illegible] voting masses. Sena-[illegible] Smith, the manipulat-[illegible] of the Cambridge con-[illegible] ublime act of "self-sur-[illegible] good," possibly recog-[illegible] iration as well as other [illegible] d have a blighting effect. [illegible] profound sources of inspi-[illegible] doubtless been found by the [Pe]ninsula statesman to have lost their potency, and after eighteen [illegible] and ninety-seven will be further [illegible] f its power.

A SPLENDID RECORD.

[Th]e record shown by the books of [Tre]asurer Foxwell and Deputy Shall-[illegible] s at the close of business, December [31,] 1895, is certainly gratifying to tax-[pay]ers, as well as complimentary to the [co]unty's financial condition. For each [illegible] receipts were as folows:

[illegible] August	$ 5,702 30
" September	3,666 20
" October	3,520 74
" November	3,060 61
" December	53,354 26
[T]otal to January 1, '96	$70,104 11
[C]ounty tax levied for 1895	$75,208 84
[Sta]te " " " "	13,802 80
Total	$89,011 64
[C]ollected	70,104 11
Uncollected January 1, '96	$18,907 53
Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1895	$16,360 65
" " " 1894	22,161 42
" " " 1893	20,172 96
" " " 1892	17,480 56

The largest amount received in one day was on Tuesday of last week, $12,-544.44.

WINTRY BLASTS.

Navigation Partially Closed—Ice-Houses Being Filled, and Skaters Enjoying Themselves.

Though Saturday, with the thermometer at 12° and a 28-mile wind howling unrestrained over Kent, was fully cold enough, Sunday came colder still, with Monday and Tuesday to be heard from. The thermometer registered 8° and the wind had settled down to the moderate pace of 18 miles per hour. Everybody was well mufflered and well gloved. The day was truly a trying one to the poorly fed and poorly clad, and some charity was required to meet special cases of destitution.

Grave fears were felt that the Emma Ford would find the from two to three and a half-inch ice on Monday morning too heavy to be successfully battled with, but Captain Taylor left his Chestertown wharf on time, and without a mishap and but little after schedule time, landed his steamer in Baltimore. The Emma came on her regular trip on Tuesday, and Captain Taylor reported the heaviest ice inside of Seven Foot Knoll Light, at the mouth of the Patapsco. At that point the cakes had become wedged to a thickness of fourteen to fifteen inches. Ice was encountered entirely across the bay, and on the river was from two to three inches thick.

Skating carnivals have been enjoyed on the mill pond. One of the novelties of the occasion has been an ice bicycle ridden by Mr. W. W. Chapman. Instead of a front wheel was a skate runner, and on the tire of the rear wheel were flanges to catch in the ice. Great speed was shown on the novel machine by both Mr. Chapman and Mr. R. Snowden Thomas.

The steamer Sassafras, which left Balmore Saturday on her trip to landings on the Sassafras river, was compelled to return to Baltimore after having completed her route, to prevent being frozen up at her wharf at Georgetown. She will now be put on the ways and repainted and thoroughly overhauled under the personal supervision of her genial captain.

The Minnie Wheeler arrived at her pier at Light street on Sunday night from the Choptank river. She looked like an iceberg, as her bow was covered with ice.

The coldest weather of the present winter was experienced here on Sunday morning, when the bay froze out as far as could be seen, in two hours and a half writes a Tolchester correspondent.

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THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

What is Going on at the State Capital—Election Committee Forecasted.

The Hagerstown *Mail* says: "The bicentennial conclave of tongues has broken forth at the cave of the winds in Annapolis, and Washington county's sturdy representatives are on hand to assist in the clamor."

For the first time since the constitution of 1867 a Republican majority is in control at the State capital.

As a necessary preliminary to the work of the session, on assembling last week, as first announced in the TRANSCRIPT, Sidney E. Mudd, Republican, of Charles county, was made speaker of the House, and W. Cabell Bruce, Democrat, of Baltimore, was unanimously elected president of the Senate. Wm. H. Schilling, of Baltimore, was Mr. Mudd's opponent, but the latter won by a vote of 25 to 5.

A joint meeting of Senate and House was held, at which the total vote for Governor cast in the election of last November was announced. The figures are: Lowndes, 124,936; Hurst, 107,128; Levering, 5,718; Franklin Andrews, 650, and Henry F. Andrews, 721.

Governor Brown sent a message to the Legislature favoring the sale at public auction of the State's interest in the C. and O. canal, and suggested among other laws the revaluation of property in the State; an adjustment of the State finances to meet the expense of giving to the children of the State free school books; to make the oyster industry self-sustaining; the employment of tramps and vagrants in improving public roads; an advisory board of pardons, and the execution of criminals at a point in the State surrounded by proper safeguards. The report of the comptroller shows a balance of $704,568.19 in the State treasury.

The Legislature is composed of twenty-six Senators and ninety-one members of the House of Delegates. The Senate is Democratic by two majority, the Democrats having fourteen members, just a constitutional majority. The House is Republican by forty-nine majority, there being seventy Republicans to twenty-one Democrats. On joint ballot the Legislature stands Republican 82, Democrats, 35.

The session continues just so long as the public interests, in the judgment of the Legislature, may require, for a period not longer than ninety days, and each member receives a per diem of $5 for each day he shall attend, but not for such days as he may be absent unless absent on account of sickness or by leave of the house of which he is a member. Mileage is allowed not exceeding twenty cents a mile. The presiding officers receive an additional compensation of $3 a day, which is the limit allowed by the constitution.

On January 14th each House is required to take a vote for a United States Senator to succeed Charles H. Gibson. On January 15th the two houses meet in joint convention, and if the same person has received a majority of the votes of both houses, his election is declared, otherwise a Senator is elected by the viva-voce vote of the joint convention.

Of all the committees to be named in either the Senate or House, the one around which the greatest interest of both parties has centred, has been the Senate election committee, to which will be referred the contest against Senator Westcott, of Kent, and Senators Finley, of Queen Anne's, and Bond, of Calvert, both Democrats. It is said by a gentleman close to President Bruce that the committee may consist of Messrs. Crothers, of Cecil; Michael, of Harford, and Hering, of Carroll, Democrats, and Messrs. Randall, of Anne Arundel, and Strobridge, of Baltimore city, Republicans.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

New Officers for the New Year.

The Chestertown M. E. Sunday school elected the following officers on last Sunday: M. A. Toulson, supt.; W. Bradford Copper and Miss Nettie E. Gooding, asst. supts.; M. Wilber Thomas, sec.; R. K. Pippin, chorister; Miss Minnie Peregoy, organist; Charles S. York, Jr., librarian; assistant librarian, Charles Pippin; Jacob F. Thompson and Mr. Anderson, cornetists.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church, Chestertown, met on Tuesday evening and elected the following officers to serve during the ensuing year: President, W. P. Compton; 1st vice-president, M. Wilber Thomas; 2d vice-pres't, Mrs. Jos. W. Thompson; 3d vice-pres't, Mrs. Joel Clements; 4th vice-pres't, Miss Anna G. Lambert; secretary, Dr. Charles R Twilley; treasurer, Milbourne Davis.

At Christ M. P. Sunday school the following officers were elected: Supt., Wm. B. Usilton; assistant, Mrs. T. R. Hubbard; treas., Miss Annie Russell; sec., Miss Maggie Anderson; pianist, Miss Clare Vannort; organist, Miss Rose Frazier; cornetists, Messrs. John N. Dodd and Alwyn Culp; chorister, Mr. W. W. Chapman; librarian, Jas. D. Lucas; assistant librarian, Frank Wood.

Kent Lodge, No. 74, I. O. O. F., of Galena, on Thursday evening, Jan. 2d, installed the following officers: N. G., William Parr; V. G., R. A. Shallcross; secretary, Henry Parr; treasurer, Geo. W. Jacoby; R. S. N. G., J. H. Weer; L. S. N. G., L. C. Hayes; conductor, G. W. Walls; warden, B. F. Moffett; R. S. V. G., J. F. Voshell; L. S. V. G., J. H. Jarvis; O. G., C. H. Elliott; I. G., J. E. Weer; S. S., A. H. Redding and Chas. E. Faulkner; chaplain, W. Lane.

D. D. G. M., Jos. Ryan, installed the following officers of Maxwell Lodge, No. 27, I. O. O. F., Rock Hall: N. G., Wm. T. Harrison; V. G., Wm. Larrimore; Recording Secretary, J. M. Boyer; Financial Secretary, M. L. Maslin; Treasurer, J. B. Willson; Chaplain, J. T. Rich; R. S. to N. G., Wm. T. George; L. S. to N. G., Thomas Harrison; Warden, Wm. P. Durding; Conductor, Laurence Whaland; R. S. to V. G., R. J. Harrison; L. S. to V. G., Jacob Kendall; R. S. S., J. J. Davis; L. S. S., J. W. Urie; T. G., S. B. Collier; O. G., J. O. Harrison; Trustees, B. H. Coburn, Wm. T. George, J. W. Joiner, Geo. Glenn, Darrius Scott.

Kent Lodge, No. 125, Knights of Pythias, of Kennedyville, on Monday night installed the following officers: P. C., Wattie McKnett; C. C., W. T. Hague; V. C., J. H. Weer; P., James E. Newcomb; M. of W., Wattie Mcknett; M. of E., W. S. Hurlock; M. of F., Harry S. Redmile; K. of R. and S., John Medders; M. at A., S. T. Newcomb; I. G., Geo. M. Glenn; O. G., E. L. Redmile; Rep. to G. L., James E. Weer.

D. D. Grand Master, Wm. T. Matthews, of Amicable Lodge, No. 117, I. O. O. F., Chestertown, installed new officers on Monday night as follows: N. G., L. Bates Russell; V. G., A. B. Frazier; sec., John R. Rollison; treas., James W. Chapman; chaplain, Rev. S. C. Roberts, D. D.; Conductor, W. M. Culp; Warden, F. D. Leary; R. S. N. G., Wm. Davis; L. S. N. G., F. H. Howard; R. S. V. G., Harry T. Hoyle; L. S. V. G., Cyrus G. Howard; R. S., Wm. H. Lambert, Jr.; O. G., Jos. N. Wheatley; I. G., Geo. B. Twilley.

Chesapeake Lodge, No. 68, K. of P., have installed officers as follows: C. C., Wm. J. Hudson; V. C., Marion Downey; K. of R. S., John Dickinson; M. of F., Frank Ayers; M. of E., Jeff D. Ayers; M. of W., L. J. Whaland; M. of A., Frank Shreck; Prelate, Charles Ayres; I. G., Frank Hartman; O. G., F. Urie.

Church Notes.

A watch meeting was held in Salem church last Tuesday night beginning at 10 o'clock. Only a few attended, but a spiritual feast was enjoyed by the few present. "Where a few are gathered together in My name, there am I also."

Revival services are in progress in the M. E. Church of Chestertown. Rev. T. B. Cooper, pastor of Pomona charge, will preach on Thursday evening, and Dr. Alfred Smith, presiding elder of the district, will preach on Friday evening and hold the 4th Quarterly Conference for the charge immediately after the preaching service. Services at the usual hours on Sabbath next. Presiding Elder Smith will preach Sabbath evening and conduct the revival services at the conclusion. Public cordially invited to all services.

Special services commenced in Millington M. E. church on Sunday evening last.

A gloriourly successful protracted meeting is being conducted at Galena M. E. church.

Memorial services sacred to the memory of the late lamented Rev. D. W. Bates, were held at Wesley Chapel, on the evening of December 26.

The lay electors from charges in Kent are: Sassafras and Massey's, B. F. Phillips, Golt's; alternate, J. T. Matthews; Galena, W. A. Hyland; alternate, William Kelley, Locust Grove.

Quarterly Conference appointments for Kent county, fourth quarter, are:

JANUARY.				
Millington	4	10.00	5	10 30
Sudlersville	6	9.00	5	night
Crumpton	4	2.30	5	2 30
Still Pond	4	3.00	12	10.30
Union and Salem	4	10.00	12	3.00
Chestertown	10	night	12	night
Pomona	20	10.00	19	7.00
Piney Neck	18	3.00	19	2.30
Rock Hall	18	7.00	19	10.30
Church Hill	25	2.00	26	10.30

Rev. Kent M. Bull, pastor of Worton and Church Hill Presbyterian Churches, has been given a delightful surprise by his Church Hill congregation.

The interesting programme given in the TRANSCRIPT last week was carried out at the Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton, held in Port Deposit last week. The ministers reported present from Kent were: Rev. Samuel Edson, of Shrewsbury; Rev. C. T. Denroche, of St. Paul's, and Rev. S. C. Roberts, of Chestertown.

On our front page will be found a strong paper touching the unconstitutionality of the Act disfranchising ministers of the gospel, by making them inelligible to service in the State Legislature.

A pair of Happy Russell horses were raffled off for the benefit of the Centreville Catholic Church on Saturday.

Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held at Still Pond M. E. Church Jan. 11th and 12th. Quarterly Conference on Saturday, the 11th, at 3 P. M. Love feast at 9.30 and preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. Alfred Smith, D. D.

With the historic Cathedral in Baltimore packed to its utmost capacity, in the presence of all the leading dignitaries of the American Roman Catholic Church, Francis Satolli, titular archbishop of Lepanto, and papal ablegate to the United States, was formally elevated to the cardinalate on Sunday.

Thirteen archbishops, over forty bishops, and many prominent citizens of State lent their presence to the august occasion.

All the American archbishops, with the exception of Katzer, of Milwaukee, and Hennessy, of Dubuque, were present. The Wisconsin divine was too ill to travel, and the Iowa archbishop is absent on a European tour. Cardinal Gibbons occupied his throne, clad in the full insignia of his rank, wearing his cappa, magna and pallium.

Cardinal-Elect Satolli occupied a temporary throne on the epistle side of the altar, opposite that of Cardinal Gibbons.

On the drapery back of the throne was placed his coat-of-arms, with the motto he has selected: *In Fide Spe et Charite Cherandum.*

It will be remembered that the motto of Cardinal Gibbons is that of *Auspice Maire.*

The grand altar was a blaze of light, 5,000 tapers sending out their refulgent rays.

When the idea is accepted that nearly 1,000 ecclesiastics and officers assisted in the ceremonies, ranging from acolytes to cardinals, some idea can be obtained of the impressiveness of the scene.

Assembled together in the classic cathedral, vested in their robes of office, sat the Catholic hierarchy of the United States, men who preside over the destinies of a church which claims about 12,000,000 communicants in this country alone.

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

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The ladies of the Kennedyville M. P. Church will hold an Oyster Supper and Festival on THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings, JANUARY 23, 24, 25. Ice cream and confectionery will also be served. Come one, come all.
j2* COMMITTEE.

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On MORTGAGE in sums of not less than Five Hundred Dollars, on Kent county real estate.
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BANK NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, Maryland, that their regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Nine Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking house, in Chestertown, TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1896, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
d18. W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

MONEY NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to me will please settle their accounts, as I need money.
COLIN F. STAM,
s12-tf. DRUGGIST.

HOTEL AND STABLE
For Rent for 1896

The Brick Hotel and Stable at Millington, Kent county, Md., are for rent for the year 1896. The building is desirably located, and is now occupied by Mr. S. L. Pratt. For full particulars, address
FRANK A. EMORY,
a15-tf. Centreville, Md.

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shall be surpassed in our spring goods, and in order to make room for spring goods this splendid line of goods must move, and our friends and patrons shall enjoy the benefits of reduced prices for high-class, seasonable goods. The first to come will be the first served from this reduction sale of beautiful winter styles at new year's reduction of prices.

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Jan. 24, 1895—y. Chestertown, Md.

Auditor's Notice.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County

No. 1121 Equity.

Samuel Berryman,
vs.
Felix Berryman, et al.

THE creditors of George Berryman, late of Kent county, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, properly proven, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the first day of May next.
By order of Court,
EBEN F. PERKINS,
d19-5t. AUDITOR.

PERSONAL NOTICE.

Ladies, before papering your rooms, consult WILLING, THE FRESCOE PAINTER, who will give the finest work at the most moderate price.
W. F. WILLING,
nov7-3m. Chestertown, Md.

Sheriff's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE.

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 Thomas R Hubbard and Wilbur W. Hubbard, trading as T. R. Hubbard & Son, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Charles W. Stephens, to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken in execution the following property of the said Charles W. Stephens:

ALL THAT TRACT
Or Parcel of Land,

and improvements thereon, situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, Md., on the public road leading from Tolchester to Rock Hall,

—CALLED—

The Coleman Property,

adjoining the lands of Morris Reinhart and M. Ascher, and

Containing 4 Acres of Land,

MORE OF LESS.

—AND ALSO—

All That Tract or Parcel of Land,

and improvements thereon, situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, Md., and near the village of Fairlee, called the Dowling property, bounded on the north and west by the public road, and on the south and east by William Swearer's property, and containing

ONE ACRE OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, 28th Day JANUARY, 1896,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M and 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, I will sell the above property so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the above writs, with costs and interest due and to become due thereon.

JAMES A. CASEY,
Jan. 2, 1896—ts SHERIFF.

JAMES A. PEARCE, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

Hallie R. Goodin, plaintiff,
vs.
William Y. Baker, J. Houston Baker and other defendants.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity

No. 1168.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate situated in Kent county, Maryland, for the payment of the debts of M. Louisa Houston, late of Kent county, deceased.

The bill states, First—That M. Louisa Houston departed this life in the month of January, 1895, leaving no personal estate whatever, but seized of a farm in Kent county aforesaid, containing 237 acres of land, more or less, and leaving a last will and testament duly executed to pass real estate which has been duly admitted to probate by the Orphans' Court for Kent county.

Second—That at the time of her death the said M. Louisa Houston was indebted unto the plaintiff, Hallie R. Goodin, upon a certain promissory note for a sum of $200.00, dated, January 3d, 1889, and payable one year after date, on which note interest is due and unpaid from July 1st, 1894, and that the said M. Louisa Houston was also indebted unto sundry other persons in divers sums of money, and that the said Hallie R. Goodin sues as well for herself as for all other creditors who could come in and contribute to the expenses of said suit.

Third—That by said last will and testament said M. Louisa Houston devised said real estate to William Y. Baker for life, and after his death to her children or descendants, but in event of his death without leaving children or descendants, then the devised said real estate as follows, namely: One-fifth part to S. Houston Baker, only child of S Houston Baker; one-fifth part to Louise Baker, only child of Horatio H. Baker; one-fifth part to such of the daughters of the late James H. Houston Baker, of Lancaster, Pa., as shall be then unmarried; one-fifth part to such of the daughters of the late B. F. Houston, of Lancaster, Pa., as shall be then unmarried; and the remaining one-fifth part to such of the daughters of the late Dr. S. A. Houston, of Washington, D. C., as shall be then unmarried.

Fourth—That the daughters of the said James H. Houston now living are Elizabeth Houston, Eliza Hopkins Houston and Rebecca S. Houston, all now unmarried, and all non-residents of the State of Maryland, residing at Atgler, Chester County, Pa.

Fifth—That the daughters of the said B. F. Houston now living are Sarah J. Houston, of Chestertown, Kent county, Md.; Hannah E. Houston and Mary W. Worrell, both non-residents of the State of Maryland, and residing in the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, the two first named never having been married, and the last being now a widow.

Sixth—That the daughters of the late Dr S. A. Houston, now living are: Agnes Crain Houston and Margaretta L. Houston, both non-residents of the State of Maryland, residing in Washington, D. C., and Sarah H. Whittlesey, a non-resident of the State of Maryland, residing in Cincinnati, Onio, the two first named having been married and the last named being a widow.

Seventh—That the said S. Houston Baker is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, a non-resident of the State of Maryland, residing in Wilmington, Delaware.

Eighth—That the said Louise Houston is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, a non-resident of the State of Maryland, residing at Farmers, Tennessee.

It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, this 3d day of January, 1896, that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published and printed in Kent county aforesaid, once in each of four successive weeks before the 9th day of February, 1896, gives notice to the said absent defendants 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 27th day of February next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
j9-5t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

David A. Hynson,
vs.
Madeline M. Dawson, George T. Dawson, Wm. Hynson, Thomas M. Hynson, Rosa M. Hynson.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, in Equity.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of the real estate of Temperance Hynson, deceased.

Temperance Hynson was in her life time seized in fee simple of a certain house and lot of land lying in Kent county, on Swan Creek, in the fifth election district of said county, containing one hundred and forty-five perches of land, as will appear by a deed therefor from Christopher Wilkinson to the said Temperance Hynson.

And the bill further states that Temperance Hynson departed this life about the year 1890, leaving the following children and heirs at law, namely, David A. Hynson the plaintiff; Madeline M. Hynson, who is married to George T. Dawson, William Hynson, Thomas M. Hynson, all of Kent county, Maryland, and Rosa M. Hynson, who resides in the State of Pennsylvania, are infants.

And the bill further shows that the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss and injury to the parties entitled to interests therein, and that in order to make division of the said interest it will be necessary that said real estate be sold and the proceeds thereof be divided among the parties according to their several interests therein; the persons entitled being the only children and heirs at law of the said Temperance Hynson, who left no husband surviving her, and whose heirs at law are the plaintiff and the defendants above named.

And the bill further shows that it will be for the interest and advantage of all parties interested in said real estate, to have the same sold and the proceeds thereof divided among the persons entitled thereto.

To this end, therefore, that a decree may be passed for the sale of the said real estate, and that a trustee may be appointed to sell the said real estate and divide the proceeds thereof among the persons entitled thereto.

It is thereupon this 31st day of December, A. D. 1895, adjudged and ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the complainant by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland once in each of four successive weeks before the 31st day of January next give notice to the said Rosa M. Hynson, who is a non resident of the State of Maryland, but is at present living in the State of Pennsylvania (the non-resident defendant in this case) of the object and substance of this bill, and warning her to appear in this court in person or by solicitor, on or before the 15th day of February next, to answer the premises and abide by and perform such decree as may be passed therein.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
12-5t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

Hope H. Barroll, Assignee and Trustee,
vs.
Charles W. Stephens.

No. 1159.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity

ORDERED, this 7th day of January, 1896, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, assignee and trustee, under power contained in a mortgage from Charles W. Stephens to Mary A. Startt, dated October 31st, 18?2, and recorded in Liber S. G. F., No. 1, folios No. 80, etc, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 8th day of March next—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 8th day of February next. The report states the amount of sales to be $1800.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
j9-4t SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

No. 1151 Chancery.

Samuel J. Hill,
vs.
John Hill.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 19th day of December, 1895, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, appointed by a decree of this court, in the above-entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 27th day of February 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 27th day of January next. The report states the amount of sales to be $710.00.

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