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"COUNTY SCALPERS" is a name applied to the present corps of road supervisors by an irate independent.

A MICHIGAN CONGRESSMAN last week won his nomination by a majority of fifty-two-one-hundredth of a vote, the narrowest political margin on record.

MR. WELLINGTON has put himself on a gold platform. Boss Wellington is about as able to have a literal gold platform as most men in his party in Maryland.

THE CLAIM is now made that a pole on the simple issue of gold or silver, the white vote in Kent county would stand nearly three to one in favor of the white metal.

COL. EUGENE HIGGINS, the well-known Democratic politician, has declared for free silver. The colonel can see as far through an open window as any other professional politician.

IT IS NOW GIVEN out that the friends of Ex-State Treasurer Edwin H. Brown, are quietly talking that gentlemen's claims for the comptrollership next year. No ex-official of the State has a better record to build on.

THE TRIAL of B. Palmer Keating for embezzlement has been removed from the Queen Anne county court to Dorchester county. The case of murder charged against Thomas R. Brown was removed to Caroline.

THE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE is sorely embarrassed by the refusal of St. Louis hotels to entertain colored delegates. Threats of prosecution fail to move the hotel keepers, and it is proposed to erect a tent for the accommodation of the colored brethren.

EX-STATES ATTORNEY P. B. Hopper and either John B. or Edward H Brown, will represent Queen Anne in the judgeship contest of next year. Which one of the Messrs. Brown will take the field is not yet decided upon. Rumor has it that Kent will be abundantly represented in this fight. How numerously no one can yet say.

A ST. LOUIS TELEGRAM gives it as report that the Eastern opponents to the nomination of Major William McKinley as the Presidential standard-bearer of 1896 have formulated plans to place $1,000,000 in St. Louis to help in carrying the convention for an Eastern man. This money, the story goes, is to be at the disposal of several shrewd lobbyists of long experience, who are said to entertain bright hopes of being able to capture a number of Southern and Western delegates as well as Eastern men.

REGISTERS AND JUDGES.

At a meeting of the board of Election Supervisors on Monday evening the following registers of voters and judges of election for the respective registration places in Kent county were designated:

1st district—Millington precinct, Fred. A. Walls, Wm. H. Ford; Galena precinct, Chas. H. Smith, R. C. Morgan. 2d district—Sam'l J. Comly, John P. Hendrickson. 3d district—Geo. L. Bowers, Jos. B. Usilton. 4th district—Wm. H. Brown, J. Evan Thomas. 5th district—John W. Downey, T. Romie Strong. 6th district—T. H. Morris Bramble, Wm. E. Keyser. 7th district—John C. Davis, J. Cordry Loud.

Section seven, under which the selections were made, provides that the boards of supervisors in the several counties, in each year in which an election in November is to be held in their respective counties, shall select, before the first day of July, two judges of election, and before the fifteenth day of September, two more judges of election and two clerks for each election district in their respective counties, or where a district is divided into voting precincts, for each voting precinct in such district, taking one of such judges and one of such clerks in making each such election, and for each such voting precinct or district from each of the two leading political parties of the State, so that such parties shall be equally represented at all times among said election officers. Each judge and each clerk must be a legal voter, residing in the precinct or district, as the case may be, for which he is selected—a man of good capacity and character—able to speak, read and write the English language, and skilled in the four fundamental rules of arithmetic, not holding any other public office or employment, and not a candidate for any office at the next election. Each supervisor shall have a vote upon the proposed selection or nomination of any judge or clerk; and if, in any case, in consequence of such veto, the board of supervisors cannot agree upon an appointment, then the supervisor or supervisors belonging to the political party entitled to be represented by the judge or clerk in question shall name three men who are eligible, and from these the other supervisor or supervisors shall select such judge or clerk.

Each person selected as judge or clerk by the board of supervisors shall be promptly notified of the fact of his selection, with direction to appear, within the time fixed in the notice, before the board for the purpose of examination, and if, upon examination, he is found qualified, he shall, unless excused by the supervisors for good cause, be appointed by the supervisors, and shall be bound to serve as such officer for the term of one year. No person shall be compelled to serve as judge or clerk for one year after the expiration of his term of service, and all persons so serving shall be exempt from jury duty during the term of their service and for one year thereafter. Any person so selected and notified to appear for examination, who shall not appear before the board as required, or shall refuse to serve, shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars nor more than three hundred dollars, unless it shall appear that he was not qualified for such service, by reason of ill-health, infirmity or old age.

The gentlemen designated above are to act as registers and judges and will be notified that the supervisors will meet again on Monday night, June —, for the purpose of examination.

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.

[SPECIAL TO THE TRANSCRIPT.]

THE STATE CONVENTION.

Mr. Gorman in Control—The Delegates Named.

The free silver tendencies of last night were changed when Mr. Gorman gave the word this morning. J. Thomas Pennington represented Kent on committee on credentials; R. W. Jones on resolutions. Gorman was made permanent chairman, D. J. Nowland vice-president from Kent. Committee on resolutions had a wrangle. Baughman, chairman, made majority report endorsing gold and President Cleveland.

Major Stewart made minority silver report, endorsed by Jones, of Kent. Minority only endorsed Cleveland in some respects. Gorman presided, with Rasin in attendance behind the stage. Boughman moved that minority report be tabled, which was the test of the strength of the gold and silver factions. Gold men won by vote of 87½ to 29½. Kent voting 1½ for and 1½ against. Convention selected for Delegates at Large, J. E. Hurst, Richard M. Venable, John P. Poe, John Gill, Charles C. Crothers, C. C. Homer, Edwin Warfield, Marion deKalb Smith, of Kent county. The name of John K. Cowen was presented amid cheering and hissing.

After nominations had been closed Cowen's name was withdrawn. Wm. M. Slay put Marion deK. Smith in nomination.

DISTRICT DELEGATES.

First District—Henry R. Lewis, Caroline county; John R. Pattison, Dorchester county.

Second District—Frederick A. Van-Kapff, Baltimore county, and Thos. N. Robinson, Harford county.

Third District—John Hannibal and Louis M. Duvall, of Baltimore city.

Fourth District—James N. McElroy and Wm. T. Biedler, of Baltimore city.

Fifth District—Wm. B. Clagget, Prince George's county, and Dr. Geo. P. Jones, Calvert county.

Sixth District—Spencer C. Watkins, Montgomery county, and Henry F. Wingate, Washington county.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE.

Randolph Barton, of Baltimore city, and Geo. W. Purnell, of Worcester county.

DISTRICT ELECTORS.

First district—William M. Slay, Kent.
Second district—George W. Albaugh, Carroll.
Third district—John Hubert, Baltimore city.
Fourth district—Edward Paine, Baltimore city.
Fifth district—Thomas H. Bond, Calvert county.
Sixth district—Wm. R. Getty, Garrett.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Pleasant Programmes Being Arranged at Washington College.

The one hundred and fourteenth commencement of Washington College promises to be one of the most pleasurable within the history of the institution. President Reid is perfecting arrangements, and states that he is already laying plans for after-commencement work.

The commencement exercises will be formally ushered in by the Baccalaureate sermon at Emmanuel P. E. Church on next Sunday morning, by Rev. George W. Gassner, of Delaware City.

Sunday, 8 P. M., Rev. Bartlett P. James, of Washington, D. C., will preach the annual sermon before the Y. M. C. A. of the college, in the M. P. Church.

At eight o'clock on Monday evening Mr. W. W. Knowles, of Seaford, Delaware, will address the Mt. Vernon Literary Society. This gentleman is a polished writer and speaker, and the Mt. Vernon Anniversary promises to be highly pleasant. The officers of the Mt. Vernon are: President, E. M. Noble; vice-president, T. A. Goldsborough; recording secretary, W. L. Wheatley; corresponding secretary, E. L. Jones; treasurer, J. S. E. Pardee.

On Tuesday, at 10 o'clock A. M., the declamation contest for the A. H. Reid prize of twenty-five dollars in two prizes, will take place. The contestants will be: Miss Lucy Murray, Miss Grace Whaland, and Messrs. J. S. Elliott Pardee, J. M. White, J. H. Anderson, J. I. Coulbourne, W. M. Sherwood.

The field sports on College campus on Tuesday afternoon will as usual be one of the great events of the week. This feature has been left entirely to Prof. Burris and he has spared no pains and work in arranging the events.

Prof. Burris has divided the participants into three classes as follows: Class A. or Seniors—White, Barnes, Boston, Coursey, Ward, McCabe, Pardee, Rickey, Sherwood, Coulbourne, Hurtt, Webb and Glover.

Class B. or Juniors—Simpers, W. B. Anderson, J. H. Anderson, Toulson, H. Vickers, Wheatley, Smith, Goodin and Lucas.

Under sixteen years or Preps—Green, J. Eliason, H. Eliason, Parks, Rogers, Sutton, Anthony, E. Simpers, Brown and Bradley.

All of above gentlemen will enter the contests, which are as follows: 100 yards dash, 220 yards dash, 120 yards hurdles, pole vault, running and standing broad jump, jump for height, potato race, 100 yards handicap open for school; prize, ice cream for fifteen highest contestants. Starter, Thomas Massey; timers, Prof. J. I. Stephens and J. H. Sides; judges, W. B. Usilton, Jr., Prof. E. J. Clarke and E. F. Perkins, Jr.; announcer, Prof. E. J. Clarke.

On Tuesday at eight o'clock P. M., Rev. Phil. C. W. Prettyman, of Salisbury, will deliver the address to the Philomathean and Pierian Literary Societies.

Wednesday, at 10.30 A. M., commencement exercises proper will be held in Stam's Hall. The graduates will be: classical course, Samuel R. Douglas, Robert L. Glover and E. R. McDorman; scientific course, M. Belle Boston, Mary C. Burchinal, Howard A. Jump and Edward M. Noble.

Weber's band, of Baltimore, will furnish the music during the week.

COLLEGE PERSONALS.

Miss Caroline Pettigrew has resigned her position at Washington College to accept a place in a young ladies' school in Washington, D. C. She is at present in that city on business.

It is rumored that Prof. Jones will spend the Summer by the sad sea waves of Staten Island. He will engage as a private tutor to some relatives.

Prof. Clarke will spend the summer at Chicago University, taking a course in English literature and elocution, the two branches he now teaches at the College.

Prof. Stevens, who has resigned as Prof of sciences at the College, has not arranged any definite plans for the Summer but will doubtless go to his home in Virginia from here.

Dr. Reid will take his usual gunning and fishing trip to the mountains of West Virginia. He will then canvas the State in the interest of the recently organized Normal Department.

Prof Micou will remain at his home on College hill.

Prof. Burris has contracted with the same summer school he was with last summer and will spend five weeks at Silver Lake, N. Y.

For the first time in the history of the institution, the graduating class will don caps and gowns on commencement day. This is an attractive innovation; a custom followed by many colleges of the country, and a feature that lends dignity and tone to the last days' exercises.

THAT BABY SHOW.

Kent Has Two Entries, and Handsome Herbert McCauley, of Galena, Bears Off a Valuable Prize.

The most unique event of the season, the baby show at Middletown, has come and gone, and though Kent had but two representatives, four-months-old Herbert McCauley, son of Mrs. Alice McCauley, of Galena, and three-months-old William O'Neal, son of Mrs. Sallie O'Neal, of Golt's, she bore off one of the handsomest prizes in the list. Because of threatening weather the attendance was small. There were thirty-four handsome, bouncing babies entered.

There were two pairs of twins, Claude and Clyde, the twenty-one-months-old sons of Mrs. H. H. Appleton, of Middletown, and John and Henry, seven months boys of Mrs. Annie Eastburn, of Newark.

Many of the pretty contestants came at 9 o'clock, and as Col. Martin said in his opening address at 1 o'clock, certainly a finer set of babies and better natured could not be collected anywhere. Not a cry was heard. The threatening weather kept all the disagreeable babies at home, if indeed there are any. Had the day been pleasant there would have been twice thirty-four mothers and babies, Manager Ingram having had letters to that effect.

After the interesting little folk had been listed, three groupings or "tableaux," were arranged on the stage: *first* the judges, *second* the babies under twelve months in their mothers' arms, *third* the babies over one year with their mothers. The semi-circular groups were living pictures, beautiful to look upon and the demand for the pictures that were taken is likely to be extensive.

The question of deciding upon the "Finest specimen of a baby" was begun by the committee with some trepidation. It was an interesting sight to watch them and especially Bachelor Hoffecker, whose particular duty it seemed to be to weigh the babies in his arms. There was not a stage-frightened child among them, not the intimation of a cry, and the deep interest of the mothers, indicated by their heightened color and bright eyes, showed how intense was their love, each for "the dearest, sweetest, yes the prettiest darling alive." It was a great day, an exhibition of beautiful womanhood and honorable manhood in futurity. "The finest show that Middletown has had for years" was the verdict of many. The judges performed their difficult task to the entire satisfaction of the management and without a single word of complaint from the principal contestants, which is a most remarkable condition, as "kicking" is a growing characteristic with young America. Not a babe kicked and every mother acquiesced in the awards, but in confidence the *Transcript* is in position to state that every mother went away with the impression with which she came, "my babe is the finest and I know it, let others think what they please."

The prizes were awarded as follows:

A lady's gold watch and chain to Master Claude Brooks, of Newark, for the "finest specimen" under twelve months. The young gentleman is ten months old, his mother is twenty-two, and her son weighs 28 pounds. "He is the handsomest child I ever saw" said one of the judges and there was no changing his mind. It appears that a minority of the committee had a leaning towards Miss Lillian Easter Ruth, a sweet and pretty lady of eight months, from Clayton, and Col. Martin mentioned her as second choice in making the awards.

A beautiful gold-lined silver nut bowl went to Miss Kathleen Lord, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lord, of Camden, for "the finest specimen of baby" over one year old. Miss Kathleen was two years old yesterday and was never sick a day in her life. She is the pet of the home and the pride of her friends, and this conquest of the judges of the Baby Show is by no means her first and certainly will not be her last.

KENT'S PRIZE WINNER.

A beautiful butter dish went to Mrs. Alice McCauley, of Galena, for the fattest baby, Master Herbert weighing 20 pounds at 4 months old. Masters Claude and Clyde Appleton received a large silver caster as the finest pair of twins. They are twenty-one months old and weigh 23 and 26 pounds respectively, a pair of fine boys as are Mr. and Mrs. Eastburn's. Mrs. Minnie Bendler, of Port Penn, received a fine baby coach for being the youngest mother, 17 years old. Mrs. Rebecca Whitlock was the oldest mother, 42 years, and received a silver cake basket. The presents were all first class, and the affair cost Manager Ingram $115.00 above his receipts, which was the only disappointment in the whole show.

We are indebted to the Middletown *Transcript* for the above interesting facts.

FAIRLEE.

Miss Zadie Lee gave some of her friends quite a treat last Saturday evening in the way of a lawn fete. Ice cream, cake and strawberries were abundantly served. Croquet was the game mostly indulged in, and notwithstanding the many little misplays that were accidentally made by the ladies, they were sadly defeated.

Another fire occurred in one of Mr. A. L. Corey's tenant houses Monday. The house was occupied by Henry Sordon, who was away from home at the time. Everything was entirely destroyed. This is two fires on the same farm in less than a week. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Miss Zadie Lee and Miss Florence Gudgeon are spending several days in Baltimore this week.

Strawberry season is about over with us, which was unusually short. Mr. J. P. Nicholson has furnished us with some very fine berries this season.

Mr. Walter Sparks has bought a new wheat thresher with blower attached, which is the latest improved. It is a beauty.

Those on the sick list this week are: Miss Carrie I. Smyth, Mr. Wm. T. J. Keyser and E. O. Duyer. Mr. Duyer has been quite a sufferer for nearly two months, but is slowly improving at this writing.

A game of base-ball was played here on Saturday last between the Fairlee school boys and the Chestertown P. U. The score was 31 to 10, in favor of the C. P. U.

Mr. Richard Diel's little boy fell in some way while playing and seriously hurt his arm. Dr. Hessey is in attendance.

Mr. Wm. P. Crosby is visiting friends and relatives in Wicomico county this week.

Mr. Henderson Crosby has been spending some time at his home in Pennsylvania. EAST END.

"Last summer while attending court at Uniontown," says D. B. Patton, a prominent druggist of Fayette City, Pa., "three witnesses were suffering from diarrhœa. I gave each a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy and it gave immediate relief. On the way home one of my neighbors was taken with a severe cramp in the stomach and was suffering with intense pains. I gave him a dose of this remedy and within five minutes the pain had ceased. The remedy is a favorite here. I know of many who are never without it. I always take it with me when going away from home." For sale by M. A. Toulson, Chestertown, Md.

FOUND.—A POCKET-BOOK. The owner can obtain same by calling at TRANSCRIPT office.

LAWN FETE.

A Lawn Fete will be held in the COURT HOUSE YARD, under the auspices of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church of Chestertown, on MONDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING, JUNE 15th, 1896. Public cordially invited. 1t.

TENT FOR SALE.

We have a brand new Tent, 14 feet wide by 20 feet long, 5 feet wall, with fly, rope, poles and stakes, complete. All No. 1 material and work. Price, $50, but $40 cash takes the Tent. Satisfaction or money refunded.

j11-3t. BALTIMORE AWNING CO.

FOR SALE.

I have for sale seven POLAND CHINA BOAR PIGS. These pigs are entitled to registry, their grandmother having taken first prize at the World's Fair.

I also have a fine HOLSTEIN BULL CALF, entitled to registry, for sale.

Address, J. B. HOSSINGER, Lynch's, Md.
j4-3t.

FOR RENT.

The DWELLING HOUSE on Queen street recently occupied by Dr. J. A. Perkins for rent for balance of year 1896 and for 1897.

Apply to MONTGOMERY STUART, Chestertown, Md.
m28-3t.

BANK NOTICE.

The Second National Bank of Chestertown desires to call the attention of its patrons to the fact that by the recent Act of the Assembly all notes given on and after June 1st, will be protested on the first day of their maturity as the three days grace has been abolished by law. Persons giving notes on and after June 1st, will do well to remember this fact and attend to all notes on the day of maturity

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.
May 21, 3t.

MONEY TO LOAN,

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

Address, W. H. D., 1403 North Central Ave., Balto., Md.
j2-3m.

NOTICE.

POLICY-HOLDERS OF THE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent County, who use GASOLINE for COOKING PURPOSES are hereby notified that it is necessary for them to secure permits for its use from the Treasurer of the Company, who upon application and payment of usual charges will issue same.

GEORGE B. WESTCOTT, TREASURER.
May 14—6m.

For Sale Cheap.

One Buffalo Pitts Thresher,

—AND—

One 8-Horse Engine

Both in working order. Will sell together or separately. Apply to R. T. TURNER, JR., Betterton, Md.
m28-4t.

Notice to Creditors.

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

SAMUEL DAVIS,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 13th day of December, 1896, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of June, 1896.

RICHARD T. TURNER JR., Administrator.
j11-4t.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

A Desirable Farm

NEAR SWAN CREEK, IN KENT CO., MD.

BY VIRTUE of power and authority contained in a mortgage from Richard S. Diehl and others to Annie Hines, Jennie Q. Hines and Catharine A. Hines, dated December 12, 1891, and duly recorded among the Land Records for Kent county, in Liber S. B. No. 13, follos 34, etc., which mortgage has been duly assigned upon the record thereof, to the undersigned, I will as such assignee, offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., on

Tuesday, 7th day of July, 1896,

AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., ALL

THAT FINE FARM,

situated on the right hand side of the public road leading from Swan Creek bridge to Swan Point, adjoining the lands of Geo. C. Wilkins and others, and known as the

Richard S. Diehl Farm,

CONTAINING,

326 Acres,

1 Rood, 12 Perches of Land, more or less.

The soil is of medium quality, and produces excellent crops of grass and grain.

There are About 4000 Peach Trees

from five to six years old, of very fine varieties and promising a large crop. This is very fine wheat land, but the growing wheat was seeded without any fertilizer whatever. This farm is situated three miles from Tolchester wharf, and about the same distance from Rock Hall, thus affording every facility for market.

THE DWELLING

is a two-story and attic frame building nearly new, and containing in all ten rooms. The out buildings consist of Barn, Stable, Meat House, Poultry House, all in very fair condition. The fencing is mostly in good condition.

THERE IS A SMALL PEAR ORCHARD AND APPLE ORCHARD

ample for all the fruit desired for the occupant. There is about 100 acres in good Chestnut and Oak Timber, mostly fine White Oak, and the residue is all arable.

THE TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale will be as follows—$150 cash on the day of sale or in 30 days thereafter at the option of the undersigned, and the residue in two equal instalments in one and two years from day of sale with interest from day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by bond or note with approved security.

Possession given January 1st, 1897 with privilege of seeding wheat this fall. The landlord's share of the corn and peach crop to go to the purchaser.

JAMES A. PEARCE.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. Assignee.

Sheriff's Sale

—OF—

PERSONLA PROPERTY.

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 The Birdsall Co., a corporation, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William T. Stradley. I have seized, levied upon and taken in execution the following property of the said William T. Stradley, consisting of

ONE BIRDSALL STEAM Traction Engine

AND ONE BIRDSALL

THRESHING MACHINE.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 23d day of JUNE, 1896,

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

JAMES A. CASEY, Sheriff.
j11-ts.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF A—

Desirable Farm.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from William Carter and Anna A. Carter, his wife, to Annie S. Price, dated 1st day of December, 1887, and recorded in Liber S. D., No 10, folios 96, etc. one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, the undersigned attorney named in said mortgage, will offer at public auction, in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,

ON THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1896,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON,

All That Tract of Land,

lying and being in Kent county, Md., on the public road at Lynch's Station, and commonly known as

Part of "Campbell's Worthmore"

or "SUTTON FARM," and containing

49 Acres, 2 Roods and 9 Perches

of land, more or less.

The Improvements are

A Frame Dwelling,

and the necessary Outbuildings.

The situation at Lynch's Station, on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, together with the excellent character of the soil, makes this a very desirable property.

TERMS OF SALE:—Terms of sale as prescribed by the mortgage are cash, but these terms may be modified to suit the convenience of a desirable purchaser.

HARRISON W. VICKERS, Attorney named in the Mortgage.
m21-ts.

Commencement Exercises

—AT—

Washington College.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE is preparing for one of the most pleasurable and successful commencements within the history of the venerable institution, which will this year celebrate its one hundred and fourteenth anniversary. The commencement exercises will be opened with the

BACCALAUREATE SERMON,

on Sunday morning, June 14th, preached in Emmanuel P. E. Church, at 11 o'clock A. M. by Rev. George W. Gassner, of Delaware City, and morning editor of the Delaware Churchman.

Sunday at 8 P. M., Rev. Bartlett P. James, of Washington, D. C., will preach the

ANNUAL SERMON BEFORE Y. M. C. A.

of the college, in the M. P. Church.

Monday at 8 P. M.,

ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES,

of the Mount Vernon Literary Society. Speaker, W. W. Knowles, of Seaford, Del.

Tuesday, at 10 A. M.,

DECLAMATION CONTEST

for the A. H. Reid prize.

Tuesday afternoon,

FIELD SPORTS,

on College Campus.

Tuesday at 8 o'clock P. M.,

Address by Rev. Phil. C. W. Prettyman,

of Salisbury, before Philomathean and Pierian Societies.

Wednesday 10.30 A. M.,

COMMENCEMENT PROPER.

ORDER NISI.

No. 1138.

John F. Ernest, et al, vs. Charles Ernest, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 28th day of May, 1896, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 4th day of August 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 July next. The report states the amount of sales to be $146.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
j5-4t.

SNYDER'S SHAVING PARLORS

TOLCHESTER, MD.,

during the season.

HAVING located at Tolchester for the summer, I am prepared to do Shaving and Hair Cutting in latest styles. Trimming of Ladies' and Children's Bangs and Shampooing a specialty.

Music furnished for parties, etc.

Give me a call.

j30-96. THOMAS L. SNYDER, Tolchester, Md.

Public Sale of

—VALUABLE—

Real Estate

IN KENT COUNTY, MD.

THE undersigned, as attorney, by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Dennis McCauley and Mary McCauley, his wife, to Richard Hynson, dated the 3d day of December, in the year 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent County, Maryland, in Liber S. B., No 8, folios 418, etc., will offer at public sale, at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,

On Tuesday, 23d day of June, 1896,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., ALL THAT

Desirable Farm,

situated in the First Election District of Kent County, aforesaid, on the public road leading from Galena to Lambson's Station, adjoining the lands of Captain A. Woodall and others,

Containing 394 Acres of Land,

MORE OR LESS,

it being the same farm which was conveyed by John W. Palmer and wife to the said Dennis McCauley by deed dated the 25th day of March, in the year, 1883, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, aforesaid, in Liber J. F. G., No. 1, folios 150, etc., as on reference thereto will more fully appear.

The Improvements are Large and Magnificent, consisting of a Nearly New THREE-STORY

FRAME DWELLING

STABLE, first floor stone, with sixteen single stalls and two box stalls, with loft, which will hold 75 tons of hay; a BARN 60x30 feet, and CORN CRIBS attached; HAY BARRACKS 75x60 feet, will hold two hundred tons of hay; COW STABLE, SHEEP and IMPLEMENT SHEDS, POULTRY HOUSE, MEAT HOUSE, TENANT HOUSES and other usual OUT-BUILDINGS, all in fair repair and the larger part are in excellent condition.

There is a small Apple Orchard

sufficient for the use of the farm.

This is one of the best equipped farms in Kent county, and is inferior to none in quality of soil, high state of cultivation, and is most admirably situated, being within a very short distance of Lambson's Station on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad about two miles from Georgetown on Sassafras river, and has daily access to the Baltimore and northern markets.

Any one who desires a first-class estate should not miss the opportunity of securing one of the finest farms in Kent county.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale or within sixty days thereafter, at the option of the undersigned. The balance to be paid in three equal instalments, in one, two and three years from day of sale, with interest on whole purchase money from day of sale. The deferred payments to be secured by note of the purchaser with surety or sureties to be approved by the undersigned. All interest due to be paid with each instalment of the principal sums. The wheat crop is reserved. Purchaser to have one-half of the present corn crop. Absolute possession to be given January 1st, 1897. Purchaser to have usual privilege of seeding wheat, etc.

RICHARD D. HYNSON, Attorney named in Mortgage.
j4-ts.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF A

Valuable and Desirable

SMALL FARM!

Near Lynch's Station, in Kent Co., Md.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from William Carter and Anna A. Carter, his wife, to Annie S. Price, dated 1st day of December, 1887, and recorded in Liber S. D., No 10, folios 96, etc. one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, the undersigned attorney named in said mortgage, will offer at public auction, in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,

ON THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1896,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON,

All That Tract of Land,

lying and being in Kent county, Md., on the public road at Lynch's Station, and commonly known as

Part of "Campbell's Worthmore"

or "SUTTON FARM," and containing

49 Acres, 2 Roods and 9 Perches

of land, more or less.

The Improvements are

A Frame Dwelling,

and the necessary Outbuildings.

The situation at Lynch's Station, on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, together with the excellent character of the soil, makes this a very desirable property.

TERMS OF SALE:—Terms of sale as prescribed by the mortgage are cash, but these terms may be modified to suit the convenience of a desirable purchaser.

HARRISON W. VICKERS, Attorney named in the Mortgage.
m21-ts.

Trustee's Sale

—OF A—

House and Lot of Land

IN ROCK HALL.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, in the cause where David A. Hynson is plaintiff, and Madeline M. Dawson and others are defendants, the undersigned, duly appointed trustee to sell the real estate mentioned in said proceedings, being No. 1165 Chancery, will offer at public sale, on

Wednesday, 24th day of June, 1896,

between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock P. M., in front of the store of Joseph Downey, in Rock Hall, Maryland, the following Valuable Real estate:

All That House and Lot of Land,

situated on Swan Creek at Deep Landing, and owned by Temperance Hynson in her lifetime, in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, containing nearly

ONE ACRE OF LAND,

and deeded to Temperance Hynson by Christopher Wilkinson.

The improvements consist of a COMFORTABLE

Dwelling HOUSE

two stories high, a Meat House and other Outbuildings. It is a very desirable property, and will make a most comfortable home for one following the water.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments in one and two years from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the Trustee by the note or bond of the purchaser. Title papers at purchaser's cost.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee,
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct. m28-ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF A—

House and Lot of Land

ON CANNON ST. IN CHESTERTOWN.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, Maryland, sitting as a Court of Equity, passed in the case of John N. Todd vs. Clara Miller, et al. the undersigned, duly appointed trustee by said court to sell the real estate described below, will offer at public sale on

TUESDAY, JUNE 16TH, 1896,

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

All That House and Lot of Land,

situated on the west side of Cannon street, between Cross and Mill streets, adjoining the lands formerly belonging to John E. Dent col'd, with a front of about 25 feet on Cannon street and an even depth of about 160 feet more or less, it being the same house and lot of land occupied by Sarah A. Anderson, colored, prior to her death. The lot is improved by a Story and a Half

Frame Dwelling

and is in good condition and repair.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments in twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee. Purchaser entitled to possession upon ratification of the sale. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
John H. Greenwood, Auct. m28-ts.

Public Sale of

—DESIRABLE—

Real Estate

IN KENT COUNTY, MD.

THE undersigned, as attorney, by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Dennis McCauley and Mary McCauley, his wife, to Richard Hynson, dated the third of December, in the year 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent County, Maryland, in Liber S. B., No. 8, folios 414, etc., will offer at public sale, at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, 23d day of June, 1896,

AT HALF-PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

The Two Following Farms,

Designated by the Numbers 1 and 2:

Tract No. 1

IS ALL THAT FARM

Or Plantation,

situated in the Second Election District of Kent County aforesaid, on the public road leading from Locust Grove to Galena, called

"Culbreth Farm,"

CONTAINING 477 ACRES

OF LAND, MORE OR LESS,

being the same land which was conveyed to said Dennis McCauley by Thomas O. Culbreth and Crawford Culbreth by deed in the year 1857, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in Liber J. F. G., No 4, folios 513, etc.

This farm is located convenient to Churches, Schools, Mill, Railroad, Steamboat Landings, etc., and has a rich red clay soil in good heart, with plenty of timber and chestnut for fencing, and especially adapted to the growth of all cereals, as kind and is considered one of the best stock farms in the county, growing a fine crop of hay, etc.

The Improvements on said farm are a THREE-STORY

FRAME DWELLING

with a Back Building attached; BARN, HORSE and COW STABLES, CORN CRIBS, SHEDS, etc., and FOUR TENANT HOUSES, all of which are in fair repair.

—Tract No. 2—

Is All That Tract of Land,

CALLED THE

"Moody Farm,"

—CONTAINING—

325 Acres of Land,

three roods and twenty-four perches, more or less, and conveyed to said Dennis McCauley by George Vickers, trustee, on or about the 7th day of February, 1879, by deed duly recorded among said Land Records in Liber D. C. B., No. 3, folios 548, etc., (save and except about 40 acres which said Dennis McCauley and wife conveyed to Jonathan Clark). This tract is situated in the First Election District of Kent County, aforesaid, on the public road leading from Galena to Sassafras, adjoining the lands formerly owned by Edwin Cronch and B. M. Derringer, and is

IMPROVED BY A ONE AND A HALF STORY

Dwelling House,

with Stable, Corn Crib and other necessary Outbuildings, all in fair repair. The soil is fairly good, and with some improvements will make a good stock farm. It lies convenient to the two villages of Galena and Sassafras, at which places are schools, churches and mills, and is near railroad, and steamboat and sail vessel landings on Sassafras river.

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RICHARD D. HYNSON, Attorney named in Mortgage.
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HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
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