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Democratic Ticket

FOR PRESIDENT:

WM. JENNINGS BRYAN,

of Nebraska.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT:

ARTHUR SEWALL,

of Maine.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE:
GEO. W. PURNELL, Worcester county.

DISTRICT ELECTORS:

WM. J. O'BRYAN, Baltimore City.
GEO. W. PURNELL, Worcester county.
WILLIAM M. SLAY, Kent county.
GEO. W. ALBAUGH, Carroll county.
JOHN HUBERT, Baltimore city.
EDWARD RAINE, Baltimore city.
THOMAS H. BOND, St. Mary's county.
WILLIAM R. GETTY, Garrett county.

FOR CONGRESS:

JOSHUA W. MILES,

Election, Tuesday, November 3d, 1896.

Democrats, Organize,

Do Battle for the People's Cause.

ALL DEMOCRATS of Chestertown and the Fourth Election District, having at heart the success of the national and local Democracy, and the election of Bryan and Sewell, are requested to meet in Stam's Hall at 7.30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, September 1, for permanent organization. Business of importance will be transacted, and a full attendance is requested. Persons from the country favoring free silver and the election of Bryan and Sewall are particularly invited to be present.

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
JAMES A. PEARCE,
HOPE H. BARROLL,
HARRISON W. VICKERS,
LEWIN W. WICKES,
HENRY W. CATLIN,
WILLIAM W. BECK,
THOMAS G. WROTH,
WILLIAM S. WALKER,
DR. W. FRANK HINES,
CHARLES ESTES,
DR. G. ALLEN JARMAN.

REGISTRATION DAYS.

Tuesday,	September 15.
Tuesday,	September 22.
Wednesday,	September 23.
Tuesday,	September 29.
Wednesday,	September 30.
Tuesday,	October 6.
Wednesday,	October 7.

SECRETARY HOKE SMITH has resigned his Cabinet portfolio and will prosecute his profession at Atlanta.

RICHARD CROKER, Tammany's ex-chief, says that Sheehan acted wisely in advocating that the New York organization come out flat-footed for the Democratic ticket.

MR. BRYAN was the guest of Senator David Bennett Hill at dinner on Tuesday. This ought to be a clincher as to whether Hill will or will not support the Chicago ticket. He will not only vote for it but will work for it with all of his splendid ability.

COL. WILLIAM J. VANNORT left Baltimore on Sunday, as a delegate from Maryland to the National Convention of Republican clubs, which convened at Milwaukee on Tuesday. The delegates went in a special Pullman sleeper with buffet car attached, and carried all things needful for the trip.

THE BALLOT used at the coming presidential election in Philadelphia will be two by nearly three feet in size. The parties and their candidates as they will appear on the ballot are: Republican, McKinley and Hobart; Democratic, Bryan and Sewall; Prohibition, Levering and Jones; National, Beatty and Southgate; People's, Bryan and Watson; Socialistic Labor, blank; Free Silver, Bryan and Sewall; Sound Money, blank.

THE ETERNAL FITNESS of things was well preserved when multi-millionaire Perry Belmont was called to preside at the Bourke Cochran meeting in New York. The Belmont syndicate it should be remembered, made a substantial fraction of over four millions of dollars in recent bond issues on our magnificent gold basis. Drexal, Morgan, Gould and Vanderbilt should certainly have had vice-presidencies parceled out to them.

TWO TRAVELING MEN, both favorable to gold, were in Chestertown on Monday and stated that they were direct from an extended trip through New York State, and that a careful investigation disclosed a tremendous silver feeling wherever they went. A majority of the people outside of New York city, they stated, are for silver and are pronounced in their advocacy of the white metal. At six hotels where they stopped consecutively, the proprietors were pronounced free silver men; at one of them all of the employees were for silver, and nearly if not quite ninety-nine per cent. of the guests.

THE OCEAN CITY CONVENTION in placing Hon. Joshua W. Miles as the congressional standard bearer of the first district, made the strongest possible selection of a candidate. Mr. Miles as the representative of the first district in Congress made a brilliant record, and with his increased experience and enlarged acquaintance with men and affairs, before the close of the approaching session he will be to a greater extent than ever before one of the most brilliant of the younger representatives in our national legislative body. Mr. Miles has placed himself squarely on the Chicago platform and in accord with his constituents, and no Democrat in the district can find reason to criticise the work of the convention in his selection. The first district is Democratic, and Mr. Miles' election is virtually assured.

"IF THOSE WHO have made a profit out of the government's financial policy array themselves against the Democratic party, may we not expect those who believe we are right to come to our rescue and fill up the ranks that are being depleted by their desertion? If we must part company with those who believe in a government of syndicates, by syndicates and for syndicates, may we not appeal with confidence to those who believe that a government of the people, by the people and for the people should not perish from the earth?

"If those men who pride themselves upon their prominence in the business world and who glory in the title of business out of politics, are going to use their ballots to increase their income, I beg you to consider whether the great toiling masses of this nation have not a right to make a business out of politics once and protect their homes and their families from disaster.—Candidate Bryan.

MR. WILLIAM Y. PEROT, a prominent Democrat of Baltimore city, was in Chestertown endeavoring to collect a sufficient number of bolting or what he terms "Sound Money Democrats" to organize a club for the advancement of the move to disrupt the Democratic party and secure the defeat of the Democratic ticket in the county. Mr. Perot has been in conference with a number of prominent Democrats, and Republican leaders, but whether or not he proposes to form a mongrel organization remains to be seen. This gentleman, who is presumably the paid mouthpiece of the honest (?) money league, stated publicly that he intends to vote for *McKinley* and advised those who could not go to such an extreme, to vote for the sound money ticket, as that will be a half vote for the Republican candidate. A review of the field so zealously worked by this apostle of the McKinley-Wall Street combination, discloses the fact that while he was courteously treated, he was at the same time given to understand that such Democracy as he advocated and represented would fall in barren soil among the honest yeomanry of Kent, indeed would not be tolerated for a moment.

THE CALL FOR a meeting of the Democracy of Chestertown and the fourth district, in this issue, should meet with a hearty response. The Democracy of the nation, of Maryland and of Kent county needs men,—men unwilling to sacrifice the traditions of the past and who recognize in the national organization more than a single issue. The times demand a patriotism which can rise superior to the sordidness of self aggrandisement and labor and vote for the greatest good to the greatest number. Away with the Democracy which prompts Democrats to form unholy alliances with Republicans and millionaires to defeat the will of the majority regularly expressed. Let the man who hesitates in his decision as to whom he shall serve in the present contest, the great laboring masses of the American people or the arrogant, purse-proud moneyed classes, ask himself under what financial system have our mortgages been laid, prices dwindled, and a national pauperism resulted? Under what system have London bankers and Wall street money-changers been enabled to amass millions, bankrupt the Government and gamble in the rights of the people? Who to-day, are the leaders in the movement to defeat the national Democratic ticket and elect McKinley? An answer to these primary questions, (and there is no voter in the county who can not answer them) should decide the voters of the county as to the best and safest course to pursue.

MR. A. S. SOMERS, a prominent New York business man, and a gentleman thoroughly in touch with New York's political affairs, was in Chestertown on Tuesday, having just completed a visit to each county and shire town in the State of Maryland. He devoted much time to securing the trend of public opinion in regard to silver and gold and stated on Tuesday about as follows: "I was careful to secure the opinion of the *voters*, irrespective of occupation or social position. I felt the pulse of the people and say, without fear of future results contradicting my statement, that Maryland is safe for a ten thousand, and possibly fifteen thousand majority for Bryan and free silver. The masses are in the movement. As for New York, you may put the State down certainly for Bryan and Sewall. The revolution of public sentiment has developed with amazing rapidity in every section and the change in behalf of the Democratic issue is daily becoming more pronounced. Hill and Tammany are for the Chicago nominees and November will show that they have not labored in vain on behalf of the people." Mr. Somers was a candidate for Congress two years ago and went down with the general wreck, but will be a congressional candidate this fall, having absolute faith in a triumph of the New York Democracy. He now holds high political place and is in close touch with the politics of his State and may therefore be said to speak as one having authority, and his message from the Empire State is full of reassurance to the Maryland Democracy.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY, in spite of itself, still draws its inspiration from the matchless glory of the Baltimore *American*, truthful, vigilant and patriotic. Now, the Democratic rural press considers it a matter with which it has little to do that Republican inspiration should be drawn from the gold-tipped pens of the *American's* staff, but when the *American* undertakes the massive and unusual work of managing the Democratic rural press, strange, strange things have come to pass. A great issue has moved the bonds of reticence from the larynx of the meditative Felix and he talks—talks freely and well. He who has dealt so sparingly with the truth and truthful things, now dissertates like a god, on morals to the weekly papers. Profound to the depth of the unreachable, his voice as matchless in beauty as the music of the spheres, and his love of truth as unquenchable as the eternal fires of Aetna, he arises in his might and calmly announces that the Chestertown TRANSCRIPT and the Centreville *Observer* fail to deal truthfully with the issues of the present campaign. The *American* has spoken and the rural press draws a submissive breath, and the misguided people rush to have themselves changed into twenty-four carat gold the fineness of the current money of the United States. The American objects to object lessons, and the thinness of its epidemis was severely punctured by the TRANSCRIPT last week and it bursts into a wail, and plaintively beseeches the "weekly papers outside of Baltimore" to indulge in meditation and keep quiet. She calls for "The truth" as a birdling calls for a worm, and the food of the feathered tribe tremble in their tiny boots. The *American's* complaint says:

"In this State, outside of Baltimore city, the weekly papers have kept in the party traces. The Democratic papers have begun a vigorous campaign. It is useless to underrate their influence, because they are close to the people, and whatever they print has its immediate effect. Once they get the voters to believing their words, the work of convincing them of the error will be a matter of patience and persistence. Take this paragraph, for instance, from the Chestertown TRANSCRIPT, one of the best class of the Democratic weeklies:

"'Pa,' said an ambitious Galena youth to his paternal gold bug ancestor a few days ago, 'you say a silver dollar is only worth fifty-three cents?' 'Yes,' retorted the gold bug father, proudly, 'haven't I made it clear enough to you by aid of my frequent object lessons?' 'O yes, but I was just going to tell you what a fool old Jones was. I sold him fourteen silver dollars this morning for sixty-five cents apiece, and made, you see, twelve cents on every one of 'em. Please give me some more; I think he will buy more, as you told me he was an old silver lunatic and didn't know anything about finance.'"

"That is very simple," says the truth-loving and truth-respecting *American*, "and it looks harmless, but it is the kind of stuff that has its effect with the crowd, who do not stop to think that the silver dollar is on a gold basis, while intrinsically it is worth only about fifty-one cents."

The "stuff" of which our worthy contemporary's criticism is composed will effect no "crowd" unless it be a "crowd" of idiots.

MILES RENOMINATED.

No Opposition to the Eastern Shore Congressman.

PLATFORM FOR FREE SILVER.

Congressman Joshua W. Miles was on Thursday renominated for Congress by the first district convention, which met at Ocean City. No opponent was put in the field against him and he received the nomination by acclamation. Prior to his nomination the following platform, which Mr. Miles' friends declared he would stand upon and defend, was unanimously adopted:

THE PLATFORM.

"*Resolved* by the Democracy of the first congressional district of Maryland, through its representatives in convention assembled. That we renew our allegiance to the Democratic party and reaffirm our faith in its principles and tenets as being the surest foundation for the good government of the people.

"We express our resentment and indignation that the Republican party of Maryland, promoted to power in opposition to bossism and machine methods in politics, should have at once used the power of its administration to induce a majority of its Legislature to elect a United States Senator in open violation of a statute which they had sworn to observe. Such misplaced confidence and abuse of legislative power should be a timely warning to all Democrats to return to the party that so admirably administered the affairs of the State.

"We express our profound sympathy for the movement inaugurated by the farmers, wage-earners and masses of the country to seek relief through the regular Democratic party from the effects of concentrated wealth and power, centralization and paternalism that have grown up and have been fostered under Republican rule.

"We deprecate the conflicting views taken by our State and national Democratic conventions in their respective platforms upon the currency question and the honest differences of opinion existing among Democrats upon the subject. Fully appreciating the cardinal doctrines of the Democratic party that every man is entitled to his own views upon that or any other question of public policy, and to seek in good faith to impress them upon his party in the regular way still, realizing that the great fundamental and governmental principles of our party is that the majority shall rule, and the majority having spoken through a regularly constituted national convention, whose decrees we respect and cheerfully follow, we therefore endorse the platform of the national Democratic convention, adopted at Chicago and declare it to be the duty of every Democrat in this district, who would maintain the party organization to loyally support its nominees, and especially do we record our views in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, independent of the action of any other nation.

"*Resolved*, That we are opposed to the policy and practice of surrendering to the holders of the obligations of the United States the option reserved by the law to the government of redeeming such obligations in either gold coin or silver coin.

"*Resolved*, That we are opposed to issuing interest-bearing bonds of the United States in time of peace, and especially are we opposed to placing the treasury of government under the control of any syndicate of bankers and the issuance of bonds to be sold by them at an enormous profit for the purpose of supplying the federal treasury gold to maintain the policy of gold monometalism.

"We commend our representative from this district, the Hon. Joshua W. Miles, for his devotion to duty and the marked and distinguished ability with which he has represented us in the Fifty-fourth Congress."

MR. MILES ACCEPTS.

After the nomination had been made Congressman Miles, who reached Ocean City that morning, was escorted before the convention to which he made the following statement as to his position:

"I accept," said he, "the nomination which has just been tendered me, with all the responsibilities and obligations which it carries. I want to say here and now, for this is the time to say it, ('right you are,' yelled a voice,) that as your standard-bearer I shall go into this contest to defend the nominees and the platform of the Chicago convention. The convention was regularly called, regularly constituted, and its deliberations were conducted without domination from any quarter. Prior to that convention the privilege rested with every Democrat to hold his individual convictions on every public matter, but every Democrat knows that the fundamental principles upon which Democracy rests is that the majority shall rule.

"I say, not with reluctance or graudgingly, but cheerfully and frankly, that I bow to the decree of my party. I hope that I shall ever do so. I shall go into every county in this district and defend—mark what I say—defend every letter of that Chicago platform.

"My personal opinions have been swallowed up in the hearts of the masses of the people and I sink my opinion before their judgment.

"I can follow my people with a clearer conscience than those Democrats who are outside the ramparts and are supporting McKinley. If the Democratic standard which you have nominated me to carry shall be dragged in the dust it shall not be through any lack of effort to prevent it on my part.

"This contest which we are about to engage in is not written in the platform. It is a contest of the plain people of the country who are seeking to relieve themselves of the thraldom of aggravated capital."

A BALTIMORE OBJECT LESSON

If the news columns of the Baltimore *Sun* are trustworthy—and as a matter of fact no newspaper enjoys a higher reputation for accuracy than it—the members of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Baltimore are guilty of making very impertinent partisan use of their authority.

The story, which seems reliable, is this: When the firemen went for their pay the other day they received it at the hands of the secretary of the Board in silver dollars. From the *Sun* we learn that over 800 pounds of silver was used in making the payment. Each captain of a company received the salaries of all his men in a sack, and the weight of the sacks ranged from six to forty-two pounds. Individuals received all the way from one to three pounds of silver each. The *Sun*, which seems to discover a brilliant financial argument in these figures, says: "The usual pleasant smile which plays over the countenances of the gallant fire fighters when they received their pay was somewhat abbreviated when they discovered they were to receive silver." Men do not usually smile pleasantly when made victims of a silly practical joke which they cannot resent because the joker happens to be their employer. The secretary of the Fire Board says it was an "object lesson"—like Mr. Rockefeller's shut-down at Gogebic and the threatening letters of the insurance companies. In explanation he added: "There seems to be a desire for silver on the part of the men, and we are endeavoring to satisfy it."

The importance of this incident does not grow out of the argument it attempted to enforce. Complaint of the bulk of the silver dollar falls flat before the fact that the silver certificate enables it to circulate in convenient form. Probably if the Baltimore Fire Board had been able to rake or scrape together enough one dollar gold pieces to pay off the firemen there would have been more bitter protest still. But that public officers, responsible to all the people, should use revenues collected from all the people to advance a partisan cause or to strengthen one side of a disputed political question is inexcusable. That they should exercise even this mild coercion upon the firemen is execrable. It is bad enough to have national banks, railroads and other quasi-public corporations giving "object lessons" to their own profit. When officers of a municipal government undertake it it's time to call a halt.—*New York Journal.*

W. D. BRATTAN, editor of the Cecil County *News*, has been elected president of the newly organized Bryan and Sewall Club at Elkton. Ex-Senator John S. Wirt was made chairman of the executive committee.

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., 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 obligations made by their firm.

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

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

FARM FOR RENT

MY FARM on Chester river, 1½ miles from Chestertown. Apply at once to

T. R. HUBBARD,
a27. Chestertown, Md.

SAWED WOOD FOR SALE.

Crane & Trenchard Bros. have at their basket factory a large lot of wood sawed in stove lengths and will sell it for the next two weeks at two dollars a cord. Now is the time to get your wood at less than half price.

a27. CRANE & TRENCHARD BROS.

Fine Farm at Public Sale.

As attorney for the owner, Wm. T. Lusby, I will sell all that farm known as the "Marrowbone farm," containing **220 Acres of Land**, lying on Chester river, about two miles from Crumpton, adjoining the lands of the late Dr. C. H. B. Massey, now owned by Mrs P. A. M. Brooks. The farm is improved by good buildings, in good condition and is one of the best in this section of Kent county. This farm cost Mr. Lusby $14,000. Terms of sale:—$7,000. Will sell in easy payments to a desirable purchaser.

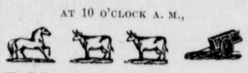
HOPE H. BARROLL,
a27-tf. Attorney for Wm. T. Lusby.

PUBLIC SALE.

INTENDING to discontinue farming, I will offer at public sale where I now reside, near Union M. E. Church, Worton on

THURSDAY, SEPT. 10, 1896,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,



5 Head of Horses,

1 bay horse Bill, 1 sorrel horse Jack, 1 gray mare Nellie, 1 bay horse Dick, 1 yellow mare Sue,

1 FRESH COW,

1 SOON TO BE FRESH.

FARMING UTENSILS, consisting of: 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Peach Dearborn, capacity 25 baskets; 1 Drill, 1 Roller, 1 Mower, 1 Reaper, 1 set of Peach Wagon Springs, 1 York Carriage, 1 Set of Carriage Harness, lot of Plow Harness, Plows, Harrows, Shovels, Cultivators, Forks, Hoes and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of $10 and under cash; on all sums over $10 a credit of one year will be allowed on note with approved security.

WM. MEEKS,
J. A. GREENWOOD, Auct. J. A. PEARCE, Atty.

The undersigned being overstocked, will sell at same time and place, under same terms, the following stock:

One BLACK MARE,

9 years old, fine driver;

1 BAY COLT, 2 years old;

Six Fine Milch Cows.

a27-2t. GEO. W. RODENHISER.

A GRAND EXCURSION.

A great excursion to Chestertown led by Rev. Dr. Geo Wellington Bryant, the great pulpit orator of Baltimore city, on Sunday, September 6th. The George Leary has been chartered for the occasion. The largest assemblage ever known in the history of Chestertown. This will be a great day for God and His righteous cause. A great union of all denominations; mothers, fathers, sisters and brothers will join in the praise of God just across the bridge in Kilmelfelter's grove. The services will be conducted by the celebrated divine, Dr. G. W. Bryant. Lorefeast at 9 a. m.; preaching, 11.30 a. m. and 3 p. m. Don't miss this gospel treat. a27-2t.

Kent County W. C. T. U. Convention September 9th, 1896.

STAM'S HALL, CHESTERTOWN.

Morning Lesson, 10 A. M.—Reports of officers and superintendent, election of officers, closing with noon tide hour of prayer and memorial service for the dead.

Afternoon Session, 2.30 P. M.—Consisting of song service and prayer, president's address, exercises by Loyal Legion, remarks by State officers. Topics for discussion, "The evil effects of narcotics," led by Mrs. Emma Shafer; "Should young Women be interested in Temperance Work," led by Miss Mary Burchinal; "Why special teaching in Sabbath schools upon the subjects of Temperance and Sabbath Observance," led by Mrs Avis Vannort.

Evening Session, 8 P. M.—Devotional exercises, singing and a lecture by Hon. John G. Wooley. Miss Miriam Sheppard, an eminent soloist, will assist with the music both afternoon and evening. Dinner and supper will be furnished by basket contributions for members of the convention. Ice cream and cake will be for sale. Pastors and Editors are invited guests. Admission to Lecture, 25 cts. Public cordially invited. N.

SPICE NOTICE.

GREEN GINGER,
CINNAMON, CLOVES,
ALLSPICE, TUMERIC,
PEPPER, CELERY,
MUSTARD AND MUSTARD SEED,
CURRY POWDER,
CAN RUBBERS, WAX
AND WAX STRINGS,

M. A. Toulson's Drug Store.

W. H. KRUSEN,

Undertaker and Embalmer,

STILL POND, MD.

Executor's Sale

OF A VERY DESIRABLE

SMALL FARM,

Near Chestertown.

THE undersigned, executor of Jesse Morris, deceased, by virtue of and authority contained in the last will and testament of said Jesse Morris, and in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, September 19th, 1896,

at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., the

FINELY LOCATED AND

Desirable FARM

of the late Jesse Morris, situated on the public road leading from Chestertown to Urieville, adjoining the lands of R. T. Cochran, and immediately opposite the farm of Josiah Massey, and

Containing 74 Acres of Land,

MORE OR LESS.

The soil is of excellent quality, and is in a good state of cultivation. It is divided into four fields, under good fencing, and yields fine crops of grain and grass. There is

A Small Apple and Peach Orchard

sufficient for the use of the farm.

THE DWELLING

is a two-story frame building, containing seven good rooms. The outbuildings comprise Barn, Stable and Cow Shed, sufficient for a farm of three times the size of this, and all in good condition. There is also an excellent Dairy and Meat House. There is a pump with fine water at the door.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale will be as follows:—Six hundred dollars to be paid in cash on the day of sale, or in thirty days thereafter, at the option of the undersigned, and the residue in two equal payments in one and two years from day of sale, with interest from January 1st, 1897, the credit payments to be secured by the purchasers' notes with approved security. Possession given January 1st, 1897, privilege of seeding wheat this fall. The rents will be reserved from the sale and the taxes for the current year will be paid out of the rents.

WILLIAM MORRIS,
Executor of Jesse Morris.

JAMES A PEARCE, attorney,
John H. Greenwood, auctioneer.

☞ This sale is made with my consent and approval.

a27-ts A. FRIEDMAN, Mortgagee.

LARGE SALE

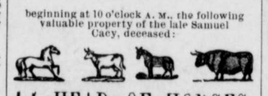
—OF—

Fine Personal Property

THE undersigned, by order of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Md., will sell on the Benson farm, two miles north of Massey's, on the Sassafras road, on

Wednesday, September 9th, 1896,

beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., the following valuable property of the late Samuel Cacy, deceased:



14 HEAD OF HORSES,

all Sound and Good Workers and Drivers;

THREE PAIR of MULES,

good for any purpose;

65 DAIRY CATTLE.

These are extra fine stock, and will be sure to please Creamery men.

FARMING UTENSILS:

5 Farm Wagons, 3 Dearborns, 2 McCormick Reapers, 1 Deering Reaper, 3 Bickford & Huffman Grain Drills, 1 York Carriage, 1 McCormick Mower, 1 Horserake, 2 Grain Fans, 3 Hand Corn Shellers and other farming implements too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $20 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount, a twelve months note, with approved security, will be required.

WM. H. CACY,
a20-ts. Adm'r Samuel Cacy, deceased

JAMES A. PEARCE, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

James A. Pearce, Administrator of Price J. Patton, Plaintiff,

vs.

William Laning, William F. Burr, Florence Helmbold, William C. Helmbold, and Fannie A. Helmbold, his wife; Edward A. Hollis and Louisa A. Hollis, his wife; Edward R. Helmbold, Jr., and Ada W. Helmbold, his wife; Charles D. Helmbold and Cora C. Helmbold, his wife; J. Kempster Helmbold and —— Helmbold, his wife, defendants.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

1st.—The object of this suit is to procure a decree for a sale of certain mortgaged premises in Kent county, Maryland, which were on the 17th day of September, 1872, mortgaged by Wm. Laning, one of the above named defendants, to one Henry M. Boyd, of the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, who assigned said mortgage to the above named Price J. Patton, since deceased, of whom your complainant is administrator in the State of Maryland.

2d.—The bill states that on or about the 17th day of September, 1872, the said William Laning conveyed certain real estate which is particularly described in the bill and its accompanying exhibits, unto the said Henry M. Boyd, by way of mortgage, to secure the payment of the sum of five thousand dollars with interest from September 17, 1872, which was then due and owing from said William Laning to said Henry M. Boyd in four years from the date of said mortgage, and was evidenced by the bond of the said William Laning to said Henry M. Boyd, of even date with said mortgage in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned for the payment of five thousand dollars, as above set forth.

3.—That on the 19th day of September, 1872, the said Henry M. Boyd, duly assigned for value, said bond and mortgage to the said Price J. Patton.

4th.—That on the 18th day of September, 1872 the said William Laning, by his deed of that date, conveyed the said mortgaged premises to Edward R. Helmbold, of Philadelphia, subject to the operation and effect of the above-mentioned mortgage.

5th. That on the 26th day of June, 1882, the said Edward R. Helmbold, by his deed of that date, conveyed all his interest in the above-mentioned lands and premises to William F. Burr, of Philadelphia, by way of mortgage to secure an alleged indebtedness from him to said Burr of three thousand dollars to be paid on or before June 17th, 1884, with interest from the date of said deed.

6th.—That the said Price J. Patton has lately died in the city of Philadelphia intestate, and that letters of administration upon the personal estate of said Price J. Patton in the State of Maryland, have been granted by the Orphans' Court for Kent county to the plaintiff, James A. Pearce.

7th.—That the interest accruing on said mortgage first herein mentioned was duly paid to said Price J. Patton in his lifetime up to March 17th, 1888, but that the whole of the said principal sum of five thousand dollars with interest from March 17th, 1888, remains due and unpaid.

8th.—That the bond accompanying said first mentioned mortgage has been lost or mislaid by said Price J. Patton in his lifetime, and cannot now be found.

9th.—That said Edward R. Helmbold died in the city of Philadelphia several years since intestate, leaving a widow, Florence Helmbold, who resides in the city of Philadelphia, and five children and heirs-at-law, to whom the said lands and premises descended, charged with and liable to be sold for the payment of the aforesaid mortgage debt and interest, and that said heirs are all residing out of the State of Maryland, as follows, namely: William C. Helmbold, who with his wife, Fanaie A. Helmbold, resides in Curwensville, Clearfield county, Pa.; Louisa H. Hollis, formerly Louisa Helmbold, who with her husband, Edward A. Hollis, resides in the city of Philadelphia; Edward R. Helmbold, Jr., who with his wife, Ada W. Helmbold, reside in Montgomery, Lycoming county, Pa.; Charles D. Heimbo'd, who with his wife, Cora C. Helmbold, reside in Columbus, Ohio, and J. Kempton Helmbold, who with his wife, —— Helmbold, reside in Chicago, Illinois.

It is thereupon adjudged and ordered that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county once in each of four successive weeks before the 19th day of September next, give notice to said absent defendants of the object and substance of this bill, and warn them to appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the first day of October next, to answer the premises and show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

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