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Democratic Judicial Ticket.

FOR CHIEF JUDGE:
JAMES ALFRED PEARCE,
of Kent County.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGES:
FREDERICK STUMP,
of Cecil County;
WILLIAM R. MARTIN,
of Talbot County.

STATE TICKET.

COMPTROLLER OF STATE TREASURY:
THOMAS A. SMITH,
of Caroline County.

CLERK COURT OF APPEALS:
J. FRANK FORD,
of St. Mary's County.

CALL FOR

Democratic Primaries.

To the Democratic voters of Kent county, pursuant to the action of the County Executive Committee, the Democratic voters will meet at their respective election districts and precints on

Saturday, 11th day of September, 1897,

between the hours of two and six o'clock P. M., for the purpose of appointing six delegates from each district (where there are two precints each precinct to have three delegates), to meet in Chestertown on Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., to nominate two candidates for the House of Delegates; one candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court; one condidate for Register of Wills; one candidate for County Treasurer; one candidate for Sheriff, and two candidates for County Commissioners, and one candidate for County Surveyor.

The judges of nomination hereby named for each district and precinct shall appoint two clerks, and shall open and close the polls at the hours herein prescribed, and when the polls are opened, shall receive the votes of all persons offering to vote who are well-known and recognized as Democrats, and whose names shall appear upon the registration books, and also the votes of those not registered, but who will be entitled to registration and to vote at the ensuing November election, provided such person shall give satisfactory proof equal to that required by the officers of registration to said judges, and shall further pledge themselves to support all the nominees of the Democratic party and of none other. And upon the closing of the polls at the hour herein directed, the said judges shall proceed to count the votes cast, and shall certify to the six persons receiving the highest number of votes as delegates; the number of votes cast for each person for the aforesaid respective offices to be filled, whereupon it shall be the duty of the delegates to proceed to Chestertown on said Tuesday (September 14th, 1897,) and cast the vote of the several districts for the persons receiving the largest number of votes, until it shall be made to appear that all or part of such persons cannot be nominated. In this event the convention shall proceed to nominate a ticket by the majority vote of the same.

The candidates for county commissioners to be nominated as follows: The fifth and seventh districts to select one candidate by a majority of the whole number of votes cast in said two districts, and the third and sixth districts to select one candidate by a majority of the whole number of votes cast in said two districts; the two candidates so selected to be voted for by the delegates in convention assembled.

The mode of procedure herein prescribed shall be strictly followed, any other method will not be legal, as this committee has full power so to decree. The clerk of the circuit court is hereby requested to furnish each election district with the registered voters thereof.

WILLIAM S. WALKER, Chairman.
R. D. HYNSON, Secretary.

STATE SENATOR CHARLES C. CROTHERS has undergone his third operation for cancer. The operation was successful, and the Senator's condition is improved.

WEYLER, the Spanish butcher, has tendered his resignation, but has been requested to remain in command during the present administration in Spain.

JAMES POTTS, colored, is an applicant and is making a rushing campaign for the Smyrna postoffice. The plum is well worth the knocking even by a colored applicant.

THE TIME OF GUESS-WORK republican tickets is now past; a condition not a theory confronts the democracy, and the fight is on and the hour for battle has arrived in dead earnest.

PITT BROTHERS AND COMPANY are the first Baltimore victims of the upward trend in wheat prices. They were large dealers and were caught by market fluctuations, and failed for about twenty-five thousand dollars.

MONDAY, August the twenty-third, has been fixed for the republican mayoralty nomination for Baltimore city. The Wellington-Stone machine outvoted the Maister people in the preliminary fight in reference to primary details.

THE Easton *Gazette* pronounces the substantial primary set-to between Congressman Barber and Mr. Mullikin "a little flurry" which gave the congressman "much eclat." Remarkable, what great results are produced by Talbot county political trifles.

WITH AN UNPRECEDENTED RECORD for spoils politics as well as for unblushing corruption along many lines, the republican party in Baltimore city should be declared a defunct organization by the people on November the second. Party ranks are so broken and embittered at present that two republican tickets are among the possibilities of the approaching mayoralty campaign.

WONDER IF THE G. O. P.'s grandmother's fund now in charge of the Little Duke, will suffer an overflow in behalf of Tuesday's ticket. The State bosses and the Kent county bosses have thought so hard and have indulged in so many emphatic stage whispers against each other, that it is scarcely to be expected that State funds will be very abundant in the Kent county republican campaign.

A LIVELY TIME is reported from the Caroline county Populist convention which was held on Saturday. Two factions were in evidence, one demanding a straightout populist ticket and the other faction favoring a fusion with the democrats, asking two members of the Legislature. Dr. Dickinson, of Greenboro', led the middle-of-the-road force and Jonathan W. Kerr the fusionists. The fusionists carried every point and had the convention adjourned so that a conference could be had with leading democrats looking to a complete fusion. The populists estimate their strength at three hundred votes and say they hold the balance of power.

HUNDREDS of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by reading what has been done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist.

NOW LET THE DEMOCRATS DO AS WELL FOR THEMSELVES in the naming of their ticket as the republican convention did to assist them in securing party success and the political battle of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven is won. The rank and file of the democracy are apparently as well pleased with Tuesday's ticket as are the masses of Kent county republicans.

THE REPUBLICAN LOVEFEAST held in Chestertown on Monday night abounded in that richness and fullness of love characteristic of all feasts where only a few fellows get something to eat and the others look on. There were political stomachs present which had been as rapidly developed as a Jonah's gourd, and there were yearning appetites too, but they were not filled and the atmosphere promptly assumed a sulphurous and emphatic cast. The Scotten, Price and England people who won the first district in the primaries were not allowed to witness the dropping of the political crumbs from the table. They were not even bidden to the feast.

THE KENT COUNTY DEMOCRACY will lose no unnecessary rest because of the claimed startling strength of the republican ticket placed in the field on Tuesday. The people are deeply in earnest in regard to the condition of their local affairs and it is believed that they are determined that a change shall be made. With a crying necessity for a change, it becomes more than ever incumbent upon the democracy of Kent to place the strongest possible ticket before the people. Let men be chosen because of their fitness in that they are competent and will command the respect and confidence of the people irrespective of party or factional lines; men whose personal records challenge investigation and who will not be forced to hide their glaring unfitness for political promotion behind the threadbare subterfuge of "common courtesy" toward aspirants for office. The democracy of Kent is rich in such men and with such gentlemen on the official ticket the party in Kent county will await November's verdict with but little fear of defeat. A grave responsibility rests upon the leaders and counsellors of the party, a responsibility which they fully realize and which it is expected they will fearlessly and fully meet.

IT IS A MATTER OF PROFANE HISTORY that the over ambitious student of the stars often treads diamonds and Klondyke wealth under his feet and ends his days at last in poverty. Did our worthy city political astronomers know what a wealth of bossism, what unblushing political assumption and what a magnificent political machine is hourly whirring and buzzing within the very shadow of the Baltimore city hall, there would be little need to send special representatives to Laurel or Washington to find the fund of political buncombe which occupies so much space in the Baltimore dailies. Were it a matter of principle rather than personal spite and bitterness that these abnormally righteous newspaper men are combatting, they would attack political corruption where and whenever found, and recognize the baneful influences of machine politics whether operated by Gorman, Wellington or Stone, and the public would be to a greater extent impressed by the sincerity of their motives. The Baltimore city republican machine has declared for Marburg, the millionaire head of a tobacco concern, while the masses of the party are endorsing the aspirations of Wm. T. Malster for the mayoralty nomination. The stamp of bossism and the political machine is upon each day's political developments in Marburg's fight, yet with a sphynx-like silence the city press slumbers. The absurdity of the "more righteous than thou" position of the Baltimore papers is becoming daily more apparent to the people.

MR. KEATING EXPLAINS.

The Comptroller Wants His Place For a Republican.

State Comptroller Graham is chafing under the delay in placing a republican in the comfortable birth of State Tax Commissioner now filled by Thomas J. Keating, Esq. It is stated that the youthful handler of the State's funds has on divers occasions made known his restlessness to Governor Lowndes but the Governor gave little encouragement upon which to base hopes of a removal of the veteran democratic politician.

Mr. Graham is reported to have filed claims that as a result of physical infirmities serious errors have been found in the work of the commissioner's office, and he has been inattentive to the duties and routine business of so important a place. The charges are certainly of a nature to justify a prompt removal of Mr. Keating should they be substantiated. But will they be? We doubt it.

What Mr. Keating Says.

Tax Commissioner Keating has given out for publication the following answer to the reported charges of Controller Graham:

"To be sure I am not surprised. Past experience has already disclosed how anxious some republicans are to seize control of the office I hold. All these statements are made with that end in view. There can be no other reason. Investigation will readily prove that every intimation against the proper conduct of my office is totally unfounded.

"There is no office in this State which shows so few inaccuracies as the tax commissioner's office, and such mistakes as occur are clerical errors, which are easily corrected. No one can safely criticise anything pertaining to my office nor the methods of its management. Nor can any one justly accuse me of personal inattention. It is a well-recognized and generally admitted fact by all those at Annapolis who are in a position to know, that I am at my place of duty in the tax commissioner's office both more frequently and with more regularity than some other State officers, who seem to have escaped such charges.

"My knowledge of the office is not a mere official or perfunctory knowledge, but it is a thorough understanding of all that pertains to it, which understanding grows out of my close intimacy and attention to all matters in connection with the subject of taxation and the requirements of the tax commissioner's office.

"Of course, there is no need for me to undertake to refute charges which have not yet been formally made. Nothing that has ever passed between Comptroller Robert P. Graham, the Governor, and myself has been such as to create even a suspicion of formal proceedings or charges. It may be true that a personal letter has been written to the Governor, but no formal charges have been preferred. Should such be done I am thoroughly prepared to meet them. There is no charge which can be preferred against me that investigation will substantiate. It is for that reason that I am ready to challenge an examination of my official doings so soon as that course may be desired.

"I am not aware that any hostility exists between Mr. Graham and myself. It is true that I was cognizant of Mr. Graham's desire to see a republican substituted in my place, but there have been to my knowledge no personal disagreements. Mr. Graham and I have differed in the matter of an item pertaining to the perquisites belonging to my office, but this difference has been one of a construction of the law, not one of personal quarrel."

THE TICKET NAMED.

Kent County Republicans Place a Weak Ticket in the Field.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Kent county republican nominating convention reassembled in Stam's Hall on Tuesday and named a full local ticket. Senator Charles T. Westcott was chairman and Mr. Joseph W. Harper secretary. Party leaders began to arrive on Monday night, and some of the delegates were not far removed from the vicinity of the republican flesh-pots at an early hour. Log-rolling and button-holing were in order all of Tuesday morning, and as one old-time republican put it, Mr. Urie sat on the throne while Messrs. Burchinal and Westcott complacently sat back and awaited the hour for carrying out the neat little programme arranged in a cozy back office several hours before.

The Convention.

At two o'clock Chairman Charles Tilden Westcott touched the electric button which put in motion the machine which was to grind out the pre-arranged and curiously constructed ticket. After the roll-call of delegates, J. Henry Hurtt offered a resolution providing that as each district was called the chairman of the delegation announce the vote of that particular district. Upon motion of Joseph C. Kendall, it was finally decided to vote by ballot.

Upon motion of Fred Nichols, Jr., colored, the convention proceeded to ballot for candidates. Zack T. Dunn, colored, moved that the nomination of clerk be made first, and in accordance with this motion J.H. Hurtt placed Capt. W. D. Burchinal before the convention. This nomination was seconded by Fred Nichols, Jr., and Harrison Jenkins, colored, and upon motion of Frank H. Harper the nomination was made unanimous.

The nomination for Register of Wills was next taken up. Harry Dempsey nominated Thomas A. Jacobs, of the first district; S. Frank Smith named J. W. Wright, of the fourth district, and James H. Baker named Bartus Trew, of the seventh district. All the nominations were duly seconded and a vote taken with the following result:

Bartus Trew ..... 19½ votes
Thomas A. Jacobs ..... 12 "
J. Wesley Wright ..... 3½ "

Mr. Trew having received the majority of the votes cast, was declared elected. The nomination was then made unanimous.

The nomination of two candidates for the House of Delegates was then taken up, and the names of Samuel Mallalieu, F. H. Harper and L. Bates Russell were put in nomination, and a ballot taken with the following result:

Samuel Mallalieu ..... 9½ votes
F. H. Harper ..... 30½ "
L. Bates Russell ..... 29 "

Messrs. Harper and Russell were duly declared the nominees for Delegates to the Legislature.

The nomination for candidate for treasurer was next taken up. For this office Messrs. Chas. England, George T. Williams and T. H. M. Bramble were nominated. The following was the result of the ballot:

Charles England ..... 7½ votes
Geo. T. Williams ..... 10½ "
T. H. M. Bramble ..... 14½ "

There being no choice, a second ballot was taken with the following result:

Bramble ..... 18½ votes
Williams ..... 10½ "
England ..... 6½ "

The vote showing a one fourth vote more than was entitled to be cast, the chairman decided that another ballot was necessary, which was taken with the following result:

Bramble ..... 24½ votes
Williams ..... 10½ "

Bramble was duly declared the nominee for county Treasurer.

The nomination of candidate for sheriff was next in order. Willard H. Scotten, of Millington, Wm. A. Crew, of Betterton, S. Frank Smith, of Chestertown, and Thomas Willis, of the sixth district were put in nomination. Mr. W. A. Crew received 20½ votes, a majority of the ballots cast, and was duly declared the nominee.

The nomination for two county commissioners was next taken up and determined under the following resolution:

Resolved—That Messrs. Vickers and Owens be declared the unanimous choice of this convention by acclamation, for county commissioners.

This was unanimously adopted and Messrs. Geo. W. Owens and Samuel J. Vickers were declared nominated for the offices which they now occupy. The ticket was completed by the nomination of Mr. Henry Tonkin for County Surveyor.

The following were the duly accredited delegates to the convention:

FIRST DISTRICT.

Clarence Price, W. W. Baldwin, John D. Boyd, Harry Dempsey, Wm. H. Ford, Wm. Davis, Lewis Atwell, John Terrel, Alfred Jefferis, Zion Potts, Isaac Tilghman, Henry Scott, Samuel Caulk, O. P. Dickerson, James H. Warner.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Samuel J. Comley, Edw. W. England, Joseph W. Harper, R. R. Hill, J. S. Webb, Lewis Johnson, Lorenzo Johnson, Jackson Adams, J. W. Hall, Joseph White.

THIRD DISTRICT.

W. A. Crew, Alex. Mair, F. R. Rouse, G. L. Bowers, Daniel B. Neal, William Riley, Richard Walker, Nath. Tilghman, James H. Cotton, James Dorsey.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Chas. T. Westcott, George C. Atkinson, J. Henry Hurtt, S. Frank Smith, Wm. T. Matthews, Harrison Jenkins, John W. Broadway, Zack T. Dunn, Fred Nichols, Jr., William E. Graves.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Joseph C. Kendall, William K. Hodges, John R. Dowling, John W. Downey, Charles W. Crouch, John W. Murray, Robert Murray, Daniel K. Johnson, Emanuel Dudley.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Harry P. Jones, Thomas Willis, R. A. Smyth, Wm. G. Smyth, T. H. M. Bramble, J. F. Russell, Simon Freeman, Henry Walley, Emory Ward, Charles Dudley.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

James H. Baker, Henry Brown, George M. Hadaway, J. C. Davis, S. E. T. Startt, Essex Johnson, Geo. A. Thompson, W. T. Murray, Joseph Wallis, John Watson.

Here is the full ticket named:

For Clerk:
WM. D. BURCHINAL.

Register of Wills:
BARTUS TREW.

House of Delegates:
FRANKLIN H. HARPER.
L. BATES RUSSELL.

County Treasurer:
T. H. M. BRAMBLE.

For Sheriff:
WM. A. CREW.

County Commissioners.
SAMUEL J. VICKERS.
GEO. W. OWENS.

Breezy Notes of the Day.

$600 was the entrance fee to the treasurership race on Tuesday, and no straw bond was taken either.

An interesting public dialogue was held on Court street between States Attorney Urie and Zack Dunn, colored, on Tuesday as a prelude to the convention. Beneath the darkening shadow of a fist the distinguished legal head and shouiders of the State's Attorneyship in Kent was informed that he was handling the truth with unwarranted carelessness. But such statements make but little impression upon the ears of the smiling Justinian of High street. Mr. Urie's explanation of his lamb-like placidity under the trying circumstances is:—"D—— niggers have got no sense anyway."

One of the most interesting speeches made before Tuesday's convention was that of Fred Nicols, Jr., in behalf of his friend, Judge John Wesley Wright. Nichols is a speaker of considerable ability and Judge Wright's claims could not have been more strongly presented. Edward Graves also threw himself in the breach for the Cannon street Justice, but the mills of the political gods, though they ground slowly they ground exceeding small.

The interesting personality of Col. Wm. J. Vannort was conspicuous by its absence from Tuesday's political fix-up.

It is thought by many that the glistening political fortunes of Editor Russell and Mr. Bramble were chiseled out by the fine Italian hand of the "New Chief in Town," Mr. Urie. Is it possible that the distinguished independent was so modest in his demands?

Some prominent republicans declare that the members of Tuesday's convention must have lost much needed rest last week in staying up o' nights trying to determine upon the *weakest* ticket. From a democratic standpoint there are some good men and strong candidates in the list. But not *many strong* ones.

The aftermath of Tuesday's work will be extremely interesting.

NIAGARA FALLS.

Special Ten-Day Excursion via B & O.

Everybody has contemplated a trip to Niagara Falls at some time. Why not make that time now? If you wait for the opportunity to turn up you may never see it. Surely you can spare a week or ten days from business, especially when the trip can be made under the most favorable circumstances. The B. & O. has arranged a ten-day tour to Niagara, August 26th. The special train will run through to the Falls, arriving there at night, passing the picturesque portion of the route in daylight. The privilege of stopping off at Watkins' Glen, Glen Onoko, Mauch Chunk, Geneva, Rochester and Buffalo, will crowd into the ten days' attractions that cannot be duplicated on the continent, and all this, too, without any additional cost for railroad fare.

A special express with Pullman Parlor Cars attached, in charge of an experienced tourist agent, will leave B. & O. Station, Washington, 8.10 A. M., Baltimore 9.05 A. M., arriving at the Falls 11.00 P. M. Stopping at the following stations:

Leave Washington, D. C. ..... 8.10 A. M
" Laurel, Md. ..... 8.33 "
" Baltimore, Md. ..... 9.05 "
" Havre de Grace ..... 9.55 "
" Newark, Del ..... 10.25 "
" Wilmington, Del ..... 10.45 "
" Chester, Pa. ..... 11.02 "
" Philadelphia, Pa., (24th and Chestnut Sts.) ..... 11.28 "
Arriving Niagara Falls ..... 11.00 P. M.

Round trip tickets, good ten days $10.00
Don't forget the date, Thursday, Aug. 26.

SEARCHING FOR TUBERCULOSIS.

Items of the Week Gathered From the Farm and Track.

Dr. G. Allen Jarman, who was sometime ago appointed by State Veterinarian A. W. Clements to make investigations in the third, fourth and fifth districts of Kent for tuberculosis, is about completing his work. Two thousand dollars has been appropriated to make an investigation as to the extent of tuberculosis among Maryland cattle, and acting upon the result of the investigation as a basis some legislation will be asked of the next General Assembly, for the control of this dread disease. Dr. Jarman made a general inspection of 750 animals in the fourth district and 818 in the fifth without finding any symptoms of the trouble. In addition to the three Kent county districts he includes within his territory the first and second districts of Queen Anne. The first and second districts of Kent are included with a portion of Cecil county within the territory of Dr. Markley Black. Tuberculosis in milch cows is a prolific source of dissemination of the dread contagion to users of cows' milk, particularly to children.

Mr. Elias Othoson, of Kennedyville, lost a valuable horse of lockjaw on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Walter Morgan, of Sudlersville also lost a horse of the same trouble.

The handsome sorrel gelding, Reynolds M., owned by J. G. Milbourne, of Chester, which has been under the care of R. H. Cahall, at the Belmont Track, Smyrna, Del., this season, died suddenly at Carnegie, Pa., Monday. Reynolds M. was 5 years old and was one of the fastest horses on the Peninsula. He was valued at $1,000.

$100 Reward $100.

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 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.

Address. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff for Kent county, subject to the Democratic convention to be held in Chestertown, September 14th, 1897.

J. W. ROBINSON, V. S.,
a19-1t. Second District, Still Pond, Md.

LAWN FETE AND SUPPER.

The Kennedyville W. C. T. U. will hold a Festival and Supper on the lawn of Mr. Wm. H. Whiteley, near Kennedyville, on SATURDAY EVENING, AUG. 21st. Every member of the Union will be constituted the committee, and every effort will be made to make the occasion one of pleasure. Come and help us.

STRAYED OR STOLEN

From my premises on Wednesday night, August 11th, A BLACK HORSE about 13 hands high, a star in forehead and sore in front feet. A reward of $10 will be paid for his return or information leading to his recovery.

THOMAS REDMILE,
a19-3t. Kennedyville, Md.

NOTICE TO TONGERS.

In order to accommodate the oystermen of the fifth district in procuring licences, I will be at Rock Hall on Wednesday, August 25th, from 10 A. M. to 1.30 P. M., and at S. J. Wickes' store from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M.

On Thursday, Aug. 26th, at Crosby's, from 10 A. M. to 12.30, and at Edesville from 1.30 to 4 P. M.

On Saturday, Aug 28th will be at the store of Sarah Stoops, in Quaker Neck, from 10 A. M. to 1 30 P. M.

a19-3t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND PUPILS.

We have made a SCHOOL AND CHILD'S DEPARTMENT at the GREAT TOLCHESTER FAIR and placed the same in the hands of Mr. F. G Usilton of the *News*, and Mr. C. C. Hopper of the TRANSCRIPT. We want you to have the prizes, they are worth the effort, now get to work. If you do not understand about it, send postal for fair book, it tells all about it. Send at once to

G. E. NOLAND,
a12-2t Tolchester, Md.

Auditor's Notice.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County.

No. 1258 Equity.

Theodore E. Hayes,
vs.
Margaret A J. Stephens and W. W. Stephens.

ALL the creditors who may be interested in the fund in this cause are hereby notified to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court within two months from the first date of this notice.

By order of Court.

E. F. PERKINS,
Aug. 12, 1897—4t. AUDITOR.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

I have the following Houses for rent: Two STORE ROOMS, belonging to Mrs. R. J. Hudgins, on northeast side of Cross street, near High, one formerly occupied by E. T. Willis, the other occupied by Frank Fowler as the Adams Express Office. Rent of each property $10.00 per month. Possession given immediately.

Also the DWELLING now occupied by Dr. Samuel G. Fisher on Front street, and DWELLING occupied by Mrs. M. H. Meeteer, nearly opposite Dr. Fisher's residence. Possession of either given January 1st. 1898.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
a5-3t. Attorney for Owners.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

A Lot of Land

IN MILLINGTON.

BY virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Kent county, passed in a cause wherein Richard W. Comegys has applied for the benefit of the insolvent laws of the State of Maryland, the undersigned, permanent trustee, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, '97,

AT 10.30 O'CLOCK A. M.,

The Lot of Land

in the town of Millington, Kent County, Maryland, having a frontage on Sassafras street of forty five feet and a depth of thirty-four feet, and is a part of the lot of land which was conveyed by R. C. Johnson to said R. W. Comegys by deed dated Dec. 14th, 1896, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in Liber S. G. F. No. 6, folios 101, etc.

The Improvements consist of a

Frame Shed Building.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash on day of sale. Deed at purchaser's cost.

LEWIN W. WICKES,
Permanent Trustee.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. a19-ts.

Kent County Fair

Excursion From Georgetown

TO TOLCHESTER

Thursday, August 26th, 1897.

A Grand Gala Day. Sports of All Kinds Fine Live stock Exhibit, Trotting Races by Crack Kent County Horses. Everybody is expected to be there; go down to meet your friends.

Steamer Sassafras will leave Georgetown at 6.30 A. M.; Shallcross wharf at 6 45 A. M.; Cassidy's wharf at 7 A. M.; Turner's Creek at 7.15 A. M.; Betterton at 8 A. M.; Buck Neck at 9.15 A. M. and Gale's wharf at 9.30 A. M. Returning, leave Baltimore at 3 o'clock, leave Tolchester at 5 o'clock.

Round Trip from Georgetown to Tolchester. 50 Cents. Not stopping at Turner's Creek on trip up.

WM. CUNDIFF, Supt.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

Richard Chase,
vs.
Frances Groves, Eugene Groves, Emily Price, Henry Price and Charles Thompson.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in equity.

NO. 1276 CHANCERY.

THE OBJECT of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate in Kent County of which George Green, late of Kent County, died, seized and possessed.

The bill states that George Green (colored) late of Kent County, Maryland, was in his lifetime indebted unto Richard Chase in the sum of $50 on his certain note dated Aug. 20, 1886, and that the said George Green left but little personal estate, not sufficient to pay the costs of administering upon the same, and no one has ever taken out letters of administration on his said personal estate, and there is no way by which his debts can be paid unless his real estate be sold for this purpose.

The bill further states that the said George Green being indebted as aforesaid and also unto divers other persons, and having real estate in Kent County, Maryland, departed this life in the year 1897 intestate, leaving no widow and no children surviving him, but leaving the following half brothers and sisters, namely: Frances Groves, whose husband's name is Eugene Groves, and Emily Price, whose husband's name is Henry Price, and each of these live in Queen Anne County, Maryland. And a half brother, Charles Thompson, who resides in Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania.

The bill further states that in order for the claims against the said George Green to be paid it is necessary that the real estate, which consists of a house and lot of land near Millington, in Kent county deeded to the said George Green by James Ricketts, be sold so that the creditors of the said George Green, may be paid.

To the end therefore, that the real estate mentioned aforesaid or so much as may be necessary for the purpose may be sold for the payment of his debts.

That the plaintiff may have such other and further relief as his case may require.

It is thereupon, this 2nd day of August, 1897, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent County, as a Court of Equity that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper printed and published in said Kent county, once a week for four successive weeks, before the 4th day of September, next, give notice to the said absent defendant, Charles Thompson of the object and substance of this bill and warning him to appear in the court in person or by solicitor on or before the 20th day of September next, to show cause, if any may be had, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

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

NO. 1267 CHANCERY.

ORDER NISI.

Wm. A. Thompson, et al,
vs.
Samuel G. Thompson, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 14th day of August, 1897, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, assignee and trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of October 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 18th day of September next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $3,000.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
a19-4t. SAMUAL G. FISHER, Clerk.

NO. 1233 CHANCERY.

ORDER NISI.

Ellen Hines
vs.
John Emory Hines, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 26th day of July, 1897, 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 28th day of September 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 28th day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $111.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
j29-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

NO. 1229 CHANCERY.

ORDER NISI.

Samuel J Wickes, et al,
vs.
William B. Kendall, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity

ORDERED, this 26th day of July, 1897, 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 13th day of September 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 28th day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $145.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
j29-4t. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

James K. H. Jacobs, et al,
vs.
Margaret Davis, et al.

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County.

In the matter of the sale of the Real Estate of Isaac Caulk, deceased.

ORDERED, this 27th day of July, 1897, by the Orphans' Court for Kent county, that the sale of the real estate of Isaac Caulk, deceased, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, appointed under a decree of this court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th day of September next; provided a copy of this order be published in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $489.00.

SAMUEL BURGESS,
FRANKLIN H. HARPER,
THOS. A. JACOBS,
Judges of Orphans' Court.

True Copy—Test: JAMES T. DIXON,
July 29, 1897—4t. Register of Wills.

The Wheat Market!

I wish to inform the farmers that I have orders from Messrs. I. M. PARR & SON to buy Wheat in Kent and Queen Anne Counties, both by rail and vessel. As exporters we can, of course, offer decided inducements in price.

All commissions by mail or telegraph will receive prompt attention.

Settlements will be made for all Grain immediately upon receipt of weights.

H. M. BROWN,
Office of Beck, Walker & Brown, Kent News Building. July 23, 1897.

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I have trust funds and to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3,000, $4,000, $5,000, $7,000 and $10,000. Some or these sums can be placed for five years.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
jy1-6t. Chestertown, Md.

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I have for sale FORTY or FIFTY THOROUGHBRED POLAND CHINA PIGS. This stock is of the strain of the prize-takers at the World's Fair.

J. B. HOSSINGER,
jy22-11t. Postoffice, Lynch's.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

—OF—

Two Houses and Lots of Land

in Quaker Neck, Kent County, Maryland.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in chancery cause entitled Ernest C. Reiche vs. Laura Bordley, et al., being No. 1181 Chancery, wherein Hope H. Barroll was appointed trustee to sell certain real estate described in the proceedings of said cause, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the court house door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, the 7th Day of September, 1897,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, all that lot of land situated in Quaker Neck, being a part of the tract of land

CALLED "STRATFORD MANOR,"

and lying on the southeast side of the land belonging to James H. Baker and adjoining the land of I. Richard Leaverton on the east side of the public road, leading from Lankford to Pomona, and containing

1 Acre, 3 Roods and 20 Perches

of land, more or less, being the same lot of land which was conveyed to John Bordley by Joshua Bordley and others by deed recorded in Liber S. B. No. 14, folios 394 etc., a land record book for Kent County, Maryland.

Also All That HOUSE and LOT of LAND

where John Bordley, colored, lived, situated on the west side of the public road leading from Pomona to Quaker Neck Wharf, adjoining the lands of Wm. Henry Gilbert and others, and the old Thos. Lusby farm, now owned by Wesley Cannon and Mary E. Cannon,

Containing 3 Acres of Land,

more or less, improved by a FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, Small Stable and other Outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money cash on each lot of land on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments in 12 and 18 months; all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the note or notes of the purchaser to the satisfaction of the trustee. Title papers at the cost of the purchaser. The purchaser will be entitled to possession on ratification of sales.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
a12-4t JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.

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REVISED PROGRAM

OF RACES

AT TOLCHESTER FAIR.

Entries Close August 23, a. m.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th.

1. Roadsters owned in Kent county, with no record to road cart ..... Purse $ 60.00
2. Trotting, 2.29 class ..... Purse $120.00
3. Running Race (half mile heats), two best in three ..... Purse $ 75.00
4. Bicycle Race, best two in three ..... Purse $ 50.00

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25th.

1. Trotting, 2.50 class ..... Purse $ 50.00
2. Trotting and Pacing, 2.22 class ..... Purse $150.00
3. Mule Race under saddle, 3 moneys, no entrance fee, best 2 in 3 ..... Purse $ 30.00
4. Foot Race, half mile, 2 moneys,