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IN PAYING off election bets in Baltimore a white man's head was shaved and a negro was given a coat of white wash.

THE "WAR OF HUMANITY" AND CIVILIZATION in the Philippines, is being conducted somewhat on the principle of cutting a man's head off to cure toothache. There is little doubt that the remedy will be effective, but the last state of that man will be worse than the first.

DUN'S PROSPERITY AGENCY, located in Wilmington, is determined to make the people of the peninsula believe that they are enjoying the wished-for millennium though they have to go unclothed and unfed. There is nothing like sticking to the text.

ONE OF THE LATEST suggestions in State politics is given out from Baltimore. The suggested combination for next fall is Congressman John Walter Smith for Governor, ex-State Senator Hering, of Carroll, for Comptroller, and Judge Wm. A. Fisher for Attorney-General. The difficulty with the combination would probably be trouble in getting any of the three to be candidates for the positions named. Mr. Isaac Lobe Straus is also mentioned for Attorney-General.

THE RESULT of last week's election in Baltimore practically eliminates Baltimore's ship-builder Mayor from the gubernatorial race. Mr. Westcott, a warm personal and political friend of Mayor Malster, has also been prominently mentioned in connection with a residence in the State House at Annapolis, but of course republican defeat in Baltimore means a shifting of gubernatorial possibilities from the Malster to the Lowndes Wellington ranks, and the Eastern Shoreman is shut out.

CHAIRMAN WILLIAM S. WALKER in another column calls a meeting of the County Democratic Executive committee for Tuesday next. The gentlemen composing this important branch of the democratic local organization will be called upon to outline a program of more than usual importance. The matter of a date for the primaries, district and precinct representation in the county convention and other equally important matters will present themselves. Conflicting interests and conflicting opinions will of course present themselves, and it is useless to say will be met and dealt with in a spirit of fairness and with an eye single to the best interests of the people, which means democratic success in the fall elections.

JUSTICE JOHN E. BECK, of Rock Hall, so far as can be learned, the only announced candidate for promotion in the republican vineyard, enjoyed a general discussion of matters political with his friends on Tuesday. Ex-Sheriff James A. Casey was also on hand, but emphatically stated that he is not and will not be a candidate for any office this year. That veteran of so many hotly contested battles, Joseph C. Kendall, was not in town, but has not failed to keep himself thoroughly posted as to the situation not only within his own party, but comes pretty close to solving some of the mysteries of the opposition. The republicans of Kent are evidently "playing possum" and sleeping with their eyes open.

THE DEMOCRACY OF CECIL COUNTY has taken time by the forelock, and leads the way in ticket-making. The nominating convention met at Elkton on Tuesday and named the following ticket: State's attorney, William S. Evans, Elkton; House of Delegates, Samuel J. Keys, Elkton; Dr. Frank H. Mackie, Fair Hill; John H. Kimble, Port Deposit; treasurer, William T. Fryer, Colora; Orphans' Court, David P. Davis, Charles E. Beatty, S. Kennard Blake; county commissioner, (long term), William W. McGuigan, Oakwood; county commissioner (short term), J. Polk Steele, Chesapeake City; sheriff, T. Ambrose Price, Earleville; county surveyor, Powell F. Johns; delegates to the State convention, John Banks, Manly Drennen, Dr. John H. Jenness and Geo. W. Taylor. The delegates to the State convention were instructed to vote for the nomination of Hon. John S. Wirt, of Elkton, for Governor, and to use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

MAYOR MALSTER AND HIS FRIENDS have dipped their arrows in worm-wood and gall and are still after the independent voters. The mayor declares in referring to the independent voter, "it haughtily places itself in front of us, and by force of threats, demands that the party do as it wishes, or else submit to being crushed." The Mayor's political wisdom has come to him too late, if he may be said to have received any of that valuable article by recent political events in Baltimore. The Baltimore mayor and his chief, Senator Wellington, should long ago have discovered that the calling of names and personal abuse will not deter the independant masses headed by the Baltimore *Sun* and other members of the independent press in their demand for pure men and pure political methods. Mr. Malster's definition of his ideal independent is extremely unique and interesting.

Many old soldiers now feel the effects of the hard service they endured during the war. Mr. Geo. S. Anderson, of Rossville, York county, Penn., who saw the hardest kind of service at the front, is now frequently troubled with rheumatism. "I had a severe attack lately," he says, "and procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It did so much good that I would like to know what you would charge me for one dozen bottles." Mr. Anderson wanted it both for his own use and to supply it to his friends and neighbors, as every family should have a bottle of it in their home, not only for rheumatism, but lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises and burns, for which it is unequalled. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist.

TUESDAY was another one of the series of interesting red-letter days in Kent county politics. Old politicians and young politicians, great and impressive leaders moved in solemn state about town, and minor corporals, busy and important, were in the field as busy as bees in a clover lot in full flower. The perplexities of the senatorial situation were unraveled and then tangled again; all manner of solutions were offered and forecasts given relative to the State's attorney contest, but the sun set leaving no material change in the local political situation as a result of the meeting of the clans. A rumored simplification of the situation in the fifth district failed to materialize, and in the words of the mill flats poet the situation remains *statu quo*.

MR. CHARLES F. HARPER, at present a prominent young lawyer of New York, but originally of Kent, in an article in last Sunday's New York *Sun*, pays his respects to the Baltimore *American* and its picturesque editorial chief, General Felix Agnus. Mr. Harper designates the Baltimore republican editorial scribe as the "Happy Lamb," and declares that "no party could thrive on the stuff that has been dished up daily in its, the Baltimore daily *American*, columns for almost twelve months past." That self-imagined intellectual masterdom, Senator Wellington, with a startling waywardness on the part of the New York critic, is styled an "intellectual animalcule." Great heavens! what exuberant audacity. What wantonness of rhetorical effects, to assail the sacred bigness of the Western Maryland United States Senator, who, amid crumbling walls and tottering "entrenchments" stands untouched and undismayed. The young New York attorney, with a dash and utter disregard for consequences, winds up his article to the *Sun*, by saying that both the *American* and Senator Wellington "are stupid." Mr. Wellington may be audacity itself; a victim of an abiding ambition which at times o'erleaps itself, but that he is upon principle "stupid" is a proposition not generally credited in Maryland. Mr. Harper takes a profound interest in National politics and is an ardent supporter of the president's policy of expansion.

IN KENT as well as in Baltimore, there are certain republican leaders who seek to fasten the responsibility of everything which goes wrong upon the shoulders of some one. In Baltimore the colored voter is being condemned for the defeat of Mayor Malster, and in Kent the most violent denunciation has been and is being heaped upon the colored element of the republican party. The *Afro-American*, organ of the colored people, printed in Baltimore, has this to say bearing upon the subject:

"The republicans are busy fixing the blame for losing last Tuesday's election on somebody's shoulders. As usual, the poor negro is made the scape-goat, and as he has no redress and no opportunity to saddle it upon somebody else, he must of necessity bear up under it. But the negro was not to blame for the defeat of the party, neither directly nor indirectly. The cry of 'white man's city,' 'negro domination,' etc., have been heard before, and no one with any sense at all was scared by it. The white people knew they were perfectly able to take care of themselves, and the negroes, too, for that matter, and while it might serve for a rallying cry, it would amount to nothing at all, nor did it amount to anything. But the things that did amount to something were the things that the republicans did themselves. The white republicans are responsible for their own defeat. It was the Byes, the Charlie Wilsons, the Ben Andrews, the Ben Hiss and the Sam Davis of the party that invited defeat, not counting the Varneys and the Lewis. The Columbian Club also had much to do with it. Here is where the blame lies, and not upon the shoulders of the unfortunate black man, although there were numbers of them who either did not vote or voted against the republican party."

LANKFORD NOTES.

EDS. TRANSCRIPT:—Owing to the past few weeks of dry weather, asparagus has not done as well as expected, although Messrs. Beck, Strong, Trew and Groves have made some very heavy consignments during the past week, on which they realized good prices.

The rain of last Monday was a God-send, as grass and wheat were both in need of rain. The unplowed ground was also getting very hard.

The farmers took advantage of the fine weather and had their sheep sheared. Messrs. Bramble and Slagle did the shearing.

Henry Taylor, colored, met with quite a loss on Saturday night last. He loaned his horse to a man to ride to Chestertown, and while returning, near the home of Mr. Victor Hendrickson, the horse was run into by a passing team, the shaft penetrating the horse's breast to a depth of sixteen inches. The horse released itself and ran up to Mr. Hendrickson's yard and fell dead. Taylor only a few hours before had been offered fifty dollars cash for the animal.

Mr. J. V. Kilborne spent several days in Baltimore last week purchasing summer goods for his store.

Mr. Israel Walbert has one of the prettiest fields of corn in the district. He finished replanting on Tuesday morning. Mr. Richard Bryan has a pretty start, and Mr. Duyer, on the George Hatcherson farm, is also in the front of the list. Mr. John E. Morris possibly leads the procession as having the finest wheat field, though Mr. P. Jump, we are told, has a field of wheat even heavier than Mr. Morris'. Mr. John E. Morris' flock of lambs is truly a thing of beauty.

Mrs. A. P. Emerson has returned home from Baltimore after spending some time there with friends.

Mr. Tilden Brice and Wm. Barnes are on the sick list.

Mr. Tilden Brice has had some very nice wire fencing done this spring. Mr. W. B. Strong is also having considerable repair work done at the trap.

Mr. I. R. Leaverton is having one of the finest cow stables built in the county. We understand it will have accommodation for fifty cattle. Mr. Leaverton is a stock grower and takes great pride in his herd.

Mr. Walter Strong visited his mother in Baltimore last week, she being very ill. We are sorry to report her little improved at this writing.

Mr. Thos. Willis' little girl met with a very painful accident last Saturday evening. She stepped on a tin can and it rolled out from under her, throwing her and breaking one of her lower limbs.

Lankford creamery is running every day now since the weather got warm.

SOUTH SIDE.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Cure be sure and get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

HAT-PIN LOST.

Lost on Tuesday, on the public road leading from Washington College to Worton Station, a blue enamel and gold hat-pin. The finder will please return to

DR. SAMUEL G. FISHER, Chestertown, Md.

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FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The ladies of Worton Presbyterian Church will hold a Festival and Supper in the hall, at Worton, on FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS, MAY 19th and 20th. Come one, come all and help a good cause. Delicacies and a pleasant time will be insured to all.

m11-tf. COMMITTEE.

FOR SALE.

Rare opportunity to purchase FINE YORK CARRIAGE which was used only a few times. Original price $120. Will sell cheap. Address

m11-tf. Box 43, Galena, Md.

FOR SALE.

Berkshire Pigs, Lambs, Calves, 3 Work Horses; also Timothy Hay.

S. G. MASLIN, "Caulk's Field," Fairlee P. O., Kent County.

m11-3t.

FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER.



HAVING purchased the entire outfit and good-will of the late E. C. Reiche's Undertaking Business, I will conduct same at the old stand under the Voshell House.

I am a practical undertaker and embalmer, and guarantee satisfaction to all parties giving me a call.

J. E. FERGUSON, Chestertown, Md.

may 11.

WHIT MONDAY SPORT.



I will give a trot and pace on

MAY 22nd, 1899, at PINE PLAIN,

near Meginness. Roadsters or 3 mile race, 2 45 race and free for all ½ mile heats, 3 in 5. Will give ½ gate receipts and entrance money in purses. Come out and have an afternoon of fine sport. Bring your horses. Races to be called at half past 1 o'clock.

J. B. PENNINGTON, Manager.

m11-tf.

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

ANN E. WILLSON,

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 16th day of November, 1899, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of May, 1899.

R. D. HYNSON, Administrator.

m11-4t.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad Company for the election of a Board of Directors to serve for the coming year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before a meeting of the stockholders, will be held at the office of the Company in Chestertown, Maryland, on SATURDAY, THE 13th DAY OF MAY, 1899, at eleven o'clock, A. M.

SAMUEL KNOX, Secretary.

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FOR SALE.

CECIL COUNTY BALED HAY, mixed or Timothy. We offer a limited quantity, about fifteen tons, mixed Baled Hay at $11.50 per ton net cash.

TURNER & SON, Betterton, Md.

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Standard Keeper's Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed STANDARD-KEEPER for Kent County, hereby gives notice to MERCHANTS, SHOP-KEEPERS and all others interested, that he will, by order of the County Commissioners, attend the following places on the days named for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting all *Beams, Scales, Weights and Measures*, used or intended to be used in this county namely:

Monday, May 15th,..........1st District.
Tuesday, " 16th,..........2d "
Wednesday, May 17th,..........3d "
Thursday, May 18th,..........4th "
Friday, May, 19th, 5th and 6th Districts.
Saturday, May 20th, 7th...........

J. W. ROE, Standard-keeper.

NOTICE.

The stockholders of the KENNEDYVILLE HALL COMPANY will meet at the Hall on

THURSDAY, MAY 13th, 1899.

A full attendance desired.

D. U. DEWEES, Sec'y.

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New Business

AT GEORGETOWN.

☞ In addition to my business I am driving a Wagon through the neighborhood buying Eggs, and am prepared to give the highest market price for them.

HAVING purchased the stock of goods of Mrs. S. A. Biggs at Georgetown, I wish to announce to the public that I propose to keep a full stock of

Dry Goods and Groceries!

at rock-bottom prices. A large and varied stock of SHOES will be a specialty of this new business. Call and see us at our new stand.

Respt.,

A. LEYBOLD, Georgetown, Md.

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No. 1325 Equity.

Order Nisi.

James W. Hamilton vs. John L. Hamilton, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 3d day of May, 1899, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the sale of the real estate, 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 6th day of July 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 5th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,660.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test: JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

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Notice to Creditors.

Hallie R. Goodin vs. Wm. Y. Baker, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

No. 1167.

THE UNDERSIGNED, trustee, in the above entitled cause, pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, passed on the twenty-fifth day of April, 1899, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate of M. Louisa Houston, deceased, to file their claims properly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County on or before the first day of October, 1899.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Trustee.

a27-4t.

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

SARAH E. SPARKS,

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 27th day of October, 1899, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 18th day of April, 1899.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Administrator.

a20-4t.

Sheep Shearing Notice.

Having bought a Stewart's patent sheep shearer, I wish to offer my services to the public. By this devise it is possible to shear a sheep in ten minutes. The principle upon which the shearer works is that of the clipper for horses. By it there is no loss of wool, no clipping of sheep, a saving all round. It is estimated that a half pound of wool is saved to the farmer with each fleece, and taking into consideration my charge, the farmer really has his sheep sheared without cost. This method is really a money saver to the farmer. For further particulars address me at Rock Hall, Kent County, Md.

J. H. RUTH.

a20-tf.

Eureka Dining Rooms,

H. BUSICK, PROP.,

32 E. PRATT STREET,

Adjoining Malby House, Baltiomre Md.

The Finest 15 and 25c. Meals

in the city.

Tables Reserved for Ladies.

NO. 4327.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Second National Bank

AT CHESTERTOWN,

in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, April 5, 1899.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$164,837.87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	141 66
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	13,500.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	1,416.89
Due from approved reserve agents	41,195.18
Checks and other cash items	2,393.95
Notes of other National Banks	2,670.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	229.03
Specie and legal-tender notes	10,053.50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (five per cent. of circulation)	562.50
Total	$249,500.58

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	12,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,037.36
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250.00
Due to other National Banks	1,957.60
Due to State Banks and Bankers	10..00
Individual deposits subject to check	170,245.62
Total	$249,500.58

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, W. B. COPPER, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of April, 1899.

GEO. C. ADKINSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

HOPE H. BARROLL,
THEO. E. HAYES,
W. W. HUBBARD,
Directors

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3 per ct. Interest on Deposits

WILL BE PAID BY

The Second National Bank

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

We repectfully solicit your account with The Second National of Chestertown.

The Security we offer our Depositors is Capital Stock, - $50,000
Liability of Stockholders under National Bank Act, - - 50,000
Surplus, - - - - 12,000
Net Undivided Profits, - 4,000
Total Security to Depositors... $116,000

Our depositors are further assured of the security offered by semi-annual examinations of the condition of our Bank made by the National Bank Examiner, who reports the result of his examination to the Comptroller of the National Treasury; and thus compels all National Banks to observe the laws of conservative banking in accordance with the Acts of Congress governing all such banks.

The affairs of the Bank have never been in a more flourishing condition than now; 1898 was the most prosperous year in the history of the Bank.

The terms upon which we will open interest-bearing accounts with our depositors are as follows:

In this Savings Department, deposits will be received upon the following terms, conditions and agreement:

Interest at the rate of three per cent. per annum will be allowed on deposits for every calendar month they may be continued, computing from the first day of the month succeeding the deposit, but to avoid tedious calculations on small sums, none will be estimated for any fractional part of a month, nor will interest be allowed on a sum less than five dollars and multiples thereof. No interest will be paid when an account has not been continued with the department four calendar months. The year will be divided into two interest periods, ending on the last days of May and November; at the end of each period the interest due will be added to the depositor's account and so become a part of the principal.

Parents may deposit for their children and guardians for their wards, and if desired at the time of the deposit, may subject the same to the control of such parent or guardian.

Depositors shall have the right to withdraw their deposit at any time by giving one month's notice in writing of their intention; but this notice may be dispensed with in the direction of the President or Cashier, and the same be paid on demand.

The Board of Directors may, at their discretion, return any deposit, giving one month's notice, the interest to be calculated to the time of the expiration of such notice, and no longer.

Every person on opening an account in this department shall be furnished with a book containing a deplicate of the account, in which the deposits and the payments shall be entered as soon as made, and it will be necessary for the book to be brought to the bank every time a deposit is made, or money withdrawn, so that the transaction may be regularly entered. In all cases where the whole amount is drawn out, the book must be given up to the Bank.

No money shall be paid except to the person having the legal right to the deposit, or to his or her order, which order must be witnessed by some respectable person, other than the one in whose favor the order is drawn, and must always be accompanied by the book.

In any case where the book is lost the depositor must notify the Bank of such loss; and where the depositor's signature is made by a cross-mark, the Bank will not be responsible for payment to a wrong person producing the book, in cases where the book has been lost and no notice given thereof.

If a deposit book be lost, destroyed, or fraudulently obtained from any depositor, immediate notice thereof must be given to the officers of the Bank, and, after a sufficient publication of said loss and satisfactory surety be given to the Bank a duplicate book will be issued.

Possession of the book of deposit shall be evidence of ownership thereof to authorize the payment of money due thereon, and although the Bank will endeavor to prevent fraud on its depositors, yet all payments which shall be made by the Bank to any person producing the book of a depositor shall be valid as against the depositor, and a full and effectual release therefor to the Bank.

The above is a statement of the condition of the Bank at the close of business on April 5th, 1899.

We solicit your account, whether large or small. If you have never opened an account with us we shall be pleased to receive your patronage. If you at any time desire loans in large or small amounts, we will make every possible endeavor to accommodate you with a large or small sum.

Yours very respt.,

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

SPRING MILLINERY AT STILL POND.

MY LINE OF

MILLINERY

IS COMPLETE,

comprising all the latest designs of Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers and all the up-to-date trimmings, with Baby Bonnets and Hats.

RIBBONS:—My assortment of Ribbons was never larger nor more varied, comprising at least one hundred different shades and styles.

NOTIONS:—Of all kinds, viz: Corsets, Hose, Ladies' Gauze, Gloves, Laces, Hamburgs, Handkerchiefs, Crocheting Silks, Filo Silk, Belts, latest in Bell Buckles, Combs and Hair Pins of all kinds, Dress Makers' Supplies, and in fact everything in the Notion line. Give me a call and inspect before purchasing elsewhere.

MISS D. A. CROSSLEY,

STILL POND, MD.

RESTAURANT AND ICE CREAM PARLORS.

I WISH to announce to my friends and the public generally, that I have opened a restaurant and ice cream parlor at the place until recently occupied for the same purposes by Mrs. John L. Shuster. Meals will be furnished at all hours, the service being entirely under my personal care and supervision. Oysters will be served at all times by the pint, quart or gallon. Ice cream, water ices and cake will be served in any quantity desired. Also bread of all kinds. Creams, ices and cake will be served to transient customers.

MRS. J. CORDRAY LOUD, High street, near Stam's Hall.

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County Commissioners' Notice.

TRAVELERS TAKE NOTICE that travel on the public road leading from Fairlee to the Georgetown road, is suspended after Monday, 17th inst, until the bridge at "Lawrence Thomas Branch" is completed.

By order

SAMUEL TODD, PRES;
DANIEL HILL,
JOS. R. USILTON,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
THOMAS J. FLETCHER,
Co. Commissioners of Kent Co.

a13 tf. N. & E.

CHICKENS FOR SALE.

For Sale at $1.00 Each,

40 very fine S. C. Brown Leghorn hens and pullets, also First Prize Cockerel at Boston 1897, cost $25; will sell him for $5. Also two other fine cockerels cheap. Also 10 or 12 choice Golden Wyandotte pullets at $1.00 if the lot is taken. There is one pullet in this lot worth $10 alone. Apply to

E. E. HUDSON, Worton, Md.

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Administrator's Sale

—OF—

STOCKS.

THE undersigned, administrator c. t. a. of Colin F. Stam, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, Md., will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, Chestertown, Md.,

On Tuesday, May 30th, 1899,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, the following Shares of Stock, to wit:

ONE HUNDRED SHARES of $5 each of the capital stock of the TALLAPOOSA, GA., LAND, MINING AND MANUFACTURING CO., full paid and unassessable, and incorporated under the laws of the State of Maine.

FOUR SHARES of the par value of $5 per share of the capital stock of the KENT COUNTY TELEPHONE CO.

TWELVE SHARES of $10 each of the capital stock of the GEORGIA-ALABAMA INVESTMENT AND DEVELOPMENT CO., full paid and unassessable, and incorporated under the laws of the State of Alabama.

TWENTY-FOUR SHARES of 40 cents each, in the preferred capital stock of THE NORTH GEORGIA LAND AND MANUFACTURING CO., full paid and non-assessable, and incorporated under the laws of the State of Alabama.

SIX SHARES of $100 each, of the capital stock of the BIG BEND TUNNEL AND MINING CO., full paid and unassessable and incorporated under the laws of the State of New York.

FIVE HUNDRED SHARES, par value of shares $1.00 each, of the capital stock of THE SANTA ROSA GOLD MINING COMPANY, full paid and non-assessable and incorporated under the laws of the State of Colorado.

THREE SHARES of $25.00 each, of the capital stock of the EMERSON DRUG CO., full paid and non-assessable, and incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland.

The stocks of each of the above companies will be offered separately as a whole, and sold to the highest bidder.

Any one so desiring can see the certificates of stock by applying to the administrator.

TERMS OF SALE:—The terms of sale are: One-third cash on the day of sale (or within sixty days), and the residue in two equal instalments 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 by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with security to be approved by the administrator; or the whole of the purchase money to be paid in cash, at the option of the purchaser.

RICHARD H. COLLINS, Administrator c. t. a.

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JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE,

NEAR EDESVILLE.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from John P. Edes and Laura Edes to Henry N. Hurtt, dated the 12th day of October, 1888, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent County, in Liber S. B. No. 11, folio 249, etc., and assigned by said Henry N. Hurtt to Hallie R. Goodin on the 9th day of January, 1889, and assigned by said Hallie R. Goodin to Lewin W. Wickes on the 13th day of April, 1899, both of which said assignments are recorded among the Land Records aforesaid at the foot of said mortgage, the undersigned assignee of said mortgage, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, May 23rd, 1899,

at one o'clock P. M., all that

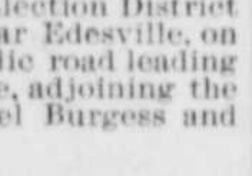
Farm or Tract of Land,

lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, Maryland, near Edesville, on the right hand side of the public road leading from Chestertown to Edesville, adjoining the lands of C. A. Leary, Samuel Burgess and others, and

Containing 66 Acres,

three roods and fourteen perches of land, more or less. The above farm is known as the Hurtt farm, and is now occupied by David S. Sutton.

The improvements consist of a Two-Story



FRAME DWELLING,

with a story and a half back building, barn, stable and hen house. There is an apple orchard on the farm and also a small pear orchard. The soil is good and capable of ready improvement.

A blacksmith shop now on the premises is reserved from the operation of sale. The purchaser will be entitled to one-half of the growing crops and possession will be given Jan. 1st, 1900, with the privilege of seeding any crops desired this fall.

TERMS OF SALE:—One third of the purchase money cash on day of sale and the residue in two equal installments, payable in one and two years from day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. Title papers at the cost of the purchaser.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Assignee of Mortgage.

JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. a27-ts.

Sheriff's Sale

—OF A—

HOUSE AND LOT OF LAND

In Galena, Kent County, Md.

BY virtue of two writs of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, at the suit of L. R. Vansant against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of S. E. Cannan and Josephine H. Cannan, to me directed I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said S. E. Cannan and Josephine H. Cannan, in and to

All that House and Lot of Land

situated, lying and being in the First Election District in the village of Galena on the north side of the public road leading from or through Galena to Georgetown, adjoining the lands of Thomas Soloway and Foundry Lane, it being the same property which was conveyed to the said Josephine H. Cannan by Mary E. Gilpin by deed dated the 8th day of August, 1895, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in liber S. G. F., No. 3, folios 484, etc., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Md.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Tuesday, 16th day of May, 1899,

between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock M., I will offer for sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., the said property so seized and taken in execution at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

BEDFORD ROE, Sheriff.

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Information Wanted.

A man with the name of C. E. Densmout marked on all his clothing, aged from 35 to 40 years, about 5 feet 5 inches tall, wearing a black mustache and short black beard, and evidently crazy, made his appearance in Chestertown about two weeks ago and is now confined in the Almshouse, this county, awaiting information from friends as to who he is or where he belongs. He complains of constant pain in the back of his head. He says he has been in asylums, and states that he has been under treatment by Drs. Sterns, Ward and Noble, but fails to locate any of the three doctors, or any of the asylums or other places in which he has been confined. For further information address

WM. FORD, Secretary Kent County Almshouse, Chestertown, Md.
or COLUMBUS A. LEARY, President.

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TERMS—$15 to insure; $10 for the season. Two or more mares, $8 each for the season; $5 single service. Season money to be paid during or at end of season. Insured mares to be paid when proved with foal.

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All kinds of Tires, and everything that goes on a Wheel.

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which is manufactured at our own works under our personal supervision, and we warrant them well made of good material. The design of the Roller has never been improved upon, and we think we are justified in our claims that this is the best Roller built to-day.

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One man can accomplish more work than two with the old 5-tooth, and can do it far better. We have secured a new style Spring-Tooth Sulky which excels anything now on the market, and which we are selling, to introduce them, at a very low price. Come and examine this tool and get our quotations. We can also furnish you the well-known "Iron Age" Sulky Cultivator from our stock at rock bottom prices.

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are the leaders in this line throughout the world, and we have represented them here for the past 19 years with the greatest satisfaction to ourselves and patrons. These goods for 1899 are better than ever before, and although steel, and all material has advanced 25 per cent. or more, we can still fill your orders at the most moderate prices, and give you better service than any agent in the county, for we have the BEST EQUIPPED REPAIR SHOPS, and can do all kinds of Repairing at the shortest notice, and in the most satisfactory manner. Having one of the

BEST HORSE SHOERS

in the State, we will give your horse careful attention if brought to us. We have been established in Galena for

OVER THIRTY YEARS,

which is an assurance that we are here to stay, and if you will call here we will supply your wants in our line at short notice, and at the lowest prices. Your patronage of the years past has been greatly appreciated, and hoping that you will continue with us, thank you in advance for same.

Yours respectfully,

W. A. HYLAND, Galena, Md.

Annual Report

—OF THE—

Commissioners of Chestertown

—FOR THE—

Year April 20th, 1898, to April 20th, 1899.

REVENUE:

Balance on hand April 20, '98	$2,512 51	
Corporation Tax levied 1898	2,300 00	
Cart License	13 00	
Insurance Co.—Water Rent	200 00	
Sewer Taps	30 00	
Fines	1 00	
Show License	9 00	
Co. Treas. for roads '99 in part	1,000 00	
Owner's proportion paying	60	
Contribution to Washington Ave. Sewer from college	750 00	
Contribution to Washington Ave. Sewer from property owners	450 00	
Contribution to Princess St. sewer from prop'ty owners	28 00	
Total Revenue		$7,294 11

EXPENDITURES:

Work and material on streets:		
Labor	$264 78	
Hauling	120 95	
Paving	42 80	
Bricks	67 82	
Terra cotta pipe & freight	27 45	
Shells	171 53	
Hauling shells	49 10	
Work st's and gutters snow blockade	43 64	
		$788 07
For Street Lighting:		
Lamp Lighter	180 00	
Gasoline, oils, lamps, repair	305 75	
		485 75
Washington Ave. Sewer:		
Contract	$1,625 00	
Bricks at arch	125 62	
Hauling	449 95	
Labor	573 25	
Bricks and Cement	295 65	
		2,649 47
Queen Street Sewer		84 90
Bailiffs, Assistants, Clerks		1,211 50
Total		$5,218 79
Sundries:		
Print'g reports, ordinances	$68 75	
Election expenses	5 00	
Blacksmith work	17 14	
Repairs to Pumps	7 00	
Repair to fire plugs	3 00	
Repair to hose	4 38	
Paint	35	
Stationery	3 48	
Lumber bill—2 years	51 98	
Hardware bill	23 69	
Wm. Shafer, exam. pump, boiler, etc., and helper	21 00	
Attorney fees	100 00	
Exam'g contagious disease	2 00	
Fire Works	11 67	
Water rent for fire purposes	550 00	
Insolvencies and removals	31 21	
Taxes paid in error	87 50	
Discounts on county order	19 34	
		$1,047 35
Expenditures		$6,266 14
Cash and unpaid taxes		1,027 97
Total		$7,294 11
Still due from Co. Treas.		1,560 00

M. WILBUR THOMAS, Clerk Town Commissioners.

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PENSIONS SECURED.

All persons entitled to pensions as soldiers in the Civil War, or widows and children, are invited to call on me. I place my services at the disposal of the public. My experience during the last three years will enable me to be of considerable service to those entitled to Pensions whether Original or Dependent. Prompt attention to all such business. Pensions secured with as little delay as possible. Increased pensions a specialty.

BEN. N. S. WILKINS, Justice of the Peace, Chestertown, Md.

12-3m.

R. BERGEN

HAS A LARGER

Stock of Summer Goods

than ever before, consisting of Lawns, Percales, Piques in colored and white, India Linens, Persian Lawns and Organdies. The balance of our Worsted Dress Goods will be sold at cost price.

Also a very nice line of **Shirt Waists** in Black and Colored Satin, Black and Colored Taffeta, Percale and Pique at rock Botton prices.

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Here is where we take the lead in style and prices. We have the largest and most stylish display ever exhibited before. Now is the time to buy Millinery.

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If you have not had your horse shod here, you have missed a great comfort for your horse. Call early and often at

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Blacksmithing & Horse-shoeing Parlor, Still Pond, Md.

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SpeciaL CasH InducementS ON OVERSHIRTS.

39 cents buys a 50-cent Shirt.
57 cents buys a 75-cent Shirt.
69 cents buys an 85-cent Shirt.
79 cents buys a $1.00 Shirt.
98 cents buys a $1.25 Shirt.

These Shirts are in large numbers and lovely styles, silk fronts, puff bosoms, laundried front percales with two collars and cuffs, soft bosom and all styles to make one feel comfortable and look handsome, if it's in him. Clothing for all at cash prices.

Spring Goods! Spring Goods!

Ladies, come and see them. We have them. Dress Goods, Embroideries, Laces—all kinds and colors for a cash price.

Mattings & Oil Cloths

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WE ARE now prepared to fill all orders with the greatest satisfaction. We have just returned from New York and Philadelphia, where we spent months studying to perfect ourselves in the high art of Millinery. Knowing the desire of our customers we selected the richest yet daintiest of fabrics, shades, shapes and styles of every description. Call to see our stock, and we are sure you will find what you want, and prices to suit.

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MISS MARSHALL,

Corner High and Queen Streets.

The Hamilton Steel Frame Corn Planter,



With low-down Check Rower, is a full combination Planter, and can be used as a drill or a check rower planter by only changing the plates. It is the simplest and surest device ever put on the market. The dropping of corn with this planter is certain and guaranteed not to skip a hill. An excellent Fertilizer Distributor is furnished with this Planter. Call and see its many nice features.

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Genuine Oliver Plows and Castings.

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known to the agricultural world. Only those which bear the imperial seal and trade mark of the Oliver are genuine. The difference between genuine Oliver Plows or Castings and bogus articles is the difference between an honest man and a knave—one is true and the other a fraud. Only the implements bearing the Oliver trade mark are genuine.

Mlak e a Secialty of $10 Harness.

My $10 Sets of Harness are marvels of cheapness, and for the money possess rare beauty as well. They are sold elsewhere for $13.50 and $15. I am also offering a fine set of $11 Harness which others are imitating at $14.50 and $15. Collars, Bridles, Halters, etc. I have just received

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A Full Line of Choice Garden Seed of All Varieties. } Prices Right.

Also a Choice Line of FLOWER SEED.

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Full line Torchon and Cotton Laces from 10c. dozen to $1.25 dozen yards.

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We sell you 12½c. Colored Pique, per yd., for **9c**

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We handle only the best Covert Cloth.

A lot of double width Dress Goods, 12½ and 15c. yard, now go at **8c**

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We sell a 5c. Cigar 2 for 5c.

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Two bars Babbett's Soap for 5c. Bring your coupon.

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SASSAFRAS RIVER STEAMBOAT CO.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

Round Trips

On and after Monday, April 24th, 1899,

Steamer Sassafras

will leave Georgetown, week days, at 6.30 a. m. (except Saturday,) Shallcross, 6.45 a. m.; Cassidy's, 7.00 a. m.; Turner's Creek, 7.15 a. m.; Betterton, 8.00 a. m.; Buck Neck, 9.00 a. m.; Gale's Wharf, 9.15 a. m.

Returning, will leave Baltimore, week days, Pier 6, Light Street, at 2.30 p. m. (except Friday,) Saturday 2.00 p. m., stopping at Buck Neck, Gale's Wharf, Betterton and all landings on the Sassafras River, except Turner's Creek, trip up, stopping at Turner's Creek Saturday if possible.

WILLIAM CUNDIFF, Superintendent.

SPRING SCHEDULE.

STEAMER SUSQUEHANNA Between

BALTIMORE & PORT DEPOSIT,

—STOPPING AT—

TOLCHESTER, BETTERTON AND HAVRE-DE-GRACE.

Will leave Baltimore, Pier 16 Light St., week days (except Saturdays) at 2.30 p. m.; will leave Baltimore, Pier 16 Light St., Saturdays, at 2.45 p.m.; will leave Tolchester, week days (except Saturdays) at 4.30 p. m.; Betterton, week days, at 5.40 p.m.; Havre-de-Grace, week days at 7.00 p. m., arriving at Port Deposit at 7.30 p. m.

SPECIAL.—Passengers from Tolchester and Betterton can make connections at Havre-de-Grace with evening trains going north and south.

Will leave Port Deposit, week days, at 7.00 a. m.; Havre-de-Grace, week days at 7.30 a. m.; Betterton, week days, 8.40 a. m.; Tolchester, week days (except Saturdays) at 9.50 a. m.

SPECIAL.—Saturdays, steamer does not stop at Tolchester, which gives passengers three-quarters of an hour longer in the city, and leaves at 2.45.

For further information, apply to Agents at the differet landin s, or

W. C. ELIASON, Manager, Pier 16 Light St., Balto.

March 30, 1899.

SPRING SCHEDULE.

TOLCHESTER LINE,

EVERY SATURDAY

STEAMER EMMA GILES

Will leave Tolchester at 9 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

Will leave Baltimore at 7 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.

☞ Russell's Stage connects with boat from Chestertown.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY, Pier 16 Light Street, Baltimore.

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Steamboat Company,

Change of Schedule

Beginning November 7, 1898, steamer

EMMA A. FORD.

Leave Chestertown Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 a.m., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogles, Queenstown and Kent Island. leave Queenstown 9.30 a.m.; arrive Baltimore about 12.15 p. m.; leave Baltimore Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10.30 A. M.; arrive Queenstown about 1.30 p. m.; arrive at Chestertown about 3.30 p. m.

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