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MR. SAULISBURY, of Delaware, suggests the name of Governor-elect John Walter Smith as a presidential possibility for 1904.

IN ANOTHER column will be found the official vote as polled at the election last week. The official corrected registration, is also published for the first time in any paper in the county.

SO FAR AS CAN be judged at this time, the star-showers predicted for Monday and Tuesday night, and again scheduled for last night, were a delusion and a snare. So far, at least, as report goes, Kent was entirely forgotten in the distribution of stars.

THE AMERICAN EAGLE has failed to scream with any degree of lustiness in Kent. After all, there was very much lacking to make up a "glorious victory" even in the eyes of local republicans. Visions of falling heads have continued to confront some of the faithful since the receipt of State news on the night of November the seventh.

GOVERNOR-ELECT John Walter Smith has not as yet resigned as congressman from the first district and it is not known when the election to select his successor will take place. The first district, composed of the Eastern Shore counties, exclusive of Cecil, gave a Democratic majority in the election last week of 2,506, against 725 last year.

AMID THE CLASH of political opinions and the confusion of one of the most hotly contested campaigns Maryland has ever known, the Baltimore *Sun* cast its influence with the democracy and good government. This was done in a dignified and dispassionate manner and impressed and won the great mass of thinking, intelligent voters. The democracy has much for which to thank the *Sun* in its great triumph of last week.

THE DISAPPOINTMENT of the democracy in the defeat of its local ticket was great, but it would be time wasted for republican leaders to felicitate themselves upon unbroken power for the future. Already the record has commenced which will be a potent factor in breaking their hold in 1901. The people who brought about the defeat of the party will have ample time during the coming two years to repent them of their folly.

THE ELECTION OF John Walter Smith to the gubernatorial chair, the control of both houses of the Legislature by the democrats, and a democratic Board of Public Works, means a complete change in a large number of places in Kent county. Republican magistrates and all election officials will receive their appointments through a democratic rather than republican appointive power. The local police boats will also be in charge of democratic and not republican officers and crews.

THE ELIGIBILITY of Cecil county's democratic sheriff-elect has been questioned. The point involves a nice issue relative to residence. Price was elected by a plurality of 250 votes. He was born and raised in the lower part of the county, but went west in 1884, returning to Cecil three years ago. The law requires that a person must be a resident of a county for at least five consecutive years to be eligible to the office of sheriff, and hence the opposition claims Price cannot legally assume charge of the office to which he has been elected. On the other hand, the sheriff-elect says that during his stay out of Cecil county he never voted and always claimed Cecil as his permanent home. Some claim the next highest candidate, the republican nominee, should be declared sheriff-elect, while others claim the governor should make the appointment or a new election be held.

THE STAY-AT-HOMES.

In summing up the reasons for the recent democratic defeat, the stay-at-home vote must be figured with as a prominent factor. Of course back of all this non-voting was a controlling cause. A careful examination of the registration list discloses the fact that 213 voters in the county failed to cast a ballot on November seventh. These were distributed as follows:

		White.	Col'd
1st district	Millington prec.	8	6
	Galena prec.	14	13
2d district		13	22
3d district		15	8
4th district		18	13
5th district		41	10
6th district		15	12
7th district		5	0
Total		129	84

This gives 95½ per cent. of the total registered vote of the county, as having voted on Tuesday of last week. A record probably never surpassed in the history of voting in the county.

Sympathy for Kent.

We regret that our friends in Kent county are not in the procession. Isn't Kent a white man's county?—*Cecil Democrat.*

Cecil county gives Col. John Walter Smith 518 majority over Lowndes for Governor. There are but two republican counties in Eastern Maryland and they are Kent and Somerset. It is with sorrow the *Record* is compelled to place Kent in the blank list. The democratic nominees of that county were above the average of her sister counties and the tax payers and intelligent citizens may have in the near future to regret the result. Kent, like Queen Anne's, has the bone and sinew of its population within the democratic ranks and their county pride should never have permitted the county to have been handed over, bag and baggage, to a minority representation of its intelligence and taxable basis.—*Centreville Record.*

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THE OFFICIAL FIGURES.

DETAILED VOTE AS RETURNED BY THE ELECTION OFFICERS.

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION.

Not until Saturday afternoon were the election officers able to make their returns. On Thursday, the regular return day, when the election officers met in Chestertown it was discovered that by error some of the lists had been sealed in the ballot boxes. Mr. Carroll drove to Centreville and an order was secured from the court, ordering that the boxes be opened. Upon reassembling on Friday, another error was discovered and not until Saturday were the official figures given out.

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	Mill'g	Galena	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
Governor:									
SMITH	243	254	386	264	377	422	189	148	2284
Lowndes	206	221	379	268	409	344	284	251	2362
Swan, Pro.	5	8	12	15	3	8	3	2	56
Lowndes' Plurality									78
Comptroller:									
HERING	243	253	286	264	375	422	189	148	2280
Goldsborough	206	221	377	265	411	342	282	251	2355
Ball,	5	8	12	14	3	8	3	2	55
Goldsborough Plurality									75
Attorney General:									
RAYNER	243	256	387	263	374	422	189	147	2281
Findlay	206	219	376	265	412	342	283	250	2353
Hendrickson	5	8	12	16	3	8	3	3	58
Findlay Plurality									72
State Senator;									
VICKERS	242	253	380	259	378	412	188	144	2256
Baker	208	223	382	272	408	349	285	256	2383
Covington	5	7	12	11	3	9	3	1	51
Baker's Plurality									127
House Delegates									
NOLAND	243	252	386	261	373	419	188	147	2269
HICKS	243	258	383	262	375	418	189	147	2275
Kendall	206	222	378	267	415	345	285	256	2367
Norris	206	217	379	267	411	340	282	249	2351
Rash	5	8	11	16	3	8	3	3	57
Weist	5	6	12	14	4	8	3	2	54
Republican Plurality									98
State's Attorney:									
SLAY	244	253	388	262	375	421	188	143	2274
Urie	204	227	380	271	414	344	286	254	2380
Urie's Plurality									106
Commissioners:									
ROE	242	242	375	262	373	421	187	143	2245
CLEAVER	240	245	370	261	370	419	188	145	2238
BRICE	242	250	375	261	378	418	188	135	2247
Atwell	207	234	387	269	413	341	284	249	2384
Hill	207	230	394	269	414	341	284	250	2389
Hadaway	207	225	384	270	408	344	285	262	2385
Bottomley	5	6	12	14	3	8	3	2	53
Jarrell	7	7	9	14	4	8	3	1	53
Brown	5	7	12	14	3	8	3	3	55
Rep. Plurality									139
Treasurer:									
IRELAND	243	257	386	270	361	419	183	141	2260
Smith	206	218	374	265	424	344	286	257	2374
Sanders	5	8	12	8	3	8	3	2	49
Rep. Plurality									115
Orphans' Court:									
NEWNAM	243	247	385	262	374	420	187	145	2263
HENDRICKSON	243	252	382	262	368	420	188	151	2266
BURGESS	243	253	384	263	376	423	189	147	2278
Jacobs	207	230	378	266	413	343	284	249	2370
Harper	204	221	379	268	413	341	284	251	2361
Hudson	206	221	376	268	409	342	283	248	2353
Smith	4	4	11	15	3	8	3	2	50
Lane	5	8	12	14	3	8	3	2	55
Culp	5	8	12	14	4	8	3	2	56
Rep. Plurality									92
Sheriff:									
GILL	242	252	381	264	374	408	188	142	2251
Davis	206	222	380	268	411	343	285	256	2371
Vandyke	6	7	10	12	3	8	3	3	52
Rep. Plurality									120
Surveyor:									
GRESHAM	242	256	386	245	377	424	188	149	2267
For Amendment	4	5	7	3	28	8	6	7	78
Against "	7	14	23	15	29	23	13	11	135

Official Registration for 1899

	1st Mil.	1st Ga.	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	Totals
White	322	333	513	374	488	673	226	227	3156
Colored	188	191	330	210	348	171	255	184	1869
Totals	510	524	843	584	836	844	481	411	5033

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QUEEN ANNE TOTALS.

For Governor.	
Smith, Dem	2549
Lowndes, Rep	1677
Swann, Pro	142
Smith's plurality	872
For Comptroller.	
Hering, Dem	2547
Goldsborough, Rep	1676
Ball, Pro	137
Hering's plurality	871
For Attorney General.	
Rayner, Dem	2544
Findlay, Rep	1673
Hendrickson, Pro	138
Rayner's plurality	871
For State Senator.	
Kirwan, Dem	2500
Reed, Rep	1680
Anthony, Pro	146
Kirwan's plurality	720
For House of Delegates.	
Dudley, Dem	2491
Norman, Dem	2515
Smith, Dem	2489
Thompson, Rep	1684
Hazell, Rep	1683
Melvin, Rep	1689
Holland, Pro	147
Tucker, Pro	144
Walls, Pro	147
Democratic plurality	2439
For Clerk of the Circuit Court.	
George, Dem	2288
Rich, Rep	1757
Bartlett, Pro	150
George's plurality	531
For State's Attorney.	
Harper, Dem	2506
For Sheriff.	
Meredith, Dem	2504
Chance, Rep	1724
Price, Pro	144
Meredith's plurality	780
For County Commissioner.	
Rhodes, Dem	2437
Davidson, Rep	1747
Nelson, Pro	142
Rhodes' plurality	690
For County Treasurer.	
Story, Dem	2459
Townshend, Rep	1716
Chambers, Pro	146
Story's plurality	743
For Judge of the Orphans' Court.	
Tucker, Dem	2478
Walls, Dem	2495
Bright, Dem	2481
Ringgold, Rep	1680
Johns, Rep	1690
Smith, Rep	1689
Wiggins, Pro	138
Holland, Pro	143
Palmer, Pro	141
Democratic plurality	2395
For County Surveyor.	
Graham, Dem	2490
Elliott, Rep	1692
Thomas, Pro	143
Graham's plurality	798

Social Labor Ticket.—For Governor, John A. Rugemer, 3.

Union Reform Ticket.—For Governor, William Nevin Hill, 3; Comptroller, William E.George, 3; Attorney-General, Robert Brent Walling, 3.

Social Democratic Ticket.—For Governor.—Levi Thomas Jones, 6; Comptroller, Joseph C. Fowler, 6; Attorney-General, Charles B. Backman, 6.

For Amendment, 85; Against Amendment, 80.

ELECTION AFTERMATH.

Cecil had two voters who were over 90 years of age.

The highest vote cast for a prohibition candidate in Cecil county was 123. The vote on the amendment was: For, 160; against, 322.

The republicans on the State ticket carried eight counties, as follows: Allegany, Garrett, Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Kent, Prince George's and Somerset.

One of the four election appeal cases in Talbot was for the restoration of the name of Ex-United States Senator Chas. H. Gibson to the registration list. The ex-Senator's name was restored to the list by order of the court.

It cost nine Royal Oak, Talbot county, colored men $70 for attacking the house of Andrew Adams, colored, breaking the windows and otherwise injuring the property because Adams was charged by them with having voted the democratic ticket.

The Dorchester *Standard*, of which Mr. P. L. Goldsborough, the republican candidate for Comptroller, is editor, said on Saturday: "The fact stands out that the independent vote under the guidance and influence of the Baltimore *Sun*, can safely carry Maryland for any cause or party it espouses.

The case of Lemuel O. Lane, removed from Kent to Queen Anne, was one of the interesting election appeal cases in that county. Mr. Lane claimed that he reached the fifth district before the time set by law for the office to be closed, and therefore, claimed to be entitled to be properly placed upon the registration books. After hearing the witnesses and arguments on both sides the court ordered him registered.

The negroes of Chestertown came near causing a riot on Tuesday night, while in this town everything was very quiet. Different political parties hold the reins of government in these counties. We sympathize with the democrats of Kent county and wish we could have loaned them about two hundred democratic votes this year. The only means of safety we can see for the democrats of Kent county is for them to move to Queen Anne's.—*Centreville Record.*

A COLORED PREACHER

Gives His Views About the Election —Confidence in Democrats.

The election in Maryland last week was referred to in some of the pulpits in Annapolis on Sunday. At Mount Moriah African Methodist Episcopal Church, the pastor, Rev. Dr. S. T. Tice, delivered a sermon on the text "For Out of Thee Shall Come a Governor That Shall Rule My People." "The present condition and environments of the negro," he said, "brings him to face a grave and momentous situation. At last Tuesday's election the colored men for the first time bolted away from the republican party and boldly supported the democratic ticket. They were not bought or influenced by any other motive than that of conscientious belief that Col. John Walter Smith would make a better Governor of the State than Governor Lowndes. Many of them believe that the better element of white people in this State are members of the democratic party, and they wanted to place themselves in harmony with this element of white people. True, many negro republicans voted their sentiments, but there are others who, having the moral courage of their honest convictions, are willing to withstand the criticism and abuse of members of the race and of white republicans.

"There is no need to raise the calamity howl of the negro disfranchisement. The negroes of this State will never again be solidly formed in the ranks of the republican party. We have faith in our white democratic friends."

Concluding, he said: "The Baltimore *Sun*, the leading paper of the State and the leading journal of the South, is to be commended by all fair-minded citizens for its manly and straightforward course during the campaign. *The Sun* did not seek to influence negroes to vote the democratic ticket, but it discussed issues in their true light, and many of the more thoughtful negroes of the State were made to think seriously over the grave situation. They were convinced that it was to their best interest to support the democratic ticket, stay at home or vote for the prohibition party. At least 10,000 or 12,000 negroes were affected by the independent movement. I regard the results of the election as a great victory for *The Sun* and better class of citizens of the State, both white and colored. Let the negro keep cool, do right, work and economize, and our interests will be safely guarded."

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BETTERTON NEWS.

After a very busy summer season, the best Betterton has ever had in its history, life in our village is once more puiet and serene. The entire village has felt the good effects of the busy summer, which put a considerable amount of money in the hands of every one in the place. The hotels did a very profitable business, and now some of this wealth is going into buildings which are being put up, and thus employs the mechanics and others.

Mr. James T. Crew, proprietor of the Betterton House, is putting up a very pretty cottage south of his hotel, and also a large livery stable. This cottage will be occupied by Mr. Alex. Mair, our liveryman, who will be nicely fixed up for business for 1900. The location is close to the boats, and travelers will find Mr. Mair on hand to serve them with good teams at all times.

Mr. Jack Jester is building a very comfortable home near the church, to be occupied by his father and mother.

Mr. Medford Crew is having erected a neat residence adjoining that of his brother, W. A. Crew.

Mr. Harry Crew is just completing a very comfortable residence in view of the beautiful Chesapeake bay, on the land adjoining his father, Mr. John H. Crew.

Mr. Joseph R. Owens is building himself a very pretty residence adjoining his brother's, Mr. John S. Owens.

Several other residences are expected to be built. Altogether our village is quite alive with the building fever.

Owens & Son and W. A. Crew are the contractors for all of this work, with one exception.

Mr. Charles H. Smith, talks of putting himself up a house this fall.

Mr. A. H. Supplee is making improvements from time to time on his Idlewild farm.

Some of our people are having sport with the ducks on the Susquehanna flats, and canvass-backs appear on our tables occasionally.

Politics, which have been so hot of late, have now begun to quiet down. The jubilant and the down-hearted are once more normal.

Rabbit shooting is about over in this section. There are very few cotton-tails this year.

The steamboats are still doing some business, and we have five boats a day.

Quite a number of Chestertown folk travel to Baltimore, Philadelphia and Wilmington by the steamer Susquehanna connecting with train at Havre de Grace.

When you want to get out of the county come to Betterton. Exit for all points. X.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa.

Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Galishe. Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Cechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, cholera and diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist.

M. E. Church Services.

9.30—Class meeting.
10.30—Sermon—"Our Soulship."
2.15—SundaySchool.
3.30—Meeting for women only.
6.45—Epworth League devotional meeting.
7.30—Sermon—"The Prodigal Son."
The interest in the revival is increasing from night to night. The public is cordially invited to these services.
E. C. SUNFIELD, Pastor.

FOR RENT FOR THE YEAR 1900.

House on High St., now occupied by Mrs. Kate B. Johnson. The house is roomy and convenient. Water in kitchen, Latrobe Stove in parlor, with heaters to third story. Good side yard. Rent low to good tenant. Apply to
J. B. SAPPINGTON, Chestertown, Md.
n16-tf.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

STORE-HOUSE, DWELLING and all necessary out buildings at Edesville, now occupied by T. B. Kilbourn. This is a good business stand. Apply to
MRS. H. M. WILLSON, Rees' Corner or
R. D. HYNSON, ESQ., Chestertown.
n16-3t.

FOR SALE.

SEVERAL GOOD WORK HORSES—Cheap, or will exchange. Also,
Calves and FAT COWS.
S. G. MASLIN.
n16-3t. Caulk's Field Farm, below Fairlee.

Notice to Creditors.

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

C. J. SCOTT,

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 19th day of May, 1900, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of November, 1899.
E. A. SCOTT, Executor.
n16-4t.

ORDER NISI.

Hiram M. Fleasanton
vs.
L. G. Vandegrift.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 14th day of November, 1899, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the personal property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, trustee, appointed by 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 18th day of December next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 4th day of December next.
The report states the amount of sales to be $600.00.
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
n16-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

POTATOES FOR SALE.

The subscriber has a lot of Potatoes on hand and will sell them for 30 cents a Tomato Basket the best, and 16 cents the seconds, if taken this month.
E. B. PENNINGTON, Kennedyville.
n9-3t.

LOOK! LOOK!
RAG CARPET WEAVER.

AS I HAVE purchased the loom from John Bartley, I am ready to serve the public in making RAG CARPET.
WALTER ALLCUTT, Chestertown, Md.
n9-tf.

KEIFFER PEAR TREES.

I have a choice lot of No. 1. TWO YEAR OLD KEIFFER PEAR TREES for delivery this fall. Better order now as the supply is very limited.
HARRY L. BOYD, Chestertown, Md.
o12-tf.

TRAVELERS, TAKE NOTICE!

THAT recent rains have so damaged the road from RODENHISER'S CROSS-ROADS to COLEMAN'S, and the road from BARNARD'S ROAD to STILL POND NECK ROAD, (known as the swamp road) that travel on same is suspended until repairs are made.
By order
T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk to Co, Com'rs.
s14-tf. (K. N.)

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are warned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, on the farm occupied by the undersigned, near Lambson's Station. The law will be strictly enforced against all who fail to heed this notice.
F. X. KRAFT.
o26-3t.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have trust funds and to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., $500, $600, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7,000 and $10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for five years.
HOPE H. BARROLL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Chestertown.
o12-6t.

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YOHN'S Rheumatic Elixir

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STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE.

Tolchester Beach, Kent Co., Md., October 23d, 1899.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE TOLCHESTER BEACH IMPROVEMENT CO. OF KENT COUNTY:
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the Tolchester Beach Improvement Company of Kent county will be held at the office of the company at Tolchester Beach on November 25th, 1899, at one o'clock P. M.
The object of this meeting is to increase the capital stock of said company by an additional 2,750 shares of the par value of $100 each, so that the capital stock after the said increase will consist of 3,500 shares of the par value of $100 each, being $350,000.

WILLIAM C. ELIASON,
JOHNATHAN PENNELL,
BENJAMIN BETTS,
EDWARD W. GILES,
WM. A. POTTS,
JAMES H. TRUITT,
A. S. MILES,
JOHN M. NAUDAIN,
WILLIAM W. BIDDLE,
JOHN R. FOUNTAIN,
HENRY CLARK,
WILLIAM CUNDIFF,
ANDREW WOODALL,
o26-4t. Directors.

SHERIFF'S TAX SALE.

BY VIRTUE of authority vested in me, as Sheriff of Kent county, by Act of Assembly creating a County Treasurer, and providing for the collection of State and county taxes, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale,

On TUESDAY, DEC. 5, 1899,

between the hours of two and three o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,

All that Lot or Parcel of Land,

situated and lying in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, improved by a two-story and attic Frame Dwelling House with kitchen of two stories attached, and being on Maple avenue, and adjoining the lands of Thomas Jones, the heirs of Nathan Wilson and others, it being the same lot which was conveyed to the said Robert R. Calder by John L. Ringgold and wife by deed dated March 11, 1879, and duly recorded among the land records for Kent county, aforesaid in liber D. C. B. No. 5 folio 157, etc., the same lot being deeded to Laura R. Calder by Robert R. Calder by deed dated August 9, 1879, executed, acknowledged and recorded in liber D. C. B. No 5, folio 231 etc., as on reference thereto will more fully appear, together with the buildings and improvements thereon.
The sale will be made to pay and satisfy taxes due on said property for the year 1898, as follows:
County Taxes .... $9.98.
State Taxes .... $1.87.
together with interest and all costs due and to become due thereon
n9-ts BEDFORD ROE, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

A FINE LINE OF Fodder Yarn 8½c. per pound.

Also large line BEST CORN BASKETS Prices right.
GEO. W. SMITH.

COUNTY TREASURER'S TAX NOTICE!

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly, passed at the January Session, 1890, chapter 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent Co., hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

in said county, for the year 1899, he will sit in the several Election Districts as follows:

MONDAY, Nov. 6th, at Hotel Millington.
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 8th, at Hotel Kennedyville.
THURSDAY, Nov. 9th, at Turner & Son's store, Betterton, from 9 to 11 30 A. M., and W. Parr's Store, Still Pond, from 1 to 3 P. M.
FRIDAY, Nov. 10th, at M. M. Rasin's store, Melitota, from 9 to 11.30 A. M., and Harry Cooper's store, Worton, from 1 to 3 P. M.
SATURDAY, Nov. 11th, at Frank Satterfield's store, Rock Hall, from 1 to 3 P. M., and in Piney Neck, at Crosby's store, 9 to 11 30 A. M.

☞ Between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. At all other times will be at the Treasurer's office in Chestertown.
n2-2t. JAMES L. BECK, TREAS.

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

SOLOMON STARTT,

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 30th day of April, 1900, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate Given under my hand this 24th day of October, 1899.
H. STOCKTON STARTT, Administrator.
o26-4t.

ORDER NISI.

George C. Clough, et al.
vs.
Henry Severn, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity.

No. 1113.

ORDERED, this 25th day of October, 1899, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, that the sale of the Real Estate of Charles L. Severn, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, 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 November 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 December next.
The report states the amount of Sales to be $200.00.
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
o26-4t. JAHES T. DIXON, Clerk.

KENT COUNTY'S LEADING LIVERY,

GEO. B. McWHORTER, Chestertown, Md.

MY TEAMS

are First-Class in every particular, and satisfaction always given to my customers. Traveling salesmen conveyed to all parts of the Peninsula at moderate prices. Teams for private parties furnished at short notice. Give me a call.
Respectfully, etc.,
GEORGE B. McWHORTER, Chestertown, Md

WE LEAD
WHILE OTHERS FOLLOW.
Boots, Shoes & Rubbers
for Fall and Winter.

Buy your Shoes at the Shoe Store, where you can always find a large and varied stock to select from, and prices as low as the lowest, on strictly honest goods and in widths from B to EE.

MEN'S SHOES in Calf, Box Calf, Russet, Vici Kid, Patent Leather, in all the leading toes.

To responsible parties who do not come to town often, will send sample shoes to them for inspection and comparison with city goods, as I am not afraid to meet city competition on any line of goods that I carry.

The largest stock of Rubber Boots and Shoes in the county. Can fit any Shoe with RUBBERS. All the leading styles suitable for

GENTLEMEN.
LADIES,
MISSES,
CHILDREN,
THE BABY.

We do not mark our $1.50 Shoes $1.69 and claim they are regular $2.00 Shoes. We guarantee our $2.00 Ladies' Shoes made to order are the very best in Kent county. Try a pair and be convinced.

Ladies', Misses and Children's Shoes in all styles, and at all prices.
My stock of Leather and Rubber boots can not be beat. Light weights, medium and heavy.
See show windows for new fall styles, or come in and let us show you through the stock.
Will not press you to buy, the goods will sell themselves.

T. G. Wroth,
The Shoe Man, Under Stam's Hall.

Jot it down in the Morning
Take it Home in the Evening.



That good house companion has needed a set of

Knives & Forks or Spoons

for many a day. Oh yes, you can do without them. In olden time people ate with their fingers and could do so now, but the prices we put on these goods make it unnecessary for anyone to do so.

We have just received a large invoice of The Gorham Manufacturing Co.'s sterling ware. Also a large lot of Rogers & Bros.' celebrated Star Brand plated goods.

Remember us when you want silverware for home use or

WEDDING PRESENTS.

We are headquarters.

Many new things just received in Watches and Jewelry.

We guarantee to sell you below city prices.

J. H. SIDES, Jeweler.
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

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.

We therefore 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 shall make every possible endeavor to accommodate you with a large or small sum.

Yours very respt.,
JAS. A. PEARCE, President.
W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

H. W. VICKERS, DAVID HURLOCK,
ADAM F. HUEY, HOPE H. BARROLL,
W. W. HUBBARD, THEO. E. HAYES,
GARRETT FOXWELL, J. K. H. JACOBS,
m25-6m. Directors.

TRAVELERS, TAKE NOTICE.

On and after WEDNESDAY the 25th inst., travel over CHESTER BRIDGE will be suspended to repair Draw and said Bridge, until repairs are complete—notice of which will be given. During repairs a Ferry Scow will be provided for travellers accommodation.
JOHN F. GODWIN,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
Committee of joint meeting.
o26-tf. Attest:—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Sec'y.

The Ambition of EVERY MAN is to own a home.

When You Want Your Own Home call on us, we can furnish you

THE LUMBER, THE BUILDING MATERIALS AND THE PAINT

to finish the job and at the right prices.

TURNER & SON,
BETTERTON, MD.

Use John W. Masury & Son's PAINTS.

Fall Display
—OF—
MILLINERY,
Fancy Goods and Notions.

MY Fall Stock of goods is larger than ever before, and of the very latest designs. All the styles of the season can be found here.

Trimmings of every kind.
Children's Hats a Specialty.

NOTIONS.

Ladies' Underwear, Corsets, Hose, Hamburgs, Lace, Fascinators, Baby Sacks, Socks and Bonnets, Zephyr, Saxoneys, Embroidery, Silks.
All the latest Combs for the hair. Handkerchiefs, and in fact everything that can be had at a first-class store. Give me a call and be convinced that the above is true, and that the same goods can be bought for as little money here as anywhere else. Thanking the public at large for their past patronage and soliciting the same in the future,
Yours respectfully,
(MISS) D. A. CROSSLEY,
STILL POND, MD.

Hotel Announcement.

[THE HUSTLING YOUNG PROPRIETOR OF THE ARMSTRONG HOUSE.]

I WISH to inform the public that I have rented the recently remodeled and handsomely equipped Chestertown hotel, known as the Armstrong House, formerly conducted by Messrs. Armstrong and Sparks, on East Cross street. The entire house is heated by steam; closets and other conveniences in the building. The rooms are all prettily papered and nicely furnished. The table will be furnished with the best the market affords with especial attention to preparation and service, so that the traveling public need not fear that the splendid standard set by the former proprietors of the house will not be kept up. The entire management will be under the immediate supervision of myself and wife. A pool-table will be conducted in a spacious parlor, and I will also have a raw box in order that the traveling public may at any and all times secure the world-renowned Chesapeake oyster served in the most approved style. In short, the Hotel will be one of the most up-to-date houses on the peninsula and will be conducted with an eye single to the comfort and convenience of my guests and the traveling public.
Soliciting a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore accorded to the old proprietors,
I am very truly,
d15. WILLIAM R PIPPIN.

Only One Cent.

Will buy a postal and two minutes to write it. You will know by return mail what a small sum of money it requires to insure your crop of wheat.

All Classes of Insurance

written at the lowest rates in Old Tried Companies.

JAS. G. BECK, Agent,
Chestertown, Md.
☞ Office in Simpers Building, opposite court house.

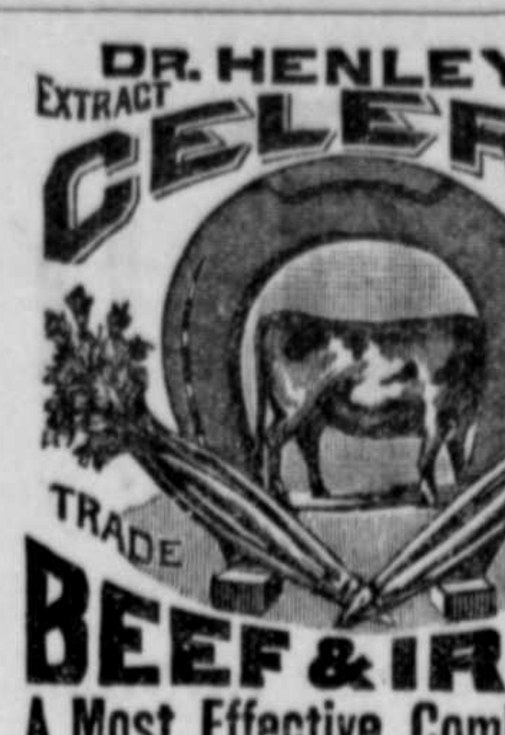
New Business
AT GEORGETOWN.

☞ Having purchased a large stock of BEST STONE CHINA DISHES of all kinds at a low figure. Call and see them.
☞ 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.,
a20-y. A. LEYBOLD, Georgetown, Md.



A Most Effective Combination.

A Tonic and Nervine of acknowledged supremacy. A cure for Debility, Dyspepsia and Nervous Disorders. Relieves Languor and general debility; brightens thought and strengthens the great organs of the body, improving their functional activity; restores worn-out nerves; aids digestion; promotes assimilation; restores the blood to its proper constitution and is wonderfully efficacious as a General Tonic, appetizer and promoter of physical activity. It is pleasant to the taste, and, used regularly, braces the system against the depressing influences of Malaria.
PRICE $1.00 PER BOTTLE.

W. A. HYLAND,
GALENA, MD.,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
FARM IMPLEMENTS,

has to present to his friends and patrons a full line of such goods as are seasonable to supply the trade at all times of the year. We have

PLOWS

of the best and most popular make, and

PLOW CASTINGS

to fit all the leading Plows in use.

Disc, Spring and Peg-Tooth Harrows

which we guarantee equal to any, and at prices which will greatly interest you. We make a specialty of

The Celebrated Hyland Roller,

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.

Save Time, for Time is Money.

One of the most tiresome jobs on the farm in former days can now be done while riding pleasantly along in a comfortable seat. We refer to the cultivation of the corn crop. By the use of the

Improved SULKY CULTIVATOR

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.

The Deering Bindrs, Mowers, Rakes AND TWINE

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.

SEASON OF 1899.

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

are offering to the general public the largest and most complete line of

STOVES

House Furnishing Goods,
in Kent County, at PRICES THAT CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

FODDER YARN!

THE BEST SISAL FODDER YARN,
8½c Pound.

Bushel Baskets!
FOUR KINDS AT
J. K. Aldridge & Co.
Hardware and Stove Store.

Study Your Interest
—AND—
Insure Your Property
—IN THE—
Mutual Fire Insurance Co.
OF KENT COUNTY.

ITS TOTAL ASSETS ARE:

STOCKS, BONDS, REALESTATE, and cash	$64,608 08
PREMIUM NOTES	188,176 00
TOTAL	$252,781 08

Their New Policies cover all losses by lightning whether fire ensues or not.
Their New policies cover all losses from fire occasioned by the use of fire engines when used with proper care. See regulations of policies.
Their New policies are transferable upon approval of treasurer.
Liberal in Terms and Settlements.
The business of '95, '96, '97, and '98 saved to the policy holders of the company $16,261.92.
The Company during these years also returned to holders of cancelled policies $22,156.55.

Applications for Insurance can be made to

JAMES R. JONES .... Millington
JAMES BRICE .... Chestertown.
C. J. SCOTT .... Galena
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PURE APPLE VINEGAR.
ABSOLUTELY PURE.
Not Adulterated. Strictly Apple Vinegar. Have got five barrels, bought many months ago for Pickling and we claim that we are the exclusive dealers in
PURE APPLE VINEGAR.
Spices of every kind.
Westcott & Dodd.

Telling the Truth,

Misrepresenting Nothing—Giqing you your money's worth—is the secret of our success.

Our Fall Stock
IS NOW COMPLETE.

Dry Goods.

All our Dress Goods reduced. Fine all-wool suitings trom 30c. and 35c. to 25c. Regular 25c. suitings, 36 in. wide, for 25c.

Regular 12½ and 15c, suitings go for 10c.

Want to Close Out Above Lines.

Good all wool Red Flannel for 15c.
Regular 40c. Red Flannel for 30c.
Ask to see our 10c. Canton Flannel. It's a corker.

Notions.

Men's Hose, 5c., 10c., 13½c.
Seamless and stainless.

Ladies' 12½c. black hose, as good as used to sell for 20c.

A few pairs of the "job" children's Hose left—some of them a little imperfect, but in the lot are some of the 25c. kind, for 10c.

Ladies' Fleece-Lined Shirts for 15c.

Ladies' very heavy Fleece-lined Vests and Pants for 25c.

Can't duplicate these today for 40c.

Men's heavy fleece-lined double back and double breast Shirts, and heavy fleece-lined Drawers to match, for 50c. The same kind some would make you think worth 75c.

Men's Undershirts, regular 50c. kind, for 39c. Only a few left.

Very heavy fleece Undershirts for men and boys only 25c.

Groceries.

7 lbs. best Starch for 25c
4 lb. box Gold Dust for 15c
12 bars best Laundry Soap for. 25c
Quaker Oats, Fresh 10c
Babbit's Lye or Potash, 4 cans, 25c

Respectfully yours,
J. F. THOMPSON.

SPECIAL.
5c. Crash for 3c
6c. Box Axle Grease for .... 3½c. box

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
The Knt County Savings Bank,

Of Chestertown, Maryland, at the close of business, Sept. 7th, 1899.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	$161,423 30
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	101 23
Furniture and fixtures	800 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	3,525 45
Due from National Banks	31,082 34
Checks and other cash items	464 11
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	125 30
Specie $5,435 35	
Legal-tender notes 1,340 00	6,775 35
Total	$204,297 08
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$20,000 00
Undivided profits, less taxes, and expenses paid	8,190 17
Individual deposits subject to check	46,640 65
Time deposits	129,466 26
Total	$204,297 08

State of Maryland, Kent county, S. S.;
I, WM. F. RUSSELL, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best my knowledge and belief.
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept. 1899.
GEO. C. ADKINSON, N. P.
CORRECT—Attest:
J. K. ALDRIDGE,
FRED. G. USILTON,
WM. W. BECK,
Directors.

W. H. Krusen,
Funeral Director and Embalmer.

Finest equipments on the Eastern Shore. All telephone messages paid by us.

Fine Tombstones and Monuments
at reasonable figures.
W. H. KRUSEN,
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IS THE PLACE TO GET
Groceries, Fruits, Confectioneries,
TOBACCO, CIGARS,
and many other articles at Bargain Prices.
Now is the time we are running our
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Once a customer, always a customer, because our prices are moderate, and we never misrepresent our goods.
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