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EDITORS.


MR. GEORGE N. NUMSEN, owner of the cannery adjoining the Chester river wharf, Chestertown, assumed his duties as City Register of Baltimore, on Thursday.

THE PRESENT STATE LEGISLATURE is one of the most business-like bodies which has assembled on the banks of the historic Severn in many years. Party pledges are being redeemed and the people's interests are being considered in refreshing contrast to the work of Governor Lowndes' reform Legislature of two years ago.

GOEBEL, the democratic contestant for the governorship of Kentuckey, was assassinated on Thursday, just before being declared Governor of the State by the Legislature. The assassin is unknown and may escape. Taylor, the republican Governor, has appealed to President McKinley to assist him in resisting Goebel's claim to the governorship. Yesterday afternoon papers reported Governor Goebel as slightly better.

ANY CHANGES of the Public School System of the State for political purposes should not be for a moment thought of by the present Democratic Legislature. The dragging of the public schools into politics by the Lowndes administration was condemned as a public outrage in every section of the State. School boards were revolutionized, unfit examiners were appointed and the entire school system of the State prostituted for purely political purposes. The problem is a delicate one, and should be dealt with in a spirit of wise conservatism. A democratic Legislature should avoid following the vicious precedent set by its republican predecessor. So far as possible unfit appointees should be weeded out and competent men appointed, but in the name of the developing manhood and womanhood in the State, so far as possible, let the Public School System be kept out of the hands of the political bargainer. The church itself is scarcely more sacred than the educational system of any country, and the man or party who would degrade and drag it into the maelstrum of political dickering should be branded a public enemy of the most dangerous character. Democrats, act cautiously in this important matter.

DEMOCRATIC LEADERS throughout the State are considering the advisability of a revision of the State election law. Many conservative and representative Democrats consider that the fundamental principles underlying all intelligent and salutary legislation, is that the law-makers should be designated by a ballot in the hands of intelligent voters. In other words, when applied to a large class of persons, those members of a community who possess an intelligent idea of the functions of the officials for whom they are called upon to vote; who have a clear conception of the government under which they live, are those persons most competent to decide upon the qualifications of public officials. On the contrary, it is claimed, and with great color of truth, that as a rule, those members of the county who are so illiterate that only by having a picture or party emblem at whose proboscis they can make a cross-mark, are they enabled to vote, are not a proper class in whose hands to rest the balance of power to shape the laws for an intelligent, rich and growing State. As a matter of course, any law establishing an educational qualification would most seriously affect the large negro population of the State (fifty-two thousand voters). When considered in a spirit of fairness; when stripped of all prejudice and all political bitterness, it is a condition and not a theory which confronts the law-makers and people of the State of Maryland and the entire South. The better element of the colored race are themselves forced to confess the gravity of the situation and acknowledge that the problem is one with which the citizens of the south should be left to deal. Whether or not it will be considered expedient to amend the present unwieldy election law by an educational qualification, remains to be seen, but the question is one which may very properly demand the careful consideration of the people's representatives at Annapolis.

## KENNEDYVILLE NEWS

Mr. George R. Moffett, who brought his bride to our village last week, has taken up his residence in the dwelling adjoining Mr. W. T. Lane. We extend congratulations and a hearty welcome to our midst.

Mr. W. S. Hurlock and family have taken up temporary residence with Mr. D. T. Nickerson.

Mr. F. F. Faulkner accidentally fell from a wagon a few days ago and dislocated his shoulder causing considerable pain.

Mr. Wallace Atwell was the lucky one on Wedesday, killing one wild goose and crippling a second.

Miss May Webb was given a pleasant surprise on Wednesday evening by a number of her young friends.

The W. C. T. U. held a social meeting at the hall last night (Friday). An interesting program entitled "No Surrender," was rendered, consisting of readings, recitations and music. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake and fruits, were enjoyed. The occasion was the observance of the birthday of Miss Francis E. Willard.

The shooting match at Kennedyville on Tuesday was largely attended. W. H. Crawford was evidently master of the situation, winning three out of five matches.

First match—At blue rocks—5 rocks—W. Crawford, 1 1 1 1 1; John Clendaniel, 1 0 1 1 1; G. Saxton, 1 1 1 0 0; H. Clendaniel, 1 1 0 1 0; F. Saterfield, 0 0 1 0 1; T. Rasin, 0 0 1 0 1; H. Minner, 0 0 1 0 1; R. Toulson, 1 0 0 0 1; H. Rawley, 0 0 0 0 0.

Second match, blue rocks—5 rocks—W. Crawford, 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1; H. Minner, 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0; John Clendaniel, 1 1 1 1 0 1 0; H. Rawley, 1 0 1 1 1 0; F. Schofield, 1 0 1 0 1; R. Toulson, 1 0 0 0 0; J. Brice, 0 0 0 0 1; G. Saxton, 1 0 0 0 0; H. Clendaniel, 0 0 0 x.

Third match, live birds, first miss and out—W. Crawford, 1 1; T. Rasin, 1 0; H. Clendaniel, 1 0; H. Minner, 0; John Clendaniel, 0; G. Saxton, 0; G. Schfield, 0; Wm. Webb, 0; J. Brice, 0.

Fourth match, live birds, miss and out—F. Schofield, 1 1; W. Crawford, 1 0; W. Webb, 1 0; G. Saxton, 0; J. Brice, 0; T. Rasin, 0; H. Clendaniel, 0; John Clendaniel, 0.

Thermometer registered 8° on Thursday Morning. SCRIPT.

## An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the early part of October, 1896 I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards, Publisher of The Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

## TOMATO GROWERS MEET.

### $6.00 Per Ton and Packer Furnish Baskets, the Price Decided Upon.

A number of the most representative farmers and tomato growers of the county met at Kennedyville on Wednesday, for the purpose of discussing the price for which they will grow tomatoes for the approaching season. The question was dealt with in a spirit of perfect fairness, and the claims in behalf of the packers were duly and candidly considered.

Mr. J. R. Bennett was made chairman, and Mr. Robert Hill secretary, of the meeting. Mr. W. T. Hepbron stated the object of the meeting to be the discussion of the question as to what growers could afford to take for their tomatoes this year.

Mr. J. R. Bennett read an article in which it was claimed that because of the rise in tin it will cost packers fifteen cents per dozen more to pack, this year than last. While this may be true, it is also a fact that phosphate promises to be higher, entailing greater expense on the grower.

It was stated that several large packing firms in Baltimore were not yet ready to discuss the question of prices, but there is an evident disposition not to pay as much as was paid last season. A recent article in the Baltimore *Sun* stated that the year 1900 promises to be the greatest packing year in the history of the industry, because of an enlarged foreign demand.

As to the product from a ton of tomatoes, Mr. J. R. Bennett stated that while much depends upon the quality of the tomatoes used, four hundred cans per ton is about a fair averege. Mr. E. B. Pennington asked which is better, $6 and canner find baskets, or $7 and grower furnish baskets?

Mr. J. R. Bennett replied that he would prefer to take a little more and find his own baskets. Mr. Hepbron, who ships by water, stated that he would prefer $6.50 and packer find baskets. He said that 58,000 baskets of tomatoes were shipped from Turner's creek last season.

The question of baskets then came up on the query of how many baskets will be required to harvest an average crop of from ten or fifteen acres planting? Several gentlemen decided that under ordinary circumstances from one thousand to twelve hundred would be required. Mr. Bennett stated that he could pick fifteen acres with six hundred baskets ordinarily, but in case of a glut more would be required. Capt. Daniel Hill thought it poor business policy to decide upon a price which would not give the grower a fair profit.

The subject of growing beans was next discussed. It was stated that beans were grown in the county last year for 15 cts. per basket, it cost 5 cents to pick a basket and it was an exceptional man who could pick over ten baskets a day. It was a unanimous opinion that beans cannot be grown by the average farmer at 15 cents at a profit. Seed beans cost from $7 to $8 per bushel, and one bushel will plant one acre. Capt. Hill said he wanted no beans if it cost 5 cents to pick a basket. Mr. Robert Hill stated that Mr. Ollie Cleaver last year picked 822 baskets from an acre, and had 22 bushels of seed peas over. One basket of beans will make one dozen cans. A fair crop, said Mr. Hepbron, is 600 baskets per acre.

After a full discussion, the following resolutions were passed:

*Resolved*, That we will not grow tomatoes for less than $6.00 per ton, baskets to be furnished by the canner.

*Resolved*, Further, that we will not grow beans for less than 20 cents per basket.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock, this (Saturday) afternoon, in Still Pond.

Among those present at Wednesday's meeting were: Thomas Godwin, W. T. Hepbron, J. R. Jarrell, Daniel Hill, P. G. Wilmer, George Sutton, J. R. Bennett, E. B. Pennington, James Bramble, W. H. Whiteley, Robert Hill, J. N. Bennett, Leonard Pennington, Richard Rasin, S. A. Merritt, T. Shafer, T. E. Hayes, L. J. Usilton and H. C. Price.

## SOME PROPOSED LAWS.

The Democrats at Annapolis are busy redeeming party pledges.

The movement for uniform divorce laws is in satisfactory shape. The bill will be presented to the Maryland Legislature in 1902.

The creation of a new State official is being discussed—that of a State Dairy Commissioner.

The Legislature has decided that valuable colonial wills, deeds and other historic papers in the State House shall be properly cared for. It is expected that a suitable building for the Court of Appeals at Annapolis, will be provided for by the present Legislature.

Warden Weyler, of the Maryland Penitentiary is opposing the bill providing that all executions in the State shall take place in the penitentiary. Many contend that the Baltimore city jail would be the proper place.

Baltimore city, as a result of the enforcement of an old Blue Law, will probably secure a modified but satisfactory Sunday Law.

Chairman William Duncan, of the Baltimore city delegation, has introduced his bill to make the verdict of three-fourths, or nine members, of a jury the verdict of the whole in all civil cases. The bill changes a section of the Constitution and will require the votes of three-fifths of the members elected to pass the House. It will then have to be ratified by popular vote at the next general election.

The Police Reorganization bill drafted by the Reform League and introduced by Senator Moses and passed by the Senate went smoothly through the House Wednesday with but two dissenting votes. The bill for police examiners followed immediatly without a single vote cast against it.

Mr. William S. Carroll has been confirmed as election supervisor for Kent County.

A bill has been presented providing for the submission to any town, village or county in the State on a petition signed by one half-the voters, of the question of local option for that locality.

The bill has been reported favorably providing for a lein for threshing wheat and shelling corn in Kent county.

OYSTER LEGISLATION.

A bill has been drafted to shorten the season for both tongers and dredgers. This is done in order to give the oyster beds of the rivers and bay a chance to recuperate and to prevent the rapid depletion of the beds, which has been the dread of all oystermen for a number of years past. The present season for the tongers opens now on September 1 and closes April 25. The new bill will change this to September 15 and March 31, nearly a month and a half shorter. The dredging season, the bill provides, shall begin on November 1 and close on March 15. The season extends now from October the 15 to March 15. What do Kent county oystermen think about this?

M. O. Shriver has presented a bill to incorporate a company to engage in oyster planting and provides for leasing to the company by the Board of Public Works 3,000 acres of Chesapeake bay bottom. The revenues reserved to the State are 1 cent a bushel, which seems to be a small charge, but which from productive bottoms might yield a large revenue. The board of Public Works is authorized to lease to the company and lay out on plats, after proper advertising, as much as 3,000 acres for a period of 30 years, with the privilege of renewal. Power is given to the company to protect its holding by its agents, but not to interfere with navigation. And how about this?

Another suggestion which will likely go into the new bill, making wide changes in the oyster laws of the State, is one to weigh all oysters sold by oystermen, whether dredgers or tongers, thus insuring a correct bushel or barrel. It is also proposed to make oyster packers and other dealers in this line, liable to the present cull law and subject to punishment if oysters below the prescribed size are found in their possession. The law now applies simply to the catchers of the oysters, and the new provision, it is thought, will effectively check the catching and selling of under-sized oysters.

A move is on foot to restore the Eastern Shore Senatorial law.

## FROM ROCK HALL.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the M. E. Church, had a large attendance at its meeting last Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. A. Casey's. It was conducted by the president, Mrs. Chas. Davis, and proved a very interesting occasion. After the business meeting it was made a social gathering, during which refreshments were served. The funds of the society go toward the expenses of the parsonage.

The revival services continue with unabated interest. Presiding Elder Corkran expects to be present on Friday evening. He is a very able speaker and will no doubt be greeted by a full congregation if the weather permits.

The present piercing cold is likely to cause much sickness. It is impossible for the oystermen to work, and some speak of the probability of closed harbors again. The ground hog will surely not awaken from his hibernating sleep in such biting weather, and predictions will have to come from some other source.

The semi-annual promotions are being made at the public school, and many pupils are taking up new studies for the remainder of the year. The Eastern Neck school is over large at present, and the proposition is made that the 5th and 8th grades attend the Rock Hall school, that Miss Pearce may have more time for the junior grades. One teacher can scarcely be expected to teach eight grades, four lessons each, in a crowded room.

Miss Lucreta Arthur has returned to Baltimore after a pleasant visit to her parents. Miss Nita Maslin is also visiting friends in Baltimore for a couple of weeks.

The reverend gentlemen, W. B. Guthrie and C. K. McCaslin, have recently been visited by friends who came laden with presents for their pastors, thus showing the good will existing for them.


### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

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

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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I have trust funds and to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., $500, $600, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000 and $10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for five years.
HOPE H. BARROLL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Chestertown, Md.
f1-6t.

FOR SALE.

A NICE LOT OF
Early Rose Potatoes
for sale. Guaranteed to have been raised last spring from Northern Seed.
JAS. W. HURTT, Locust Grove, Md.
f3-3t.

### Farm at Private Sale.

I HAVE at private sale the farm of Mrs. M. A Jump, near Still Pond. It contains 192 Acres of Land, fine soil, with school house on corner of farm, is bounded by two public roads, and lies near Still Pond, Betterton and Harris' wharf. There is a substantial Dwelling, Out-buildings, good water and good fencing. Terms of sale $1000, and the purchaser, by the payment of $500 cash, can make satisfactory arrangements, paying annually such sum as may be agreed upon.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney for Mrs. M. A. Jump.
f3-6t.

WANTED.

Prices on 30 foot Chestnut Poles, 7 inches at top, 12 inches or more at base. Poles to be barked and delivered in Chestertown. Also prices on ax-hewn Chestnut Tjes, 5 by 7 inches, 7 feet long.
A. H. TRACY, Chestertown, Md.
Care Electric Light Co. f3 tf.

LIFE AND WORK OF MOODY

THE biography of "The Great Evangelist," written by his son, Wm. R. Moody, with the co-operation of Ira D. Sankey, is the Only work issued with approval of family. Only work having access to Mr. Moody's Personal Library and letters. Only work approved by Faculty and Trustees of Mr. Moody's Institutions. Only work prepared in direct compliance with Mr. Moody's expressed wish. For sale in four styles of binding, by
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Stam's Hall,
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"A Scrap of Paper,"

FRIDAY, FEB. 23, 1900,
—BY—
The Athletic Association
OF WASHINGTON COLLEGE.
ADMISSION, - - 35 CENTS.
No extra charge for reserved seats.
Proceeds for the benefit of the Association.

### Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, letters testamentary upon the personal estate of
JOHN W. COREY,
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 3d day of August, 1900, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under our hands this 30th day of January, 1900.
LEWIN W. WICKES, JOHN P. NICHOLSON, Executors.
f3-4t.

J. WATERS RUSSELL'S
OFFER.

Ladies Home Journal, $1 magazine, together with any one of the following magazines, for only $1.80 (one year):
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Baltimore Herald or American (daily) substituted for Ladies Home Journal in above offer (1 year) for only $3.70. Either Herald or American alone for $2.85 (1 year).
All these publications sent direct to subscriber by publisher.
All magazines furnished at CUT rates.
Address
J. WATERS RUSSELL, Chestertown, Md.
jy27-tf.

LIFE OF MOODY.

Mrs. S. M. Crosby wishes to inform her friends and the county generally, that she will sell a "Life of Moody;" probably the one written by his son, Wm. R Moody, and containing the portraits of the members of his family. Please be careful in your choice The first is not always the best.
Your orders are solicited.
MRS. S. M. CROSBY, Rock Hall, Md.
jan27.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
—OF—
Personal Property
—AT—
Public Auction for Cash.

THE undersigned, assignee as hereinafter mentioned, by virtue of the power contained in a Chattel Mortgage from Bedford Roe to the Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md., dated the 24th day of March in the year 1892, and duly recorded among Chattel Records of Kent County, Maryland, in Liber S. B. No. 3, folio 182, etc., and which mortgage was subsequently duly assigned by the said Second National Bank, of Chestertown, to the undersigned, as on reference thereto will more fully appear, will offer at public sale on
Monday, February 26th, 1900,
commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., on the premises where the said Bedford Roe now resides, and of which William M. Roe is tenant, situated in the second election district, of Kent County, aforesaid, near Kennedyville, the following personal property, to wit:

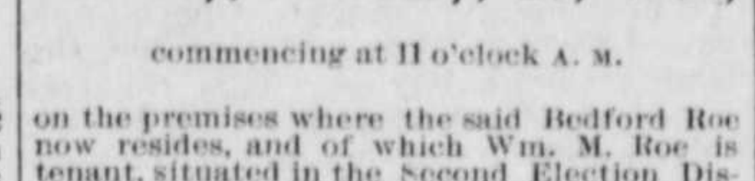


Six Head of Horses,
Three brown horses, two sorrel mares, one bay mare;
15 HEAD of FINE COWS
and NINE HEIFERS.
FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
One Deering Binder,
One Deering Mower,
One Empire Drill,
One Grain Fan,
One Ross Feed Cutter, with 2-horse power for same,
Three Farm Wagons, one Roller,
Three Twin Harrows,
Three Oliver Chill Plows,
Four Two-Furrow Plows,
Six Iron-Frame Cultivators,
One Dearborn and One Peach Wagon.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash on day of sale, and no property to be removed until the terms are complied with.
T. E. HAYES, Assignee of mortgage.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONALTY
—UNDER—
Mortgage for Cash.

The undersigned, as attorney named in mortgage, by virtue of the power contained in a chattel mortgage from Bedford Roe to Theodore E. Hayes, dated the ninth day of March in the year 1896 and duly recorded among the chattel records of Kent County Maryland, in Liber S. G. F., No. 1, folio 80, etc., will offer at public sale on
Monday, February, 26, 1900,
commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.
on the premises where the said Bedford Roe now resides, and of which Wm. M. Roe is tenant, situated in the Second Election District of Kent county, aforesaid, near Kennedyville, the following personal property, viz:



15 HEAD HORSES,
No. 1—Sorrel mare, Millie, 15 years old, by Dictator.
No. 2—Sorrel colt, yearling, dam Millie by King Humbert.
No 3—Weanling, by Harry K.
No. 4—Sorrel mare Bessie, 10 years old.
No. 5—Sorrel mare Trixie, 10 years old.
No. 6—Bay Horse Romulus, 6 years old, by Register, 2.18¼.
No. 7—Bay horse Syrell, 9 years old.
No. 8—Brown horse Allan, 10 years old.
No. 9—Brown horse Cleaveland, 12 years old.
No. 10—Brown horse Ben Hur, 8 years old.
No. 11—Bay mare, Alpha, 10 years old.
No. 12—Bay mare Queen, 5 years old.
No. 13—Sorrel mare, Tilly, 11 years old.
No. 14—Sorrel horse King Bee, 5 years old.
No. 15—Stallion, Josh, 4 years old.
In this lot of horses will be found some of the finest drivers and brood mares in the county. Sound, and can be guaranteed in every respect.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE
18 Milch Cows
and 7 Heifers,
5 SOWS AND 13 SHOATS,
FARMING IMPLEMENTS:
1 Peach Body and Springs,
1 Hog Scalder, 3 Sets Wagon Harness,
1 Dearborn, 1 Set Double Harness,
2 Sets Single Harness,
1 Ross Feed Cutter,
1 2-Horse Power, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Hay Tedder
1 Randall Harrow, 1 Dane Corn Cutter,
1 Empire Drill, 1 Deering Binder,
1 Deering Mower, 1 Roller,
2 Large Twin Harrows, 3 Wheel Cultivators,
4 Iron Frame Cultivators,
3 No. 40 Oliver Chilled Plows,
1 No. 19 " " "
1 No. 20 " " "
4 Two-Furrow Plows, 1 Grain Fan,
3 Farm Wagons, 1 Peach Wagon,
11 Horse Collars, 11 Plow Bridles,
11 Sets Plow Harness.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash on day of sale; no property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.
RICHARD D. HYNSON, Attorney named in mortgage.
f3-ts.


(Trade Mark.)

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Where is it? What Is it?

Every Trucker,
Every Farmer,
Every Florist
Needs it, Wants it, and once tried
Will Have it!

It is an Insecticide of Unequaled Merit.
1st. Absolute Death—To all insect life.
2d. Economy—Being cheaper than any other insecticide known.
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6th. Ease of Application—Anybody (child not excepted) can apply it.
7th A Fertilizer—Has great merit as a plant food and stimulator.
☞ Try it on your Flower Plants, Roses, Vegetables—especially Potatoes.
PRICES—Single lb., 5c.; 3 lbs., 13c.; 5 lbs, 20c.; 25 lbs. and over, 3c. per lb.
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Agents wanted in every town. Apply at once, Money maker.

LARGE SALE
OF VALUABLE
PERSONALTY!

INTENDING to discontinue farming on the farm known as the "James Smith Farm," two miles south of Kennedyville, I will sell on
Friday, February 16, 1900,
commencing at 10.30 o'clock sharp, the following valuable Personal Property:



16 HEAD OF HORSES,
Mules and Colts.
No. 1—ALL, gray horse, 9 years old, 16 hands high, first-class in all respects.
No. 2—JOHN, bay horse 8 years old, 15½ hands high, all right in every respect.
No. 3—PHOSPHATE, bay horse 5 years old, 15½ hands high, not broken to single harness.
No. 4—THREE TIPS, bay mare 5 years old, by Old Three Tips, 15½ hands high, first-class driver.
No. 5—QUEBEC, yellow horse 10 years old, 15¾ hands high, guaranteed in every place.
No. 6—DOC, bay horse 10 years old, 14½ hands high, first-class horse, and will be guaranteed.
No. 7—BELLE, bay mare 16 years old, 15½ hands, never was a better—except none.
No. 8—Jake, black horse 12 years old, 16 hands high, first-class farm horse.
No 9—NANCY C., bay mare, 17 years old, 15½ hands high, has gone a mile in 2.45.
No. 10—Grey Colt 1 year old.
No. 11—Sorrel Colt 1 year old, large to his age.
No. 12—Brown Horse, by Edgar Dudley, 5 years old, 16 hands high, good driver.
ONE PAIR MULES.
Nos. 13 and 14—Juliet. 5 years old, and Rome, 6 years old, will be guaranteed in every respect.
One Pair Yearling Mules, Nos. 15 and 16, large to their age.

28 Head of Cattle,
2 Cows, calves by their side.
6 close springers, if not in profit on day of sale.
19 head two-year-old Heifers, all with calf.
1 Bull, 2 years old in the spring.

29 Head of Shoats,
Thoroughbred Berkshires.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS:
1 Deerihg Mower, 1 Farm Roller,
2 York Carriages, 2 Farm Wagons,
2 Hay Riggins, nearly new;
1 Horse Cart, 1 Empire Drill,
1 Randall Harrow, 1 Twin Harrow (new);
2 No. 40 Oliver Chilled Plows,
3 Two-Furrow Plows,
3 Iron-Age Cultivators.

HARNESS.
4 Sets Breech Harness, 2 Sets Double Carriage Harness, 2 Sets Single Harness, 6 Sets Plow Harness, 6 Work Bridles, 6 Work Collars.
14 Horse Blankets, 2 Three-Horse Trees,
2 Two-Horse Trees.

One 8-Can Cooley Creamery,
nearly new.
A Few Tons Hay.

TERMS OF SALE:—On all sums under Ten Dollars, the cash will be required; on all sums over that amount a Seven Months credit will be given on note with approved endorser, interest added from day of sale.
JOHN H. CLENDANIEL, Owner.
Sale will be called by B. V. WELDON.
JOHN MEDDERS, Clerk.
If it should be a bad day will have it on the following Thursday, February 22d.

Powdered Borax
A Meat Preserver.
It has been assured that BORAX will
Preserve All Meats
that are exposed to the atmosphere.
Rubbed with Powdered Borax will guarantee to keep it sweet and nice.
For sale at
TOULSON'S DRUG STORE.

Barred Plymouth Rocks



CAN FURNISH
Single Birds, Pairs, Trios, Pens,
or any number. No stock for sale after March 1st, 1900.
ROBERT W. LUSBY, Kennedyville, Md.
Live opposive Hibernia School.


ORDER NISI.

Henry C. Kennard, et al.
vs.
George T. Cosden and wife.
*In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity.*
No. 1273.

ORDERED, this 15th day of January 1900, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by James A. Pearce, attorney named in mortgage, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23rd day of March 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 19th day of February next.

The report states the amount of Sales to be $2900.
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
J20-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

Lewin W. Wickes, trustee,
vs.
Joseph Turner, Mary C. Turner, his wife.
*In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.*
No. 1028.

ORDERED, this 25th day of January, 1900, 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, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of March next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 15th day of February next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $232.46.
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
j25-3t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.


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TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF THE LOCUST GROVE
CREAMERY COMPANY

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in Chancery cause entitled Andrew Medders, et al, vs. The Locust Grove Creamery Company of Kent county, Maryland, No 1363, wherby Hope H. Barroll was appointed trustee to sell the property mentioned in the said decree, the undersigned will offer at public sale on the premises, in the village of Locust Grove, in the Second Election District of Kent county, Md.,
On Monday, February 26, 1900,
at 10 o'clock A. M., all that
Building, Machinery, Fixtures
AND APPLIANCES
used in connection with the business of the Locust Grove Creamery Company, situated on a lot of land belonging to Mrs. Mary E. Hurtt, and subject to an annual rental of $20 per annum. The Creamery is located in one of the most thrifty and productive districts of Kent county. It has a full and ample supply of milk, and is patronized by some of the most progressive and prosperous farmers of Kent county.

THE MACHINERY, ETC.,
is in good working order, and the sale offers a most excellent opportunity to any one desiring to purchase such a business.

TERMS OF SALE:—As prescribed by the decree of the court: One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments, payable in six and twelve months from the day of sale, and all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchasers to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at the cost of purchaser.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
Geo. W. Jacoby, Auct.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF A
House and Lot of Land,
Situated in Quaker Neck.

BY virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Geo. J. Elias and wife to Isaac R. Leaverton, bearing date the 23d day of December, 1895, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in Liber S. G. F., No. 4, folios 66, etc., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Md., the undersigned, attorney and trustee named in said mortgage, will offer at public sale, in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,
ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY, 27th, 1900,
between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 noon, all that House and Lot of Land, situated, lying and being in Quaker Neck, in Kent county, adjoining the lands of James H. Baker, Perry Hodges, George Elias, and others, and lying near the public road leading from Chestertown into Quaker Neck, and containing TWO ACRES and 2 Roods of land, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue payable in one year from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the note of the purchaser to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
Daniel Loller, Auct.

Trustee's Sale
OF VALUABLE
Dwellings
AND BUILDING LOTS
In Rock Hall, Kent County, Md.
"The Haven Property."

BY virtue of a decree passed in Chancery cause No. 1340, entitled William J. Warner, et al, vs. Marion Urie, et al, the undersigned, duly appointed trustee therein to make sale of the said real estate, will offer at public sale on the property, at Rock Hall, on
Saturday, February 3, 1900,
between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock P. M., all the following
Valuable Real Estate
belonging to the late Henry Ure, situated on the west side of the public road leading from Rock Hall to Tolchester:

LOT NO. 1 lies on said road adjoining the lands of Jack Joiner on the north and Marion Miller on the west. Improved by a

FRAME DWELLING 

in good repair, and now occupied by Luther Farr, and containing
8 ACRES, 2 ROODS and 25 PERCHES
of land, more or less.

LOT NO. 2 adjoins lot No. 1 on the north, and on the south the lands of Henry Urie, and contains
4 Acres, 2 Roods and 39 Perches of land.

LOT NO. 3 lies in the rear of lot No. 2, and adjoins on the north the lands of Marion Miller, and on the south the lands of Henry Urie, and lies on the old road out of the Haven, which is increased in width to 25 feet, and contains
7 Acres and 26 Perches or Land, more or less.

These three lots of land have been divided into valuable and desirable building lots, lot No. 1 being sub-divided into 18 lots, lot No. 2 into 4 lots, and lot No. 3 into 7 lots.

The above property will be offered separately in building lots, and then as a whole, and will be sold as may be most advantageous to those interested

The plot of these lands as laid down can be seen at the store of Joseph Downey, where said plot is exhibited. The survey thereof was made by H. H. Gresham, of near Edesville, and he will give intending purchasers any desired information. This sale will afford those desiring to build a home in Rock Hall a better opportunity to secure building lots, than any sale made in recent years. The property is splendidly situated, is desirable in many ways, and should attract prospective buyers. The lots are choice. The site is in Kent's most attractive town, near Tolchester, and with churches, schools and steamboats in easy reach.

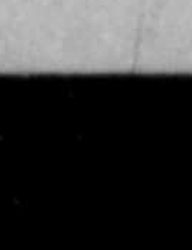
The TERMS OF SALE as laid down by the decree are as follows:—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments, payable in one and two years from the day of sale, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchasers to the satisfaction of the trustee.

Arrangements may be made whereby the cash payments can be settled for by giving a note with security, payable sixty days after the date of sale. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser.
HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
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| Values Unprecedented. | 1 to 200 yds. Ladies' Dress Cloths, all wool. Among this lot are Remnants of goods formerly sold for 50c., 75c. and $1 per yard. Choice now 30 and 35c. per yard. |
| 25 to 50 per cent. Saved. | Sizes 16 to 20 Child's Merino Pants and Vests. 15 to 20 doz. Choice of this lot of plain (not ribbed) 15c. each |
| Values Unequaled. | 50 to 60 pairs Boys' Fine Shoes, sizes 3 to 5½ that were $1.50 to $3.25 per pair. Your choice for $1.25. |
| NOT TRASH, Solid Throughout. | 40 to 50 pairs Hand Welt Lace Bals. and Gore Gaiters, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes. Your choice during this sale $2.50. |
| 30 per cent. Saved. | 15 to 20 Remnants all wool and all wool filling, extra super Carpets in lengths varying from 10 to 20 yds. During this sale your choice for 50c. per yd. |
| Anti-Trust Prices. | Red Table Damask, 20c. value for 16c. per yard Red Table Damask, 25c. value for 20c. per yd. Red Table Damask, 30c. value for 25c, per yard. |
| 18 Cent Values. | Bed Ticking—Holds Feathers without soaping. 200 yards 18c value for 13c½. |
| 25 per cent. Saved. | 200 yards 4-4 Brown Muslin for 5¼c. from now till February 2 th. |
| 500 yards 16c. Quality. | 500 yards Jointless Fancy Mattings, bought for spring sales. Your choice for 12½c. from now till February 10th. |

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Horse Blankets,
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| 25 Cents per pair. | Lot Child's Shoes with heels. Were sold at $1.00 and $1.25 per pair. 30 to 40 pairs 5 to 7. Your choice for 25c. |
| Soap, 3 for 10c. | One Thousand Bars to dispose of thus. 1 Bar Aromatic, 1 Babbits, 1 of Circus for 10c. |
| 40 per Cen.. Under Price. | Lot Ladies' (Medium Low Cut Sandals) Boston and Bay State Rubbers. Your choice..........33c. |
| A Bargain. | 10 Bars Fairbanks Soap, 1 Package Gold Dust, 4 lb Package, 25c |
| Half Price | For 25c. we will sell you one lb., 5 Quires Fine Note Paper and 1 Lead Pencil, all for 25c |
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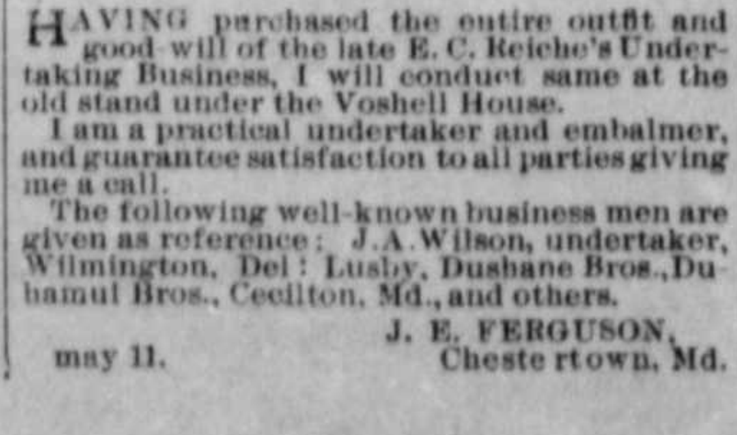
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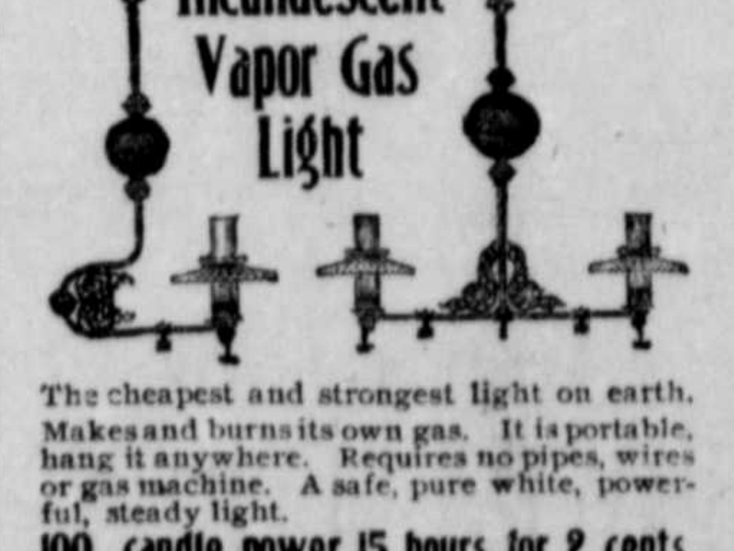
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