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TO THE

TAX-PAYERS

OF KENT COUNTY.

TREASURER'S SEPTEMBER SITTINGS.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly, passed at the January session, 1894, Chapter 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

State and County Taxes

in said county for year 1903, he will sit for the first September Sitting, in the several Election Districts on

Monday, Sept. 7, Still Pond
Still Pond.....Wm. Parr's Store.

Wednesd'y, " 9, Millington
Millington...Chas. M. Hurtt's Store.

Thursday, " 10, Betterton
Betterton..... .Turner & Son's Store.

Friday, " 11, Rock Hall
Rock Hall....T. Benj. Durding's Store.

Saturday, " 12, Fairlee
Fairlee.....A. P. Emerson's Store.

Monday, " 14, Cliff City
Cliff City..... Frank Stoops' Store.

Second September Sitting.

Monday, Sept. 21, Kennedyv'le
Kennedyville....Wm. A. Pote's Store.

Wednesd'y, " 23, Galena
Galena.....Henry Parr's Store.

Thursday, " 24, Worton
Worton....Turner & Boyle's Store.

Friday, " 25, Piney Neck
Piney Neck.....Max Freid's Store.

Monday, " 28, Pomona
Pomona..... Walter Trew's Store.

Wednesday, " 30, Melitota
Melitota.....M. M. Rasin's Store.

☞Between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M. At all other times will be at Treasurer's office in Chestertown.

The Treasurer's office in Chestertown will not be open on the above days.

The Treasurer's office in the Court House will be open every day except on the above dates from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. for the receipt of taxes. Tax-payers will please take notice that taxes will be due and payable Sept. 1st, and that on all bills unpaid on January 1st interest will be charged and collected from September 1st. On the first day of January all taxes unpaid are declared by law to be in arrear, and delinquents will be warned that unless settlement in full be made before April 1st, the claims against them will be placed in the hands of the sheriff of the county, who will proceed to seize and sell their property to pay the taxes due with charges and all costs of sale. The Treasurer would therefore respectfully urge all tax-payers to pay promptly.

JESSE R. COPPER, Treas.

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KNOCKOUT BLOWS.

There Are Many Vulnerable Points In Man's Anatomy.

An impression prevails that there is only one blow—that on the point of the jaw—which really constitutes the knockout blow, says a writer in the British Medical Journal. This is an error. The temple is a very vulnerable part of the head, the lesion usually produced being laceration of the brain substance, with hemorrhage. A blow on the ear may cause rupture in the membrana tympani and collapse. Dangerous points are over the carotid and on the larynx, the danger lying in the concussion conveyed through the large nerve trunks which run down the neck. A blow on the larynx with the bare fist may cause instant death, as may one on the chest well over the heart. Diaphragmatic blows are not so dangerous to life, the shock being temporary. Brisk rubbing and the use of stimulants is the most satisfactory mode of treatment. Blows over the kidneys may cause rupture and hemorrhage, with intense pain and shock. The most dangerous and infinitely painful form of knockout blow is that on the "mark," an area of the abdominal wall corresponding to the center of a triangle formed by the xiphosternal articulation above and a line joining the bony ends of the seventh ribs below. Behind this lies the pyloric end of the stomach. A blow here constitutes the "solar plexus" blow, but in reality it is the stomach which receives and transmits the shock.

Aristocracy of Wealth Not Probable.

Whatever the tendencies of wealthy Americans of the present day, it is extremely improbable that an aristocracy of wealth should ever come into being.

It has been seen that an aristocracy depends chiefly upon two conditions—the continued possession and exercise of power and the consequent unity of aims and ideals.

The aristocratic body in England, for instance, is self conscious; its members are united by mutual understanding. They acknowledge certain well recognized laws of life and manners. They depend upon each other to uphold these laws. Individually, wealthy Americans may be both self conscious and self assertive, but collectively they are antagonistic to one another. The accumulation of wealth implies struggle, and struggle does not bring forth the kind of qualities which make of the gentle and stately men and women of Vandyke's canvases one great family. —Anna McClure Sholl in Gunton's Magazine.

All Timekeepers Are Inaccurate.

The capacity of a watch for keeping good time is very much governed by its construction and its more or less perfect finish. It cannot be expected of the best horizontal watch that it should always keep good time and even less so of the inferior make of machine made watches. The changes of oil, the variation in temperature, the diversity of humidity of atmosphere, all greatly affect the going of a watch. Indeed, it is only the most perfect finish which neutralizes the adverse influences to the greatest degree. As a matter of fact, no watch keeps perfectly correct time, and even the best chronometers used in observatories and on board ships must be regulated according to tables which are kept to fix the variations to which all watches are liable.

A Bad Habit.

"Sixty-eight," murmured a young librarian as a woman waiting for a book leaned forward and touched her cheeks and lips to the top of the brass guard about the desk.

"Beg pardon," said the woman. "Did you speak to me?"

"Oh, no; I'm just counting the persons whose lips have touched that rail this afternoon. You are the sixty-eighth."

The woman started back in disgust and hastily wiped her lips on her handkerchief.

"I was unconscious of what I was doing," she exclaimed.

"I suppose they all are," was the laconic reply.—Youth's Companion.

English Estimate of Emerson.

A single short work of Emerson's, the essay on "Compensation," is enough to convince one that this was a man of true genius. We have never read anything in Thoreau approaching that and other works of Emerson in originality or beauty. But Emerson is the best of the American writers. Was it Henry James who called him "the unfallen man?" One cannot imagine an intellect which failed to admire "Compensation" or which was convinced by its transcendentalism. — London Saturday Review.

Basely Deceived.

"Did you believe him when he said he loved you?"

"No, I didn't."

"Did you believe him when he told of his great wealth?"

"No."

"Then there's no harm done."

"Yes, there is. I was goose enough to believe that the ring he gave me was a real diamond."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Noise and Work.

"You can't jedge a man by de 'mount of noise he makes," said Uncle Eben. "De locomotive engeneer is doin' his easies' work when he's ringin' de bell an' blowin' de whistle." — Washington Star.

Tommy's Congratulations.

Reggie—Tommy, do you know I'm going to marry your sister?

Tommy—Then I think I'll go and congratulate mother.

Put On.

"She has such a natural charm about her!"

"Yes, but it is artificial."—Judge.

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