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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1903.

CHAIRMAN HANNA, of the Republican National Committee, has appointed Collector of the Port of Baltimore, Wm. F. Stone, sergeant at arms of the Committee. Mr. Stone is eminently qualified for the position, and his appointment will no doubt strengthen the Republican Organization forces in the State of Maryland.

AN UNJUST CHARGE.

Some of the supporters of Gov. Smith here have made some very grave mistakes during the Senatorial campaign, but their recent utterances have far exceeded anything that any fair minded person could expect from them. Now who would have thought for one moment that men of such character and sterling worth as Senator Foxwell, and Delegates Gibbs and Atkinson could be *bought* to vote for any man for the United States Senate, and who would have thought for one moment that Mr. Rayner or any other man would have been so foolish as to attempt to buy three men with the insignificant sum of $500? This is precisely the position in which the following utterance places our representatives in the Legislature:—"*Mr. Rayner expected his $500 to buy one or more of Kent's votes for himself for senator.*" Mr. Rayner expected no such thing, for he knew as does every voter in Kent county that our representatives in the Legislature are men whose sense of honor and whose respect for the wishes of their constituents cannot be measured in dollars and cents. Mr. Rayner was never told that our representatives in the Legislature could be bought for a contribution to our campaign fund. He was told that our representatives were *unpledged to anyone*, and when he found that such was the case, he contributed his money towards the success of our *entire* local ticket with the hope that through the honorable and upright campaign which he is conducting through the people, our representatives could be induced to vote for him for U. S. Senator. Now looking at the matter from a negative point of view, when Gov. Smith found that our representatives could not be bought he took his money from Kent county. He was not content to take his chances with ex-Gov. Jackson and Mr. Rayner, whose motives for their contributions were honest to a fault, because he did not know just exactly how our representatives stood on the Senatorship question. Such reasoning may very properly be deduced from the statements of some of Gov. Smith's supporters. The fact that this $500 was taken from Kent county at the very last moment is sufficient evidence that our representatives could not be bought, and there was no further need for any interest in the local ticket. Now which was the greater evidence of selfishness, Mr. Rayner's generous contribution for the election of the entire local ticket, or the withdrawal of this $500 when it was found that our representatives were unpledged? The entire political career of Gov. Smith has been conducted with a view to a seat in the U. S. Senate. Every official act and every contribution to campaign funds have been made with a view to the U. S. Senate as his reward. There is no need to be more explicit than this. The charge of selfishness against Mr. Rayner, and the insinuation that our representatives can be bought to vote for any man or measure, are as unjust as they are unwarranted.

Ex-Comptroller Smith's Views.

"Ex-Comptroller Marion de Kalb Smith, of Kent County, was in town yesterday. He said:

"I believe the members-elect of the General Assembly from Kent county will favor Governor Smith for United States Senator. There is a great amount of fuss being made by certain people in behalf of Mr. Rayner in Kent, but it will not accomplish anything."—Baltimore *Herald* of Dec. 4.

Out of deference to Mr. Marion deK. Smith we take pleasure in stating that he denies the above communication published in the Baltimore *Herald* of Dec. 4th. Mr. Smith states that he made no such statement to anyone connected with the *Herald*. We are very glad to make this correction in the interest of Mr. Smith. The *Herald* of Tuesday publishes the denial of Mr. Smith. It is as follows:

Mr. Marion deK. Smith, who was credited in a recent publication with declaring that the delegates-elect of the General Assembly from Kent county were in favor of Governor Smith for United States Senator and that nothing would come of the movement in behalf of Mr. Rayner in that county, says he made no such statement, and adds that the fact that the Kent county men are divided on the question of the senatorship is as well known to the people of Baltimore city as it is in Kent.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist, Chestertown, Md.

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We Are Showing a Superb Stock of Holiday Goods of Approved Worth and Superiority.

The inspection of our beautiful line is a pleasure and an education in what is novel and appropriate in Christmas Gifts. A look through our holiday display will supply you with the REASONS why you should buy your gifts at this store.

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It has never been our privilege to offer a more beautiful and pleasing line of Rings at prices affording such satisfaction to the purchaser.

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Brush and Comb Sets, Manicure Sets, Clothes Brushes, Hat Brushes, Match Boxes, Stamp Boxes, Key Rings, and dozens of other nice things in silver. Fine Decorated and Hand-painted China, Cut Glass, Fine Leather goods, Pocket Books, Bill Books, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, Purses, Ladies' Hand Bags, Traveling Sets, etc. Gold and Silver Mounted Umbrellas, and a great variety of other useful things.

We hope to have the pleasure of welcoming you at our new store.

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We are making

Special Prices

in Millinery for the Holidays. Our store is full of rare bargains and we invite you to call and see them.

THE MISSES REED,
High Street, Chestertown, Md.

HERSHIEL.

We will sell at public auction on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1902,

at 2.00 o'clock P. M., in Chestertown, Kent county, Md., the Bay Stallion Hershiel, 10 years old, imported direct from France at the cost of $3,000. His style and form is perfect. 17 hands high, very active. A sure foal getter. Can be seen any time at Mr. John Bell's stable. For full particulars, apply to

MR. JOHN BELL,
Chestertown, Md.
G. H. HOPPER,
1731 McCulloh St.
J. A. SIMMS,
1701 McCulloh St.

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PUBLIC SALE
—OF—

PERSONALTY!

THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale on the farm on which Edward Antone now resides, lying on the road leading from Chesterville to Millington, about 1 mile from Chesterville

On Monday, December 21, 1903,

the following property which consists of stock and machinery with which to carry on a farm, as follows:

8 Horses,

1 yearling Perchron Horse Colt, weighing about 800 lbs, and

10 Head of Cows

and Heifers, 1 Bull, 1 Sow and Pigs, 3 Farm Wagons, 1 set double Carriage Harness, Machinery, 1 Johnson Binder, 1 Deering Mower, 1 Superior Double Disc Drill, 1 Superior Disc Harrow, on wheels, 1 Spring Tooth Sulky Cultivator, 1 Horse Rake, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, 1 Four Horse Spike Harrow, Harness, 2 Syracuse Plows, 1 Dearborn, 1 Carriage, Hand Cultivator, Plow Harness, Single and Double Trees, Bramble Scythes, Lot Carpenter's Tools, Etc.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount a bankable note for 8 months with approved security.

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Ladies' Golf Vests
Ladies' Sweaters
Fancy Silk Garters
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Pocketbooks ann Purses
Wrist Bags
Men's Fancy Neckwear
Silk Suspenders
Men's Sweaters
Knit Jackets
Mackintoshes
Rain Coats
Rubber Coats
Smoking Jackets
Fancy Vests
Bath Robes
Dressing Gowns
Pajamas
Plush and Corduroy Caps
Polo and Skating Caps
Tam 'o Shanters
Jewelry
Sterling Silver Novelties
Sterling Table Novelties
Quadruple Plated Silver Sets
Roger's Silverwear
Cut Glass
Cut Glass Mirrors
Perfumery
Fancy Toilet Goods
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Fancy Goods
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MORTGAGEES' SALE
OF A VALUABLE

BUSINESS PROPERTY

In Chestertown, Md.

BY virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage executed by George Haberlander and wife and Frederick Fisher to Richard D. Hynson, dated May 30th, in the year 1902, and duly recorded among the Land Records of Kent county in Liber J. T. D. No. 6, folio 366, etc., the undersigned will offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

Tuesday, 5th day of January,

next at eleven o'clock A. M., all those two valuable lots of land lying in Chestertown, aforesaid, on High street and Kent street, known as the

"Gruber Bakery Property"

NO. 1—Being all that lot or part of a lot of land fronting on High street about forty feet with a depth of even width of about 104 feet, and improved by a TWO-STORY and ATTIC

Dwelling House

and STORE ROOM. This building is about 28 feet square containing ten rooms including store room and kitchen with brick bake house attached with ovens, fixtures, shedding, etc.

NO. 2—Being all that lot situated on Kent street, adjoining the High street property in the rear and the Crow property, having a front on said Kent street of about 30 feet with depth of even width of 67 feet and is improved by a ONE and a HALF STORY

Frame Dwelling

house, now occupied by Alfred Redding as tenant, also a nearly new building on the rear part of said lot used as a stable, carriage house and hay loft all in good repair. These pieces of property being the same which were conveyed to the said George Haberlander and Frederick Fisher by Dorothea Gruber by deed dated the 30th day of May in the year 1902, duly recorded among the aforesaid Land Records. There is also connected with the bake house property a right of way leading therefrom to Kent street aforesaid over the land of Nathaniel C. Crow, 3½ feet wide by 24½ feet long, for the use of the owners or tenants of the said bakehouse property to convey articles connected with the baking business to and from said street. This right of way was conveyed to Dorthea Gruber by Nathaniel C. Crow and wife by deed duly recorded among the aforesaid Land Records in Liber S. B. No. 14, folio 100, etc., as on reference to the said several deeds will more fully and at large appear.

The above property will be offered first separately and then as a whole with right to accept or reject any or all bids.

The High street property has been used for many years as a bakery and Mrs. Gruber did a very successful business therein for many years.

THE TERMS OF SALE ARE:—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid cash and the residue in three equal installments of six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale. All deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the mortagee and bear interest from day of sale, and all interest due to be paid with each installment of the principal.

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
d12-ts Mortgagee

RICHARD D. HYNSON, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

Richard D. Hynson
vs
J. Charles Armstrong and Jennie C. Armstrong his wife, John E. Armstrong and Eva Armstrong his wife, William P. Armstrong and Lillian Armstrong his wife, Annie P. Gears and Cyrus Gears her husband, Eva St. Clair Armstrong and J. Charles Armstrong administrator of John Armstrong, deceased.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity

No 1505.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain property in Kent County, Maryland, which was owned by John Armstrong in his lifetime.

The Bill states that the said John Armstrong was in his lifetime indebted unto Richard D. Hynson in the full sum of twelve hundred dollars on his certain promissory note, bearing date the fourth day of October in the year nineteen hundred and one, payable four months after date thereof, which said note was assigned by the said Richard D. Hynson to the Chestertown National Bank of Maryland, for value received, and that said Bank, for value received reassigned said note to the said Richard D. Hynson.

That the said John Armstrong was, also in his lifetime indebted unto the said Richard D. Hynson in the full sum of one hundred dollars on his certain promissory note dated thirtieth day of May in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, payable with interest thirty days after date thereof.

That the said John Armstrong being so indebted as aforesaid unto the said Richard D. Hynson and also unto divers other persons and having Real Estate of great value and with little personal estate, departed this life on or about the month of April in the year nineteen hundred and two, leaving a last will and testament, unmarried, but leaving the following nephews and nieces surviving him and who are his only heirs at law: J. Charles Armstrong, whose wife is Jennie C. Armstrong, who resides in the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, John E. Armstrong, whose wife is Eva Armstrong, who reside in Kent county and State of Maryland, William Pryor Armstrong whose wife is Lillie Armstrong, who reside in the city of Washington, District of Columbia; Annie P. Gears formerly Annie P. Armstsoug, and who intermarried with Cyrus Gears, who reside in Kent county in the State of Delaware, and Eva St. Clair Armstrong, (unmarried), who resides in Queen Annes county and State of Maryland.

That letters of administration on the small personal estate of the said John Armstrong have been granted by the Orphans' Court for Cecil county State of Maryland, to the said J. Charles Armstrong, of the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania.

That said John Armstrong's personal estate is insufficient to discharge all his just debts owing at the time of his death, and any deficiency in said personal estate ought to be supplied by a sale of all, or so much thereof as may be necessary of the Real Estate of the aforesaid debtor.

That the said J. Charles Armstrong, as administrator of the personal estate of the said John Armstrong, deceased, has wholly refused to pay any part of the aforesaid claims or to render unto them any account of the personal estate of the said John Armstrong, if any he has in hand

It is, thereupon, this 7th day of December, 1903, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in equity, that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county aforesaid, once in each of three successive weeks before the 11th day of January, 1904, gives notice to the said absent defendants of the object and substance of this Bill warning them to appear in this court in person or by solicitor, on or before the 27th day of January next, to show cause if any they have why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:—
d12-5t JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Valuable Town Property

—AT—

PRIVATE SALE.

ALL that Valuable Two-Story BRICK DWELLING House and Store Room and premises situated on Calvert street, Chestertown, Maryland, near College Avenue, at private sale, of which the late Jeanette Hall died seized and possessed.

This is a desirable property to one desiring to engege in the mercantile business.

For terms, etc., apply to

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
o3-ts Attorney for Owner.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Canning & Mercantile Company.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Canning & Mercantile company on Saturday last it was decided to enlarge the stock of goods in the Chestertown store, and to introduce many new and up-to-date phases in the business. The store will be run on a much larger scale than heretofore. In order, therefore, to make room for our increased supply of goods by January 1, 1904, we will sell the articles as enumerated below for the next 30 days. These goods must go in order to make room for our enlarged supply. Call and get bargains.

Carriages.

Were	$90.00,	now	$80.00
"	75.00.	now	65.00
"	65.00,	now	57.00
"	55.00	now	50.00

Runabouts.

Were	50.00	now	42.00
Were	45.00	now	37.00
Were	40.00	now	35.00
Were	35.00	now	30.00

EXTENSION TOPS.

Were	130.00	now	100.00

Farm Wagons.

Were	45.00	now	40.00
"	35.00	now	32.50

Dearborns.

Were	42.50	now	35.00

Corn Shellers.

Were	6.50	now	5.75

Grain Fans.

Were $14 now $12.

Long Handle Shovels.

Were 60 cts. now 45 cts.

Short Handle Shovels.

Were 60 cts. now 45 cts.

Churns, were $2.05 now $1.50.
5 gal. Galvanized Oil Cans 40 & 50c. each.
Galvanized Buckets 15, 18 and 20c.
3-Hoop Cedar Buckets, 25c.
2-Hoops 15c.

Sausage Stuffers and Lard Presses.

8 quarts, were	$5.75	now	$5.00
6 quarts, were	4.70	now	4.00
4 quarts, were	4.15	now	3.50

Meat Cutters at cost.

Gunning Coats, Leggins and Guns at or below cost.

Ice Cream Freezers were $2 now $1.60.

STOVES.

Were	$20.00	NOW	$19.
Were	$18.50	NOW	$17.
Were	$14.50	NOW	$13.
Were	$12.00	NOW	$11.

RANGES.

Were	$20	NOW	$18.50
Were	$16	NOW	$15.
Were	$15	NOW	$14.

AIR TIGHTS FROM $2.50 UP.

Saddles, were $5 now $4. $7.50 now $6.

SPEED CART, was 32.00 now 26.00.

All kinds of PAINT at half price.
TIN and AGATEWARE at cost.

THE CANNING & MERCANTILE COMPANY.

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