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## ORDER NISI.

Robert D. Grier, et al.,
vs.
Frederick A. Grier, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

No. 1807.

ORDERED, this 13th day of November, 1912, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, dated the 12th day of October, 1912, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 17th day of January next:—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 16th day of December next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $345.00.

True copy—Test: JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
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# LOCAL MATTERS

## NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS.

As has been our custom for several years past, we are forwarding our bills in order that the business of the year 1912 may be closed as speedily as possible. Our friends have been very kind and prompt in their settlement in former years, and we are quite sure they will be none the less so this year. We take this opportunity to thank our patrons and friends for their patronage during the year, and we trust that we may enjoy that patronage, and as much more as you please, during the year 1913.

**Great Price for a Horse.**—Peter Pan, James R. Keene's great stallion, was sold on Tuesday for $100,000. It is reported that Agents of George Gould purchased the horse but it is postively known that he will be shipped to France sometime next week. This is one of the biggest sums ever paid for a horse in this country.

**Old Kris Letters.**—The TRANSCRIPT has received several letters to Old Kris from its little friends in the county, and we want to say that we shall be careful to forward everyone to the old gentleman before he comes this way. We shall try to publish these letters if we possibly have the space but all those who want their letters published must send them in before December 21st.

**167 Bushels of Corn Per Acre.**—Amherst County, Va., has been awarded first and second prizes for the best yield of corn grown by boys in that State, first prize going to Frank Brockman, who grew 167 buthels on one acre, and second prize went to Gilbert Fitzgerald whose yield was 143 bushels. The United States Department of Agriculture notified the boys officially of their success. What boy in Kent county is willing to make an effort to beat this next year?

**An Interesting Case.**—The Orphans' Court on Tuesday heard argument in the case of Daniel Ashley, heir of David Ashley, late of Kent county, versus W. D. Crosbey, executor of David Ashley to determine the right of claim of Daniel Ashley to certain property left by David Ashley. Under the will the executor sold a piece of property and David Ashley disputed the right to sell a part which he claimed had been bequeathed to him by the testator. Wm. W. Beck, Esq., argued the case for the executor, and Wm. M. Slay, Esq., for Daniel Ashley. The question was not settled on Tuesday and it is likely that a compromise will be effected.

**Capt. Silvester Resigns.**—Capt. R. W. Silvester, for 20 years president of Maryland Agricultural College, tendered his resignation to the Board of Trustees at their meeting at the Hotel Rennert, Baltimore, on Tuesday. The trustees accepted the resignation with regret, and immediately elected Capt. Silvestor president emeritus and librarian in order to have him actively identified with the institution. The college has prospered greatly under Capt. Silvester, but his health has become such that he feels that the additional responsibility caused by the big fire there last Friday night, would be determental to his health. Mr. Harry P. Skipper, of Queen Annes, one of the directors of the college, has been made a member of a committee to secure a successor.

**Sale Continued.**—Owing to late arrival of many articles from the Daniel Miller Sale, Medders & Co. will continue same until Friday, Dec. 13. All prices quoted in last week's TRANSCRIPT will hold good until the above date. Look up last week's paper and get what you want of these sale goods before Friday. Some big bargains in this lot. Xmas sale next week. See full page this week.

## SHORT NEWS ITEMS.

Pay your taxes before January 1, 1913, and thus save interest.

There will be five eclipses, three of the sun and two of the moon, in 1913.

The Tolchester Company has an important change of schedule in this issue. Read it and get posted.

Mr. Jamison, fireman on the Pennsylvania train, has rented Mrs. Thomas D. Bowers' house on Mill street, and will remove there at once.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Price have sold their house and lot of land in Still Pond to Mr. H. C. Stanley, the popular tonsorialist. Price $1000.

The Jacob Crowding farm of 170 acres, near Still Pond, has been purchased by the Kent County Land Company. Price said to be $8000.

The will of the late James D. Lucas was filed for probate in the Orphans Court on Tuesday. He leaves all of his property to his widow absolutely.

The local office of the Prudential Insurance Company has been removed to the large and airy office over the furnishing store of Vansant & Newsome.

The J. F. Thompson big new garage on High street, is being pushed rapidly to completion under the skilful supervision of Contractor Walter T. Pippin.

It is said that the first three days of December rule the winter. If this be true, we shall surely have a "green" Christmas and an open winter.

Do your Christmas shopping early, and do it at home. All our stores are well-equipped with a splendid Christmas display, and there is no need to go away to buy.

A friend from Eastern Neck Island sent Mr. Joseph Everett a fine 25 pound swan on Monday morning, and don't say a word if friend Joe didn't have a fine dinner!

One of our farmers shipped his Thanksgiving turkeys to a commission firm in Chester, Pa. He received 27 cents a pound for them and cleared $2.35 on each turkey shipped.

The County School Commissioners and Superintendents of schools of the State have been in session in Baltimore this week. Prof. J. L. Smyth, of Kent, attended and made an address.

The "Genevieve curl" originated by Miss Genevieve Clarke, daughter of the speaker of the house, is the latest and most popular fad. The curl is a baby ringlet just under the right ear.

Mr. C. H. Walker, of Salisbury, has succeeded Mr. Joseph H. Nichols as local superintendent of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company. We welcome Mr. Walker and wish him success.

Mr. William L. Fowler and force are painting the exterior wood work of the new college gymnasium. Mr. Fowler also had the contract for furnishing the glass for the gym. He put in 1,700 window panes.

The murder of Aaron Reynolds by Franklin VanWinkle in Smyrna last week has stirred the Delaware town. Both young men are prominent, VanWinkle being the telegrah operator at the station there.

Mrs. Sarah Hodgkin and son, Mr. Harry Hodgkin, have removed to the residence on Queen street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. James T. Crossley, the latter going to the residence on Mill street vacated by Mrs. Hodgkin.

There is no danger of a coal famine in Chestertown. Our coal dealers inform us that they are prepared to take care of all orders, and not only for the present but for the future. Nut coal is selling for $7.55 and egg for $7.30 per ton.

It is reported that Mr. Charles W. Copper will discontinue farming in Morgnec the first of the year, and will resume the butchering and provision business where former Sheriff Andrew Medders now is. He will take charge today.

Mr. E. B. Pennington, Sr., one of the Second District's most successful farmers, is the corn king this season so far as we have learned. His yield for his entire tillage was over 80 bushels per acre. His son, Mr. E. B. Pennington, Jr., got a yield of 2,800 bushels from 44 acres.

If you spend $2 in cash with the firm of Graham & Clements between now and December 21, you will receive coupons that may contain the lucky number which draws the fine thoroughbred Guernsey cow or one of 40 other valuable prizes, and besides you get valuable goods with your purchase.

As soon as the season for shooting rabbits closes, the muskrat season will be on, and the prospects are for a profitable season. Mr. Marcus Asher, the fur king informs us that the price of furs and hides will be higher this year than for some years past. Just let him know when you have hides to sell and he will come for them.

Mr. Logan, who lives on the Eliason farm, near Black's, formerly occupied by Senator Garrett Foxwell, has lost every one of his large pen of hogs but two from the effects of cholera. Mr. Logan will be compelled to buy meat for his use this winter. Mr. Logan lost 40 hogs. We understand that Mr. Spencer Comegys has also lost all of his.

John Taylor, aged 34, of Earleville, Md., was assaulted by two men on the streets of Wilmington last Friday. His head was so seriously cut that he was removed to the Homeopathic Hospital. John Matthews and Oliver Miller were arrested on the charge of committing the assault. When the accused were arraigned in the Municipal Court Taylor was unable to leave the hospital.

The Peerless Fertilizer Company of Chestertown, has had 2,000 useful and serviceable 1913 almanacs printed by the TRANSCRIPT for distribution among it patrons. There is much valuable information in these almanacs for our farmers, and you should have one in your home, and become a patron of the company. Their goods are absolutely reliable, and every one of their formulas is guaranteed.

The Chestertown Driving Association is having erected at Radcliffe Park commodious stabling quarters. The building is 38x100 feet, and is being built for comfort and convenience. There are already fine stabling accommodations for 16 horses, and the new stable will have 20 large box stalls. The judges' stand has been painted attractively, and in the spring a high board fence will enclose the grounds.

The farmers are complaining very much about the condition of their corn. The balmy weather of the past two weeks has been splendid for most all kinds of farm work, yet the humidity in the air has prevented the corn from drying properly, and consequently little of it has been sent to market yet. The crop throughout the county is generally good, some sections getting a yield of 80 bushels per acre, while others are getting 50 bushels on an average.

The High School averages and other interesting items are unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

### Matinee Races at Radcliffe Park, Saturday, Nov. 30, 1912.

CLASS A—MIXED.

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| Alta Hal, bk.m., Jos. M. Rising, Chestertown | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Lottie, b.m., Robt. J. McWhorter, Chestertown | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Twinkle March, g.g., W. Holt Woodall, Galena | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Jack Frost, b.g., Chas. H. Smith, Rock Hall | 4 | 2 | 4 |

Time—2.42, 2.38, 2.39.

CLASS B—TROT.

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| Etta Adbert, b.m., F. C. Miller, Kennedyville | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Sunday May, g.m., J. E. Coppage, Price's | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Belton H., b.g., Paul Hynson, Rock Hall | 3 | 3 | 3 |

Time—2.42, 2.48, 2.38¼.

CLASS C—MIXED.

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| Gray Nips, g.g., Wm H. Thompson, Still Pond | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Beauty, s.m., Geo. W. Townsend, Pomona | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Nannie B., b.m., Robt. A. Shallcross, Rock Hall | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Prince Ito, bs., J. Leonard Price, Kennedyville | 4 | 4 | 4 |

Time—2.42½, 2.44, 2.38.

CLASS D—COLT RACE.

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| Marvel J., bk.g., F. S. Russell, Chestertown | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Eliza S., b.m., Thos. S. Toulson, Pomona | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Venice C., b.m., Wm. H. Toulson, Pomona | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Picknel, Jr., b.s., Robt. J. McWhorter, Chestertown | 3 | 3 | 3 |

Time—2.06¼, 2.56¾, 2.57.

## Grange Notes.

Still Pond Grange held their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 P. M. Plans were made for an "indoor picnic" next week, December 10, and all stay-at-home members are urged to come out and bring their lunch boxes with them. At 3 P. M. promptly the annual election of officers will be held, so here is a good chance for all the women to vote.

The following poem was omitted from the Fairlee Grange notes last week:

GOD DOTH CARE.

J. A. MCCLEARY.

What does it mean? Is it naught to him
That the nights are long and days are dim?
Can *He* be touched with the grief I bear,
That saddens the heart and whitens the hair?
For around *His* throne is eternal calms,
The sweetest of music and happy psalms,
And bliss unruffled by any strife;
And yet *He* cares for my little life—
Yes, I want him to care for me
While I live in this world where the shadows be;
When the lights grow dim in the path I take,
When strength is feeble and friends forsake,
When love and music that once did bless,
Have left me in silence and lonliness;
And my life song changes to sobbing prayers,
Then my heart cries out to a God who cares.
When shadows hang over me the whole day long,
And my spirit is bowed with shame and wrong;
When I am in fault and the deeper shades
Of conscious sin make me afraid,
And the busy world has too much to do
To stop in its course and help me through,
'Tis then I long for a Saviour. Can it be
The God of the universe cares for me?
Oh, wonderful story of deathless love!
Each child is dear to the heart above.
He fights for me when I cannot fight,
He comforts me through the gloom of night,
He lifts the burdens for *He* is strong.
He stills the sigh and awakes the song;
The sorrows that bow me down *He* bears,
And loves and pardons because *He* cares.
Let us enter into Thanksgiving with all our might;
God's love makes life more beautiful
If we try to live it aright.

## Thieves at Work.

On Monday night thieves visited the home of Mrs. John D. Welch on Queen street, broke open the big ice chest on her side porch and stole some provisions. They would have gotten more, but Mr. Welch, hearing their noise, got up and hurried down. He got there just as the thieves were making their escape over the back fence. One night last week thieves broke into the pantry at the home of Mrs. R. D. Hynson, on Queen street, and got some provisions. The Saturday night before that they broke into hen roosts on the avenue and made off with a number of valuable chickens. The attention of the Town Commissioners is called to this petty thieving. The board has recently appointed a number of special policemen, and it is the duty of the board to provide the tax-payers of the town with adequate protection by night as well as by day. A close watch should be kept for these marauders, and there should be at least two policemen on duty at night, whose duty it shall be to make their rounds of the town from darkness till daylight. This would be not only a protection against thieves, but it would alse be a protection against fire. The commissioners should take action in this matter now that the winter is upon us. They also broke into the homes of Mrs. Harriett Welch and Mrs. Ellen Beck.

## In and Around Georgetown.

Mrs. Bessie Hurtt and Master James Hurtt visited Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. E. Emory and Miss L. H. Oldham left on Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. Robert Wilson and family, who have been living in Galena since early spring, removed to their home in Easton this week.

The "country store" and festival held at Shrewsbury Academy on Wednesday night was quite a success and a good sum was realized which will be spent for school purposes. The handkerchief, which was donated by Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, was chanced off and won by Mr. Eugene Cockrane, the lucky number being 77.

Miss Vera Whitaker has resumed her duties at Dover Conference Academy after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ella Whitaker, of Galena.

The young men of Galena serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Hyland on Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. Fletcher Wilson has returned home after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Cockrane, of East Orange, N. J.

Capt. James E. Woodall has completed a very comfortable four room dwelling on Green street which will be occupied by one of his employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan, who have been making their home with their daughter, Mrs. Walter R. Woodall, for the past year, have moved on their farm near Betterton, Md. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan will be greatly missed by the people of this community.

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UNDER and by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Wilmer E. Benton and Annie M. Benton to the Second National Bank of Chestertown, Maryland, dated the 7th day of August, 1909, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 19, folios 259, &c., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Maryland, and by several mesne assignments, duly assigned to the undersigned; I will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, on

**Tuesday, December 10th, 1912,**

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon:

## ALL THAT FARM

situated in the First Election District of Kent county, lying on the north side of the public road leading from Millington to Symrna, Delaware, and about one mile from Millington; it is bounded on the west by the main road leading from Millington through Kent Forest; on the north by a lot of land formerly owned by the Hackett heirs; on the east by the lands of Mrs. Ella Holt; it contains **TWELVE ACRES OF LAND** and is known as "Mount Pleasant." It is the same farm which is described in a deed from John W. Wood and Sarah E. Wood to Wilmer E. Benton and Annie M. Benton, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded.



The Improvements consist of a DWELLING and other outbuildings. The farm is in one of the best and nicest locations in this part of Kent. Mrs. Annie M. Benton will take pleasure in showing the farm to any intending-purchaser.

TERMS OF SALE—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, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser.

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*Stops on Signal.

Returning, steamer leaves Chestertown for Baltimore, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 8.00 A. M., weather and tide permitting, stopping at the above landings, arriving in Baltimore about 2.00 P. M.

Steamer will leave Baltimore, Pier 7, Light St., weather and tide permitting, Wednesday at 6.00 P. M., stopping at: *Spaniard's Point, *Cliffs, *Indiantown, *Quaker Neck, *Booker's, *Riverside, *Rolph's, *Piney Grove, Chestertown, *Buckingham, *Deep Landing, *Spry's, Crumpton.

*Stops on Signal.

Returning, steamer will leave Crumpton, weather and tide permitting, for Baltimore, Thursday at 12 noon, Chestertown, 4.00 P. M., stopping at the above landings.

This time-table shows the times at which steamers may be expected to arrive at and depart from the several wharves, but their arrivals or departure at the times stated is not guaranteed, nor does the Company hold itself responsible for any delay or any consequences arising therefrom.

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