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SHERIFF'S SALE of LUMBER.

UNDER and by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., at the suit of Thomas H. Birdsong, Geo. F. Birdsong, Rosser P. Birdsong, Silas A. Birdsong, trading as City Hay and Grain Company, of Norfolk, Va., against the goods and chattels of Ernest L. Crumpler, held by Fred H. Russell, agent for the Chestertown Electric Light Co., and to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title and interest of the said Ernest L. Crumpler, held by Fred H. Russell, agent for the Chestertown Electric Light Co., in and to the following property:

40,000 FEET OF GUM AND POPLAR LUMBER,

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And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, DEC. 4, 1915

at 11 o'cl'k A.M. on the premises of the Chestertown Electric Light Co. at the foot of Cannon street in the town of Chestertown, Kent county, Md., I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Ernest L. Crumpler, held by Frederick H. Russell, agent for the Chestertown Electric Light Co., subject to all prior liens and claims, in and to the said property so seized and taken into execution to satisfy said writ, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

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LOCAL MATTERS

Game Canceled.—The game of basket ball scheduled to be played between the Philadelphia All-Stars and W. C. for Saturday, Dec. 4, has been canceled. The first game to be played will be Friday, Dec. 10, between W. C. and Baltimore Poly.

Wedding Invitations Issued.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Maslin, of Quaker Neck, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Nettie, to Mr. Fred Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, also of Quaked Neck. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday evening, December 14th, at seven o'clock at the home of the bride's parents.

State Grange.—The Maryland State Grange will meet in Salisbury Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Great preparations are being made and it is expected that one thousand delegates will attend. An automobile parade will leave Chestertown on Monday at 11.30 A. M. and on Tuesday at 8.30 A. M. for Salisbury. The cars will be decorated. State Grange Organizer James T. Anthony says the program will be one of interest.

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BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

The new pumping plant of the Chestertown supply system was put in operation last week.

A party of gunners on Eastern Neck Island on Monday killed 10 wild geese at one shot.

Mr. J. Ellwood Morris is erecting a cosy home on his farm near town. Mr. Frank Plummer is the contractor.

Sixteen boys were killed in football this year, notwithstanding the general improvement in the playing of intercollegiate foot-ball.

A. S. Turner & Son, Worton, have sold to Mr. Charles H. Brice, of Betterton, a fine 1916 model Dodge touring car. This fine car is making a hit with the public.

By agreement with the other heirs, Mr. Milton Maslin has purchased their interest in his mother's property on High street extended, and is now the sole owner.

Officers Perkins and Jester on Friday arrested Joseph Long, of near Fairlee, charged with breaking into the Store of Kilburn, Bramble and Noland, at Fairlee.

The Driving and Improvement Association of Rock Hall has appointed a committee to formulate a plan for presenting to the proper parties the need of a railroad in lower Kent.

The well-known Lynch firm of Stavely & Bowers is busier than it has been for years. The reason is that their work is so satisfactory that everybody is anxious to employ them.

The handsome new home of Mrs. L. S. Costello, at Worton Manor Beach, is rapidly nearing completion. It is a commodious ten-room house with fine porches and commands a beautiful view of the Chesapeake Bay.

Mr. Harvey Hall, residing on the Josiah Massey farm near Goose Hill, will sell a lot of very valuable personalty on the farm next Friday. This is all fine stock, and it is a fine opportunity to get something good.

The flurries in the wheat market have caused a rise in the price during the week, and local buyers were paying $1.10 a bushel yesterday. Corn is also advancing in price and Baltimore quotations have reached 75 cents a bushel during the week.

Officer Samuel E. Cooper asked us to make the statement that he will arrest boys who shoot air rifles and cat rifles in town. Many windows are being put broken by the rifles he says, and he must put a stop to their use before some one is shot by them.

Mr. George H. Camp who it was stated last week has purchased the store of Mr. A. Stein at Edesville will take charge of his new duties the first of the year. We regret to lose Mr. Camp from our midst. He is a hustler and has a fine store. But Camp will make himself heard at Edesville.

The steamer Tivole, of the Md., Del. & Va. Company, was burned to the water's edge off Bloody Point at the mouth of the Severn river last week. Several lives were lost. The fire is believed to have been caused by explosive coal and is thought to be the work of an incendiary.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard has recently renovated the office of the Peerless Fertilizer Company in the Hotel Imperial, papering, oiling and refurnishing with fine quartered oak desks, and it presents a most inviting appearance. He will have his annual "house-warming" in January.

The largest amount of game we have heard of killed Thanksgiviug day was that by Messrs Robert Ayres, James Metcalfe and Herbert Usilton. They killed twenty-six partridges and six rabbits. They had only one dog, Mr. Usilton's, which is said to be one of the best in Kent County.

The fame of the TRANSCRIPT'S job printing has reached the central part of the State of Virginia, a large order having been filled for a prominent merchant in that State on Saturday and Monday. The TRANSCRIPT'S jobbing department is unexcelled by any newspaper plant on the Shore, and its prices are within the reach of everyone.

Mr. W. Irving Robinson, one of Kent's prominent and popular farmers, has rented his farm near Betterton to Mr. Wm. Dempsey, and has accepted a lucrative position with the du Pont Powder Company, South Ambury, N. J. Mr. Robinson's sons are there, both having fine jobs. We regret very much to lose the family from Kent.

Mr. Samuel Hicks and family removed to the Mrs. A. J. Hynson residence on Queen street this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Waddell will go where Mr. Hicks left, having recently purchased the property, and Mr. J. Frank Wheatley and daughter, Miss Flora, will occupy the residence vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Waddell.

Mr. J. Waters Russell, real estate dealer, sold to Mr. James C. Moore the Hurlock property, on East Cypress street, Millington, which has been occupied for the past three months by Prof. Greenwood, and will move into the same at once. Prof. Greenwood will move into the Phillips house on West Cypress street, Mrs. Phillips having gone to Wilmington.

The trapping season for muskrats begins January 1 and closes March 31. Owing to the European war the United States is "fur crazy," and all kinds of furs are bringing high prices. The best muskrat furs are selling for 60 and 65 cents a piece, while possum skins are selling for $2 each and raccoon is bringing $4. The muskrat crop is said to be larger than ever on the marshes in Kent.

Owing to the fact that the new High School building will not be ready for occupancy before January 1, the night school has been discontinued until then, because the rooms used in the present building are not lighted. The school board has very generously donated the use of the rooms in the new building, and the 30 or more young men who enrolled for the night school some weeks ago are eagerly awaiting the call of the bell.

The Religious World.

Other church notes on page 3.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the Rest Room in Chestertown, on Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 2.30 P. M. A full attendance is desired.

Dr. Robert Watt, district superintendent, will preach at Bond M. E. Church at 10.45 and will address the Sunday school at Mowbray M. E. Church at 2 P. M. and preach at 7.30 P. M. on Sunday.

Quarterly conference will be held at the parsonage at Pomona at 2.30 Saturday, Dec. 4.

Dr. Robert Watt will lecture at Mowbray at 7.30 P. M. Saturday, Dec. 4. Subject—The Mistake of my Neighbors.

MARRIED.

CAREY—IVENS.—M[illegible] Philadelphia, and Miss [illegible] were [illegible]

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

Dec. 2nd, 1915.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE CHESTERTOWN TRANSCRIPT.

GENTLEMAN:

The Kent News in its issue of Saturday last Nov. 27th, I observe is still deliberately lying about me, and The Messrs. Usilton, with that moral obliquity of mental processes for which they are noted among all who know them, continue to try and misrepresent me before the people of this county. Under the title of "New Officials Will Take Hold Tuesday," they make the statement that the new County Commissioners "will likely organize by electing Mr. Reinhart president, Samuel Hicks, Clerk, and Hope H. Barroll, attorney, and Mr. George Jones, health officer."

At the time they wrote this article they must have known they were writing a deliberate falsehood and for a purpose which they and the public well know. No matter how they have profited and benefitted when the Republicans controlled Kent county affairs, as the Usiltons know they have done in county, State and other matters since 1895; they and the people of this county know that my own Democracy has never been questioned. While I have no desire whatever to embarras the Republicans as long as they do right in the local offices, I was opposed to their election and they could not and cannot use me by appointment to any office.

I do not know why they sought the services of Mr. Hicks or why they may, when Dr. Jones' term is out, reappoint him. It is not difficult to understand why Mr. Robert R. Hill should wish Mr. Thomas A. Matthews for his Depaty. It is equally easy to understand why Mr. A. Parks Rasin should appoint Mr. Thomas Dixon as his Deputy. The Republicans seem to begin with the idea of creating as little antagonism against themselves, except so far as the Urie wing of the Republican party is concerned, as is possible. Perhaps they are playing excellent politics.

Once more I repeat that the Usiltons lied when they first suggested the fact that I had been offered or would accept the place as attorney to the county commissioners. They repeated their lie last Saturday. The place has never been offered to me. It has never been spoken of to me by any Republican, directly nor indirectly. Nor has any one ever sent me word that they desired me to fill it. In point of fact I have never seen any of the Republican members of the board since the election.

It is all right for Mr. Dixon, an Organization Democrat, to accept the office given him by the Republicans. There is not the slightest doubt in the world that many scores of Organization Democrats would readily have accepted the other offices. That is why the Organization of the Usilton stripe has existed for office and plucking at the public's crib. That is the meaning to them of the word "Organization" and we all know it.

There is only one way to end this matter and that is for Frederick G. Usilton and William B. Usilton to drop their lying insinuations and for the News to be recognized as the chief disturber of party harmony. They are the Judas Iscariots, Benedict Arnolds and the trustless leaders who have wrung, hung and strung Democracy in Kent county for a generation past. If they are eliminated there may be some hope of our coming together. But their inability to see straight, to think straight, to act straight, makes all distrust them. Men who are made of the caliber of Wm. B. Usilton and Frederick G. Usilton are not [illegible] recognized as for so many years that everyone knows, without my repeating it, they are what I say they are.

Yours very respectfully,
HOPE H. BARROLL.

Chestertown, Md., Nov. 29th, 1915.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE TRANSCRIPT,

GENTLEMEN:

It is more than manifest that David J. Lewis of Western Maryland will be Senator John Walter Smith's candidate for the United State Senate in the Primary next year. The people in Kent county will remember at the Mass Meeting here in October last that Mr. Lewis expressly opposed the avowed policy of the Administration as to National Preparedness. He told us that there was a better way to be prepared and that was to follow the teachings of our Saviour over 2000 years old. To try and establish by peace treaties and by a United States of the World, and an International Police System, a condition which would prevent War.

This, of course, is the dream of a visionary. Practical every day men know instantly such talk is aimed against our Government and our people, not knowingly by Mr. Lewis nor intentionally, but none the less effectively. He always has been and is a SMALL NAVY MAN. The New York Herald put him down in that list. Mr. Lewis in response to an inquiry made of him during the summer would not deny it. His speech in our town hall showed his position. Shall we follow Senator John Walter Smith and nominate Mr. Lewis for Senator or shall we support Blair Lee if he be a candidate? If not Lee then one whom we are sure will be always at the elbow and by the side of our President on this great National Question.

The answer of many will be, "Why that question will be disposed of before the Senatorial Primary." All right, but if Lewis is against the President on a question like this, why won't he be against the President on other issues? Why trust him? Let the slogan of the Democracy of Kent county be:—"We are against David J. Lewis for the Senate and against any man who is put up for the Senate by Senator John Walter Smith!"

Yours very respectfully,
HOPE H. BARROLL.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other personals on page 2.

Mr. Paul Wilkinson, of Johns Hopkins, spent several days last week a guest of friends here.

Mr. William Sachs attended the M. A. C.-Hopkins game Thursday in Baltimore.

Miss Laurine Smith visited friends at Hanesville last week.

Mrs. Pyle and grandsons are visiting her son, Mr. Howard Pyle.

Mrs. M. S. Bramble, of Baltimore, is spending sometime in Phildelphia after a visit to her [illegible] W. B. Coleman.

Miss Anna [illegible] William Ray visited h[illegible]more Sunday.

Dr. Matth[illegible] phia, has acc[illegible] store of Mr. [illegible] Nulty [illegible]

The wedding of Miss Elizabeth Tench Bateman and Mr. Murray Lloyd Goldsborough took place in Christ Church, Easton, at 6.30 o'clock Tuesday evening. The bride is well-known in Chestertown social circle.

Prof. L. J. Smyth, superintendent of county schools, was taken to a private sanitorium in Baltimore yesterday, for special treatment. Prof. Smyth's condition has not been favorable during the past month and it is believed the change may prove beneficial. We sincerely hope so.

Mr. Harry W. Brice, of Philadelphia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, this week.

Miss Lenoria Davis, of Middletown, Del., spent Thanksgiving with Miss Anna B. Smyth.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard C. Needles have returned from their wedding trip and will occupy apartments in Mrs. J. Lucy Dodd's residence on High street.

A Terrible Explosion.

Thirty men, many of them young, were killed and seven were injured when 8,000 pounds of black powder exploded in a packing house in the upper Hagley yard of the du Pont Powder Company, near Wilmington, Del., at 1.30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Only a hole in the ground marks where the building stood.

The cause of the explosion, an official statement of the company says, is a mystery.

Fortunately none of Kent [illegible] young men employed by the co[illegible] was killed. Most of them are em[illegible] at Penns Grove. A room mate o[illegible] Massey Hines was blown to atoms

Souvenirs free—The Hub stores, [illegible]lington, will give away over $3[illegible] fine water sets and fruit bowls to [illegible] customers, starting to-day. Each [illegible]cle is beautiful and useful.

Public Service Commissio[illegible] of Maryland

ORDER NO. 2537

Before The Public Service Commissio[illegible] of Maryland. Case No. 1002.

In the matter of the Application of the Chestertown Electric Light and Power Company of Kent County, for Axthority to Issue $22,000 Par Value of its First Mortgage 6 Per Cent. Bonds. The Proceeds from the Sale of said Bonds to be used in the Refunding of its Outstanding Obligations and for Extension and Improvements to its Plant.

The above mentioned petition having been received and filed it is this twenty-ninth of November, 1915, by the Public Service C[illegible] mission of Maryland

ORDERED: That the sam[illegible] by set for hearing at the off[illegible] sion, Baltimore, Maryland, [illegible] ber 7th, 1915, at 11 o'clock A.

PROVIDED: The appli[illegible] this Order to be publishe[illegible] published in Kent Count[illegible] one time before the 6th day

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Which, being true, those one-step feet, should always be surpassing neat—should dance in comfort all the while and bring the glad, contented smile.

No man may do the job up brown, and have the saddest feet in town. The light fandango is not wed, to limps and hops and "seeing red." Forget there ARE such things as feet: Life's little daily walk make sweet. And Ralston's, somehow, are a part of all this Terpsichoric Art.



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