Easton Star.

EASTON, MD.

TUESDAY, NOV. 27, 1877.

T. K. ROBSON, Editor

The Republicans in the United States Senate had a big scare on Wednesday and Thursday, and came very near losing their power in the Senate. On Wednesday Senator Thurman moved to dismiss the committee on privileges and elections from further consideration of the case of Mr. Butler, of South Carolina, whose credentials at the first of the session had been referred to it. A Republican Senator, Mr. Conkling, moved to lay the motion on the table and Senator Thurman not being certain that his motion would prevail, allowed the matter to go over until the next day. On Thursday the motion came up as unfinished business, and Mr. Conkling's motion was defeated by two votes, Senator Patterson, Republican of South Carolina, and Senator Conover, Republican from Florida, voting with the Democrats. The action of these two carpet bag Senators terribly frightened the other Republican Senators, and Conkling denounced it as an "unholy alliance" with the Democrats. Powerful efforts were made by Senators Conkling, Edmunds and other Republican Senators, to bring the carpet baggers back to the fold without avail. Their object was to delay the matter until they could report favorably on Gen. Kellogg's case, and get him admitted, and in the meantime get Senator Sharon on from California, by whose votes they hope to keep out Butler, Eustis and Spofford, Democrats, who are entitled to seats, and thus retain control of the Senate. The Republicans finally succeeded on Thursday, in prevailing on Senator Conover to vote with them and adjourn the Senate till Monday. The matter was to come up yesterday, and we shall probably learn to-day how the issue terminated. It was a sad spectacle, to witness the ancient Republican leaders in the Senate, who have so long tyrannized over the Democrats, fillibustering to retain their power. Kellogg is no more entitled to a seat in the Senate than the man in the moon, and to admit him would be as great a fraud on the people of Louisiana, as the seating of Hayes in the White House was a fraud on the people of the United States. But what care such old reprobates as Conkling and Edmunds about fraud, so that the Republican party may retain its power in the Senate. They may struggle a while longer, but their doom is sealed, and the Senate, as the House has done, must soon pass into the control of the Democrats. Conkling knows very well, that should the Democrats get control of the Senate now, the President may do as he pleases with the public patronage, and fill the offices with Democrats or Republicans as he may prefer, without let or hindrance, and that his friends in New York will inevitably go to the wall-hence his desperate and unscrupulous efforts to continue his control of the Senate by means fair or foul.

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The Fall of Kars.

The Russians have captured the fortified city of Kars, in Asiatic Turkey. The city and fortress were defended by 15,000 Turks, and was stormed and captured by 15,000 Russians led by Gen. Melikoff. The Russians captured 10,000 prisoners, 300 cannon, and a large quantity of military stores. Erzeroum will be the next Asiatic city to fall into the hands of the Russians. The Turks are becoming badly frightened, and are talking of peace, but the Russians must have Plevna, Rustchuk, Silistria and Widdin first, which will clean the Turks out of Bulgaria.

"A great newspaper in every sense of the phrase" is the judgment of journalists and the people upon the Philadelphia WEEKLY TIMES. Not yet a year old, this weekly paper has achieved a success in circulation as well as in influence that is without a parallel. It embraces eight pages or fifty-six columns, full to overflowing with readable matter gleaned from every part of the wide fields of Politics, Literature, Science and Art. The editorial page abounds in crisp comments on the news of the day, embodying careful and independent judgment fearlessly expressed. The departments relating to Home and Society and the Farm and Garden make it welcome at every fireside, and offer from week to week temptations that are irresistible to the scissors of an editor. Fiction, poetry and tales of travel and adventure find a place in every number. But the great distinctive feature of the Philadelphia WEEKLY TIMES is its current series of chapters on the UNWRITTEN HISTORY OF THE WAR. Every one of these is from the pen of a prominent actor in the late conflict between the States, and describes some phase of the war that came within his own personal observation. No newspaper ever before presented such an array of contributors as appear in this department. Among them such men as Hon. Carl Schurz, Hon. A. G. Curtin, Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, Gen. Joseph Hooker, Gen. James Longstreet, Hon. John W. Forney, Gen. G. T. Beauregard, Gen. Wm. B. Franklin, Hon. John H. Reagan, Hon. Simon Cameron, Gen. Richard Taylor, Gen. John Cochrane, and such women as Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, Mrs. E. E. Briggs ("Olivia"), and Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont. The prospectus of the WEEKLY TIMES appears in another column. At this season when people are selecting their newspapers for the next year, no one should fail to send for and examine a specimen copy of this truly remarkable journal.

—In the St. Louis National Democratic platform of 1876, it is declared that the resumption act of 1875 is unwise and ought to be repealed. In pursuance of that declaration, a bill was reported at the present session of Congress to repeal the act of 1875, known as the resumption act, but many of the Eastern Democrats voted against it. We should like to know if those Democrats who voted against a repeal of the law, can be considered true to their Democratic principles?

Col. McClure, of the Philadelphia *Times*, having been proposed for Congress as a competitor of Judge Kelley, the Colonel declares he would not be a candidate for Congress under any circumstances, and more especially against Judge Kelley. The *Times* editor prefers to address his 200,000 readers daily through his paper, to bumming about the departments at Washington and mingling in the quarrels of the average Congressman. He is sensible.

The bill to repeal the Specie resumption act of 1875 passed the House of Representatives last Friday by a vote of 186 ayes to 120 nays. The Senate now has to pass on the bill.

The President denies that he authorized any one to say, he would veto the Silver bill, should it pass Congress.

A Terrible Naval Disaster.

The U. S. Sloop of War, Huron, was wrecked on the coast of North Carolina on Sunday, and most of the officers and crew were drowned. Her commander Capt. Geo. T. Ryan, Lieut. S. A. Simmons, and Lambert G. Palmer, masters Walter French and J. M. Wight, Ensign F. W. Danner, Surgeon S. G. Culbreth, Assistant Paymaster C. M. Sanders, Chief Engineer F. M. Olsen, Cadet E. U. Loomis, Captain's clerk J. L. Gillett, and Draftman J. J. Evans are among the lost. A life boat was sent to the relief of the foundered sloop, which swamped in the gale and all on board were drowned.

There is most positive evidence that S. B. McGill, of Pittsburg, who was at first supposed to have been murdered, has left home to get rid of the consequences of extensive and long continued swindling operations. His transactions in that line, it is alleged, will reach from $300,000 to $500,000. Proceedings in bankruptcy have been commenced against him. Already the claims against him have reached between $300,000 and $500,000 and others are still coming in. It is now believed that his estate will not pay more than ten per cent. of his liabilities.

—Miss Carrie Bassett, teacher of a district school in Gowanda, New York, recovered $3,500 and costs in the county court, from the district, for injuries sustained for a defective board in the school floor. The Supreme Court, the General Term and the Court of Appeals, have each in turn sustained the award.

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SILAS LANE.
At the old stand of J. C. West.

Marriages.

COX—ADAMS.—On November 15th, at Royal Oak M. E. Church, South, by Rev. George T. Tyler, Spedden O. Cox to Miss Ella B. Adams, daughter of James B. Adams, Esq.

MASON—BONN.—In Baltimore, on November 15th, at St. Peter's Church, by Rev. Dr. Julius E. Grammer, Charles E. Mason to Miss Ida V. Bonn, daughter of Joseph A. Bonn, Esq., all of Baltimore.

Deaths.

WILLIAMS.—In Easton, at 2 A. M., Wednesday, Nov. 21st, Charles M. Williams, in the 48th year of his age.

KEMP.—On the 19th instant, in Easton, at the residence of Mr. E. O. Dawson, Miss Louisa Kemp, aged 65 years.

HUNT.—In St. Michaels, on November 17th, Meada Barnett, only and beloved daughter of Edward S. and Alice A. Hunt. Aged 2 years, 3 months, and 3 days.

CLARK.—In Landing Neck, on the 14th inst., Richard Clark, in the 64th year of his age.

[Baltimore and Queen Anne's papers please copy.]

The community has lost a kind neighbor and a good citizen. Though not a member of any Christian denomination, during his sickness he expressed a willingness to die, and his death was as quietly as any. May he rest in peace.

Extraordinary Meteor.

The New York *Herald* publishes a dispatch from Richmond, Virginia, giving an account of a meteor rivaling in brilliancy the light of the sun, that appeared over that city on Wednesday. The dispatch says: The meteor which burst upon this city to-day was in several respects so remarkable that I think a record should be made of it.

Professor Winston, of Richmond College, says: It seemed just like a red hot drop of some molten material—say a drop of melted iron. It was almost pear-shaped, the smaller part being uppermost, and it left the impression of a semi-fluid drop moving along through or over something that slightly resisted its motion, so as to cause it to elongate behind. It is hard to give its apparent size, for it was not like a star, and a comparison with any earthly object would be misleading; but if the full moon were cut up into eight equal parts I think one of these would about give the size of the meteor. I probably saw it as soon as it became visible, and it was then about half way from the zenith to the horizon, say at an elevation of forty-five degrees, in the direction west of southwest from where I stood. It moved almost perpendicular down toward the horizon, say for 15 degrees, or rather more than half way, when it quietly disappeared, apparently going behind some very light and thin patches or streaks of clouds that lay just there. The motion was comparatively slow and steady, and the general impression was that of a body close by, inasmuch that I half expected to see it emerge from the cloud and strike the earth. I suppose the time of its visibility was about half a second. Consulting my watch immediately I found the local time to be thirty-eight minutes past four, which would make the sun to be about six minutes high, so that there was a rare meteor, showing itself in full daylight, and with its brilliancy and beauty pushing its successful rivalry close up to the throne of the great King of Day himself.

The meteor left in its track a train of unusual beauty. At first it was a thin, straight, brilliant line, precisely like a fine gilt wire, inclining in its course very sharply and well defined. Then it began gradually to assume a zigzag direction, at first varying little from its previous straightness, but becoming slowly more and more crooked and zigzaging as long as it was observed. At the same time the line itself grew broader and broader, till it was as broad, say, as one-fourth the diameter of the moon. Persons watched this wonderful meteor track as it faded, and it was long distinctly visible, seeming to have turned to a cloud streak and to be quietly sleeping in the sky.

The above described meteor, or a similar one, was also seen by some gentlemen who were out gunning in Bailey's Neck, in this county, on Wednesday evening. Mr. Wilfred Bateman, who first saw it and called attention of Mr. F. C. Goldsborough to it, says the time by his watch was twenty minutes to five o'clock. Mr. Bateman informs us that the *Herald's* description of it is precisely as it appeared to him, and says it disappeared behind three thin, pinkish looking clouds. Had it appeared at night, he thinks it must have been magnificent.—[ED. STAR.]

New Advertisements.

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Nov. 24th, 1877.

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CHARLES E SHANNAHAN,
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Easton, Md.

Trustee's Sale
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate
IN
Talbot County, Md.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, the undersigned Trustee, will offer at public sale, in front of the Court house, in the town of Easton, on

Tuesday, December 18th, 1877,

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Order Nisi.

James Benson, Trustee,
vs.
William H. Bruff and S. Louisa Bruff, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Talbot County,
In Equity.

ORDERED that the sales made and reported by James Benson, Trustee for the sale of the real and personal estate of William H. Bruff, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twelfth day of January next. Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Talbot county once in each of three successive weeks before the twelfth day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $19,454.40.

J. FRANK TURNER, Clerk.
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Circuit Court for Talbot county.
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PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Annapolis, Nov. 6, 1877.

The President of the United States has called upon the people of the entire country to unite in recognition of the many blessings which a merciful Providence has granted us during the past year.

While we gratefully acknowledge the prosperity which has been showered upon our own State let us humbly ask of the Almighty power that we may be accounted worthy of His continued favor, and to this end I hereby appoint THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, as a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer, and earnestly recommend its faithful observance by the people of Maryland.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State of Maryland, at Annapolis, this 6th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy seven.

By the Governor:—JOHN LEE CARROLL
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Order of Pubication.

John Miller
vs.
Joseph F. Lamdin and children, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Talbot County,
In Equity.

THE object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of certain lands and premises situate in Talbot county in the State of Maryland whereof William K. Lamdin died seized and possessed. The Bill states that some time in or about the month of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy three, the said William K. Lamdin being seized and possessed of some personal property and considerable real estate, departed this life leaving a last Will and Testament, wherein and whereby he bequeathed unto his wife, Maria L. Lamdin, all of his personal property, and devised unto her all of his real estate, to-wit: The farm on which he then resided, in Bay Hundred District, in Talbot county, Maryland, for and during the term of her natural life, and after her decease devised said farm to his brother, Joseph F. Lamdin, of the State of California, in trust for the use and benefit of the children of the said Joseph F. Lamdin, lawfully begotten; provided, the said Joseph F. Lamdin should, within one year from his decease, pay all of the debts which might be due and owing by him at the date of his said decease; and in case the said Joseph F. Lamdin failed to pay his said debts, within the time aforesaid, then it was his will and desire his said wife, Maria L. Lamdin, should hold and enjoy said farm to her and her heirs forever, of which said last will and testament he appointed the said Maria L. Lamdin Executrix, and who has caused the same to be duly proved and recorded in the Registry of the Orphans' Court for Talbot county.

The Bill further states that the said William K. Lamdin in his life time was indebted unto the said John Miller in the sum of $555.15, and that said amount remained due and unpaid at the time of the death of the said William K. Lamdin, and still remains unpaid; that the said Maria L. Lamdin in virtue of letters Testamentary granted and committed unto her, has possessed herself of the whole of said personal estate and has returned an inventory thereof to the Orphans' Court for Talbot county; that the aforesaid personal estate is wholly insufficient to pay the debts of the said William K. Lamdin due and owing by him at the time of his death; that the said Joseph F. Lamdin has not nor has any one for him paid the aforesaid debts or any part thereof; that the said Joseph F. Lamdin resides in the State of California and that the names, ages and residences of the children of the said Joseph F. Lamdin, if any he has, are to the said Complainant unknown; that the said John Miller and the remaining creditors of the said William K. Lamdin are entitled to have the real estate aforesaid sold for the payment and satisfaction of their debts.

It is therefore adjudged and ordered that the Complainant by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper published in Talbot county, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the first day of January, Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, give notice to the said absent defendants of the object and substance of this Bill and warn them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the first day of April next, to answer the premises and show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

J. FRANK TURNER, Clerk.
November 13th, 1877.
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Circuit Court for Talbot county.
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OF THE

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BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, Maryland, in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at Public Auction at the Court House in the town of Easton, Maryland, on

Thursday Afternoon, December 20th 1877,

at 2 o'clock, all the road and Railroad Line of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company from the point at the village of Marydel, where the bed of said Railroad intersects the divisional line between the States of Maryland and Delaware, to the town of Oxford, on or near the Chesapeake Bay, in Talbot County aforesaid, a distance of about forty miles, with the road bed, superstructure and all rails and other materials used therein and procured therefor, and all bridges, viaducts, culverts, fences, sidings, rolling-stock, equipments, piers, wharves, water fronts, depots, station, grounds, and buildings erected thereon within the State of Maryland, and the right of way secured for said railroad, and all franchises, rights, privileges and immunities to the said Railroad Company belonging or in anywise appertaining within the State of Maryland, and all the property therein which in anywise appertains or belongs to the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company.

The Terms of Sale,

The Terms of Sale prescribed by said Decree, are one-half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the other half thereof to be paid on the confirmation of the sale by the said Court.

Cost of the conveyancing to be paid by the purchaser.

N. B.—By virtue of a direction contained in said Decree, notice is hereby given to the holders of the Bonds and overdue coupons of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company, issued under the provisions of the mortgage, executed by said Company, dated November 1st A. D. 1865, and the supplemental mortgage dated February 23d, A. D. 1867, to file their said Bonds and coupons with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, Maryland, whose office is in the said town of Easton, with in four months from said sale, if they desire to receive any portion of the proceeds of said sale.

JAMES B. GROOME,
Trustee, Elkton, Md.

Trusttee's Sale
OF THE
Delaware Portion
OF THE
Maryland and Delaware Railroad,

AND NOTICE TO THE HOLDERS OF THE

Bonds and Coupons

OF THE

Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company.

BY virtue of a Decree of the United States Circuit Court for the District of Delaware, in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at Public Auction at the Court House in the Town of Easton, Maryland, on

Thursday afternoon, December 20th 1877,

at half-past Two o'clock, all the road and Railroad Line of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company from the point at the village of Marydel, where the bed of said Railroad intersects the divisional line between the States of Maryland and Delaware, to Clayton Station, on the line of the Delaware Railroad in Kent county, in the State of Delaware, a distance of about fifteen miles, with the road bed, superstructure and all rails and other materials used therein and procured therefor, and all bridges, viaducts, culverts, fences, sidings, rolling stock, equipments, piers, wharves, water fronts, depots, stations, grounds and buildings erected thereon within the State of Delaware, and the right of way secured for said railroad and all franchises, rights, privileges and immunities to the said Railroad Company belonging or in anywise appertaining within the State of Delaware, and all the property therein which in anywise appertains or belongs to the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company.

The Terms of Sale,

prescribed by said Decree, are one-half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day sale, and the other half thereof to be paid on the confirmation of said sale by said Court, *provided* that at such sale any holder of the bonds of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company, issued under the provisions of the Mortgage, executed by said Company, dated November 1st, A. D. 1865, and the supplemental Mortgage executed by said Company, dated February 23d, A. D. 1867, shall have the right to bid for and purchase the property so to be sold, and may pay therefor in the bonds and over due coupons secured by the said mortgages in proportion as the amount bid bears to the whole sum secured by the mortgages after payment of costs and the expenses of sale.

Costs of conveyancing to be paid by the purchaser.

N. B.—By virtue of a direction contained in said Decree, notice is hereby given to the holders of all bonds and overdue coupons of the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company, secured by the said mortgage, dated November 1st, 1865, and the supplemental mortgage dated February 23d, A. D. 1867, to file their said bonds and coupons in the office of George G. Ay Esquire, of the city of New Castle, in the State of Delaware, who has been appointed Special Master in Equity in the suit in the United States Circuit Court for the District of Delaware against said company, before the expiration of one month after the audit of the proceeds of the sale of the Maryland portion of Maryland and Delaware Railroad by virtue of the said decree of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, Maryland, in Equity, is ratified and confirmed by the said last mentioned Court, if they desire to receive any portion of the proceeds of the sale made by the direction of this Court.

JAMES B. GROOME,
Trustee, Elkton, Md.
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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Talbot County, in the State of Maryland, letters of Administration D. B. N. C. T. A., on the personal estate of James M. Seth, late of Talbot county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same properly authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the first day of May A. D. 1878, otherwise they may be by law excluded from all benefits of the said deceased's estate.

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