The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN - MAY 19, 1888.

THE RED PLANET.

Speculations About the "Canals" of Mars and Their Builders.

From the San Francisco Call.

People who can obtain the privilege of looking at Mars through the Lick telescope should not neglect the opportunity. Several years have elapsed since that remarkable planet could be seen to such advantage as at present, and it will be three years before we have an equal chance again. It has certainly never been examined before through a telescope of such power as the monster refractor on Mount Hamilton.

It may be interesting to lovers of astronomy to know that the eminent French astronomer, M. Perrotin, is engaged in a minute study of Mars, and that his discoveries confirm those of M. Schiaparilli in every particular. It seems actually true that the longitudinal stripes which circle round the planet are bodies of water, and must, according to all laws of probability, be artificial. No one ever saw or conceived a system of parallel rivers from 1,000 to 2,000 miles long and straight as a plumb line. Everything is possible, of course, but such straight rivers it is impossible to reconcile with the principles of cosmogony as we understand them. On this planet, at all events, nature abhors a straight line, and by analogy it should do so in Mars.

Yet, if these bodies of water are canals, as Schiaparilli believed and Perrotin seems hardly to doubt, what monstrous works they must be! They are from fifty to eighty miles wide. Fancy the labor of digging such a canal, the time it must have taken, and the number of workmen it must have employed. The pyramids of Egypt are trifling in comparison. The Suez canal is 197 feet wide at the surface, and the Nicaragua canal is to be 150 feet; the Martian canals are 2,000 times wider. Our canals on this one-horse globe are considered long when they reach 100 miles in length. The Panama canal will be less than sixty miles long. The canals of Mars reach a length of 2,000 miles—say, as far as from here to Omaha. What a traffic there must be to support such enterprises! On the waterways of China travelers describe the incessant ebb and flow of multitudinous crowds, but to require canals of such dimensions as we have described the movement of traffic in Mars must be far more prodigious. In fact, they imply a population which almost staggers belief; considering that the volume of the planet is only one-sixth that of the earth, the diameter being 4,400 miles as against 8,000 miles, they warrant the wildest conjectures as to the density with which it may be peopled.

What manner of man lives in Mars, if there be men there, has always been a favorite topic of speculation. The law of gravitation tells us that he may be fourteen feet high, not such a son of Apak as the inhabitants of the asteroids, but still one who would regard the Belgian giant as a remarkable dwarf. Possibly the enormous public works on Mars may be explained on the theory that these tall fellows can work in proportion to their stature—that one citizen of Mars can shovel as much dirt as two and a-half denizens of this world.

Whether the grass of Mars is red, as the old astronomers averred, modern telescopes have failed to decide. It is very difficult to determine colors when an object lens collects thirty thousand times as much light as normally enters the human eye. But the speculative astronomer is safe in asserting his belief that Martian cabbages are the color of our beet root, as no one can disprove the assertion.

SKETCH OF REV. JOHN FRANCE.

The *Peninsula Methodist* has given sketches of the delegates and reserve delegates from the Wilmington Conference to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session in New York. The following sketch of Rev. John France, Presiding Elder of the Easton District of the Wilmington Conference, will doubtless prove of interest to the many friends of that clergyman in this county and throughout the peninsula:

Rev. John France, our second reserve delegate, received the exceptional compliment of a unanimous vote, the secretary of the conference being directed to cast the ballot of the body to that effect.

Brother France was born in Chester county, Pa., in the year 1835. His maternal ancestors were members of the Society of Friends, and his father's ancestry were attached to the Church of England. While John was yet a child his mother united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, showing herself thereafter a consistent member of the same, until transferred to the church triumphant in the 78th year of her age.

During his youth Brother France's parents removed to the vicinity of Wilmington, Del., and here he received his educational training. He was converted when about sixteen years old, under the ministry of Rev. Newton Heston, who was pastor of St. Salem M. E. Church, 1851-2, and at once joined the church as a probationer. In his nineteenth year he was licensed to preach, and soon after sent out by the Presiding Elder of the Wilmington district, Rev. T. J. Thompson, to supply a vacancy on Strasburg, Pa., circuit.

At the session of the Philadelphia Conference in Philadelphia, March, 1856, Bishop Levi Scott presiding, assisted by the venerable Bishop Beverly Waugh, John France was admitted on trial, in a class of nineteen, and appointed to St. George's, Del., as junior preacher, with Rev. Samuel Pancoast.

His subsequent appointments were as follows: 1857-8, Brandywine circuit with John Cummins; 1858-9, Oxford, with J. B. Dennison; 1859-60, Brandywine, Wilmington; 1860-2, New London and Elk Ridge; 1862-4, Crozerville; 1864-5, Mt. Lebanon; 1865-8, second term at Brandywine, Wilmington; 1868-71, Newark, Del.; 1871-3, Millington, Md.; 1873-5, Mt. Salem, Wilmington; 1875-8, Cherry Hill, Md.; 1878-9, St. George's, second term; 1879-82, Newark, Del., second term of three years; 1882-5, Zion, Md.

At the conference of 1885 he was appointed to Smyrna circuit, but in August of that year Rev. Dr. J. H. Caldwell, Presiding Elder of Easton district, accepted the presidency of Delaware College, and the pastor of Smyrna circuit was selected by Bishop P. M. Merrill, to supply the vacancy on the district; and at the three succeeding conferences he has been reappointed to the same responsible position.

At the session of 1888, in Easton, Pa., Bro. France was ordained deacon by Bishop Edward R. Ames; and in Philadelphia, at the session of 1860, he was ordained elder by Bishop Osmond C. Baker. From 1879 to 1886, when he was appointed Presiding Elder, he served the conference as one of its clerical stewards.

It will be thus seen that Brother France has been steadily at work in itinerant labors for thirty-two years, nor has his labor been without large and substantial results. He has been made happy in his toils by seeing many precious souls brought to Christ under his ministry. If there shall be occasion for him to take the place of either of the other delegates we have no doubt he will render good and faithful service.

Prevention of Evaporation.

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Legal Notices.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

BENJAMIN C. JONES,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 6th day of November, 1888, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand this 1st day of May, 1888.

CHARLES T. WESTCOTT,
May 5, 1888—4t. Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

ISAAC PARSONS,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

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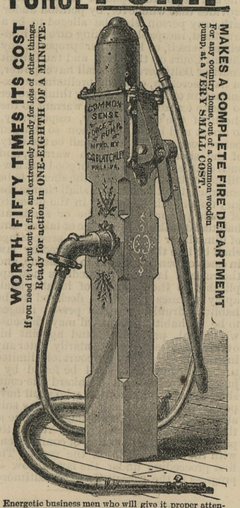

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After TUESDAY, 15th of May next,

no ALTERATIONS or CORRECTIONS in the assessments will be made for the present year.

TUESDAY, 12th day of June next,

otherwise they may be excluded from the levy this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner and itemized and rendered under oath.

All applications for pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant and vouched for by three or more freeholders having knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

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On and after Saturday, Feb. 25th, 1888, the

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Returning, leave Pier 6 Light Street, Baltimore, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 10.30 A. M., stopping at all the landings on Sassafras River and Worton Creek, ice permitting.

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Feb. 25, 1888. CAPTAIN

TOLCHESTER LINE!

After MONDAY, April 2d, 1888, beginning SATURDAY, April 7th, the

Steamer EMMA GILES

LEAVES BALTIMORE EVERY

SATURDAY and WEDNESDAY at 7 A. M. & 2.30 P. M.
LEAVES TOLCHESTER - at 9 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.

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SPECIAL.—In order to make the change in our schedule, there will be no Boat between Monday, April 2d and Saturday, April 7th. Every Wednesday and Saturday thereafter, as per schedule.

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1888

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Steamer EMMA A. FORD

Will leave Chestertown daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at the wharves in Corsica river, at Grey's Inn and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11.15 A. M.

RETURNING will leave Pier 7, Light Street Wharf, at 3 P. M., arriving in Chestertown at 7.15 P. M.

The Steamer B. S. FORD

Will leave Centreville daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at the wharves in Corsica river, at Grey's Inn and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11.15 A. M.

RETURNING, will leave Pier 7, Light Street Wharf, at 2.45 P. M., arriving in Centreville at 7 P. M.

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On and after April 23d, 1888, (Sundays excepted), trains will run as follows:

SOUTHWARD					NORTHWARD			
PASS EXP.	PASS				PASS	EXP.	PASS	PASS
P M	P M	A M	A M		A M	A M	P M	P M
5.21	3.01	11.55	7.27	..Philadel'a.	9.32	10.32	1.25	7.40
5.17	2.30	10.08	6.40	..Baltimore..	11.10	11.10	2.05	8.45
6.25	3.50	12.35	8.30	Wilming'n	8.43	9.42	12.25	6.35
6.36		7.04	8.44	.Hare's Cor.	8.33			6.24
6.42	4.02	1.09	8.50	.New Castle.	8.28	9.31	12.10	6.17
6.48		1.15	8.56	.State Road.	8.23		12.03	6.09
6.55		1.20	9.01	.....Bear.....	8.17		11.57	6.03
7.06	4.14	1.25	9.10	....Porter's...	8.12	9.19	11.51	5.57
7.11		1.30	9.15	..Kirkwood..	8.06		11.45	5.52
7.20		1.39	9.23	Mt. Pleasant	7.57		11.36	5.43
7.22			9.27	.Armstrong..	7.53			5.37
7.30	4.38	1.49	9.33	Middleto'n.	7.49	9.00	11.26	5.34
7.39		1.58	9.43	.Townsend..	7.39	8.50	11.17	5.25
7.43		2.02	9.48	..Blackbird.	7.35		11.12	5.20
7.52		2.09	9.54	Green Spring	7.28		11.05	5.12
7.55	4.59	2.14	10.00	...Clayton...	7.24	8.36	11.01	5.09
7.45	4.49	2.04	9.50	LvesSmyrna.	7.15	8.28	10.51	4.49
7.59		2.19	10.05	..Frenford..	7.19		10.54	4.59
8.04		2.25	10.11	...Moorton...	7.15		10.49	4.53
8.07				....Dupont...	7.09			
8.15	5.15	2.35	10.22	.....Dover....	7.06	8.20	10.41	4.45
8.21	5.21	2.42	10.28	...Wyoming..	6.59	8.12	10.34	4.38
8.28		2.49	10.41	..Woodside..	6.53		10.28	4.31
8.32		2.54	10.45	.....Viola....	6.49		10.24	4.27
8.37	5.33	2.59	10.49	....Felton....	6.45	8.00	10.19	4.23
8.45	5.44	3.12	11.02	.Harrington.	6.35	7.50	10.08	4.13
	5.52	3.20	11.09	Farmington.		7.41	9.57	4.02
	6.01	3.29	11.18	.Greenwood.		7.32	9.49	3.54
	6.11	3.39	11.28	.Bridgeville.		7.23	9.40	3.45
	6.16	3.50	11.33	...Cannons...		7.17	9.34	3.40
	6.25	3.59	11.43	...Seaford....		7.10	9.27	3.32
		4.10	11.54	.....Laurel....			9.16	3.21
		4.20	12.05	...Delmar....			9.05	3.10

New Castle Accommodation Trains leave Wilmington 6.00 a. m. and 2.55 p. m. Leave New Castle 6.35 a. m. and 3.35 p. m.

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