Kent News.

SATURDAY.....JUNE 29, 1889.

Real Estate in the Market.

The following real estate is advertised to be sold at public sale on the days named:

Saturday, June 29th—House and lot of land in Kennedyville, by Wm. M. Slay, trustee.

Monday, July 1—James Spriggs' house and lot in Millington, by Eugene Gooding, collector.

Tuesday, July 2—Small dwelling house and lot of land on College avenue, in Chestertown, by Marion deK. Smith, attorney.

Same day—The Gary H. Leaverton farm, in the fifth election district, by Hope H. Barroll, attorney.

Tuesday, July 9—The Phosphate Factory of C. W Kennard & Co., near Chestertown, by Marion deK. Smith, attorney.

Tuesday, July 16—The Pearce or Smith farm, near Lambson's Station, by Wm. M. Slay, administrator of mortgagee.

Same day—Two houses and lots near the Strawboard Mill, by H. W. Vickers, mortgagee.

Personal Property.

Wednesday, July 10—Personal property of G. H. Leaverton, near Lankford.

WEDDED IN JUNE.

HAGEN—COPPER.

Even from Philadelphia the attractiveness of Kent's fair daughters allure men. An instance of this was observable in the nuptials which were solemnized before a large audience in Lynch's Chapel on Thursday. The contracting parties were Miss LOULA COPPER, only daughter of Mr. John W. Copper of Lynch's, and Rev. EARNEST S. HAGEN, of Philadelphia. At one o'clock, the appointed hour, the ushers, Messrs. Harry Willis and Frank Hepbron, preceded the bridal couple to the altar where they were met by the Rev. S. B. Tredway, who performed the ceremony, assisted by the groom's father. The Royal March was played in good time by Mrs. Biddle Hossinger. The bride, attired in a tan-colored Henrietta cloth trimmed in striped silk with hat to match, looked pretty indeed, and a corsage bouquet lent its beauty to her becoming make-up. The groom made a handsome appearance in his clerical suit. The church had been profusely decorated with flowers by friends of the couple. A bank of flowers was arranged in the pulpit while over the bride and groom spanned a floral arch. After the ceremony the happy couple left for Philadelphia and will in a short time embark for Germany.

COMMENCEMENT BALL.

The commencement ball was held in Stam's Hall Wednesday night and the scene was one of beauty. The ladies certainly looked lovely in their neat fitting garbs and their beauty of form was only rivaled by the gracefulness which characterized their dancing. Good music was furnished by Prof. Schofield's band and lunch was served at midnight. The following names include most of those who were present:

Kent—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Walker, Mr. Geo. W. Smith and wife, Dr. S. Beck and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ringgold, Mr. Wm. M. Slay and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dodd, Prof. Jas. R. Micou and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurtt, Dr. C. W. Whaland and wife, Misses Lillie Hynson, Nelie Walker, Hallie and Mary Beck, Nannie, Jennie and Katie Hines, Belle Aldridge, Edith Hines, Florence Burgess, Sue Wilkins, Anna Price, Hope Wickes, Annie and Gussie Carville, Julia Emory, Anna Rasin, Mamie Caltin, Mamie Strong, Morgan Beaston, Anne Cacy, Lucy Robinson, Eunice and Mamie Gemmill, Marie Gambrill, Mary Hurtt, Millie and Rose Comegys, Daisy and Nannie Brice, Viva Perkins, Madge Meeteer, Alice and Lena Wilmer, Emily Ringgold, Grace and Ida Camp.

Messrs. R. D. Hynson, Dr. T. H. Cooper, Morris K. Barroll, Lewin Wickes, W. H. Cacy, W. S. Walker, Jr., L. Goldsborough, C. C. Hopper and Harrison Collins, Carroll and Herman Perkins, Horace Beck, Edw. Emory, P. B. Hollis, H. C. Brown, J. H. Hurtt, Wm. Ireland, John Rose, Harry Catlin, Jesse Usilton, Chas. Casy, Dr. C. P. Gilpin, C. Brown, J. H. Rose, DeC. Ruth, Bert DeCourse, John Brice, R. F. Duer, Herman Massey Daisy Davis, Hiram Brown, Fred Gerker, E. F. Perkins, Jr., Sam Beck, Clarence Perkins. Baltimore—Misses Emma Gilpin, Katie and Nellie Davidson, Hattie Seemuller, Avis and Mamie Paterson. Messrs. W. Hines, Chas. Burgess, Robt. and Jos. Rasin. The Misses Goodwin and brother of Governor's Island; Misses Amanda Hancock, Ethie Crisfield and Mrs. Irone Sessions, Lannie Whitthorne, Washington, D. C. Queen Anne's—Misses Nellie Brown, Ada Roberts, Nannie Downes, Bessie Keating,——Holton, Maud Choran, Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans, Messrs. Hopper Gibson, P. B. Hopper, Bert. Evans, Lewis Evans, Howard Weatherby, James P. Brown. Floor Committee—R. F. Duer, Dr. T. H. Cooper, Clifton Hurtt and W. S. Walker, Jr.

THE Tolchester Company has made big preparations for the 4th of July. The beach is now all that mortal man could ask, yet they have engaged some very expensive attractions for the 4th of July. The great act of all will be Mr. Blatt catching a real cannon ball, twenty feet from the mouth of the cannon; the ball weighs 25 pounds. There will be fireworks in the evening, and the company is prepared to give every one a good time.

EPISCOPAL VISITATION.—Rt. Rev. W. F. Adams, Bishop of the Diocese of Easton, visited several parishes in this county on Sunday last. In the morning the right of confirmation was administered to a class at St. Paul's, in the afternoon a class of seven was confirmed at I. U., and on Sunday evening Emmanuel Church was visited and a class of seven confirmed. The Bishop left on Wednesday morning.

INSURED.—Madge B., the valuable mare belonging to Dr. T. H. Cooper, mentioned last week as having been killed by lightning, was insured for $500. Mr. Samuel B. Richardson, of the Forest Stock Farm, near Masseys, also had a valuable horse killed by lightning recently, with an insurance of $500 on it.

CABBAGE have been plentiful and cheap in Chestertown this week. A small sloop with a load from Anne Arundel county has been lying at the wharf and retailing them at almost any price buyers might offer.

THE Chesapeake baseball nine of Rock Hall and the Queenstown nine played a game of ball last Saturday at the latter place, resulting in a score of 10 to 11 in favor of Queenstown.

THE annual picnic of Sacred Heart Church, Chestertown, is announced for July 16, on Mr. George S. Biddle's lawn, near Chestertown.

MOST farmers will finish cutting wheat this week and the whistle of the threshing engine can already be heard.

THE town boys will play the Still Ponders to-day.

THE Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad is expected to be in condition to run through to the bay by the 10th of next month.—*Clayton Call.*

KENNEDYVILLE NOTES.

MR. WILLIAM SHUCK while at work digging in some grass on the railroad at this place accidentally struck his hand against a piece of glass cutting a vein. The wound bled very profusely, but is greatly improved at this time.

MR. JOHN BENNETT residing on the farm adjoining Kennedyville while cutting wheat over heated one of his horses last Thursday which came near dying; but with good care it has recovered. On Friday morning about ten o'clock another one was overheated, which, although attended faithfully died about two o'clock Friday. About an hour after stopping work Mr. Bennett gave the horse a drink of water and he supposed the water must have killed it.

THE school examination is about over with now and the teachers are not at all sorry. Mr. Smyth and Miss Blackiston are pretty well tired out and hail with joy the period of rest and recreation.

THE CHILDREN DAY exercises were held at the M. P. Church on Sunday evening. The Church was most beautifully decorated to receive the people with which it was soon packed and crammed from the gallery to the outside church door. The exercises began with singing by the school, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." This was followed by responsive reading and then by prayer by Rev. S. B. Tredway. An address was then given by George Medders followed by dialogue by eight small girls; Annie Shafer, Lura and Mary McKnett, Jennie Meredith, Dora Pennington, Clara Redmile, Mattie Stouffer and Nellie Barwick. Laura and Mary McKnett also sung a duet very beautifully, "Beautiful Little Hands." Next on the programme was Zion's Watchman by Harry Meredith, Rob, Walter and Frank Hill, Mr. Walter doing the singing. Then there was a recitation by seven boys and girls: Katie Vandyke, Katie Webb, Katie Hessner, Lily Redmile, Blanche Stouffer, Will Starrt and Eddie Stouffer, after which the secretary read her report, and Miss Fannie Garey gave an address on Japan. Then the collection was taken and the benediction pronounced and the congregation dismissed.

ACROSS THE BAY.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—A company, consisting of Misses Gulie Parrott, Irene Covington, Nellie Covington, Mary Parrott, May Price, Mary Stokes, Nettie Lederer, Fannie Sekeles, Sue Jump, Birdie Jump, Lulie Stevenson, Mamie Norris, and Messrs. Howard Turner, Jack Owens, Cowgill Alston, Harry Casey, George Parrott, John Parrott, Joe. Norris, Joe. Owens, H. L. Dodd, Henry Turner and T. D. Bowers, started from Betterton in two fast skiffs for the beautiful Island of Spesutia. The weather being unfavorable, we were detained for about an hour and a-half, but finally succeeded in having one of the most agreeable sails of the season across the bay. The wind being high, the waves were large in consequence; but our boat rode the stormy deep like the calm and tranquil Dolphin of old. None of the party were affected by the tossing of the boats but the Doctor and one young lady; fortunately, however, he had his instruments and case of medicine. The Island which we visited is one of the prettiest countries to be found anywhere. It is about three miles long, and studded with beautiful groves and green lawns, interspersed here and there with smooth flowing brooks. It is divided into three farms, which are all in a high state of cultivation. By invitation of Mr. Smith, the genial landlord of about eight hundred acres, we landed on his shores and pitched our tables beneath his trees. Lawn tennis and croquet were to have been engaged in, but the rain prevented. We left about half-past three, with a high wind, and reached Betterton about five o'clock, all delighted with the day's sport, and hoping some day in the near future to visit its beautiful haunts again. A PARTICIPANT.

THE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The last meeting of the Kent County Teachers' Association for the present scholastic year was held last Saturday. It being the meeting for the annual election of officers, the present incumbents, Messrs. Perkins, Topkin, Followfield and Miss Gooding were re-elected to respective positions of president, vice-president, rec. secretary and cor. secretary for the ensuing year.

The two questions: "What should be done with pupils who passed in a large majority of the studies, but failed in a few?" "Is a written examination a proper basis for the promotion of pupils?" were, at the suggestion of the president, combined and discussed as one. The discussion was participated in by quite a number of the teachers, who seemed to be of the general opinion that written examinations were necessary and a proper basis for promotions. In reference to a failure in a few of the studies it was stated that if the studies were important ones, such as arithmetic, grammer and reading, a pupil failing in these important studies should not be promoted. At times a pupil would pass a very creditable examination, and on account of being young there would be a risk of the breaking down mentally, those pupils should be held back. On the other hand, those who having had ample time and were unable to reach a very great degree of proficiency in a study, it would be encouraging to advance them to the next grade. Combining recitations and examination was thought advisable, and all seemed to think that in some cases the judgment of the teacher and not the examination, was the proper criterion for making promotions.

The question about advising pupils to continue their studies during vacation was discussed by the association, and while many were of the opinion that pupils should be advised to read good books and papers, only a few were of the opinion that pupils should be advised to study, and it was believed that advice of that kind would be unheeded by many.

A discussion of Sweet's Methods of Teaching was taken up. The first subject was "The Scholarship of Teachers," and among many statements under this head was this, that teachers who would stand high in public opinion must read, study, think observe and take an active part in the affairs of society outside of school lessons. "Teachers' Association" came next, and the writer showed very clearly the pleasures and benefits derived from association. "Educational Power," as exerted by teachers and schools, was read. The importance of physical training in conjunction with mental training, with a discussion of the ways and means, and also practical directions occupied the space of eight or ten pages. The examiner requested the teachers to give the matter of "Reading Circles" some reflection. In reply to a question he said that the reports of the annual examination should contain those numbers upon which promotions were made.

SAD DEATH OF TWO ENTERPRISING YOUTHS.—Two enterprising boys were instantly killed in Philadelphia last Saturday, while experimenting with a small steam engine. They were Harry and William Jesser, aged 15 and 17 years, sons of a baker at 621 South Third street. Henry owned a little steam engine about eighteen inches long, and the brothers procured a cylinder formerly used as the air chamber of a beer pump to serve as a boiler. It had no other vent than the half-inch pipe used to carry steam to the engine. Having erected a furnace they started a fire, which developed steam rapidly, and just as they were about to begin operations the boiler exploded with great force. Harry was instantly killed, and William so badly injured that he died within an hour, both being badly mangled. The boiler itself was thrown over the housetops into the front street.

VALEDICTORY OF WM. F. RUSSELL.

Gentlemen of the Board of Visitors and Governors of Washington College:—We do not come before you with hearts overwhelmingly laden with sorrow to utter a few parting words, but approach you in an earnest manner to thank you for what you have done for us and to promise that your kindness will ever be remembered.

We are satisfied that we have had advantages and privileges which we would not have otherwise received except through your benevolent action in giving us appointments in the institution over the destinies of which you preside. We are of the opinion that in discharging the duties that have been incumbent upon you in making modifications and changes, you have had a single eye directed and devoted hearts dedicated to what in your judgment was thought best for the prosperity and welfare of the college at large. We believe that in your deliberations wisdom has been your guide and in all steps you have been influenced by true and pure motives. Assuring you that your favors have been, and are still fully appreciated by us, and hoping that Washington College may be blest as a means of good to the minds and hearts of many, we now sever our relations from your honorable body, not however without some reluctance.

KIND INSTRUCTORS:

The members of the present class entertain for you sentiments of respect, esteem and affection. We likewise think kindly of Professors W. J. Rivers, F. L. Bardeen and A. E. Twiford. As the last two years of our collegiate course have been spent exclusively under your care, direction and guidance, we feel grateful to you for the patience you have manifested and for the lessons of importance you have taught. From you we have received suggestions, explanation and advice which have made the path easier, the road plainer and our difficulties less obscure. Since favorable opportunities to obtain a liberal education were presented we certainly ought to have availed ourselves of them and judiciously employed a proper portion of our time; if these have not been done there is no blame whatever to rest upon you, but the fault lies with us. Being satisfied that when thinking of kind ones our thoughts will instinctively turn upon those who constitute this faculty, we at this time can only offer you an affectionate farewell.

ACQUAINTANCES AND FRIENDS:

Were I to say that I feel embarrassed to any great degree or much confused while viewing the countenances now before me, I would depart somewhat from that which is true. While I feel free to speak to those with whom I have lived, I should remember that the rest of the class have, perhaps, during their stay here, formed ties of friendship more lasting than those made by me. As they are from other counties than this, and are now about to leave the soil of Kent, I think it more becomes me to speak rather in their behalf than for myself. I may be permitted to say to this indulgent public that whenever they have spoken of you they have used kind words; their opinions have been good; you have impressed them favorably; and while they came here as strangers they leave you as friends. Their relations with you have been agreeable and pleasant; their associations with the different churches, Sunday-schools and other organizations of the town have benefited them morally, mentally and socially. For the politeness and courtesy with which you have treated them, they extend, through me, their thanks. Now, because we have squeezed through the college spout, do not over estimate us; do not expect too much of us; do not think we can get along without your aid, for the smiles of the world are as necessary to the man's happiness as food is to the sustenance of his body. Thanking you for the manner in which you have greeted us, for the interest you have taken in us and for your kind attention, we bid you all, without exception and without reserve, a true and lasting farewell.

FELLOW STUDENTS:

Today, in accordance with the recommendations of the faculty, and with the permission of our Hon. Board of Visitors and Governors, we depart from those walls of learning, where all of us have frequently met, to enter as students no more. While it would be foolish to take us as a guide or model, yet it will be wise for you to profit by our defects. Do those things and do them well that we neglected or failed to do. Labor diligently, rely on yourselves, paddle your own canoe, let your work be methodical; for knowledge is certainly not picked up by chance, but is the product of patient and well regulated industry. At all stages of life, under all influences and amid the various scenes of business may your pleasures be many, your sorrows few. With feelings of sadness we say good-by.

ESTEEMED CLASSMATES:

Another commencement day has come and almost gone; our quartette is now to disband; in life we are just about to start; we stand at the threshold of the great unknown; what significance or insignificance time may have in store for us we do not know; all the possibilities of yet unrealized happiness, which we cherish, may lie hidden in the grasp of the near future. But the past is known, and as we look back upon it, we see its glooms and observe its charms. There are days that we would gladly forget, but there are more, we hope, that we cannot and would not cease to remember. For several years we have been working in classes side by side, and many hours have thus cheerfully passed. It may be, however, that certain circumstances or things said by us have, for a moment, caused a little unpleasantness, or dissatisfaction within our circle. If such has ever been produced by me I now offer an ample apology for any departure on my part from that which was correct, just and right. As time rolls on it is my wish that you may ever prove true and honorable men; may your lives be happy, your success unbounded. Young men of my class, good-by,

And in this world of change,
If never more we meet,
The memory that once we did,
Let it, I ask, be sweet.

Like ships upon the ocean we have met, like them we part.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN KENTUCKY.—A special to the Louisville Evening *Times* gives the following particulars of a triple tragedy in Bell county, Kentucky: G. W. Norwood, of Birmingham, Ala., a contractor on the Cumberland Valley extension, was murdered Saturday at his camp, near Cumberland Gap, by an Italian known as Toney Cravasso. Tony and his brother were bakers at the south end of Cumberland Gap tunnel, and had sold bread to some of Norwood's men, and had requested him to hold the men's pay till they could collect their bills. Norwood told them he could not withhold the men's pay except on a garnishee, and directed the Italians to a magistrate.

Saturday they called on Norwood and asked if he had their money. He told them he did not have any money for them, and walked out of the commissary store and entered a cabin adjoining. Just as he stepped in the door Toney, who had followed him, shot him in the back, killing him almost instantly. The Italians escaped to the woods, but they were captured Saturday night in Tennessee. They were brought back to Kentucky on Monday and were being conducted to the Pineville jail, when Judge Lynch took charge of them and gave them a trial, resulting in the hanging of the elder, Toney, and the sending of the brother to jail. The officers started for Pineville with the younger Cravasso, and as they were traveling along the road a Winchester rifle cracked on the mountain side and the prisoner fell in the road a corpse.

EXTRAORDINARY SCENES IN COURT—*Swearing by a Rooster's Blood.*—The trial of several Chinese in Philadelphia on the charge of gambling, has led to some extraordinary scenes in court. Some of the witnesses, in addition to being sworn on the Bible, take a Chinese form of oath on a broken saucer, and one of them was sworn by a rooster's blood. The rooster was brought into court alive, the witness was required to chop off its head, and its blood was then burned in a spittoon, the witness swearing to tell the truth, and adding: "If I don't tell the truth myself and whole family will lie, and I pronounce it with my own mouth. If I tell a lie to help the gambling case, may I die in the destruction of sinking down to the bottomless sea and my stomach burst open and no ground to bury my body." The interpreter explained to the court that heathen Chinamen believed that if they lied after taking this oath the rooster's spirit would come back to trouble them. The defense of the gamblers is that they only play checkers, and the court permitted them to play a game for its edification. The Chinese say it is like our checkers, but the prosecution alleges that the checkers or chips represent money.

RED-NOSED MIKES' FATE.

He Pays the Penalty for the Murder of McClure and Flanagan.

Michael Rizzello alias "Red-Nosed Mike," was hanged in the jail yard at Wilkesbarre, Pa., Tuesday morning. It will be well remembered that he was the notorious Italian who on the 19th of October last murdered Paymaster J. B. McClure and Stable Boss Hugh Flanagan on the mountain road above that city. His last night was spent in prayer. He refused to partake of breakfast, taking only a cup of milk, and saying to the sheriff that he was ready and to hurry his work without delay, as he was prepared to die. He was courageous to the very last, walking to the scaffold, accompanied by Rev. Father O'Haran, of Wilkesbarre. Father Chorisco, of Scranton, and Fathers Dunn and Chorist, of Plains. Before leaving his cell Hangman Atkinson, of New York, adjusted the short noose about Rizzello's neck and placed the black cap upon his head. On being led under the hanging rope, from which dangled the hook, a few prayers were offered by the priests. Atkinson then stepped quickly in front of the murderer and unbuttoned his loose coat, lifted the loop, at the end of the noose and passed it over the hook over his head. A signal with uplifted hand was given to the hangman's assistant, who brought a sharp axe down upon the slender rope supporting the 400-pound weight, and at 10.10 A. M. Rizzello was swaying to and fro in the air. Several convulsive movements were the only signs of life, though he died very hard. At 11 o'clock he was pronounced dead by Dr. Kirwan, the prison physician. The remains were then cut down and placed in a coffin. Examination by the physicians showed that the neck was not broken and death resulted from strangulation. His body was then taken by the undertaker and removed to the Catholic Cemetery for burial.

FLAMES IN JOHNSTOWN.

Twenty-Four Houses Destroyed in the Stricken City.

A fire broke out at Johnstown, Pa., on Monday afternoon in the wrecks of houses remaining in the First ward. It was caused by sparks from the burning drift at the stone bridge and before its progress was arrested it consumed all but three of the buildings in the district bounded by Market and Walnut streets and by Main street and the river.

The Philadelphia firemen with their engines fought the conflagration valiantly, but without much effect. The buildings destroyed were worth about $20,000, added to which were the contents of a number of the best-preserved houses, consisting of rescued house-hold goods which had been stored there for safe keeping. The total loss will amount to at least $30,000. The fire caused terrific excitement and sensational bulletins were sent in every direction.

A movement is on foot among the citizens of Johnstown Pa., to sue the South Fork Fishing Club for damages caused by the late disaster. The firm of John Thomas & Sons, who lost heavily, will set the ball rolling by bringing suit for $150,000. A strong legal fight will be made, and if the plaintiffs succeed their example will doubtless be followed by other business men.

Twenty-four of the Chicago portable houses arrived Tuesday morning. They were placed in position that afternoon and occupied at night. Clara Barton of the Red Cross Society asked General Hastings for transportation for twenty-five of the more destitute people, largely females, to Asbury Park, N. J., where Colonel Elliott F. Sheppard of the *Mail and Express* has offered to maintain them for a month. General Hastings promptly furnished the tickets, and the society sent the people away.

More Honors for Capt. Murrell.

A delegation of Danish-American citizens, representing New York, Washington and Baltimore, who had with them Louis Muller's realistic painting of the transfer of the passengers and crew of the Danish steamship Danmark to the Missouri in midocean, April 6, 1889, boarded the latter ship at her moorings at Baltimore on Monday and presented the same to Capt. Murrell, accompanied with the following appropriate address by Mr. M. I. Jackson:

"On behalf of Danes of New York, Washington and Baltimore, we are here assembled to bring our sincerest thanks to you, your officers and crew, for your noble act in rescuing our countrymen from the sinking steamer Danmark. As a token of our gratitude we beg to present you with this painting representing the transfer of passengers and crew from the Danmark, painted by our countryman, Mr. Muller. We trust you will accept our gift with the same friendly sentiments as we present it to you, and that you at all times, when you look at it, will remember your Dauish friends in America."

The young captain, in receiving the beautiful decoration, said he understood the expression it implied, and he would live up to its requirements, and nothing dishonorable should ever be reflected upon it. Capt. Murrell has expressed the intention of becoming an American citizen.

BALTIMORE CAR LINES CHANGING HANDS.—A syndicate of Philadelphia capitalists is buying up the stock of street railway companies in Baltimore, with the view of introducing the cable system. The capitalists making the purchase, says the *Sun*, are mainly members of the Philadelphia Traction Company, who will cable the Citizens' Road and include in their system the People's line. It is not stated how soon the alteration will be made, but all the gentlemen concerned think that it will follow closely upon the completion of the purchase and the organization of the company. The leading men in the corporation are all millionaires, some of them many times over, and nearly all their money has come out of street car lines. All of the stock, par value $20, was readily parted with at the net price of $38 a share, no one getting more than that.

A dispatch to the *Sun* from Philadelphia says: "The Traction Company now controls 150 miles of street railways in this city, and has 35 car-houses, stables, &c., besides 12 depots, nearly 1,000 cars and three engine houses, with enormous machinery for running cable lines that extend in the aggregate over 20 miles. The traction syndicate, composed of substantially the same men, owns and operates the principal lines of Chicago, some important roads in Boston and New York, and roads in various other cities. They are constantly seeking new fields of investment in a business they understand thoroughly, and for which they have numerous trained subordinates usually sent out from this city to start their new undertakings."

FOUR PERSONS DROWNED AT PHILADELPHIA.—On Sunday afternoon two young gentlemen, accompanied by two young ladies, all probably under twenty years of age, engaged a rowboat at one of the boathouses on the Schuylkill river in Fairmount Park, and started out for an afternoon's pleasure. They ventured too close to Fairmount dam, and, owing to a break in the crest of the structure, which caused an unusual heavy flow of water, their boat was drawn over and all four of the occupants were drowned. The bodies were recovered. Hundreds of people witnessed the accident from the Callowhill street bridge, but were powerless to render assistance. The victims of the fatal accident are: John DeBarry, 17 years old; William Strawbridge Cassner, 18 years old; Mary A. Young, 18 years old; Rosaline Eattock, 14 years old. The two boys were chums, and had known each other from childhood. They were always in each other's company. When taken out of the water they were clasped in each other's arms. They were indeed friends—companions in life and companions in death. John kept company with Mary Young and William with Rosaline Eattock.

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BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers for yesterday quote as follows:

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HISTORY of the JOHNSTOWN FLOOD,

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TAKE NOTICE!

The Tax Books of Medford M. Rasin, for the Third Election District for the years 1886 and 1887, have been placed in my hands with instructions to make collections immediately. All persons indebted will therefore find it to their interest to call and settle at once, as the books must be closed.
j8-tf. ADAM DIEHL.

Mortgagee's Sale of a Fine Farm.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage from Gary H. Leaverton and wife to Julia Leary, dated the 6th day of January, 1887, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 8, Folios 531, &c., one of the Land Record Books of Kent county, Md., as by reference thereto will appear, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on **TUESDAY, July 24, 1889,** at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, ALL THAT FARM, situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, adjoining the lands of Benj. F. Beck, Richard Hynson and others, now occupied by Gary H. Leaverton, and containing **230 ACRES OF LAND,** more or less. There are 2,500 Peach Trees, 6 Acres of Asparagus, and valuable small fruits. The improvements consist of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING, with excellent and ample Out-Buildings.

TERMS OF SALE will be cash on day of sale, or terms may be modified by the purchaser paying $1,000 cash, and assuming the payment of a $7,000 mortgage held on the farm and subject to the lien of which this sale will be made.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Attorney named in Mortgage.
B. B. WROTH, Auc'r. j8-ts.

Private Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

THE undersigned as attorney has for sale TWO FINE FARMS and VALUABLE WHARF PROPERTY, known as BUCK NECK LANDING, belonging to James Shuster. This property will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Any one desiring fuller information concerning terms of sale, &c., will please apply to the undersigned.

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
j8-4t. Att'y for James Shuster.

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209 Market Street, Wilmington, Del.
April 27, 1889—3m.

Legal Notices.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Charles T. Westcott, Trustee,
versus
William Perkins and wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 27th day of June, 1889, that the sales of the real estate of William Perkins, made and reported by CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 30th day of August, next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of July next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,575.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy, Test—
June 29, 1889—4t. SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Wm. M. Slay, administrator of C. C. Perkins,
versus
James Willis and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 21st day of June, 1889, that the sale of the real estate in the proceedings in the above entitled cause mentioned, made and reported by WILLIAM M. SLAY, trustee under the decree in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23d day of August next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 23d day of Sept. next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $4,200.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy, Test.—
June 22, 1889—4t. SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Daniel C. Crew and wife,
versus
Philip E. Crew and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, May Term, 1889.

ORDERED, this 13th day of June, 1889, that the sale made and reported by MARION DEK. SMITH, trustee in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of August next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of July next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $5,442.16.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy, Test—
June 15, 1889—4t. SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

RISDON RINGGOLD,

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 11th day of December, 1889, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand this 4th day of June, 1889.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
June 8, 1889—4t. Administrator c. t. a.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

By virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by law, as collector of taxes for the years 1887 and 1888, of the First Election District of Kent county, State of Maryland, I have seized and taken in execution

All that LOT of LAND, with the Improvements thereon,

situate on the south side of Cypress street, in the town of Millington, adjoining the lands of the Love and Charity Society and others. It being the same lot of land sold and conveyed to James F. Sprigg and others by Thomas R. Quimby, by deed dated Nov. 10 1888, and recorded among the land records for Kent county, in Liber S. B., No. 10, Folio 188, &c., and is assessed on my books, as collector, aforesaid, to James Sprigg. And I hereby give notice, that

On MONDAY, the 1st day of July, 1889, at 2½ o'clock P. M.,

on said advertised premises, in the town of Millington, aforesaid, I will sell for cash said property, at Public Sale to satisfy and pay the taxes now due and owing me as collector, aforesaid, on said property for the years 1887 and 1888, as follows:

1887, State tax on $400 @ 15½ cents.....$ 75
" County tax on $400 @ 87 " 3 44
1888, State tax on $400 @ 17½ " 71
" County tax on $400 @ 91 " 3 64

together with interest due and to become due thereon and costs, EUGENE GOODING,
June 8-ts. [$7.90]. Collector of Taxes 1st District.

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