Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN - AUG. 10, 1889.

GOV. JACKSON has ordered State's Attorney Kerr to proceed against certain social clubs in Baltimore city which, it is stated, have misused their charters.

GOVERNOR JACKSON has appointed Associate Judge David Fowler chief judge of the third judicial circuit, to succeed Hon. George Yellott, who had become disqualified by age.

PRESIDENT HARRISON returned to Washington from Deer Park last week and left that city for Bar Harbor on Tuesday accompanied by Secretaries Windom and Proctor and Private Secretary Halford. He expects to spend about ten days the guest of Secretary Blaine.

MR. CHARLES A. BUSTEED has sold his interest in the Centreville *Observer* to Wm. J. Price, Jr., and that paper will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of Roberts, Price and Roberts. We wish the new firm even greater prosperity than was enjoyed by their predecessors.

LAST Saturday night, between nine and ten o'clock, an altercation took place in front of Donohoe's Hotel, in Leitersburg, Washington county, Md., between Michael Zimmerman and Robert B. Slick, in which Slick was stabbed in the left side midway between the arm and hip, from the effects of which he died Sunday morning about ten o'clock. Zimmerman was arrested and lodged in jail to await the action of the grand jury.

CAPTAIN JAMES H. RIGBY, commander of the famous "Rigby Battery" of the Purnell Legion during the civil war, died suddenly Monday morning from heart disease, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. John G. Hicks, 1728 East Madison street, Baltimore, with whom he resided. Captain Rigby had been suffering with heart trouble and the dropsy for about seventeen months.

THE Philadelphia *Times* has been sued for $30,000 damages for libel by the United States Funeral Directing Company. The company having failed to pay its hands on Saturday, the *Times* of Monday contained a long article stating this fact and representing that the company was bankrupt. This stirred up creditors all around and the company was beset by them, though the officers declare that the company is solvent, and hence arises the suit for damages.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN, the pugilist, has been arrested and taken to Mississippi to answer for violating the laws of that State by engaging in a prize-fight on its soil. When Jackson was reached Sullivan was met by a crowd of sports and marched to the hotel, where dinner had been provided for them. The crowd followed and shouted for Sullivan. This demonstration so angered the Governor that he ordered Sullivan locked up in the city jail, saying he did not intend to allow a prisoner charged with a serious crime to be holding a levee and making a farce of justice. The authorities are also on the search for Kilrain.

SUITS FOR DAMAGES.—Notwithstanding the coroner's jury exonerated the officers of the steamer, four suits for damages against the Tolchester Excursion Company, growing out of the accident on Sunday night, July 28, by which three lives were lost in the harbor, have been docketed in the Superior Court of Baltimore. The suits are one by Leon Kolb, father of Mary Kolb; one by Mary Pietz, mother of John Pietz, for $20,000 each; one by Annie Kolb, sister of Mary, who was thrown out of the boat but rescued, and a fourth suit by Louis Diering, who was also rescued. Each of the latter two suits is for $5,000.

THE Baltimore grain dealers complain of the small receipts of grain from the West. The recent restoration of wheat rates to a basis of 25 cents per 100 pounds from Chicago to New York gives the lake and canal route to New York such an advantage that grain now goes, it is said, to New York by water, having to a great extent abandoned the railroads. The advantage of the water route over the rail route it is said to be at present one cent per 100 pounds, which is enough to control. If the B. and O. would cut the wheat rate again to 20 cents on the New York basis, the lake and canal route would, it is claimed, lose the traffic, and it would come to Baltimore.

A MOVEMENT has been inaugurated in Vicksburg, Miss., originating with Confederate veterans, to have a grand reunion of the veterans of the blue and the gray from all parts of the country in that historic city on next Decoration Day, May 30, 1890. Letters have been sent to the different State societies of the Confederate Veterans' Association and to the various posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, asking their co-operation in carrying out the plan proposed. A committee will be sent to the meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic in Milwaukee, next September, to lay the plan before the chiefs of that society for their consideration.

WILLIAM DOLAN, living on East Lanvale street, Baltimore, killed his wife last Saturday night by shooting her in the breast with a pistol and then killed himself. The act is attributed to jealousy, for which there was believed to be no justifiable cause. The neighbors thought Dolan and his wife lived peaceably together, and they had been to the theatre in company on the evening of the homicide. Dolan had been book-keeper for the firm of J. & H. Mann for fifteen years and possessed the utmost confidence of his employers, who are utterly at a loss to account for his strange conduct. Mr. Jacob Mann said there could not be anything in the way of his business relations with the firm to have caused trouble, for he never handled the cash, though he would have been trusted with anything. It is said that he had been drinking hard of late.

A GREAT CONFLAGRATION.—The new city of Spokane Falls, in what will soon be the State of Washington, was visited by a conflagration Sunday night which swept away the entire business section, including the newly-erected public buildings. So complete was the destruction that communication with the outside world was cut off for the time being. Twenty-five solidly-built blocks of brick and stone buildings were destroyed, with their contents, involving a loss of about fourteen million dollars. The city has grown rapidly as an industrial centre, being situated on the Spokane river, close to the Cour d'Alene mining region, on the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad. This is the second great disaster by fire that has visited the new State of Washington the business section of Seattle having been burned on Friday, June 8, less than two months ago, causing a loss of ten millions of dollars.

THE chair-caning work by the Maryland House of Correction prisoners will, it is said, pay the institution $500 a month.

PIMLICO.

The objective point of every visitor to Baltimore during the exposition will be these well-known and justly celebrated grounds. Messrs. Basshor & Co. are busy placing the necessary machinery to provide motive power in the buildings. The demand for space for every purpose has been so large that immense buildings have been erected and ample arrangements made to accommodate all who may attend. The restaurant will occupy a large room, specially provided, and meals served promptly and at reasonable prices. The railroad facilities for taking people to and from the grounds will be ample. The number and variety of the exhibits will surpass any former display in this State. The magnificent floats of the historic committee, as well as those of the trades and industries, will be parked at Pimlico, where they can be viewed every day. The great stock sale every morning will probably attract as many visitors as any feature of the exhibition, and so splendid an opportunity to combine business with pleasure is seldom offered. General Frank Brown is determined that the exposition shall be a grand success, and his energy has attracted and enlisted the support and co-operation of the live business men throughout the State. Let every one of our readers resolve and do their best and a grand success will be the result.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS.—We are informed by Mr. Franklin, the railroad agent here, that the pier at Woodland Beach will be completed by Wednesday next, and that the float, which will carry 27 cars, is already finished, and a tug is waiting on the spot. It is expected that one or two excursions may be run to Cape May during the season, either by water from Woodland Beach or by ferry across the bay and thence by rail. The reinauguration of these cheap and delightful excursions would be hailed with gladness by our citizens.

THE returns up to Wednesday morning from the State election in Kentucky held on Monday show that the democrats have an increased plurality of 18,000 over the election of two years ago, and that Monday's majority will reach 35,000. The last Legislature stood 102 democrats and 36 opposition. That elected Monday will consist of 114 democrats and 24 republicans.

THE warring Democratic factions in Anne Arundel county have harmonized at last and will hold their county nominating convention on the 10th of September. Everything points to Democratic success in November.

MAYOR LATROBE, of Baltimore, has forwarded to Gov. Beaver the balance of $17,502.81 collected in the mayor's office for the flood sufferers. The balance of the Maryland fund will be distributed in a few days by the committee.

THE Queen Anne's county tax rate has been fixed at 91 cents on the $100—making the tax rate for the year for county and State 108¾ cents.

DEATH IN THE PIG PEN.—Dr. C. W. Chancellor, the State health physician, has this to say about pig pens: Notwithstanding it may be considered a harsh law which would prevent a poor person keeping a pig when he believes it to be profitable to him, yet there are certain situations in which pigs ought not to be kept at all, viz: First, adjoining or near a dwelling house, for in such situation the windows cannot be opened without admitting the foul emanations of the pig-sty, however well it be kept; second, immediately adjoining a public road, street or highway.

It is a frequent question asked by those who wish to conform to sanitary regulations: "At what distance from a dwelling house they may keep a pig?" This would seem to depend upon the state in which the sty is kept. If it should be kept in a filthy condition, it should be, unhesitatingly, removed at least one mile beyond the town limits; if the floor be such that the filth can be easily removed from it, and if a sufficient supply of water be at hand, and the sty be kept in such a condition as not to be a nuisance, the minimum distance which should be insisted on in all such cases is one hundred and fifty feet from any dwelling house and fifty feet from any public highway or street, and then the solid and liquid filth should be removed and buried at least once in every twenty-four hours, in order to prevent the formation of injurious gases, or at least to lessen this quantity. The paramount necessity of cleanliness and dryness in and about a pig-pen cannot be too frequently reiterated. The floor should be swept and washed clean every day, and subsequently sprinkled with fresh sawdust. There is no better absorbent, no cleaner material than this, and it is both cheap and easily obtained. The pen should also be frequently lime-washed.

MEMORIAL CHURCH IN EASTON.—Plans have been prepared by Mr. W. P. Wentworth, a Boston architect, for a new church for the congregation of Trinity Cathedral, Easton, which will be a memorial to the late Right Rev. Henry Chamlin Lay, first bishop of the diocese of Easton. Bishop Lay himself laid the foundations for such an enterprise by the purchase of several lots of land, when they were cheap, on Railroad avenue, which are now very valuable, being in one of the best built-up sections of the town.

The new cathedral will be built in about the centre of the cathedral lot. The length will be one hundred feet, the width of the nave forty feet, with two transepts, each ten feet in width. The pews will seat 300 people. Thirty-two choristers are provided with choir stalls. The organ chamber is provided for in the west transept, and the robing-room is an annex to the east transept. The plan calls for three nave aisles, one centre, six feet wide, and two next the side walls, two and one-half feet wide each.

The erection of the cathedral is a certainty. The material for the walls will be Port Deposit granite; the inside finish of Southern pine.—*Cor. Balto. Sun.*

THE PROHIBITIONISTS.—The prohibition State convention at Glyndon Park, on the 1st instant, unanimously nominated Dr. D. E. Stone, of Frederick county, for State comptroller, adopted a platform and elected a new State central committee. There is no ambiguity in its declaration of principles. It proclaims unalterable opposition to "every form of license or compromise," and reasserts its belief that prohibition is the only remedy for the evils of the liquor traffic. Both the "old" parties are censured for their attitude towards the liquor question, and the success of prohibition is declared to depend on separate party organization. The exportation of rum and liquors to heathen countries is denounced as a gigantic evil, for which national prohibition is held to be the only remedy. The planks declaring that persons who sell or buy votes should be disfranchised and that the formation of trusts should be prevented, embody ideas, says the *Sun*, which will commend themselves to many voters who are not prohibitionists.

THE BABY WORRIES HIM.—I'll tell you my daily prayer: Less rain, plenty of good peaches, and *baby McKee taken from the White House* to the jungles of Indiana, where (if there be such a place) newspaper reporters never go.—THOMAS PERRY, *Salisbury Advertiser.*

IT PAYS BETTER.—HON. Chas. H. Gibson has been log rolling in Bayside for the past two weeks. He says it is a new kind and pays better than the old. He has paid out many thousands of dollars to those who were fortunate enough to have farms on the bay shore. There are yet many logs there to be settled for.

PEACH NOTES.

Peaches sold on Light Street, Baltimore, yesterday at $1.50 per basket.

Mr. A. J. Hynson has sold his whole crop of peaches at 85 cents per basket, to be delivered on Chester river. His farm is in Queen Anne's, near Chester river bridge, and the purchasers, Messrs. Rice, Lamotte & Co., will ferry the peaches over. Mr. Hynson expects the orchard to yield two or three thousand baskets.

A few peaches are going to market from shipping points in Kent, but the crop is almost a total failure in this section. We do not know of a single orchard near Chestertown with a sixth of a crop. Numerous large orchards will fail of an average yield of a hundred baskets.

Rice, Lamotte & Co.'s cannery in Chestertown began work Tuesday, on peaches. About one hundred hands are employed, two-thirds of them from Baltimore city. Mr. Lamotte says the city hands are experienced parers and cutters and are more desirable on that account than the hands picked up in country towns. He is using about 350 baskets per day, mostly standard fruit, and has paid this week as much as 75c. per basket for Crawford's Early.

The cannery of Messrs. Burchinal, Downey & Co., in Chestertown, we understand will begin operations next week.

None of the peach drying establishments in Kent are likely to be put in operation this season, on account of the scarcity of fruit and the quantity of old stock on hand.

The peach season is likely to be short this year. The varieties are ripening early and running into each other very much to the aggravation of the grower. Crawford's Early are going in this week and the Reeves variety are said to be ready to go.

The finest peaches we have yet heard of going to market from Kent this season were shipped to Baltimore last Monday by Mr. Wm. B. Stephens, of Worton. They were of the Mountain Rose variety, in small crates, thirds, and brought $2.50 per box, about ten cents a piece.

Peaches have been retailing in Chestertown at the stores for ten cents a dozen the past week and not extra at that.

Prices in Baltimore for peaches this week have been good—yellows from 50c. to $1.50 per basket according to quality.

Mr. John Z. Clark, near Lynch's, received $1.75 per basket for yellow peaches in Philadelphia last Thursday.

The canning men in Baltimore are said to be buying peaches freely. They say there is no over supply of standard canned fruit but that pie fruit is a drug.

Eighty-two car loads of peaches went over the Delaware road on Tuesday—27 to Philadelphia, 34 to Jersey City, and balance to other points. There will not be a peach famine though Kent has so few.

The peach shipments over the Delaware railroad up to and including Thursday were 588 car loads.

Three car loads of peaches went up on the Kent road last Thursday—all except a few baskets being from Kennedyville and Lynch's.

Peach buyers are at the stations on the Kent road but prices rule most too high for them.

From Kennedyville, Mr. Bedford Roe reports that his Mountain Rose cleared him from 58c. to 90c. in New York. He has just finished his Foster's and will start with his Reeves next Monday. He will have five or six thousand baskets.

THE NICHOLSON CREAMERY.—We acknowledge the receipt of a sample of ice-cream and butter from the Creamery of Messrs. R. G. & W. T. Nicholson, Chestertown. Both were first class—the butter equal to the very best prints of the most expert farmer's wife, and the ice-cream up to the highest standard of flavor and make. Our farmers who are furnishing milk to the creamery say that it pays them much better than to use at home in butter-making, &c., and think the Messrs. Nicholson have done a good thing for the farming interest to establish the enterprise.

The creamery is complete in every respect. The machinery is of the latest and most perfect patterns and the establishment is able to use up as much as ten thousand gallons of milk per day. As yet they have been able to get not more than one-fourth of that quantity.

Washington College.

The next session of this college will begin Sept. 18. The board of visitors and friends of this old and honored institution have determined to infuse additional life into it by the adoption of new features and a general progressive policy which will surely increase its patronage and usefulness. Eastern Shore parents and guardians, having boys to send to college, will do well to compare it with any other—in location, in healthfulness, in rates, in moral advantages, &c., &c. The faculty will be composed of three of the former teachers—Messrs. Micou, Watts and Clarke—all of them educators of high reputation and eminently qualified for the chairs they fill, together with a principal of sound learning, integrity and enterprise.

RIVER SPORT.—A goodly company gathered at Quaker Neck wharf last Thursday to witness the boat racing, but on account of the light breeze the sport was nothing to what it would have been. The first race arranged was between Wm. H. Lambert's "Happy Sisters" and John Dickerson's "Veto," over a two mile course, rounding buoys above and below the wharf. There was no purse and the "Veto" came in first.

The second race was to admit skiffs and bateaux and run over a three mile course. The following boats were present but on account of the light wind did virtually no racing. Bateaux: Dude, Capt. Thos. Hadaway; Estelle, E. B. Emory; Veto, John Dickerson; Virdie, Neal Hadaway. Skiffs: Puck, H. C. Brown; Happy Sisters, W. H. Lambert. Won by Dude, with Estelle second.

IT IS ASTONISHING how good and reliable goods can be sold so cheap. A. Friedman has applied the knife to all of his spring and summer clothing; some cut at cost, others away below cost. The reason he gives us for so doing is that he don't want to carry anything over. Read his adv.

A HANDSOME MONUMENT has been erected to the memory of the late B. S. Ford in the M. E. Cemetery at North East in Cecil county.

HERE is an item from Cape May: Husband hunters are at Cape May in force this summer. An observing person may see them in the lobbies of the big hotels surrounding their managing mammas, who would like awfully well to corner the matrimonial market. It is really surprising to learn that these mothers of large families of marriageable girls keep a list of available men whom they would not object to have as sons-in-law. But the men are not so easily caught by these *resort tactics.* They are conversant with the tactics resorted to, and there must be something more than mere show if they are to be captivated.

A MARKET gardener in the District of Columbia who killed a colored man while stealing onions was discharged on a verdict of justifiable homicide rendered by the coroner's jury.

REMOVAL.—The telegraph and express office has been removed to the room on Market Space adjoining the law office of James A. Pearce, Esq.

TWO DAILY TRAINS are now being run over the Kent road and will be continued during the peach season. See revised time tables for particulars.

IF you want to enjoy a splendid supper of fish, crabs, &c., and a good time generally, be sure to visit "Plum Point" next Friday evening.

THE NEW MAIL AGENT.—Alfred E. Johnson, colored, the new mail agent on the Kent road, made his first trip down on Thursday and has entered regularly upon the work. He is a very bright mulatto.

THE FIREWORKS at Tolchester on Wednesday evening were the most beautiful yet witnessed and attracted large numbers of people. The bursting bombs and shooting rockets were seen many miles away. Another exhibition was announced for last evening.

A NEW LOCATION.—Mr. Wm. H. Cacy has purchased the large phosphate factory on Chester river, near Chestertown, formerly owned by Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co., and says with the additional facilities thus afforded he is better able to supply his increasing trade.

LOGS SLOW MOVING.—A gentleman somewhat versed in the matter gives it as his opinion that, at the rate of progress now making in getting the logs removed from Rock Hall creek and the bay shore, it will require about *three years* to finish the job. It may be, however, that the saw mill company will expedite matters a little.

LAND SALES.—Messrs. R. Hynson and C. T. Westcott, trustees, sold on Tuesday the Godwin farm, near Crumpton, 150 acres, to Mr. Geo. E. Harrison, of Crumpton at $45.75 per acre.

The Riley mill property, about 90 acres, was sold on the same day by C. T. Westcott, attorney for mortgagee, to Miss Alice J. Willson for $3,000.

THE SICK.—Mr. H. S. Barnett, the brickmaker, is reported convalescent, and Mr. S. H. Crawford and Mr. S. L. Rawleigh were somewhat better yesterday, but both yet quite sick. Mr. J. Thos. Blackiston, tenant on the almshouse farm, is ill of typhoid fever, with slightly favorable symptoms yesterday morning. He is attended by Dr. Hines.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.—The steamer Corsica commenced her daily round trips on Monday last—which will be continued during peach season—leaving Baltimore at 7 o'clock A. M. Returning, will leave Crumpton at 3 P. M. and Chestertown at 5.30 P. M. This is an admirable arrangement, as by it shippers will be given the advantage of having the longest possible time for gathering their fruit, and at the same time have it delivered at the earliest moment and in time for the morning market.

DROWNED.—The 17-year-old-son of Mr. Samuel Loller, of Queen Anne's county, was drowned Thursday afternoon about four o'clock. A search was made by William Dunn of this town and others and the body found at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and from the position of his arms and limbs it is supposed that he was attacked with cramp. This young man had gone in bathing in Resin creek, about a mile above this town nearly opposite Morgan's creek.

THE steamer Chester made an excursion from Crumpton to Bay Ridge on Wednesday. She stopped here about eight o'clock on her way down the river with about three hundred merry excursionists on board and would no doubt have augmented her crowd at our wharf but for the fact that our people are waiting for the great combination excursion to the same place next Wednesday on the splendid steamer Emma Giles.

FERTILIZERS.—W. N. E. Wickes, Esq., offers to the farming community the well known and reliable fertilizers prepared by the "Listers" and H. S. Miller & Co. See notice of "Pure Bone Phosphates" in another column.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son advertise their "A. A. Bone Superphosphate" as "the great wheat and clover producer," and offer it at $27 per ton on time. Read their advertisement in another column.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co. announce that their goods will be kept at their usual standard and that they can sell cheaper than ever. See their card.

BASEBALL.—Our Still Pond correspondent sends us the following: The third of the series of games between the Still Pond and Locust Grove clubs was played at Locust Grove on Saturday afternoon last, the record prior to that date being one game each. The heavy sluggers of the Still Pond nine were too many for their opponents, and the game ended with the score 15 to 6 in favor of the Still Ponders.

REMOVED TO THE FAIR GROUNDS.—For want of increased accommodation's Mr. J. M. Startt has removed from the Chestertown track to the Fair Grounds, where he has the following horses in training: Wm. Archibald's sorrel mare, May, very promising; W. W. Stephens' bay stallion, Grover S., going very finely and bids fair to go fast; Allie Baker's stallion, Harry, a smooth and very handsome gaited horse; Mr. Black Rasin's bay mare, Lady, promises to make a fast trotter; W. C. A. Thompson's gray gelding, Jack, getting in fine condition and showing quarters in 2.20 gait. Side wheelers had better look out for him this fall. Also a number of other horses.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS met on the 6th instant pursuant to adjournment, and all present except Mr. Ernest, of the fifth district. Two orders of $500 each were drawn upon Eugene Gooding, collector, on levy for jail bonds and interest, checks for which had been received before day of meeting. An order was also drawn upon James W. Ivens, collector, for amount of jail bonds and interest in his hands, which was paid and money deposited in bank. Check drawn to the order of Wm. Morris for $1,030, to redeem jail bond No. 4, and coupon for July interest, presented by Mr. Hurtt, express agent, were redeemed and canceled. H. W. Vickers, as one of the sureties of George S. Biddle, collector, passed his check to county commissioners for $350, on account of judgment against said Biddle and sureties. W. C. Eliason, president of the Tolchester Beach Improvement Company, appeared before the board to induce them to mark out the line of the county road and public landing at Tolchester, which the board agreed to do at an early day.

ORPHANS' COURT, Aug. 6, 1889.—Present, Judges Walker, Fisher and Moffett.

Letters testamentary upon the estate of Robt. W. Pearson were granted to Robert L. Pearson, and Monday Clements and Albert Medders were appointed to appraise said estate. Letters testamentary upon the estate of George W. Chrisfield were granted to O. Briscoe Chrisfield, and T. H. Horsey and J. Thos. Penington were appointed to appraise said estate. Hope H. Barroll, adm'r d. b. n. c. t. a. of John Schwatka, passed his first and final adm's account. There was no application for the vacant scholarship in the Baltimore Female College.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Richard Hynson, Esq., started on Thursday for the White Sulphur Springs, where he will probably remain until the first of September.

J. A. Pearce, Esq., and wife leave next Monday for a short summer tour. They will go by sea to Boston and thence to the White Mountains, returning by the Lakes, and will be absent about two weeks.

H. W. Vickers, Esq., accompanied by his wife and daughter Mary, will start next Monday for a tour Northward. They will take the steamer at Baltimore on Tuesday and go by sea to Providence, thence by rail to Boston, and after spending a few days there will go to the White Mountains. Before returning home they will visit Montreal, Canada, and try a voyage on the grand St. Lawrence river. They expect to be absent two or three weeks.

William M. Slay, Esq., and wife will go to Cape May next week for a stay of about two weeks.

Prof. A. E. Twiford, formerly of Washington College, is at Narragansett Pier, Rhode Island. He will soon start upon a four years' tour of the world as the traveling companion and tutor of the minor son of Mr. George Earle, a New York millionaire. For this service it is understood that Prof. Twiford is handsomely remunerated.

Mrs. Richard Hynson, Miss Carrie Hynson and Mrs. Marian Rodgers and her two children left yesterday morning for Berkley Springs for a sojourn of several weeks.

Mrs. C. V. Newman, of West Washington, D. C., is spending a few weeks at her old home in Broad Neck.

Miss Bessie Woodall, daughter of Mr. J. F. M. Woodall, of Georgetown, is spending the summer with school friends in Greenbrier, Virginia.

Mrs. Wilbur Eliason, Mrs. H. M. Brown and Miss Anna R. Brown went to Cape May on Thursday to spend two weeks.—Mrs. T. W. Eliason, Jr., was prevented from going on account of the illness of one of her children.

Mr. James L. Beck and wife gave a delightful entertainment to a large company of friends at their home, near Tolchester, last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wash. Skirven are at the Blue Ridge Mountains for their health.

Miss Mattie Strayer, of Baltimore, is visiting at Mr. H. Rickey's, in Chestertown.

Miss Sadie Burgess is visiting in Howard county.

Mr. W. F. Jones and family, of Baltimore, are camping out near Queenstown.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin is visiting at Saratoga and other prominent summer resorts.

Mr. Samuel Beck, Jr., is the guest of Mr. Jack Constable, of Elkton.

Mr. Wm. A. Colescott and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting the latter's parents, at Lankford.

Miss Effie Taylor and Miss Eva Clayton, two young ladies of Baltimore, formerly of Chestertown, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Julia Thompson went to Washington on Thursday and will spend the remainder of the school vacation with her aunt in that city.

Miss Nellie Gist, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Grace Turner.

Mr. George W. Smith, Jr., of Baltimore, is visiting his parents on Maple avenue.

Miss Julia Todd, of Church Hill, is the guest of Mrs. Joel R. Clements.

Henry C. Kennard, Jr., of Baltimore, is rusticating at Mr. Samuel A. Merritt's, Locust Grove.

Mr. George R. Webb, formerly of this town, but now with Oehm's Acme Hall, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. D. B. Stewart and family, of Baltimore, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stewart, near town.

Mr. John W. Usilton, of the Government printing office, Washington, and his wife are visiting relatives in Kent.

Mr. John Davis, of this town, who is one of the guards at the House of Correction, is at home on ten days' leave of absence.

David B. Perkins, one of Chestertown's popular young clerks—with Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—has gone on a week's trip to Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.

Dr. W. S. Twilley, of Baltimore, is home on his summer vacation. He is accompanied by Messrs. Locamp and Harry Fells.

Miss Carrie Hollyday, of Baltimore, is the guest of the Misses Carvill, near town.

Miss Anna Hubbard has returned from a pleasant visit at Skaneateles, N. Y., and will go next Monday to Seaford, Del., to spend a few weeks.

Senator and Mrs. Burchinal gave a supper to Prof. T. N. Williams on Wednesday evening. Invited guests to the number of about a dozen were present, who did full justice to the elegant and bountiful spread.

Mrs. James H. Bond and Bond Walsh, of Baltimore, and Miss Lizzie George, of St. Louis, are guests of Mr. T. W. Russell, in Chestertown.

The Misses Maggie, Lizzie and Helen Chisholm, and Mr. George Schriver, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Augusta Amos, of Washington, are guests of Mrs. S. E. Hurlock and daughter Mrs. Julia Bird, at "Hill Top," their country seat, near Hanesville.

Mr. Enos Jefferson, of Chester, Pa., and Mrs. R. M. Bennett, of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting at Mr. Wm. Ford's near town.

Miss Emma Gill, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Bradley.

Mrs. John Goldsborough and Mrs. Nannie Larrimore and her daughter, Miss Eleanor, are visiting Mrs. W. H. McFeely.

Misses Fannie Kettle and Florence Watkins, of Baltimore, are visiting friends in Chestertown.

Mr. Wm. R. Pippin, of Philadelphia, is taking a two weeks' rest at his father's, in Chestertown.

Miss Sadie Bornheim, of Baltimore, and Miss Carrie Guggenheimer, of Washington, D. C., after spending a very enjoyable trip at Mrs. G. L. Chrisfield's, Locust Grove, have left for their homes much benefited.

Mr. T. Frank Woodside, formerly of this county, and recently superintendent of the State Hospital for the Insane at Norristown, Pa., has been appointed to the position of assistant cashier of the Philadelphia custom-house by Collector Cooper, and has removed to that city.

D. Meredith Reese, Esq., president of the second branch of the City Council of Baltimore, has been visiting the county at the residence of Mr. Gus. Mathiot.

Miss Emma L. Lawrence and mother, of Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives in this county and expect to return to Baltimore next Monday.

Miss Mary E. Graham, an attractive and accomplished young lady of East Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Johnny Morris, of Lankford, Md., where she is also very much admired.

Rev. H. C. Turner, pastor of Salem and Union churches, has been called home to Wicomico county by the death of his father and will not officiate to-morrow.

Mrs. Rosalie Mitchell writes from Paris, under date July 25, as follows: I have been in Europe two years; visited Scotland, England, Holland, Belgium, Flanders and France. During the winter I have pursued the study of my profession of painting in Paris with the most celebrated French artists, among them Dagnan Bouveret, who has received this year the highest reward France can give her sons of genius—the medal of honor. The summer months have been devoted to studying and copying the works of the old masters in the galleries. I have recently filled an order of eight paintings for an art gallery in Melbourne, Australia. Expect to spend the winter in Italy making sketches of different places. Will send descriptive letters from them to the KENT NEWS.

GROVE MEETING.—There will be a Ten Days' Meeting held in the Grove at Golt's Station, commencing Aug. 11th. Love-feast at 9.30 o'clock A. M., preaching at 10.30 A. M. Prominent ministers will be present to help in the meeting.
1t. Respectfully, D. GOLLIE, PASTOR.

FISH AND CRAB SUPPER
At "PLUM POINT!"
The ladies of St. James' M. P. Church will have a FISH AND CRAB SUPPER, with other dishes, at PLUM POINT (the farm of Mr. Adam Diehl,) on FRIDAY NEXT, AUGUST 16th. They will spare no pains to make this a first class supper, and all for 35 cts. Proceeds for benefit of the Church.
☞COME ONE, COME ALL! 1t.

Grand Concert and Festival!
THE KENNEDYVILLE GLEE CLUB, assisted by the CRUMPTON CORNET BAND, will give a
CONCERT AND FESTIVAL!
—ON—
Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings, August 22, 23 and 24.
Friends and the public generally are cordially invited to attend. CONCERT FREE. aug10-2t.

MONEY TO LOAN.
$2,000, $3,500 and $5,000 on Real Estate.
aug10-3t. HINES & SMITH, ATTY'S.

MONEY TO LOAN
ON MORTGAGE ON REAL ESTATE.
Also, Farms or other Real Estate bought, sold, or exchanged. Apply to JOHN D. URIE,
aug3-6t. Attorney-at-Law, Chestertown, Md.

WANTED:
A FARM for 1890 on Thirds, and will give satisfaction. Apply to THOS. E. BRICE,
aug3-3t. Betterton, Kent county, Md.

FOR SALE:
For a little money and on very reasonable terms one of the BEST BUSINESS STANDS in the growing village of Lynch's, can be bought if early application is made. WM. HEPBRON,
aug3-3t. Lynch's, Kent co., Md.

FOR RENT for 1890.
STORE-ROOM and DWELLING
on High street, adjoining my store.
JAMES S. BRADLEY,
aug3-3t. Chestertown.

FOR SALE, CHEAP:
A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS, consisting of Parlor, Bed-Room and Kitchen Furniture, good as new. Apply to T. N. WILLIAMS,
aug3-3t. Washington College.

THE PENNSYLVANIA,
THE CELEBRATED FORCE FEED
PHOSPHATE ATTACHMENT GRAIN DRILL
SAW MILLS, ENGINES and STANDARD IMPLEMENTS A SPECIALTY. SEND FOR CATALOGUE.
A. B. FARQUHAR CO., Limited, York, Pa.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

ALL National Party-Prohibitionists in Kent will meet in county convention at STAM'S HALL,

On TUESDAY, August 13th, 1889,

AT 10½ O'CLOCK A. M.,

for the purpose of making a full county ticket.

By order, N. BARNARD,
1t. Chairman of County Comm.

AT PRIVATE SALE!
THE Estate of the late Aaron Gooding in Chesterville, consisting of
BRICK HOUSE and STORE
and Out-Buildings, with Large Lot of Land. Will be sold at a very low price.
Address EDW. L. EAGLESTON,
a10-4t. Vineyard Haven, Mass.

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

ROBERT W. PEARSON,

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 13th day of February, 1890, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand this 6th day of August, 1889.

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LATE COLLECTOR'S SALE.

By virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by law, as collector of taxes for the year 1884, of the First Election District of Kent county, State of Maryland, I have seized and taken in execution

ALL THAT FARM or TRACT of LAND

lying and being in the First Election District of Kent county, Maryland, aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Rachel Baldwin, the lands formerly belonging to the late Moses Lambson, the lands of Mrs. H. L. Welch and others, and assessed to Jeremiah N. Moffett. And I hereby give notice, that

On TUESDAY, 3d day of September, 1889,

at 11 o'clock A. M.,

at the Court House Door in Chestertown, I will sell for cash said property, at Public Auction, to satisfy and pay the taxes now due and owing me for the year 1884, as follows:

1884 { County taxes on $6,205 at 94c. $48.92
State " " " " 1884 ..... 9.76
$58.68

together with interest due and to become due thereon and costs. GEORGE W. JACOBY,
Collector of Taxes for the First District of Kent county, Md., for the year 1884. a10 [7.08.]

Last Notice to Tax-Payers.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

I AM now collecting the taxes due me by process of law from necessity. All these arrearages must be settled by Wednesday, Aug. 14th, inst., otherwise delinquents will have advertising and other costs to pay in addition. I shall continue the sale FROM THIS TIME until all have settled, without regard to persons. J. FRANK WHEATLEY,
aug3-3t. LATE COLLECTOR.

JACOBY & MILLER,
AUCTIONEERS.
HAVING had large practice in the Auctioneering Business, we guarantee perfect satisfaction in every case. All persons wishing our services will please have Jacoby & Miller put at the bottom of their bills and paper advertisements. In employing the two the charge will be the same as for one man. G. W. JACOBY,
WM. R. MILLER,
aug3-tf. Auctioneers, Galena, Md.

Notice to Peach Growers!
IN the VICINITY of CHESTERTOWN and LYNCH'S.
WANTED: 100 CARLOADS of PEACHES, for which I will pay the Highest Cash Price, delivered at above stations. It will be to your interest to ascertain my prices before disposing of your fruit. I have large coal fields and mining districts to supply, and can pay the highest market price all the time. FRED. W. GERKER will superintend the shipping, &c., and I will be on hand with the cash to pay for the peaches as they come in.
aug3-tf. W. J. MARVILL.

MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE!
THE MORDINGTON MILLS, five miles northwest of Milford, Del. The mills are located at the head of Murderkill River, and the stream, with a head of ten feet, is the strongest in the county. The mill is located in the midst of a rich farming community and has a fine trade; contains two run of stone, with new bolting cloths, &c., All the waterways are first-class. The property has a Fine Brick Mansion House, with plenty of out-buildings. It includes 18 Acres of Land, with 600 Fine Peach Trees and plenty of other fruit. Also Two Tenant Houses and a very valuable bank of moulding sand that pays a fine income. The owner, not being a miller, desires to sell, and will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply on the property, or address,
jy20-tf. J. L. SMITH, Milford, Del.

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.

Educational.
Washington College,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
THE NEXT SESSION WILL BEGIN Wednesday, September 18th, 1889.
The Faculty having been reorganized, is now full. There is a preparatory Department in which elementary branches are taught to prepare such as desire to enter the College classes. If students prefer they can confine themselves to the English branches taught in the Preparatory Department or in the College classes.
The College Buildings are situated on a high hill overlooking Chestertown and Chester river.
☞No place in Maryland more healthy.
Tuition and board have been materially reduced. Board $3 per week; room rent $5 and fuel $5 for the session of 40 weeks. Tuition for the scholastic year: English, including Mathematics, $25. English and Mathematics, with Latin and Greek, or Modern Languages, $30; for all branches, $40.
J. A. PEARCE,
Secretary Board of