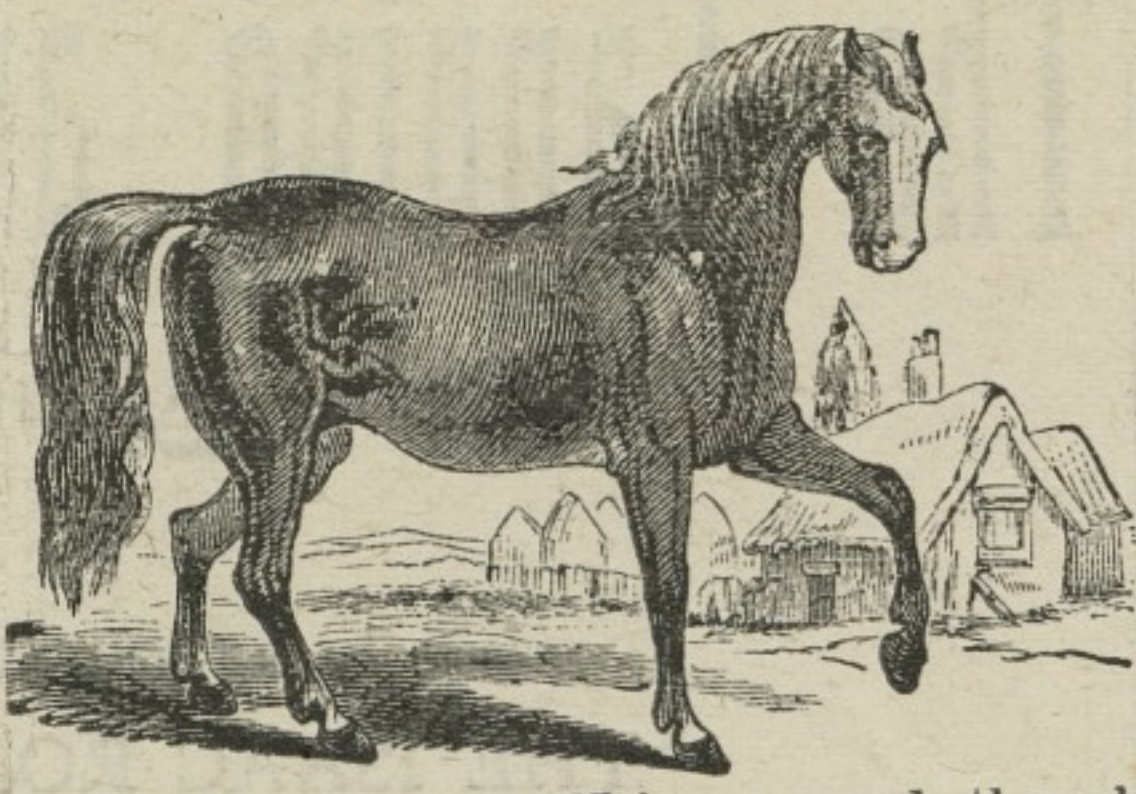


LEMNOS, 29828.

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Bay Stallion, whorl in center between eyes, white at bottom of right hind heel; foaled April 6th, 1897, is 15½ hands high and weighs 1000 lbs. Bred by Wm. Russell Allen, Pittsfield, Mass. I have owned this horse since he was two years old. He is stylish, has good disposition, is a fine driver and shows speed, though never having been trained. His breeding should recommend him to any one wishing to raise first-class drivers.

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Second dam, Minna Wilkes, dam of Redna, 2.08½, and sister to Kentucky Wilkes, 2.21¼; by George Wilkes, 519, (2.22), sire of eighty-three.
Third dam, Minna, dam of Kentucky Wilkes, 2.21¼; Madison Wilkes, 2.24¼; granddam of Redna, 2.08½, etc., by Red Jacket (bred Morgan).
Fourth dam, Undine, by Grey Eagle.
Lanclot 6860 (2.23), is young at the stud, and is the sire of seven, including Lyric 2.14¼; Malvolis, 2.17½, and Ukanet, 2.22¼, by Messenger Duroc, 106; dam, Green Mountain Maid, dam of nine, by Harry Clay, 45.
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SACREDNESS OF MARRIAGE ALTAR.

Divine Guidance Needed in Selecting a Wife, Says Rev. Dr. Atchison

THE CURSE OF DIVORCE.

At the North Avenue United Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, the pastor Rev. Dr. Thos. C. Atchison, preached on "The Marriage Covenant," choosing as his text, Matthew xix., 6. "What therefore God has joined together let no man put asunder." Rev. Atchison said, in part: "Marriage is a divine institution, established by our Lord while man was in the Garden of Eden, and, like the Sabbath, it has survived the fall, and to those who mutually enter into its solemn covenant and faithfully keep its sacred vows it will be a perennial fountain of blessings. Our Lord, while here on earth, sanctified a wedding day by his blessed presence, and its relationship is likened by the Apostle Paul to the mystical union which exists between Christ and His church. The bliss and happiness of the marriage union is to be found only in mutual confidence, affection and fidelity. The home is the place nearest Paradise on the earth, or it is the direst and darkest desert land of which we can imagine.

"In some parts of our country today efforts are being put forth to prove that the marriage relation is a mere civil contract, a mere business partnership. But away with such a notion! Marriage is a divine institution, ordained and established by God Himself, and has for its authority the seal and stamp of high heaven; and its sanctity, sacredness and true happiness will only be appreciated and acknowledged as we accept its divineness.

"Around the marriage altar God has thrown the most solemn and sacred sanctities, and yet we all very well know that it is an institution that is being much defamed and trifled with in these later days. Socialism, Mormonism and polygamy, in some quarters, have been to turn this earth into a Turkish harem, or a Salt Lake cesspool. The marriage institution was intended for the happiness and elevation of our race, and yet in some circles today an attempt is being made to make it nothing more than a business contract, and to be terminated at the wish and whim of the parties. Look into the daily press and learn the facts and figures of the divorce courts, and it is enough to cause every Christ-loving man and Christ-loving woman to blush for shame.

"The number of divorces granted today and the number of marriage vows broken ought to cause every lover of truth to rise in his might and power and speak out plainly and unmistakably the teachings of God's word on this heaven-giving institution. Down along the march of the centuries history makes plain to us that unbelief in every age has aimed its most deadly blows at the family hearthstone and dripped its most poisonous teaching amid the flowers of the marriage altar. Dear friends, let us from the pulpit and from the pew, from the press and from the platform, and from the home and the workshop, elevate the marriage altar, and give to it that place in our hearts and lives which God gave to it in the Garden of Eden, and with which He has sanctified it down through the ages.

"The social malaria of these times is a false idea of matrimony, and as a result the curse of society today is easy divorce. Far too many people today have their heads so filled with wrong and sickly sentimental notions of the plain, old-fashioned and heaven-ordained institution of marriage that they are not prepared to assume its life-binding obligations. The 'misfits' today at the marriage altar very frequently result from hasty and thoughtless engagements. When young people go into an engagement for life as carelessly and with a little serious thought as they go out to the park on a picnic or down the bay for an afternoon of pleasure, surely they cannot help but expect to pay for their folly in bitter tears of sorrow. And sometimes these engagements are made in defiance of parental authority.

"Young women, listen to what your mother has to say on this most important move in all the journeys of your life, and, young man, listen to parental advice, and weigh carefully and well the step you are about to take before you assume the sacred and tight-binding obligations of the marriage covenant. It is no play-day affair, this thing of becoming a husband and wife. Life in the home is not all 'a merry go round.' It means grave responsibilities and far-reaching duties. The most tremendous place between the cradle and the tomb is the marriage altar, and those who stand there assume responsibilities and shoulder obligations of wondrous range and power, and yet this most important step is too often regarded, from start to finish, in the most trivial manner.

"With many it is very frequently a matter of girlish fancy or boyish caprice. O, what with rash and wicked recklessness hundreds and thousands rush into the sacred and Heaven-binding covenant of the marriage altar! How few ask for guidance and direction when

choosing the companion of their heart, their home and their destiny. My hearers, fix the truth tonight that boyish flippancy and girlish romance two and three score years from the orange blossoms of the marriage altar look vastly different. When the novelty of wedded life has worn away and the sweet strains of the wedding march cease to be heard, there must be something solid left behind; qualities of head and graces of heart and character that are permanent, or that home will be full of the death ashes of despair.

On the sacred shrine of the marriage altar, when two people clasp hands and unite hearts, from that hour clear down to the doorway of the grave, under the same roof and around the same fireside, in summer and winter, in adversity and prosperity, they must be faithful each to the other or their happiness will be but a dream. Only jewels of heart and graces of character are lasting and will make a home rich and happy. Ask God whom you are to marry, young man; Ask God whom you are to marry, young woman. Remember, a union formed in prayer and saturated with the religion of Calvary will be a happy union, no matter how hard be the uphill climb of life. If there is one thing more than another in all the wide range of life, concerning which a man needs divine direction and guidance, it is the selection of a wife; or a young woman needs help, it is the selection of a husband. All that is good here and all that is glorious hereafter is wrapped up to two people when they stand amid the flowers of the marriage altar and covenant to keep its sacred and life-binding responsibilities.

"It seems to me that if there is one thing more than another that is needed today for the advancement of civilization, for the reaching of a higher degree of morality, for the establishing of righteousness among men and for the raising of the standard of spirituality in our church life, it is a higher and diviner conception of the marriage altar and the duties, responsibilities and requirements essential to its happiness and bliss."

Dr. Atchison spoke at length of qualities, both on the part of men and women, necessary for clasping hands at the marriage altar.

INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS.

APPERTAINING TO THE COUNTY OF KENT.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.
According to the 10th annual report of Thomas A. Smith, Chief of the Maryland Bureau of Industrial Statistics, there are in Kent county, (as of June, 1 1900) 941 farms, with total acreage of 169,388; 138,944 acres improved, valuation, excepting buildings, \$4,258,300; buildings, \$1,365,050; implements and machinery, \$276,780; live stock, \$774,715; value of products not fed to live stock, \$1,454,329; with labor costing \$403,010, and fertilizers, \$12,500.
Kent has 26 farms under 3 acres, 67 of 3 and under 10, 46 of 10 and under 20, 62 of 20 and under 50, 93 of 50 and under 100, 189 of 100 and under 175, 228 of 175 and under 260, 217 of 260 and under 500, 23 of 500 and under 1000, 1 of 1000 and average size in acres, 179.9.

Kent's 941 farms are owned by 357 persons, 10 part owners; there are 40 managers, 75 cash tenants, 459 share tenants. Of Kent's farmers 89.6 are white and 10.4 colored.
Kent has 10,094 neat cattle, 6,966 horses, 408 mules, 16,314 sheep, 13,588 swine, 125 goats; received in 1899 from sale of live stock \$96,192, value of stock slaughtered on farms \$78,444. Number of barns and enclosures, not on farms, reporting domestic animals, 1,005, neat cattle, 253; horses, 1,096; mules 9, asses 1, sheep 30, swine, 947.

Kent county has 77 manufacturing establishments, with a total capital of \$505,151, 86 proprietors and firm members, 10 salaried officials and clerks, which pay in salaries \$5,500; total number of wage earners, 387 with total wages of \$92,796; employ 257 men of 16 years of age and over, paying to them \$79,916; 81 women 16 years and over, paying them \$9,580; children under 16 years, 49, paying them \$3,300.

Under the head of New Incorporations the report gives The Kent Building Loan Co., incorporated Dec. 26, 1901, with headquarters at Chestertown and having \$500,000 capital; The Chestertown Electric and Power Co., January, 2, Chestertown, \$25,000; The Turner Transportation Co., April 4, Betterton, \$6,000; The Chesapeake Freighting Co., August 9, Chestertown, \$12,000,—total \$543,000.

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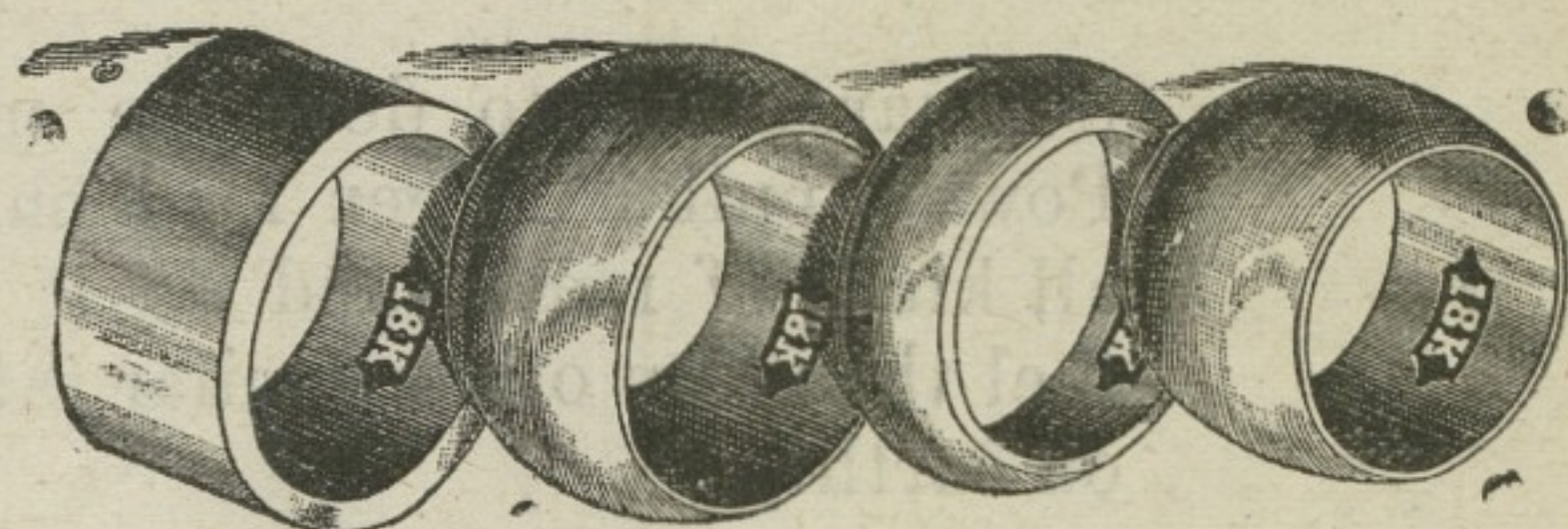
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