Kent News.

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CHESTERTOWN, - MAY 30, 1891.

Religious Notes.

The twenty-third annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the diocese of Easton will meet in St. Peter's Church, Salisbury, on Tuesday, June 2d, 1891. Mr. William S. Walker has been elected by the vestry to represent Chester parish in the convention. Homes have been arranged for all, the Kent clergy and laity being distributed and entertained as follows: Rev. G. C. Sutton, with Mrs. Birckhead; Mr. E. W. Hepbron, with Mr. E. E. Davis; Rev. John Martin, with the Misses Fish; Mr. Wm. S. Walker, with Col. W. J. Leonard; Rev. S. C. Roberts and Hon. J. A. Pearce will be entertained by Mr. J. H. White.

Rev. E. C. Macnichol, of Sudlersville, by special invitation of Chestertown Epworth League will address the league, next Thursday evening. His many friends in Kent are invited to be present.

The Washington *Star* in its last issue says "at a meeting of Congress Street Methodist Protestant Church, Georgetown, last evening the pastor, Rev. Mr. Graham, suggested the advisability of substituting a pipe organ for the reed organ now in use. After considering the cost the board, in view of the fact that the attendance has almost doubled since Mr. Graham had been sent to them, decided to raise the amount required, $2,000, and purchase such an instrument."

Dr. D. W. Bates filled the pulpit of Christ M. P. Church, both morning and evening, last Sunday.

Prof. C. W. Proctor, of the college, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church in the morning, and Rev. J. A. Arters, of Church Hill, at night. The latter gentleman's text was a peculiar one, it being found in Isaiah, 28: 20. Look it up. He applied this verse in the sense that the cravings of man cannot be satisfied by the pleasures of this world; he must look higher for perfect satisfaction.

Rev. R. Irving Watkins has been enjoying a week or more at Drew Seminary and elsewhere.

The following gentlemen have been elected wardens and vestrymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, Chestertown: Wardens, R. H. Collins, Thos. G. Wroth; vestrymen, W. N. E. Wickes, William S. Walker, W. F. Hines, M. D., Charles T. Westcott, James A. Pearce, Samuel Beck M. D., H. M. Brown, George B. Westcott. These are eligible to representation in the diocesan convention.

Prof. H. S. Goldey, of Wilmington Commerical College, who is an enthusiastic promoter of the Endowment Fund for disabled ministers, was at Galena, last Sunday, May 24, assisting the pastor, Rev. E. H. Nelson, in taking the collection for Conference Claimants. Prof. Goldey wants to work up a fund of fifty thousand dollars on this territory.

The anniversary of the Chesapeake City M. E. Church, Rev. I. G. Fosnocht, pastor, will be observed next Sunday, May 31.

Rev. J. D. Rigg, whose illness has been so serious as to arouse the fears of his friends, has gone to Chester, Pa., where he will remain at least six months. We sincerely trust he will regain his health. Meanwhile, Georgetown will be supplied by some young man whose services the church may be able to secure.

The Ocean Grove Camp will commence Aug. 18 and close on the 28th.

The Great Preacher.

We had the pleasure of hearing Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, of Brooklyn, last Sunday morning preach his now noted sermon on "The Creation." We were not disappointed in the great preacher, nor in the grandeur of his magnificent new tabernacle. Every seat was taken Sunday morning and crowds stood in the aisles and doorways. The great organ is a beautiful background for his pulpit, with the keyboard immediately in front of the pulpit platform, at the preacher's feet. There was some trouble with the organ Sunday morning and after using it for the first piece, Talmage announced that it was out of tune, but hoped it would be all right for the evening service; then looking into the rear of the audience he said "Will Sister Cronin come forward and lead the singing?" We did not see any Sister Cronin come forward, though she may have done so, and lead too for all we knew, as the leading (except for the cornet and piano) and singing also was wholly congregational and made up of such hymns as "I need Thee every hour," "Closer to Thee," and other good old spiritual hymns. In physical appearance Talmage reminded us of the great Henry Clay; his gestures were remarkable for their originality, and his earnestness gave force to his great thought and beautiful words. The strength and beauty of all he did was in their simplicity. He apparently made no effort at display, and yet everything was Talmage. He used no notes, and the length of his sermon was just fifty minutes. His prayers also were simple and short. We were specially fortunate in securing a good seat near the pulpit, thereby the better to appreciate all the exercises. To give an idea of the sermon we insert here his reference to one day, which this agricultural community will no doubt fully endorse:

"Now it is Wednesday morning of the world's first week. Gardening and horticulture will be born to-day. How queer the hills look, and so unattractive they seem hardly worth having been made. But now all the surfaces are changing color. Something beautiful is creeping all over them. It has the color of emerald. Aye, it is herbage. Hail to the green grass, God's favorite color and God's favorite plant, as I judge from the fact that He makes a larger number of them than anything else. But look yonder! Something starts out of the ground and goes higher up, higher and higher, and spreads out broad leaves. It is a palm tree! Yonder is another growth, and its leaves hang far down, and it is a willow tree. And yonder is a growth with mighty sweep of branches. And here they come—the pear and the apple, and the peach and the pomegranate, and groves and orchards and forests, their shadows and fruit girdling the earth. We are pushing agriculture and fruit culture to great excellence in the 19th century, but we have nothing now to equal what I see on this first Wednesday of the world's existence.

"Notice that the first thing that God made for food was fruit, and plenty of it. Slaughter-houses are of later invention. Far am I from being a vegetarian, but an almost exclusive meat diet is depraving. Savages confine themselves almost exclusively to animal food, and that is one reason that they are savages. Give your children more apples and less mutton. The world will have to give dominance to the fruit diet of Paradise before it gets back to the morals of Paradise. May God's blessing come down on the orchards and vineyards of America, and keep back the frosts and the curculio. But we must not forget that it is Wednesday evening in Eden, and upon that perfect fruit of those perfect trees let the curtain drop. "And the evening and the morning were the third day."

DON'T FAIL to attend the peach growers meeting in Chestertown next Thursday week.

Festivals and Entertainments.

St. James' M. P. Church—Saturday, May 30.
Grace Presbyterian Church—Saturday, May 30.
Salem M. E. Church—Thursday, June 4.
Kesley Chapel Entertainment—Thursday, June 4.
Kennedyville M. P. Church—June 4, 5 and 6.
Union M. E. Church—Friday and Saturday, June 5 and 6.
Morgan Creek Church—Friday and Saturday, June 12 and 13.
Fair at Stam's Hall—Thursday, June 18.

ROCK HALL LOCALS.

A great deal has been said about poultry and eggs, but Brother Charlie can take the premium for quick hatching. Capt. J. F. Stevens bought a setting of eggs from Charlie some time ago and placed them under a faithful hen. In two weeks to the day the eggs were hatched. If Capt. Emory or any other party possessing patent hatching machines can compete with Charlie on that line they are welcome to the premium. For things that are curious Charlie is there every time.

Oscar, the Doctor, Showers, etc.

Copious showers in the early part of the week have caused vegetation to take on fresh vigor. Wheat, grass, corn and garden truck are looking thrifty and promise a good harvest. Peaches also are gathering remarkable size and bid fair to gladden the hearts of the growers. Of course, some are more blessed in that line than others but think the greater number of growers will have a fair sprinkling of the delicious fruit and will realize better times in a few months than they have for several years.

Notwithstanding the scarcity of work just at this time of the year and the very good health of the community generally, Oscar and the Doctor seem to be just as happy as big sunflowers, with their daily tete-a-tetes in that upper room with the lower doors locked, so that no one may intrude.

Miss Ida Brown, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives and friends in the village. Miss Ida, as she grows in years, is becoming quite lovely.

Boy Found, Expert Oysterman.

The lost boy is found and at his father's home once more. Samuel D. Sewell, son of Capt. G. T. Sewell, left here last fall and wended his way to North Carolina, following the avocation of a sailor. He has been drifting from Elizabeth City, N. C., to Richmond, Va. Through all these months spent away he has realized that there is no place like home, and finally concluded to pay a visit to the dear ones there, whose hearts have been made exceeding glad by his return.

Captain James B. Willson, who is becoming one of our expert oystermen, is now engaged in enlarging his canoe by adding a central log twelve inches in width, which will make his boat very comfortable, seaworthy and capable of carrying more oysters.

A Collision, Two Oystermen Arrested.

There was a collision on the road last Saturday night between the teams of Messrs. James E. Newcomb and Carroll Willson. Both gentlemen had been attending a meeting of the Farmers' Alliance and on their way home Mr. Newcomb's horse became frightened and dashed forward with great speed, crashing into Mr. Willson's carriage and tearing a number of spokes from the wheels. Mr. N., it is thought, also lost several spokes from one of the wheels of his road cart. Fortunately no other damage was done. Mr. W. barely made home before one of his wheels became greatly bent, which would have been further broken had he a little further to go.

Constable Francis arrested two oystermen last week, upon the oath of Mr. Thos. Warram, for violating the oyster law by catching oysters during the closed season. They were tried before Justice Wilkins, who imposed a fine of fifty dollars on each of the parties, and they took an appeal to court. We are glad to say that violations of the oyster laws are quite scarce in this section. While it is to be deplored that any one should violate the law at any time, yet it is more so just at this time because of the great agitation and the efforts of those who are trying to bring about some radical change from existing laws of to-day. Mr. Warram, who is an oysterman himself, is to be commended for his vigilance in the preservation of law. The young men, James Kelley and Harry Beck, said that they were trying to catch a few oysters for Mrs. Kelley, who was in delicate health. Mr. Edgar Strong went security for the young men's appearance at court.

Strawberries, Politics Active.

Politics is becoming quite exciting down this way and much interest is being manifested regarding the various candidates It is to be hoped that fair play will prevail in this campaign. Let there be no raking over the mouldering coals of the dead past, but let us have in view the living issues of to-day and select men suitable for the office, regardless of personal preference beyond a square deal. Our people are sorry that the most important office to *them* seems to have gone a-begging—the Legislature. We think if we had the slate and the privilege of making it up we could place a man thereon for the Legislature who would be without doubt the right man. However, the right man will come forth at the proper time. So let the bug bug hop; the old Fifth will get there.

Our heart, as well as our palate, was made exceedingly glad a few evenings since by the kindness of a friend, J. W. Boyer, Esq., who presented us with a package of delicious strawberries. The fruit measured five inches in circumference and weighed one pound and ten ounces to the quart. Who can beat it? If there are any berry growers in other parts of the district that can beat Mr. Boyer growing strawberries we would be glad to receive a present of a box to test. We guarantee a correct report; send on your berries.

GONE TO HER REST.

MRS. SUSAN DELANO, widow of the late Carl Delano, and mother of Capt. Joseph Delano, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Capt. Anthony, and sister of Mrs. Mary Humbert, of Chestertown, died suddenly of heart disease at the home of her niece, in Brooklyn, N. Y. on Saturday, May 23, 1891, in the 69th year of her age. Mrs. Delano went to visit her niece on April 17th, who was sick, where she remained until her death. Mrs. Delano was subject to heart failure and in passing from one room to another fell dead on the floor. Her remains were carried to the residence of her son, Capt. Jos. Delano, in Baltimore Monday, and brought to Chestertown Tuesday and interred in Chester cemetery. Mrs. Delano was very fond of children and those in the neighborhood of Mrs. J. Anthony, where she lived, feel her loss very much. They sent some very pretty floral designs. The funeral services were held at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Chestertown, by Father Connelley, and the following gentlemen were the pall-bearers: S. Frank Smith, Charles Estes, Jas. T. Dixon, W. C. Orrel, Harry L. Boyd, Thos. D. France.

ON our first page will be found an item of news concerning the Delaware and Chesapeake Canal and other interesting reading matter.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers yesterday quote as follows:
WHEAT—Longberry, good to prime, $1.12@$1.16.
CORN—White and Yellow, 65@67c.
OATS—55@57c.

KENT'S MERCHANTS.

The Amount of Stock Reported by Them.

The following is a list of the licensed traders of Kent county, who have thus far procured licenses to sell goods in this county and the amount of capital employed by each:

Weer & Bro, Kennedyville	$ 1,000
Jeremiah Peacock, Galena	2,500
A. F. Huey, Masseys	1,500
Joseph F. Leary, Rock Hall	1,500
Mrs. Emma Crittenden, Chesv'lle	500
Mrs. Kate R. Johnson, Chester'n	500
George W. Clark, Crumpton	1,000
Geo M Hadaway, Pomona	1,500
Ann E Ireland, Galena	1,000
A H Malsberger, Masseys	2,500
Mary E Crisfield, Mor Cr Nk	500
P B Darrell, Chestertown	1,000
Wm A Whittaker, Galena	2,500
Wm Parr, Still Pond	1,000
Jos W Edwards, Chestertown	1,000
J. M. Lusby, Lynch's	500
James C Moore, Millington	1,000
Mrs A L Crisfield, Locust Grove	500
Elizabeth Shelton, Golt's	500
W C A Thompson, Chestertown	2,500
Wm J Porter, Millington	1,000
F H Harper, Still Pond	6,000
Mary C Ashley, Rock Hall	500
Kate Dilhoffer, Chestertown	500
John M Conner, Golt's	1,000
Frank H Ruth, Galena	1,500
Henry Parr "	1,000
Ella E Parr "	500
T E Hayes, Kennedyville	4,000
Martha Bartley, Chestertown	500
Lottie R Barkman, Morgan's Creek	500
James A Shaw, Chestertown	2,500
Purnell Jump, Edesville	1,500
Valenia M R Caleb, Hanesville	500
Jane Hamilton, Chestertown	500
Andrew Woodall, Georgetown	8,000
J F M Woodall "	6,000
Mary A Jones, Pomona	500
Annie M Startt, Worton	500
Charlotte C Blakeney, Chester'n	500
Blakeney & Hollett "	1,000
Charles Brown "	1,000
Wm J Payne, Fairlee	1,000
Wm S Culp, Chestertown	1,000
Mrs Jennie Bryan, Mor Cr Nk	500
Mary G Vandegrift, Chestertown	500
Ida Stoffer, Golt's	500
George M Jones, Hanesville	1,000
Catharine McGrea, Mor Cr Nk	500
Wm S McDonnell, Chestertown	1,000
George Jones, Kennedyville	1,000
Westcott & Dodd, Chestertown	4,000
Thomas G Wroth "	6,000
Charles M Lucas "	2,000
Smith & Clements "	1,000
Mary C Wallis, Butlertown	500
Helen Benjamin, Chestertown	500
Dorotha C Gruber "	500
Julia C Harris, Georgetown	500
Robert F Rouse, Worton	1,000
A J Cahall, Chestertown	4,000
J K Aldridge "	8,000
George W Harper, Still Pond	6,000
Delia A Crossley, Still Pond	500
E W F Simpers, Chestertown	4,000
M A Toulson "	2,500
S W Cole, Millington	1,000
Maggie V Hersch, Rock Hall	500
Emma L Downey "	500
Annie L Wright "	500
F D Leary, Chestertown	1,000
W H Lambert & Son, Chestertown	1,000
Wm R Aldridge, Chestertown	4,000
J H Simpers "	6,000
H S Cook, Millington	6,000
D A Bacchus, Chestertown	1,000
N C Crow "	1,000
Jas H Ringgold, Big Woods	1,000
Phoebe A Maul, Chestertown	500
Wm A Wilson, Galena	1,000
N Liberman, Melitota	4,000
R Bergen, Chestertown	6,000
Ella Saunders, Lankford	500
S Burgess & Bro, Edesville	1,500
J T Ireland, Still Pond Creek	1,000
James H Warren, Coleman	1,000
Nellie Sappington, Sandy Bottom	500
James A Casey, Rock Hall	1,000
Abram Casey " "	1,000
A H Dickinson, Galena	1,000
Lottie W Hayes, Locust Grove	1,500
Mary A Maslin, Lankford	500
Thos C Maslin, Gray's Inn	1,000
Myra Maslin, Rock Hall	500
Geo L Maslin " "	1,000
Scott & Coleman, Piney Neck	1,500
John V Crosby " "	1,000
G E Leary & Son, Gray's Inn	1,500
Wm S Maslin, Rock Hall	4,000
Emma O Clark, Lynch's	1,000
Melinda Apsley, Pomona	500
Wm A Wyatt, Millington	1,000
T H Horsey, Galena	4,000
R S Crew, Rock Hall	1,500
C S Smith, Chestertown	2,500
Martha V Davis, Golt's	1,000
Elizabeth C Wallis, Galena	500
Joseph R Owens, Coleman	1,000
Annie E Bryan, Chestertown	500
Thos. J. Bayard, Still Pond	1,000
Hester V Vernon, Chestertown	500
Hattie Robinson, Georgetown	500
Sarah Gilbert, Chestertown	500
R T Turner, Green Point	1,000
R T Turner, Betterton	1,000
Turner & Sons "	6,000
Emily V Kelley, Melitota	500
A Friedman, Chestertown	4,000
A W Taylor, Locust Grove	1,000
R R Johnson, Quaker Neck	1,000
G E Owens, Betterton	1,000
Susan Anderson, Worton Point	500
Mary E Lynch, Galena	500
Mary A Reynolds, Rock Hall	500
S F Smith, Chestertown	1,500
N Leaverton, Fairlee	500
T S Bordley, Chestertown	4,000
Mary E Downey, Rock Hall	500
J D Bacchus, Chestertown	2,500
Kilbourn & Son, Broad Neck	1,000
Sarah E Savan, Sassafras	500
Francis M Whittington, Millington	500
Mary E Blackiston "	500
J S Bradley, Chestertown	1,500
Mrs. Bradley "	1,000
Sarah W Shuster	500
Mary M Greenwood, Fairlee	1,000
John F Ernest, Sassafras	1,500
J W Hines & Co, Chestertown	1,000
Ada S Thompson, Melitota	500
Joseph Downey, Rock Hall	2500

DIED.

At his residence in New Castle, Del., on May 8th, 1891, JOSEPH ISRAEL TAGGART, aged 83 years.

OBITUARY.

JOSEPH ISRAEL TAGGART was born in Philadelphia Feb. 20th, 1808, son of Capt. Robert Taggart, of Philadelphia, and Mary A. Israel, daughter of Joseph Israel, Esq., of Christianna, Del., an officer in the Revolutionary War. Capt. Robbert Taggart was master of a ship that traded between Philadelphia and the West Indies, he died on the Island of San Domingo, when his son Joseph was one year old, his mother died a few years later, and the little boy went to live at Christianna Mills with his grandparents, where he remained until the age of 14 years, he then went to sea with his uncle, Captain George Israel, master of the Brig Rose, of Philadelphia. Commencing a sailor's life, before the mast, Joseph I. Taggart became fully acquainted with all its duties, and understood navigation so well, that after nine years of maritime life he arose to the command of his vessels, and experienced an active and eventful career. At one time he was shipwrecked on the coast of Ireland on a merchant ship bound from Liverpool to China, and only rescued with a few others after the ship had been dashed to pieces on the rocky coast. He sailed principally upon the Spanish Main to the West Indies, South America and Mexico. On one occasion he barely escaped with his life from some rapacious Spaniards, who were trying to rob him of some money which he carried in a belt, and after a hot pursuit he only evaded them by plunging into the sea and swimming and diving until he reached the shelter of his vessel anchored outside the harbor. He made numerous voyages to the Mediterranean Sea via Gibralter along the Italian coast to Trieste, Austria. He was a close observer of the manners, habits and customs of peoples and enjoyed narrating his numerous adventures to an ever interested audience. The habits of the navigator never left him through life, he was a constant observer of the heavens, watching the "way the wind blew" as a forteller of storms and deeply interested in the chart of the sky; and the motions of those wondrous, and mysterious starry worlds by which our planet is surrounded. At the age of 19 he married Miss A. F. Smith, daughter of Richard Smith, Esq., of New Castle. A few years later, he left the sea and went out west, when he settled in Jacksonville, Illinois, commencing a mercantile life in the firm of Israel, Taggart & Smith, where he became one of the active influences of the infant town, where he assisted in building it up and spreading its importance, he helped also to lay the foundations of Metamora, Illinois and became one of the pioneers of that State. Leaving Jacksonville he located for a time in Galena, Ill., engaging in real estate and entering land to a large extent. His wife dying he concluded to return to New Castle, and to old associations, in 1847 he came back, bought the "Stonebam" homestead, and settled down here. In 1849 he married Miss Mary G. Nivin, of New Castle, here he remained until the time of his death. In July, 1886, he again married his cousin, Mrs. Rachel B. Price, of Kent county, Md., grand-daughter of Gaul Joseph Israel, of Christiana, Del., who has survived him. His loss is greatly felt among a large circle of friends. As a business man he was honored and trusted; in private life, he was appreciated by all, for his genial and hospitable disposition; broad and liberal in his idea of men and things; truthful, honest in business relations; kindly and cheerful to all. His life is a lesson to those who follow, for "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

ROSALIE MITCHELL.

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Betterton Items.

Shad fishing is pretty well played out. The season has been a very poor one indeed. Shad has been scarce and prices low. Some of our fishermen are very much discouraged.

The young ladies of his place gave an entertainment last week, for the benefit of the Betterton M. E. Church. It was a success, and the ladies deserve great credit.

The church festival held here last week was very largely attended and the net proceeds satisfactory.

Mrs. G. W. Owens visited friends in Baltimore a short time ago.

Mr. John H. Cozzins, of West Point, Va., is visiting friends here this week. We are indeed very glad to see him.

Messrs. James T. Crew, John S. Owens, Geo. R. Crew and Thomas J. Lockard left Monday on Steamer Trumpeter for Baltimore, to enjoy the trip on Steamer Tockwogh to Philadelphia via out side route. No doubt the boys will have a good time.

TREBOR.

KENNEDYVILLE M. P. CHURCH.—REV. QUINCY L. MORROW, pastor. Sunday morning, at 10.30, Love Feast. Evening at 8—subject "Thomas."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. — REV. R. IRVING WATKINS, pastor. Sabbath Services 10.30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday-school 2.15 P. M.

A SERMON on the "Seven Greatest Events in Every Man's Life" will be preached next Sunday evening at St. Andrew's Church, Galena, by the Rev. J. A. FARRAR.

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Political Notice.

HENRY C. CHASE respectfully announces that he is a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

STEWART MATTHEWS,

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 1st day of December, 1891, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 26th day of May, 1891.

HENRIETTA E. MATTHEWS,
May 30, 1891—4t. Administratrix.

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

JOHN B. STEVENS,

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 10th day of November, 1891, 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 5th day of May, 1891.

SARAH J. STEVENS,
May 9, 1891—4t. Administratrix.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

William A. Brooks
versus
Anthony H. Brooks.

In the Circuit Court for Kent Co., in Equity.

ORDERED, this 21st day of May, 1891, that the sale of the Real Estate of Anthony Brooks, made and reported by MARION DEK. SMITH, attorney named under the power in a mortgage from the said Anthony H. Brooks to William A. Brooks, dated the 18th day of June, 1879, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, in Liber D. C. B., No. 5, Folio 179, &c., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of July, next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 25th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $150.00.

SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.
True copy, Test—
May 23, 1891—4t. SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

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CHESTER RIVER BRIDGE.

AT A JOINT MEETING of the Boards of Commissioners for Kent and Queen Anne's counties, held this 21st day of May, 1891, it was resolved that Chester River Bridge be accepted and the contractor relieved from any further responsibility, and that the said draw bridge be NOW DECLARED OPEN TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC AS A FREE HIGHWAY, subject to such rules and regulations as are now or may hereafter be adopted by said board.

ROBERT J. CATLIN, PRES'T.
Test:—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk.
May 23, 1891—3t. [T]

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VALUABLE FARM of 140 ACRES,

In Kent County, Maryland,

BEING the farm that belonged to the late James H. Pennington; one mile from Millington, on the public road leading to Smyrna, Del. The soil is fine and in a high state of cultivation; suitable for grain, grass, fruit or trucking. Buildings are a Dwelling, with porch (nearly new), a Barn, 30x46 feet, two stories; Stabling and Shedding for Stock; location healthy and desirable.

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Egg-Shaped, 2 to 8 inches Calibre. Round, with Collar, 2, 2½ and 3 inches Calibre.

Send for price list and circular.

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To Farmers and the Public!

I HAVE REMOVED MY HARNESS STORE to the room formerly occupied by Jos. S. Clark, under the Town Hall, where can be found a good assortment of Harness, Bridles, Collars, Backbands, Curry Combs, Brushes, Whips, Collar Pads, Saddles, Rope and Chain Traces, Hames and every thing generally kept in a first-class Harness Store.

HARDWARE.—I have also added a stock Hardware, such as Nails, Bolts, Forks, Spades, Shovels, Rakes, Hoes, Hinges, Fence Wire, Lanterns and many other articles in this line to which I invite attention. Give me a call. Remember the place.

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USE only the BREAKWATER CHURN, it is the best. LAMBERT & BROWN.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A

Valuable Farm!

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned as trustee will offer at Public Sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown,

On TUESDAY, 2d day of June, 1891,

AT 11½ O'CLOCK A. M.,

ALL THAT FARM

OR TRACT OF LAND,

situate near Worton Station, in the Third Election District of Kent county, commonly known as the

DR. IVENS FARM,

containing by recent survey,

184 ACRES,

1 ROOD and 38 PERCHES of LAND,

more or less, all arable except 60 acres in WOOD, consisting of OAK and CHESTNUT principally.

The soil is in excellent heart and well adapted to the growth of Cereals, Grass, Fruits and Vegetables. There is no reason why it should not be one of the most Valuable Fruit Farms in the county, having had no Peach Orchards on it.

The farm lies within half a mile of Worton Station on the Balto. & Del. Bay Railroad, which recently has been one of the largest shipping points in the county for peaches, also within 4 or 5 miles of Buck Neck and Green Point wharves, and 5 or 6 miles of Betterton and Barnard's, where steamers touch daily for Baltimore and Philadelphia.

The Improvements

are in fair repair and consist of

A DWELLING HOUSE,

STABLE, GRANARY, CARRIAGE HOUSE, &c.

The farm is well arranged for agricultural purposes and the fencing is good. A portion (about 47 Acres) is separated from the main tract by the public road and has no buildings. The farm will be offered in separate parcels and then as a whole.

Terms of Sale:

The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are one-third of the purchase money to be paid cash on the day of sale or upon the final ratification of said sale at the option of the trustee; the balance in two equal instalments at one and two years from day of sale; the unpaid purchase money to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured by the bond of purchaser with security to be approved by the trustee.

MARION DEK. SMITH, TRUSTEE.
JNO. H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. m9-ts.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF

Real Estate!

IN THE THIRD DISTRICT,

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in the mortgage from Thos. Mullen and Annie E. Mullen his wife, to the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Kent county, dated Oct. 13th, 1886 and recorded among the Land Records for Kent county, Maryland, in Liber S. B., No. 8, folio 265, the undersigned will offer at public sale at Court House door in Chestertown, Md.,

On SATURDAY, MAY 30th, 1891.

AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

THAT LOT OF LAND

in Third Election District of Kent county on public road leading from I. U. cross roads to Hanesville, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Sarah J. Gears, Samuel Butler and others, containing

ELEVEN ACRES,

MORE OR LESS.

The Improvements are a Comfortable Frame Dwelling,

and outbuildings, in good condition.

THE TERMS OF SALE prescribed by the mortgage are cash, but may be modified on the day of sale.

CHARLES T. WESTCOTT,
ATTORNEY NAMED IN MORTGAGE.
JNO. H. GREENWOOD, Auc'r. m-9ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent county, Md., to me directed at the suit of Simeon Davis against Jacob Jones, Marshal Jones and Chas. W. Jones, Jr., I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Chas. W. Jones in and to the following property:

All That Lot of Land

Lying in the second election district of Kent county, Md., adjoining the lands of Samuel J. Hill, Charles Schwatka and others, and containing

10 Acres, 2 Roods and 37 Perches

more or less. Being the same land which was conveyed to Chas. W. Jones, Jr., by Chas. W. Jones, Sr., and wife and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 9, Folio 590, one of the land record books of Kent county, Maryland.

I will offer said property so seized at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House Door in Chestertown

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 16th, 1891,

AT HALF-PAST ELEVEN A. M.

to satisfy said writ, interest, and costs due and to become due thereon.

SAMUEL COMEGYS, SHERIFF.
May 23, 1891.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., to me directed at the suit of Frank G. Simmons and H. Clay Hendrix, trading as Simmons and Hendrix, against the lands and tenements, goods and chattels of Robert E. Buchanan, I have seized and taken into execution the following property:

—ALL THAT—

HOUSE AND LOT OF LAND

On High street, near College avenue, in Chestertown, it being part of the lot designated on the plot of Chestertown by the number 113, which was conveyed by Susan E. Buchanan to Robert E. Buchanan and others recorded in Liber S. B., No. 2, Folio 574, one of the land record books of Kent county, Md.

I will offer said property so seized at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House Door in Chestertown,

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 16th, 1891,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK M.,

to satisfy said writ, interest, costs due and to become due thereon.

SAMUEL COMEGYS, SHERIFF.
May 23, 1861.

STOCK DEALER.

Having discontinued farming, I am now engaged in the purchase and sale of