The Kent News.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
FRANK BROWN, OF CARROLL COUNTY.

For Comptroller:
MARION DEK. SMITH, OF KENT.

For Attorney General:
JOHN P. POE, OF BALTIMORE CITY.

For Clerk Court of Appeals:
FRANK FORD, OF ST. MARY'S.

For the State Senate:
WILLIAM T. HEPBRON.

For House of Delegates:
J. FLETCHER WILSON,
T. ROMIE STRONG.

For Clerk:
DR. SAMUEL G. FISHER.

For Register of Wills:
JAMES T. DIXON.

For State's Attorney:
WILLIAM M. SLAY.

For Sheriff:
EDWARD J. PLUMMER.

For County Commissioners:
ROBERT C. MORGAN,
THOMAS J. SHALLCROSS,
GEORGE W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
HORACE WILLSON.

For Orphans' Court:
RICHARD F. MOFFETT,
JAMES S. HARRIS,
SAMUEL BURGESS.

For Surveyor:
MILTON MELVIN.

WHY don't the Republicans have a mass-meeting?

Important Meeting.

James S. Harris, Esq., as chairman, has issued a call for the reassembling of the Democratic county nominating convention in Chestertown this afternoon. The call does not state the object of the meeting. It is reported, however, that among other things to be considered these seventy-five representative Democrats will be asked to report the condition of affairs in the different sections they represent, and also to advise relative to mass meetings in every district.

The Local Campaign.

It is evident now that the Democracy will win a sweeping victory in Kent on the 3d of November. The splendid meeting of last Tuesday is not the only evidence of this. The spirit of the people is being aroused all over the county and every candidate upon the ticket will secure a triumphant election. This is right, as the defeat of any one of them would be very injurious to the party. It would not hurt the candidate beaten half as much as the good cause he represents. There is no excuse for any Democrat to cut his ticket. The only hope of the Republicans is in this *cutting* business. But their hopes will be blasted. Their efforts will fail. Democrats will not be fooled this time by their specious arguments.

Features of the Meeting.

The Democratic mass meeting last Tuesday was a great success. There are many gratifying features connected with it. Elsewhere we make reference to some of the speeches.

H. W. Vickers, Esq., in calling the meeting to order, spoke very appropriately of the local situation and encouraging outlook. His every sentence was attentively heard and fell with special weight upon the multitude of listeners.

J. A. Pearce, Esq., in accepting the position of presiding officer, also spoke eloquently and effectively, and his appeal for the success of the whole ticket found hearty response.

Mr. Pearce's candidacy for the United States Senatorship vacancy was referred to by a number of the speakers, and always called forth the emphatic approval of the large audience. One of the best results of the meeting was to send forth new enthusiasm for him and increase the desire for his success. The Democracy of Kent are unanimous for him and will see to it that his chances shall not be impaired by the defeat of either of our legislative representatives.

Frank Brown made a good impression. His speech was excellent, and his general spirit and bearing showed him to be a man of practical ideas and thoroughly "one of the people."

It was generally regretted that Mr. Smith did not get the opportunity to speak to his home people. But there were so many other brilliant orators present that he asked to be excused, and promises to speak in Kent later.

The able speech of Hon. Henry Page was remarked by all.

A Good Ticket.

One of the best tickets ever presented to the people of Baltimore was nominated by the Democracy last Wednesday. The principal names are as follows:

For Mayor—F. C. Latrobe.
State's Attorney—Charles G. Kerr.
Clerk of Court of Common Pleas—John T. Gray.
Clerk of Criminal Court—Hiram G. Dudley.
Clerk of Circuit Court, No. 1—Alvin Robertson.
Sheriff—Isaac S. Sinner.
Register of Wills—Thomas W. Morse.
City Surveyor—Augustus Boulden.
Judge of the Orphans' Court—Judges George W. Lindsay, Daniel W. Gans and Wm. F. Edwards.
State Senate—First district, Charles H. Evans, Seventh ward; Second district, James P. Gorter, Eleventh ward; Third district, Thomas G. Hayes, Nineteenth ward.

This ticket will satisfy every reasonable demand of the party in Baltimore and will be elected by a rousing majority. A few would-be bosses will oppose it as usual and undertake a fusion movement, but it cannot amount to much. This will be Mayor Latrobe's *sixth* term, and is a remarkable but just tribute to his worth as an honest and able Mayor. James P. Gorter, Esq., the nominee for Senator in the second district, is well known personally in Kent, and highly esteemed. He is a lawyer of ability and will no doubt reflect high honor upon his city and State in the Senate.

THE democratic campaign in Baltimore was opened last Thursday night by an immense mass-meeting in Monument Square. The political clubs turned out in force and paraded the streets with torchlights. Senator Gorman and the State candidates made speeches. This sentiment, expressed by Mr. Smith, was heartily applauded: "The demand of the people for a new assessment must be met and the burdens of taxation equitably distributed."

A COUNTY TREASURER IN TROUBLE.—Geo. W. Morgan, for two years treasurer of Baltimore county is found to be short in his accounts twenty-five thousand dollars, and his bond will have to make it good. He does not undertake to explain the loss.

CHARLES STEWART PARNELL the great ex-Irish leader, died suddenly at Brighton, near London, on Tuesday night last. The news of his death creates profound interest everywhere.

The Oyster Question.

While the oyster question is under discussion and our legislature about to convene, and very likely to pass some more absurd and conflicting laws, we have a suggestion to make in reference to the protection of our bars, that we have never seen in print, and one we think that will make the stealing of oysters by dredgers impossible, save money to the state and enhance the value of our oyster beds:

"If the coming legislature will appropriate money to buy stone to scatter about on the different bars in the waters where dredging is forbidden, of a size that will hold a dredge and cause the owner to lose it, by its being left on the oyster bar, the stealing of oysters will soon be an unknown thing."

This would save the State the expense of an oyster navy, except a few boats to overhaul the tongers and in a few years the stones themselves will become covered with oysters and be a source of revenue.

It is a well known fact to all men familiar with the oyster industry, that the dredgers will not work where they loose their dredges, and a few large stones scattered on each bar would be a certain preventive of illegal dredging.—*Queenstown News.*

The above suggestion is a good one. It was first advanced in the KENT NEWS of January 24, 1891.

One of our well-known oystermen says: I believe our oysterman when he catches a load of oysters and there is no market for them, ought to have the right to put them down in some protected place, until he can sell them. I don't see how any reasonable man can deny the justice of such a claim. But if such a grant or privilege would endanger the rights and prosperity of our people, then I say don't do it. I don't think that any oyster packer ought to demand more than nine pints for a gallon. The measuring of opened oysters ought to be carefully regulated by law, and any one violating such a law, ought to have his license to pack oysters taken away from him. The State should own the shells, after the oysters have been taken out, and take them back to the oyster grounds or such places as might be most suitable for planting them, the expense of such planting to be born by the oystermen and packers.

Fearful Accidents.

Ottis, the eight-year-old son of Henry J. and Elizabeth Gray, was accidentally killed on Saturday on his father's farm near Galena. Mr. Gray lives on Mrs. A. M. Hurtt's farm not far distant from the town. The little fellow was out in the field when the men stopped ploughing and being anxious to ride home was put upon the back of one of the horses as he was often want to do. Upon arriving at the gate leading to the house he attempted to jump off and in doing so caught his foot in the harness. He had a small twine whip in his hand and in trying to loose himself scared the horse and he ran off dragging and kicking the lad to death. A part of the harness broke and left the unfortunate boy on the wood pile.

Miss Gooding, daughter of Mr. Eugene Gooding, living near Galena, met with a painful and it is feared a most serious accident on Saturday afternoon. The young lady went to the pasture to catch a pet horse which she wished to ride. The animal was very gentle and she unfortunately approached it from behind and caught hold of its tail, whereupon she was given a stunning kick in the face. Though of a serious and alarming nature, unless erysipelas sets in the young lady may recover. It is feared however that she will be disfigured for life.

Florence, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. John P. Nicholson, was painfully but not seriously scalded on Monday morning. Mr. Nicholson was carrying a pan of hot water, when the child, who was playing near by, ran against him causing the water to fall upon her forehead, throat and breast, inflicting painful injuries. Medical aid was at once summoned and relief afforded the little sufferer.

Meeting of "Ys."

The United "Y" held a special meeting at Mr. John Hudson's, Fairlee, Monday evening for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Miss Ida Crew, of Lankford, was elected president; vice-presidents, St. James, Miss May Hurlock; Salem, Miss Ada Hudson: St. Pauls, Miss Nellie Cleaver; Cor. Secretary, Miss Rachel Biggs; Rec. Secretary Miss Lizzie Corey; Treas. Miss Mamie Crew. There was great interest taken and a good attendance. The "Y" is left in a flourishing condition by the retiring officers.

The W. C. T. U. of Kennedyville held a pleasant meeting at the Presbyterian church last Friday evening. Reports of various committees were received. Mrs. John C. Sutton of Locust Grove is delegate-elect to the State convention at Westminster with Miss Lula Vandyke alternate. Miss Lillie Boggs is chairman of Bazar committee. The audience was favored by recitations and readings rendered by Misses Hurlock, Harris, Copper, Hague, Busick, Matthews and Katie Vandyke. The choir furnished excellent music throughout the evening. Beautiful solos were sung by Misses Kate Garey and Lula Boggs. Miss Anna Stewart, president of the Chestertown "Y" gave very entertaining and instructive address, full of encouraging words and helpful suggestions.

The union expressed its appreciation by a vote of thanks. The same courtesy was extended to Miss Matthews for her pathetic recitation—"Old Ben." The Union felt honored in having with them Mrs. S. E. Stewart, county vice-president.

GOOD SHOWING. — Postmaster Brown's quarterly report shows that the Chestertown postoffice has transacted more business during the three months just closed, than has been done in a single quarter in the history of the office. The receipts for the quarter were $1066.35 against $814, for the corresponding quarter of last year. August and Sept. showed an amount of business transacted exceeding the corresponding months of any previous year. The August report was $386.90 against $251.52, of 1890 and for September the reciepts were $338.44 against $307.75 of 1890. This certainly speaks well for the business interests of the town as well as for the exceptionally business-like management of Postmaster Brown.

HOW'S THIS?—Mr. Wm. J. Hudson, who lives on the Lusby farm, brought to the NEWS office a peach basket of sweet potatoes. The basket was full and contained but *seven* potatoes! This beats the potato record.

Mr. Wm. Burgess sends us a large red apple that weighed twenty ounces. It was a grand eating apple.

Capt. Wilson brought to the NEWS office Tuesday a curiosity in the shape of six oysters that had clung to an old block. It was caught by Mr. John Boyer at the mouth of Swan creek and shows conclusively that oysters will cling to almost anything.

A NEW SCHEDULE.—The Emma A. Ford will discontinue round trips after to-day. She will leave Chestertown every Monday Wednesday and Friday at 8 A. M. and returning will leave Baltimore every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 11 A. M. The one dollar round trip tickets will be discontinued. The *Gratitude* will continue round trips, but will leave Baltimore at 2 P. M. instead of at 2.30 P. M.

DWELLING SOLD.—The late residence of Mr. James H. Plummer, adjoining Christ M. P. Church, has been sold to Mr. George W. Hatcherson for $4,500. This is a fine residence and eligibly located. Mr. Hatcherson expects to reside in town next year.

Sudden Death of Wm. H. Rutter.

Mr. Wm. H. Rutter, commission merchant, died suddenly at his residence in Baltimore on Thursday morning last from a hemorrhage. He had gone down to breakfast in apparently good health; suddenly the attack came and he was dead. He had been visiting his sister, Mrs. E. N. Roland, near Chestertown, and returned home from this place on Wednesday morning apparently in his usual health. He was about 47 years of age and leaves a widow and an adopted daughter. He has been connected with the firm of Dail & Co. for some time past, and was regarded a good salesman. He gave great satisfaction to his customers in Kent during the recent peach season. His death is sincerely lamented by his many acquaintances here.

A SERIOUS AFFAIR.

A Man Knocked in the Head with a Stone!

A fracas took place on East Neck Island on Wood's Point, Wednesday night, in which Richard Johnson, a citizen of Chestertown, was seriously if not fatally wounded. It is the custom for about twenty-five of our white and colored citizens to leave town for the oyster grounds on the Ford Monday, get off at Bogle's wharf and return Saturday. At the Island they have shanties erected, where they eat and sleep. A white man from Rolph's wharf named James J. Jamar had been accustomed to come to the shanty of Richard and Jim Johnson, and invariably raise a rumpus by tearing things up in the room. "He finally," says Jim, "was told to behave himself, and on Thursday night when he came to the shanty we all left, one at a time. When Dick returned he found the things scattered all over the floor, and then it was he sent Jamar out of the shanty. Jamar said, 'All right, I'll pay you for it,' and so he did soon after. While ten or twelve of us were talking Jamar threw a stone weighing eight or ten pounds and struck Dick in the head. Dick fell as though dead, and I ran for the rascal, who ran behind Wallace Maslin's shanty. He told me if he had had his knife he would have killed the son of a b—. I went to Edesville and summoned Dr. Fisher and Constable Francis, both of whom arrived Thursday morning. Jamar was arrested and placed in jail in Chestertown. The wounded man was able to walk about until 12 o'clock, when his entire right side was paralyzed." This is the testimony given by ten or twelve other witnesses.

Richard was brought to his home on Thursday night and Drs. Hines and Whaland immediately summoned. The physicians stated yesterday morning that the injured man was in a critical condition. He was unconscious and was suffering from concussion of the brain and a paralyzed side. He is about 35 years of age and unmarried.

The prisoner, James J. Jamar, was seen in jail by a NEWS reporter yesterday morning, and told the following story: "Wednesday was a rainy day and none of us went oystering. We sat about our shanties playing cards, not for money, but for *matches*. When I got up to leave Johnson's shanty I took the matches that I had won, and Jim and Dick objected to it. I told them they must think I was a fool, and with that Dick picked up a glass and struck me in the face right here (showing the mark). We then went outside quarrelling, and I picked up a stone or something and threw it at him. Before I threw the stone I saw that Jim had something in his hand threatening to hit me, and Dick had a tiller in his hand. I don't know whether I hit him or not." The prisoner is about 30 years of age, five feet five inches in height and has a red moustache. He stated that he and Johnson had always been good friends. He broke down when he stated that he had a wife and four little children living at Rolph's wharf.

At the time of going to press the wounded man was in a dying condition. He was not expected to live through the night.

Bradley's Little Game.

To show how some of the peach buyers operated we publish the following letter to a New York commission house. It seems that "Bradley" had borrowed $200 from Farrell & Co. with which to operate in Kent, and here is one of his "consignments" of fruit:

TO R. FARRELL & Co., 25 Harrison St., New York:
R. G. Nicholson—has 155 bks—43 of it red fruit his baskets have a small stencil on rim.
Numsen & Rice—has 273 bks all yellow and in paper bkts in one end of car mostly; a few in centre—No marks on any of his bkts.
John Bell—200 bks all yellow, total in car 628—And all their p. o. address is Chestertown—I may get you up a good many now as the buyers will drop out—as prices are so low. *Size all you can to pay back the money even if it is 2 cents on bkt—they will be no wiser here.* Can you handle any Howell pears and can you handle Smock peaches be sure and write me fully. BRADLEY.

In another column we give interesting legal proceedings instituted by H. H. Barroll, Esq., counsel of the peach growers, and there are "more to follow."

"Farmer Brown."

The popular ballad entitled "Farmer Brown" is in type, and, to show its popularity, it is only necessary to mention that we printed and circulated *two thousand copies* during the mass meeting on Tuesday. We shall republish it in the NEWS as soon as we can find room for it. The excellent picture of the next Governor is also crowded out of this issue. It will appear hereafter.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS.—Mr. A. Friedman who has been selling clothes in Kent and Queen Anne's counties for a long time announces a change in his business. He is advertising goods 25 per. cent less than real value. He expects to close out his entire stock by January and says he will sell without reserve everything in his store—suits, pants, overcoats, boots and shoes.

GALENA BUSINESS.—Mr. W. A. Whitaker is one of the live merchants of Galena. He is a reliable business man also. People within reach of that town will find it to their interest to call and look through his large store rooms, filled with first class goods. He will sell you clothing, shoes, dry goods, notions, &c., so cheap that you will be surprised. Try him.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT.—Mr. C. F. Stam has secured the Kellogg Concert Co., to give an entertainment in Chestertown Saturday evening, October 17. The company is a rare and positive novelty. Its variety and novelty will appeal to the most refined and intellectual audiences. Mr. Kellogg's warbling will be grand and the singing of the others will be superb.

A VALUABLE HORSE.—"Kate" owned by the late Wm. Carter was folded May 14, 1854, and died last Friday of old age. She was the mother of 15 colts and each colt was sold at an average of $200. She dropped a fine colt when 30 years old which sold at the sale last month for $175.

Personal Mention.

Messrs. Clarence W. Perkins and Wm. W. Beck left Chestertown Monday for Baltimore, where they will attend the Maryland law school.

Col. Vannort attended the Democratic convention Tuesday. He remained only to hear Farmer Brown's speech. The song of McNulty was too much for him.

Wm. Price, Esq., of the Centreville *Observer*, was in town on Thursday on business and made us a fraternal call.

Capt. Horney was in town Wednesday and procured a list of licensed tongers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reiche have spent the past week visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Fred Stevens, the genial clerk of Mr. M. A. Toulson, received a telegram from his home, Hopewell, Somerset county, on Tuesday evening, stating that his brother, aged sixteen years, was dead. Mr. Stevens left for his home Wednesday morning.

Sudler Roberts, Esq., of the Centreville *Observer*, was at the mass meeting in Chestertown on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland are to be congratulated upon the birth of their first baby, an eight pound daughter.

Mr. W. J. Woodford has been appointed purchasing agent on the Emma A. Ford, from Chestertown to Baltimore.

Mr. H. C. Chase, deputy clerk of the circuit court, is visiting Mayor Blackiston in Cumberland.

Miss Dennis, of Pocomoke, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James A. Pearce.

Miss Lizzie Davis, of Still Pond, has been visiting her cousins and friends in Baltimore city.

Mrs. Mary E. Jones, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Richard Groves, at Lankford.

Dr. T. H. Cooper has been attending the meeting of homoeopaths in Baltimore this week.

Mr. Wm. Hurlock, of Kennedyville has secured a position in Mr. S. Frank Smith's store in Chestertown and entered upon his duties there Monday.

Miss Clara Vandyke, of Kennedyville, is the guest of friends in Dover.

Miss Beulah Hayes is attending school at Media.

Dr. H. L. Dodd was made second vice-president at the annual meeting of homoeopaths in Baltimore this week.

Hugh C. Browne, son of the Rev. N. M. Browne, of Middletown, was admitted to the bar last week. He will open his office in Wilmington. We predict and wish for him a bright future.—*New Era.*

Col. Kilgour is enough like Mr. C. T. Stratton, of Vickersville, to be his twin brother. A friend of the latter dropped in at the mass meeting while the Col.'s eloquence was mounting highest. He listened and gazed in startled wonder for awhile and then exclaimed "Well, really! I never did think the professor could speak that way!"

Mrs. Laura Edes, wife of John P. Edes, of near Edesville, while on a visit to her daughter, who lives near St. Michaels, died on Monday morning, aged 57 years, of acute Gastritis. Mrs. Edes had been sick for some time, and made the visit to her daughter hoping to receive benefit from the change, but was taken ill and died on Monday. The body was brought to Chestertown by boat on Tuesday evening and was kept in the M. E. Church all night, from which place she was buried on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock.

News from College Hill.

Wm. N. Sherwood, of Chestertown, entered last Thursday, the number of students now on roll is 83.

The workmen employed in laying pipe have about finished their work. Pipes and spigots have been put into all the buildings including the Professors' houses. All that is wanted now is water, which will be forthcoming as soon as "Boss" Pippin completes the tank. With good lighting facilities Washington College would be well equipped at the present.

The foot-ball team has not had the chance to do much practice this week on account of bad weather, and delay in getting a ball. The cool weather of Thursday brought them out and the players endeavored to get the stiffness out of their limbs to a certain extent. The indications for a foot-ball team at W. C. this year is beginning to develop more strength than was at first supposed. Prof. Watts the manager has not as yet decided definitely upon his team but the prospect is a good one. With the players that have been upon the field it is thought that the team's composition will be something like this—Left end, Knotts; left tackle, Gould or Hurtt; left guard, Downes; center, Bullock or Brown; right guard, R. Watts; right tackle, Hanna; right end, Stewart; quarter back, Usilton; left half back, Polk; right half back, Brice; full back, R. Leaverton; substitutes, Simonson, Carter and Richardson. The first game will take place on the 23rd, on the college ground against the Delaware Field team, of Wilmington, a very strong team. Games have also been arranged with Delaware College, St. John's and Media.

Dr. Reid has been laid up for a few days with a swollen ankle, which evinces symptoms of erysipelas, but it is to be hoped it is nothing so serious.

The co-operative club now numbers 18 and is progressing finely. All the boys express themselves as highly pleased and it does not cost but $2 per week. Cheap living, that.

The Y. M. C. A. is meeting with marked success this year owing to the interest taken by the new students. Mr. Carey, of Worcester, has his organ in the chapel and he with Mr. Parrott as cornet player, furnish music at the meetings. This is quite an attraction. Rev. R. Irving Watkins delivered an address last Sunday.

Prof. Watts is still at work upon the gymnasium fund, and hopes to be able to get the building by spring. The Athletic Association is thinking of getting up a dramatic entertaiment for the purpose of raising funds for the erection of the house proposed.

The young ladies are progressing finely in their work, and at the end of the month their averages will be on a par if not ahead of the boys if the latter do not pull up.

The Mount Vernon Literary Society elected officers last Saturday night, with the exception of a president. They are vice-president, Wm. B. Usilton, Jr.; recording secretary, A. M. Hanna; corresponding secretary, F. C. Stayton; treasurer, T. W. Perkins. The society starts out under very promising auspices. Most of the new students have joined and seem to take an interest in its work.

HORSE NOTES.—Dr. J. W. Chambers, of Baltimore, in whose possession the horse was found which Mr. DeCorse claims to be the animal stolen from him more than a year ago, has instructed Mr. Shroeder to replevy the animal. Mr. Charles H. Davis and Robt. Wright, two acknowledged authorities in horse matters, were appointed appraisors to place a valuation on the horse. Mr. Shroeder had placed the value at $75 and the result of the gentlemen appointed in putting the horse at $125 was a surprise to some. This valuation, of course, removed the case from the jurisdiction of the magistrate's court, and the ownership can now only be determined by a higher court. Bond was filed for $150, and the necessary papers of replevin issued by Esquire Thomas, but on account of some hitch in the bond the papers have not as yet been entirely satisfactory, and the horse is now in Chestertown, but will be delivered to Dr. Chambers as soon as the papers are perfected.

Mr. John Fowler, living about four miles from Chestertown, had a valuable seven-year-old horse seriously injured on Saturday afternoon. The animal was being used to a plow, and as he was turning in at the turning row his foot sunk in a concealed hole and in trying to relieve the leg the pleyis bone was broken, possibly rendering the horse totally or almost valueless for the future.

Festivals.

SUPPER and FESTIVAL

AT BOND M. E. CHURCH,

on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY Evenings, 20th and 21st of October. Supper to consist of Fish and Oysters and other delicacies of the season. Supper tickets 50 cents. Refreshments served at any hour. Supper to commence at 5 o'clock and continue until 8 o'clock. Cordial invitation to all.
o10-2t. COMMITTEE.

GRAND FESTIVAL and SUPPER

AT WORTON STATION!

The ladies of St. James will have a FESTIVAL and SUPPER on the evenings of FRIDAY and SATURDAY, Oct. 23d and 24th, at the Hall, Worton Station, and invite the public. Supper 25c. Oysters 25c per plate. o3-3t.

Grand Festival and Supper!

AT STAM'S HALL, CHESTERTOWN

By the "Young People's Association of Christ Church, on
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, Oct. 20, 21 and 22.
SUPPER on Thursday evening. o10-2t.

FESTIVAL and SUPPER!

The ladies of SALEM M. E. CHURCH will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER at the Hall in Fairlee, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, October 16th and 17th. Supper consisting of Oysters, Fish and other delicacies. s26-4t.

FESTIVAL!

The ladies of MOWBRAY CHAPEL in Quaker Neck, will hold their ANNUAL FESTIVAL on THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings, Oct. 15th, 16th and 17th, 1891. Oysters, Fish and Refreshments. Supper tickets 50c., children 25c. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. s26-4t.

FESTIVAL and SUPPER.

The ladies of WESLEY CHAPEL M. P. Church will hold a SUPPER and FESTIVAL on the Church Green, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, Oct. 10. Oysters, Crabs, Fish, etc., in abundance. A cordial welcome awaits all. COMMITTEE.

Caution Notices.

CAUTION.—All persons are cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on my farm at Betterton, tenanted by John Young, under strict penalty of the law.
o10-3t. JAMES B. CANBY.

CAUTION.—All persons are cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun, or otherwise, on the farm of the undersigned after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
s26-3t. MRS. HARRIET M. USILTON.

CAUTION.—All persons are forbidden from trespassing with dog, gun, or otherwise after this date, on the farm tenanted by the undersigned, as the law will be enforced to its fullest extent without respect to persons. JOSEPH DIXON.
Sept. 26, 1891—3t.

TRUSTEES' MEETING

of the BOARD of TRADE, of Chestertown,
TUESDAY, Oct. 13th, 1891, at 8 P. M.

FIRST HANDS and Small profits are important considerations. MOODY is giving all the difference to the man who wears the suit. He is with the people and intends to give them every advantage. Finest fitting garments in the county, from $3.50 up to the finest made. Examine his stock.
WM. E. MOODY,
o10-3t. Next door to F. D. Leary.

READ! READ! READ!

"Let justice be done, though the heavens fall!"

Whereas, Mr. Warfield, who is virtually the Chester River Steamboat Company, has placed Mr. Woodford on the Steamer Ford as purchasing agent, I wish to state that I AM STILL ON HAND AS AN INDEPENDENT PURCHASING AGENT, and will endeavor to give satisfaction to all. In next week's paper I will give a full statement of all facts in this matter and leave the public to judge as to who is in the right.
1t. Resp'y, H. A. SPARKS.

LAUNDRY! LAUNDRY!

Laundry Work done by Empire Steam Laundry. Family wash received up to 4 o'clock P. M. every Tuesday, and delivered after arrival of Steamer Corsica every Saturday morning.
CHAS. S. SMITH, AGENT,
o3-3t. Cor. Cross and High sts., Chestertown.

SEPTEMBER 30th, 1891.

On and after October 1st, 1891, the BOOKS of the BASKET DEPARTMENT will be at the office of the Strawboard Mills. Persons wishing to settle their accounts will please call at the above office, or remit by mail. H. M. BROWN,
o3-1f. Manager Basket Department.

PERSONS wishing to buy HORSES in Baltimore will find it to their interest to call and see JOHN W. RASIN, 216 W. Conway st. He will help you.

A CARD.

Having connected myself with the LARGE CLOTHING HOUSE of A. FRIEDMAN, I would be pleased to have all my friends give me a call.
Respectfully,
s26-3t. WM. A. WHEATLEY.

FARM for RENT for 1892:

The FARM on which I now reside, half-mile from Lankford. Fallow broken and corn cut off.
o3.3t. J. W. CREW,
Chestertown, Kent co., Md.

FOR RENT and SALE:

Several desirable DWELLINGS and BUSINESS PROPERTIES in Chestertown.
Apply to HOPE H. BARROLL,
o10-tf. Chestertown, Md.

LIVERY STABLES.

Having rented the VOSHELL HOUSE STABLES I am prepared to BOARD HORSES by day or month. I will also keep a FIRST-CLASS LIVERY. I will put the stables in thorough repair. I will be glad to see my old friends and the public generally.
o3-3t.* CHARLES H. DAVIS, JR.

WANTED:

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The RESIDENCE now occupied by Dr. Samuel Beck on High street, with Stable and Carriage House on premises.
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TWO GRAY HORSES,
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Having more stock than I wish to keep through the winter, I will dispose of some CHOICE CALVES, both full blood and grade; also, some YEARLINGS and a few COWS.
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$1,000, $2,000, $3,000 and $5,000,
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ALL PERSONS depositing trash and filth upon the County Wharf, at Chestertown, are hereby warned that from and after the date of this notice all such depositors shall be dealt with according to law.
T. J. SHALLCROSS, PRES'T.,
ROBERT C. MORGAN,
GEO. W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
JOHN DICKINSON,
Commissioners.
Attest:—T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk. jy18-tf.

NEW LOT of NECKTIES,
Fourin-Hand, Windsor, Puffs, etc.
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Stam's Hall - Saturday, Oct. 17,
—BY THE—
Kellogg Concert Co.,
—consisting of—

Mr. CHAS. D. KELLOGG, the famous warbler;
Miss LENA DEVINE, Prima Donna Soprano;
Miss ANNIE RUSSELL,
late Contralto of Companini Operatic Concerts;
The BROTHERS PERRY, Instrumental Soloists;
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The above concert will be one of the most attractive entertainments ever held in Chestertown. Mr. Kellogg as a warbler is simply wonderful, owing to the peculiar formation of his throat he is able to produce notes never before dreamed of by the most enthusiastic musician. Miss Devine's voice is superb. While at Rome a musical reception was tendered her. The Roman critics declare that she possessed the true Italian method.

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☞Price of admission to this concert is only 50 cents, including reserved seat, which can be secured at once. COLIN F. STAM,
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J. S. MacDONALD,
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WE are in position to BUY ALL THE STRAW Farmers wish to dispose of. Will clean up all the straw from the stack-yards sold me, rejecting only rotten straw, on the basis of 2240 lbs. per ton for dry straw, only asking those wishing to sell to ake a little extra pains in stacking and not put the chaff with their straw. Also, HAY and CORN wanted in large or small quantities.
☞Persons desirous of selling straw will please call on or address
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Wanted:—All the Wheat I Can Buy,
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Those having grain to sell at a distance, if they will write me, I will come at once and examine same, and make them my highest bid.
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Mortgagees' Sale!

BY VIRTUE of a trust contained in a mortgage from William H. Garrison and wife to Samuel Beck and Mathias H. Rash, dated the —— of November, 1886, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county, Maryland, in Liber, S. B., No. 13, the undersigned as mortgagee, will offer at Public Sale,

On SATURDAY, 31st of Oct., 1891,

at 2½ o'clock P. M., in front of N. Lieberman's Store, Melitota,

ALL THAT PARCEL OF LAND,

located on the south side of Buck Neck Lane, belonging to the said William H. Garrison, containing about

FIVE ACRES OF LAND
WITH A DWELLING THEREON,

adjoining the lands of W. W. Parks.

TERMS:—Cash on the day of sale, or may be modified by mortgagees to suit purchaser.
SAMUEL BECK,
BENJ. H. RASH,
o10-ts. adm'r of M. H. Rash, } Mortgagees.

Public Sale of
—VALUABLE—
PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned intending to discontinue farming will sell at Public Sale on the HANDY or THOMPSON FARM, near Fairlee,

On THURSDAY, October. 15, 1891,

at 10½ o'clock A. M., a Fine Lot of Personalty, namely:

5 Horses and 2 Colts,

1 FINE PERCHERON STALLION, six years old; 1 large black horse, HENRY, eight years old; 1 bay horse Frank, seven years old; 1 bay mare Lady, nine years old; 1 black mare, Nettie, four years old, with colt by her side; 1 colt, 2 years old next spring;

1 Pair of Good Mules,

2 COWS, FINE MILKERS,

4 FATTENING HOGS, 2 SOWS WITH PIGS, 5 SHOATS,

2 Farm Wagons, in good order;
1 Two-horse Dearborn, in order;
1 Single Dearborn, in order;
1 Peach Wagon, 1 Wheat Rake,
1 Osborne Grass Cutter, in order;
2 Self-Binders, in order; 2 Grain Fans,
1 Hay Rigging, 1 Sulky Cultivator and Crosser,
1 Corn Sheller; 1 Corn and Cob Crusher;
1 Grindstone, 2 Carriage-poles, in order;
4 No. 40 Oliver Chilled Plows,
Cultivators, harrows, single plows, hoes, forks, shovels, plow gears, 2 sets wagon harness,
Half Interest in 45 acres of Corn in field,

KITCHEN FURNITURE.

TERMS OF SALE:—The terms of sale are all sums of $10 and under cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of Ten Months will be given on Note, interest added, with approved security, payable in Bank. DAVID ZENKER.
HARRISON W. VICKERS, ATT'Y.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. o3-ts.

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