The Kent News.

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SATURDAY MORNING ....., DEC. 12, 1891

Letter from Rev. Dr. Bates.

UNION BRIDGE, MD., Dec. 1, 1891.

I thought possibly some of your numerous readers might be pleased to hear from this pleasant village. Union Bridge is located among the hills of Carroll county, about forty-five miles by rail from the Monumental city. It contains from 800 to 1,000 inhabitants, several stores, 5 churches—Luthern, German Reformed, Meth. Epis., Meth. Prot. and German Baptist, usually called Dunkards. This is one of the prettiest towns of Western Maryland; the houses are mostly of brick, very pleasant residences giving evidence of thrift and energy; there are no palatial residences, indicating a proud aristocracy; nor any tumble-down shanties, indicating squalid poverty and misery. The Western Maryland Railroad has a number of shops here, and employ many hands. There are two or three good schools, one, the larger, being a public academy. The land in this section is limestone and very rich. One farmer publishes in the *Carroll News* that he received over one hundred bushels to the acre; in a field of less than thirteen acres he raised two hundred and eighty-one barrels, or fourteen hundred and five bushels. *Good for old Carroll!* We have a newspaper, the *Carroll News*, edited by an energetic and enterprising young man.

Alas! we have here "the abomination that maketh desolation," the saloon, and as we have no local option they do not have to resort to trickery to sell their lager beer as in Kent, by calling it pear cider. I get the KENT NEWS, remailed to me from Rock Hall, and was glad to see that the court took hold of this pear cider business and increased the school fund of the county. I see by the NEWS, and from private invitation that Kent countians sometimes go abroad for wives. Messrs. Editors, tell the young men of your town that we have some of the nicest marriageable young ladies here I know of anywhere that will not accept the attentions of lager beer birds.

Last conference assigned Dr. J. J. Murray to the pastorate of the M. P. Church; he and his family have made a fine impression. I think the church felt complimented by the appointment, and last, but by no means least, Mrs. B. has enjoyed better health since she has been here than for the last twelve months.

I forgot to say that Union Bridge is enlivened by the passing of six trains of the railroads each day up and down making twelve besides the local freight trains.

Yours, D. W. B.

Peach Worms.

Jacob Hellinger, who owns a lease on peach lands along the Antietam south of Hagerstown has been worming his trees the past few days. He says he finds but few on his two and four yearlings, but lots on his three. A peculiar phenomenon in connection with the latter, and which he has not before noted in his experience, is the presence of knots upon the roots, about the size of a hulled walnut, which when opened contain whole droves of worms. These knots are grouped along the roots and contain in the aggregate enough of worms to chop the tree down and eat it up. Mr. Hellinger has frequently noted this conditiod on trunks of plump, cherry and other fruit trees, but never, until this season, upon the roots of the peach. Wormers would do well to look into this trouble and when present should apply the knife unsparingly.

An Actor's Advice.

Florence the actor, once gave some advice to a friend in these words:

"MY DEAR——: One gallon of whiskey costs about $3, and contains about sixty-five fifteen-cent drinks. Now, if you must drink buy a gallon and make your wife the barkeeper. When you are dry, give her fifteen cents for a drink, and when the whiskey is gone she will have, after paying for it, $6.75 left, and every gallon thereafter will yield the same profit. This money she should put away, so that when you have become an inebriate, unable to support yourself and shunned; by every respectable man, your wife may have money enough to keep you until time comes to fill a drunkard's grave."

FIGHTING DIPTHERIA RAVAGES.—J. H. Jamar, Secretary of the Cecil county, Md., Board of Health, has requested Dr. Chancellor, of the State Board of Health, Baltimore, to meet him in Port Deposit for the purpose of taking some action toward preventing a further spread of diphtheria, which has prevailed there to an alarming extent for the past two or three weeks, 7 deaths having occurred within that time. The disease is not confined to Port Deposit but prevails to some extent throughtout the county. The schools have been closed at Principio Furnace and at Fair Hill.

THE farm of Edward C. Collins, containing about 103 acres, situated about half a mile of Elkton, has been sold to Amer Tally, of Chester, Pa., for $9,000. Mr. Tally will take immediate possession and turn the place into a dairy farm.

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"Do you know what Biggars said about you last night?" "No; but I bet $100 I can lick him with one hand tied behind me."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

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William H. Coleman, late collector,
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John W. Watson.

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

ORDERED, this 13th day of November, 1891, that the sale of the Real Estate, made and reported by WILLIAM H. COLEMAN, late collector of taxes in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, Maryland, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of January 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 30th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $10.00.

JOS. A. WICKES.

True copy, Test—
Nov. 21, 1891—4t. SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

William H. Coleman, late collector.
versus
Robert M. Downey.

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

ORDERED this 13th day of November, 1891, that the sale of the Real Estate made and reported by WILLIAM H. COLEMAN, collector of taxes in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, in the State of Maryland, for the year 1889, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of January next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $96.00.

JOS. A. WICKES.

True copy, Test:
Nov. 21, 1891—4t. SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Joseph N. Wheatley, collector,
versus
Rachel Berry, Emily Carter, Harriet Anderson.

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

THE report of sale in the aforegoing case having been read and considered, and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of law in relation thereto having been complied with, it is thereupon this 13th day of November, in the year 1891, ordered that the sale made and reported by JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY, collector, as aforesaid, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th of January next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of December next.

JOS. A. WICKES.

True copy, Test:—
Nov. 21, 1891—4t. SAMUEL BECK, CLERK.

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Shoe and Grocery Store

THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO CALL AT THE

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Toilet Articles! Toilet Articles!

The VERY BEST, and EVERYTHING that is kep in a well furnished Drug Store.

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The cloth used in our Fish Brand Jackets and Pants has always been of unexcelled strength and durability, but we have just discovered that the mill which has made the cloth for the past ten years has, thro' a mistake, delivered us a small quantity of cloth which is far below our standard. This defect was not known to us until some of the goods had been placed upon the market, and as we intend that the Fish Brand goods shall be the standard for strength, durability and waterproof qualities, we hereby inform all users of these goods that we have authorized every store-keeper handling Fish Brand Oiled Clothing to give at once a new and perfect garment for any that have been torn and are not of the usual strength.

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ABSOLUTELY SAFE!

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Burns in any Lamp without danger of Exploding or taking fire. See that you get the genuine. For sale by

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On and after TUESDAY, October 13th, 1891,

Steamer TOCKWOGH

will leave pier 6, Light Street, at 10.30 A. M., on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS.

Returning, will leave Georgetown on alternate days at 7.30 A. M., stopping at landings going and returning. Steamer Trumpeter withdrawn.

WILLIAM CUNDIFF, SUP'T.

Oct. 17, 1891.

Chester River Steamboat Company.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

MONDAY, Sept. 12, 1891.

Steamer EMMA A. FORD

Will leave Chestertown Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 8 A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Eastern Neck, Queenstown, Kent Island and intermediate landings on Chester river, arriving in Balto. at 1 P. M.

RETURNING will leave Pier 7 Light Street Wharf, at 11 A. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for Chestertown and intermediate landings.

Steamer GRATITUDE

will leave Centreville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday and Rock Hall at 10.30 A. M., for Baltimore.

RETURNING, will leave Pier 7, Light St. Wharf at 11 A. M. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday for same points as before.

The United States Express Company Service on board both steamers, affording patrons an opportunity of making through shipments to all points in the United States without delay.

For the convenience of our patrons we have at Rock Hall landing ample accommodations for the care of teams.

The Steamer CORSICA

Will leave Crumpton at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, stopping at Spry's, Deep Landing, Buckingham, Round Top, Chestertown, Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck and intermediate landings.

Leaves Chestertown at 5 P. M., on Tuesdays and Thursdays and at 3 P. M. on Saturdays.

Returning leaves Pier 7 Light street Wharf at midnight Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays for the above landings.

GEORGE WARFIELD,
May 31, 1891. PRESIDENT.

FALL ARRANGEMENT

TOLCHESTER LINE

Steamer EMMA GILES!

BEGINNING SEPT. 15th, 1891.

EVERY SATURDAY.

Will leave Tolchester Beach - 9 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.

Will leave Baltimore - 7 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

A new shelter has been put on the wharf and we can the farmers attention to the fact we are better able this fall to care for their freight than ever before.

W. C. ELIASON, PRES'T,
Sept. 12, 1891. Pier 16 Light St., Balto.

Phila., Wilmington & Baltimore R. R.

DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after November 30, 1891, trains will leave as follows:

SOUTHWARD. EXP.	PASS	EXP.	PASS	NORTHWARD. PASS	EXP.	PASS	PASS
P M	P M	A M	A M	A M	A M	NOON	P M.
3.58	12.02	10.33	7.27	...Phila...	9.32	10.32	12.01	7.55
3.05	12.45	9.08	6.30	...Balto....	10.37	11.10	2.00	9.25
4.37	2.50	11.18	8.15	Wilmin'n	8.43	9.42	11.15	7.10
	12.50		8.24	Farnh'st	8.33			
84.49	3.03		8.30	N. Castle	8.28	9.31	11.02	6.57
	3.09		8.36	State Rd	8.22		10.56	6.51
	3.14		8.41	...Bear...	8.17		10.51	6.46
4.59		3.21	11.40	8.50	Porter's	8.12	9.19	10.46	6.40
		3.29		8.54	Kirkw'd	8.06		10.42	6.34
				9.03	M'Ples't	7.57		10.33	6.24
5.24	3.37	11.56		9.11	Middle'n	7.49	9.00	10.25	6.18
5.33	3.45			9.20	Townse'd	7.40	8.50	10.16	6.05
	3.49			9.25	Blackbi'd	7.35		10.11	5.59
	3.55			9.31	Greensp'g	7.28