# The Kent News.

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PENNSYLVANIA has declared for Cleveland. Her delegation to Chicago goes uninstructed, but is required to vote as a unit, and will no doubt be heartily for the ex-President.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES in Kent will be held this afternoon, and the county convention next Tuesday. Unusual interest seems to be taken in the matter and it is thought a full vote will be polled in the several districts.

THE gallant old Third District has caught the Cleveland Club spirit and will organize next Saturday evening. See the call in another column of the NEWS. Let harmony prevail and every Democrat enter the ranks, so that the Democratic armor may be fully buckled on when the battle opens. We should not forget that it is Republicanism—as represented by the "Grandfather's hat" in the White House—that we are to fight, and not one another.

A GRAND MASS MEETING in the interest of tariff reform and Grover Cleveland was held at Ford's Opera House, in Baltimore, last Wednesday evening. J. A. Pearce, Esq., our fellow-townsman, was one of the prominent speakers on the occasion and delivered one of the ablest speeches of the evening. Readers of the NEWS will no doubt like to read it and we shall publish it next week. A number of Kent countians were in the audience. Wm. M. Slay, Esq., was one of the vice-presidents, but was not present, being detained at home by business.

SOME of our cotemporaries are unnecessarily severe in their condemnation of Gov. Brown for his veto of the assessment bill. Every one admits the necessity for a new assessment. The Governor appreciates it as highly as anybody. The need is felt in Kent as decidedly as in any other section of the State. Great inequalities in assessments have arisen in the long interval of sixteen years since the last general assessment, and to remedy these defects especially is a new assessment desirable. The NEWS advocated the measure, but we have no word of censure for Gov. Brown. Knowing him as we do, we believe he acted from the highest motive—a strict sense of duty to all the people. He would not be HONEST "Farmer Brown" had he failed to condemn what he conscientiously believed to be a wrong to one *class* of people in the interest of another, even though the beneficiaries be so worthy as the farming class. Let up on the Governor. He was certainly placed in a trying position, and he did what *he* believed to be right.

### No New Assessment.

A special telegram to the NEWS early Saturday morning announced the fact that Govornor Brown had refused to sign the assessment bill and the people read the same from the NEWS bulletin board. In Kent county there were many who desired the bill, while at the same time there were equally as many who thought he ought to veto it and there were nearly an equal number who did not care whether he did or did not. The bill no doubt had some bad provisions in it that were objectionable to some people, and so will any bill that may in the future be framed. It will be impossible to suit everybody and it will be necessary to take the bitter with the sweet if a new assessment bill is ever to be given the people. In another column will be found what Governor Brown has to say on the subject.

### No Extra Session.

There will be no extra session of the Senate. Governor Brown having referred the question to the Attorney-General, that officer Wednesday gave his oral opinion to the Governor that there is no legal or constitutional necessity for him to call an extra meeting of the Senate for the purpose of confirming the appointments of supervisors of elections and boards of commissioners of public schools; that the Governor has the right to fill these vacancies now, though created by acts of the last General Assembly, as adheres to him where vacancies occur in appointments during the interregnum of the regular session of the Legislature. This will save $2,500.

### THE DEMOCRATIC OUTLOOK.

The Baltimore *Sun's* able Washington corespondent of last Monday writes: As indicated in this correspondence, it is anticipated that most, if not all of the Southern States, will send uninstructed delegates, and it is probable this will also be the case with more of the Northern States than had previously been expected. After all, it is best, in the belief of many, that delegations should go uninstructed, for expected contingencies are always liable to occur which make instructions embarrassing. Delegates are quite apt to know the sentiment of their constituents whether instructed or not. One of the most experienced political observers remarked tonight that it seemed to him the democratic convention of 1892 would be like the convention of 1884—a deliberative body. In 1884 popular sentiment, as now, pointed in advance to Cleveland, but the majority of the delegates went into the convention without pledges, free to act to the best interests of the party after careful deliberation and consultation with each other. That convention weighed well the availability and the prospects of all the candidates, and Cleveland was selected because, in the best judgment of all, he was the strongest candidate before the people. The convention of 1892, he thought, would be similarly composed of men sincerely looking for the most proper man and desirous of responding to the popular demand when satisfied what it may be. All signs have pointed to the man, but after the merits of all have been discussed and passed upon only will it be expedient to make the choice.

THE Postoffice Department Thursday decided to award the contract for carrying the mails between Baltimore and Rock-Hall, Maryland, to the Chester River Steamboat Company, at $150 per year. The mails are to be carried over this route, thirty miles and back, six times a week, from March 1st to October 31st, and three times a week from November 1st to February 28th, in safe and suitable steamboats by a schedule satisfactory to the department.

SCHOONER SUNK.—The two masted schooner John B. Brown, of Baltimore, owned and commanded by Captain Blunt, bound to the Chester river with oyster sells, collided with a mud scow off Sparrow's point Saturday morning and sank in one and-fourth fathoms shortly afterwards. Some of the schooner's head gearing gave away leaving the jibs flying loose, consequently they had no bearing on the wind. A stiff breeze was blowing and Captain Blunt was unable to bear away from the scow. A hole was made in the starboard side of the schooner, admidships. The vessel will probably prove a total loss. The crew got on board the scow and were put ashore at Sparrow's Point Saturday.

### Cleveland Clubs.

The Cleveland Tariff Reform Club of the fourth district met in Stam's Hall Tuesday night, President Slay in the chair. The first business was the enrollment of members and the following gentlemen joined the club:

Wm. M. Slay,
Lewin W. Wickes,
Chas. L. Dodd,
W. Frank Hines,
T. V. Simpson,
R. D. Hynson,
Wm. S. Walker,
Benj. F. Beck,
James A. Pearce,
T. S. Dodd,
H. C. Chase,
J. C. Loud,
W. H. McFeely,
D. A. Bacchus,
Fred G. Usilton,
G. W. T. Perkins,
W. W. Newcomb,
C. C. Morgan,
S. Beck,
Daniel McKee,
Jervis Spencer,
Jos. E. Gilpen,
T. D. France,
W. W. Rose,
J. Henry Thompson,
Chas. Estes,
F. H. Greenwood,
J. F. Copper,
M. deK. Smith,
J. Thos. Kelley,
J. F. B. Connelly,
J. W. Startt,
R. H. Wright,
J. W. Duyer,
S. Hicks,
G. H. Cannon,
W. W. Hubbard,
J. T. Dixon,
J. H. Hurtt,
T. S. Storks,
Jas. T. Marsden,
W. S. Pennell,
G. B. Westcott,
A. I. Dugan,
H. T. Massey,
W. S. Scone,
R. H. Collins,
A. C. Loud,
W. O. B. Knight,
G. H. Thomas,
J. G. Duyer,
F. E. Duyer,
W. M. Culp,
Geo. Brynes,
C. W. Whaland,
J. D. Welch,
Wm. Morris,
H. Reed,
J. A. Catlin,
L. S. Fowler,
Geo. Brice,
W. B. Usilton, Jr.,
J. G. Roland,
C. C. Perkins,
M. E. Baker
Wm. H. McKee,
A. H. Perkins,
J. W. Silcox,
Fred Humbert,
W. B. Copper,
Chas. McKee,
J. Evan Thomas,
W. R. Aldridge,
J. L. McFeely,
W. F. Wroth,
T. J. Joiner,
W. B. Usilton,
W. O. Dugan,
R. N. Boston,
H. S. Barnett,
Wm. A. Smith,
L. B. Russell,
E. F. Perkins,
Willard Melvin,
C. C. Hooper,
E. F. Perkins, Jr.,
T. G. Wroth,
T. H. Topping,
Enoch N. Roland,
John Brice,
F. M. Baker,
F. B. Jester,
C. B. C. Senart,

HONORARY.

E. W. Hepbron,
Wm. Houston,
Cyrus Howard.

It was decided to leave the club book at Messrs. Westcott & Dodd's store so that all Democratic Cleveland men of this district who desired to join the club might do so at any time. On motion of J. A. Pearce, Esq., and amended by Dr. S. Beck, it was agreed that as court would be in session next week the club adjourn to meet at the call of the president and that the executive committee furnish speakers at our next meeting.

The Lynch's club met Saturday evening and adopted resolutions expressing gratification at the progress of Cleveland and Tariff Reform principles throughout the State and county, endorsing his position on the silver question and pledging their best efforts in selecting men known to be uncompromising Cleveland men to go to State convention and to Chicago. Mr. Hepbron, chairman, made some remarks on the silver resolution after which E. W. Hepbron, P. G. Skirven and J. B. Hossinger were appointed a committee to get up an order of business for the government of the club.

### Church Notes of Interest.

Palm Sunday was observed in most of the Protesant and Catholic churches Sunday. At the P. E. Church, Chestertown Rev. Mr. Roberts delivered a very interesting discourse and a pretty duet by Misses Hallie and Mary Beck was rendered. Rev. Father Connelly held services in the Catholic Church and will also have charge on Sunday, Easter day. At Shrewsbury a good congregation turned out to hear the Rev. Mr. Sutton who gave to his people one of his practical talks on the day. Mr. Shewell led services at St. Paul's.

On account of the sickness of Rev. J. E. Weller no services were held at the Southern M. E. Church.

J. A. B. Wilson, D. D., who was sent to Easton M. E. Church by the last Wilmington Conference has been transferred to the New York Conference and appointed pastor of Eighteenth Street Church, New York City. Who will succeed Dr. Wilson at Easton is not yet known. It is said by one who heard him that Rev. J. A. B. Wilson, D. D., "charmed his New York audience" on Sunday and that they are loud in his praise. Before him on a table inside the chancel was a beautiful floral pillow in the centre of which was the word "Welcome." The choir was out with extra music and the day was pleasantly and delightfully spent.

St. Paul's P. E. Church have called Rev. Mr. Melroche, of Miles River Ferry, Talbot county, but no answer has yet been received from him. This congregation is deserving of a good man and they hope to be supplied in a short time.

The M. P. Conference appointments will be found in another column. In Kent county two changes have been made. Rev. S. B. Tredway, the pastor at St James, goes to Centreville and Rev. D. L. Mills, D. D., takes his charge. Dr. Miles has been stationed at Westminister five years and while there did a noble work. He is an able preacher and has a wife and several children. Rev. Q. L. Morrow, of Kennedyville goes to Waverly, a good appointment, near Baltimore and Rev. R. L. Lewis has been sent to the Kennedyville church. Rev. Mr. Lewis is well-known in Kent having served the church at Wesley Chapel and also as a junior preacher on this circuit. He is a very popular pastor wherever he goes as well as preacher. Rev. D. L. Greenfield was returned to Chestertown and Rev. Jesse Shreeve to Wesley chapel.

A writer from Crumpton in the Centreville *Record* says there is one thing which Crumpton perhaps, leads all her sister towns of approimate population just at present, and that is her number of citizen and resident ministers—Revs. Eben Welch and J. B. Merritt of the former and J. T. Anderson and F. T. Littleton of the latter. Mr. Welch has left the ministrial field to engage in the pursuit of utilitarianism. Mr. Merritt was assigned a charge in Kent by the late Wilmington Conference, much to the regret of his well-wishing congregation, The laws of that body—that no minister can occupy a charge for a longer period than five years— was the only thing that could possibly have separated him fron his little flock at Crumpton. Few ministers in the Conference have the ability of J. B. Merritt. We have not had sufficient time to judge the *merit* of his successor, Mr. J. T. Anderson, but we extend to him our well wishes, with the earnest hope that when time shall have healed his physical indisposition he shall sustain the same relationship with us as his admirable predecessor. Mr. Littleton, our M. P. minister, is now attending Conference. With four such examples in the midst of the daily Crumptonian, who will gainsay that the clouds of worldly hue will soon have rolled away and melted tnto an horizon of reformation?

### Buying Fertilizers.

The use of fertilizers on wheat and other crops of this county has become such an established custom that it is no longer a matter for discussion. The only question is what kind shall be used and from whom it shall be bought. No branch of trade furnishes a better opportunity for frand and imposition than this. The farmer may apply pure bone this year and the season may be so dry that the crop will get no benefit. The next year he may put some worthless stuff on the field and the crop may be fine and he will attribute it to the worthless fertilizer when in point of fact it is the effect of the bone which was put on the previous year. A farmer may be attempted by low prices to buy a worthless fertilizer, and after he has used it he can never prove that it is worthless. The only safe way to do is to buy from people of established characters for honesty and fair dealing. Farmers of Kent county will make no mistake in their purchases if they buy the articles advertised in the columns of the NEWS. We have some knowledge of all these goods and the parties offering them have too much character at stake to deceive.

### A Railroad Deal?

Rumors have been afloat the past week of a railroad deal which directly affects the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad. A well-known railroad man was at Clayton Tuesday and stated to a NEWS reporter that the Pennsylvania railroad was trying to make a deal with the Reading Company for the purchase of the Kent road. It was said that the Reading is desirious of getting hold of a small road in southern Pennsylvania and to do this offered to trade the Kent road for it. It is a well-known fact that the Pennsylvania road realizes what a feeder this road can be made for their trunk line and they learned to appreciate this fact last peach season as never before. A well-known gentleman of our town was in New York Tuesday and being interested in the matter made some inquiry at the railroad office and intimations of the deal were made. Assist. Chief Engineer Jos. T. Richards and Superintendent Holliday of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co., came to town Monday on a special train but had nothing to say of the deal. If this deal should be accomplished then we would no doubt have two trains per day, the mail arriving here about 11 A. M., and another train arrive here about 7 P. M.

NEW BRIDGES.—The examiners appointed by the county commissioners to examine the road at Beck's mill and at Whaland's mill for the purpose of erecting a bridge over the streams at above mills reported last Tueshay. At Beck's mill they advised the construction of a bridge fifty feet long and 16 to 20 ft. road, to span road from Quaker Neck to down county, with brick or stone abutments, and that road from mill to Quaker Neck be put on Mr. Hendrickson and a bridge built with a 30 ft. span. The reason for changing the road here is first to straighten it, and then to remove the bridge from water, as by the road recommended, the bridge will not be as long as otherwise. A committee opposed to this latter new road appeared before the commissioners Tuesday and secured the fixing of next Thursday as the day for all interested parties to meet and agree upon the proper course to pursue.

A favorable report was made for the construction of a bridge over the stream at Whaland's mill, either iron or wooden, 60 ft. span and 4o foot road way.

PEACH PROSPECT.—J. B. Brown, Esq., says a number of his tenants report the prospect for peaches in Queen Anne's most excellent, the smock varieties especially being plentiful. The general impression in Kent among growers is that the crop at the best will be small, not from any recent injury or winter weather, but from a lack of live wood and buds. The Smock variety alone promises well. In Caroline the prospect is for one-third of a crop. According to the latest advices from different parts of the State, Delaware's peach crop this year is very promising.

SHEEP NOTES.—The past winter has been a bad one on the sheep in Kent county. One farmer near town has lost nineteen, one near Pomona twelve and various other places in the county the loss has been heavy. No particular disease is among them but it is a result of the weather and dead grass. Reports from many of our farmers are to the effect that the ewes are doing well and that more lambs will be raised in Kent than ever before. Dogs from Chestertown got into Mr. Wm. Hendricks' sheep Sunday and killed eight. One of the dogs was shot in town Monday by Mr. H.

### Matrimonial Notes.

A quiet wedding took place at the M. E. parsonage in Chestertown on Wednesday, April 7th and the affair was as secret as it was quiet. The contracting parties were Miss DORAH E. DIEHL, only daughter of Mr. Theodore Diehl, and Mr. WALTER F. FIELDS, a farmer of this county and at present tenanting Mr. Diehl's farm. The wedding was performed by Rev. J. W. Easley after which the bridal couple spent several days with Mr. Field's relatives in Queen Anne's. They returned home Friday and were freely forgiven by the much worried parents who did not know what had become of them.

Cards are out for the wedding of Dr. James K. H. Jacobs, of Kennedyville, and Miss Annie McKenney, of Centreville, to take place Wednesday, April 27th, 1892, at twelve o'clock noon, in St. Paul's P. E, Church, Centreville. Dr. Jacobs is one of the most popular gentleman in Kent and as a doctor has been very successful. He has a beautiful home in Kennedyville to which he will take his bride. Miss McKenney is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKenney.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Emily Ford, daughter of the late Col. B. S. Ford, to Mr. Henry H. Klinefelter, next Wednesday evening at 6.30. The ceremony will take place at Grace M. E. Church, Lafayette Square, Baltimore. After the ceremony a reception will be held at the residence of the bride's uncle, Dr. S. E. Ford.

The wedding of Dr. J. H. Willey to Miss Ella Marie Stickney will take place Wednesday evening, April 27. The groom is well known in Kent and the bride is of one of the wealthiest families in Albany, N. Y. After the ceremony they will take an extended tour of several months through the West and elsewhere.

LITTLE FOLKS' FESTIVAL.—The Children's Aid Society will hold a festival at the old M. P. Parsonage in Chestertown, corner Queen street and Maple avenue, next Tuesday afternoon and evening, April 19. The affair will be entirely in charge of the little folks and will no doubt be worth attending. Encourage them by your presence on this occasion.

BASEBALL.—The season opened in Kent last Saturday between the uptowners and downtowners and resulted in a victory for each. The Baltimore club lost their first game. Burris has been made Captain of the College team and R. E. Fisher, manager. The baseball fever will soon be raging.

THE celebrated Southern elocutionist, Gilbert Walden, will give an entertainment in Stam's Hall next Tuesday night. The Baltimore *Sun* says of him: "Gilbert Walden, the Southern Elocutionist, delighted for two hours last night a large audience at the First Baptist Church with his humorous and pathetic recitals. He is young but has achieved great success as an elocutionist. In negro dialect he is excellent, and his renditions were greeted with uproarious laughter and applause. He has a musical voice, to which, in a great measure, he owes his fine success."

READ W. T. Wood's ad. in this issue. He has one of the best machines on the market and says he can prove it if you will give him a chance.

"THE Woman Question in the Air," by a member of the W. C. T. U., will appear in the NEWS next week.

### Personal Mention.

Mr. C. S. Hurlock was drawn by his honor, Judge Wickes, last Monday to serve as a juror in place of Edward J. Kennard, Esq., who removes from the county.

Sheriff Plummer has been quite sick this week but hopes to be ready for court next week.

James J. Archer, Esq., of Harford, was in town yesterday on legal business.

Joseph T. Richards, Esq., assistant-Chief engineer of Pennsylvania rail road, and superintendent Hollyday, came to town Monday on a special train and returned the same day. Mr. Richards object was to inspect some tombstones that had been erected by John N. Dodd at the grave of his father-in-law, the late Henry W. Ernest. The stones were heavy granite blocks and weighed four tons.

Mrs. J. S. Bradley has been quite sick for three weeks and was very much better yesterday.

Prof. Micou will spend Easter in Washington, Prof. Reid in Philadelphia, Prof. Clarke at his home in Pocomoke City, Profs. Watts and Proctor at the College.

Miss Mary Fite, of Baltimore, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. L. Greenfield the past week, returned home yesterday.

Mr. R. Nelson Stevens and bride, of Baltimore, are guests of friends on the Island.

Mrs. A. E. Smith, who has been extremely ill at Mr. J. N. Dodd's, was very much improved yesterday.

Mr. Frank Davis, a typo on the NEWS, spends the Easter holidays in Baltimore.

"Judge" T. J. F. Smith and wife were in town Tuesday. This is the first time the Judge's wife has been in our town and many congratulations were forced upon him for his good taste.

Miss Mattie B. Henry, a popular young lady of this town, is on a visit to relatives in Lawrence, Massachusetts, where she expects to stay quite awhile.

Mr. Stephen Gillispie who has been painting at Mr. W. C. Orell's shops, has secured a position in Wilmington and moved there Monday. We are sorry to lose such a good citizen.

Dr. W. Aston Evans, of Millington, was one of the graduates at the Maryland College of Pharmacy in Baltimore last Tuesday night. Dr. Evans graduated among the first of the sixty in his class and will no doubt make his mark in the beautiful town of which he is a citizen.

Mr. Harry G. Simpers is spending Easter holidays in Crisfield with Mr. J. E. Richardson, class-mate at the college.

Dr. B. D. Evans, of this county, has been elected superintendant of the Maryland Home for Feeble-Minded children, at Owing's Mills. Dr. Evans was one of the physicians at Spring Grove Asylum for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Perkins are visiting their home folks in Chestertown.

Miss Maggie Grammar, of Wilmington, was the guest of Miss Mollie Parks several days this week.

Miss Annie May Downey was compelled to come home this week from the Dover Academy on account of scarlet fever in the school. This is the second time the disease has broken out there this term.

Representatives Godwin and Wallen, of of Queen Anne's were both in Chestertown Tuesday and each expressed himself glad that the session was over and that they were relieved of the responsibilities attendent upon the same.

Miss Lizzie Satterfield, of Baltimore, is visiting at the residence of Capt. C. A. Leary near Edesville.

Messrs. C. W. Perkins, W. W. Beck and Harvey Culp came home Thursday to spend a few days.

Miss Clare Vannort is home from college for the holidays.

Mrs. Wm. A. Brice and children, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Brice on the avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Berger, of Baltimore, spent Sunday in town as guests of Mrs. Wm. B. Roland.

Miss Mollie Moffet, near Millington, is enjoying a pleasant visit with her cousin, Miss Ida Garrett, of Chestertown.

At the Arbor Day exercises at the State Normal School on Wednesday Miss Florence Layman, daughter of Mr. H. C. Layman, until a few months past a resident of Crumpton, read an essay on historic trees. Miss Layman is one of the brighest girls in attendants at that school.

SOCIAL LIFE.

A delightful party was tendered Miss Mary Anthony at her home on High street Wednesday evening last, in honor of her birthday. Quite a number were present. Music and the usual array of parlor games was the order of the evening. During the evening ice-cream, cake, lemonade and fruits were served in abundance. At 11 o'clock, the well wishes of all being extended to Miss Mary and expressing themselves as having spent a most pleasant evening, the party retired.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hatcherson at their home near Fairlee Tuesday evening. Fifty or more guests crowded into the spacious rooms and made the house ring with peals of laughter. Friend Bob made everybody enjoy themselves.

SUDDEN DEATH.—MRS. Jarman, an estimable lady of Crumpton, died very suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Gleaves, last Sunday afternoon. She had gone on an errand upstairs and after being absent a short time was heard coming down the stairway and suddenly stop. Mrs. Gleaves went to the foot of the stairs and there found her mother dead. She died without a struggle of any kind, the cause of death being heart trouble. She was in her usual good health and had not been complaining. The deceased was sixty-two years of age and leaves three grown children, Mrs. George Gleaves, Messrs Wesley and Thomas Jarman.

THE town commissioners are still at work improving our streets, etc. The three large trees that have stood for years on high street in front of the homes of Dr. J. T. Twilley, Joel R. Clements, C. M. Lucas and Chas. Estes have been cut down and greatly improves the appearance of things in that locality. Two trees in front of the court house green has also been cut down. The residents of Washington avenue are contemplating a change which will improve the looks of that beautiful section, the proposition is to discard the fences and have shrubbery of some kind for a dividing line. The residents on the avenue are very aesthetic and we predict a marked change in a little while. They have asked for a pavement but the town does not yet see the way clear to grant the request.

FOUND LYING ON THE SHORE.—James Bailey, a tenant on the farm of Capt. J. Fletcher Wilson, near Turkey Point, found the body of an unknown white man lying on the shore of the river, near the farm, Sunday. He was about forty years of age. The body was badly decomposed and had evidently been in the water some time. The body was very thinly clad, wearing a pair of light and dark striped trousers and a rubber boot on his right foot.

THE Spring of '92 finds the enterprising firm of F. H. Harper & Son, Still Pond, ready to meet the wants of all. Buyers of anything in their line will find their store a most interesting place to visit. A big stock—rich and rare, fabrics—great bargains—and as clever gentlemen to greet you as can be found anywhere are the attractions.

FOXES PLENTIFUL.—A pack of hounds made a rush into a thicket on Mr. Charles Brown's place a few days ago and out ran two foxes leaving four others behind. A yellow dog also ran out and fortunately for the foxes the beagle hounds jumped into fighting the dog.

THE county commissioners on Monday re appointed the present board of trustees of the poor house: Messrs Thomas H. Horsey, Wm. Ford and J. W. Skirven. A most excellent board.

OUR OFFICIALS, road menders especially, will be profited by reading the article on the first page of the NEWS on "Dirt Roads."


AN ORANGE TEA:

The WESLEY CHAPEL LADIES' AID SOCIETY will give an ORANGE TEA at the residence of MISS MAMIE WICKES, Grey's Inn, SATURDAY EVENING, April 23, 1892. All the delicacies of the season furnished. Refreshments served. Entertainment for the evening. Supper, adults 50 cents; children 25 cents. All welcome.
ma26-3t. COMMITTEE.

CLEVELAND CLUB.

Democrats of the Third District in favor of CLEVELAND and TARIFF REFORM are invited to meet at the Hill, Worton Station, on NEXT SATURDAY EVENING, April 23, at 7½ o'clock, to organize a club.
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LOST:—On Thursday evening, a BUNDLE of BOY'S CLOTHING, either left at the office of the Chester River Steamboat Co., or lost on the road from town to Lankford. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to
JOSEPH RASIN,
April 16-3t. LANKFORD.

FOR RENT:

STABLES, SUITABLE FOR LIVERY.
Apply to M. A. TOULSON,
a16-3t. DRUGGIST.

NOTICE.

The Orphans' Court will meet on TUESDAY and THURSDAY of next week, April 19th and 21st 1892. JAMES T. DIXON, REGISTER.

NOTICE:

Take notice that ANY INFRINGEMENT on the DAVIS HYDRAULIC MOTOR, (a machine for supplying water to Dwellings, Barns and Dairies) will be fully prosecuted. These mabhines can be had of Mr. MARCUS J. ASCHER, Chestertown, Kent county, Md., our authorized agent for Kent county.
WATERS & DAVIS,
BALTIMORE, MD.,
a16-3t.* General Agent for the Patentees.

NOTICE:

Came to the premises of the subscriber on the 8th day of April, 1892, 25 SHEEP and 22 LAMBS. The owner will come forward, prove property, pay expenses and take away, otherwise they will be disposed of as the law directs.
W. P. CROSBY & CO.,
a16-3t. Tolchester Farm.

FOR SALE:

A SCOW, 32 feet long, 10 feet beam, 2½ feet deep, in first-class condition, suitable for a loading boat, will carry 500 bushels of grain. Any one desiring to strike a bargain will do well to call on
TYLER BROS.,
a16-3t. Holley Point Farm, Rock Hall P. O.

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"Mars' Chan," "Unc' Edinburg's Drownin'," "Unc' Tom's Strategy," "The Golden Weddin'," "Ben and Judas," "The Two Runaways," "How Old Folks Won Oaks," "How Sal Came Through," "Two Gentlemen of Kentucky," "King Solomon of Kentucky," &c.
Tickets 25 cents, Reserved Seats, 35 cents.
a16-1t. COLIN F. STAM.

Proposals for Building Barn.

PROPOSALS will be received up to 3 o'clock, P. M., May 3, for

BUILDING A BARN

at the Almshouse, Kent County. The building to be of frame, 26x38 feet, and the Trustees to furnish all materials. The work to be completed by July 1, 1892. The designs may be seen at the office of Mr. T. W. Ellason, Jr. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals must be under seal and addressed to WM. FORD, Chestertown, Maryland.
J. WALTER SKIRVEN,
WILLIAM FORD,
THOS. H. HORSEY,
a16-3t. TRUSTEES.

Notice!

THE EXAMINERS appointed by the County Commissioners to take steps to erect a bridge at Brice's (formerly Beck's) Mill will again meet at said Mill,

On THURSDAY, April 21st, 1892,

AT 3½ O'CLOCK P. M.

All persons interested in the location of the Bridge are requested to attend.
V. HENDRICKSON,
S. LECATES,
a16-1t. T. J. VICKERS.

LOST:

THREE RABBIT HOUNDS, NICK, large dog, white and yellow; RING, small dog, black, with yellow breast and legs; GEORGE, medium size, white, with black and blue spots. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery of the dogs.
JOHN BRICE,
a9-3t. Betterton, Md.

WANTED:

A good WHITE HAND to work on the farm, To an industrious sober man good wages will be given. Inquire of THOS. C. PARSONS,
a9-3t.* near Chestertown.

PICKLES!

The undersigned has a quantity of cucumber pickles for sale at his place, near Worton Station, tenanted by Mr. Percy W. Hague. He has enough to supply stores or private families.
a9-3t. WM. MCCLEESTER.

NOTICE.

HERRING AT GALE'S WHARF every day before 10 A. M., at $1.50 per thousand.
a9-3t. JOHN GALE.

WANTED TO RENT:

LARGE STORE-ROOM on Main business street in Chestertown.
Address J. B. M.
a12 2t. KENTON, DEL.

FOR SALE or RENT:

TWO COMFORTABLE DWELLINGS on Mill street, in Chestertown, from May 6, 1892. Each house has a hall and two rooms and kitchen on first floor, and two good bed chambers with garrett, all finished. Apply to
THOMAS G. WROTH,
a2-3t. at the Shoe Store.

CHESTERTOWN

Marble Works.

Monuments, Headstones,
Cemetery Enclosures,
Marble Posts.

I have now on hand a large and varied assortment, cut from the FINEST VERMONT WHITE MARBLE, a quality that is rarely found in any Marble Yard, city or town. I also have them in the FINEST GRADE of ITALIAN MARBLE.

My prices are governed by city competition, and in each and every sale is fully 15 per cent less.

Call and examine my Superior Stock, get my prices, see a sample of lettering, and I think you will be pleased.

A. J. HYNSON,
a2-7t.* CHESTERTOWN, MD.

NOTICE!

THE Annual Meeting of Members of THE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Kent county will be held at their office on MONDAY, May 2, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing Directors, etc. The following resolutions will also be voted upon:

WHEREAS, It is deemed proper to sumbit to the next annual meeting of the members of the company an amendment to the By-Laws of the company, and the conditions of the policy of insurance relative to the insuring of a person and his heirs, therefore—

*Resolved*, That the Board of Directors recommend to the members of the company that the By-Laws and conditions of the policy be so amended as to provide that the policy shall extend beyond the death of the insured for the benefit of his heirs-at-law for such period as the members of the company on full consideration may determine.
a9-tm. W. N. E. WICKES, PRES'T.

—ELECTION OF—

Town Commissioners.

NOTICE IS HEREY GIVEN, that an election will be held at the Court House in Chestertown, Maryland,

ON MONDAY

The 25th day of April, 1892,

for the purpose of electing one person to serve for three years in the place of JAMES A. SHAW, one of the present commissioners, whose term expires on that date. Polls open from 9 A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M.
By order of Board, JOS. N. WHEATLEY,
a9-te. CLERK.

ATTORNEY'S SALE

—OF—

HELL POINT!

BY VIRTUE of competent authority from Samuel G. Meredith and Mary E. Meredith, owners of Hell Point, the undersigned as attorney, will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown,

On TUESDAY, APRIL 26th, 1892,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., ALL THAT

Fine Farm & Gunning Shore

—KNOWN AS—

HELL POINT,

at the extreme end of Eastern Neck Island. The farm is one of the best in Kent county, and one of the best GUNNING SHORES on the Chesapeake Bay. It contains

150 ACRES OF LAND,

MORE OR LESS, improved by a COMFORTABLE

Dwelling

and Comfortable OUT-BUILDINGS.
Fencing is good. There are about

1,200 Peach Trees, 700 Quince Trees

FIVE ACRES IN ASPARAGUS.

There are three miles of gunning shore. Wild ducks, geese, swan, diamond back terrapin, all sorts of fish, and oysters abound, and the location is a perfect paradise for any one wanting a home on salt water, or winter gunning box.

Terms of Sale:

One-fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the balance in six, twelve and eighteen months, or the terms may be modified to suit the purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
a9-ts* ATTORNEY.

PUBLIC SALE OF

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned, as executor, by an order from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, will offer for sale on the farm of the late WM. CACY, near MASSEYS, Kent county, Maryland,

On SATURDAY, April 16th, 1892,

commencing at 2 P. M., the following Personal Property, to wit:

1 HORSE, good for road,

will work anywhere;

1 Good Mule, 4 Good Milch Cows,

1 Wagon and Harness,
1 York Carriage and Harness,
2 Oliver Chilled Plows, 1 Twin Harrow,
2 hand Cultivators,

LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

including 3 Feather Beds, 2 Mattresses, 3 Bedsteads, lot of Chairs and Carpets, Dishes, etc.

TERMS:—The terms of sale are cash on all sums less than $10; over that amount a credit of Six Months will be allowed on note with approved security.
a2-2t. SAMUEL CACY, EXEC'R.

Spring Goods!

Just received a Fine Selection of Dress Ginghams, Outing Cloths, Flannelettes, Cashmeres, White Goods, Percals, Cottonades, Striped and Check Outings for Children's Waists, Challies, Linen Chambray, &c.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Dongolas, Button Shoes and Oxford Ties, in all grades, Men's and Boy's Tennis Shoes.

China Matting at Very Low Prices, Jointed or Jointless.

Straw Hats in the Newest Styles to suit all ages.

Gents' Furnishing Goods.

And a Good General Stock, all at Lowest Prices.

J. H. SIMPERS,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
April 16, 1892.

POULTRIBINA.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR

ALL DISEASES OF POULTRY!

We have had wonderful success in the sale of this article, many ladies testfiying that it is the best remedy they have ever tried. As an egg producer it is wonderful. 25 cents per package.

COLIN F. STAM, DRUGGIST.

A FINE COW,

Calf by her side, good milker, can be seen at Mr. T. W. Trew's, Broad Neck. For sale by
a2 3t. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Plants in Season.

JERSEY WAKEFIELD CABBAGE, Improved Brunswick, Cabbage, Sweet Potato, New Giant Paseal Celery, Golden Self-Blanching Celery, Autumn Giant Cauliflower. All at popular prices in their season.
W. B. MCKNETT,
a2-6m. Kennedyville, Md.

GIVEN AWAY!

In order to thoroughly introduce my stock of fowls, I will GIVE AWAY an EXTRA SETTING of EGGS to all purchasers of one setting or more.

S. C. B. LEGHORNS, - - - - $1.00 per 15 Eggs.
B. P. ROCKS, - - - - - 1.00 " "
MIXED YARD, - - - - - 50 " "

This stock is properly mated, and the eggs are guaranteed to hatch well. I have hatched 100 per cent this season, and usually get from 90 to 95 per cent. Mail orders promptly attended to. Terms, cash with order. W. R. MCKNETT,
Urieville Poultry Farm, Kennedyville, Md.
P. S.—A few colonies of Italian Bees for sale very low. a2-6m.

ONION SETS,
SEED POTATOES.

I am prepared to furnish growers with SEED POTATOES, grown from stock carefully selected and shipped me from Caribon, Maine, of the best and most prolific varieties, Early Rose, Early Maine and others. Also, a fine lot of Yellow Danver and Silver Skin ONION SETS.
BENJAMIN F. RASH,
fe27-tf. Lynch's Kent co., Md.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

FROM THOROUGHBRED FOWLS.

$3.00 for 15 Indian Game Eggs; $1.00 for 15 Eggs from Barred Plymouth Rocks, Golden Wyandottes and S. C. Brown Leghorns, packed and delivered to express office when desired.
E. E. HUDSON,
ma26-3m. Kennedyville, Md.

OXFORD TIES, Ladies and Misses' Buttoned Shoes, Men's and Boy's Shoes, Tennis Shoes.
a16. J. H. SIMPERS.

BARGAINS in HATS and UNDERWEAR, Gents' Furnishing Goods. J. H. SIMPERS.

FLOUR by the barrel or sack.
WESTCOTT & DODD.

Executrix' Sale of

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale in STILL POND VILLAGE,

On SATURDAY, April 16, 1892,

AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M., THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

2 HORSES and 2 COLTS

1 Gray Mare, in foal; 1 Bay Horse, 1 Bay Colt, three years old, 1 Yearling Colt;

THREE MULES,

4 HEAD OF CATTLE,

1 Farm Wagon, 1 Horse Wagon,
1 Horse-Cart, nearly new, 1 Dearborn,
1 No-top Buggy, 1 Square Carriage,
1 Square Carriage, with top broken;
1 Grindstone, 1 Farm Bell,
1 Wheelbarrow, 1 Log Roller,
1 Hay and Grain Rake,
1 Roland Chill Plow, 2-horse,
1 Twin Harrow, 1 A Harrow, 3 Cultivators,
Plow, Wagon and Dearborn Harness,
Shovels, Forks and various other small articles.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 or under cash; all over that amount a credit of Five Months will be given, purchaser to give note, interest added, with good security, and payable at either of the Chestertown banks. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.
ELIZABETH B. TURNER,
a2-ts. EXECUTRIX.


PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS.

LOCAL LAW for KENT COUNTY.

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