The Kent News

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.....OCT. 1, 1892.

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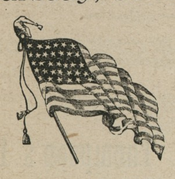

This is the day fixed for the Democratic county mass-meeting in Kent by the State committee.

Bear it in mind.

Speakers will be announced hereafter. Efforts are being made to get the most eloquent orators to be had.

Friends of CLEVELAND and STEVENSON! Begin at once to make preparations to attend. Make this meeting worthy of the great cause.

Still Pond Notes.

Mrs. Barnard and family, have moved to Middletown, Del.; they have been with us for many years and we regret to see them go. We learn that Mr. Corey will take the farm.

Mrs. M. J. Rasin has improved her home by erecting a very pretty iron fence around the yard.

Miss D. A. Crossley, has returned from Baltimore, with a full line of winter hats and trimmings.

Mr. Joseph W. Harper is now busy improving the Krebbs farm, where he expects to make his home.

Mr. Thomas Rasin has moved down on Dr. Genese's farm, near Betterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Whaley have moved to Chestertown.

The Good Templers expect to hold a "Harvest Home" festival in this month. Wait for it if you want a good supper.

Dr. W. E. Barnard has moved his office to Middletown, Del.

Mr. James Robinson has the running of the mail from here to the depot and Mr. Wm. Stanley has the route from here to Betterton.

We are now without an express office, much to the inconverience of the community. We hope it will soon return.

Mrs. Birch who has been ill with typhoid fever in Washington, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Hynson returned to her home in Washington last Wednesday.

Miss Joe Jones has returned home from a trip to Baltimore, where she has been learning the millinery business at Armstrong Cator's.

Mrs. Moger and Miss Ella Price are visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Lambourn's little daughter, Mary, who has been quite sick with fever is now improving.

THE pupils of Shrewsbury Academy will hold a festival and supper in the town Hall at Galena, Oct, 6, 7 and 8th. Everybody invited.

Horse Notes.

Mr. Clay Lusby lost a valuable young mare on Tuesday from strangulation of the intestines.

Nancy Hanks has been offered $3,000 to trot at Kirkwood, Del., next month.

Grover S., belonging to Mr. W. W. Stephens, took second money in the Gentlemen's Driving Park Tuesday. The winner was Miss Nelson, a 3-year-old, from Richmond. The best time was 2.28¼. There were ten starters and the Kent horse surprised everybody.

Mr. J. W. Downs, of Queen Anne's, paid a visit to friends in the upper part of Kent, on Sunday. Mr. Downs was driving a pair of handsome gray horses, but when near Crumpton one of the animals was taken dangerously sick. The horse was left in the care of a Crumpton gentleman and Mr. Downs continued his journey, having secured another horse, but on his return he found that the horse had died of flatulent colic. He was valued at $150.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 28.—The worlds record for the light harness horse, either trotting or pacing, was lowered Wednesday when Nancy Hanks trotted the mile in 2.04. The ten thousand persons who saw it sat breathless for a moment after the little mare passed under the wire, and even Budd Doble, always modest of speech declared, when carried to the Judges' stand on the shoulders of the crowd and called upon for a speech, that he was "hoarse and Nancy Hanks went so fast it took my breath away." The clip was a terrific one. She was at the eighth in 15¼ seconds and at the first-quarter in 31 seconds. The second, and "up-hill" quarter, was done in 31¾ seconds, the half being reached in 1.03¾.

THE EASTERN SHORE FOR CONSUMPTIVES.—"The Eastern Shore of Maryland as a Health Resort for Consumptives" is the title of an article in the September number of the Times and Register, a medical journal of Philadelphia, by Dr. C. W. Chancellor, secretary of the Maryland State board of health. Among other things Dr. Chancellor writes: "From statistics furnished by a number of intelligent physicians and other persons, it is safe to assert that the peninsula of Maryland, known as the Eastern Shore, a large area of which is only a few feet above sea level, furnishes one of the grandest atmospheres for persons suffering with pulmonary affections to be found in the world. Many physicians practicing in this section of the State testify that consumption is an exceedingly rare disease among the native residents, and that in all forms of bronchial affections the climate is very generally beneficial, especially in cases where there prevails great irritability of the bronchial mucus membrane. Nothing is more common than to meet with bronchial diseases which after having been benefitted by a short residence on the Eastern Shore, are aggravated by a visit to the high lands, and again relieved by a return to this locality. In incipient consumption the Eastern Shore of Maryland may be considered the most favorable place of residence in America."

Court News.

The Orphans' Court met Tuesday with Judges Harris, Moffett and Burgess present. Mary R. Bramble and George E. Noland, administrators of Henry Bramble, deceased, filed account of sales of the personal property of said deceased. James S. Harris, guardian to Howel C. Crew, filed guardian account. James S. Harris, guardian to Fountain M. Crew, passed guardian account for 1891. Wm. M. Slay, guardian to Carole C. Perkins, passed final guardian account. Court was further engaged in passing sundry accounts and orders.

THE EASTON CONVENTION.

114 Ballots were Taken!

Stubborn Contest for the Congressional Nomination—Close Voting—Exciting Scenes—A Happy Ending After All!

Probably no convention ever assembled on the Eastern shore about the result of whose deliberations a greater uncertainty existed than the First District Democratic Congressional Convention, which met in the opera house in Easton last Wednesday Tuesday afternoon and evening and far into night caucuses and consulations were industriously held, but when the convention was called to order shortly after noon, the majority of its members were completely in the dark. Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, one of the delegates from Kent, was detained at home by business, and Hope H. Barroll, Esq., was substituted. The following proceeding are from Baltimore papers:

The convention was called to order at twenty minutes past twelve o'clock by Joseph B. Harrington, of Talbot, and Francis H. Purnell, of Worcester, was made temporary chairman; P. B. Hopper, of Queen Anne's, was made temporary secretary, and J. W. Holt, of Caroline, assistant secretary. After the usual routine committees had been appointed and reported, the following permament officers were elected: President Wm. B. Usilton, of Kent; secretaries, Lloyd Wilkinson, of Worcester, and Dr. Rufus W. Dashields, of Somerset. A vice president from each county was also elected.

The Committee on Resolutions reported a resolution reaffirming the platform adopted by the recent convention at Ocean City, and declaring the fealty of the party to the Chicago platform. It was soon ascertained that the convention was in a fighting humor, and a stubborn battle was shortly on. The first test vote was over a minor resolution, regarding the order of business. The convention divided equally—fifteen to fifteen. The fight was then continued in the Committee on Resolutions, and that body, also, hopelessly divided, and referred most of the business before it to the convention once more. Then the convention, seeing a fight impending, took off its coat and went at it in earnest, with Joshua W. Miles, of Somerset, on the one side, and Olin Bryan, ot Queen Anne's, on the other, as chief pugilists, and J. M. Wooters, of Talbot; H. H. Barroll, of Kent; P. B. Hopper, of Queen Anne's and Dr. W. F. Gale, of Somerset, as able seconds.

A motion to nominate a candidate for the long term was lost by a tie vote—15 to 15. Another to nominate a candidate for the short term was also lost by a tie vote. Then a motion to nominate both at once went the evenly divided way of both of its predecessors. This was somewhat stunning. Everybody looked at everybody else and drew a long breath. Then began a series of motions and counter-motions, each of which was lost by an equally divided vote.

"So you do not wish to name any congressman?" inquired Chairman Usilton in mild surprise.

It certainly seemed so, for the convention stubbornly and persistently halved itself on every matter that came up until the patience and physical strength of members were alike nearly exhausted. Finally it was decided to place in nomination candidates for the long term. Kent, through Wm. B. Usilton, named Harrison W. Vickers; Somerset, through Joshua W. Miles, named H. H. Dashields; E. Stanley Toadvin, of Wicomico, was placed in nomination by Isaac H. White; Worcester, through Lloyd Wilkinson, nominated W. Sidney Wilson; Caroline closed the list by adding the name of Henry R. Lewis, her State's attorney.

Having had this much of oratory, the convention concluded it wanted more and demanded that candidates for the short term be named. Accordingly Kent, thro' H. H. Barroll, named Harrison W. Vickers; Queen Anne's through Olin Bryan, named John B. Brown; and Somerset, through Joshua W. Miles, named Robt. F. Brattan. A recess was then taken for dinner.

During the entire morning session Queen Anne's, Dorchester, Wicomico and three of Talbot's four votes had stood together, while Talbot's fourth vote had gone with the other counties tying the convention. Each side needed one vote more to carry through its slate, and the liveliest sort of hustling was done all during recess to secure that vote. The situation was so complicated that nobody could foresee the end.

The following is a list of the delegates:

Caroline—J. Boon Dukes, Nathaniel Horsey, J. W. Holt.

Dorchester—John G. Mills, S. W. Woolford, G. R. Percy, Frank P. Corkran.

Kent—Wm. B. Usilton, Hope H. Barroll, John Brice.

Queen Anne's—P. B. Hopper, Olin Bryan, S. S. Goodhand, James Brown.

Talbot—C. R. Leonard, J. Marion Wooters, Frank G. Wrightson, W. S. Easter.

Somerset—Joshua W. Miles, Dr. R. W. Dashield, James F. Dougherty, Z. W. Webster, Joseph Miner, J. S. Thomas, Dr. G. T. Atkinson, Dr. W. H. Gale.

Wicomico—A. Q. Hamblin, James T. Truitt, Isaac H. White, L. J. Gale.

Worcester—F. H. Purnell, E. W. McMaster, John P. Moore, Lloyd Wilkinson.

When the convention reassembled, it was evident that the lines were as closely drawn as before. The Brown and Toadvin people acted together and opposed every move of the Brattan-Vickers-Dashield-Lewis people. Every motion made was defeated by a tie vote—15 to 15. The Brown-Toadvin delegates wished to ballot for the long term candidate first, while the reverse was wanted by their opponents. Every motion toward proceeding to business made by one side was voted down by the other. Even a proposition for a compromise committee, to be composed of chairman of the county delegations, was lost. Having thus gotten itself into an apparently hopeless deadlock, the convention sat still for fifteen minutes and did nothing, while considerable caucusing was done by the leaders. At last a conference committee of one man from each county was appointed to arrange some sort of agreement. Before this committee could retire, the Brattan-Vickers people agreed to proceed to a ballot for the long-term candidate, and another of the many deadlocks for the day was broken. Balloting then began.

The first ballot resulted: For Lewis—Caroline, 3. For Toadvin—Dorchester, 4; Queen Annes, 4; Talbot, 3; Wicomico, 4—total, 15. For Vickers—Kent, 3. For Dashields—Somerset, 4; Talbot, 1. For Wilson—Worcester, 4. This vote was maintained until the fourth ballott, when Talbot changed one vote from Dashields to Wilfred Bateman. This vote continued among all the lower candidates during the succeeding ballots. The vote remained the same until the fourteenth ballott, when Joshua Miles made an effort to change off and ballot awhile on the short-term candidate, but the motion was lost by a tie vote, and balloting resumed. After the roll-call had dragged its monotonous length through forty-seven ballots with no change in the result, a recess was taken for an hour and a half.

The convention got into working order again at nine o'clock. On the forty-eighth ballot Kent changed from Vickers to Dashield, but returned on the fifty-sixth. on that ballot Caroline changed to Joshua W. Miles, and Somerset changed to Vickers. These changes back and forth continued on nearly every succeeding ballot. The Toadvin-Brown forces, however, remained firm, rolling their fifteen for Toadvin at each roll-call. On the seventy-first ballot the result was: Toadvin, 15; Vickers, 14; J. B. Brown, 1; Vickers having gotten the votes of Caroline, Somerset and Worcester in addition to his own county.

Here a successful effort was made to ballot on the short-term candidats. The first ballot resulted: For J. B. Brown—Dorchester, 4; Queen Annes, 4; Talbot, 3; Wicomico, 4; total, 15. For R. F. Brattan—Caroline, 3; Kent, 3; Somerset, 4; Talbot, 1; Worcester, 4; total, 15.

After twenty-five ineffectual ballots, the convention again returned to grapple with the long term. On the eighty-fourth ballot Hon. George M. Upshur, of Worcester, received fifteen votes. After four more ballots, the convention adjourned until ten o'clock next day.

After the adjournment there was a strong feeling manifested for ex-Governor Jackson and it was generally thought that he would be put in and win next day.

Closing Scenes, &c.

On Thursday morning bright and early the active caucussing began. All sorts of schemes were on foot and the most brilliant promises made for *one vote*, and when the crowds surged toward the opera house the feeling was subdued but strong, and the outcome was as doubtful as ever, except to a few who anticipated certain moves.

After a little anxious caucussing the ballot began for the long term. Caroline led off on the 89th ballot for Lewis; Kent, Somerset, Worcester and one vote from Talbot followed, giving him 15; the other counties stood by Toadvin, 15. The 93d ballot stood Toadvin, 15; Wilson, of Worcester, 15. On the 98th ballot the whole strength of the Vickers Brattan combination concentrated on Vickers and for six successive ballots he received 15 votes, only one short of a nomination. Dashiell, of Somerset, was then tried and for ten successive ballots the vote was Dashiell 15; Toadvin 15.

Delegates now asked for a few moments consultation. Every one could now see that the break was coming. A few knew who was to break. The caucussing was very short. Shrewd leaders on both sides knew what was necessary to be done and the only question was who should be the first to do it.

Josh Miles, after a hurried word with one or two behind the platform rushed out to propose Brattan for the long term, but Olin Bryan was quicker still and moved for the short term and was sustained by the vote of Dr. Dashiell, of Somerset, who had heretofore voted with Miles.

After call of counties was begun for the short term Miles tried to get in a motion to make Brattan the candidate for the long term by acclamation, but the chair ruled him out of order and amidst the greatest excitement the roll call went on and at its close, by the change of votes, it was found that Brown had the unanimous 30. Every county then cast its full vote for Brattan for the long term, amid general cheering.

The closing scene was a love feast. Everybody failed in what they asked and yet everybody was pleased.

On motion of Delegate Wooters President Usilton then appointed a committee of three to act with himself as chairman to notify the candidates of their nomination. The commitee stands: W. B. Usilton, of Kent; J. Marion Wooters, of Talbot; Dr. W. H. Gale, of Somerset, and Isaac H. White, of Wicomico.

The convention adjourned subject to the call of the chairman, and loud calls were made for Miles and others to speak. Mr. Miles responded in a most eloquent and earnest appeal for all the nominees—Cleveland, Stevenson, Brown and Brattan.

SATURDAY'S PRIMARIES.

Pursuant to a call by the Democratic county committee, primaries were held in the respective election districts of Kent county, on Saturday morning, to select five delegates to the county convention which met at Chestertown on Monday, for the purpose of electing three delegates to represent Kent county in the Congressional convention for the First Congressional District, which met at Easton yesterday. The convention at Easton, was called in order that a successor might be chosen to fill the vacancy in the Fifty-Second Congress, occasioned by the resignation of Congressman Henry Page to accept a judgeship, and to select a candidate for the new term or the Fifty-Third Congress.

Kent presented the name of Harrison W. Vickers, Esq, and each district responded as a unit, in consequence of which there were no contests, and the work of selecting delegates was a matter of but little trouble.

In the first district, organization was effected by selecting Mr. Cornelius J. Scott, chairman, who, upon motion appointed the following delegates to the Chestertown Convention: R. C. Morgan, Dr. E. G. Clark, R. F. Moffett, Noble E. Pennington and E. S. Morris.

The second district organized at Kennedyville with Mr. Samuel Merritt in the chair. Upon motion, the chair appointed the following committee of three, to select the five delegates to the county convention: T. J. Shallcross, Samuel Comegys, and Bedford Roe. The delegates named were: T. J. Shallcross, Garrett Foxwell, Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, J. P. Hendrickson and Dr. J. W. Urie.

In the third district, Dr. Hessey was called to the chair, and H. C. Cacy was appointed secretary. Upon motion, the chair appointed the following committee to name delegates to the convention: T. J. Parsons, A. S. Crawford and G. W. Rodenhiser, who named the delegates as follows: R. C. Smyth, Thomas Gale, J. S. Harris, H. C. Cacy and Harry Nichols.

In Chestertown, Mr. Vickers' home district, there was, possibly, more enthusiasm and interest than in any other section. The primaries were organized by James A. Pearce, Esq., being called to the chair, and Thomas D. France appointed secretary. Wm. B. Usilton, C. T. Stratton and J. D. Urie, Esq., were appointed a committee to name the five delegates to the county convention, and returned the following names: J. W. Loud, Dr. S. Beck, R. D. Hynson, Solomon Startt and George S. Biddle. The delegates to have the right to fill all vacancies.

J. E. Haddaway was made chairman of the meeting in the fifth district, and H. S. Frances, secretary. T. C. Maslin, Dr. T. B. Willson and T. C. Hatcherson, constituted the committee appointed by the chair to select the delegates. The delegates were: T. C. Maslin, John E. Haddaway, Jas. L. Beck, Lemuel Stevens and J. C. Ringgold.

MONDAY'S CONVENTION.

Pursuant to call of the county Democratic committee, the delegates elected at the primaries on Saturday, met in convention on Monday in Chestertown, to elect three delegates to represent Kent in the Easton convention, for the purpose of nominating a successor to the Hon. Henry Page, who had resigned his seat in the Fifty-Second Congress. The same convention to nominate a candidate for the Fifty-Third Congress, in place of the Hon. Henry Page, who has declined the nomination.

Dr. Samuel Beck, in the absence of Chairman H. W. Vickers, of the Democratic County Committee, called the convention to order, and Dr. E. G. Clark was made chairman, and Thomas Gale secretary. Upon motion of Thomas J. Shallcross, the following committee of one from each district, the delegation from each district to name the members, was appointed on credentials: R. C. Morgan, Garrett Foxwell, R. C. Smyth, Dr. S. Beck and Thomas Pennington. The committee reported, M. deK. Smith, Esq., appointed to fill the vacancy in the delegation from the fourth district occasioned by the absence of J. W. Loud.

Noble E. Pennington and E. S. Morris, of the first district delegates, were absent, and their places were unfilled. Dr. J. W. Urie, of the third district delegation, was also absent; place unfilled.

Dr. Beck moved that a committee of one from each district be appointed to name the delegates to the Easton convention. The committee was as follows: R. F. Moffett, J. P. Hendrickson, J. S. Harris, M. deK. Smith and James L. Beck. The committee named Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, W. B. Usilton and John Brice as delegates to the Easton convention, and reported the following resolutions:

The Democracy of Kent.

Resolved, That we feel an ever increasing interest in the great national contest impending, involving as it does, issues pregnant with danger to the whole country.

First—The very liberties of the people are *directly* threatened by a Republican Force Bill, a measure so infamous in conception and purpose that even its authors and advocates attempt to conceal their interest in it; yet the election of Harrison and a Republican Congress means the certain fastening of this iniquity upon the country, the end of which would only be revolution as a relief from enslavement.

Second—The outrageous tariff tax under which the people groan—more burdensome than ever known, and vicious in the highest degree, is seeking and will find perpetuation by Republican success.

Third—As a protection against these momentous evils and the many other false doctrines and partisan measures of government we commend the National Democratic platform, which seeks the good of the masses rather than the classes, and our peerless leaders, GROVER CLEVELAND and ADLAI E. STEVENSON, both statesmen, tried and true. We hail with delight the cheering signs of success in every section of the land, and we promise that old Kent will do her whole duty.

Resolved, That our delegates to-day elected to the Congressional convention, be and are hereby requested to use every honorable means to secure as the nominee for Congress in this district our fellow-citizen, HARRISON W. VICKERS, Esq., feeling assured that with him as our standard-bearer, a glorious success will crown our cause.

A committee, consisting of Dr. Samuel Beck and Richard D. Hynson, Esq., was appointed to escort Mr. Vickers to the convention hall.

Mr. Vickers addressed the meeting about as follows: Mr. Chairman, gentlemen of the convention and fellow Democrats, I have received your message, and have been notified of the resolutions passed by the convention, and now I come in person to thank you for the honor of your endorsement. This endorsement comes to me not from any self-seeking on my part, but as a generous offer and kindness from my many friends and fellow Democrats of Kent county.

At a convention held in this county, and in this court-room during the past summer in reference to Congressman, rendered necessary by Mr. Page, now your judge, my name became associated as his successor in Congress. I assure you, that this has not been from any self-seeking on my part, but by the spontaneous action of Kent county, who now records her unqualified endorsement of my candidacy for the Congressional nomination. We labor under some geographical difficulties, but no matter whether I am successful, or that the name of some other gentleman is put on the ticket, with Grover Cleveland as our standard, we know our duty, and will do it. While I hope to be nominated, and to have my name on the ticket with Cleveland and Stevenson, which would be the greatest honor of my life, whether I fail or not, I will be found with you, shoulder to shoulder at work for the party and its standard-bearer. Again thanking you, I now resign my cause into the hands of the committee which you have appointed.

General hand-shakings and congratulations followed this short but loyal speech, and the convention closed.

Galena Locals.

Some short time ago the Sassafras Creamery notified the Galena Separating Co., that they wanted to make a new agreement or desolve partnership. At a meeting of the directors of both companies held in Galena early last week, the directors from Sassafras made a proposition to the Galena Co., and gave them a reasonable time to think over it and from a report it is understood that Galena would not agree to it. Some of the directors and patrons of Galena are anxious to put in a churn here and make the whole thing themselves, although they were made a liberal offer from the Middletown Creamery. What the outcome of the controversy will be, it is hard to tell.

Two of our business ladies, one a milliner and the other a dressmaker, Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Whiting, moved away from here Thursday morning, Mrs. C. going to Easton, Md., and Mrs. W. to Philadelphia, where they hope to do a larger business than they did here.

From the great quantity of phosphate that is being hauled through here, the low price of wheat does not seem to diminish the quantity to be seeded this falls at least it would appear so from the number of teams hauling it.

Our neighbor, Wm. E. Jarrell has secured the contract to furnish the white oak plank for the Bohemia bridge—some 75000 feet.

Mr. H. J. Gray left with Mr. Ruth, at his store, two sweet potatoes that weighed 12 lbs. and there was only 1 ounce differenc in the weight of each potatoe.

Mr. Dempsey is giving his house a fresh coat of paint, which will add to the appearance of that very nice residence, that with the fancy iron fence to the cemetery lot adjoining, which is now in the hands of the painters, will make the whole front of that part of the town a thing of beauty.

Rev. Mr. Sutton is attending the Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton at North East, Cecil county.

Miss Pauline Nelson left on Saturday last to continue her studies at the Woman's College, Baltimore.

The teachers of the public school here will hold a festival in the town hall on the evenings of the 6, 7 and 8 of the month. They want to raise some funds to help along the Columbian celebration that is to come off on 21st.

Rev. Mr. Nelson is holding protracted services at Locust Grove with good attendance at each of the services.

Taylor & Woodall's cannery has put up a very large quantity of tomatoes this season and still has a large force at work at them.

Capt. Woodall has purchased the Wilson farm and made it and the Gooding farm one, which makes the Gooding farm a large one now.

They are getting a pole ready to hoist a flag on the school house. P.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers yesterday quote as follows:
WHEAT—Longberry, good to prime 73c.@78c.
Milling choice 79 to 80.
CORN—White and Yellow, 57@58.
OATS—36@36½.

DIED.

In Rock Hall, Md., HARRY M. JOINER, the infant son of Clatic and Edgar R. Joiner, aged 1 week and 4 days.

Our darling little one has left us, but not forever!
There will be a glorious dawn,
And we trust some bright day to meet him
On the resurrection morn. MOTHER.

Our darling little babe is sleeping
In the cold and silent tomb,
But we hope some bright day to meet him,
Seated by the Saviour's Throne. FATHER.

On September 4, 1892, MATTHEW, son of E. D. and Mary F. Crew, aged 10 years, 5 months, 4 days.

He gave us eyes to see them,
And lips that we might tell,
How great is God Almighty,
Who hath made all things well,
Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings;
He made their glowing colors,
He made their tiny wings.—MOTHER.

Entered into rest at the residence of his father, Benj. F. Davis, near Crumpton, Md., on Aug. 30, 1892, at six o'clock P. M., FREDERICK H. DAVIS, in the the sixteenth year of his age. He was a devoted brother, a sincere friend, and kind in all the relations of life; he has gone to that land, where sorrow is unknown, and our great loss is his eternal gain. His memory will be enshrined in our warmest affections and often we will think of him as he bore unmurmuringly his trials and troubles in this world.

My brother is sleeping
So free from all pain;
Oh, wake him not sweet spirit
To suffer again.
He slumbers so soundly
Oh let him sleep on:
His sufferings are over,
His troubles are gone.
Oh, think how he suffered
And groaned with pain;
In the long night hours
As we soothed him in vain.
'Till God, in his mercy,
Sent down from above,
An angel that whispered
A message of love.

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CHOLERA!

The Cholera Baccillus has attacked the Poultry of Kent county, and is playing sad havoc. Many thousands of dollars are lost to the farmers by this dread disease. We claim we have discovered the remedy and we put the name in big letters so you may see it.

POULTRIBINA!

Our word, our preparation. Do not delay in getting a package. IT WILL CURE. If your Chickens or Turkeys are sick, give to them at once. If they are not sick, a package used in time will keep them healthy, and you will thank us on Thanksgiving day for the fine, healthy Turkeys bringing you the best market prices.

25 Cents Per Package.

COLIN F. STAM, DRUGGIST,
Oct. 1, 1892. Chestertown.

CHRIST METH. PROT. CHURCH—REV. D. L. GREENFIELD, pastor. Public worship at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sabbath school 9½ A. M. and 2 P. M.

ZION M. E. CHURCH—Oct. 2, Sunday school 2 P. M., Preaching 3 P. M.; Young People's Meeting at 7.30. All are invited.

THE LOYAL LEGION of Rock Hall will hold a DEMOREST CONTEST on Oct. 8th, SATURDAY Evening, in the church. All are invited.

SALEM M. E. CHURCH—Divine service Oct. 2. Preaching at 10.30 A. M., subject: "A Panacea for Trouble;" 7.30 P. M., Missionary service by the Sunday school.

KESLEY CHAPEL, Broad Neck—A series of meetings will be commenced on Sunday evening Oct. 2. Preaching at 7 o'clock P. M. by MRS. M. M. DUHURST, of Baltimore, who will remain during the week.

HARVEST HOME SERVICES at WESLEY CHAPEL M. P. CHURCH, Sunday, Oct. 2d, at 10½ o'clock A. M. Appropriate music, recitations with emblems, &c., and and address by the pastor. Preaching 7½ P. M. by REV. WM. B. JUDEFIND.

KENNEDYVILLE M. P. CHURCH—REV. R. L. LEWIS, pastor. Subject for Oct. 2, 10.30 A. M.: "The New Kingdom, and Its Requirements." Prayer and Song Service at 7.30 P. M. Lecture by REV. D. L. GREENFIELD, Wednesday, October 5, at 7.30 P. M. Free to all, and all invited.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Rock Hall—Regular services will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month, consisting of High Mass and sermon at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School immediately after Mass. Vespers, sermon and benediction at 7.30 P. M. Mass will be said on the following Monday at 8.30 A. M. Sunday School on the other Sundays of the month at 10.30 A. M.

SACRED Heart Catholic Church, Chestertown. Regular services will be held on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month, consisting of High Mass at 10.30 A. M., with sermon, and special choir service. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Christian Doctrine Class for adults at 3 P. M. The evening services at 7.30 P. M., will consist of Vespers, sung by the choir, sermon and benediction of the most Blessed Sacrament.

Facts for Fall

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O E H M S

10,000 OVERCOATS

could not afford you a more ample assortment than our mammoth stock. Everything bright and new is represented. Prices **$7, $10, $12, $15** and upward.

O E H M S

YOUR BOYS

are richly provided for in our grand gath'ring of Juvenile Wear. There's no excuse for keeping your boy in a shabby rig when so little money will dress him like a prince. Handsome Suits and Overcoats **$2.50, $3.50, $5** and up.

A C M E

INDIVIDUALITY IN DRESS.

finds graceful expression through the medium of our celebrated Order Annex which occupies the building 6 & 8 S. Charles St. Our **$20** and **$25** lines of Business Suits to Order are the exclusive tailors' **$35** grade.

A C M E

HANDSOME HEAD-DRESS.

When you come to our store you cannot afford to pass by our Hat department. At **$1.98** you can get the regular **$3** Derby or Soft Hat, pay nothing for the name or surroundings here. Large lines **$1.24, $1.49, $1.69.**

H A L L

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

in enormous variety. Soft, cosy and comfortable Suits that won't scratch the skin at **$1** for both garments. Our matchless laundred Dress Shirts **50** cents, matchless elsewhere under **$1.** Neckwear, Sox, and all other possible needs for stylish dressers in magnificent profusion at very moderate prices. Send for Samples, Price List and Self Measurements.

H A L L

OEHM'S ACME HALL,

CLOTHIERS, HATTERS & FURNISHERS

5 & 7 West Baltimore Street,

Annex, 6 & 8 South Charles Street.

They Bought at Home.

WHAT DOES IT PROVE?—Owners of quite a number of the nicest residences in this town and county have purchased suits and single pieces of fine furniture from MCFEELY's furniture store in Chestertown within the past few weeks, in some cases after pricing similar goods in the cities.

This clearly proves that we sell LOWER THAN CITY DEALERS. Why shouldn't we? We buy from the same manufacturers, and are under much less expense. Call and see me. Paints the cheapest and best.

PERCY T. MCFEELY,
Opp. Voshell House.

150

Suits of Clothing

—FOR—

MEN and BOYS!

WORTH $7.00, $8.00 AND $9.00,

WILL BE SOLD FOR $5.00!

DURING THE BALANCE OF THIS MONTH.

200 SUITS!

Worth $10, $12 and $13,

Will Be Sold for $8.00.

☞I want to make room for the Largest Stock of Fall and Winter Clothing ever shown in Chestertown.

THOMAS S. BORDLEY.
Aug. 20, 1892.

"TRANSFIGURATION!"

The Change has come just as we told you through the columns of the press, and we intend to conduct business on the same

SQUARE PRINCIPLE

as it has been manipulated since the opening of this new house with the LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK of

Men's, Youths' and Children's CLOTHING!

EVER SHOWN IN OUR TOWN.

We are too busy arranging our immense stock to give full details in this issue and suffice to say an examination will confirm our statement.

Respectfully,

MOODY & PERKINS.

Old Stand of W. E. Moody, Few Doors Below Postoffice.

PAINTS! FURNITURE!

Sole agent for John W. Masury & Son's

PAINTS, LEADS and VARNISHES

W carry in stock a full line of all kinds of Paints, Varnishes, Oils, Brushes and anything that you will want to paint your house, barns and wagons.

ALSO A FULL LINE OF

FURNITURE!

of all descriptions will be found at

PERCY T. McFEELY'S

FURNITURE AND PAINT STORE,

opposite Voshell House, Chestertown, Maryland.

Stewed Oysters!

—AT—

MRS. JNO. SHUSTER'S

CHESTERTOWN.

THE undersigned will be prepared to serve OYSTERS IN ALL STYLES on and after September 15th, at her Saloon on High street. One of the best cooks in town has been engaged for the season.

MEALS WILL BE SERVED AT ALL HOURS.

A fresh supply of Biscuits, Pies, Cakes, Custards, &c., will always be kept on sale.

Our popular flavored ICE-CREAM can also always be found on sale here.

MRS. J. SHUSTER,
sep10. HIGH STREET.

—OFFICE OF—

THE LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

IN accordance with instructions issued by the State Board of Health, it is again thought advisable to urge upon the citizens and upon corporations the great necessity of putting premises, towns and villages in a good, clean, sanitary condition. The danger that threatens us is of such a character as to admit of no delay. It is far better to be in a good condition sanitarily than to await the onset of trouble. All yards, cellars, closets, privies, hog pens, stables, slaughter houses, drains, wells, pumps and other sources of water supply; sinks, cess-pools and garbage recesses should receive immediate attention. Individuals should preserve strict personal care in their habits, drinks, diet and sleeping arrangements. Those in ailing health should endeavor to at once put themselves in good condition. *The free use of Sulphur, Chloride of Lime, Copperas, Bichloride of Mercury, Carbolic Acid and other disinfectants is advised. When in doubt how to use them consult your medical adviser.*

The authorities and commissioners of towns and villages are urged to have their officers see that all premises, canneries, slaughter houses, alleys, streets and roadways are cleaned and that garbage refuse and decaying animal and vegetable matter be not allowed to decay or lay around exposed. The health officer is ready at any time to furnish such advice and assistance as possible.

sep17-3t. (7) W. FRANK HINES, SEC'Y.

WANTED:

100,000

Bushels of New Wheat

for which I will pay the HIGHEST MARKET PRICE, delivered at any railroad station or water point in Kent or adjoining counties.

E. T. COMEGYS,
jy9-tf. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Western Maryland College,

WESTMINSTER, - - MARYLAND.

T. H. LEWIS, D. D., PRESIDENT.

26th year opens September 13th. jy-to1.

ROCK HILL COLLEGE,

ELLICOTT CITY, - MARYLAND.

Conducted by the Brothers of the Christian Schools. Classical, Scientific and Commercial Courses. Respectable Young Men and Boys received as boarders. Send for prospectus.

jy9-3m. BROTHER DENNIS, PRESIDENT.

1856 MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE 1892

OPENS 21st SEPTEMBER, 1892. Situation unexceptionally healthy. 8 miles from Washington, on the B. & O. R. Full Agricultural, Scientific, Classical, Business and Military Courses. Full Corps of Professors. Terms $140, includes Books, Tuition, Board, Washing, Room rent and heat. Preparatory Department in charge of experienced instructors. Full particulars. Address

REGISTRAR, Maryland Agr'l Col.
a13-2m. College Park, Md.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

William E. Beck,
versus
W. H. Garrison and wife.

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

ORDERED, this 20th day of September, 1892, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by William E. Beck, assignee of mortgage in above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of December 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 1st day of November, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $160.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
True copy, Test;—
SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
Sept. 24 1892—4t

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Sarah A. Copper, et al.
versus
Alice V. Copper, et al.

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

ORDERED, this 6th day of Sept. 1892, that the sale of the Real Estate in these proceedings made and reported by MARION DEK. SMITH and WILLIAM W. BECK, trustee, in the above entitled cause be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 10th day of November 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 10th day of October next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $425.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
True copy, Test—
SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
Sept. 10, 1892—4t.

Registration Notice.

OCTOBER SITTING.

IN compliance with Article 33, Code of Public General Laws, titled "Elections," sub-titled "Registration," as amended by Chapter 573, of the Acts of 1890, notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registrationfor Kent county will sit for the purpose set forth in said Article on

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY, Oct. 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and on MONDAY, Oct. 17th, (each day from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.) at the following named places:

For the First Election District at Galena.

For the Second Election District at Kennedyville.

For the Third Election District at Worton Station.

For the Fourth Election District, on Chestertown.

For the Fifth Election District at Edesville.

At the sitting on Friday the registers can strike off the names of parties proper to be stricken off, but cannot register any new voters.

The Sitting on Monday, October 17th, will be only for revision and for hearing applications for reinstatement of persons whose names have been stricken off.

It is thought proper to publish in connection with this notice the subjoined section of the registration law so far as they are applicable to the counties, which bear particularly upon the powers and duties of the Register and the rights of the citizens:

3. Each of the said officers of registration shall have in addition to the other powers hereinafter conferred upon him by law during the respective times of his appointed sittings, the power of a justice of the peace to preserve order and enforce obedience to his lawful commands at or around his place of registration; to keep the access to such places open and unobstructed; to prevent and suppress riots, tumults, violence and disorder, and all other improper practices at, around or near to his place of registration tending to intimidation or to the obstruction of work of registration, or the revision of the registration, and to protect and keep safe the registries of voters hereinafter referred to while in his custody and possession; he may compell the presence of witnesses before him while sitting as an officer of registration for all purposes connected with the performance of the duties of his office by