The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SATURDAY, - - APRIL 14, 1894

THE United States Senate is giving four hours a day to the discussion of the tariff, most of the time being occupied by the Republicans, who are solidly opposed to anything but a tariff for *protection*.

OUR town commissioners will take steps at once for the erection of a new town building. A right to borrow $5,000 has been granted by the legislature and an architect will be employed at an early date to draw up plans for the building.

THE Eastern Shore gets one of the six plums dropped by the President last Thursday. It is a nice one too, and Judge Hammond is well worthy of it. Senator Gibson can never regret bestowing this favor upon such a worthy man.

A SERMON was preached in the Chestertown M. E. Church a few weeks ago from the text "what ye do, do quickly." We would suggest that this sermon be sent to the United States Senate. *Talk* is cheap. The American people want ACTION.

WE regret to learn that the Queen Anne's electric road will be delayed for lack of a legislative charter. The charter for Kent was duly passed and signed by the Governor, but we have not yet been able to secure a copy. It will be given to the public very soon, and the incorporators will promptly move in the matter. Why shouldn't we have the electric road to Rock Hall and Tolchester in full operation before the end of the year?

THE question of "High License" or "Prohibition" is to be submitted to a vote of the people of Cambridge, on the 22d of May, by authority of a recent act of the legislature. It is thought the prohibitionists will win, though the local option law in the town has not been a success. The new prohibition act, however, is very strict and imposes heavy penalties. Whether it will meet the expectations of the prohibitionists remains to be seen.

HILL's Democracy as represented by him in the Senate Saturday was of a different type from anything that we ever read. It was an open attack upon the present administration. Our Senators acted wisely in not commending the speech. Mr. Hill *may* have been representing the Democrats of New York in his speech, but we don't think he represented the sentiment of Maryland Democrats, at least those of Kent county. We are low tariff Democrats in Kent. *A tariff for revenue* is the thing demanded by the Democracy—not for *protection*.

THE TWO MEN who made the most friends at the session of the Legislature, strange to say, are both from the Eastern Shore and both named Smith. The Hon. John Walter Smith made a most popular presiding officer of the Senate and left Annapolis with a host of friends and no enemies. The Hon. Marion deKalb Smith, Comptroller of the Treasury, is deservedly one of the most popular men in public life in this State, and won the esteem of every one he met during the session.—*Maryland Republican, dem.*

OUR esteemed cotemporary, the Easton *Ledger*, had what appeared to be a very significant ten-line leader in his editorial of Thursday: especially so in the light of that very day's events. What did Editor Haddaway mean, any way? Here is his first sentence:

"The President will not make the Maryland appointments next week, or the week after."

That turns out literally correct. But the following "gist" proved anything but a "resting place:"

"There is now every probability that Col. Edward Lloyd will be made Collector of the Port of Baltimore, with the consent and approbation of the whole delegation in both houses of Congress. At this writing this is the outlook and the gist of the situation."

RAILROAD NEWS.

The Road from Cecil to Masseys via Galena—The Electric Road.

Engineer Troxall and his corps of surveyors have reached Chester river, opposite Chestertown, thus completing the survey of the proposed electric road between Chestertown and Queenstown, a distance by the route surveyed of about twenty miles. Mr. Troxall states that the route between Church Hill and Chester river was changed from what was at first expected because of the rugged character of the land for about two miles bordering Southeast river and a large marsh bordering the stream, which would have necessitated heavy trestling. By the changed route the electric road will intersect the public road at a point two miles the other side of Church Hill and will follow along the public road to Chester river, a distance of about five miles. Full permission has been granted to use the public roads of the county. Mr. Troxall stated that with a view of reaching Crumpton, on the Chester river, eight miles above Chestertown, a line will be surveyed from Church Hill to that point, a distance of about twelve miles. This would also open up a thickly populated and fertile trucking section, known as "Double Creek," the early vegetable garden, from which both Kent and Queen Anne's counties draw their earliest vegetables to a great extent.

A corpse of engineers under W. H. Brown chief engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad system, and in charge of W. B. Pritchett, of West Elizabeth, Pa., arrived at Elkton Saturday, and on Monday commenced the survey of a route for the new Elkton, Middletown and Massey Railroad from the tracks of the Philadelphia Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company, at Elkton southerly through the Third Second and First Election districts of Cecil county, now without railroad facilities, to Middletown, in Delaware, and to Massey, Kent county.

At the former place connection will be made with the Delaware railroad, and at the latter with the Townsend branch of the same road. To do this it will be necessary to build two roads from about Chesapeake City, one to each of the above points. The one to Massey will traverse nearly the whole of the first district through Cecilton and near Galena. The other to Middletown does not touch the first district. Several routes will be surveyed.

The bill passed by the recent session of legislature transferring the State appropriation of some $58,000 for the building of a road in this section of Cecil county, from the Elkton and Middletown Railroad Co., to the Elkton Middletown and Massey Co. requires the latter company to commence work within ninety days from the passage of the act, and to complete to Cecilton within one year and to Massey in a year and a-half.

The Centreville *Record* in speaking of the Queen Anne's electric road says:

"This work we regret to say, cannot be undertaken until after the next session of the legislature. It is too late now to obtain the necessary charter. Governor Brown has expressed himself as favoring the project, provided the company is not allowed to extend its lines in any other quarter or direction so as to create a monopoly of the roads in the district."

The company may build a road 12 miles in length without applying to the legislature for a charter. The Kent county movers took the precaution to get an act passed.

AT LAST!

President Cleveland on Thursday sent to the Senate the prominent federal appointments for Maryland. There are no surprises in the list. The names all appear to be those agreed upon more than a month ago. They are as follows:

Customs Collector—Dr. Frank T. Shaw, of Carroll county.

Sub Treasurer—Hon. Ormond Hammond, of Talbot county.

Naval Officer—Hon. Barnes Compton, of Prince George's county.

Surveyor—C. Ridgely Goodwin, Esq., of Baltimore City.

U. S. District Attorney—Fendall Marburry, Esq., of Baltimore county.

Postmaster of Baltimore—S. Davis Warfield, Esq., of Baltimore City.

The four first named were agreed upon by the Maryland delegation in Congress, and the two last are supposed to represent the Baltimore "independents." The Marshall will be appointed later on, as the term of that official has not expired. President Cleveland seems to have shown a desire to gratify all the factions, while at the same time considering the wishes of the Democratic representatives in Congress.

The appointments will give general satisfaction.

The salaries of the positions are as follows: Collector of the port, $7,000 a year. Postmaster, $6,000 a year. Surveyor of port, $4,500. Naval officer, $5,000. Subtreasurer, $4,500. The district attorney is paid by fees, and his salary will range between $4,000 and $6,000.

Location of Postoffice.

The newly appointed postmaster, James A. Shaw, will utilize his store-room on Court street as a postoffice. A skylight will be placed in the rear of the store and the interior will be repainted and fitted up in the latest improved manner. Of course this location will not please everybody. That would be impossible. But the majority of people will no doubt sanction this location. When the new town building is erected the postoffice will be located therein. Mr. Shaw has not determined as to who will be his assistant. The applicants include several bright, active young business men either of whom would make a competent clerk. Mr. Shaw expects his commisson about May 1st.

TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1893.

As Collected by Treasurer C. S. Hurlock.

The following statement of the county treasurer shows a very gratifying condition of our county finances. The promptness with which the tax-payers have met their obligations has been wonderful, especially for these hard times. The treasurer has been able to meet every obligation as it matured, and no claim against the county has failed to be honored when presented.

County Tax Levied	$72,521 61
State Tax Levied	13,821 50
Total Sax Levied	$86,343 11
Total tax collected April 1, 1894	82,792 88
	$3,613 23
Erroneous assessments	41 11
Placed in hands of sheriff	$3,572 12

There were 312 tax bills placed in the hands of the sheriff, viz:

First District,	75 bills,	amounting to	$783 31
Second "	44 "	"	604 39
Third "	50 "	"	994 27
Fourth "	70 "	"	581 62
Fifth "	73 "	"	605 53

These bills are divided as follows:

First District	50	white,	25 colored.
Second "	26	"	18 "
Third "	38	"	12 "
Fourth "	44	"	26 "
Fifth "	51	"	22 "

Amount placed in sheriff's hands:

In 1891	$2,763 17
" 1892	3,852 90
" 1893	3,572 12

The treasurer's largest monthly collection last year was in December when the amount reached $45,734. In December, 1892, the collections amounted to $49,260.44.

INJURY TO FRUIT.

It is the general opinion that the fruit that survived the freeze of two weeks ago is killed. It is claimed that the rain has saturated the buds and become frozen. Early truck crops, particularly beans and peas appear to be pretty well wiped out of existence. Everything was extremely full of sap. It is thought that the wheat had not begun to joint and therefore is not damaged. Some of our fruit growers, however, are yet hopeful and say it is impossible to tell for six weeks yet whether there will be peaches or not. We understand that many of the peach orchards near the bay shore are comparatively uninjured. Apples are said to be hurt.

Two thousand packages of canned peaches arrived on the steamer Pocomoke from Snow Hill Tuesday. The same steamer brought a thousand packages on her last trip, and a few days ago 3,000 packages arrived by rail from Waynesboro, Pa. The fruit has been ordered by Falt & Slagle, who have purchased 8,000 cases, or 192,000 cans, of Maryland and Virginia peaches, in anticipation of a short peach crop this summer. They sent out orders as soon as it was learned that the recent cold wave had damaged the trees. Canned fruit has gone up in price to a high degree.

April or December?

This is the month of April but the weather of the past week has been more appropriate to December. The thermometer registered 40° Tuesday morning but toward night the rain turned into hail and snow and the barometer fell. It not only snowed but it blowed and the walking was terrible. The wind changed from southeast to northwest during the night and all day Wednesday a snow storm waged over the whole country. At 7 o'clock Wednesday morning the thermometer was at 28° and the snow had covered everything. If it had laid it would have been greater than any snow of the past winter.

Snow storms in April however are not curiosities, for they have occurred before, as is shown by the weather record. In the Aprils of the following years snow has fallen on these dates: 1881, 4th; 1882, 10th and 11th; 1884, 9th; 1885, 11th, when it was two inches; 1887, 1st and 2d; 1889, 5th: 1890, 21st; 1892, 9th and none in 1893.

VISIT CLEVELAND.—The members of the conference and visitors called on President Cleveland Saturday afternoon by appointment. They received a very cordial reception. One lady from Chestertown when she held the president's hand remarked "this is the desire of my heart." Another lady, remarked as she shook his hand, "here are my two sons who voted for you." Miss ——, from town asked for the president's wife, while others from the town asked for the children. Mrs. Cleveland had an engagement for the afternoon and was prevented from seeing the callers.

SEVERN TECKLE WALLIS, one of the oldest and for long years one of the most brilliant lawyers of the Baltimore bar, died last Monday, aged 77 years.

Court Next Week.

The April term of the circuit court will convene next Monday morning, April 19. The docket shows 75 trials, 14 appeals, 24 appearances, 17 criminals, 16 recognizances to grand jury. There are seven oyster cases to go before the grand jury and three dredging cases held over from last court. H. H. Barroll, Esq., has entered suit against the town commissioners for neglecting to put a bridge across the stream at the foot of Queen street. H. H. Barroll, Esq., as attorney, has entered suit for John Gibson against the town commissioners for $5,000 damages. The plaintiff claims that a flying machine was allowed to be placed on the market square, and that the same machine scared his horse, causing the animal to run away, throwing his boy from the dearbon and injurying him.

Sheriff Dodd has but two prisoners, Jack Spear charged with killing Brophy, and a col'd man named Gleaves charged with firing at Officer Kelley. Dr. Frank Hodgkins was released on $1500 bail Tuesday. His case will be for the grand jury to act upon.

DEATH'S BLOWS.

"Mother is dead," are the saddest words that could reach the human ear, and yet these were the words uttered by the living children of Mrs. Sarah Groves on Tuesday. Mrs. Groves, wife of Commissioner John A. Groves, after a short illness of diabetis, passed out of this life at her home in Quaker Neck early Tuesday morning, surrounded by those who loved her truly. She had been a sufferer for a number of years but not until about tens day ago was she compelled to remain in bed. She was the daughter of James and Elizabeth Shuster, aged 58 years, and came to Kent from Gloucester county, N. J. Her brother, Mr. John Shuster, resides in Chestertown. Mrs. Groves' home has always been a most hospitable one and the utmost stranger would always find a warm welcome and a hearty meal at his disposal. The deceased was a consistent member of Bond M. E. Church and always took an active interest in its success. She leaves a husband and eight children, viz., James, Albert, William, Mrs. F. D. Lamb, Mrs. J. C. Loud, Emma, Belle and Sarah. The deceased was a kind mother, a loving wife and a friend of the needy. The funeral took place Thursday, interment at Chester Cemetery, Rev. J. F. Anderson officiating. The bearers were Messrs. James, Burt and William Groves, J. C. Loud, F. D. Lamb and Richard Groves.

Mrs. Catherine Clayton died at the home of her brother, Mr. John E. Hurlock, near Still Pond Saturday last, after a short illness. She was 59 years of age and leaves three children, viz., George, John and Anne. The deceased was a member of the Still Pond M. E. Church. The funeral took place Monday, interment being made at Delaney's.

John E. Mulford died at his home in Galena last Tuesday afternoon after a long illness, aged 58. The deceased has been a familiar character in this section and was well-known throughout the district. He leaves a widow and five children, one son and four girls. The interment took place Thursday afternoon, interment in M. E. cemetery.

Mrs. Mary E. Numbers, wife of Captain Thomas Numbers, died on Thursday evening last week at her home in Millington. She was stricken with apoplexy on Friday of previous week, and remained in an unconscious condition up to the time of her death. The deceased was a sister of James E. Johnson, Esq., and the late Thomas F. Johnson, of Cecil county, and was about 65 years of age. She leaves one son, Mr. Fred. Numbers, the efficient agent at Masseys. The funeral took place Sunday, Rev. G. W. Burke officiating.

Mrs. Dr. Genese died at her home on N. Calhoun St., Baltimore, at 1.30 A. M., Wednesday. Mrs Genese was well-known at Betterton where she has been accustomed to spend most of her summer. The remains of Mrs. Genese, were cremated at Loudon Park Cemetery. Mrs. Genese was about sixty years of age. Her father, Mr. Woodville, was Queen's counselor of the Inner Temple, London, England. She was born on board a vessel bound from America to England. Her mother was a member of the Britain family, of England, and her grandmother owned Winfield Abbey, at Norfolk, England. She inherited a large fortune from her brother, John Woodville, an English naval officer, and from her grandmother. She leaves an estate at Hoboken, N. J., valued at $40,000. She was a fluent writer. Many of her productions, both poetry and prose, have appeared in the magazines over the nom de plume, "A. L. O. E."

Frances DeFord about five years of age, died Monday at the home of her father, Mr. Thomas G. DeFord, 1529 West Lexington street, Baltimore, as the result of burns received Monday. The little girl and her brother, Raymond, three years of age, had been playing in the second story of their home, when suddenly their cries brought other members of the family on the scene. Frances was found with her clothes on fire. Her legs and body were terribly burned. It is supposed the children were playing with matches. The little boy was not injured.

BASEBALL.—The prospects for a game today at 3 P. M. are very good. The City College has won two games and won from a team that played a tie game with Hopkins. Look out boys! The board fence is nearly completed and the team is in fair condition.

The fourth nine of Locust Grove defeated the third nine of Galena by a score of 44 to 35 last Saturday at Galena. The same team expects to play today at Locust Grove. The latter team is anxious to play the Still Pond boys, but it is said the Pond boys will not challenge.

THE dog scare in Worton mentioned in the NEWS last week was followed this week by one on a smaller scale near the mill. John Gibson's dog was noticed to be acting very strangely and while near J. C. Walters' shop several shots were fired at him without effect. After running him as far as Lynchburg Thos. Cooper, with a good eye took aim and killed the dog. He did no damage.

IMPROVEMENT.—Mr. John Gale, proprietor of Worton Manor Beach, contemplates widening the driveway to the end of his wharf so that teams may drive out on it. This will be a decided improvement.

THE fish market has been well supplied with shad and herring this week. One gentleman says he has eaten so many herring that he was unable to get his shirt off for the fish bones! Next!

BARGAINS in boots and shoes may be had at James A. Shaw's. He wishes to dispose of his whole stock of goods. Call and see him the coming week.

GRAND SUPPER!

The "Mite Society" of Wesley Chapel will have a SUPPER at Edesville Hall, on THURSDAY EVENING, April 19. Refreshments, also, will be provided. Supper tickets, 40 cents. Come one, come all! m31-4t.

GRAND SUPPER!

A SUPPER, the proceeds of which will be used in the work of the Y. W. C. T. U. of Chestertown, will be given under the auspices of that society, in Mrs. Shuster's Dining Parlors WEDNESDAY EVENING, April 18th, beginning at 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend. Tickets, 25 cents. 1t.

GRAND CONCERT

Stam's Hall, Wednesday, Apr. 25

BY THE

MOZART SYMPHONY CLUB!

of New York City.

ASSISTED BY THE FOLLOWING ARTISTS:

MISS CECELIA BRAEMS....Prima Donna Soprano.
HERR THEODOR HOCH.....Concert Virtuoso.
MR. ALBERTO C. MORA.....Basso Profundo.
MR. RICH. STOELZER.....Viola d'Amour Solist.
MR. MARIO BLODECK.....Viol da Gamba Solist.

The above club is without doubt one of the finest musical organizations in America, and our people may be considered fortunate in being afforded an opportunity of hearing them. Notwithstanding the great expense attending the concert, the price of admission has been fixed at 50 cents, which includes reserved seat. I trust the public will favor me with a good house. C. F. STAM.

☞Read press notices.

NOTICE:

The Annual Meeting of the Policy Holders of the MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent County, Md., will be held at their office in Chestertown, on MONDAY, May 7th, 1894, for the Election of Directors, &c.

GEORGE B. WESTCOTT, SEC'Y and TREAS.
a14-4t.

ORPHANS' COURT:

The Orphans' Court will meet on TUESDAY and THURSDAY of next week, the 17th and 19th of April. JAMES T. DIXON, REG.

FOR SALE:

650 CEDAR POSTS,

a few suitable for post and rail fence, the balance for wire fencing. Address

MRS. FLORENCE J. ROBINSON,
a14-tf. Lynch's Station, Kent co., Md.

JAS. F. CLARK. JAS. W. STEVENS.

CLARK & STEVENS,

212 North Charles St., Baltimore,

—Successors to—

J. NEEDLES & SON.

LACES, EMBROIDERIES,

LINENS, WHITE GOODS,

TOILET ARTICLES,

AND INFANTS' OUTFITS.

ap14-6m.

BARGAINS IN

SHOES!

Having decided to dispose of my stock of goods I will sell at prices to suit every one.

BOOTS and SHOES BELOW COST

THEY HAVE GOT TO BE SOLD AS EVERYTHING MUST BE OUT OF MY STORE by FIRST of MAY.

Come early and get the BEST GUM BOOTS for $2.50, and other Footwear just as low.

JAS. A. SHAW,
a14-tf. Court st., Chestertown.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

WILLIAM M. JOHNSON,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 17th day of October, 1894, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 17th day of April, 1894.

THOMAS M. BRITTON,
April 14, 1894—4t. Administrator.

BOAT ADRIFT.

A small DUCKING BOAT, about ten feet long, went adrift from my place at Plum Point Tuesday, April 3d, 1894. A reward will be paid for the return of the same to WILLIAM KAY.
a3-3t.* Hanesville, Md.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Good Farms or Town property in Kent co. $100,000 to loan in sums to suit for three or five years. THOMAS H. HILL,
* 200, 201, &c., Equitable Building, Balto., Md.

MONEY TO LOAN

ON FIRST MORTGAGE at 6 per cent. $15,000, $5000, $4,000, $2,000, $1,000 $650. to loan on first mortgage on farms.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
a7-3t. Chestertown, Md.

ASPARAGUS CROWNS.

5,000 ASPARAGUS CROWNS.
Barr's Mammoth and Palmetto.
Apply to BARTUS TREW,
a7-3t. Pomona, Md.

FOR RENT:

Will rent for remainder of the year the BOYD BRICK HOUSE, on High street, near College avenue. The house has recently been repapered and thoroughly repaired. Water in the house. Terms reasonable. Possession given at once.

J. W. PALMER, EXECUTOR,
a7-3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE:

Thoroughbred and Registered JERSEY CATTLE, SHROPSHIRE-DOWN SHEEP and LAMBS, CHESTER WHITE PIGS. J. H. BAKER,
a7-3t.* Pomona Stock Farm.

FOR RENT:

BLACKSMITH SHOP near Whaland's Mill. Terms very reasonable.
Apply to J. C. WALTERS,
a7-3t. Chestertown.

FOR SALE:

PLYMOUTH ROCK ROOSTER, two years old, fine, large, pure bird, price, $2. Reason for selling, I want to change stock as he is the brother of most of my hens, some of which I have sold for $2 apiece. CHAS. E. ROLAND,
a7. Chestertown, Md.

TO THOSE INTERESTED IN RAISING TOMATOES!

I am in a position to sell FERTILIZERS cheaper for Tomatoes and Potatoes, in fact for all vegetables, than any other man in the State. Price, sample and analysis sent on application. Also, can furnish ingredients for making fertilizers at home at very little expense. GEO. W. BRAMBLE,
m31-3t. Fairlee, Kent co., Md.

A FINE LOT OF SHADE TREES.

ASPARAGUS CROWNS, STRAWBERRY PLANTS, &c., can be had at LITTLE GROVE NURSERIES,
m17-tf. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify my friends and customers that I am with Mr. A. A. BRAGER, corner Eutaw and Saratoga streets, Baltimore. Be sure to ask for me on entering the store.
m17-4t. JOSHUA HARVEY.

PUBLIC SALE OF

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned having discontinued farming and rented her farm, will sell at Public Sale at her residence, near the village of Still Pond,

On WEDNESDAY April 18, 1894,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.,

THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY:

4 HORSES and 1 COLT,

all these horses are good workers, one an excellent Brood mare and driver;

TEN HEAD OF COWS,

all good milkers, most of them now in profit balance will be soon;

1 Buggy, 1 Dearborn, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Champion Reaper, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Empire Grain Drill, 1 Rake, 1 three-furrow Orchard Plow, Double and Single Plows, Cultivators, Harrows, Plow Gears, Wagon Harness, Shovels, Hoes and Forks.

Household & Kitchen Furniture

such as Stove, Chairs, Lard Pot, Table, Churn, Wardrobe and Bureau.

TERMS:—On all sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of seven months will be given on note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

ANNA M. SPRY.
JOHN W. ROBINSON, AUC'R. a7-ts.

VENDUE!

THE undersigned as administrator of John Bordley, col'd, will sell at his late residence in Quaker Neck, Kent county, Maryland,

On SATURDAY, 21st of April, 1894,

AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M., THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY:

ONE HORSE,

1 Dearborn, Lot of Harness, Plows and other farm implements.

Household Goods and Furniture,

Consisting of Chairs and Tables, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Six Months will be given on Note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

JOHN D. URIE,
m31-4t. Administrator.

—ELECTION OF—

Town Commissioner.

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

ON MONDAY,

The 23d day of APRIL, 1894,

for the purpose of electing one person to serve for three years in the place of LEWIN S. FOWLER, one of the present commissioners, whose term expires on that date. Polls open from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

By order of Board,
JOS. N. WHEATLEY,
a7-te. CLERK.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Hope H. Barroll, James J. Archer, Trustees,
versus
Henry W. Archer, of Robert.

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

ORDERED, this 6th day of April, 1894, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in fourth report of sale filed in the above entitled cause, made and reported by HOPE H. BARROLL and JAMES J. ARCHER, trustees under a deed of trust, a copy of which deed of trust is filed in this case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 6th day of June, 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 6th day of May, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $250.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
True copy, Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
April 7, 1894—4t.

PAINTS!

Paints! Paints!

YOU WILL FIND A FULL LINE OF

MASURY'S

Ready-Mixed Paints!

LEADS, VARNISHES,

Colors ground in Oil and Japan.

DRY PAINTS by the Pound or Barrel,

PAINT BRUSHES, all sizes and kinds.

A FULL LINE of OILS!

GLASS! GLASS! GLASS!

ALL SIZES, BY DOZEN OR BOX.

☞Call and look at our stock before buying as we can save you money.

PERCY T. McFEELY,

FURNITURE and PAINT STORES,
m10-tf. oppo. Voshell House.

Look at This!

JOHN L. BYROM, Locust Grove,

is ready to Paint and Trim your Carriages Paint your Wagons and Dearbors at short notice and at Lowest Prices. Prices range from $5 to $12. Give me a trial. I will do my best to please you.

J. L. BYROM,
m17-3m.* Locust Grove, Md.

DR. CHAS. R. TWILLEY,

A Graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery,

having located in Chestertown, office in connection with his father, on Main street, is prepared to perform all the operations in Dentistry in the most approved style.

☞Extracting Teeth Without Pain.

Special attention paid to crown and bridge work, also filling teeth with gold and other materials.

SEED SUGAR CORN!

ABOUT 20 BUSHELS FOR SALE.

This Corn has been used by Capt. Joseph Downey for canning for several years and thinks it the best he's ever used. Price, $2.00 per bushel.

USILTON & ROLAND,
tf,1mg- Chestertown.

NOTICE TO HORSEMEN:

Having built a track at Worton Manor Beach I am prepared to take HORSES to BREAK and TRAIN. The track promises to make a fine training track, and on May 1st everything will be in good shape.

J. B. PENNINGTON,
m31-2m. Kennedyville, Md.

ASPARAGUS CROWNS,

LOCUST GROVE, MD., March 22, 1894.

I have 25,000 ASPARAGUS CROWNS, two years old unsold. I find I have more than I anticipated. THOMAS J. SHALLCROSS.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

Real Estate in Chestertown

KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., the undersigned trustee will sell at Public Auction, in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland,

On TUESDAY, 17th of APRIL, 1894,

BETWEEN 2 AND 3 O'CLOCK P. M., THAT

Fine Residence

on the westerly side of high street, in Chestertown, Maryland, now occupied by Mr. Percy T. McFeely, lying north of and adjoining the property of John F. Howard, fronting about 40 feet and 6 inches on High street, and running back about 130 feet.

It is improved by a FINE, COMMODIOUS, TWO-STORY AND ATTIC

Frame Dwelling,

in excellent condition, with usual OUT-BUILDINGS and conveniences, an attractive investment to intending purchasers. It is one of the most pleasant and home-like properties in Chestertown.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-third of purchase cash on day of sale, residue in one and two years from day of sale; all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured with the note or bond of purchaser to satisfaction of Trustee. An agreement may be made to let part of the purchase money remain on the property. Purchaser to pay for deed.

HOPE H. BARROLL, TRUSTEE.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. m24-ts.

GRAND SPRING OPENING!

WE call the attention of the public to the beautiful Spring opening of our Millinery Department. We have the most

LAVISH DISPLAY of MILLINERY!

that has ever been seen in the town and at reasonable prices. We have made a specialty in CHILDREN'S HATS. Every conceivable style has been shown, together with a most beautiful display of FLOWERS, PLUMES and RIBBONS, and at prices that defy competition. NOTIONS of all kinds, such as Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Toilet Articles, etc., kept in stock.

We are better prepared than ever to serve the public, and solicit your patronage.

MISSES CORA AND HATTIE REED,
m24-tf. oppo. Market House, Chestertown.

On and After March, 31st, 1894, My

NEW STORE,

(on same site as the old one burnt one year since) will be found stocked with

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

—AND—

OPEN

FOR BUSINESS.

With a grateful thought of the patronage extended to me in the past years, I cordially invite the public's remembrance.

FRANK H. RUTH,
m31-2t. GALENA, MD.

FLOUR!

Large Stock! Superior Grades!

LOW PRICES!

Our Little Beauty Flour

STILL QUICK SELLER, AND NOW FOR THE

Cash Only $3.75 per Bbl.

☞ALL FLOURS correspondingly low.

TURNER & SON,
m31-tf. BETTERTON, MD.

SPRING FERTILIZERS!

Chester Compound

M. P. COMPOUND,

THE HOME,

BLACK RESIDUUM,

—FOR SALE BY—

THOMAS W. ELIASON.
mh24-2m.

—THE—

Spring Season Has Opened

—AND—

PRICES WAY DOWN!

FRUIT OF THE LOOM MUSLIN, 1 Yard Wide, 8 1-4 Cents.

Androscoggin Muslin, 1 yard wide, 7 1-2 cents per yard.

Good Quality Sheeting, - 18 cts.
Good Apron Ginghams, - 5 "
Best Plain Prints, fast colors, 5 1-2c.

Full Line of OTHER DOMESTICS

AT BOTTOM PRICES.

Also, A Full Line of the LATEST STYLES of

DRESS GOODS!

with Trimmings to match. Laces, Hamburgs and Notions of all kinds.

Our Millinery Department!

☞Come and see us before buying.

A Fashion Sheet given to every customer FREE. We will also furnish all kinds of patterns.

☞A Full Line of LADIES CAPES, just received. Remember the place.

R BERGEN'S,

March 24, 1894. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Garden Seed!

Market and Farm Gardeners, we now have on hand the largest stock of the

CHOICEST and CHEAPEST SEED

EVER OFFERED IN TOWN. TRY US.

TOMATO SEED A SPECIALTY

M. A. TOULSON'S,
m10-tf. DRUG STORE.

A CARD OF CORRECTION.—The undersigned wishes to inform the public that Miss Alice Rouse has neither bought her stock of goods nor rented the store. It is still for Rent. I also have TWO SHOW CASES for sale cheap. I am stilling selling out at cost.

A. M. REYNOLDS,
m24-tf. ROCK HALL.

New Business! New Ideas!

CASH!

WILLIAM MEDDERS & CO.,

SUCCESSORS TO GEO. W. HARPER, STILL POND, MD.,

—DEALERS IN—

Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

FURNITURE, CARPETS AND MATTINGS, PUMPS, ETC.

We will open our doors and open up an entirely New Business in every respect on and after Monday, April 2, 1894, and will sell goods on a STRICTLY CASH basis and at City Cash prices for CASH.

We have just invoiced one of the largest stocks of GENERAL MERCHANDISE in the county at a dirt low figure, which we will sell at dirt low prices, together with a great large spring line of new goods just received. We propose to sell goods at hard-time prices in accordance with 50c. wheat, and if space would permit, we would give a list of prices, but this paper could not contain a list of the low prices and bargains which we will offer from time to time.

We will handle no inferior goods, therefore, we offer no baits, believing that the only way to build and maintain an honest, legitimate, cash business is to handle only first-class goods and sell everything on a very little margin above cost, which we can do and will do, realizing our percentage on big sales, little profits and not on little sales with a big profit.

We cordially invite our friends and the public at large to pay us a call, which will convince them at sight that we mean what we say, and the goods and prices will speak for themselves.

WM. MEDDERS, & CO.,
"CORNER STORE." *STILL POND, MD.*

N. B.—We will pay the highest market price in CASH for Country Produce.

EXTRAVAGANCE

May be in paying too much for a thing, or in paying too little.

If you buy DRY GOODS for less than we ask, you'll not get as good quality, that's poor economy.

If you pay more, you pay too much; because we sell the best there is.

The same rule applies to our NOTIONS, BOOTS and SHOES, GROCERIES, and in fact everything in our line. Come and see us. We will not be undersold by anyone. Everything being sold as cheap as those that advertise to sell at cost.

Yours for cheap prices,

J. H. SIMPERS.
April 7, 1894. CHESTERTOWN.

SRING TRADE 1894.

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

knowing the "HARD TIMES" and being well acquainted with prices of farm products, have

MARKED THEIR LARGE STOCK OF SPRING PURCHASES

AT VERY MODERATE PRICES!

and think farmers and mechanics can save money by purchasing of them.

A large assortment of Plow Lines, 14 yards long, at 12c. and up; Rope Traces, 15c. and up; Rope Hames, Wagon Hames, Chain Traces, Grub Hoes, Bush Axes, Pruning Shares, Saws, Forks, Horse Clippers, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes, and everything for Spring Work

at J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S.

PLOWS! PLOWS! PLOWS

cheaper than ever sold by us. Plow Castings, a large assortment on hand

at J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S.

Seed Potatoes! Seed Potatoes!

We think the best ever offered for sale

m10. by J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

—A RARE—

Business Opportunity!

IN CHESTERTOWN.

THE undersigned has determined to discontinue the Hardware business in Chestertown, notwithstanding the fact that his business the past year has been greater than ever before in the history of this now well established Hardware store. My reasons for making the change can be easily explained. It is the lack of sufficient capital.

To any one with this one essential in these long credit times—added to business capacity—a better opening for a lucrative business is rarely found in this section than is here presented.

I will sell my large stock, including Stoves, Tinware, Agricultural Implements and Hardware generally, with full set of Tools for manufacturing Tinware, Roofing, Spouting, &c., including good will—

THE WHOLE AT A GREAT BARGAIN!

In the meantime I am reducing my large stock and CLOSING OUT at COST PRICES FOR CASH.

☞Those indebted are requested to call and settle by cash or note AT ONCE, as I must promptly meet all my obligations and settle in full with all my creditors.

Respectfully,
m24-tf. J. LLOYD McFEELY, Chestertown, Md.

THE GRAIN MARKET!

I have been associated with

J. K. B. EMORY & CO.,

318 Light Street, Baltimore, Md.,

for a number of years, and we are in better position now than heretofore to offer farmers inducements to dispose of their Grain through us. Care, promptness and CASH SETTLEMENTS have increased our business. We handle Grain by vessel or railroad. Mr. Emory has been in this business forty years, and we can assure most careful attention to all consignments. All Grain settled for immediately upon delivery. Call on, or address

HIRAM M. BROWN,
March 24, 1894. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

New York Life Insurance Co.

JANUARY 1, 1894.

Assets	$141,700,781.21
Liabilities	131,675,151.03
Surplus	$17,025,630.18

Insurance written in Maryland in 1893	$2,080,500 00
Death claims paid in Maryland in 1893	244,560 98
Premiums received in Maryland in 1893	259,268 13

JOHN A. McCALL,
a7-tf. PRESIDENT.

—STATEMENT OF—

PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY

OF BROOKLYN, N. Y.

ASSETS:

Value of Real Estate owned by the company, less amount of encumbrance thereon	$ 899,000 00
Loans on bond and mortgage	130,700 00
Stocks and bonds absolutely owned by the company (market value)	3,673,562 00
Interest due and accrued on stocks, bonds and other securities	11,876 96
Cash in company's principal office and belonging to the company deposited in bank	496,756 22
Premium due and in course of collection	987,784 71
All other admitted assets detailed in statement on file in this office	3,908 38
Total admitted Assets	$5,703,588 27

ASSETS NOT ADMITTED:

Securities deposited in various States for the protection of policy-holders in such States (market value)	$ 200,375 00
Liabilities in said States	157,584 96
Surplus over said liabilities	$42,790 04

LIABILITIES:

Losses reported, adjusted and unpaid	$ 300,842 90
Reserve as required by law	4,075,949 68
All other claims	208,148 99
Total liabilities	$4,584,941 57
Surplus as regards policy-holders	$1,118,646 70
Surplus of assets not admitted as above stated	42,790 04
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