The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SATURDAY, - - JAN. 12, 1895

THE indications point to the election of Higgins for U. S. Senator from Delaware, Addicks' money couldn't buy it.

THE Baltimore *Herald* is now engaged in the noble work of raising funds to purchase coal for the poor of the city.

THE canners report very poor sales, many having their pack still on hand and a gloomy outlook. One packer states that he sold most of his stock at a loss of $1,000 rather than take the risk.

THE commissioners did a big day's work Tuesday when they contracted for work on the public roads for 1895 for $3581. They also determined to make the contractors bond, and to have no extra work done except in case of extreme necessity.

THE "regulars" won a great victory at the election in Havre deGrace last Monday. It was the most exciting election ever held in the city and Robert K. Vanneman, the "regular" candidate beat his opponent nearly two to one. Over 700 votes were polled.

COMPTROLLER SMITH, while at Annapolis this week had a talk with commander Howard about the violations of the oyster law in Chester river. The Commander told him that a majority of the dredge boats had been for several weeks at work in the upper part of the bay and that by reason of their large numbers were emboldened to make raids in Chester River, Eastern bay and the waters of Anne Arundel. The Commander promised Mr. Smith that the steamer McLane should be sent immediately to the mouth of Chester River and would remain there for the present.

ONE of the most singular marriages yet reported is that of Gen. Cassius M. Clay, of Louisville, Ky. Everybody opposed the marriage but none dared to interfere with the "old lion of Whitehall." His wife is a lovely girl of only fifteen years, while he is eighty-five! She was taken into his home when friendless and now voluntarily becomes his wife and is said to be devoted to him. A governess has been engaged to educate the young wife and fit her for her new station.

ON JANUARY 1ST the income tax law went into effect. A person with a yearly income of $4,000 or below is exempt from taxation, but all of an income of over $4,000, is assessed at 2 per cent. A person having an income of $5,000 must pay an annual tax of $20; on an income of $6,000 $40; on an income of $7,000, $60, etc. In the case of wilfully false and fraudulent returns, the collector can add 100 per cent. as a penalty. This law will not in the least trouble the general run of newspaper men.

THE Snow Hill *Messenger*, published by Messrs. Purnell & Vincent, celebrates its twenty-seventh birthday by increasing its size to a nine-column folio. Before this improvement the *Messenger* was one of the best printed papers in the State and ably edited, consequently there could be very little improvement in this respect. We congratulate the enterprising publishers and wish it continued prosperity.

CARDINAL GIBBONS preached an able sermon at the Cathedral in Baltimore last Sunday on "the Christian religion." He was understood as referring to the blatant infidel, Ingersoll. Here are two thoughts from the sermon. "Have two answers ready in your mind when you are confronted by any difficulties against Christianity. First—Ten thousand difficulties do not make a single doubt; and ten thousand doubts do not destroy a single fact of Revelation; ten thousand layers of fog and cloud do not blot out the sun in the heavens nor diminish its splendor. Second—The Christian religion has been in possession for two thousand years, and has been cherished by the wisest and best men in every age and country, and it is stronger to-day than it was ever before."

LAST Sunday's Baltimore papers had the usual batch of politics, but contained nothing new. The Governorship is the only State office discussed, and Rayner is said to be the most active in that race. He is certainly an able man and would honor the executive chair. Hon. Spencer C. Jones is also reported as looming up, with the "old Confederates" rallying as one man to his support. The gallant Colonel is not surpassed by any in the good qualities that go to make a true man and a wise leader of the people. Senator Hayes, the assessment leader, is also still spoken of with great favor by the Sunday papers, and the only other names mentioned are that of John Walter Smith and ex-Mayor R. C. Davidson. The later is also named for the mayoralty.

Railroad Operations.

The Centreville correspondent of the Baltimore *American* of Tuesday last writes as follows: Active work, looking to the construction of the proposed railroad in this and adjoining counties, has been resumed by the Queen Anne's Railroad Company, and, notwithstanding the difficulty that the company has met in securing the necessary right of way, and the many other obstacles usual to such a large undertaking, it looks as if the road will be in operation before many months. Chief Engineer J. W. Troxel and several assistants began today to go over the route first laid down for the purpose of making such changes as have been found expedient, and to make the final preparation for beginning the work of building the road. Sufficient property for the terminus of the road, including a steamboat landing, has been purchased at Queenstown. It is intended to connect with this the five county seats of Easton, Cambridge, Denton, Chestertown and Centreville, with a view of giving quick transit to Baltimore.

Mr. W. H. Bosley, president of the company, is now in the county looking after its interest. The entire capital stock of $800,000 has been subscribed, and the necessary bonds have been placed with a trust company of Baltimore. The line connecting Denton and Queenstown will probably be the first to be built, from the fact that the right of way, with but few exceptions, has been secured, and it is expected, from the statement of Engineer Troxel, that operations will begin as soon as the ground is in condition to allow it. The great advantages of such a railroad to the Eastern Shore of Maryland have already been stated in The American, and it has appealed to the citizens of this section to give the plan all possible encouragement; but, notwithstanding, the construction of the road has been seriously hindered by the refusal of Maryland owners to consent to a right of way through their property.

AN aged couple, 71 and 68 years were suffocated by coal gas in their bed room in Baltimore on Monday night. The room was heated by a small coal stove.

THE reverse which the currency bill met in the House on Wednesday, while it has discouraged its friends, has not deterred them from continuing the fight for an improvement in our financial system. It is stated that a bill along new lines will be introduced in the House about two weeks hence. The Senate is looked to in the meantime to formulate and pass a satisfactory bill.

MRS. ADDICKS, the wife of the would-be Senator from Delaware, who is suing for divorce from her husband, says his income is $60,000 per annum. In the Superior Court Tuesday Chief Justice Lore denied the motion of J. Edward Addicks for a rule requiring Mrs. Addicks to file a bill of particulars in her suit for divorce. The court also allows the gas king's wife $100 a month while the case is pending, and $1500 for counsel fees and expenses.

WE have heard frequent complaints of late about the depredations of the oyster dredgers. The tongers of Kent and other sections are sorely tried, and some blame the oyster police. We cannot believe the latter are unfaithful and we know that the State Board of Public Works are honestly striving to enforce the law. Comptroller Smith feels sensibly the responsibility resting upon himself as the special representative of the oyster tonging interest, and he has been doing his utmost to protect the tongers. No human being could do more than he has with the means at command. The real cause of the difficulty is insufficient force. Some of the police boats are too small and poorly armed—notably that which is expected to guard Chester river, but until more State revenue can be procured the defects must continue apparent, unless the counties go to the rescue by special appropriations, which the Board invites them to do. In the meantime one great duty of all concerned is to *aid the police* in enforcing the law. Give it SYMPATHY and HELP rather than censure and hindrance, and it will be found that much better results will follow.

BIG DIVIDENDS!

The Banking Institutions of Chestertown—Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chestertown National Bank held Tuesday, the following directors and officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Charles T. Westcott; vice-president, Thomas W. Eliason; directors, R. D. Hynson, M. deK. Smith, F. H. Harper, Alday Clements, Edw. S. Valiant; cashier Harry Rickey; paying teller, W. W. Chapman; receiving teller R. Snowden Thomas; runner Allie Thomas. A semi-annual dividend of five per cent. was declared and $500 placed to undivided profits.

The stockholders of the Second National Bank elected the following officers: President, James A. Pearce; directors, Judge J. A. Wickes, Hope H. Barroll, Dr. J. K. H. Jacobs, W. W. Hubbard, H. W. Vickers, Garrett Foxwell, David A. Hurlock, A. F. Huey; cashier, W. Bradford Copper; paying and receiving teller, E. F. Perkins, Jr.; book-keeper, Henry Deaver. A semi-annual dividend of three per cent. was declared clear of taxes, $600 was carried to surplus and $333 to undivided profits.

The Kent County Savings Bank declared a dividend of two per cent. for the past six months on stock, and one per cent. on daily balances, clear of taxes, and carried $357 to undivided profits. Three per cent. per annum is also paid on the savings accounts.

The stockholders of Fruit Growers National Bank, Smyrna, elected the following directors: Dr. E. G. Clark, of Millington; Wm. Ellison, of Camden; J. H. Hofecker and A. L. Hudson, of Smyrna.

THE MYSTERY SOLVED!

The Terrible Shock Sunday Night was Caused by an Explosion and not an Earthquake.

Kent county was visited Sunday evening about 7.30 o'clock, by a noise accompanied by a jar, somewhat like an earthquake and it was not until Monday that the mystery was explained. At Rock Hall the people in church felt the building shake and began looking questioningly at one another. Mrs. B. L. Legg says her dog whined and howled and she had to go to the door and let him out. Upon doing so she saw the heavens lighted and at once surmised the cause of the shock to have been an explosion near Baltimore. Mr. Wm. Kay on Plum Point says he thought burglars were trying to get in his house and prepared to give them a warm reception. Mr. J. C. Davis at Pomona says the whole earth seemed to tremble. Messrs. R. N. Boston and H. S. Barnett were on a visit to Bridgekeeper Kemble at Chester bridge and felt the shock plainly. Indeed it was so perceptible that Mr. Boston remarked, "does every carriage that crosses the bridge shake this building that way?" Many persons commented on the shock and it was the topic for comment Monday morning. Wm. S. Walker, Esq., tells a very amusing incident. He says that at the time of the shock he was sitting in his room reading, and feeling both windows rattle began to feel uneasy. "Now," he reasoned, "both of those windows rattled, therefore there must be two burglars so I'll take my stick with me. I'm willing to fight one man without any weapon but as there are two I'll go armed." But he found no one outside.

Monday's Baltimore papers recorded the following item which explains the cause of the "earthquake":

An explosion which shook buildings ten miles distant occurred at 7.30 o'clock last night at the works of the Baltimore Division of the Standard Oil Company, First avenue and Fourth street, Canton.

A fire which followed the explosion destroyed oil storage tanks, several buildings owned by the oil company and the entire plants of Griffith & Boyd, fertilizer manufacturers, and of G. H. & C. T. Davison, manufacturers of sulphuric acid.

Fourteen horses and two mules owned by Griffith & Boyd were burned to death.

The explosion and the shock which followed it were so severe that residents of Canton and Highlandtown believed some awful catastrophe had happened, and men, women and children ran into the streets. Panes of glass were smashed to atoms, chinaware was broken, and chimneys in the neighborhood were toppled from houses.

The sound was heard in Baltimore as far west as Eutaw street and in Baltimore as far north as Towson. The ground was shaken throughout the northern annex, and many in Govanstown and Towson thought that an earthquake had taken place until they saw the reflection of the flames. The light from the fire was visible for miles around, and was so brilliant that the surging columns of black smoke could be seen from many parts of the city.

When the explosion took place the works were deserted, it being Sunday, with the exception of a few watchmen, and there were very few persons on the street in the neighborhood. Had the shock taken place on a working day, when the buildings and yards were crowded with workmen, the loss of life would have been great.

THE first woman to default in this country was recorded in the daily papers Tuesday. She absconded with $2,500.

THE PUBLIC ROADS.

Contracts Awarded for '95—The Cost Will be Even Less than Last Year.

The board of commissioners for Kent county met in Chestertown Tuesday and awarded the contracts for working the public roads for the present year. A more successful day's work is seldom accomplished by the board and they are to be congratulated. Considerable rivalry was manifested in all the districts, and the figures show that the net result is a great saving to the county even over last year. In order that our readers may appreciate the gain we give the following totals of the last two year's contracts:

1893.	
First District, eighty miles	$1,108 87
Second, ninety miles	1,557 70
Third, sixty miles	975 00
Fourth, sixty and a half miles	1,089 00
Fifth, eighty-two miles	1,266 25
Total	$5,996 82
1894.	
First District	$ 675 00
Second "	1,459 00
Third "	891 75
Fourth "	1,050 00
Fifth "	1,351 00
Total	$5,397 75

This year, 1895, the contracts foot up for the several districts as follows:

First District	$600 00
Second "	590 00
Third "	861 00
Fourth "	680 00
Fifth "	850 00
Total	$3,581 00
TOTALS FOR FOUR YEARS.	
For 1892, old system	$22,020 00
" 1893, new "	5,996 00
" 1894, " "	5,397 75
" 1895, " "	3,581 00

The contracts for the present year as awarded by the commissioners are as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT.	
Thomas Quinn, whole district	$ 600 00
SECOND DISTRICT.	
J. V. Moffitt, whole district	590 00
THIRD DISTRICT.	
Sections 1 and 4, J. W. Severson	70 00
" 2 R. Dempsey	25 00
" 3, 5 and 6 Frank Meeks	100 00
" 7, 8 and 11, Wm. French	167 00
" 9, Harry Nichols	54 00
" 10, 12, 13, Wm. Meeks	109 50
" 14, 16, 18, 19 and 20, S. G. Lee	38 50
" 15, W. J. Tarburton	27 00
FOURTH DISTRICT.	
W. S. Scones for J. C. Loud, whole dist.	680 00
FIFTH DISTRICT.	
T. E. W. Crew, whole district	850 00

The successful bidders will be required to give good bond, and the commissioners say that they will be held strictly to the contract. The average cost per mile for road work will be $9.50; in '94 it was over $14 and in '94 it was $16.

The County Almshouse.

The commissioners paid their semi-annual visit to the Almshouse on Wednesday last, and found 29 inmates in the institution as follows: White males, 6; col., 6; white females, 9; col'd, 6; white children, 1; col'd, 1. Two white and one col'd have died since June. Nicholas Rash has been sent to Spring Grove Asylum. The inmates and buildings were found in good order, neat and clean; the inmates are all healthy looking, except one unruly woman and one idiotic white girl. This girl should be sent to Spring Grove Asylum, but it is overcrowded and she can not enter the institution. Henry Anderson, aged 80, has fits of vertigo and is quite feeble.

There was sold off the farm last year about 500 bushels of wheat for $239.03; 736 bus. of corn for $298.82, besides keeping enough to run the institution; for straw, $17.81. The institution is in a flourishing condition with a lower number of inmates than there has been for sometime.

SEVERAL persons have killed wild geese in wheat fields of Garrott Foxwell and Walter Morris the past week.

UNDER the local option law one-half the fines are given to the informer. This fact is not generally known.

A CHARTER for a new railroad has been granted by the Delaware Legislature. The road will run parallel with the Penna. Addicks is said to be backing the scheme.

THE county executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society met Tuesday and decided to postpone the county convention to early June.

A GENTLEMAN from Worton says that Chestertown has more pretty girls than any place he was ever in. That man has a good eye.

NEW STORE KEEPERS.—Miss Maud Kemp, daughter of Rev. J. D. Kemp, and sister, have rented the store-room vacated by Mr. Chew and will open a shoe store. They expect to keep a nice line of ladies shoes and cater to the female sex.

Mr. Frank Hynson has opened a grocery store adjoining Mr. J. H. Simpers.

ANOTHER CLUB.—A number of young men, of Chestertown, have organized a social club and rented the Spencer house on Queen street in which to hold their meetings. It numbers among its members Messrs. Lewin W. Wickes, Wm. W. Beck, Dr. C. P. Gilpin, Hiram M. Brown, and other prominent gentlemen. The rooms have been neatly furnished and present a home-like appearance.

CAUGHT STEALING.—Patrick Welsh, John White and Edward Gray were locked up at the Eastern Station, Baltimore, on Monday night, charged with the larceny of the oyster pungy Minerva and six hundred bushels of oysters, valued at $1000. The boat and cargo is owned by O. G. Miller. The men stated that they were induced to sail the boat to Rock Hall, Kent county, by some party, and supposed it was all right.

A GENTLEMAN had the audacity to ask us if we thought the cold weather had injured the fruit crop! We gave him a look for an answer and trust that he and others will not worry over the fruit crop yet. It is in a perfect state of preservation and therefore no one need feel concerned about the fruit crop.

STOLE A BREAST PIN.—Robert Rochester was arrested Monday by Officer Kelley charged with stealing a diamond pin from Mrs. Arthur M. Brown. The pin was found in the boy's pocket. Justice Johnson gave him a hearing and committed him to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

J. D. URIE, Esq., advertises to loan money at 5 per cent. on good mortgages.

THERE were so many applicants for marriage licenses in Georgetown, Del., that the clerk run out of licenses.

—FOR—

Kent News Readers!

MISS WILLIS',

Principal of the Balto. Cooking School,

New Pastry Cook Book.

☞Cut out this Coupon and send it to the RUMFORD CHEMICAL WORKS, Providence, R. I., giving your address plainly written, and a copy will be mailed to you free. j12-tf.

I. O. G. T. of Still Pond

—will give an—

ENTERTAINMENT in the TOWN HALL of STILL POND on THURSDAY EVE., Jan. 17, 1895, at 8 o'clock, sharp. A drama,

"THE TURN OF THE TIDE!"

Admission 15c.; Childre 10c. j5-2t.

POSTPONED.

The big STOCK SALE of E. E. MARSH has been POSTPONED to NEXT THURSDAY, Jan. 17.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the LAW and ORDER LEAGUE will be held in Stam's Hall, MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 14, at 7.30. Addresses will be delivered.

POULTRY and STOCK WANTED:

Alive or dead HOGS, SHOTES, PIGS and CALVES, delivered at Blacks Station, I will pay the Highest Market price for in Cash. I expect to load a car next Thursday Morning, and will be glad to have all that wish to sell, call at Black's and see me before selling.

j12-3t. B. S. SUTTON.

FOR SALE:

BROOD SOWS, SHOATS and PIGS.

Apply at "Locust Grove Farm," near Urieville.

j12-3t* JESSE R. COPPER

WANTED:

Agents to represent the MARYLAND MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY in the different sections Kent county. A reliable and conservative company. Popular plan. Liberal terms to agents who are properly recommended.

Address E. P. WYATT,

j12-3t. Hodson Building, Crisfield, Md.

A CARD.

At the solicitation of my friends I hereby announce myself as a CANDIDATE for the office of COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT of Kent County.

j5-tf. SAMUEL TODD.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The firm of SHAFER & MEDDERS, Kenneyville, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books will be found in the hands of TILGHMAN SHAFER, and those indebted are requested to settle at once. All liabilities will also be settled by the same.

Jan. 1, 1895. TILGHMAN SHAFER, JOHN MEDDERS.

WM. S. CULP. ALWYN M. CULP.

W. S. & A. M. CULP,

CONTRACTORS and BUILDERS,

—AND MANUFACTURERS OF—

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS,

FRAMES, MOULDINGS,

BRACKETS and STAIRWORK.

☞PLANS AND ESTIMATES FURNISHED.

Mill and office at Railroad Station, Chestertown, Maryland. j12-6m.

—THE—

Kent County Savings Bank,

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Transacts a General Banking Business.

This bank receives deposits from 25 cents upward,

Small sums as welcome as deposits of capitalists.

In the Savings Department interest is compounded on deposits at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

When only a part of your money is drawn the balance continues to draw interest.

Semi-annually we calculate your interest and add it to your account.

We are a LEGAL DEPOSITORY for Guardians, Trustees, or Public Officers.

Married Women and children may deposit in their own names and subject to their own order.

Loans made on mortgages and well endorsed discount notes.

County Script taken at face value less 6 per cent. discount.

☞For other information apply at the bank.

WM. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.

J. K. ALDRIDGE, Pres't.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

Kent County Savings Bank

of Chestertown, Maryland, at the close of business, December 31st, 1894.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	$72,672 67
Furniture and Fixtures	835 67
Due from Reserve Agent	8,506 53
Checks and Other Cash Items	187 62
Cash on Hand	5,554 98
Total	$87,257 47
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock Paid in	$20,000 00
Saving and Special Deposits	33,225 46
Transient Deposits	32,117 28
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,913 73
Certified Checks	1 00
Total	$87 257 47

State of Maryland, Kent County:

I, WM. F. RUSSELL, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. F. RUSSELL, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1895. CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

Correct—Attest:

J. K. ALDRIDGE, PRESIDENT.

1t.

THE STOCK SALE of E. E. MARSH has been POSTPONED to NEXT THURSDAY, Jan. 17.

T. M. BRITTON. R. WESLEY MOFFETT.

BRITTON & MOFFETT,

Millington, Maryland.

UNDERTAKERS and EMBALMERS

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

CHARGES MODERATE. TERMS REASONABLE.

FOR RENT for 1895:

A DESIRABLE DWELLING, 8 rooms, Queen street, with Meat-house, Stable, Carriage-house and shed attached.

Apply to M. A. STAATS,

d29-tf. Linwood Station, Pa.

FOR RENT FOR 1895.

"THE ROCKWELL HOUSE"

can be rented entire, or the restaurant can be rented for an office or Store-Room, the balance of the building for a Dwelling, and the Stable separately. This is a first-class location for a Restaurant;

Apply to J. H. SIMPERS,

n24-tf. Chestertown, Md

FOR RENT for the year 1895:

The STORE-ROOM now occupied by J. L. McFeely & Co., adjoining the Chestertown National Bank.

THOMAS W. ELIASON,

n10-tf. Chestertown, Md.

CLIP YOUR HORSES:

I am prepared to do this work in first-class style, have a Machine Clipper and three years experience. I will be in Chestertown, at the Voshell House, EVERY TUESDAY, and after the 2nd Tuesday in January. Terms $2 per head.

J. E. NICKERSON,

d22-3t.* BARCLAY.

TENANT WANTED for 1895:

For RILEY'S FARM, near Riley's Mill, in Second District, Kent county, Md.

Apply to JOHN D. URIE,

d29-3t. Chestertown,

CHEWERS of TOBACCO would do well to try the MARTHA FORD TOBACCO. Save the Tags and get a present. 1t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY!

THE undersigned, as administrator, will sell at PUBLIC SALE, at the late residence of AMOR CAMPBELL, deceased, at Green Point,

On WEDNESDAY, Jan. 21, 1895

at 10 o'clock A. M., all the Personal Property of said deceased, consisting of:

9 HORSES, MULES and COLTS

1 Brown Mare, POLLY; 1 Brown Mare, LIGHTFOOT; 1 Bay Horse, BILL; 1 Pair Brown MULES; 1 Brown MULE; 1 Brown Mare COLT, one year old; 1 Bay Mare COLT, 1 year old; 1 Brown horse, 2 year old; 1 Bay suckling COLT;

5 Cows, 1 Heifer, 1 Calf,

12 HEAD OF SHOTES.

1 Wagon, 1 Champion Reaper, 1 Farm Bell 1 Grindstone, Half-interest in Clover Seed Sower, 2 Farm Wagons, 1 Peach Wagon, 1 Dearborn, 1 Carriage, Harrows, Plows, Cultivators, 1 horse rake, 1 Wheat Drill, 1 Mower, 1 Sulky Cultivator, 1 Whiteley Binder and Trucks, 3, 4, 2, one-horse Trees, Carriage Tongue, Collars, Bridles, Wagon Harness, Plow Harness, Forks, Rakes, Hoes, Corn Knives, 1 Corn Sheller, 8 Bags Phosphate, 1½ Tons Damaged Phosphate, Half bushel Measure, 15 Bbls. Damaged Corn, 3 Axes, 1 Hogshead. Half-rick hay in back field. 1 rick hay on Green Point road. Wheat on about 75 acres.

TERMS:—All sums of and under $10 cash; over that amount a credit of Eight Months, with approved security, payable at the Second National Bank of Chestertown.

JAMES T. IRELAND, ADM'R.

JNO. H GREENWOOD, AUC'R. j12-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned intending to discontinue farming will offer at Public Sale on the Carter Farm near LYNCH'S STATION, Kent county, Md.,

On TUESDAY, January 22, '95,

at 10 o'clock A. M., the following Personalty:

TWO HORSES and ONE COLT,

1 Sorrel Horse, MACK, eight years old, as good as gold; 1 Bay Horse, CHARLEY, twelve years old, still better; 1 Black Colt, STOKE, 1 year old last spring, fine size;

2 No. 1 MILCH COWS

giving about 25 lbs. of milk a day; 1 ¾ Alderney Cow, be fresh in the spring;

1 Top Buggy, in good order; 1 set of Buggy Harness, in good order; 1 Farm Wagon, in good order; 1 Tomato Wagon, 34 basket capacity, run four months, Hackett's make, Still Pond; 1 Roller Log, nearly new; 1 Grindstone, 1 Carriage Pole, 1 two-horse Oliver Chilled Plow, in order; 1 one-horse Syracuse, new; 2 good iron Cultivators; 1 set Wagon Harness, in order; 2 set Plow Harness, 1 good Twin Harrow; 3 good Collars, 1 No. 9 Times Cook Stove; 1 Parlor Coal Stove, 1 Cooley Creamer, 2 Kitchen Tables, 1 set Stool Chairs, and lot of other property, too tedious to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Eight Months, with note, payable at the Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

STEPHEN J. FOWLER.

J FORD CAULK, AUCT'R. j12-ts.

FOR SALE:

TWO MILCH COWS, one of them fresh; THREE HEAD OF HORSES, two 5 year old, the other 9.

TERMS:—Nine Months credit.

WILLIAM FORD,

j5-2t. Chestertown.

Our Xmas Trade

HERE'S THE IDEA

BOSS 14-K GOLD FILLED

J. H. SIDES Jeweler Chestertown, Md.

was immense, and we thank our customers for their liberal patronage. We feel assured that the very large stock of First-class, Up-to-date Goods, and the low price marked on each article would attract the people to our store. We carry a stock of goods that would do credit to a much larger town, and our prices are universally acknowledged to be much lower than city prices.

Wedding Presents.

Our stock of SILVERWARE is more complete now than ever before with bright, new patterns in Solid SILVER and ROGERS' STANDARD PLATED WARES. Remember we Engrave all purchases free of charge. We still have a few dozen ROGERS & BROTHER'S A 1 SPOONS, at the unheard-of price of $1.00 per set for Teas and $2.00 per set for Tables.

Bring Us Your REPAIRING,

and it will be done promptly and satisfactorily.

J. H. SIDES, Jeweler,

j12. opp. Stam's Hall, Chestertown.

Executors' Sale of

VALUABLE STOCK OF

General Merchandise

AT GALENA, KENT CO., MD.,

Regardless of Cost!

OWING to the death of the late Thomas H. Horsey, the undersigned executors, in pursuance of the order and authority of the Orphan's Court of Kent county, will dispose of the

STOCK of GOODS

in the store of Mr. Horsey, at Galena, REGARDLESS OF COST. This stock is large, fresh, well-selected and was bought on the most favorable terms. All sales will be made for cash only, and the public may be assured they will have a rare opportunity in this sale.

HOPE H. BARROLL,

JAMES A. PEARCE,

o20-tf. Executors of Thomas H. Horsey.

VENDUE!

BY virtue of competent authority, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale on the farm belonging to A. J. Hynson, where David B. Kendall now resides, located in Queen Anne's county, near Chestertown, at 10 30 o'clock A. M.,

On MONDAY, 14th of JANUARY, 1895,

The following Valuable Personal Property:

FARM STOCK and IMPLEMENTS

AS FOLLOWS:

1 Bay Mare, "May," 1 Bay Horse, "Rodney," 1 Bay Horse "Mike," 1 Bay Horse "Dexter," 1 Sorrel Horse "Joe," 1 Roan Colt "Punch."

Red Cow "Lil," Red Cow "Buff," Red Cow "Maud," Roan Cow "Spot," Alderney Cow "Ollie."

1 Farm Wagon, 1 Dearborn, 1 Binder, 2 Plows, 3 Cultivators, 6 sets Plow Gears, 2 Shovels, 2 Baskets, 1 Twin Harrow, 1 Set Wagon Harness, 1 Grindstone, 1 Peach Cutter, about 150 Bushels of Corn in the Ear.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Eleven Months will be given on bankable note with security to be approved by the undersigned. No property to be removed from the premises until the terms are complied with.

JOHN D. URIE, ATT'Y.

Dec. 29, 1894—ts.

We consent to the above sale and desire the property to bring its full value

DAVID B KENDALL,

JOHN W. KENDALL.

Sheriff's Sale!

BY VIRTUE of two writs of fieri facias issued by J. Evan Thomas, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, one at the suit of William G. Russell and one at the suit of G. Allen Jarman, and to me directed against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William B. Kendall, I have seized and taken in execution all the estate, right, title, interest, property claim and demand at law and in equity of the said William B. Kendall, in and to the following property, to wit:

FOUR HEAD of HORSES

1 OSBORNE BINDER,

2 Flushing Plows, 2 No. 4 Wiley Plows,

3 Cultivators, 1 Corn Sheller,

1 Farm Wagon and Harness, 1 Roller.

And I hereby give notice that

On FRIDAY, 25th of January, 1895,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

on the premises now occupied by the said Wm. B. Kendall (the George Wilkins Farm) on the road from Rees' Corner to Swan Point, I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution, by Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy and pay said writs, with interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

THOMAS S. DODD,

j12-4s. SHERIFF.

Late Collector's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of authority conferred upon me as collector of Corporation Taxes of Chestertown, I have seized and levied upon the following property in Chestertown:

All that Lot of Land

being part of Lot No. 39, lying at the northeast end of Cross street, Chestertown, Md., and contained within the following lines, that is to say: Beginning for the same on the east side of said street, and at the fence running up to said street which divides the lot of Joseph Wickes from the lot of S. C. Hamilton, and running from thence by and with Cross street in a southwest direction, 19 feet, and thence in an eastern direction 20 feet toward the garden of Joseph Wickes; thence by and with said Wickes line, 19 feet, 6 inches, in a northeast direction to the before mentioned division fence; thence by and with said fence to beginning, forming a parallelogram 19 feet 6 in. by 20 feet, as per deed to Wm. Perkins from Joseph Wickes, May 28, 18[illegible], recorded in Liber J. K. H., No 1, folio 181, &c., and assessed to Francis A. Perkins.

1887 assessment	$1,123 @ 35c	$1 91
1888 "	1,123 @ 35c	2.81
1889 "	1,123 @ 30c	3.37
1890 "	1,123 @ 30c	3 37
1891 "	1,123 @ 30c	3 37
1892 "	1 000 @ 25	2 50
1893 "	1,000 @ 25c	2 50

And I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, January 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy taxes due and owing me as follows:

together with interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY,

d22-4s. Late Collector.

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

AMOR CAMPBELL,

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 11th day of July, 1895, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 31st day of Dec., 1894.

JAMES T. IRELAND,

Jan. 5, 1895—4t. Administrator.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Alice J. Wilson

versus

Joseph Riley, et al.

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

ORDERED, this 28th day of December, 1894, that the sale of the property made and reported by CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, Trustee, in this case under the order of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th day of February 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 28th day of January, next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $910.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.

True Copy, Test:

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

Dec. 29, 1894—4t.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Thomas G. Wroth and William E. Keyser,

versus

J. Thomas Blackiston.

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

ORDERED this 18th day of December, 1894, that the sale of the Personal Property mentioned in the Report of Sale filed in the above entitled cause, made and reported by THOMAS G. WROTH and WILLIAM E. KEYSER, under power contained in a Chattel Mortgage from said J. Thomas Blackiston to the said Thomas G. Wroth and William E. Keyser, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23d day of January next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 8th day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,251 97.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.

True copy, Test:

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.

Dec. 22, 1894—4t.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Hope H. Barroll, Attorney,

versus

George T. Dawson

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

ORDERED, this 14th day of December 1894, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of February, next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in in each of three successive weeks before the 18th day of January, next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $50.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.

True copy, Test:

SAMUEL G. FISHER CLERK.

December 15, 1894—4t.

REMOVED.

THE CHESTERTOWN LAUNDRY

having fitted up the building lately occupied by the Dilhoffer Laundry, on

MAPLE AVENUE, BELOW CROSS ST.

where we shall be glad to see all our friends as we are better prepared to do all kinds of Laundry work in the neatest and best manner and at the shortest notice. We can't say thanks to our many friends and patrons, and by trying to please all hope to have a continuance of your favors. Work called for and delivered when requested.

☞UPHOLSTERING done at short notice.

AT THE

COLONEL'S

White Front, opposite Stam's Hall, where you can buy for the

Lowest Cash Price

GROCERIES, MEATS,

PROVISIONS, FRUITS,

CANDY, NUTS, &C.

Cigars and Tobaccos

Everything New and Fresh. Give me a call.

Respectfully,

WM. P. HOWARD,

j12-1y. opp. Stam's Hall.

GREAT

REDUCTION SALE

—OF OUR—

Entire Stock of Winter Goods

5 Dozen Men's, Ladies' and Children's Undershirts at Cost.

66 Pairs of Men's and Boy's Boots we will sell at Cost for the Cash.

8 Pair White Blankets.

7 Pair Kersey Pants.

GREAT BARGAINS IN TOBACCOS!

We keep the Best Horse and Cattle Powders sold.

WESTCOTT & DODD,

j12-tf. opp. Old Bank.

THE MONEY SAVING

Event of the Season

—AT THE—

CHESTERTOWN

BARGAIN STORE!

IMPORTANT NOTICE OF REMOVAL

—TO THE—

Old Stand of Hudgins' Bakery

ON CROSS STREET,

☞On January 1st we moved from the old post office stand to the store-room so long occupied by Mr. Washington Hudgins on Cross Street, and during the new year we propose to

Offer Such Bargains!

to the people of this and adjoining counties, as to astonish all who give us a call. Our Weekly Bulletin of Goods and Prices will regularly be found in every issue of THE KENT NEWS, and for money-saving please consult our columns every every week, when full particulars will be advertised. Look us up, and we will save you 20 per cent. on all your purchases.

The Chestertown Bargain Store.

Beef Cattle Wanted:

ROLAND BROTHERS, Butchers

Corner Kent and High Sts., CHESTERTOWN.

Having opened a BUTCHER SHOP in Chestertown and employed a good butcher to help us, we are prepared to furnish our friends and public generally with First-class FRESH MEATS. Give us a call. We will pay the highest market price for Beeves, Veal and Porkers. Write us.

JOHN G. ROLAND,

GEORGE Z. ROLAND,

j5. opposite N. C. Crow's, Up-town.

W. R. ALDRIDGE

—HAS THE—

PRETTIEST FINEST

AND MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

New