The Transcript.

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HON. J. FRANK TURNER, of Easton, has been announced as a candidate for congress. There will be others after awhile.

GOV. CROTHERS has vetoed the Worcester County Oyster Bill, and the Baltimore Sun and the advocates of the Haman Oyster Law are happy.

THE STATE LAWS will be found in our supplement. They are all very mportant, and every voter and taxpayer should read and study them carefully. We shall have more to say about the Corrupt Practices Act later.

IE THE TOWN purchases the waterworks, there will be saved to the commissioners every year the sum of $727, which they have been compelled to pay for water for fire purposes. This money will be used every year to improve the streets of the town. Will this benefit the town?

IT IS the history of every town that owns its waterworks that the rates to consumers is much less than it is in Chestertown. If the town own the water works, the rates to consumers will probably be made less, and if they have to pay little higher taxes, the difference will be more than equalized by the cheaper water rents.

SOME ONE who has not a spark of public spirit or welfare about him is telling the colored tax-payers that if the town buys the waterworks their taxes will be more than doubled. It is absolutely false. They may not have to pay *any more taxes*, and their house rent may be lessened by a reduction in the water rents.

WE ARE informed that the water company netted last year $3,000 from the water plant. If the town purchases the waterworks, this net income will provide for the payment of the interest on the bonds, and also for one bond of $1000, and leave $500 surplus. This will not necessitate any increase in the tax rate, and the waterworks will pay for themselves in a few years.

IF THE TOWN purchases the waterworks by vote of the people at the election on the 27th, the commissioners can start the sprinkler when they please and run it as long as they please because they will not be required to pay for the water. They can also run the fountain in the square and the drinking fountain for the same reason. Will this not be a great benefit to the beauty and good health of the town.

IF IT IS TRUE that there are more than twenty speakeasies doing a prosperous business in our town, as it has been reported, it is the duty of the Grand Jury at the coming session of court which begins on Monday, to use all possible efforts to bring the violators of the law to the bar of justice. We have been told and our observation has led us to believe that the law is being flagrantly violated in many instances in Chestertown, and we also believe that the officers of the law, and the Grand Jury are men who are anxious to see order preserved and the law enforced. It is an astonishing thing to us that a man who has any respect for himself should be so mean as to violate a law made to perserve his fellowman from a life of misery and shame, and if such a violator of the law is caught and convicted, there should be no case stilled against him, but he should be punished severely for breaking the law and damning his fellowmen. Three-fourths of the cases which come up for trial in our courts are the results of the effects of bad whiskey gotten from speakeasies and walking bars, and we do hope that the grand jury will find the violators and that the court will inflict the severest punishments.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The columns of the TRANSCRIPT are open to the proper discussion of all topics of public interest or importance. Whether the editors agree with the sentiment expressed or not, the people should and may be heard through the TRANSCRIPT's columns—the paper will be the People's Forum from which they may be heard on all subjects—purely personal matter excepted. The Editors are not responsible in any manner for articles that appear in this column.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The "Endless Chain of Prayer" has again made its appearance. It comes periodically, indeed, it is almost an annual. I have seen this prayer many times during the past five or six years. It is worded differently every time it comes, the mode of use changes with every new issue; sometimes the prayer is long, sometimes it is short. The person receiving it is asked to make so many copies of it and send one of each to so many persons. It professes to be a charm against dire calamity, and it is declared that the writer of the stated number of copies and the receiver will have great joy. The letter states that this prayer, with the conditions attached, was sent out by Bishop Lawrence. This good bishop has declared more than once, in the public press, over his own signature, that it is a fraud, and that he knows nothing about it. A year or two ago the late Bishop Seymour was made sponsor for it, and he declared that he had no knowledge of it. It has also been laid at the door of other bishops, and they have denied any knowledge of it. This letter and the prayer is the work of some crank. There is no virtue in its use in the way directed. God will, indeed, hear and answer prayer against calamity and all evil, if it be made in faith, reverence and the right spirit. He does not limit His answer to any set form, to be used under certain prescribed conditions, as for instance, by letter through the postoffice. I trust no one will be led to believe that this is the way to avert harm. Pray by all means, but not in this way.

H. B. MARTIN.

Hague, Hackett & Turner

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Carriages, Runabouts, Surreys.

We have just received

Two Carloads of Carriages

All Bought Last Fall,

at Lowest Prices--nicely finished work. We offer the

Cortland and Mifflingburg Lines.

$125.00 Cortland Buggies at	$112.50
120.00 Mifflingburg Buggies at	106.00
1 Hopps $110 Buggy at	85.00
2 $85.00 Buggies at	75.00
2 70.00 " at	62.00
2 65.00 " at	58.00
3 50.00 " at	40.00
1 Cortland Runabout at	65.00
1 Rubber Tire Runabout at	55.00
$50.00 Runabouts at	41.75
45.00 " at	38.50
1 $150 Mifflingburg Surry at	135.00
$25.00 Double Harness at	21.25
17.50 " " at	15.25
16.00 " " at	9.00
12.50 " " at	10.25
11.00 " " at	9.80

AnnouncemenT !

Hague, Hackett & Turner.

STILL POND, MD.

Having decided to discontinue business on June 1, 1908, we will offer for the next 60 days our entire stock of goods at greatly reduced prices, and many lines at Cost. This is a golden opportunity to the investor, and should make it worth while for people from all parts of Kent county to look our lines over before buying their spring supplies.

10 Per Cent. Discount

will be allowed next week on every article in the store, also many "Special Offers" as noted elsewhere in this advertisement.

TERMS will be cash. On sums of $10 and over, satisfactory note with interest added, due by or before Sept. 1, 1908, will be accepted or terms may be modified to suit customers.

Watch our weekly advertisements and pick up the good things while they are going. Buy early, while our assortment of Carriages, Runabouts, Harness, Farm Implements, etc., offer a large variety from which to select.

HAGUE, HACKETT & TURNER
STILL POND, MD.

Hague, Hackett & Turner.

Special Closing-out Offers

$1 Large Sack Salt at	90c
85c G. A. Salt at	65c
2 sacks for $1.25	
Bushel Sack Salt at	36c
Half Bushel Sack Salt at	20c
65c Red Warrior Axes at	55c
Corn Shellers at	$6.00
Wash Boilers at	90c
$18.00 Osborne Harrows, spring tooth	16.00
18.50 " " Combination	16.50
Land Rollers, steel, at	22.00
Sulky Cultivators at	21.00
On all small articles	10 per cent discount
" Hardware	" " "
" Plow Repairs	" " "
" Glassware	20 " "
" Hoes, Forks, Spades and Garden Tools	10 " "
" Cook Stoves	15 " "
" Heaters and other Stoves	25 " "
" Hot Air Stoves	20 " "
On Farm Ladders	20 " "
On Porch Ladders	20 " "
On Pumps and Fixtures	15 " "

A DISCOUNT

On Everything!

Abe Cohen's Store

THE WANAMAKER OF THE DISTRICT,

Has been robbed out of big margains and small sales. Come down and convince yourself of the large sales and small margains. What your eye sees your heart will believe. That I am really the Wanamaker in my line, I'd rather show you the goods than talk about them.

Bright New Matting

In Japanese, jointless, all styles and kinds. Prices range from

9 Cents on up.

CARPET BARGAINS

If you are interested in Carpets we save you money on same.

75c Carpet, all wool ..... now 49c
Linoleum, in 1 yard wide ..... now go at 25c

Beautiful Line Dry Goods

All the New Spring Patterns

8c Best Lancaster Gingham ..... now go at 6½c
Light Calicoes ..... now go at 5c
12½c Best Percales ..... now go at 9c
Unbleached Sheeting Muslin ..... now go at 20c
12½ Heavy Bed Ticking ..... now go at 9c

A large lot of WHITE GOODS to select from. Also, LADIES' WAISTS, SKIRTS and WHOLE SUITS.

Shoes. Shoes. Shoes.

We handle a large line of Men's, Ladies' and Youth's Shoes. Every pair guaranteed. If not will refund the money or another pair of shoes.

Seeds of All Kinds

Bolgiano's Best and all Fresh

2 Packages And Kind of Seed ..... now go at 5c
Best Extra Early Peas, quart ..... now got at 15c
Onion Sets, Sugar Corn, Lima Beans, Wax Beans and Seed Potatoes of all Kinds.

Farming Implements

Batchelor's 4-Prong Long Handle Forks, now go at 49c
$1.50 Collars, now go at 89c
Lerch's Best Hair Collar, will last for 10 years, now go at $2.50
Rope Traces, pair, now go at 15c
Plow Lines, pair, now go at 15c
Hames for Rope or Chain Traces, pair, now go at 29c

Poultry Wire Prices

1 ft. high, 150 ft. long, per roll	60c
2 ft. high, 150 ft. long, per roll	$1.20
3 ft. high, 150 ft. long, per roll	$1.80
4 ft. high, 150 ft. long, per roll	$2.40
5 ft. high, 150 ft. long, per roll	$3.00

—150 DOZEN—

Men's Top Shirts

We have bought at a bankrupt sale 150 dozen Men's Top Shirts, in all colors and styles. Some of them were selling from $1.00 to $1.50. We will offer them, your choice for 45c.

Wednesday Attractions

American Granulated Sugar	5c
3 Packages Bolgiano's Best Seed	5c
2 Packages Search-Light Matches	5c
2 Packages Gold Dust	5c
2 Bars Lenox Soap	5c
2 Bottles Sea Gull Yeast Powder	5c
3 Boxes Coffee Essence	5c
1 Pound Levering's Coffee	8½c
1 Quart Onion Sets	5c
Any Size Lamp Chimneys	4c
1 Pound Currants	6c
2 5c Packages Tea	5c
3 Dozen Clothes Pins	5c
1 Package Force	5c
2 Boxes Sardines	5c
Apron Ginghams	5c
12½ Percales	8c
Any Kind of 10c Plug Tobacco, or 2 bags Smoking Tobacco	8c
1 Quart Lima Beans (many people buy them to plant)	8c
1 Pound Any Size Nails	3c
2 Cans Potted Ham or 2 Cans of Tongue	5c

What we advertise we sell and what we sell advertises us.

We want 200 dozen Eggs every week and will pay the highest market price in cash. Same as quoted in daily papers.

Also, take Poultry, Butter and any kind of Country Produce.

Abe Cohen,

THE WANAMAKER OF THE DISTRICT,

Sandy Bottom, - Md

STEWART & Co.

NEW YORK CONNECTION JAS. McCREERY & CO. TWENTY THIRD ST.

Lexington, Howard and Clay Streets.

NEW YORK CONNECTION, JAMES McCREERY & CO.
(Second Floor—Stewart & Co.)

You Can Be Proud of a Stewart & Co. Easter Hat

The hat is such an important part of the Easter costume that it behooves every woman who wants to look her best to be very careful where she gets her hat.

She will be surely safe if she comes here for it; and she will get more value for the amount she spends, in addition to the highest degree of style and becomingness.

Exceedingly Beautiful Trimmed Hats for

$5.00 $7.50 $10.00

Merry Widow Sailor Hats, $3.95 and $3.98

Rough Braid Hats, with large rosettes of braid and quills, or with Alsatian bows of taffeta silk, bound with braid. All colors.

Children's Imported French Bonnets, $1.00

White Braid Bonnets, made on frames and trimmed with light blue, pink or white ribbon bows or ties.

Straw Braid Sailor Hats, $1.59 to $4.50

Split Milan, Jumbo and Panama Braid Sailor Hats, with bands.

Untrimmed Straw Hats, 89c, $1.10 and $1.25

Burnt, Black and Colored Straws, in all shapes.
Other Untrimmed Hats, in a large variety of shapes and colors, of fine Milan, hair, chip and hemp braids, moderately priced.

Puggaree Scarfs, 98c

All colors; suitable for children's hats.

Solid and Two-Tone Quills, 25c
Roses With Foliage, 89c Bunch

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Office at residence on Front street. Thirty years experience. Will practice in Chestertown and vicinity.
Office hours—7 to 9 A. M. 12 to 2 P. M.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF A—
SMALL FARM
NEAR ROCK HALL.

THE UNDERSIGNED, as attorney for the owner, will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1908,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon,

ALL THAT TRACT

OR PART OF A TRACT OF LAND

situated in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, Maryland, aforesaid, on the south side of the public road leading from Rees's Corner to Tolchester, adjoining the lands of George W. Walbert, James Bramble and others, containing

36¾ Acres

OF LAND MORE OR LESS.

It is known as the "Ayres Farm" or "Stevens Farm."

IT IS IMPROVED BY A TWO-STORY

FRAME DWELLING,

stable, corncrib, barn and other usual outbuildings all in fair condition.

The soil is kind, easily improved and adapted to the growth of fruit, grass and grain. It is desirably located, being about 2 miles from Tolchester Beach and the same distance from Rock Hall, with daily boats to and from Baltimore. Convenient to Churches, schools, and Post Office. This is a fine opportunity for anyone desiring a home or safe investment in this part of Kent county.

TERMS OF SALE—One third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue payable in one and two years from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured with a surety or sureties approved of by the undersigned. All title papers at cost of purchaser. A clear title will be given to the purchaser on the day of sale.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
mar 23-ts. Attorney for Owner.

Auditor's Notice.

Augusta M. Bowers, et al.,
vs.
John N. Dodd, et al.
No. 1552.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, in Equity.

THE creditors of Thomas S. Dodd and Harry L. Dodd are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated with the Auditor of the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity, on or before the 30th day of April, 1908, otherwise they will by law be excluded from participating in the fund to be audited in this case.

By order of court.
LEWIN W. WICKES,
mar28-4t. Auditor.

Auditor's Notice.

R. Groome Parks, Assignee,
vs.
John F. Usilton.
No. 1599.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, in Equity.

THE Creditors of John F. Usilton are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, on or before the 8th day of June 1908, otherwise they will by law be excluded from participating in the fund to be audited in this case.

By order of Court,
LEWIN W. WICKES,
a4-4t. Auditor

Picknell

RACE RECORD, 2:15¼.

Authentic Trial, 2:09.

FOALED 1901.

Registered No. 35,381; Rule No. 1, Trotting Standard.

The attention of prospectiive breeders is respectfully invited to what I believe is the most attractive proposition ever offered in this section. I INVITE THE FULLEST INVESTIGATION of this horse's claims to SUPERIORITY, and can furnish incontrovertible evidence from which the prospective breeder may draw his own conclusions.

PICKNELL'S SIZE, 15.2 hands, and COLOR, mahogany bay, are IDEAL and his BREEDING is THE HIGHEST OF FASHION. HIS CONFORMATION is the "EASY KEEPER" KIND. HE IS ABSOLUTELY LEVEL-HEADED, and HE IS SOUND and WITHOUT A BLEMISH. HE WEARS NO HOBBLES NOR OTHER FALSE RIGGING; and when raced, wore only such boots as are commonly used for protection.

PICKNELL was started GREEN, in the early fall of 1906, in SIX races, winning TWO of them, and being well up in the money the other four. He made his first, regular stud season, last year at Newark, Del.; and Mr. H. R. Tyson, in whose care he was, says that he would have had him in condition for the racing season, and a record well within the 2.10 list, but for the season I permitted him to make.

The oldest of Picknell's get is a two-year-old, bay filly, 15.1, no white, a blue ribbon winner, showing 2:30 speed as a yearling.

PICKNELL'S SIRE is ALLERTON, 2:09¾; CHAMPION TROTTING STALLION to HIGH WHEELS; THE LEADING SIRE FOR 1907, and THE GREATEST SIRE OF HIS AGE LIVING OR DEAD. Allerton 2:09¾, is sire of 178 in the list, of which 136 are TROTTERS, WITH RECORDS from 2:07½ to 2:30, and 42 pacers from 2:02 to 2:25. Allerton's sire was JAY BIRD, 2:01, sire of 166 TROTTERS from 2:06¾ to 2:30, and 12 PACERS from 2:09¾ to 2:25; and Jay Bird was by GEORGE WILKES, 2:22, etc.

PICKNELL'S DAM is BON BON, dam of Picknell, 2:15¼; Bon Jay, 2:19¼; Miss Minnie, 2:23; Gay Baron, 2:26¼, tr. 2:15; Jay Boul, tr. 2:09¾; Baron Stamboul, mat., 2:16, and Laurine, dam of four in the list, including THE KENTUCKY FUTURITY WINNER, OXFORD BOY, 2:20 at two years old. BON BON'S FULL SISTERS, Brava, 2:14¼, and Bon Mot, 2:25¼, each have THREE TROTTERS in THE LIST better than 2:30.

BON BON'S SIRE is BARON WILKES, 2:18, TROTTING, sire of 107 trotters from 2:08½ to :30, and 30 pacers from 2:03¾ to 2:25; and is the world-famed "FUTURITY SIRE."

BON BON'S dam MARY A. WHITNEY, 2:28, trotting, and dam of FIVE TROTTERS, from 2:14¼ to 2:30. She was by Volunteer, full brother to Dexter, 2:17¼, and the sire of 33 trotters and 1 pacer in the list, including the one-time WORLD'S CHAMPION TROTTER, ST. JULIEN, 2:11¼.

MARY A. WHITNEY'S DAM was PEGGY SLENDER, dam of the TROTTERS, Mary A. Whitney, 2.28, and Wm. H. Allen, 2.23¾.

PICKNELL will stand in my Calvert Street Stables, Chestertown, Md.

TERMS—$15.00 the season. Insurance, by special agreement, $25.00. Please make your bookings EARLY. All mares subject to my approval. I offer this very low price for reasons of my own. It is your opportunity.

D. B. McMENAMIN, OWNER.

Summer Necessaries
J. W. PUTTS CO.

Lexington and Park Ave., Baltimore, Md.
Prices to Suit Everybody.

Fine China Glassware Silverware
Dinner Sets Rich Cut Glass
Table Cutlery Lamps and Clocks
Jewelry Lawn Swings Croquet Sets
Hammocks Tennis Sets
Household Goods and Kitchen Utensils
Purchases of $5.00 or More Delivered by Freight Free Within 100 Miles.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent. $500, $500, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000, $10,000, $15,000 and $20,000, the two latter run at 5 per cent. Some of these sums can be placed for five years. On first-class mortgages where the loan does not exceed three-fifths the value of the farm, a large part of this money can be borrowed at 5 per cent.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Mar23-6t Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Kent county will receive sealed proposals for rebuilding ST. PAUL'S BRIDGE, in Fifth District. All bids must be in by

TUESDAY, April 28, 1908,

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Kent County Commissioners.

By order of Commissioners.
CHARLES L. DODD, Clerk,
a4-4t. Chestertown, Md

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