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WHOM the gods want to destroy they first make mad. They are mad all right, and their political destruction is not far distant.

THE great trouble with the Organization people in making appointments is that they hand the plums to those who need them least. This is notably so in several recent appointments affecting the county finances.

MR. SUTTON TARBUTTON, who was appointed deputy treasurer by his father, has resigned, and Mr. Tarbutton has appointed Mr. Conlyn Noland, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Noland, of Tolchester, as his deputy. Mr. Noland is a graduate of Washington College, is a young man of sound business judgment, and the appointment is an excellent one.

MR. PHILIP G. WILMER seems to be a very popular man with the Organization forces. He has been given many appointments by that faction. He is a member of the auditing committee, was president of the almshouse board, and has been appointed this week one of the general assessors for the county at a salary of $5 per day for 90 days. Mr. Wilmer is a worthy and fortunate man.

THE field of journalism has received several new recruits during the past two weeks, and three assistant editors have made their bow to the public. One of them is our neighbor, Senator Slay, who, the more he writes, the more he "puts his foot in it." Then there is the distinguished and extremely well-known (?) bard of Still Pond, who has Baron Monchausen beat to a frazzle; and last but not least, there is "Alpha." Who is "Alpha?" It is said he lives in Chestertown. Well, now, is that not an array of great talent—Senator Slay, J. Horton Kelley and Alpha? That's a combination of some class, don't you know!

EVERY tax-payer in the town should study the conditions under which the bond issue of $10,000 of their money is to be spent before going to the polls next Monday and voting. If you are satisfied that the expenditure of this money will be for the permanent improvement of the water system, and will insure the kind of fire protection which the outlay of so much money should warrant, vote for it. If you feel that the expenditure of this money, according to the provisions of a committe's report, is a waste of money, and means an increase in your tax rate of from 6½ to 10 cents, then you should vote against the expenditure of any more of the people's money, until you are satisfied that the people are to get what they need by its expenditure.

CHESTERTOWN has been honored during the week by the presence of one of the strongest and most beneficial fraternal orders in the country—the Junior Order United American Mechanics. This order is composed of men from all the honorable walks of life, men whose interest in the welfare of their government and its institutions is second only to that of their homes, and whose influence is exerted for the moral, social and educational uplift of their fellowmen. Our homes have been thrown open to the three hundred and fifty delegates who have honored us with their presence and such as we have of good cheer, hospitality and social intercourse has been unstintingly given. We were glad to have the delegates of the order and its officers with us, and hope they will come to our town again.

IT IS a source of much pleasure to the people of this town and county, as well as to the people of the entire Second Judicial Circuit, that Judge Pearce has declined the offer of a position on the Public Utilities Commission, having been appointed by Governor Crothers. The Judge's many friends are naturally very much gratified at the high honor paid him, and are satisfied that he would have filled the office with dignity and honor. Yet Judge Pearce is too valuable a man to lose from the bench of the Second Judicial Circuit. The members of the bar in every county of the circuit were unanimous in their endorsement of the plan to extend the Judge's term because they realized the value of his services as a jurist, and it was largely through the influence of the members of the bar in this circuit and throughout the State that an extension of the term was granted by the Legislature. Under the circumstances it is but natural that the Judge declined to serve on the Public Utilities Commission, and his determination to remain on the bench has caused universal satisfaction throughont the circuit. It may be said in passing that the Judge's refusal to serve on the commission blocks a shrewd political move that may have been made to deprive Kent of one of the Judges in the Second Circuit.

Dr. Albert A. Parker, graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, will locate in Millington for the practice of his profession. He is nicely located in the pretty town.

Vote on Bond Issue for BETTERTON.

Under and by virtue of a law passed by the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the town of Betterton, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1910,

between the hours of 9 A. M. and 6 P. M., the question contained in a bill entitled

AN ACT to authorize the Commissioners of Betterton, to borrow money and to issue bonds for the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000.00) for the purpose of providing for and improving sidewalks and streets in the town of Betterton in Kent County, and to appoint a special commission to act and co-operate with the Commissioners of Betterton for the purposes mentioned; provided, that before said loan has been contracted and such bonds issued the majority of the voters of the tax-payers of said town of Betterton shall assent thereto.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Commissioners of Betterton be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Betterton to an amount not exceeding two thousand dollars ($2,000.00) in sums not less than fifty dollars ($50.00) to be signed by the Commissioners of Betterton under the corporate seal of the said Commissioners to be designated as Betterton Street Bonds, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January of each year, which bonds shall be exempt from all county and municipal taxation, and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Betterton in payment of town taxes, said bonds shall be payable in sums of two hundred dollars ($200.00) in each of the years beginning with the tenth of July, 1911, and each year thereafter until fully paid, said bonds to be numbered consecutively, and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted that the Commissioners of Betterton are hereby authorized and empowered to do all things necessary for the issuing of such bonds, there offering for sale under the most advantageous conditions, the providing by levy and taxation for a sinking fund for the purposes of meeting the interest on said bonds and their payment upon maturity, and all other things that may be necessary and proper in the procuring of the loan, and the issuance and payment of said bonds,

Section 3. And be it enacted, That George W. Mann, William A. Crew, Horace F. Brice, Author P. Emerson, William B. Price and James T. Crew are hereby nominated and appointed a special commission to act and co-operate with the commissioners of Betterton in the use and expenditure of the fund received from said bond issue for the purpose of providing for and improving the sidewalks and streets of Betterton and the said special commission and the Commissioners of Betterton are directed to have the street where improvements are contemplated laid down and established by a competent surveyor or engineer and to provide for grades for concrete or cement walks under the advice of such surveyor or engineer, and the Commissioners of Betterton are hereby authorized to fill any vacancy in said special Commission.

Section 4. And be it enacted, That at a special election to be called by the Commissioners of Betterton at such time as they think proper, but not later than the next regular election for Commissioners of Betterton, which said election shall in all particulars not herein provided for, be held under the supervision and direction of the Commissioners of Betterton, there shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying voters of Betterton, the question whether the said money shall be borrowed and said bonds issued and at such special election the ballots cast upon that question shall have the words, "For Street Tax, or against Street Tax," thereon, and if a majority of the voters cast upon the question shall be For Street Tax, then the Commissioners of Betterton or a majority of them shall proceed to execute the power vested in them by this Act, but if the majority of votes shall be against Street Tax, then they shall not execute such power and this Act shall be of no effect.

Section 5. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

BY ORDER OF
BOARD OF BETTERTON COMMISSIONERS,
GEORGE E. OWENS, Clerk. a23-2t.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF—
A Valuable Farm
Near Galena.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in Chancery cause No. 1709, entitled William S. Stradley, et al, vs. Edward Stradley, et al, appointing the undersigned trustee to sell the real estate mentioned in said proceedings, I will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Md.,

On Tuesday, May 17, 1910,

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

ALL THAT FARM

or Tract of Land, situated, lying and being on both sides of the public road between Sassafras and Galena, and only 1 mile from Sassafras. It contains

105 ACRES of LAND, more or less

adjoins the lands of Mrs. James F. M. Woodall, James E. Woodall, Mrs. J. Cummings Brice and Mrs. Bessie Chamberlaine. It is the same land which by the last will and testament of Benjamin M. Stradley was devised to his wife for life and to his children living at her death. The soil is a medium loam, kind and easily improved, and will grow excellent crops of grain and fruits.

The buildings consist of a Frame Dwelling, Stable and Carriage House, Barn and other outbuildings in good repair. This is a small farm in a most desirable neighborhood. It is suitable for a home or will make a profitable investment. This farm lies near Village, Churches, Schools, Railroad, and is on R. F. D. route.

TERMS OF SALE as prescribed by the decree are: One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal instalments in one and two years, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the date of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser. Wheat crop for this year reserved. Purchaser will pay taxes for 1910.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
Chas. H. Hurlock, Auct. a23-ts.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONALTY!

THE UNDERSIGNED having sold his farm and intending to discontinue farming will sell without reserve on the farm where he now resides at Goose Hill, near Chestertown, Md., on

THURSDAY, MAY 5th, 1910,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., the following Valuable Personalty to wit:

3 HORSES and 2 COLTS. One of these colts is 2 years and the other 3 years old. By Maryland Russell.

1 FULLBLOOD JERSEY COW, entitled to register. From the James H. Baker herd.

9 SHOATS, 30 to 60 pounds.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 Farm Wagon, 1 Bickford & Huffman Drill, 3 Cultivators, 1 Perkins Air-Cooled 1½ H. P. Gasoline Engine, 1 Saw and Frame with Belt, 1 Waterloo Double Drum Stump Puller, with 250 of Wire Cable, 1 large Iron Snatch Block; 1 large Carriage, Shafts and Pole; 1 set Double Carriage Harness, 2 Dearborns, 1 York Carriage, 6 Horse Collars and lot of Pads, lot of Plow Harness, 1 Champion Mower, 1 Randle Harrow, 1 Blacksmith Forge, Anvil and Tools; 1 Bolt Thread Cutter, 1 Pump and 2 Screw Jacks, 10 Monkey Wrenches, 10 to 18 inches; 1 Harness Makers Bench, 2 Men's Riding Saddles, 1 of them new; 1 Lady's Riding Saddle, 2 Grubbing Hoes, 1 Crow Bar, 1 Post Hole Spade, 1 Wire Fence Stretcher, set of Block and Falls, with 150 feet of rope; 2 Sledge Hammers, one 18 and one 8 lbs.; 1 large Jack Plane, Long Handle Shovels and Forks, about 100 lbs. Bolts, from ⅜ to ⅝ in., assorted lengths; 1 Double A. Harrow, 7 Head Halters, 2 Grain Shovels, Single Double, Three and Four Horse Trees, 3 Log Chains, 1 Small Churn, Lot of Drain Tile, 1 Cutter Sleigh and Bells, 2 Wagon Body Removers, 1 set Wagon Springs and Riggin for Tomato Wagon, 1 Farm Bell, Pair Bolt Cutters, 1 lot of White and Brown Mantle Tiling, lot of Rubber Hose, Maul and Wedges, Cross Cut Saw, Cat Rifle, Shot Gun, Child's Velocipede, Patent Rocking Horse, 1 lot of Lightning Rod Fixtures, Lot of Machine Oil and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of twelve months on bankable note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

a23-ts. JOHN H. GOODING, Owner.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF—
A Valuable Lot of Land
near Edesville, Kent Co., Md.

UNDER and virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court passed in Chancery Cause, No. 1728, entitled Mary E. Maslin, et al, vs. Samuel J. Wickes, appointing the undersigned trustee, I will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, on

Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1910,

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

All That Lot of Land

near Wesley Chapel, in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, Maryland, on the public road leading from Edesville to Rock Hall, which the late Sam'l A. J. Wickes devised to his wife and daughters, which contains about

2 Acres of Land,

more or less, and which said property is called "The Wickes Place" or "The Revitt Property."

TERMS OF SALE as prescribed by the decree are one-half of the purchase money cash and the residue in two equal instalments, payable in six and twelve months from the day of sale, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All title papers at cost of purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
CHARLES H. HURLOCK, Auct. a23-ts.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
A SMALL FARM
Near Rock Hall, Kent County, Md.

I WILL OFFER at the request of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Stevens, at Public Sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26th, 1910,

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

All That Small Farm

lying on the east side of the public road leading from Edesville to Rock Hall, about 2 miles from Rock Hall. It adjoins the property of William Wagner on the north and the lands of Walter H. Hadaway on the south. It contains

26 ACRES, More or Less.

This farm is beautifully situated and is in one of the most desirable localities of Kent county. The soil is kind and easily improved. It responds readily to any proper culture, and will grow wheat, corn, grass and fruit. There is ample wood on the farm for the use of the place. It is improved by a nice new FRAME DWELLING of six rooms with halls up and down stairs; Stable, Carriage House, Corn Crib, Meat and Hen Houses, &c. All the buildings are new and in excellent condition.

This place offers a splendid opportunity for any one desiring a Small Farm for a home and is a very valuable property. Mr. Stevens will take pleasure in showing it to any intending purchaser.

Arrangements will be made to deliver possession within 30 days from the day of the sale.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All title papers at cost of purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Attorney for Owners.
CHAS. H. HURLOCK, Auct. a19-ts.

DR. HORACE W. NICHOLSON

114 W. Franklin St. Baltimore, Md.
—SPECIALIST ON—
Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Diseases.

Will make regular visits to Chestertown on third Saturday and Sunday of each month. Next visit Saturday and Sunday, April 16th and 17th at office of Dr. H. G. Simpers.

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ROAD COMMISSION NOTICE.

The public is hereby notified that the commission appointed by the County Commissioners to examine the road located at Skinner's gate, in the lower part of Broad Neck, will meet MAY 17, 1910, at 11 o'clock A. M., to examine said road. All person interested are requested to meet said commission on the premises on the above date.

E. W. HEPBRON,
HARVEY BRICE,
CHARLES VICKERS,
Road Commission.
a16-5t.

A Beautiful Colonial Residence
On the South Side of Water Street, on Chester River, in Chestertown, Md., at Private Sale.

This Brick Mansion is situited on the south side of Water street, abjoining the residence of Mrs. Richard Hynson with a beautiful side yard next to the property of Benjamin F. Fleming; this can be retained with the dwelling or sold to advantage as a fine building lot

This property is one of the most eligible and desirable residences in Chestertown. It is of handsome Colonial design, with fine hand carved interior wood work. The moulding and pannellings are striking and beautiful. The porches, which are large and commodious have a beautiful view of Chester river.

This was the residence Mistress Jean Gordon the Heroine of the Revolutionary story. "A Tory Maid," written by Herbert B. Stimpson. The place has always attracted attention and has been greatly admired by strangers.

Price $6,000. Payments may be made to suit purchaser, if properly secured.

HOPE H BARROLL,
Attorney for H. Clay Brown, Owner.
apr16-tf.

Trustee's Sale
—OF A—
Valuable FARM
In Kent County, Maryland.

UNDER and by virtue of the power vested in the undersigned by a decree of the Circuit Court for Queen Annes county, Md., in Chancery case No. 1877, entitled, The Second National Bank of Chestertown, Maryland, vs. Katie Hurlock, et al., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland,

ON TUESDAY, MAY 3d, 1910,

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

All That Farm
OR TRACT OF LAND,

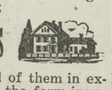
situate, lying and being in the Second Election District of Kent county, on the west side of the public road leading from Kennedyville to the public road which runs from Chestertown to Chesterville, and containing

203 Acres,

2 ROODS AND 3 PERCHES of land, more or less.

The said farm, which is now in the tenancy of William T. Baxter, is one of the most fertile and productive estates in Kent county. The land is in the highest state of cultivation;

The Buildings



are nearly new, and all of them in excellent condition, while the farm is under good fencing. It yields large crops of wheat, corn, grass and is especially adapted to the growth of fruit, early vegetables, etc. The soil is a medium loam with red clay subsoil, easily improved and retains all that is put on it.

It is convenient to railroads, churches, schools, villages, and is only a short haul to the landing on Chester river. The farm is beautifully drained, and offers a most attractive opening to any one seeking either a home or investment. Mr. Baxter will take pleasure in showing the place to any intending purchaser. This is a rare chance to secure one of the finest farms in the best agricultural sections of Kent county.

ALSO ALL THAT

Tract of Wood Land

situated on the south side of the public road leading from Millington to Chestertown and bounded on the southwest by the road known as "The Shadding Reach Road." It contains

9 ACRES,

3 Roods and 27 Perches of Land,

MORE OR LESS. It is the same farm and tract of woodland described in a deed from William Walter Hurlock and wife to the said Samuel R. Hurlock, bearing date 31st day of August, 1892, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in Liber S. B. No. 15, folios 589, etc., as on reference to same will more fully and at large appear.

Terms of Sale

As prescribed by the decree are one-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments 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 to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All title papers at the cost of purchaser. The wheat crop for the year 1910 is reserved and will not be sold with the farm.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Trustees.
CHARLES H. HURLOCK, Auct. a2-ts

ELECTION OF
TOWN COMMISSIONER
And Vote Upon the Bonding of the Town for Improvement to Water Works.

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

Monday, April 25th, 1910,

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

And under and by virtue of a law passed by the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, at the said election there will be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question contained in a Bill, entitled—

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, to borrow money on the credit of said town for the purpose of supplementing, enlarging, increasing and adding to the water works and system now belonging to and operated by the said town, and to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy on the assessable property of the said town to redeem said bonds and to pay the interest on the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That for the purpose of surplementing, enlarging, increasing and adding to the water works and system now belonging to and operated by the town of Chestertown, the Commissioners of Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered and directed to borrow money on the credit of the town of Chestertown, to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars ($10,000), and to issue coupon bonds on said town in payment of said sum, and the interest to accrue; provided, however, that the question of the issue of the said bonds shall be submitted to the voters of said town qualified to vote for the Commissioners of Chestertown, at the election to be held in said town as hereinafter provided. The said bonds shall be issued in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) each; shall have coupons attached for the interest thereon, payable semi-annually at the rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum; the bonds shall be signed by the Commissioners of Chestertown with the corporate seal of the said Commissioners affixed and shall be registered by the Clerk of said Commissioners in a book kept for that purpose. The coupons attached to said bonds shall be signed by the Clerk of said Commissioners. Said bonds shall be issued at such time as the Commissioners aforesaid shall determine, subject to the provisions of this Act; provided that the date of issue shall not be more than sixty days after the date of the election held, as hereinafter provided. The bonds shall be designated as Chestertown Water Bonds, "Second Series," and numbered consecutively, and shall be payable in sums of five hundred dollars in each of the years, beginning with the tenth day of July, 1915, and one bond shall be so paid each year thereafter until fully paid; but said bonds shall be redeemable, however, at the option of said Commissioners after ten years from the date of this issue. They shall be exempt from municipal and county taxation, and shall have printed on them a reference to the Act of Assembly authorizing their issue. The said Commissioners are directed to advertise at least once a week for three successive weeks in three newspapers published in Kent county for sealed proposals for the negotiation of said bonds, on a certain day to be named in said advertisement; they shall, in the presence of such persons as may be interested in said bids, open all bids received, and award the bonds to the highest bidders; provided, no bid less than par shall be accepted.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That at the next regular election for a Commissioner of Chestertown there shall be submitted to the voters qualified to vote at said election for Commissioners of Chestertown, the question whether the said bonds shall be issued, and at such election the ballots cast upon the question shall have printed or written thereon the words, "For the Bond Issue" or "Against the Bond Issue"; and if the majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "For the Bond Issue," then the Commissioners of Chestertown, or a majority of them, shall proceed to execute the power vested in them by this Act and shall issue the bonds as herein provided; but if the majority of votes cast shall be "Against the Bond Issue," then this Act shall be null and void.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That if the result of said election shall be in favor of said bond issue, then all the proceeds from the sale of said bonds shall be turned over to the Water Board of said town holding office under the provisions of Chapter 289, of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the January Session, 1908. The said Water Board shall receive said money and deposit same in some bank in Chestertown to be designated by said Water Board, and shall disburse the same on the order of said Water Board by check, to be signed by the president and treasurer thereof, in supplementing enlarging, increasing and adding to the water works system, in strict accordance with the recommendations of a committee of citizens of Chestertown made to said Water Board and by said board approved and adopted on the 16th day February, 1910, and now filed in the office of the Commissioners of Chestertown.

SEC. 4. *And be itenacted*, That after repairs, maintenance and running expenses are paid out of the water rents from said waterworks, all surplus from said waterworks accruing from year to year shall constitute a sinking fund, which said Water Board is hereby directed to create and maintain for the payment of interest and for redemption of said water bonds when redeemable and any excess thereof shall be expended under the direction of said Water Board for any extraordinary expenses in maintaining and improving said waterworks, and said Water Board shall on or before the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in each and every year pay to the Commissioners of Chestertown out of said sinking fund a sum sufficient to pay the semi-annual interest on said bonds; and on the 30th day of June of each year an additional sum for the redemption of the one-twentieth part of the principal of said bonded debt, as the same shall mature, so that the semi-annual interest and the whole of said bonds may be provided for and paid in the time hereinbefore limited and the sum of money so received by the Commissioners of Chestertown shall be applied to the payment of the interest on said bonds when redeemable. And, should said water rents or revenues be insufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and the one-twentieth part of the bonded debt as it matures, the said Commissioners of Chestertown are hereby authorized and directed to levy and collect annually a tax upon the taxable property in Chestertown for a sum as will, with the net water rents and revenues from from the waterworks provide for the payment of the interest on said bonds as same matures and one-twentieth part of the principal of said bonded debt.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

BY ORDER OF BOARD OF CHESTERTOWN COMMISSIONERS.
THOMAS S. BORDLEY, Clerk. a.9-3t.

FOR SALE
A Fine Building Lot in Chestertown Overlooking Chester River.

I will offer at private sale a beautiful building lot having a front of 89 feet on the north side of Water or Front street adjoining the residence of Charles J. Reiche (now occupied by Mr. Clay) and overlooking Chester river. The lot fronts 89 feet and has a depth of about 134 feet, 8 inches. I will take $1,800 for this lot and a large part of the purchase money can remain on first mortgage to suit the purchaser.

Also a certain 39 foot LOT on the west side of Cannon street in the rear of the kitchen of the residence occupied by Mr. J. Arthur Bradley and adjoining the Bowling Alley.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
m19-6t. Attorney for Mrs. M. C. Ringgold.

Statement of the Condition of the Connecticut Fire Inurance Company, of Hartford, January 1st, 1910.

Cash Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve for Reinsurance	3,834,754.74
Reserve for all Outstanding Claims	331,100.70
Net Surplus	1,790,360.05
Total Assets	$6,956,215.49

J. D. BROWNE, President.
W. T. HOWE, Secretary. JOHN A. COSMUS, Asst. Secretary.
EDGAR, P. BECK, Resident Agent, Chestertown, Md.
a16-4t.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

It being impossible for all of my customers to get here on my special Wednesday Bargain Sales day we will have every day in the week a sale day for the accommodation of the public. So come and get any bargain mentioned below *any day in the week.*

P. S.—Are agents for a factory to sell **Runabouts, Carriages and Dearborns,** and sell them at factory prices, and you can save 25 per cent. by buying from us.

$1.25 Black Taffeta Silk, per yard, now go at 85c
25c Embroidery 12½c, and 12 and 15c Embroidery go at 7½c.

NEW LINE OF CLOTHING.

A large lot of Men's Pants, from 75c up $3.50.
Men's Straw Hats, 15c kind, double straw, only 9c.
One lot of Men's and Boys' Top Shirts, a good 50 cent value—we sell them for only 25c.

MATTING

We bought 100 Rolls of Matting at a great Reduced Price, and you can find your choice in quality or price.

Best and prettiest styles Japanese Matting, just think—16½c per yard or $6.50 per roll.
A good 12½c Matting go now at 9½c per yard.
30c Floor Oilcloth in 1 and 1½ yard wide per square 19c.

We don't wait to reduce the price on articles that you will need next six months.
1 Roll of Poultry Netting, 150 feet long, only 52c a Roll.

We have a Big Stock of Paint, Oil, Varnish.

1 gallon Paint and 1 gallon of Linseed Oil all for $2.25
1 gallon Semi or Stag Brand Paint, H. H. & Co.'s, per gal 1.50
$15 Bed Room Suit in three pieces 10.50
1 Double Iron Bedstead, Mattress and Springs go at 5.25
1 $18 Farmer Girl Cook Stove goes at 12.50

OUR LINE OF SHOES

is the biggest we have ever had.

6c Calico, fast colors, in large or small remnants, per yard. 4½c
15c and 20c White Goods, per yard, only 9c
12½c Colored Lawn, per yard, only 7½c
15c Percales, fancy prints, per yard 12c
12c Percales, per yard, go at 8½c

Here is an Eye-Opener for You.

No Limited Day and no Limited Quantity.

4 qts. Onion Sets 25c or 1 qt. for 6½c
4 cans Babbits Lye 25c or 1 can for 6½c
3 12c pkgs. Snuff 25c or 1 pkg. for 8½c
3 50c Lard Tubs 25c or 1 Tub for 8½c
15 pkgs. Bolgiano's Garden Seed 25c or 1 for 2c
2 yards of 15c Table Oil Cloth 25c or 1 yard for 12½c
2 lbs. of 15c Coffee 25c or 1 lb. for 12c
12 lbs. Bolgiano's Chick Starter 25c or 4 10c boxes Mica Axle Grease 25c or 1 box for 6½c
1 50c package of the Best Horse Powders 25c
Best Stag Brand Paint or Semi, 1 gal. for $1.50
Kalsomine or Frescoat of all Colors in Stock.

1 35c Broom 25c
50 Dress Shirts in fast colors, slightly damaged 25c
3 Men's Double Straw Hats 25c or 1 for 9c
6 pairs of Men's Stockings 25c or 1 for 4½c
3 10-qt. Water Buckets 25c or 1 for 8½c
1 50c pair Sandels 25c
3 quarts of Best Beans 25c
7 boxes of Yeast Powder 25c or 1 for 3½c
3 cans of Chipped Beef 25c or 1 for 8½c
2 packages Grape Nuts 25c
3 boxes of Oat Meal 25c or 1 for 8½c
6 boxes Corn Flakes 25c or 1 for 4½c
6 pkgs. of Honest Snuff 25c or 1 for 4½c
3 cans Salmon 25c or 1 for 8½c
6 Pet Milk 25c or 1 for 4½c
6 School Boxes 25c or 1 for 6½c

Will take all kinds of Country Produce and will pay the highest market price. Will also pay 1c above the Baltimore daily market price no matter what day. We are compelled to do this for we have a contract to deliver so many dozen eggs every week.

Yours for business,

ABE COHEN,

Sandy Bottom Dep't Store. The Leading Merchant of Low Prices.

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE TO THE TRADE

That we are adding to our line a line of

Carriages, Surreys
—AND—
RUNABOUTS.

We are building a Carriage Emporium on the lot where the photograph gallery has been for a number of years, and have contracted for one of the best lines of Carriages on the market. The invoice for the first carload has been received, and they should reach us in a few days.

If you are going to buy a Buggy or Carriage, be sure to see our line and get our prices before buying, as we think that we will be a position to save you some money.

Yours for Business,

GRAHAM & CLEMENTS,
—SUCCESSORS TO—
H. R. GRAHAM & BRO.,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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