

The Transcript.

R.H. COLLINS, T.D. BOWERS EDITORS.

THE ANTI-ORGANIZATION TICKET.

FOR LEGISLATURE: JAMES G. HARRIS, Worton, Md. CHARLES W. KIBLER, Chestertown, Md.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: S. G. CALDWELL, Galena, Md.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS: T. BENJAMIN CREW, Worton, Md. JOHN C. WOOD, Rock Hall, Md.

FOR SHERIFF: ADAM STARTT, Pomona, Md.

STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE: GEORGE E. NOLAND, Tolchester, Md. WILLIAM H. MCKEE, Chestertown, Md. JOHN J. CROUCH, Piney Neck.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION: STONEWALL J. JOHNSON, Massey, Md. PHILIP MYERS, Kennedyville, Md. CHARLES M. VICKERS, of Seventh District.

WILL NOT RUN.

Massey, Md., June 5, '13. CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

AFTER CAREFUL CONSIDERATION, I HAVE DECIDED TO WITHDRAW AS A CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE IN THE COMING PRIMARIES.

PAUL DUNN.

LOOK OUT, fellows, the PUSSYFOOT politicians are after you.

CALL in your letters, and try it again. Mr. Paul Dunn refuses to run on the Organization ticket for the State Central Committee.

GO AFTER the pernicious lobby at Washington, Mr. President. The people are with you, and will uphold you in all that you do for the welfare of your country.

ARE there any PUSSYFOOT POLITICIANS in Kent county? A Pussycat politician is one that plays fast and loose—is one thing to this man and another thing to another man. Are there any Pussycats in Kent county?

SWAT the Organization candidates for the Legislature and for County Commissioners in the approaching primaries. They are the danger marks to the people. Only the nomination of Kibler and Harris, and Wood and Crew can protect the public treasury from Organization extravagance.

GO WHERE you will, the expressions of confidence in the Anti-Organization victory in the approaching primaries are very gratifying. The most favorable reports are coming from every district in the county. Such confidence convinces us that the people know now where their financial interests are safest, and they will never again allow those who wasted their money and who are forcing such incompetent road management upon the tax-payers, to get back into power.

ONE of the Anti-Organization candidates asked a gentleman, who has not resided in the county long, to vote for him the other day. The candidate told him what side he is on. "Well," said the gentleman, "you know I have not learned to distinguish between the Anti-Organization and the Organization." "Well," said the candidate, "I'll tell you. The Organization are the POOR PEOPLE." The gentleman said at once, "I'm with you."

IT REQUIRED the services of a young physician who graduated at the Maryland University last Saturday evening to tell the editors of the Beck organ what LIARPHOBIA means. He diagnosed their case correctly, and you may imagine their joy when the young physician told them the disease is not necessarily fatal. Several drachms of common sense, used in place of the essence of sarcasm, will effect a cure, we believe. It is worth trying, at least.

CONGRESSMAN George Konig died at his home in East Baltimore Saturday evening at six o'clock, after an illness of two weeks of pneumonia. He was one of the most popular men in Baltimore city, and was affectionately known as "Uncle George." He was one of our self-made men, working his way from the pick and shovel to Congress, and though not a brilliant statesman, he won the respect of his fellows by his sincerity and good common sense. A special election will be required to elect his successor. Miss Emma Beck was the trained nurse in charge of the case.

A TAX rate of 94 CENTS on the \$100 under the Antis, as against \$1.85, made necessary by the extravagance of the Organization, is the best answer in the world to the charges that are being made by the Organization. The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof. In three years the Antis have cut the Organization tax rate of \$1.85 nearly in half, and had it not been for the waste of the people's money on the roads by an incompetent management, the rate would easily have been 90 cents, less than half of what it was under the Organization. Is there any good reason for a change in the county management?

KIBLER, HARRIS AND CALDWELL are the farmers' friends. They are as close to the farmers as it is possible to get. Aherm and Turner are lumber dealers, while Shallcross is an insurance man. Neither of them is in close touch with the farmers' interests. Mr. Farmer, who can take care of your interests best in the Legislature?

MR. DUNN WON'T RUN.

Mr. Paul Dunn, of the First District, has addressed a card to the Public through the TRANSCRIPT, in which he refuses to be a candidate for the State Central Committee on the Organization ticket. We understand that Mr. Dunn never finally gave his consent to be a candidate, and his name was used with our proper authority from him. We hear every one of the Dunn family, the father and his six or seven sons, who are among the most highly esteemed residents of this county are for Mr. Samuel Caldwell for County Treasurer, and are doing everything they can towards his nomination. Come on, friend Aherm, you were with us two years ago. Get in with the rush for you can't stem the tide, and call in your letters, Mr. Dodd. They need revision with the distinction that Mr. Dunn won't run on your creed.

A WINNING ISSUE.

Messrs. Charles W. Kibler and James G. Harris, Anti-Organization candidates for the Legislature, have issued a circular to the farmers of the county, declaring their intention if nominated and elected to use their best efforts to secure the passage of a law providing for rigid State inspection and weighing of all grain shipped by our farmers. Our farmers have been heavy losers by the faulty and unjust methods of grading and weighing grain in Baltimore, and no one knows more about this than Mr. Kibler, who annually buys thousands of bushels of grain, and Mr. Harris, who is a farmer of years of experience. This is a splendid move on the part of these two candidates, and we are proud to say that so far as the farmers' interests are concerned, Messrs. Kibler and Harris, who are practical and experienced farmers, will do everything they can to advance the interests of the farmers, as well as all other elements of our population in securing such legislation as will benefit all.

A DISTINCTION WITH A DIFFERENCE.

One of the Organization candidates for the State Central Committee is sending letters broadcast over the county beginning in this fashion—"WITHOUT DISTINCTION OF CREED OR FACTION." The candidates whose names are signed to the letter are ORGANIZATION candidates. That is sufficient to identify them with a faction. They are identified with the Road Engineer. One of these candidates is the man who circulated those petitions from one end of the county to the other protesting against the repeal of the Gibbs Road Law in the last Legislature, and he was the most active man in the county in preventing the defeat of the law. That identifies them with a creed that is absolutely against the interests of the tax-payers. The Organization State Central Committee is for the Road Engineer and bad roads, and judging from past experience, they stand for the most pronounced kind of factionalism. Who has caused all the discord and unpleasantness in the present State Central Committee? And just to think, the letters will have to be all called in, for Mr. Dunn won't run.

A CHANGE OF ISSUE.

From 1903 to the present campaign the Kent News rang the changes on Barroll and Barrollism. They said everything bad that was possible to think of about Mr. Barroll. They attacked his character, his political record and even his business methods, only to make Mr. Barroll stronger than ever with the people. They have awakened to the fact that their attacks upon Mr. Barroll have proven boomerangs, and served only to strengthen the confidence of the people and tax-payers. Now, in their desperation for something to say from week to week in their editorial columns they are attacking Mr. Bowers. They are playing the same game with Mr. Bowers they played with Mr. Barroll. MAKING BOWERS AND THE TRANSCRIPT the issue in this campaign simply to divert the minds of the people from the many and telling issues the Anti-Organization faction has against them. The Anti-Organization faction has grown more powerful and more closely cemented with every recurrence of these attacks upon Mr. Barroll, and the Kent News has found it out. We predict the same result from their attacks upon Mr. Bowers. The tax-payers are not concerned with whether Mr. Bowers is or is not a liar. Such stuff as that don't ease the burden of excessive taxes and the squandering of the people's money. What the people are concerned with is "who spent \$25,000 on the roads in 1912, when the law appropriated only \$13,000?" "Who has demonstrated their ability to manage the financial affairs of the county better, the Organization or the Anti-Organization?" Who has proven their interest in the welfare of the people, the Organization, who ran the expense of the county up from \$110,000 to \$166,000 in one year, or the Anti-Organization who have reduced the indebtedness of the county \$75,000 in three years? This is what the people are concerned with. There are thousands of people in our county who don't care a snap whether Mr. Bowers is or is not a liar. But the people do care a mighty lot whether their tax rate is \$1.85 or 94 cents. So let the Kent News continue its policy of calling Mr. Bowers a liar. The TRANSCRIPT will make the votes by showing the people who is responsible for EXTRA-VAGANCE in our county management.

FOUND OUT THE TRUTH.

A well-known gentleman who recently removed to Kent county, but who has been an interested subscriber to the TRANSCRIPT for some years, made this striking statement the other day: "I had been reading about all this extravagance and mismanagement of

the county affairs, and the bad road management, and the excessive tax rates before I came down here, and I thought, perhaps, like a great many others, that it was just a scheme on the part of the politicians to get in or keep in power, and they were playing politics with this that and the other interest. But since I have come to live in Kent, and have seen conditions and studied them as they have been, I have come to the conclusion that the TRANSCRIPT was not lying but that it has been telling the truth. How in the world the people of this county can put up with the spending of \$25,000 on its roads in one year, and have such roads as the people of this county are compelled to travel over is a marvel, and I do not wonder that the TRANSCRIPT is crying out against such business. I can testify from experience that I have had a wrong impression of things until I came here to live, and now I know that the things I have been reading are not lies, nor misrepresentations, but they are the truth. The county for its own sake should stop to such business. High assessments, bad roads and excessive taxes give any county a black eye, and we should get rid of those forces which are or have been responsible for such conditions. Let's do it quickly."

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

What do the people of the town and county think of a paper like the Kent News? A newspaper that has any regard for its standing in a community in which it circulates is supposed to be a moulder of public opinion, a fair and honest guide to the thought and opinion of the public. Its editorial columns are supposed to be filled from week to week with a discussion of questions that appeal to the welfare of the people. And especially in a political campaign, a newspaper that poses as a directing force of the thoughts and opinions of men, is supposed to present to the people such issues as give it a right to ask for the support of the people. What do you see in the editorial columns of the Kent News every week? "He Simply Can't Help It"—"Lying Lips are an Abomination to the Lord"—"Another Wilful Misrepresentation"—"Who knows himself a braggart, let him fear this: for it will come to pass that every braggart shall be found an ass"—"Only such stuff as this week in and week out is NOT A LINE OF INTELLIGENT DISCUSSION THAT SHOULD BE GIVEN THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE A RIGHT TO KNOW THE CONDITIONS EXISTING IN THEIR COUNTY AFFAIRS. Is it not disgusting and mortifying that a newspaper should occupy such a position as this—SEEKING TO DIVERT THE MINDS OF THE PEOPLE FROM QUESTIONS THAT APPEAL TO THEIR WELFARE BY COWARDLY ATTEMPTS TO DESTROY THE CHARACTER, CREDIT AND REPUTATION OF A FELLOW-CITIZEN AND A FELLOW-EDITOR? If the Organization candidates have no other issue upon which to ask the votes of the people than that "Mr. Bowers is a Liar," and "He Simply Can't Help It" and "Lying Lips are an Abomination to the Lord," etc., we advise them to begin a revival service in the editorial sanctum of the Kent News, and bring about a genuine conversion of its editors."

CAUGHT IN THE TRAP.

All you have to do is to make the odds high enough, and regardless of the law against betting the Organization will go after the money. Those young men came from Millington, we believe, with no idea of betting until they reached Chestertown. They went to see Mr. Barroll, and not a word was said about betting. They went from there to the State's Attorney's office and the ex-State's Attorney's office, then to the TRANSCRIPT office, and from there back to the State's Attorney's office, then to Mr. Barroll's office, and from there the story of the betting got into the Beck organ. The scheme to get the young men to bet was hatched, we believe, either in the State's Attorney's office or in the office of the ex-State's Attorney. Why did not the State's Attorney or the ex-State's Attorney remind the young men that the law against betting on elections is very strict? You know the Organization forces are great for accusing the Antis of violating the Corrupt Practices Act, and it has been said that if the Organization forces lose this primary fight they are going to accuse the Antis of using money to beat them just as they did two years ago. The escapade of the two young men from Millington, presumably at the instigation of the State's Attorney and the ex-State's Attorney should serve to convince the people that the Organization leaders do not hesitate to violate the law when it suits their purposes. Adherents of the Organization faction can be induced to violate the law against betting on election or anything else with impunity, especially when the odds are high enough, but the slightest semblance of such a thing by the Antis is a sufficient cause for seeking to haul somebody before the grand jury. You set a trap for them, and you can catch them every time. In deference to Mr. Barroll we state that he played his end of the game with characteristic shrewdness. The odds were offered all right, and the game worked like a charm.

MR. TURNER MUST ANSWER.

In view of the fact that the Kent News through its repeated attacks upon the party regularity of Hon. William L. Marbury, the Progressive Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, raised the issue of party loyalty and challenged Mr. Marbury's right to participate in a Democratic primary, and in view of the fact that Mr. Howard Turner, who has been and is to be regarded as a Republican, has announced his candidacy for the Legislature on the Democratic ticket, we assume the right to raise the issue of Mr. Turner's Democracy, and to declare that upon his past record he has no right to participate in the approaching Democratic primaries. Mr. Turner must answer these charges or he should withdraw from the Democratic ticket. It is charged that Mr. Turner has voted the National Republican ticket in every election but the last. Mr. Turner has stated to the editors of the TRANSCRIPT that he is a Republican and that he was raised a Republican, and that his whole environment and surroundings have been Republican. Mr. Turner is reported by numerous of his friends to have voted for Taft in 1908. It is charged that Mr. Turner voted for John D. Urie for State's Attorney in 1895 and 1899, that it is largely through Mr. Urie's influence with the Organization leaders in Chestertown that Mr. Turner was accepted as a candidate by them, and that he voted for Capt. Daniel Hill when he was a candidate for County Commissioner. It is also stated as a fact that Mr. Turner voted the entire local Republican ticket some years ago, when he was a voter in one of the Kennedyville precincts, and that his ticket is known to have been marked for every Republican candidate against every Democratic candidate. Now with such charges as these hanging over his head, and with the gener-

ally accepted opinion that Mr. Turner has been regarded as a Republican or Prohibitionist, and has frequently so declared himself, it is up to Mr. Turner to explain his reason for accepting a place on the Democratic ticket in the primaries.

Condensed Statement Showing the Condition of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent County, Md., December 31st, 1912, Chestertown, Md.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Real Estate owned by Company, Mortgages Loans on Real Estate, Bonds and Stocks owned by Company, Cash in Office, and Interest and Rents due and accrued. Liabilities include Gross Assets, Amount at Risk in United States, Premiums on Maryland Policies, Losses Incurred in Maryland, and State of Maryland Office.

Notice to Traders and Dealers of All Kinds.

The law requires all Traders and Dealers of all descriptions to procure a Traders' License before they are allowed to do business in this county. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk Circuit Court.

ENTERTAINMENTS

BY THE YOUNG MEN'S LEAGUE OF STILL POND. Tuesday, June 10, 1913. AT BETTERTON in the Picture Parlor on Turner's Pier, and Thursday, June 12, 1913. AT KENNEDYVILLE in Weer's Hall.

THREE LAUGHABLE FARCES

BOX AND COX. THOSE QUOT LOUDINGS. PETE AND THE PEDDLER. Admission 25 and 15 Cents. Entertainment will be given for the benefit of Betterton M. E. Church Epworth League and the Ladies' Aid Society of Kennedyville M. E. Church. Ice Cream and Cake will be sold by the Ladies' Aid after the Entertainment at Kennedyville. Come and have a good laugh.

131st COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

WASHINGTON COLLEGE, CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND, JUNE 14-18th, 1913.

PROGRAMME: SATURDAY, JUNE 14th, 8.00 P. M. Base Ball Game, Washington vs. Mt. St. Joseph's, Washington Field. SUNDAY, JUNE 15th, 10.30 A. M. *Baccalaureate Services, William Smith Hall, Addressed by President Cain. 8.00 P. M. *Closing Exercises of the Y. M. C. A., William Smith Hall, Sermon by Rev. Charles Laban Pardee, Rector St. Michael's Parish, Nausa-tuck, Conn. MONDAY, JUNE 16th, 8.00 P. M. Base Ball Game, Washington vs. All Stars, Washington Field. 8.00 P. M. Anniversary of the Mt. Vernon Literary Society, William Smith Hall. TUESDAY, JUNE 17th, 8.00 P. M. Declaration Contest for the Simpkins Medal, William Smith Hall. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18th, 10.30 A. M. *Commencement, William Smith Hall, Addressed to the Graduates by Francis Trevelyan Miller, New York City. 8.00 P. M. Alumni Luncheon, West Hall. 8.00 P. M. Base Ball Game, Washington vs. Alumni, Washington Field. 8.00 P. M. Commencement Ball, College Gymnasium. *Academic Costume will be worn at these exercises.

To Grain Growers and Shippers

The members of the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce beg to notify growers and shippers of grain on the Eastern Shore that our facilities for doing this business are second to none. We can assure the proper inspection, correct weighing and quick dispatch of grain by rail and water. Railroad rates are the same to Baltimore as Philadelphia. Correspondence solicited. JAS. B. HESSING, Secretary.

FINE RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

The home of Mrs. Emory S. Wroth is for sale. This is one of the most desirably located residences in Chesapeake, situated directly on the water, with all modern improvements, such as bath, electric lights, telephone, etc. It may be purchased at private sale. To anyone desiring a home in one of the most desirable residential sections of the town, here is an inducement. House in thorough repair and has been lately painted. Two-thirds of purchase price can remain on house for an indefinite period, or all cash. Apply to T. G. WROTH, Agent for Mrs. E. S. Wroth. m24-3t.

Notice to the Traveling Public!

Beginning on Thursday, May 29, 1913, the Tolchester open air schedule of trips to Tolchester will be changed as follows: Leave Chestertown every day at 9 A. M. and 3.15 P. M. and on the days that the Tolchester Co. runs a late boat, we will leave Chestertown at 6.45 P. M. Returning will leave Tolchester upon arrival of boats from Baltimore. Will meet every boat from IN OR SHINE, GOOD ROAD OR MUDDY ROADS. Fare 75c each way. F. G. GRAHAM, CLEMENTS & SUTTON, Proprietors Sutton's Garage. 426-4t.

Trustee's Sale

OF A

Valuable FARM

In Queen Anne's County, Md.

BY VIRTUE OF A Decree of the Circuit Court for Queen Anne's County, in equity, passed May 28th, 1913, between the Plaintiff, Annie M. Benton, et al., as Plaintiffs, and Harry J. Bamberger, et al., as Defendants, the undersigned, Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Centreville, Queen Anne's County, Md., on TUESDAY, JUNE THE 24, 1913, between the hours of one and two o'clock P. M.

ALL THAT FARM

OR TRACT OF LAND, known as

"WM. J. BAMBERGER FARM,"

situate in the Seventh Election District, of Queen Anne's County, Maryland, on the public road from Millington to Blanco, and on the public road from Stevens' School House to Penock Corner, adjoining the old Turner Mill Property, containing

180 Acres of Land

MORE OR LESS

2-story Frame Dwelling

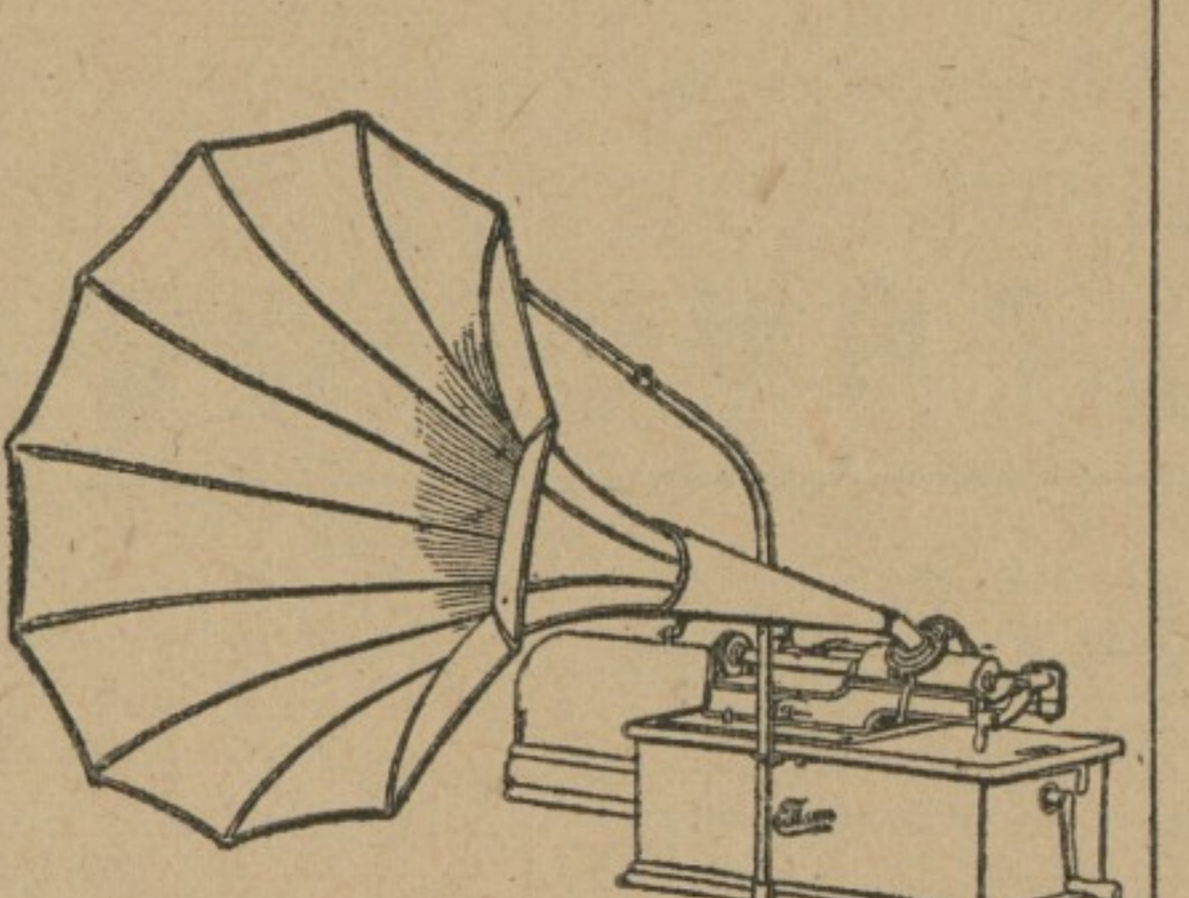
with porch and shade, a roomy stable with loft above and shed attached, comparatively new, a cow barn with loft above, iron implement shed, grain barn with carriage house attached, and a large garden and asparagus patch. There are

15 ACRES OF SPLENDID TIMBER LAND

containing unusually fine chestnut, oak, etc. The rest of the farm is in meadow with a never failing running stream of water and splendid grass for pasture. The improvements usually fine one would soil adapted to the growth of grain, truck, fruit, grass, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money in cash on day of sale; or ratification of purchase; the residue of the purchase money to be paid in two equal installments, payable with interest in one and two years from day of sale, or all cash on ratification of sale at option of purchaser; all deferred payments to be secured by notes or bonds of the purchaser with surety or notes to be approved by the undersigned. A cash deposit of one thousand dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time of sale. Further particulars will be made known on day of sale. MADISON BROWN, Trustee, Centreville, Maryland. GEO. A. WHITELEY, Auctioneer, je7c-3t.

Great Reduction Sale of Edison Records



Amberol 4-minute 50c Records now 31c. Standard 2-minute 35c Records now 20c at

Warm weather will soon be here and Lapel Chains will be in vogue among well dressed men. Whether you discard your vest or not, you will want a watch chain to suit your summer attire. Drop in and let us show you our tasteful new patterns in

SIMMONS CHAINS

Simmons Chains are noted for their wearing qualities as well as for their exquisite design and finish. They are not washed or plated goods—the surface of each chain is a heavy rolled tube of solid gold. Come in early and make your choice while our new assortment is complete.

NEWNAM'S MUSIC STORE, CHESTERTOWN, MD. Phone No. 224.

ROBE'S Jewelry Store, CHESTERTOWN, MD.

MARION T. MILLER, Rock Hall's General Merchandise Store.

THE RAINY SEASON IN NOW OVER and we are ready for customers and business, and will always do our best to serve you. Will mention a few things you will likely need for Spring, and you can check your list and come to Miller's. FOR THE GARDEN AND FARM—Everything from the smallest seed to the Great Big Bag Lister's Celebrated Fertilizer, and all kinds of Implements to fill them with. Paints of many kinds and colors for nearly every thing. Let us paint your house with "Stag Semi-Paste Paint." That's the kind. Mattings, Oil Cloths and Linoleums, Rugs, &c., Pittsburg Perfect Fence, all kinds and heights; Steel Posts, Poultry Netting, Barb Wire, Smooth Wire; and of course you all know Miller keeps a line of DRY GOODS, SHOES, CLOTHING, and in fact everything to please his customers wants.

Specials for Tuesday, May 20th:

- Granulated Sugar, 4c lb. Standard Sugar Corn, 5c can. Fancy Shoe Peg Sugar Corn, 7c can. Fancy Early June Peas, 10c can. Sardines in oil or mustard, 3c can. Good Rio Roasted Coffee, 19c lb. 10-qt. Grey Enameled Water Pails, 25c each. Men's 25c Grey Under Shirts, 19c. Men's 25c Grey Summer Drawers, 19c. Ladies' 15c Summer Vests, 11c. Ladies' 25c Summer Vests, 19c. Table Full of Great Big Bargains in TIN and GRANITE WARE 10c each. This includes some of the biggest values ever offered by us. Yours sincerely, MARION T. MILLER.

BORDLEY & SONS.

2-story Frame Dwelling with porch and shade, a roomy stable with loft above and shed attached, comparatively new, a cow barn with loft above, iron implement shed, grain barn with carriage house attached, and a large garden and asparagus patch. There are 15 ACRES OF SPLENDID TIMBER LAND containing unusually fine chestnut, oak, etc. The rest of the farm is in meadow with a never failing running stream of water and splendid grass for pasture. The improvements usually fine one would soil adapted to the growth of grain, truck, fruit, grass, etc. TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money in cash on day of sale; or ratification of purchase; the residue of the purchase money to be paid in two equal installments, payable with interest in one and two years from day of sale, or all cash on ratification of sale at option of purchaser; all deferred payments to be secured by notes or bonds of the purchaser with surety or notes to be approved by the undersigned. A cash deposit of one thousand dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time of sale. Further particulars will be made known on day of sale. MADISON BROWN, Trustee, Centreville, Maryland. GEO. A. WHITELEY, Auctioneer, je7c-3t.

CLOSING OUT

We have decided that we will not have sufficient room to handle any other shoes in "The Mens' Store" except the famous "Walk-Over" Shoes, and in order to make more space for our growing ready-to-wear Clothing, we intend to utilize our shoe department, and we must get rid of all these shoes. We therefore offer the following absolutely regardless of cost.

All shoes other than the "Walk-Over" of this season and the "Endicott-Johnson" of this season. These two lines we will be obliged to carry the entire year around, but we will close out all others. Now is the time to buy shoes, and good shoes, very cheap. Some of our best grades, and a great many of the "Walk-Over" and "Regal" Shoes will be included in this sale. See our big side window and you will realize what tremendous bargains really are. It will pay you to see them.

Pay a call early so that you may get a good selection before the stock is broken in sizes and styles. Low Shoes and High, Button and Lace, Tan and Black and Patent Leather will all go

Regardless of Cost.

Yours for satisfaction,

THE MEN'S STORE

Bordley & Sons,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND. Phone 92.