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NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All trespassing, either by gunning, fox-hunting, or any other kind of hunting on "Green Point" farm or its shores, are hereby most positively prohibited.
ISAAC H. DIXON, Owner,
PERRY B. RASIN, Tenant.
Oct. 31, 1896—3t.*

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby notified not to trespass upon any of the farms of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise, especially upon my farm adjoining Chestertown, and the horses thereof on Chester River. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice. HOPE H. BARROLL.
Oct. 31, 1896—3t.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned after this date, as the law will be enforced against all offenders to its full extent.
THOMAS W. TREW,
Stepney.
ARTHUR EMMERSON,
Camp Farm.
J. B. JACQUETTE,
Beck Farm.
AL. CROUCH,
Oct. 31, 1896—3t. Vannort Farm.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or otherwise after this date. The law will be strictly enforced against all offenders.
C. D. McCLARY,
MARY E. BRYAN,
J. B. HARRIS,
Oct. 31, 1886—3t. JEFF. H. LECATES.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on the J. Herman Ireland farm, near Galena. The law will be strictly enforced.
ANDREW J. TAYLOR.
Oct. 31, 1896—3t*.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned after this date. The law will be enforced against all offenders.
Oct. 31, 1896—3t. C. H. PRICE.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forwarned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise after this date, as all such parties will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
H. J. GRAY,
WM. SPRY,
B. J. McGUGAN,
F. P. COCHRAN.
Oct. 24, 1896—3t.*

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned after this date, as we shall prosecute all such to the full extent of the law.
J. L. CROUCH,
B. F. DAVIS,
C. M. SUTTON,
J. H. CLENDANIEL,
HOWARD CLENDANIEL,
Oct. 24, 1896—3t.* Near Kennedyville.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS!

All persons are hereby cautioned against gunning and hunting upon the premises occupied by the undersigned, as the law will be enforced.
JAMES BRAMBLE,
WALTER H. STOKES,
W. H. CROSBY,
o24-3t.* SAMUEL H. TODD.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS!

All persons are forewarned from trespassing upon the lands of the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise. All persons disregarding this notice will be subject to the strict provisions of the law.
WM. T. H. WHITELEY,
GEORGE S. BIDDLE,
J. FRISBY NEWCOMB,
WILBUR H. MORRIS,
oc17-3t*. WM. H. STEWART.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

ALL PERSONS, white and colored, men and boys, are hereby forewarned against trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned with dog or gun, or by crossing over with horse or on foot, after this date, as all such trespassers will most positively be prosecuted.
M. A. WILKINS,
"The Maples."
WM. THOS. MASLIN,
"The Oaks,"
ALFRED C. LOUD,
"Frying Pan" farm,
J. CORDRAY LOUD,
Oct. 24, 1896—3t. "Riverside."

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby warned from trespassing upon or crossing the lands occupied by the undersigned with either dog, gun or otherwise. Those who do so will be punished to the full extent of the law.
W. H. WALLIS,
THOS. REDMILES,
GEORGE RASH,
Oct. 24, 1896—3t.* L. A. HICKMAN.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons—white or black—young or old—are positively prohibited from gunning or hunting, or in any other manner from trespassing upon the premises occupied by the undersigned after this date.
GEORGE H. WATTS.
Oct. 24, 1896—3t.*

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All Persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog or gun or by crossing over the lands occupied by the undersigned, after this date, as we shall prosecute all such to the full extent of the law.
I. R. LEAVERTON,
R. C. LEAVERTON,
V. HENDRICKSON,
J. WALTER SKIRVEN,
WM. E. DeFORD,
JOSEPH RASIN,
FRANK TOULSON,
JOS. S. TREW, JR.,
THOS. L. MEEKS,
WILLIAM CLOUGH.
Oct. 24, 1896—3t*.

SERIES OF DELIGHTFUL

Instrumental and Vocal Concerts

Classical and Humorous, to be given by Messrs. ALGER and SCHARF, assisted by Mr. WINFIELD AMOS (baritone.)

At ROCK HALL, in Downey's Hall (tickets on sale at Downey's store,) SATURDAY, October 31st.

☞Admission, Adults, 25c.; Reserved Seats, 35c.; Children, 15c.

These gentlemen are all stars in their respective roles, and musical treats are assured. Mr. Alger as a humorist and impersonator stands unexcelled. Mr. Scharf has toured America and Europe as a banjo soloist, and Mr. Amos has sung in grand operas with marked success. y24-3t.

FESTIVAL and SUPPER!

The ladies of LOCUST GROVE M. E. CHURCH will hold a FESTIVAL and SUPPER on FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, Nov. 20th and 21st, 1896.
o21.4t. By order of COMMITTEE.

SUPPER and FESTIVAL!

On SATURDAY EVENING, Nov. 7th, the ODD FELLOWS of Maxwell Lodge, No. 27, will hold a SUPPER and FESTIVAL in Downey's Hall, Rock Hall, Md. Oysters, and all the delicacies of the season, will be served at the supper. The public cordially invited.

MEALS ON ELECTION DAY.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve MEALS at all hours on Election Day, Nov. 3, at the Town Hall, Kennedyville. Oysters in abundance. Meals 25 cents. Patronage solicited. COMMITTEE.

NOTICE!

I wish to inform the public that on and after this date I can serve them with FINE FRESH OYSTERS in all styles. MEALS SERVED at all hours, and BOARDERS SOLICITED.
MRS. WILLIAM PRATT.
STILL POND, MD., Oct. 17, 1896—3t.

SITUATION WANTED.

The undersigned having had long experience in farming, and being willing to work, desires to rent a farm on thirds, or will accept a situation as overseer.
Address J. H. C.
o31-3t.* Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3d being a legal holiday, the Directors of the Kent County Savings Bank will meet for the transaction of business on MONDAY, Nov. 2d, at 10 o'clock A. M. All paper falling due on Tuesday will be protested if not provided for by Monday.
1t. WM. F. RUSSELL, CASHIER.

SUPERVISORS' NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given to the voters of the Galena Precinct that there has been a change made in the voting place since the publication of the Election notice. The election will be held in the property known as the "Rogers" property. By order of
1t. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

PHOTOGRAPHS CHEAP!

The undersigned is prepared to do as good work in his line as can be done in the city, and asks for a trial. I have opened a Gallery on Queen Street, next door to the corner, and guarantee to give satisfaction. Pictures furnished promptly and at low rates. Give me a call.
J. M. SOUTH,
o17-3m. Chestertown.

FOR SALE:

TWENTY THOROUGHBRED POLAND CHINA MALE SHOTES. Price from $5 to $10. Also TWO HOLSTEIN BULLS, 8 months old. All the above stock entitled to register.
F. P. COCHRAN,
se12-3m. Galena, Md.

FOR RENT for 1897:

The DWELLING on Queen St., in Chestertown, formerly occupied by Dr. J. A. Perkins. For terms apply to
H. M. STUART,
o24-3t. Chestertown.

FOR RENT for year 1817:

My DWELLING HOUSE, "Maple Croft," now occupied by Mr. Charles H. Lehman. The privilege to pasture one horse and one cow given. For further particulars call on or address D. W. CROSBY, Rock Hall, Kent county, Md.
o24-3t. MRS. HETTY E. CROSBY.

TO RENT:

SEVERAL DWELLINGS in Chestertown, two of them for the balance of the present year, and others for the ensuing year. The dwelling in which I live will be sold at a reasonable price or will be rented at once, and the rent taken in board by the undersigned, if they so prefer.
I have also a lot of Household Goods which may be bought at private sale.
For terms apply to MRS. L. C. SHAW,
s26-tf. or her attorney, J. D. URIE.

TO RENT for 1897:

STORE and DWELLING, on corner High and Mill Streets. Dwelling roomy and in first-class order. Papered throughout. Hydrant and water in kitchen.
Apply to J. B. SAPPINGTON,
s26-tf. Chestertown, Md.

TO RENT for 1897:

TWO DWELLING HOUSES in Chestertown, one on High street, and one on Mill street. Apply to
a29-tf. AMOS B. KELLEY

OYSTERS in all STYLES,

And Meals at all Hours and Lunch, on Cross street opposite the Marble Yard. MRS. LYNCH.
o24-3t. Chestertown, Md.

THE ANCHOR HOTEL

$1.00 Per Day.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT,
Steam-Heating Throughout the House
HOT AND COLD BATHS.

Special Rates for Permanent Boarders.

☞Connection by Cars from all Stations to the Hotel.

610 and 612 East Pratt St., Balto.,
Opp. the Electric Power House.
o31-1y.* H. BENJES, PROP'R.

Furniture! Furniture!

Direct from Manufacturer

AT LESS THAN CITY PRICES,

at P. T. McFEELY'S,
s26. Chestertown.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

Do not trespass upon my land with dog, gun or otherwise. All who do so will be punished to the full extent of the law.
BENJAMIN H. COBURN,
Oct. 24,1896—tf. ROCK HALL.

LOCAL POLITICS.

Last Week of a Great Campaign

Democratic and Republican Meetings in Kent

The Big Meeting on Tuesday in Favor of Silver—Enthusiasm for Bryan and Josh. Miles—Eloquent and Convincing Speeches by Alonza L. Miles, Nelson, Stewart and Broadwater.

Other Silver Meetings at Worton, Fairlee and Rock Hall.

Republican Meetings at Still Pond and Chestertown.

Rev. Mr. Compton Discusses Prohibition With Mr. Ford Caulk!

In Kent as well as in almost every other section of this country the last week of the Presidential campaign of '96 is noted for its numerous meetings for political discussion. Both parties—Democratic and Republican—have been active, and both seem about equally confident of victory in conty, State and nation. One gratifying fact should be noted in our local campaign, that is, the absence of bitterness and lawlessness. We have not heard so far of a single breach of the peace.

Meetings at various points in the county have been held by the Democrats and addressed as follows: At Fairlee last Saturday evening H. W. Vickers and H. W. Catlin, Esqs., addressed a large audience of ladies and gentlemen in the hall there and their speeches were earnest and eloquent, taking the business view of the issues involved.

At Worton Station on Monday night, Marion deK. Smith, Esq., was greeted by a grand outpouring of the people of that neighborhood, both ladies and gentleman, and his speech was strong and convincing.

At Rock Hall on Wednesday evening a splendid meeting was held in Downey's Hall. It was called to hear Congressman Miles speak, but the same cause, sickness, which kept him from the county mass meeting operated there, but there was no lack of substitutes. The gallant Dorchester champion of the silver cause—which is now recognized as the people's cause—was there. Alonza L. Miles spoke eloquently and effectively; every word was heard by his auditors with wrapt attention. He was followed by Mr. Broadwater, of Baltimore, in a fearlesss portrayal of the live issues of the hour. J. A. Pearce, Esq., in response to repeated calls, made a short address in which he most eloquently and ably discussed the duty of the people in the campaign, urging all to a hearty and earnest support of the standard-bearers of the people, Bryan, Sewall and Miles.

The mass meeting in Chestertown on Tuesday afternoon and evening was a splendid success. Stam's Hall was crowded at the afternoon meeting and a great many were unable to get inside the doors. The Rock Hall band of sixteen pieces came in about 2.30 o'clock in their decorated wagon and furnished excellent music at both meetings. Wm. M. Slay, Esq., called the meeting to order in absence of R. D. Hynson, Esq., who was unable to attend because of family affliction. Wm. S. Walker, Esq., was named as president of the meeting with five vice-presidents from each district.

The first speaker introduced was Alonza L. Miles, Esq., of Dorchester county, who is a brother of Congressman Miles. He explained his presence and the enforced absence of his brother whom his physicians had forbidden to speak again during the campaign. He was taken sick at Centfeville last Saturday and had to cancel all his engagements. Mr. Miles was particularly anxious to come to Kent and explain his great interest in the momentous financial issue. He has recently made a deep study of this question and no man was ever more honest and sincere than is JOSHUA W. MILES to-day in his support of the silver cause and the fearless nominees of the National Democratic convention, Bryan and Sewall.

Mr. Alonza L. Miles spoke for nearly one hour and the general verdict of his hearers was that it was one of the finest political speeches ever delivered here. Mr. Miles has an excellent voice and easy graceful delivery, while his reasoning is strong and most interesting.

Major Wm. E. Stewart, of Talbot, followed Mr. Miles. The Major was heartily greeted, as he has before appeared before a Kent audience, and always captures his hearers. After a full hour's discussion of the issues of the campaign in his own inimitable way, the meeting was adjourned until evening.

The night meeting was opened by a speech from Mr. Broadwater, who is one of the vice-presidents of the Commercial Travelers' Club of Baltimore city. He was earnest and eloquent and referred in scathing terms to the "sound money" pretentions of Mr. Parr and others who support the Palmer fraud ticket.

Frederick J. Nelson, Esq., of Frederick, was the next speaker and he not only entertained his great audience but clearly presented the advantages of the double standard over the present single gold standard. His complete riddling of the nonsensical charge of "a 53 cent dollar" was the strong point in his splendid speech. He showed conclusively that silver needed only the *same treatment* that gold receives to keep them at a parity under free coinage.

Though late when Mr. Nelson closed the audience thirsted for more of the unanswerable silver logic that had been poured into their ears, and after repeated calls Major Stewart again mounted the platform and made a better speech even than in the afternoon.

The meeting was a grand success throughout. The committee of arrangements for the meeting was as follows: Lewin W. Wickes, Robert N. Boston, Thos. D. France, W. W. Beck, H. W. Catlin, H. Meeteer Wallis.

The Republicans held a mass meeting in Betterton at the Chesapeake House on Friday evening of last week, but the attendance was not as large owing to muddy roads and rainy weather. Wm. A. Crew, Esq., presided, with G. W. Owens and Alex. Mair vice-presidents, and eloquent speeches were delivered by three or four members of the Philadelphia bar, namely: Russell Duane, Chas. W. Edmonds, C. E. Shermerhorn and Wm. B. Davis. On Saturday night another meeting was held and was officered as follows: President, Dr. J. W. Urie; vice-presidents, Jos. W. Harper, Alex, Mair, Wm. A. Crew and Capt. Daniel Hill.

Rev. Mr. Compton championed the Prohibition party at Still Pond on Saturday evening. He spoke from a goods box, and in his usual earnest and fluent manner urged his party cause. During the evening the Rev. gentleman got into an argument with Mr. Ford Caulk, who presented some very pointed silver views. Both spoke from goods boxes and, it is said, had the effect of keeping many people from the Republican meeting on the same evening in the Hall. Evidentally our Still Pond neighbors had a lively time of it in political discussions for one night.

The Republican county mass meeting was held last night, and was addressed by Hon. Isaac A. Barber, of Talbot, candidate for Congress, and others.

A full account of the "quiet" rally will be found elsewhere in the NEWS.

A big silver rally was held Thursday night at Betterton. Wm. J. Pitt, Esq., made an eloquent and forcible address.

BEN SCOTT CAUGHT!

An Escaped Criminal Caught in Delaware by Officer Kelley and Lodged in Jail at Chestertown, Wednesday.

During the Whitsuntide holidays there occurred a fracas at or near Crumpton, in which Mr. John S. Hurlock was badly beaten by Ben Scott, a mulatto. A few weeks previous to this fight the jewelry store belonging to Mr. E. T. Willis, on Cross street, was robbed of eight or ten watches. Not until this fracas occurred was the thief detected, and Ben Scott was the man who was found with the jewelry.

Scott is a well-known character in this community, having served more than one sentence in either jail or House of Correction. He has repeatedly fled from justice here and elsewhere, and when the officer tried to find him on the charge of beating Mr. Hurlock and stealing watches, he was not to be caught.

The ever watchful and vigilent officer, Mr. Amos B. Kelley, has been keeping a sharp lookout for Scott and last week located him in Delaware. Mr. Kelley went to Wilmington on Monday and learned that his "bird" had left that city two months ago for near Newport. He went to a farmer and inquired for Scott and was directed to a neighbor. Scott was described to the farmer, who immediately said, "Why, that's the rascal who stole my chickens! He is now in New Castle jail." Sure enough, Mr. Kelley went to New Castle and there found his "bird," who had changed his name to Brown. Scott had served his 30 days and was serving extra his ten days because of not being able to pay forfeit. Mr. Kelley paid the fine, secured the proper papers and brought his prisoner to Chestertown, where he was lodged in jail.

COURT NOTES.

It is an every day occurrence to hear jurymen, lawyers and witnesses complain of the terrible heat and stench in the court room arising from the red hot stoves, tobacco, etc. Who is to blame?

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The insurance case decided last Saturday was of special interest to all persons. The case proved that a man is *not* insured until his risk is *accepted* by a company or its agent.

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The grand jury did not find a bill against Mr. N. C. Crow for selling intoxicating liquor.

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Some amusing incidents occur in almost every trial. During the conduct of the Connor-Ford case it was aimed to show that money was due for the use of horse, etc.

Attorney Catlin to witness—"Didn't my client cultivate your beans?"
Witness—"No, sir. He hoed 'em!"

At another stage of same case:

Mr. Catlin to opposing witness—"Come, now, tell us the truth about this!
Attorney Barroll (on the other side)—You must not ask *our* witness to tell the truth!

Mr. B. no doubt meant to intimate that his witness would tell the truth anyway, but some of the members of the bar indulged in a smile at the other construction—that truth was not to be expected.

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Mr. Sam. Merritt was on the stand Wednesday to corroborate Mine host Hurtt, of the Voshell House, who said Mr. M. called him to the window to see where a colored man went to get a quarter's worth of whiskey.

Mr. Merritt—Yes, sir, I called Mr. Hurtt. Told him to came and see where the man went to get the brain food?
Judge Wickes—What—What's that? Brain food? Well, I never heard whiskey called brain food before! Better call it a brain thief!

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None of the dredging cases have been tried at this court. "It seems very difficult," remarked the court, "to get these parties to stand trial. They have a knack of avoiding court which we do not understand." The law should be made more stringent or the bail of the parties forfeited.

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The damage suits against the county commissioners brought by Messrs. Moffett, of Galena, and Alfred Baker, of Fairlee, will be tried November 30th. These are suits brought for damages claimed to have been caused by neglect on the part of the county commissioners in not keeping the roads in repair.

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Henry Blake was tried for selling whiskey to a colored man named Parker, but stated before the court that he purhased the liquor of the *pro secuting* witness and upon the evidence the jury acquitted Blake. Later in the session Parker was tried for selling whiskey to Peter Williams, but stated that he purchased it from Heny Blake at one time and Hannah Fountain at another time. Here war a queer condition of affairs. The court ordered Blake and Fountain to be summoned, but before they arrived a verdict of guilty was rendered. These accused colored people all live up town in the same house. Parker stated that Blake told him to swear positively that he did not buy nor sell any whiskey, that he, Blake, would back him up.

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A colored witness on the stand Wednesday was being cross examined by Lawyer Beck, and becoming somewhat mixed in his figures remarked, "now, hold on Mr. Beck, you're trying to *cross-talk* me and you must give me time."

Death Notes.

John R. Ashley, of Rock Hall, died on Monday night last. He was in his 31st year, and was a son of Mr. Philip G. Ashley. He was a blacksmith by trade and one of the best workmen in the county. He was an ardent advocate of the Adventist doctrines and was connected with the Rock Hall church of that denomination.

Richard, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Hynson, died on Saturday last after being sick for several weeks. This was a sad blow to the young parents but He doeth all things well. The funeral was held Monday, interment at St. Paul's.

A death under very sad circumstances indeed occurred in Rock Hall on last Sunday morning, Miss Lizzie Sanford the 17 year old daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Hindes, passed from this life into eternity. The funeral services were conducted on Monday afternoon by Rev. James Carroll, of the M. E. Church. Interment at Wesley Chapel.

Big Work.—Mr. Walter Sparks had his new corn husking and shreading machine at work on Mr. Walter Skirven's farm this week. It has been doing good work and in nine hours had husked 65 barrels of corn and had the shreaded fodder in the loft.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

Mrs. Wm. Robertson, of Queen street, started on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Frank Plummer, last Monday and met with quite an accident. She got out of her carriage to open a gate, and was about to close the same and return to her team when the horse took fright, and ran away, demolishing the carriage. Mrs. Plummer saw the horse dashing down the road, and supposing Mrs. R. was in the carriage, screamed for help. Several gentlemen who were at Buck Neck wharf heard her cries and rowed across the creek to her assistance, but soon learned the true situation and rendered all necessary aid.

While Mrs. J. H. Hessey was busy about her house cleaning Monday her little three-year old daughter fell from the hall stairway and broke her arm near the shoulder. The little one was playing about the hall and it is supposed she lost her balance and fell over the balusters a distance of about eight feet. Dr. Hessey set the broken bones and the little one is progressing finely.

Alfred Cannan made a very narrow escape from drowning a few days ago. While putting out oysters on a buyboat he was thrown overboard. He was heavily clothed with kersey and oil skins, but succeeded in keeping himself afloat until rescued by his father.

Mrs. Jester, who took an active part in the festival at Sacred Haart church, met with quite an accident on Tuesday night. While walking across the floor she slipped on a banana peel, fell, and struck her head against the side of the table. She was unconscious for a few hours, but after treatment by Dr. Hines she recovered and bears the mark of her hurt.

Conlyn, the bright little seven-year old son of Mr. G. E. Noland of Tolchester Beach, fell from a straw-stack Wednesday and broke his right forearm. Dr. W. F. Hines was summoned and the fracture properly treated.

CHURCH NOTES.

The pretty little church in Piney Neck will be dedicated next Sunday. Messrs. Elliott & Needles have papered it this week and the seats arrived Thursday. It is a neat and tasty building and was built by the earnest toil of Rev. Mr. Chance and his faithful band of workers. Rev. Theodore Stevens will deliver the morning sermon, Rev. R. I. Watkins the afternoon and Rev. Alfred Smith the evening. Special music will be furnished on the occasion.

Rev. J. M. Gill gave his congregation Sunday some sweet morsels of gospel truth. In the morning he portrayed the sufferings of humanity and of Christ and at night drew a forcible picture of the devil and those whom he tempted.

Protracted services are being held at Betterton M. E. church conducted by Rev. E. H. Nelson. The meetings have been full of interest and of spirit.

Presiding Elder Alfred Smith occupied the pulpit of the Chestertown M. E. church Sunday evening. He gave his audience a speech on prohibition and used a text from the Holy Word to give it religious semblance.

Rev. S. W. Thomas, well known in this county, has been elected corresponding secretary of the Philadelphia Conference Tract Society and editor of the Philadelphia Methodist. Rev. Mr. Thomas is now in his twelfth year as presiding elder.

At Vineland, New Jersey, Rev. Chas. F. Wood, who recently preached a sermon in which he made a vicious attack upon free silver, has been notified by his congregation that they want to hear no more political sermons, and further that the Rev. Wood's services will not be needed beyond the present year. If a similar notice was served upon all ministers who attempt to become conspicuous by preaching politics from the pulpit it would be a good thing.

The official board of Harrison Street M. E. church, Wilmington, Del., at a full meeting Monday night, unanimously decided to invite Rev. Ralph T. Coursey, of Snow Hill church, to become pastor of Harrison street church at the beginning of the next conference year. The Rev. F. B. Short, who is closing his fifth year at the church, which is the limit allowed at one charge, presided at the meeting.

GUNNERS, BEWARE!—The gunning season begins next Monday. We know what we are talking about when we say to gunners: *Beware upon whose lands you enter.* Read carefully the cautions in another column. These farmers mean what they say—they don't want gunners on their lands, and will not suffer it longer. So that, those who want to keep out of trouble will stay outside of all such lands gunning.

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