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THE LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER THIS YEAR wil be afforded NEXT TUESDAY.

MR. PARLETT, of Talbot, the new internal revenue collector, has taken his seat.

THE best authorities on grain conditions in this country and Europe give assurances that the price of both corn and wheat will keep up for a long time.

ONE thing is now clear: If the Republicans win the next Legislature, the successor to Senator Gorman will be named *Mudd!* It will be the immaculate Sidney Emanuel Mudd! What a delightful result!

THE Centreville *Observer* states that the gloomy outlook of a few weeks ago for a Democratic victory in this judicial circuit has vanished, and the success of the Democratic candidates is now assured. The people are realizing the stupendous importance of the conflict.

MR. A. S. GOLDSBOROUGH, one of the associate editors of the Centreville *Observer*, will go to Baltimore October 17 and take a position on the staff of the *American*. We regret to lose him from the Shore.

THE Baltimore papers state that the colored committee of one hundred in Baltimore have announced that they have nominated a full State and city independent Republican ticket. The names will be given to the public as soon as the formalities are gone through with for getting it on the official ballot.

THE Dorchester *Standard*, which is published by the Republican candidate for Comptroller, calls Alonza Miles, one of the Democratic nominees in that county, "Gorman's right-hand man." At which we are led to remark: Mr. Miles will certainly feel as comfortable in the company of Senator Gorman as Mr. Goldsborough will in the ranks of *Mudd*. If he does not we pity his taste! As between Gorman and Mudd certainly no Democrat or independent in Maryland will hesitate to choose the former without a moment's hesitation.

IT is stated that Governor Lowndes has withdrawn the reward of $500 offered for the arrest of Schofield. What does it mean? Why should this reward be withdrawn? Is not the arrest of that brute as important now as immediately after his crime? It would seem rather that the reward should be increased than withdrawn, and this act of the Governor is inexcusable. The people of this county will enter an indignant protest, as they feel this "let up" is an outrage second only to the crime itself.

INTERVIEWING Democratic legislative candidates as to who they will vote for for United States Senator is all right. Have you heard of the Republican legislative candidates giving voice to their choice? No! It seems to be universally understood that *Mudd* will be his name in the event of Republican success. He seems to have what is often styled a "cinch." Mr. Mudd is the gentleman from Southern Maryland with the unsavory record. He is the same person who cheated Hon. Barnes Compton out of a seat in Congress; the same one who made it possible for Maryland to be represented in the U. S. Senate by Wellington; the same who turned traitor to his friends; the same who made Senator Scott the Republican State Chairman, and who will surely be paid off for all this *fine* work for his friends with a a seat in the U. S. Senate if the Republicans are successful.

Worthy Men.

The greatest need of the State is the election to the Comptrollership of a man who has the welfare of the people at heart, and who will reverse the action of the present Comptroller and his colleague in the Board of Public Works, the State Treasurer, in their favoritism to banks and other corporations, is too patent to the tax-paying farmers to need urging at this time. They demand that the tax paying shall be done by all classes of people and upon all classes of property alike. What man in the State would most certainly do this if elected to the Comptroller's office? The Hon. THOMAS A. SMITH, of Caroline! He has the confidence of the people that in all things he will be just and impartial between State and citizen—demanding all that belongs to the State and giving all that belongs to the citizen. It is also important that the present competent Clerk of the Court of Appeals, J. FRANK FORD, should be re-elected to the position he has filled with signal ability and to the satisfaction of all persons who have had business in that office during his encumbency. These two the Democracy of the State will triumphantly elect in November.—*Denton Journal.*

CHAIRMAN VANDIVER'S address to the voters of the State, which was published in our last issue, seems to be worrying the Republican press. The *Sun* gathers up the most ridiculous effusions of its county imitators and gives them to its readers to aid in breaking the force of the chairman's stirring and convincing document. But Mr. Vandiver's burning words have had the desired effect in waking up the people and they are rallying to the Democratic standard with an enthusiasm never before known. The *Sun* is only "burning its own fingers" in its malignant course towards everything Democratic.

A GENTLEMAN from Baltimore was in our office yesterday and stated that he never saw more genuine enthusiasm for a ticket than is now witnessed for the Democratic nominee for Mayor, Henry Williams. The whole ticket, legislative and city, is growing stronger every day, and he predicts its triumph by an overwhelming majority.

Candidates at Elkton Fair.

The Cecil *Democrat* of last Saturday says:—"Messrs. Pearce and Martin, Democratic candidates for judicial honors, spent some time at the Fair, and were also in Elkton for several days this week. While here they saw many Cecil countians and both created a decidedly favorable impression. They are both men of decided ability, and their fitness for the high position to which they aspire is admitted by all who know them or know of them. The gentlemen on leaving expressed themselves as very well pleased with the outlook in Cecil, and expect to hear a good account from this county when the election returns come in."

"WHO in thunder is editing the *Herald* anyway, now?"—*Balto. World, republican.*

We don't know who the editor of the *Morning Herald* is, but he is evidently level-headed. The *World*, the *Sun* and the *Evening News* are now all of such bitter Republican partizan stripe that the Democrats and independents must look to the *Herald* for a fair report on political subjects. The Baltimore dailies were all bought up by Republican corporationists some time ago as a "means to the end" desired, and they have used those papers very effectively in misleading the people. The *Herald*, we are glad to note, though owned by Republicans, is disgusted with Republican misrule, and recognizes the high character of the Democratic nominees, and it fearlessly proclaims its views. The *Sun* and all other Mudd and Malsterite papers are sour of course.

THE would-be Bosses in Maryland are the Baltimore *Sun* and *Evening News*. Of them the Westminster *Advocate* well says:

"This is the little coterie that shirk their duty as tax-payers, use ther journals as a sluice-way for their spleen and vindictiveness, and assume to control this state.

"Let the people, when they read these journals, remember these facts. When political matters are written up as news, remember the work is done by men who are directed to color them to suit the course of the paper. When the *Sun* speaks editorially, remember it is an attorney talking by direction of Ed. Abell. When the *News* speaks, it is the voice of a man from Missouri and two from Virginia.

"These people who control the *Sun* and *News* are playing the role of dictators. They are arrogant, and dictatorial, and their methods are those of dishonesty and deceitfulness. The people should resolve to throw off the yoke of these journals and give them to understand that their course is not to be tolerated, nor shall any other ring control this State."

THE Baltimore County *Journal*, one of our ablest State cotemporaries, says: "The Baltimore *Sun* is especially venomous, and the editorial bacteria which issue from its columns are equal to the miasmatic germs of yellow fever. The *Sun* seems to have gone mad, stark mad, upon Senator Gorman. It misrepresents him upon every occasion where it refers to him, and makes remarks about him that are absolutely untrue. The *American* is fair and just. As is expected, it opposes the Senator from principle, but it is not carried away with senseless spite or misrepresentation."

DIED.

At Rock Hall, September 7, 1897, ESTHER NAOMI, infant daughter of Columbus and Tena Kendall, aged 3 months.

Day after day we saw her fade,
And she gently passed away;
Yet oftimes in our hearts we prayed
That she might longer stay. PAPA.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH, Chestertown.—J. M. GILL, Pastor.
9.30 A. M., "Old Time" Class Meeting.
10.30 A. M., Holy Communion.
2.30 P. M., Sunday School.
6.30 P. M., Junior's Meeting.
7 P. M., Young People's Song Service, in the Sunday-school room.
7.30 P. M., Preaching; subject, "The Elements of a Prayer that Must be Answered."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Worton, Rev. K. M. BULL, Pastor. Sunday-school at 9.30 A. M. Preaching and Service of Song at 7.30 P. M.

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of Kennedyville, Rev. K. M. BULL, Pastor. Sunday-school at 2 P. M. Preaching at 3.15 P. M. All services will be held in the M. P. Church, which has been kindly offered and accepted, while the Presbyterian Church is being painted.

WANTED—GIRLS to sew on Outing Shirts at our Ellicott City, Md., Factory; sufficient wages paid while learning to cover board. Experienced girls earn $4.50 to $6.00 per week. steady employment all the year.
OPPENHEIM, OBERNDORF & CO.,
s25-1mo.* ELLICOTT CITY, MD.

Public Sale of Personalty.

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell at Public Sale at his residence, near Hanesville, on

MONDAY, 4th day of OCTOBER, 1897

beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., his Stock and Farming Implements, consisting of

8 Head of Horses,

all Fine Workers and Drivers;

TEN HEAD of COWS,

Fine Milkers;

1 HOLSTEIN BULL.

2 Farm Wagons, 2 Dearborns, 1 Reaper, 1 Mower, 1 Empire Drill, 1 Fan, 1 Roller, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Sulky Cultivator, 6 Cultivators, 1 Tomato Planter, 1 Peach Body and Springs, 2 Sleighs, 1 Double Carriage, 1 Dog Cart, 1 Grindstone, Plows, Harrows, Shovels, Spades, Forks, Hoes and all articles required to carry on a first-class farm; Also,

Household & Kitchen Furniture

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of Ten Dollars and under, cash, over that amount a credit of Twelve Months will be given on note with approved security, payable at Chestertown National Bank.
s25-ts. THOMAS J. WILLIS.

Sheriff's Sale
FOR TAXES.

BY VIRTUE of the authority vested in me as sheriff of Kent county, upon whom is laid the duty of collecting the State and County taxes unpaid on the 1st day of April, in the year 1897, by process of law, in and for said county and State, under the Public Local and Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, in such case made and provided, I have seized and taken in execution,

All that Lot of Land

or PART of a LOT of LAND

situate and lying near the village of Sassafras and on the South side of the public road leading from Sassafras to Smyrna and which was conveyed to the said John McIntyre by James H. Gary and wife by deed bearing date of April 20, 1877, and recorded among the Land Records of Kent county in Liber D. C. B., No. 3, folio 55, etc., and now assessed to Virginia Gary.

And notice is hereby given to the owner or owners thereof, or in any part interested therein, that I will expose the same at Public Sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, October 26th, 1897,

at 12 o'clock M., and sell the same to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes due thereon for the year 1897, together with all interest and costs due and to become due thereon, conditional upon the provisions of he Acts of Assembly aforesaid.

County Taxes due and unpaid.....$2 76
State " " " 54

Interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JAMES A. CASEY, SHERIFF.
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situate and lying in the village of Sassafras in Kent county, Md., which was conveyed to the said John McIntyre by Thos. Broxen and wife by deed bearing date February 4, 1864 and recorded among the land records for Kent county aforesaid in Liber J. K. H. No. 4, folio 254, etc., with improvements thereon, and now assessd to John McIntyre.

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Taxes due and unpaid.....$ 10.29

Interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JAMES A. CASEY, SHERIFF.
Oct. 2, 1897—ts.

COUNTY TREASURER'S TAX NOTICE!

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly, passed at the January Jession, 1890, chapter 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent County, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

in said county, for the year 1897, he will sit in the several Election Districts as follows:

MONDAY, Sept. 13, Frame Hotel, Millington.
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 15.....Peacock's Hotel. Galena.
THURSDAY, sept. 16..... ....Jones' Hotel, Kennedyville.
FRIDAY, Sept. 17, Harper's Store, Still Pond.
MONDAY, Sept. 20, Turner's Store, Betterton
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 22, Rouse Store, Worton
THURSDAY, Sept. 23.... .....Fairlee
FRIDAY, Sept. 24.....Chesapeake House, Rock Hall.

☞ Between the hours of 9. a. m., and 3 p. m. At all other times will be at the Treasurer's office in Chestertown.

WILLIAM D. BURCHINAL,
Sept. 1, 1897-tf. TREASURER.

5,000 SQUARE FEET

Corrugated Steel Roofing

just received this 5th day of August, and will be sold VERY LOW for cash,

by JOSEPH GUEST,
a14-tf. Chestertown, Md.

Oehm's Acme Hall.

SEND FOR SAMPLES.

IN A BIG CITY

There are many stores. One is the biggest — in Baltimore it's Oehm's Acme Hall. Largest stock — smaller profits, hence lowest prices, greatest variety—more selections. "Oehm's" is the place.

Men's Clothing

For the fall and winter, ranges in price from $7.50 a suit, up All the newest cloths, latest styles, better quality for the price than anywhere else. Same with Boy's Clothing.

Boy's and Men's Shoes and Hats

Furnishings, Underwear, Shirts, and other apparel, much larger stock than exclusive stores show, and at much lower prices.

We check bundles free, provide free waiting and toilet room for ladies, smoking and toilet rooms for men. Make us your headquarters when you're in town. All car lines pass

OEHM'S ACME HALL,

Baltimore and Charles Streets, Baltimore, Md. *The starting point to anywhere else in town.*

WESTCOTT & DODD.

We are now opening up every day our

MANY FALL BARGAINS.

But we would not have you believe that we are trading DOLLARS for QUARTERS, as some statements are as ridiculous. And we believe in no deception. When we advertise American Fine Grain Granulated Sugar you know that it is not German Beet Sugar. False Branding will not work. And another thing, we try at all times to have in stock what we advertise. Not out before the printer's ink is dry on the paper. Honest Competition is what no House fears.

OUR LOOSE ROASTED COFFEE

Is acknowledged by scores to be the best coffee on this market.

PICKLING VINEGAR!

The VERY BEST GRADE.

TEAS. TEAS. TEAS.

We are the largest dealers in Teas in this County.

Grand Muslin

One yard wide.....5c
Cant. Flannels lower than ever.
Ginghams.....5, 6 and 8c
Ticking.....8, 10, 12½, 15 and 18c
PLAIDS and NOVELTIES of Latest Style.

Never had such bargains in Black Serges.

UNDERWEAR of EVERY KIND

Blankets cheaper this season, bought early before the advance.
GLOVES of every kind and cheap.
Bargains in SHIRTS, PANTS and OVERALLS.

BOOTS AND SHOES

In Many Styles and Good Bargains.
Full Stock of OILCLOTH bought before the Tariff was put on.

☞ We pay the highest price for eggs. The average farmer could save from $5 to $10.00 per year by bringing Eggs to us. Ask Mrs. George Bell.

R. J. R. 4 A Tobacco..... 65c. lb.
Good Tobacco.....25c. lb.
You can't buy any better 2 for 5 Cigar.

WESTCOTT & DODD,

Sept. 25, 1897. Chestertown, Md.

DR. T. H. COOPER'S

Homeopathic Remedies

Knowing most all sickness can be prevented and most all, not preventable, can be saved from the dangerous form and course shortened by taking the remedy at the proper time, which is in the beginning of all disease, or —ANY OTHER TROUBLE. Without the remedy at hand, this is rarely, if ever, done.

These remedies are specially prepared to give this advantage to all who desire it. The price, 25 cents each, make them in easy reach of every family.

A cold cured in the beginning by two or three doses that would have run into the pneumonia is pneumonia prevented—nursing saved. Sick Headache, usually lasting two or three days, cured in 5 or 10 minutes, to say the least, is time saved—passions prevented.

Cut sickness short in first stage, which these remedies do, saves time and suffering, and is economy.

For Headache take.....No. 1
" Colds and Lagrippe take..... " 2
" Rheumatism take..... " 4
" Malaria and Chills take..... " 9
" Fevers take..... " 10
" Laxatives take..... " 12
And so on.

For sale at 25 cents each in nearly every village and town in Kent and Queen Anne's counties. s11-y.

WINDOW SHADES! WINDOW SHADES!

We are better prepared this fall to give our customers BARGAINS in ALL GRADES of WINDOW SHADES than ever before. We bought our stock direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving the jobbers' profit, which we intend giving our customers.

PERCY T. McFEELY,
o2. Opposite Voshell House.

25 CENTS FOR A BRAN NEW CHAIR, at P. T. McFEELY'S
sep2. FURNITURE STORE.

Sugar Takes a Drop!

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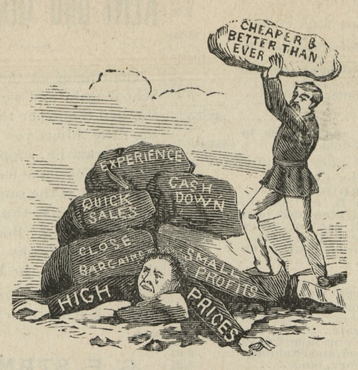

Will Tell.

Can You See the Point?

YES. Twice two are four, but 9 and 6 won't make 20. When you leave a dozen Eggs at a store, get a pound of Coffee and 6 cents change it doesn't make 20. Last week we gave you a pound of Enterprise Coffee and TEN cents change for a dozen of Eggs. This week what will we do? FIRST—we will pay you more for what you have to sell than any store in the county. SECOND—We will charge you less for what you buy. THIRD—We will sell you

TO-DAY, OCT. 2,

One Pound Granulated Sugar for 4c 2 pounds for . 8c
2 Pounds Enterprise Coffee . . 19c
1 Pound Tea and 15 inch Bread Knife, only . . 35c

Just Look---To-Day Only,

PEPPER, (20 cts the world over. . . 10c
YEAST POWDER. Sea Gull . . . 4c
7 for 25c.
FLOUR, Per Sack . . 28c, 32c, 35c and 40c
BUTTER, only 12½c
MUSTARD, (large Glass) only . . . 5c
SPICES, all Kinds and Bottle Goods at less than cost.
MOLASSES, per gallon, only . . 13c
SYRUP, "Our Golden", is fine, per gallon . . 23c
GASOLINE 12c
Do you want a BROOM for . . 9c
We have Rock Hall Bread, Fresh Daily

MEATS :--Fresh, Canned, Smoked.

From 3 to 5000 Pounds in Stock.

Canned Beef and Ox Tongue, per can . . 5c
Family Ham per pound . . . 12c
Picnic " 10c
Sausage, Fresh and Smoked . . 10c
Pork, per pound . . . 10c and 12½c
Veal, " . . . 12½c and 15c
Lamb, " . . . 12½c and 15c
Beef, " . . . 8c, 10c and 12c
Bologna Sausage, per lb . . 10c
Hogshead Cheese " . . . 10c

Salt Fish

MACKEREL, LABRADORY HERRING, POTOMAC HERRING,
SMOKED HERRING, CORNED SHAD,
BONELESS HAKE, BONELESS COD, SARDINES, SALMOM.

Cigars, To-Day Only.

1 Box Fifty 2 for 5c Cigars . . 45c
Tobacco for Smoking and Chewing . . 18c
30 Different Kinds of Tobacco in stock
Fancy Pipes from . . . 1c to 25c
You can get a good towel at Thompson's for . 10c
Soap of all Kinds from . . . 2 to 10
2 Cakes of Toilet Soap and a fine Towel . 20c

CLOTHING

1 Suit of Underwear 60c
Heavy Under Shirt . . . 37½c
We Have a Novelty in Men's Over Shirts
Pair of Heavy Winter Pants . . $1.00
1 Pair of Winter Hose . . . 5c

FEED:—Corn, Oats, Mill Feed and Bran.

SALT:—We have laid in a large stock of Salt which we will be able to furnish cheaper than ever before in this county.

☞ Get your NOTIONS at the Slaughter Sale on SATURDAY.

Wanted! 100 Head of Fat Cattle, 500 Head of Hogs, Lambs and Calves, 3000 pounds Country Meat 500 dozen Eggs for CASH.

Extortionate prices won't go in this age, call at the Glass Front Building, Opposite Voshell House where you can get Square Dealing. We will sell the consumer at Wholesale Prices. Come to your own rescue at the Great Price Cutter, Opposite Voshell House. It will pay you to read the KENT NEWS every week for the change in Prices. Thanking you for your liberal patronage, We are yours

Sincerely,

Opposite Voshell House. **R. THOMPSON.**

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