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March 17, 1900. KENNEDYVILLE, MD

WAS IT PURCHASED FOR Q. A. R. R?

Edwin H. Brown, attorney for Miss Annie W. Denny, has sold to Mr. Hugh L. Pope, Baltimore, the "John Denny" farm, situate on Kent Island, and adjoining the "Love Point" farm recently purchased by the Pennsylvania Railroad. The farm contains 130 acres, 2 roods and 15 perches and is situate on both sides of the public road leading from Stevensville to Love Point. It borders on both the Chesapeake Bay and Chester River and is considered one of the best water situations on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. The price paid was $5,000, which is considered a very good figure, when the facts that there are no buildings of any value and very poor fencing on the property are taken into consideration. Mr. W. Hopper Gibson, of Centreville, represented Mr. Pope in the transaction. Rumor has it and with some foundation, that the property was purchased for the Queen Anne's Railroad, to be utilized as the terminus of the proposed extension of the railroad to Kent Island. The deed for the property was filed for record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court last Saturday.—*Observer.*

How is This For M'Kinley?

A well-known gentleman of Kent county takes issue with the press when it says that a unanimous report was brought in at the Methodist conference by the temperance committee. He also encloses the following: The Washington Post of October 2, 1899, describing in advance the banquet to be served on October 3 at the Executive Mansion in honor of Admiral Dewey said:

"Sherry will be served with oysters, claret with the Soup, Souterne with fish, champagne ad Libitum afterwards. It is not likely that the Dewey banquet, for which the President has to pay out of his own pocket, will cost nearly if not quite $1,000, and the bulk of this expense will be for wines, the cigars, too being the very finest, will come to a pretty penny. Both wines and cigars are bought by the Steward, who is a connoiseur.

Still it is probable that some "good men" will continue to insist that President McKinley never put wine before his guests.

A FISH-CATCHING FISH.

He Has a Mouth One-third the Size of His Body.

Most remarkable of strange fishes is the angler fish, whose very name seems a paradox. The fishing fish is nevertheless a reality and a stern one to all that approach those awful jaws of his. With a body the color of mud he generally lies in the shadow of some rock on the bottom of the sea, waiting motionless for the approach of his prey. He is provided with an odd kind of fin just over the mouth, and this is held out in front of him to give warning of the coming of something to be swallowed. One taken alive was experimented on, and it was found that if this projecting fin was touched with a stick, even though the stick did not come near the mouth, the jaws closed convulsively. This shows that the fin, by some provision of nature, closes the jaws as soon as it is touched.

The mouth is tremendous, growing to the width of a foot when the whole fish is only three feet long. One of these anglers was caught not long since, and, though it was only 25 inches long, a fish 15 inches long was found sticking in its throat. The angler is provided with peculiar teeth set in double or treble rows along the jaws and at the entrance of the throat. Some of these teeth are a foot long. He is not a pretty fish to look at, but he attends strictly to business and will swallow anything that touches his warning fin, whether it is meant for food or not.

All kinds of things have been found in the stomachs of anglers, from bits of lead and stone to fish almost as large as the angler itself. This is without doubt one of the most peculiar and interesting fish in the whole ocean.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Bullfrog or Conscience.

"Are you one of the officers of the treasury department?" asked the man with the bloodshot eyes.

"I am assistant secretary of the treasury," was the reply. "What can I do for you?"

"Well, it's rather a confidential business, and I don't want it to go any further, but I've come to pay the government some money that I guess I owe it fairly. I came back from Europe some time ago with some dutiable goods concealed about me and got past the revenue officers with them. I figure that I beat the government out of about $6, and I've come to square up and get the matter off my mind."

"Well," responded the assistant secretary, "we have what we call a conscience fund, and as this seems to be a case of conscience"—

"I don't know that it's my conscience that troubles me," said the visitor, "but I do know there's a big bullfrog that stays in a pond near where I live, and he keeps me awake, night after night, with his infernal 'cough up, cough up!' and I've got tired of it."—Chicago Tribune.

If All Candidates Wore White.

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That's All.

"I hear that Bellingham has married money," said Perkasie.

"It's a false report," replied Rottingdean. "He married a cashgirl."—Detroit Free Press.

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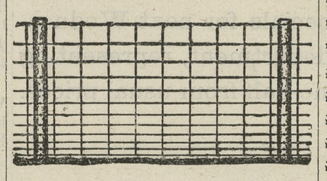

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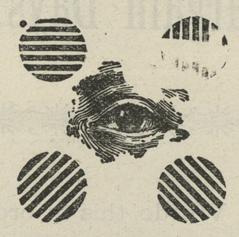

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A 20th Century Adv.

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So when the farmer stopped at the door of his first customer, he removed the top of his can, and there sat Mr. Frog in perfect serenity upon a large lump of butter.

The moral is: Constant agitation makes the butter come!

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