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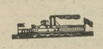
Exhibition of Corn Binder at Kennedyville on Thursday

An exhibition of the McCORMICK CORN BINDER was given on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 22, at Kennedyville, on the farm of Mr. Thomas Redmile. A large number of representative farmers were present and the unanimous opinion was that corn can now be harvested by the sheath as easily as grain. The machine is of a vertical type and was operated with two horses, carrying 50 hills on carrier. A number of orders were given in the field for machines and the agent, MR. TILGHMAN SHAFER, expects to sell several car loads in addition to the one car load already received. We understand there has been up to this date over 300 McCormick Corn Binders sold on the Eastern Shore to cut the present corn crop. Labor being scarce and the corn heavy makes the demand good in corn harvesting machinery, now that a successful machine has been put on the market.

TILGHMAN SHAFER,
a24-3t. Kennedyville, Md.

Kent and Queen Anne's County Fair at TOLCHESTER

Aug. 27, 28, 30, 1901,



STEAMER KITTY KNIGHT will stop at Tolchester, going and returning these days. Leave Fredericktown at 7 a. m. Shallcross' at 7.30 a. m., Cassidys at 7.45 a. m., Betterton at 8.15 a. m.; you can transfer Aug. 30th to Str. Susquehanna at Betterton for Tolchester.

Round trip including admission to the fair 75 cents, Children under 12 years of age 50 cts. Tickets good to return either of the 3 days.

This boat will leave Tolchester at 6 p. m., will not stop at Gale's Wharf or Buck Neck going direct to the above landings.

Remember the days, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday. Fast races and much to see.

THE TOLCHESTER CO.

AT TOLCHESTER FAIR.

Do not fail to see the most complete and cheapest FARM GATE in the world; will be exhibited at TOLCHESTER FAIR, August 27 28, 29 and 30. County Rights or Farm Rights for sale.

JOS. S. POGUE & SON,
FOX & TYSON,
a24-1t. Rising Sun. Md.

Dewey Park!

ON WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 4th we will have a TOURNAMENT. Those wishing to enter please make early application. Entrance fee $1.

Dance and Fish Supper

ALSO SAME EVENING.

E. THOS. MASSEY,
jy27-tf J. T. SHALLCROSS,

New Feature!

MERCHANT TAILORING

appreciating the demand for a TAILOR in in our town I have secured the services of

MR. JOHN EVANS,

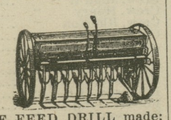
a gentleman from Philadelphia, who is thoroughly practical and experienced in every branch of the tailoring business. Mr. Evans is a cutter and maker of exceptional skill and designs all garments he makes from the latest Paris and New York fashions which assures you the latest styles. We purchase our goods from the leading cloth house in America which embraces the latest Domestic and imported fabrics.

We Also Give Especial Attention to Ladies'

trade; Suits, Skirts and Jackets made in any style wanted, and from your own material if desired. If you cannot determine upon just what fashion you want, our plates, which are the latest designs, will make it easy for you to decide. We make alterations, and in fact, do anything in the business and every patron shall be satisfied. Prices as low as possible commensurate with good service.

JOHN R. ROLLISON,
Chestertown, Md.
Second Door Below Savings Bank. aug10

THE EMPIRE DRILL.



The only FORCE FEED DRILL made; the Lightest Draft Drill made. For sale by Wm. HEPBRON,
a.17-3t.* Lynch Station, Md.

TOLCHESTER FAIR

One of the chief attractions at the Fair next week will be WM. MEDDERS & CO.'S fine exhibit in the Main Bazar Building. They have very kindly arranged to take care of all packages and will make their place a regular waiting room for the public.

TO EXPECTANT STRAW SELLERS

The American Strawboard Co, Chestertown, would respectfully ask the farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties, who have straw to sell, that they remove the wet straw from around the ricks, (especially those who have used blowers), as it will be impossible for them to handle it, owing to the wet weather.

C. W. KIBLER.
a24-3t. Purchaser.

SOLID COMFORT

is found sleeping on the PERFECT REST BED SPRINGS. Ladies are invited to examine them. A set will be placed on your bed for trial.

W. E. LANKFORD,
Voshell House,
a24 2mos. Chestertown.

ESTRAY HOG.



Strayed from the premises of the undersigned in Morgnec about middle of July a WHITE SOW, with right eye out; weight about 150 lbs. Will reward finder.

a24 3t. JAMES A. HICKMAN.

SEVERSON FARM FOR RENT.

The SEVERSON FARM near Still Pond is for rent for the year 1902.

Apply to
MARION DEK. SMITH,
HOPE H. BARROLL,
a24-3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.

One NAPHTHA LAUNCH about 30 feet long. The first reasonable offer will be accepted. For particulars.

Address. FRANK H. RUTH,
a17. Galena, Md.

FOR SALE.

SHOE STORE doing a good business, $5000 stock of goods; could reduce stock if desired; going South reason for selling. Best location in the City. Address.

P. T. F.
a.17-4t. 1327 West 9th St. Wilmington, Del

FOR RENT.

The STORE-ROOM adjoining the Chestertown National Bank, now occupied by Mr. J. B. Burchinal. Possession given Sept. 1 1901.

Apply to
G. B. WESTCOTT, Treas.
of the Mutual Insurance Com. of Kent Co.,
a.17- Chestertown, Md

FOR SALE OR RENT.

The STORE HOUSE and BLACKSMITH SHOP at Worton Station. Will rent the Store with immediate possession; Shop for 1902. Apply to,

HARRY E COOPER.
a10-3t,* Worton Station.

FOR SALE:



The CHESAPEAKE HOUSE at Rock Hall, on the bay. Has been occupied successfully the past twelve years as a boarding house. 11 bed rooms; stable attached. Possession given Jan 1, 1902. Apply to

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Chestertown, Md.
Or A. P. SHARP,
a17-3t. Baltimore, Md.

FOR RENT FOR 1902:

A dwelling in Fairlee, a good garden, good water, and Shoe shop goes with the dwelling.

Apply to
A. M. KENDALL, trustee,
a10 3t. Fairlee, Md.

FARM FOR RENT.

THE LUSBY FARM in Quaker Neck, near Pomona, for rent for 1902. The farm comtains 136 acres. Apply for terms to tenant or

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
a10-3t.* Chestertown, Md.

TO PRIVATE FAMILIES.

I desire to give special attention on empty FLOUR and OIL BARRELS. Drop me a card or call at our store. I never get "Barreled up," always room for more. Yours truely,

OWEN B. CROW,
a-10-tf. Chestertown, Md

STORE AND DWELLING FOR RENT FOR 1902:



The STORE-ROOM and DWELLING at EDESVILLE, occupied by M. B. Kilbourn, can be rented for 1902. House is in good condition. A good stable attached to the property, also a 3 acre lot. Apply to

MRS. HORACE WILSON,
a.17-3t* Rock Hall, Md.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE;



A Two STORY FRAME DWELLING and LOT on LYNCHBURG STREET in Chestertown, Kent county, Md. The lot is 20 feet 5 inches front, with a depth of 69 feet, 3 inches. Dwelling 16x14 with Shed Kitchen 8x10 feet. For terms apply to

EBEN F. PERKINS, Att'y
a.4-1m. Chestertown. Md.

FOR SALE:

ONE 15-horse-power upright tubular boiler cheap. Address

W. A. Potts,
a4-4t. Tolchester, Md.

HARES FOR SALE.

I have some BELGIAN HARES for sale. Will sell them cheap.

Apply to
A. RAYMOND PRETTYMAN,
a.17-3t. Galena, Md.

FOR SALE:



A BAY HORSE, 8 years old, perfectly sound and reliable.

Apply to H. S. BARNETT,
a17-3t. Chestertown.

COWS FOR SALE.



Having a surplus of stock, I will sell at private sale several of my GOOD MILCH COWS, all at the pail. Apply to

W. W. CROWDING,
a10-3t. Buckingham Farm, Morgnec.

WANTED:

SPRING CHICKENS every day, market price, also WATERMELONS.

HOTEL RIGBIE,
a10-tf. Betterton, Md.

SALESMEN WANTED to look after our interests in Kent and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address THE VICTOR OIL COMPANY, Cleveland, Ohio. a24-2t.

SALES TO TAKE PLACE.

SATURDAY, Aug. 24—Sale of carriages, etc., by Isaac Robinson Co., at Chestertown.

MONDAY, Aug. 26—Sale of stock by Edw. A. Corey, near Betterton.

MONDAY, Sept. 2—Sale of personalty by Wm. H. Lambert, agent, near Morgnec.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 4—Sale of stock, etc., by S. M. Rollison in Quaker Neck.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 11—Sale of stock of A. N. Howell, near Harmony.

MONDAY, SEPT. 9—Sale of personalty of Wm. H. Rollison, near Smithville.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 5—Sale of farming stock of W. Fletcher Melvin, opp. Chesterville lane.

SENSATIONAL ELOPEMENT!

Robt. H. Latham, Jr., and Miss Maggie L. Meekins Elope—Mr. Latham Now in Jail.

Miss Maggie L. Meekins, the pretty auburn haired daughter, of Mrs. Geiser, of Worton, eloped last week with Mr. Robert H. Latham, Jr., of Goose Hill. Mr. Latham is a married man about 26 years of age. His wife was Miss Cohee, of Worton and they have two children. They have been married seven years.

On last Friday Miss Meekins, who is only 16 years old, and young Latham decided to run off. They went to Baltimore and spent the day at a hotel; on Saturday they went to Rock Hall and registered at the Chesapeake House where they stayed two days and seemed to be happy and contented. At this place Constable W. J. Porter received word from Sheriff Davis to arrest them. The lovers were brought to Chestertown and a hearing held on Thursday before Justice Melvin. The case will be tried at the October court. W. W. Beck, Esq, appeared for Latham and State's Attorney J. D. Urie for State. Mr. Latham not being able to give bail was committed to jail. The case has excited much interest as the parties are all well-known.

LOCAL NEWS.

Postoffices Discontinued.—The postoffices at Catlin and McGinness, Queen Anne's county, have been discontinued to take effect August 31. Mail will thereafter go to Millington, Kent Co.

New Buildings.— Mr. Joseph Guest has contracted with Mr. Frank Duyer for the erection of a pretty three story dwelling house on Cross street adjoining his home. He has also contracted with Mr. Walter T. Pippin for the erection of two houses on Court street.

Mr. Pippin has just finished for Capt. Charles R. Kerr, at Rock Hall, a handsome three story residence. It is of colonial architecture and a credit to the builder and owner. It will make a handsome home for the captain.

Town Tax Rate is 30c—The board Chestertown Commissioners have decided to increase the corporation tax rate 5 cents, making the rate 30 cents on the $100 instead of 25 cents as heretofore. The board has found it necessary to increase the rate in order to provide funds to continue improvements to the town and keep in condition the improvements inaugurated by the ladies. Under the town charter the tax rate can not exceed 35 cents

Manager of 10 Mills.—Mr. B. E. Cobb and wife, of near Petersburg, Va., are guests of Capt. C. E. Crane and wife, on Water street. Mr. Cobb is the manager and part owner of 10 saw mills and factories in the South. It was at the home of Mr. Cobb that Messrs. Crane, Gilpin and France were so royally entertained last year and where Mr. France killed the fine deer which he so proudly exhibited to his Chestertown friends. Mr. Cobb has now fallen into good hands and is enjoying Kent's hospitality.

Tournament at Dewey Park.—Wednesday, September 4th, will be a gala day at Dewey Park near Sassafras, when a number of sports will be indulged in, including a baseball game between two strong nines. The feature of this special day, however, will be the tournament and Messrs. Shallcross and Massey extend a cordial invitation to all horseback riders of this vicitity to take part in this event. Entrance fee $1.00. Three prizes will be awarded, first, set of finely made carriage harness; second, lap robe and third, horse blanket. On the evening of September 4, at seven o'clock one of the fish suppers that has made Dewey Park famous, will be given, to be followed by a dance in the pavilion.

Big Sales.—The public sale of Mrs. Jennie P. Coppage on Monday was well attended and things sold good. Horses brought from $48 to $90; cows from $20 to $30. Implements sold well.

The Henry Gray sale on Wednesday was very large and buyers were present from Kent, Cecil, Queen Anne's and Delaware. Auctioneer Hurlock says that it was a $4,000 sale. Horses sold for from $45 to $150; cows from $20 to $40 a head; two-year old cattle from $16 to $25; mules from $175 to $288 a pair; hogs 6 cts. lb. live weight; farming implements sold at reasonable prices; household goods sold low.

Other sales are in the NEWS to take place.

Mr. Crow's Record on Wheat.—Mr. W. T. Crow, of Kent county, has a unique record as a shipper of wheat to the Baltimore market. Mr. Crow has been shipping his crop to Balto. for the past 20 years, and during all this period but 500 bushels of his wheat have failed to come up to the standard of No. 2 red or better. No. 2 red is considered about the best quality for export purposes. The largest crop ever grown by Mr. Crow was 4,100 bushels and the smallest 2,300 bushels. His farm contains about 250 acres. Members of the Chamber of Commerce doubt if there is another such record among the wheat growers of the State.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE A WINNING TICKET.

The Primaries and Convention Characterized by Harmony and good Feeling--A Large Attendance.

The Kent County Democratic Convention was held at the Court House Chestertown, on Tuesday. Delegates to the convention were elected on Saturday at primaries that were characterized by intense interest and good feeling.

The ticket nominated was:

For Treasurer.
JESSE R. COPPER.

For House of Delegates.
STONEWALL J. JOHNSON,
WILLIAM T. NICHOLSON.

For Sheriff.
THOMAS J. FLETCHER.

For Commissioners.
HARVEY BRICE,
LOUIS C. AYRES.

For Surveyor.
H. H. GRESHAM.

The following were the delegates composing the convention:

FIRST DISTRICT, Millington—S. J. Johnson, chairman; B. Frank Vansant, R. Wesley Moffet, C. Brad. Dudley, Isaac Gibbs. Galena—Harry Griffith, chairman; B. F. Walters, J. T. Matthews, J. R. Wilson J. F. Bishop.

SECOND DISTRICT—W. T. Hague, chairman; R. L. Wallis, E. W. Hepbron, W. D. Shinn, W. J. Hurlock. SECOND PRECINCT—L. J. Usilton, chairman; B. J. McCauley, Bedford Roe, E. T. Othoson, Harry Redmile.

THIRD DISTRICT—Jos. W. Howard, chairman; W. H. French, Chas. J. Ivens, J. C. Jones, Charles R. Crew, W. K. Hudson, Jas. Matthews, J. H. Hessey, R. G. Nicholson.

FOURTH DISTRICT—Wm. F. Russell, chairman; G. B Westcott, J. Ray. Bowers, J. D. Bacchus, T. G. Wroth, Edw. Robinson, Elwood Baker, H. W. Vickers, Jr., Edward W. Lusby, J. Cordray Loud.

FIFTH DISTRICT—G. Romie Scoone, chairman; Lee R. Durding, Robt. F. Jewell, Wm. W. Clayton, Chas. O. Kendall. SECOND PRECINCT—J. W. McCleary, chairman; Thos. A. Conner, H. M. McCluskey, Louis C. Ayres, John E. Hadaway.

SIXTH DISTRICT—T. E. W. Crew, chairman; F. H. Ward, J. Page Gale, C. R. Crew, W. J. Tarbutton, Wm. B. Plummer, Thos. J. Davis, J. H. Gibson, Geo. Bell, L. J. Keyser.

SEVENTH DISTRICT—W. S. Scoone, chairman; J. Henry Thompson, B. Frank Morris, Walter Barnes, Chas. M. Brown, Adam Startt, Jacob Wilbur, W. H. DeFord, Wm. McKee, James Newnam.

Chairman Wm. F. Russell, of the county executive committee, called the convention to order; Dr. J. H. Hessey nominated George Bell, of the 6th district, for chairman, and he was unanimously elected. Jefferson D. Bacchus, of the 4th was elected secretary. Mr. Bell, on assuming the chair, thanked the convention for the honor and said if he had not been taken so much by surprise he would have had a speech prepared.

The committee on credentials upon retiring found the above delegates entitled to seats in the convention.

Nominations for treasurer were called. Wm. T. Hague, of the 2nd dist., placed in nomination Jesse R. Copper, of the 2nd dist., and in doing so made a most pleasant and happy address. He said: "We must as Democrats be careful of our actions and realize our duty. Unless we nominate the best and strongest men we cannot hope to win. Let us lay aside little things and look to party welfare. Nominate men that will be an honor to our party, to the county. Jesse R. Copper is such a man—clean, honest and upright."

Dr. J. W. McClarey, of the 5th, in a few well chosen words said the 5th dist., had a strong son, in the person of Walter H. Hadaway, to present to the convention for treasurer.

Wm. F. Russell, the eloquent young Savings Bank cashier, presented the name of Charles L. Dodd. Mr. Russell's speech was especially popular with the delegates. Among other things he said:

"We have listened with pleasure at the speeches made by our friends in placing their favorite sons before this convention; but with your kind indulgence and permission we wish to add another name and ask you to give him that favorable recognition which his character and fidelity to party so richly deserve.

"As a boy he possessed a warm Democratic disposition and nature, and always entertained a strong ambition and hopefulness for the success of Democratic measures and Democratic men, and when by the dispensation of providence he reached the age of majority, he stood in his vigorous manhood and felt it no small honor to be permitted to carry out the desires and promptings of his boyhood days. From that day to this he has ever been a good citizen, a true, a consistant and fearless Democrat.

"We are aware that this convention can do whatever it wishes to do, but it must take responsibity for its conduct. It is not a question where might makes right—force can not take the place of reason and we cannot avoid the natural and legitimate results of our own action. Knowing that he has claims that especially urge his nomination and feeling that he will meet every emergency and serve his county well, we earnestly ask you to give the nomination to CHARLES L. DODD."

The vote was by roll call and resulted Copper 42, Dodd 18, Haddaway 10.

The nomination of Jesse R. Copper was then made unanimous upon motion of Thos. G. Wroth.

The convention then adjourned for one hour.

After recess nominations for legislative candidates were taken up.

W. S. Scoone, of the 7th, nominated Capt. Cecil R. Atkinson; R. Wesley Moffett, of the 1st, nominated S. J. Johnson, and F. H. Ward, of the 6th, nominated Wm. T. Nicholson. The roll resulted, Nicholson 62, Johnson 55, Atkinson 15. Nicholson and Johnson were declared by the chair the nominees for the House of Delegates, and the convention made the nominations unanimous.

Nominations for sheriff were called and T. E. W. Crew, nominated L. J. Keyser, of 6th: J. L. Usilton, nominated C. L. Gill, of 4th; S. J. Johnson nominated R. W. Comegys, of 1st, and T. G. Wroth, T. J. Fletcher, of 6th. The vote resulted, Fletcher 37, Gill 11, Comegys 11, Keyser 10. Fletcher was declared electedfor the position of sheriff and his nomination made unanimous.

In the nomination for county commissioner for the 3rd and 6th districts the following were named:

Dr. J. H. Hessey, Geo. S. Biddle, J. C. Jones, A. S. Crawford Harvey Brice and Sam'l Lee. The 3rd and 6th district delegations retired and agreed upon Captain Harvey Brice for commissioner.

The convention unanimously ratified the selection. Dr. J. H. Hessey positively declined the use of his name for the position.

For commissioner from the 5th and 7th districts the following were named: Louis C. Ayres, Thos. C. Maslin, H. Clay Lusby. The two delegations retiring agreed upon Louis C. Ayres for commissioner and the convention unanimously ratified the selection.

H. H. Gresham was unanimously selected for surveyor.

The following county executive committee was selected and the convention adjourned sine die:

FIRST DISTRICT—Gove Everett, Bradford Dudley, Fletcher Melvin, Frank Cochran, R. J. Johnson.

SECOND DISTRICT—W. J. Hurlock, Garrett Foxwell, A. V. Stavely, W. S. Hurlock, L. J. Usilton.

THIRD DISTRICT—Jos. W. Howard, John C. Jones, C. R. Skirven, Jas. Sheets, Geo. S. Biddle.

FOURTH DISTRICT—John Bell, C. J. Reiche, Edw. Robinson, G. W. Hatcherson, W. F. Russell.

FIFTH DISTRICT—G. R. Scoone, L. A. Durding, R. L. Jewell, Neal B. Wilson, Samuel Burgess.

SIXTH DISTRICT—J. Page Gale, T. E. W Crew, W. J. Tarbutton, C. H. Crew, W. B. Plummer.

SEVENTH DISTRICT—H. R. Strong, W. S. Scoone, T. J. Vickers, W. B. Barnes, C. M. Brown.

LITTLE LOCALS.

WHEAT was quoted at 73 in Chestertown yesterday.

ALL roads will lead to Tolchester next week.

NEW modern fireplugs are being placed in Chestertown by the water company.

CAPT. JACK LEWIS, who operates a gasoline boat on the Chester river, was fined $600 for violating the Federal marine laws. He failed to have copies of pilot certificates etc., on his boat.

SPEAK EASIES are flourishing in Queen Anne's. Constable Seward arrested two violators of the local option law this week.

THE house in Church Hill about which there has been so much law has been sold by Joseph Guest to Chas. Lane.

A CAR LOAD of old corn has been purchased by Mr. Thos. H. Topping for his Chestertown mill from Mr. B. J. McCauley. The price was 65c.

A game of ball between the Scott's Point Cadets, and the West Point Cadets, was played Monday afternoon, College Campus, the score being 9—0 in favor of the West Point. Batteries, Hickey and Kibler—Elliott, Barnett and Bramble.

JOSEPH GUEST, of this town, offers special low prices for next 30 days for cash on all goods in his line—as he says he needs room and money. Don't fail to read every word of his new adv. in this issue, or you may lose a bargain.

A CAT belonging to Mr. Robert R. Calder went mad on Wednesday and created great excitement on Maple Ave. Mrs. Calder was bitten, but Dr. Catlin anticipates no serious results. Officer Hudson shot the cat.

YESTERDAY was a big day at Tolchester. It was the annual re-union of the Maryland Knights of Pythias.

HOG CHOLERA is still playing havoc with hogs about Melitota. Mr. A. S. Bacon lost two on Thursday and Mr. Purnell Jefferson several. Others have also suffered severe loss.

THE largest cantaloupe of the season was shown at the NEWS office this week by Mr. Wright, of Queen Anne's. It weighed 15 pounds.

THE Kent county Commissioners on Tuesday decided to build the new road at Rock Hall, from the K. of P. hall to Sharp's landing. The contract was given to Mr. Thos. Drew.

JUSTICE FRANCE sent Mickey Gibson to the House of Correction for 12 mos. and Chas. Mitchell for 6 mos. this week. Deputy Sheriff Jack Davis and Officer Sam'l Cooper took them over Thursday. These officers were witnesses at the hanging of Butler in Balto., yesterday through the courtesy of Sheriff Schwatka, of Balto.

STRAW is said to be by Mr. C. W. Kibler, of the paper mill, more plentiful than for years. He requests farmers by ad. in another column, to clear up wet straw, etc.

Fred. Stratner in Town.—Mr. Fred. Stratner, of Wilmington, Del., is a guest of Mrs. A. P. Matthews, on Maple Ave. Fred. lost both of his arms in Wilmington about two years ago by burning in an electric power house. He sued the company and was awarded $15,000. He is now compelled to have a constant attendant, not being able to do anything for himself. He presents a pitiable appearance but says his health is good and he manages to get along with the help of his valet very well.

THE FAIR NEXT WEEK.

Exhibits Filling Up—Large Entries For The Big Trotting Races.

The Kent and Queen Anne's Fair next week promises to be a success. Supt. Noland says he is much concerned now what to do with the large number of exhibits and to find stalls for the fast horses. The entries for the races closed on Thursday. Some of the entries are:

Tuesday—2.22 class—Reddy Russell, Rosetta, Capt. Chuck, Numa, Black Venus, Joe Pearl, George Russell, Belle Rover.

Race open to Eastern Shore Horses—Little Joe, Lucy N., Adbert, Willie C., Bessie H., Nancy C.

In the 2.15 class there are seven entries.

Wednesday—2.20 class—Mexican Boy, Galfinch, Superior Lilly, Little Tobe, Ella Leo. Brown Bill, Victoria.

In the 3-year-old race are Milard and Prince from Kent and several Cecil county horses.

Thursday—$1.000 stake race—Honest John, Spaniard, Walter S., Henrietta, Sulfolk, Happy S., Bedworth, Jr., Jas. Lightning, Silver Bar, Hector, Captain Brino.

In the 2.40 race there are eleven entries.

In the 2.09, $500 race are Ida C., Mike Dunn, Castleton, Thadeus, Fora B., Ainsworth, No. 7.

On Friday the 2.35 race has 14 entries: the 2.27 race has 9 entries, and the mule race has several.

Capt. Hough, of Baltimore, will be starter. Some fast horses are among the entries and fast time will without doubt be made.

PEACH NOTES.

Messrs Tonkin & Ahern and R. N. Comegys are the most active buyers at Millington and have purchased some fine fruit. Howard Stevens, near Millington, expects to have 2,000 baskets of peaches. John Turner & Frank Emory, also near Millington, will have 2,000 and 3,000 respectively.

Capt. Curtis E. Crane, of the basket manufacturing firm of Crane, Hynson & Valliant, says that they have sold a larger number of baskets this season than last and he thinks that the peach crop this year will be greater than last.

Rain and sun have caused peaches to rot greatly and forced varieties several days.

Michael & Co., and Stevens Bros., are buying at Chestertown depot and have shipped about three cars a day. The prices range from 15 to 50 cents.

It is now believed that Georgia's peach crop this year will amount to 2,000 cars, or about 1,100,000 baskets, and that all or very near all, of the peaches gathered this year will bring $1 a basket net profit. If this is so, the peach growers of Georgia this year will receive $1,100,000 for their crops. The shipments from North Georgia are now moving rapidly, and the fruit is plentiful and large as well.

Eleven carloads of peaches were shipped from Keedysville and other points in Washington county August 19 over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and there seems to be a crop in all sections of Western Maryland.

Notice to Tongers.

For the convenience of the Tongers of the Fifth District, I will issue Oyster Licenses on FRIDAY, Aug. 30th, at the following places:

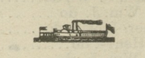
At Mr. S. J. Wickes Store from 8.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m., Rock Hall.

At Mr. Satterfield's Store from 11 a. m. to 1.30 p. m., Rock Hall.

Piney Neck, at Mr. W. R. Coleman's Store from 3 p. m. to 4 p. m.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

KENT and QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY FAIR



THURSDAY

August 29th,

The Big Day. The $1.000 Stake Race this day. Two other big races. We have chartered the big steamer EMMA GILES for the big day. Room for Everybody. Round trip 50 cents including admission to Fair.

Steamer leaves Fredericktown at 8.30 a. m., Shallcross' at 9 a. m., Cassidys at 9.15 a. m., Betterton at 10 a. m.; leaving Tolchester at 6 p. m., or immediately after the races. Bring all your family. Tickets can be had from the Committee,

G. W. LOCKWOOD,
J. T. SHALLCROSS,
R. LOCKWOOD,
Or at the Boat on Morning of Excursion.

FARMERS of KENT

USE ON YOUR WHEAT THIS FALL

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