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THURSDAY is Thanksgiving Day. Let all the people give thanks in a practical way—make some one happy.

The Baltimore papers say that "the oyster merchants of Baltimore are meditating organized effort to have the present cull law modified at the next General Assembly."

What do our tongers think of that?

The oyster tongers are satisfied with the present laws and only ask that the cull law and police protection be made more effective. What is known as the "local boat" for Chester River many regard as worthless—not for any unfaithfulness on the part of the Captain, but for the limited time of service.

THE draw at Chester bridge is again in need of repairs and experts say it can be done without much cost. The same old story. There has been enough money spent on this old draw to have built a new one and it is now time that a substantial improvement be made. The present one is clumsy, easily thrown out of gear and cosily to keep in repair.

The Retiring Sheriff.

Mr. Thomas Fletcher will likely swear in as sheriff next Tuesday. Sheriff Davis will remove to the Simpers house occupied by Mr. Wm. Morrison while his deputy will go to Philadelphia or Rock Hall. Sheriff Davis will retire from office with the consciousness of duty faithfully performed while his estimable wife has made an efficient helpmate. The sheriff will likely remove to the country at the first opportunity.

A Faithful Official Retires.

County Commissioner Jos. R. Usilton took his leave of the board last Tuesday. His term expired that day and his successor, in the person of Mr. Perry B. Rasin, will enter upon his duties next Tuesday. It is no more a duty than a pleasure for us as a public journalist to note the high character and efficiency of this retiring official and his comrades in the board, though differing with him in politics, all appreciate Commissioner Usilton's gentlemanly characteristics and conscientious regard for the county's interest in every matter that came before the board.

The Next Legislature.

Hon. Spencer C. Jones will make an ideal President of the Maryland Senate. He has the brains, the experience in public life, and the many other sterling qualities requisite for this responsible position.

Hon. John Hubner, the last presiding officer of the Senate, cannot be excelled in that position, and if he would accept he would be unanimously chosen by the democrats, no doubt, but it is said that he will not consent. Such men as Baltimore county's gifted Senator are an honor to any position.

A number of names have been mentioned in connection with the Speakership of the House. Either of the city's Democratic representatives would fill the bill, but why not an Eastern Shoreman? We are certainly entitled to this honor if the Western Shore is to get the Senate Presidency. JAMES S. SHEPHERD, of Dorchester, is a first-class man for Speaker. Give him the gavel.

Legislation on many subjects has already been suggested. Oyster tongers want better protection for their interests while the dredgers demand consideration for themselves and for city packers.

The sheep industry want protection from the thousands of worthless dogs in the State—and they ought to get it. The public roads will be tinkered at, but nothing practical will be done.

The new ballot law will demand and no doubt receive prompt attention. It needs amendment. Even in its defective form we believe it to be a decided move in the right direction. Any impartial mind, stripped from partizan prejudice, must see the great advantage of such a ballot. It is as far superior to the "picture ballot" as was that daisy affair to the old time vest pocket ballot. No ballot, however, can be perfect while any system of emblems is allowed, and a word or a letter may be as objectionable in that direction, as a man's nose or a hickory tree.

The election of a State Printer has been suggested to secure the profitable work of the Court of Appeals which has been captured by the Republicans in the election of the clerk to that body. This would be very little business. It is no good reason for the creation of another State office. There may be other reasons, however, which would justify such an election to overlook the Legislative printing. The present system is open to serious objection and certainly needs improvement.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Dr. John W. Chambers, the noted surgeon of Baltimore, with his interesting little daughter, Agnes, spent last Sunday in Chestertown, guests of Dr. W. F. Hines and family. Mrs. Chambers has also been visiting friends in Chestertown and in Queen Anne's, and returned to the city on Wednesday.

Miss Lulie Roberts, of Richmond, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. D. L. Greenfield.

Miss Annie P. Jester is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Fannie Baker is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Hope Wickes has been visiting the Misses Carville in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert, of Philadelphia, have been guests at the home of Mrs. A's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Anthony on High street.

Mrs. M. E. Fowle and son, Will, of Washington, and Mrs Wm. Ashley, of Balto., are guests at Mr. A. S. Crawford near Worton.

Mr. Raymond Miller joined the Davis boys in Baldwin's locomotive works, Philadelphia, on Wednesday.

Capt. Maurice P. Barroll has been made commander of Fort Howard.

Conductor John D. Welch has been granted a ten days vacation and is enjoying the well-earned rest. Mr. E. B. Ellis, of No. 1329 West Fifth street, is running in his place.

Mr. Harry Newnam, of near Chester bridge, will remove his interesting family to Baltimore after Christmas.

Mr. Wilbur Hurlock has opened an office in the Equitable Building, Baltimore, and will conduct a brokerage business.

Mr. W. S. Carroll has removed his family into the brick house on corner of Mill and Cannon street, having sold his Kent street home to Mrs. Crow.

Miss Irma Eliason, of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Eliason, on Spring Avenue.

Mr. Edw. W. Rice, who is a student of Jacob Tome Institute, Port Deposit, Maryland, is spending his Thanksgiving vacation home with his parents at Fairlee, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Miller.

Justice Thos. D. France, Curtis E. Crane and Dr. C. P. Gilpin are enjoying a gunning trip down in Virginia, we hope they'll each catch a deer this time, at least the doctor.

Mrs. Geo. Brice and two children are spending several weeks with relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. T. W. Russell and daughter, Miss Lottie, spent several days in Baltimore this week.

Miss Anna G. Lambert, organist of the Chestertown M. E. Church, gave an organ recital at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Odessa, Del., on last Thursday evening week. The Temple Male Quartette, of Wilmington, assisted in the evening's program.

Mr. Godfrey Westcott, son of Mr. George B. Westcott, of Chestertown, left this week for North Carolina where he will enter the employ of Messrs Trenchard Bros., in their lumber business.

Mrs. Jno. H. Younger and four daughters, Margarett, Sadie E., Marie K., and Emma T., are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Katie Trew, near Pomona, is spending several months visiting Baltimore, Cambridge and other places.

No people have more for which to be thankful than Kent countians Therefore be glad and praise the Giver of all good things by better living.

POSTMASTER HICKS, of Philadelphia, is to be supplanted by Mr. McMichael an ardent Quayite. Hicks made it too hot for Quay.

1443.

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL, } ATTORNEY.

Order Nisi.

Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees.
vs.
James H. Warren and Martha A. Warren, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 21 day of November 1901, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in equity, that the sale of the Real Estate of James H. Warren and Martha A. Warren, his wife, made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll assignees under the power in the mortgage from James H. Warren and Martha A. Warren, his wife, to the Chester Loan Association of Kent County, one dated March 31st, 1896, and recorded in Liber S. G. F., No. 4, folio 283 etc., the other dated July 8th, 1896 and recorded in Liber S. G. F. No. 4, folio 553, etc., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25 day of January next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 24th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $550.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:—
n23 4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

1428.

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL, } ATTORNEYS.

Order Nisi.

Marion dek. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees.
vs.
David C. Elburn and Sarah R. Elburn, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 18th day of November 1901 by the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, that the sale of the Real Estate of David C. Elburn and Sarah C. Elburn his wife, made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers of the Chester Loan Association of Kent county and assignees under the power in the mortgage from David C. Elburn and Sarah C. Elburn, his wife, to the said Chester Loan Association of Kent county, dated the 12th day of August 1898 and recorded among the land records of Kent county in Liber J. T. D. No. 1, folio 353 etc., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of January next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successiva weeks before the 24th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $275.00

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:—
n23-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Mr. Marcus Asher is purchasing a carload of turkeys and ducks for Thanksgiving.

James T. Mullin & Sons.

A Store For Men and Boys.

Fall Overcoats.
Winter Overcoats.
Heavy Reefers.
Heavy Suits.
Heavy Trousers.
Heavy Underwear.
New Furnishings.
New Hats.

Winter Shoes.

The height of the buying season. Big stock, latest styles, moderate prices. We will save you money by selling you good goods.

JAS. T. MULLIN & SONS.,

6th and Market, Wilmington,

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL. } ATTORNEYS,

Order Nisi.

Marion dek. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees.
vs.
Thomas Drew and Mary Drew, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED this 18th day of November, 1901 by the Circuit Court for Kent County in equity, that the sale of Real Estate of Thos. Drew and Mary Drew, his wife, made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll assignees under the power in mortgages due from said Thos. Drew and Mary Drew, his wife, to the Chester Loan Association of Kent County, the one dated the first day of February 1894—and recorded among the Land Records of Kent County in Liber S. G. F. no. 2, folio 289 etc.,—the other dated the 29 day of September 1897 and recorded among the aforesaid Land records of Kent County in Liber S G. F. no. 6, folio 220 etc., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of January next;—Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 24th day of December next.

The Report states the amount of Sales to be $400.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:—
n23 3t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL, } ATTORNEYS.

Order Nisi.

Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers,
vs.
John W. Hyland and Sara M. Hyland.

In The Circuit Court For Kent County In Equity.

ORDERED, this 13th day of November, 1901, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the mortgage Real Estate made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees of a mortgage from John W. Hyland and Sarah M. Hyland to the Chester Loan Association, dated March 6th, 1893, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of January next;—PROVIDED, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $115.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:
n16 4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL, } ATTORNEYS.

Order Nisi.

Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers,
vs.
Alice M. Meeks and W. Charles Meeks.

In The Circuit Court for Kent County In Equity.

ORDERED, this 18th day of November 1901, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the mortgaged Real Estate, made and reported by Marion deK Smith and Hope H. Barroll receivers and assignees of a mortgage from Alice M. Meeks and W. Charles Meeks to the Chester Loan Association, dated June 12th, 1896 be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of January next: provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $175.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, clerk,

True Copy.—Test—:
n16-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, clerk.

1430.

MARION DEK. SMITH, HOPE H. BARROLL, } ATTORNEYS.

Order Nisi.

Marion dek. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees.
vs.
David E. Joiner and Nora V. Joiner, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 18th day of November 1901, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the Real Estate of David E. Joiner and Nora V. Joiner his wife, made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H Barroll assignees under the power in the mortgage from David E. Joiner and wife to the Chester Loan Association of Kent county, dated the 11th day of March 1899, and recorded among the land records of Kent county in Liber J. T. D. No. 2, folio 253 etc., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of January next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 24th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $305.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk,

True Copy.—Test:—
n23 4t. JAMES T, DIXON, Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale

TWO VALUABLE FARMS

Near Smithville, Kent Co.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, at the suit of Wm. S. Walker and Hiram M. Brown, trading as Beck, Walker & Brown, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Harrison I. Parsons and Harry B. Parsons, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Harrison I. Parsons and Harry B. Parsons in and to the following property:

Number 1.

ALL THAT FARM

where Harrison I. Parsons now resides, situated in the Third Election District of Kent county on the left side of the public road leading from Smithville to Churn Creek containing

176 Acres of Land



more or less, together with the improvements thereon consisting of a large frame dwelling and necessary out buildings.

Number 2.

ALL THAT FARM

situate on the right side of the aforesaid public road and opposite the H. I. Parsons farm commonly called the Isaac Parsons home farm, or Mt. Pleasant, containing

183 Acres of Land



more or less, together with the improvements thereon consisting of a large frame dwelling and out-buildings.

The above property is more particularly described in Liber J. C. S., number 1, folio 386, one of the will record books for Kent co.

And I hereby give notice that on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, '01,

at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House door in Chestertown, Md., I will offer for sale the said property, so seized and taken in execution, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

JOHN C. DAVIS,
nov 23—ts Sheriff.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE!

in CHESTERTOWN, MD.

BY virtue of decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., in equity, the undersigned as trustee, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, December 10th, 1901.

at eleven o'clock A. M. the following real estate of which the late Thomas Wright died seized and possessed. It being that property situated on Cannon St., Chestertown, Md., adjoining the property of the Colored Building and Protective Association of Chestertown and the property of James W. Chapman; having a frontage on said Cannon St., of eighteen feet and a depth of one hundred feet more or less. The property is improved by a comfortable two story frame

DWELLING 

in good repair, with three rooms down stairs and three up stairs. This property will either make a good home or a profitable investment if rented.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of purchase money cash on day of sale; the balance in two equal installments in six and twelve months, with interest on deferred payments from the day of sale secured by bond or notes of purchaser with securities approved by trustee Purchaser to pay for deed.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Trustee,
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. n16-ts.

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The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

(Home Office, Baltimore, Md.)

PAID UP CAPITAL - - - - $1,500,000.

Surety Bonds Executed Without Delay.

WM. W. BECK, - Gen'l Agt,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Correspondence solicited.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

TRESPASSING with dog, gun boat or otherwise, on the river shore, creeks or premises of the undersigned is positively prohibited. No one is permitted to assume that this notice does not apply to them.

FRANK BAXTER,
J. THOS. SMITH,
S. R. HURLOCK,
W. HENRY SMITH,
JOSHUA HENDRIX,
CAPT. P. C. JESTER,
THOMAS SKIPPER,
JOHN F. COPPER,
MARGARET WRIGHT,
WM. H. KIRBY,
JAMES T. ANTHONY,
MARY A. DUKES,
WM. H. FIELDS,
WM. J. BENTON,
JOHN C. SMITH,
W. IRVING WALKER,
J. B. MEREDITH,
ALBERT STORY,
DANIEL McKEE,
SAMUEL L. WRIGHT,
H. H. KLINEFELTER,
JOSEPH EVERETT,
WM. T. SEWARD,
JOHN G. SCHAWBER,
CHARLES E. COPPAGE,
n9 4t. HARRY T. TUCKER.

A LARGE LINE!



Better goods this fall for less money, better quality at less profit, better value with more satisfaction are the inducements we hold out to

Clothing Buyers

this season. Our stock was never larger, and never more carefully selected than it is now; and includes Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing and Furnishings generally; and we are selling on the same good idea that we started out with four years ago.

We are keeping the quality at the highest notch, and the price at the lowest notch and we are doing it so naturally and so comfortably that people find it a wonderful satisfaction trading here. One of our principle clothing features is, that everything is marked in plain figures so that the child can deal here safely and as comfortably as the parent.

TROWSERS

in various fancy Cheviots, Cassimeres, and Neat Worsted Stripes.

Underclothing



Does your underclothing tickle? Is your skin tender? There's no sense or necessity in suffering torture from the old out-of-date woolen underclothing which irritates the skin beyond endurance, when you can buy Fleeced-Lined Underclothing, (all sizes and grades) from us. Fleece - Lined Underclothing means peace of mind.

A Word About HATS

A seedy looking hat can do you lots of harm. A man can't look you into the face withou seeing your hat. If its neat and becoming he notices it. If its seedy, you look seedy too, no matter how brightly your shoes may shine, or how natty your clothes are.

We are showing all the latest blocks and shades in FALL HATS, and the only reason that we sell $2 Derbys at $1,50 is because we are able to.

NECKWEAR

You must first see our 25c Ties to appreciate them. Equal to many 50c offerings.

Trunks and Telescopes

Canvas covered square Trunks, yale locks, from 2.50 up. Zinc covered from 1.50 up. We sell more trunks than all the other stores in Chestertown combined. Come see us.

CLOTHIER **J. D. LUCAS,** CLOTHIER

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