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Pastor Called.—Rev. L. E. Poole, who for several years has been pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Chesapeake City, has received a call to become pastor of Scott's Church, Wilmington, Del., to succeed Rev. Walter E. Avery, who recently died from paralysis, with which he was stricken while in the pulpit. Rev. Mr. Poole was a student at Washington College.

Body Found in Canal.—The body of Miss Ella L. Garrison, of Chesapeake City, Cecil county, Md., was found by a young man named Lloyd in the Chesapeake and Delaware canal. A reward of $50 was offered for the recovery of her body. Miss Garrison, who was about 50 years of age, had been in ill health for sometime past and very despondent. She left a personal estate of about $5,000, which now goes to her only sister, Mrs. Workman. Miss Garrison was a daughter of the late Edward L. Garrison and has been a resident of Chesapeake City all her life.

Death of Capt. Vanneman.—Capt. Theodore J. Vanneman, one of Cecil county' leading citizens, died at his home in Port Deposit on Wednesday night last, in the 71st year of his age, after an illness of only two days of acute indigestion.

The deceased was formerly engaged in the lumber business, but in recent years conducted a large fire and life insurance business. He was a soldier in the civil war, and was wounded at the battle of Malvern Hill which was a source of discomfort to him throughout life. He was a member of the Grand Lodge of Masons and Knights Templar. He was also a member of the Antietam Battlefield Commission appointed by Governor Lowndes.

His funeral took place last Saturday afternoon. He leaves surviving him a widow, Mrs. Margaret Vanneman, two sons—W. C. C. Vanneman, of Hinton, W. Va.; A. M. Vanneman, of the Tolchester Steamboat Company—and three daughters, Misses Virginia, Belle H. and Margaret Vanneman.

A New Company.—The Easton Fuel and Light Company has purchased the plant and franchise of the Easton Gas and Electric Light Company. This is a new company incorporated in Dover, Del., with a capital stock of $50,000. The directors are: Harry A. Richardson, of Dover; Fred R. Owens and William H. Deweese, of Denton; Judge William R. Martin, of Easton, and William King, of Philadelphia. An ordinance has been passed by the Town Commissioners contracting with the new company for lighting the town.

Silk Factory For Maryland?—Mr. Thomas A. Smith, Chief of the State Bureau of Industrial Statistics, has received a letter from the State Department at Washington, D. C., inquiring as to any possible encouragement that might be given an enterprise in Europe.

It is stated that the owners of large silk mills in Germany desire to remove their plant to this country. They want a donation of 10 or 12 acres of land and concessions in the way of exemption from taxation for a term of years.

The purpose is to begin work in this country with a factory employing 200 or 300 hands, and to enlarge the plant until it will furnish work for 700 or 800 persons. A great many of the employes will be women.

Mr. Smith will lay the matter before the authorities of the various counties, and endeavor to secure the enterprise for Maryland.

A LAWSUIT growing out of a tenant's moving and carrying off with him the summer kitchen on one of the farms of S. W. Hall, of Delaware, was decided by a jury Monday in behalf of the defendant, James O. Jones. The amount that Mr. Hall claimed was $143, with interest from January 1, 1899, but the defendant established, to the satisfaction of the jury, that he had only moved the kitchen floor, pump and trough and these he had put in himself.

IT cost $50,000 to defray the expenses attending the death and burial of the late President McKinley.

Low-Rate Tour to the Yellowstone Park via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On account of the Annual Convention of the National Educational Association at Minneapolis, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a personally conducted tour to Minneapolis and the Yellowstone Park, leaving New York July 5, and, returning, arriving in New York July 20. Round-trip tickets, covering all necessary expenses for the entire trip will be sold at rate of $150 from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad east of Pittsburg. Rate from Pittsburg $5 less. A special train of Pullman dining, sleeping, compartment and observation cars will be used. Six days will be spent in Yellowstone Park.

For itineraries and other information apply to ticket agents, Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or George W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

That Reorganization Scheme.

The suggestion heretofore published that Isaac Lobe Straus, S. Davies Warfield, William Keyser and others undertake to reorganize the Democratic party has met with a storm of indignation from the press of this State. One of the strongest articles was published by the Democratic Advocate, the following closing words having our hearty endorsement:

"The only suggestion we would make to more compactly weld in the party would be that some perennial candidates and seekers after perferment- good party men though they are and have always been—should step aside and let others have a chance. There is no suspicion against their devotion to principles or loyalty to party. They have advocated Democratic principles and loyally stood by the party and its nominees. They have not sulked in defeat, but the people have grown tired of their names. Their continual application for nominations or offices is causing good Democrats to grow lukewarm. Many Democrats believe they should step aside, and allow others to have some of the honors and emoluments of office. New names on tickets would inspire many voters to renewed efforts, and the lukewarm would be transformed into ardent party workers. Some who have come to believe that only a favorite few can succeed, would have their views changed, and would enter into contests with renewed hope.

No reorganization of the party is needed—only some new names on the tickets, then other men will be found in the ranks of the active workers. New names, however, must be names of Democratis from principle, competent men and clean men, who are deserving of distinction by reason of party service. No disorganizers are wanted, No men who have been nursing grievances. No men who view the party as an organization to lift them up to honors and emolument. But men devoted to the principles of party, who neither sulk in defeat nor grow arrogant in victory. This is the need of the party. Nothing more."

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Trustee's Sale

OF ONE OF THE MOST VALUABLE ESTATES IN KENT COUNTY KNOWN AS THE

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Containing 375 Acres of Land.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in chancery cause entitled Charlotte A. Strong et. al. vs. Robert Wickes et. al., being No. 1321, wherein Hope H. Barroll was appointed Trustee to sell the real estate hereafter described, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, May 27, 1902

Between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, ALL THAT

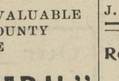
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375 ACRES

OF LAND, situate, lying and being on Eastern Neck Island, in Kent county, Maryland, on the waters of the Chester river and the Chesapeake Bay. This is one of the handsomest and most desirable estates on the Chesapeake Bay. Its peculiar location, lying as it does at the mouth of Chester river, at this point three miles wide, with the waters of the Chester river on the east side and those of the Chesapeake Bay on the west, with an unsurpassed river and bay view, make it one of the most valuable tracts of land now on the market. For years past PEACHES FROM THIS FARM AND EASTERN NECK ISLAND have commanded the HIGHEST MARKET PRICES in Baltimore and other markets. It has been many years since any estate as fine as this on the Island has been offered for sale. The land is well adapted to the growth of all Grains, Fruits, Berries, Grass and everything else which can be grown on the most productive soils in Kent. It is within one mile of the wharf of the Chester River Steamboat Co., on Eastern Neck Island. The shores of the farm are close to the interesting, valuable and LARGEST OYSTER BEDS; the Fisheries here are valuable, and for the last century its shores have been known for its fine Swan, Wild Geese and Duck Shooting.

The Fine Dwelling



is a large and commodious FRAME STRUCTURE of Ten or Twelve Rooms, with a wide and attractive Porch, surrounded by ample shade. There is a Barn, Stable, Dairy, Meat House and other buildings on the farm. Any one wishing a home on the shores of the Chesapeake Bay, or to any one desiring a profitable investment, this farm offers a most attractive opportunity. It is about six miles from the thrifty and thriving village of Rock Hall, the proposed terminus of the projected Kent County Railroad, and the last landing of the Centreville Line of Steamers, in daily communication with Baltimore. The present tenant of the farm is Mr. James E. Newcomb, who will take pleasure in showing it to any intending purchaser. This estate was formerly the residence of the late James P. Wickes.

TERMS OF SALE:—As prescribed by the decree are one third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments, payable in one and two years respectively. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the note or notes of the purchaser, to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at cost of purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL, TRUSTEE.

J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct'r.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the late Charlotte A. Wickes and all other persons who may be interested in the proceeds of the sale of this estate, to file their claims on or before the 26th day of August, 1902, duly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, otherwise they may by law be excluded from any share in the distribution of the proceeds of sale in this cause. After that date an audit will be stated, distributing the trust estate.

HOPE H. BARROLL, TRUSTEE.

Any intending purchaser can make satisfactory terms by arranging with the undersigned for assistance in compliance with the terms of sale.

ap26-ts. HOPE H. BARROLL, ATT'Y.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

— OF —

Dwelling Houses

IN MILLINGTON.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in equity, passed in a cause wherein Lelia J. Nickerson and others were complainants and William J. Turbit and others were defendants, the undersigned, as trustee, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY, 3d of June, 1902,

Beginning at 12 o'clock M.,

ALL THOSE LOTS

OR PARCELS OF LAND situate in the aforesaid town:

LOT NO. 1.—ALL THAT LOT OF LAND situate on the south side of Cypress street, having a frontage of 50 feet and running back to Chester river, containing ONE HALF ACRE OF LAND, more or less, and adjoining the lands of Mrs. Alex. Maxwell, J. A. Benson and others. The improvements consist of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, with Back Building, in ordinary repair. This property is now in the tenancy of Mr. Thomas M. Britton.



LOT NO. 2.—ALL THAT LOT OF LAND situate on East Cypress street, having a frontage of twenty feet and a depth of sixty-four feet, adjoining the lands of Jas. R. Jones and others. The IMPROVEMENTS consist of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, which has been used as a store and office.



THE TERMS OF SALE, as prescribed by the decree, are: One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, or upon the final ratification thereof, at the option of the trustee; the balance of purchase money to be paid in two equal installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the trustee. All deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale.

MARION DEK. SMITH, TRUSTEE.

J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct'r. my3 ts.

Reduction in Rates on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company (Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore Railroad), announces that beginning May 1st, the rate for first class one way tickets between points on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad, Chestertown to Massey inclusive, will be reduced to three cents per mile. Beginning the same date, excursion tickets from Massey, and intermediate points, to Chestertown and return, will also be placed on sale.

AGENTS WANTED—Life of T. DeWitt Talmage, by his Son, Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage and associate editors of Christian Herald. Only book endorsed by the Talmage family. Enormous profit for agents who act quickly. Outfit ten cents. Write immediately CLARK & CO., 222 S. 4th St. Philadelphia, Pa. Mention this Paper.

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WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, PRESIDENT.

JEFFERSON L. SMYTH, SECRETARY AND TREASURER

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS for KENT COUNTY,
APRIL 15th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Kent county that the County Commissioners will sit at their office in the Court House Chestertown, on Tuesday April 22nd, 1902, and every Tuesday thereafter until the 20th of May for the purpose of hearing and granting appeals for transfers and releases of taxable property, and for the transaction of other public business. On and after May 20th, no transfer or releases will be granted from the assessment for 1902.

By order of the Commissioners,

Apr. 19. H. THEO. JEWEL, Clerk.

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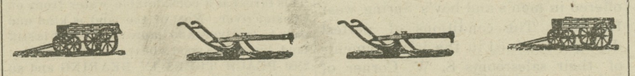
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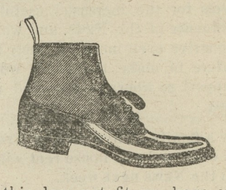
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