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COAL has been reduced 50 cents per ton for this month.

IT is high time the Chestertown and Baltimore Trolley Co. had done something. If they do not intend to use their franchise, then let some other company have a chance.

THE primary election for candidates for Mayor of Baltimore will be held on Tuesday. Under the new law both parties will vote on that day at the same polling places, but with different ballot boxes and differently colored tickets. It is a close fight with the chances in favor of McLane and Platt.

THE county commissioners will make an effort to have all county script discounted at the banks at 5 per cent., thus saving to the county quite a sum every year. It is hoped that the banks will accept the proposition. If the banks refuse, then it is believed that individuals can be found who will be glad to accept the proposition.

POLITICAL NOTES.

A slight ripple on the political sea was noticed Tuesday and the article in the NEWS came in for general discussion.

Mr. Wm. D. Crosby, of Piney Neck, was in town looking after his candidacy for the Legislature. He has even prepared in the rough several laws to be presented at the coming session. He is in favor of the Court appointing an auditing committee whose duty it shall be to audit the books of the county officers every six months and also that no man shall be eligible to the Treasurer's office who cannot conduct the duties of said office.

Mr. Samuel Comly says he is no candidate for sheriff but desires both parties to put up good men so that "independents *like him*" can take their pick!

Mr. Wm. Steele, of Galena, says he is in the hands of his Democratic friends and at their urgent solicitation has consented to be a candidate for commissioner. He has been a worker in the ranks for sometime and thinks he is deserving of the place.

Mr. W. W. Baldwin, of Chesterville, is said to be slated for the commissionership on the Repulican ticket from the first district as Mr. Louis Atwell, it is said, does not care to run again. Mr. Clarence Price, of Millington, may give Mr. Baldwin a fight for this place as his friends claim that he has been slighted and that he is the proper man for the position.

Mr. Robert Shallcross, of Dewey Park fame, is being urged by some of his warm friends to announce himself as candidate for commissioner on the Democratic ticket, but Mr. S. is moving very cautiously and looking over the situation.

Mr. Henry Grey is another good Democrat whose friends are urging him for a place on the ticket, but with his good judgment and wisdom he is not rushing into a fight but is sawing wood and not saying much. Then there are Mr. R. Wesley Moffett and Mr. Charles W. Rolph, both of Millington, whose names are being talked of for Sheriff or some other position.

Mr. John Medders, of Kennedyville, is making many friends in his contest for Register of Wills and *up to this time* has but one other rival, Mr. Wm. H. Ford, and he is not an avowed candidate. But, what if the Senator should come from Black's Station?

The fight for Treasurer in the Fifth district is the only real contest in the county at present and both Mr. Wilson and Mr. Hadaway claim the victory. Good natured rivalry never does harm but when mud slinging is indulged in then the party that does it is hurt.

Mr. Charles England was in town Tuesday and says he does not care for the Sheriff's office as Sheriff Fletcher says it is no good. He would not object, however, to having the Treasuryship.

Mr. John A. Duyer, the well-known officer of Worton, has announced his candidacy for sheriff subject to the Democratic primaries. He says he has received a number of encouraging letters from various sections of the county.

Mr. Alfred O. Jones says there are many candidates who will likely receive "drop" letters from about home before the campaign is over.

QUEEN ANNE'S commissioners on Tuesday named the road supervisors of the county and also limited the amount to be expended. In the 1st district $1,565 is appropriated and L. M. Booker is to get $1200; 2nd, $1255, and $1000 to go to O. C. Newnam; 3rd, $1455; 4th, $435; 5th, $1190; 6th, $995; 7th, $720; total $6,615.

The NEWS' Sassafras letter and other special matters have been unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

PERSONAL TIDINGS.

Mr. Samuel F. Evans and family, of Pittsburg, but lately of Virginia, joined his brother at the Imperial Hotel, Chestertown, Saturday, and will make an effort to purchase a farm in this county. Mr. Evans and family have rented Mr. F. G. Usilton's Queen street dwelling and will remove there at once to remain until they can get suited in a farm. We are glad to welcome the Messrs. Evans and families and think they will find Kent the garden spot.

Misses Maggie and Essie Gears, two of Worton's most attractive young ladies, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs Vernon Barnett on High street.

Mrs. E. P. Roberts is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Bryan, at the M. E. parsonage.

Miss Annie Hart, of Wilmington, has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Twilley.

Mr. Howard Davis, son of Mr. John C. Davis is ill with typhoid fever at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia. Mr. Davis visited his son there Sunday.

Miss Clara Usilton is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. T. McFeely, in Mt. Vernon, New York.

Mrs. Miller, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Flora Wheatley at the home of Mrs. Mamie Dodd, High street.

Mr. George R Biddle has accepted a clerical position in Philadelphia.

Miss Margaret Bell, of near Chestertown, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Edward Crow, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Wm. H. Ivens has entered the employ of Gimbel Bros., Philadelphia, and will be glad to welcome his many friends. He is in the gents furnishing department.

Mr. Frank B. Hines, a student at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, spent Sunday with his parents on Maple avenue.

Mrs. Charles R. Brown and children of Baltimore, spent several days in town this week.

Mrs. James A. Pearce has returned to Chestertown after spending several months in Annapolis.

Mr. George Dill has returned to his old home in Kent county.

Mr. Raymond Walbert, of Lankford, has accepted a position at Townsend.

Mrs. Lydia C. Shaw returned Tuesday from a pleasant visit to friends in Baltimore county.

Miss Elsie Ricauds, of Still Pond, has been the guest of Mrs. L. J. Smyth in town.

Miss Ivens has entered the store of Mr. E. E. Hudson as a saleslady.

Mr. Milton Peregoy, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his parents on Mill street.

Mrs. G. Dallas Walters and Miss May Eva Walters, of Howard county; Mrs. Arthur Clark Hurlock, of Cambridge; Miss Julia Clare Vannort, of Chestertown; Miss Nellie Marie Dadds, of Annapolis, and Mr. J. Walter Skirven, of Kent county, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stockton Startt, 2023 Druid Hill Avenue, Baltimore.

Justice Thomas D. France has been confined to his home this week by sickness.

Mr. J. Lecompte has been quite sick for sometime. He was kicked by horse in the winter and after recovering from this was stricken with fever. We are glad to report him better at this writing.

Miss Hardcastle, of Easton, spent Sunday with her sister at the college.

Mr. John Loud, son of Mr. J. C. Loud, has accepted a position with Mullin & Son, Wilmington, and expects to leave town Monday. He has been clerking for Westcott & Dodd and is an agreeable and popular young man.

Miss Holstein, of Armstrong Cator & Co. has entered Sparks & Jefferson's as assistant to Miss Katie Wheatley.

Mrs S. E. Forman, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting friends in Kent.

Miss Nannie Taylor, one of Rock Hall's popular young ladies, is visiting friends in town

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. J. P. Ahern spent Tuesday in Philadelphia.

Mr. Alonza Porter is visiting friends at Clayton, Del.

Mrs. Jos. Mallalieu spent Wednesday with Wilmington friends.

Mr. E. E. Gambrill spent several days of this week in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Price, of Middletown, is the guest of Miss Ethel Crouch.

Miss Wilhelmina Moffett spent several days this week in Wilmington.

Miss Bertha Derney, of Centreville, is now saleslady for Mr. F. J. Devenish.

Messrs. Linden Loper and Roy Stafford spent Friday last in Smyrna, Del.

Mr. Robt. W. Catts, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday with friends in town.

Mr. Ford Phillips, of Centreville, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in town.

Mrs. M. O. Casey and daughter, Mrs. W. F. Collins, spent several days of this week in Baltimore.

Mr. H. H. Beneman spent this week in Baltimore, where he has been selecting his spring stock.

Miss Nettie Mallalieu has returned home after a prolonged visit to friends in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. M. Wilber Thomas, accompanied by Misses Anna Lambert and Bertie Burchinal, of Chestertown, spent Friday at the Brick Hotel as guests of Mrs. Jas. F. Vansant.

Mr. C. M. Jones, of Barclay, while returning from the fishing shore with a load of fish on Wednesday, broke one of the axles of his dearborn near Jones' wood and was compelled to leave his load there and return home.

Max. Jewell Acquitted.—As was announced in the NEWS last week, Mr. Maxwell Jewell was arrested on the charge of stealing Mr. J. T. Moffett's horse and carriage from Still Pond on Sunday, Nov. 3. Mr. Jewell was brought to town Thursday and lodged in jail, but was released on bail Saturday. He was given a hearing before Justice Melvin Tuesday and acquitted. Hon. M. deK. Smith was counsel for the accused and the State was represented by State's Attorney Urie. Mr. Jewell proved that he was at the home of Mr. W. H. Thompson, in Still Pond, early Sunday morning and Sunday night and that on Monday night he was in Locust Grove, and there was no evidence to connect him with the theft. Mrs. Jewell, his handsome wife, made an excellent witness.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

TWO SCHOONERS

And Other Property.

BY VIRTUE of the authority in a power of attorney from John E. Vickers, Geo. T. Vickers and Herbert U. Fletcher to the undersigned they will offer at public sale at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Md.,

On TUESDAY, April 14, 1903,

One O'clock p. m., the following Property

THE SCHOONER

'Sarah E. Vickers'

built in 1894, recently refitted with sails and rigging, all nearly new. Has carrying capacity of 4000 bushels of grain.

AN UNFINISHED

Bugeye Schooner

now on the shore of Capt. Fletcher in Broad Neck. This vessel is 66 feet long on the keel. Is being constructed of the very best material. Intended to be equipped with both sails and gasoline engine. Already $1200 have been expended in the construction and it will require about $500 additional, before launching. There is sufficient unused oak lumber on the yard for all her purposes, which will be sold with this vessel.

ONE LIGHTER,

heretofore used in loading the Schooner "Sarah E. Vickers."

200 GRAIN BAGS in good condition.

This property will be sold in order to wind up the partnership affairs of the firm of Vickers & Fletcher.

TERMS OF SALE.—The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money for each item cash on the day of sale, the balance of purchase money in two equal installments payable at six and 12 months from day of sale. All deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured by bond or notes of purchaser with surety to be approved by the undersigned.

MARION DEK. SMITH,
RICHARD D. HYNSON,
mch21-ts. ATTORNEYS.

Public Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE

TOWN PROPERTY.

BY REASON of the erection of a New Public School Building in Chestertown, Maryland, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., on

Tuesday, April 21, 1903

BETWEEN THE HOURS OF TWELVE AND ONE O'CLOCK P. M.,

THE OLD

PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPERTY

SITUATED ON CROSS and CANNON STS., IN CHESTERTOWN, MD.

This property has a frontage of 240 feet on Cross street and a depth of 55 feet on Cannon street, and is

IMPROVED BY TWO

Brick Buildings

one on the corner of Cross and Cannon Sts., with a frontage on Cross street of 38 feet and a depth of 55 feet, and is TWO STORIES HIGH. The other building has a frontage of 90 feet on Cross street and 25 feet of this building is two stories high, the remainder of the building is one story. This property will first be offered in three lots:

LOT NO. 1—Is situated on the corner of Cross and Cannon Streets, with a frontage on Cross street of 89½ feet, and is improved by the above described Two-story Brick Building.

LOT NO. 2—Adjoins Lot No. 1, and has a frontage of 100 feet 6 inches on said Cross street and is improved by the above described Brick Building, which has a frontage of 90 feet.

LOT NO. 3—Adjoins Lot No. 2, and has a frontage of 50 feet on said Cross street, and is not improved by any buildings, but will make a desirable Building Lot.

The property will then be offered as a whole and will be sold the way it brings the most money.

This property adjoins the new depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad and will make desirable Residences, Stores, or an excellent property for Manufacturing Purposes.

The Frame Building between the two brick buildings is reserved with the right to go upon the property and remove it.

Terms of Sale.

One-fourth cash on day of sale, balance in three equal installments payable in six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, secured by bonds or notes of purchasers, or all cash on day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from day of sale. Title papers at cost of purchaser.

WILLIAM W. BECK, ATT'Y.

C. H. HURLOCK, Auct'r.

W. FRANK HINES,
J. THOS. PENNINGTON,
C. C. BROWN,
School Commissioners.
JOSEPH PETERSON,
mh28-ts. Secretary.

THE Commoner well says, "when a campaign is on, our party has enough on hand assailing Republican policies and defending Democratic principles. It cannot afford to spend any time trying to prove the Democracy of its candidates."

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

Two Valuable Farms,

Situated near Lynch's in the Third Election Dist. of Kent Co., Md.,

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in Chancery Cause No. 1458, entitled Gideon Frank Clark et. al. vs Mary A. Clark Howard et. al., appointing Hope H. Barroll trustee to sell the real estate in said cause mentioned, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Md., on

Wednesday, April 7, 1903,

Between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, all the following

Valuable Real Estate

OF WHICH THE LATE JOHN Z. CLARK died seized and possessed.

FARM NO. 1 consists of all that farm called or known by the name of

"THE TRULOCK" or "KILPATRICK FARM"

AND CONTAINS

211 ACRES, 1 Rood and 4 Perches of Land,

more or less. The soil is from a light to medium sandy loam, of good natural quality and is easily improved. The land will grow good crops of grain of all kinds, and is especially adapted to the growth of all kinds of fruit. The

Tenant House

is in fair condition and ample for the purposes of the farm. The Barn and Stable are in excellent condition and the farm is under good fencing. There are about 1000 PEAR TREES.

The Kilpatrick Farm is offered with the express understanding that the right of way from said Kilpatrick farm shall begin where the west line of the Miller farm intersects the Kilpatrick farm on the north, and at a point where the lines of the Jeremiah Miller farm intersects both the Kilpatrick farm and the farm now occupied by Clara B. Rees, known as the Miller farm, and the right-of way shall extend in a southerly direction following the line of the lands of Jeremiah Miller, which formerly belonged to John A. Miller and W. W. Parks, to the public road leading from Worton Station to Lynchs, following the westerly line of the said Clark to the said farm now occupied by Clara B. Rees, an even width of 25 feet throughout; and if the purchaser of the Kilpatrick farm shall so desire he may fence off said 25 foot road, but if it be not fenced off then whenever any of the fields on the farm of the said Clara B. Rees, as now occupied by her, shall be in pasture, he shall keep closed the gates on such pasture field or fields.

FARM NO. 2 IS KNOWN AS THE

'Home Farm'

AND CONTAINS

182 Acres and 35 Perches of Land, more or less,

and is the same farm whreon John Z. Clark lived at the time of his death. The land is a medium loam, in a high state of cultivation and yields fine crops. It lies on the west side of the public road leading from Lynch's to Coleman's, about 11 acres lying on the east side of said public road, of which 11 acres 5 are arable and the balance is well set in Chestnut and Oak. The farm has a

TWO-STORY

FRAME DWELLING,

large and commodious, in excellent condition. The Stable is ample for the purposes of the farm. The Barn is large and ample, and each of these buildings is in excellent condition. The farm is well fenced, in a high state of cultivation and is tenanted by Mr. Henry Clark.

There is a fine stream of water, with hard bottom, running through them, affording an abundancy of water for stock. Every field on "The Kilpatrick Farm" and on "The Home Farm" is watered by this stream. This sale will afford a most excellent opportunity for any one desiring land on which to raise stock to secure a desirable place for such purpose, the land of each farm being especially well adapted to the growth of all grasses and grazing. Each of the farms is well wooded with fine Chestnut and Oak Timber, ample for the purposes of the farm. In a few years much of the chestnut will be of a size sufficient to place upon the market, thus adding a valuable asset to each farm.

Each of these farms lies convenient to Villages, Churches, Schools, Postoffice, and 1 mile from Railroad. This land affords a most desirable opportunity for one desiring a home or a safe and profitable investment. It is seldom that such fine estates have been placed on the market in Kent.

Terms of Sale.

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 from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to be secured by the note or notes of the purchaser or purchasers to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

The wheat crop will be reserved. The purchaser will be entitled to the landlord's share of the corn crop and the tomato crop, upon the payment of the fertilizer bill used on each of said farms. The purchaser is entitled to possession January 1, 1904.

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.

mh21-ts. HOPE H. BARROLL, ATT'Y.

WIRELESS

CORN PLANTERS!

We have just received a car load of the same kind of WIRELESS CORN PLANTER we sold last year. These Planters are warranted to be made of good material and to do good work. They are simple and easily operated. No wire to break. No lost time in turning. Can work corn both ways much easier than after the planting by the average wire planter.

We refer prospective buyers to some of our prominent farmers that used them last year: Messrs. Wm. E. Jarrell, Edw. W. Spear, Oliver Miller, Bradford Dudley, Jos. W. Moffett.

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1 ft. wide, per roll of 100 ft 57½c
2 ft. wide, per roll of 150 ft 1.15
3 ft. wide, per roll of 150 ft 1.72
4 ft. wide, per roll of 150 ft 2.30
5 ft. wide, per roll of 150 ft 2.90
6 ft. wide, per roll of 150 ft 3.50

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Plow Collar, extra wide, hair faced 1.25
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