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The Primaries.

The Democratic primaries in Kent will be held this afternoon. The plan under which the primary election is to be held is published in another column. It is the arrangement of no individual or faction, but of the regular organized county executive committee, which represented every element of the party, and which evidently sought the fairest and best method for all concerned. Democrats only can vote, of course, as the call explicitly limits the suffrage to this party. The judges of election have all been selected, and as they are fair and honorable men we have no question that they will see that the rules laid down will be strictly adhered to.

An important duty rests upon the voters—that of selecting ten delegates to assemble in Chestertown in convention to nominate a county ticket. These district delegates should be selected in the interest of the PARTY and the COUNTY—not in the interest of faction. Select the delegates not because of their personal favoritism but for their high character, sterling Democracy and their disposition to represent the *whole district*. This is an important time in the party's history and it is a time for careful and wise action. It is a very easy thing to *nominate* a ticket, but a more difficult one to ELECT it. Therefore let the convention on Tuesday nominate men not because of certain affiliation or because of any other reason except that they are upright, all right and *can be elected*. This is Democracy's opportunity. Will it be accepted?

A well-known Democrat of the second district writes as follows to the voters of the Democratic party:

To the voters of the Democratic party:

Gentlemen today you select delegates to make your County officers. Now the County Commissioners office is the most important office to the tax payers of any in the county, in fact, more important than the Governor, therefore select your best men in the county for that important office. The tax rate for this year is $1.35 on the $100 and out of this only $8,000 is appropriated for school purposes, not half enough to run them through the year. The school board will have to borrow $8,000 to carry them through the year or stop the schools. This will leave $8 000 to go over in 1904 levy and they will have to levy $16,000 more to carry the schools up to July 1905, so the tax rate next year will be $1.20 or $1.25 per $100, unless the Commissioners can see something better than now confronts them.

Now another thing—this running of candidates for the different offices through the districts reminds me of the man who raised game chickens for fighting purposes. He had the best strain in the country and there was to be a match in a nearby town. His friends thought the black one was better than the red, the blue one better than the brown; so he thought he would test their qualities. They fought among themselves and after fighting some time he separated them and the next day sent them to the grand match. The consequence was they were knocked out in the first round. Now you may make a grand fight today, but look out when Nov. comes. You may be knocked out in the first round same as 1895 and 1899. When you meet at your polling place fix up your delegates in a peaceful manner and send them to Chestertown to make a nomination in the interest of the Democratic party and not in the interest of individuals. If you do this you may win.

DELEGATIONS TO BE VOTED FOR:

The following are the delegates to be voted for today as far as reported:

First District, Steele Delegation—James Donahoe, Carroll Clark, James Rolph, Harry Anthony, Enoch King, H. C. Powell, Edward Waters, A. H. Johnson, Wm. T. Wood, Wm. S. Stradley.

Second District, Foxwell Delegation—Jno. M. Comegys, Jesse R. Copper, Wm. H. Minner, E. C. Bowers, Wm. T. Hague, Charles S. Hill, W. H. Kelley, H. D. Hendrickson, Wm. S. Dill, Jos. S. Clark.

Third District, Morris Delegation—Harvey Brice, Wm. Vansant, James S. Matthews, G. N. Cooper, John A. Duyer, George W. Rash, W. H. Wheat, E. M. Bonwill, Sam'l C. Loller, Henry W. Anderson.

Fifth District, Hadaway Delegation—Wesley McClary, Clarence Hersch, Jas. Durding, Chas. L. Miller, J. A. Smith, Hugh McCloskey, Sterling Crouch, W. H. Scott, Columbus L. Kelley, Charles D. Wood.

Sixth District, Keyser Delegation—Wm. J. Tarbutton, John H. Gibson, Geo. T. Hudson, Earle Nicholson, Walter H. Stokes, Wm. B. Plummer, A. S. Bacon, Mahlon P. Lee, T. E. W. Crew, Wm. J. Leaverton

Second District, Medders Delegation—Wm M Clendaniel, Edward Wallis, Thos Faulkner, George R Rasin, Dr G Irvin Barwick, William Dukes, William S Hurlock, George S Boulden, J Thos Quigley, Wm G Rasin.

Fifth District, Wilson Delegation—Thomas D Glenn, Robert N C Ayres, Noble Moffett, Charles Harrison, Wm I Ashley, Thos Connor, Samuel Elburn, Lawrence Stevens, John Boulter, Romie Crouch.

Third District, Jones Delegation—Jos W Howard, Harry C Cacy, T B Crew, Charles R Crew, Robt E Taylor, James E Sheets, J E C Biddle, Thomas Plummer, A S Crawford, S F Cooper.

Seventh District, Loud Delegation—Wm S Scoon, J T Brown, Thos J Vickers, William T Maslin, George Beck, Benj F Beck, Wm H McKee, Charles M. Brown, Richard Grove, John R Goodman.

First District, Dudley Delegation—J S Newnam, Isaac Gibbs, Wm. Darrell, R W Moffett, J C Vansant, E A Scott, Thomas J Dunn, R G Clift, H J Gray, D J McCauley.

Sixth District, Unpledged—J P Nicholson, W T Brice, Walter Francis, R C Morgan, Jas L Beck, F H Ward, Archie Ramage, J Page Gale, John L Deputy, R C Smyth.

CLARENCE W. PERKINS, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, has announced his candidacy for the democratic nomination for State Senate from the 2rd legislative district of Baltimore City. His name is received with enthusiasm by Democrats and especially by the younger element. Mr. Perkins was influential in the nomination and election of Mayor McLane and is chairman of the executive committee of the Young Men's Democratic League of Baltimore. He is a hustler and if nominated will add strength to the ticket.

IN another column G. E. Noland, Esq., publishes a card of explanation. The report that he had withdrawn in favor of Garrett Foxwell, Esq., is a mistake as he withdrew in the interest of the Democratic party. Mr. Noland has a host of friends in lower Kent who regret his withdrawal and who were ready to give him their hearty support.

PERSONAL TIDINGS.

Hon. Joseph A. Wickes is at the Rock Bridge Alum Springs, Va.

Police Justice Thomas D. France has been in bad health for several weeks past and has been compelled to turn his trial cases over to Justice Melvin. His many friends hope he will improve rapidly.

Rev. A. D. Melvin is much better.

A most enjoyable house party is being held at the home of Miss Cora Massey and Mr. Thomas Massey, near Chestertown.

Miss Nina Roberts, of Baltimore, and Miss Pening, of Havre de Grace, are guests of Chestertown friends.

We are sorry to state that Mr. Archie Bowers, who is in New Mexico for his health, is very little improved.

Mr. Frank A. Roeder and wife, of Baltimore, are spending the week in Kent. Mr. Roeder is the affable and courteous Kent salesman with Likes, Berwanger & Co. clothiers.

Mr. Joshua Copper and son, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. C.'s mother on High street this week.

Miss Adelia Ellis has been the guest of Miss Lizzie Snitcher on Maple avenue.

We are glad to report that Prof. L. J. Smyth, who has been quite ill, is able to be out.

Prof. Bruehl, of Baltimore, principal of the Chestertown manual training department, visited Prof. L. J. Smith this week.

Miss Anna Sappington, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sappington.

Miss Harriet Ernest, of Philadelphia, a former resident of Chestertown, has been visiting here this week and renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. Geo. Perkins of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, on Water street.

Mr. Eugene Lucas, of New York, is visiting his mother, Postmistress Lucas, of Chestertown.

Clifton Perkins and wife are visiting Mrs. D. A. Crossley, at Lynch.

Miss Susie Ford, of Middletown, is the guest of Mrs. Staveley.

Miss Lida Hague, of Philadelphia, is visiting her father at Lynch.

Roe Janney, of Baltimore, is visiting Chas. Norris and family.

Miss Daisy Jones celebrated her 16th birthday Saturday. Refreshments were served to a number of invited guests. Daisy is one of the pretty daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, at Lynch.

Mr. Wm. G. Smyth returned Saturday from Delaware Water Gap Sanitarium, where he took his brother, Richard, for treatment. The doctors there were very hopeful that he might improve.

Miss Anna Brock, of Chestertown, is the guest of Miss Anna Lowman, in Anne Arundel county.

Mrs. Fred. A Miller, of Wilmington, is visiting her grand mother, Mrs. Mary A. Hall.

Mr, Chas. A. Sheiblein and little daughter, Dorothy, of Baltimore, accompanied by Miss Ethel Lathroum, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Coleman.

Mr. Robert Fryer, purchasing agent on the steamer Emma Ford will leave this week for a trip up the Hudson river. Mr. John R. Rollison will substitute for Mr. Fryer during the latter's absence.

Mr. Marshall Wright, of Allentown, Pa., is stopping with Col. A. H. Supiee, of Idlewhile Cottage, Betterton. Mr. Wright is the brother of Robert E. Wright, chairman of the Democratic State Committee, of Pennsylvania, and president of the Allentown National Bank. The two families have arranged to return in August and spend two months at Idlewhile. They are all delighted with Betterton and surroundings.

Mrs. Bartus Trew and two Children, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. Bartus Trew, near Pomona.

Mr. R. J. Nicholson and wife, of Baltimore, have been guests of his father, Mr. R. G. Nicholson, near Chestertown.

Mr. R. G. Nicholson who has been confined to his home by sickness is improving.

Mrs. E. P. Roberts and two children, have been visiting relatives in Wicomico county.

Misses Mary Thomas and Lillian Gale have been guests of Mrs. James G. Beck, on Maple avenue.

Mr. Codray Loud has accepted a position in Baltimore with a large wholesale firm.

Mr. Owen C. Smith, one of our Chestertown boys, now a prominent Baltimore druggist, has been elected first vice-president of the Maryland Pharmacentical Association.

Miss Palmer Carroll, of the Second National Bank, Chestertown, is visiting Miss Mary Gray, at Goldsboro, Caroline conty.

Mr. and Mrs. Mattingly, of Washington, D. C., chaperoned a party of young people which left Washington for Colonial Beach, to spend the month of July. Among the party were Miss Susie Johnston, of Kennedyville, Miss Alice, Ida and Marge Jamison, Mr. R. A. Coxe, Claude McCuean, Mr. Rodgers, Edward Copper, of Virginia.

Mr. McCall Blackiston, of Newport News, Va., has been visiting Chestertown relatives.

Mr. J. R. Allee and son, Winfield, of Virginia; Mr. Abraham Allee, of Omaha, and Mr. Harry Sheppard, of Kent county, Md., visited Denton friends on Thursday. Mr. Allee, of Nebraska, was here 58 years ago, since which time all the old landmarks have disappeared. Mr. Allee is a prominent railroad official.—Denton Journal.

Mrs. Spriggs and daughter, Miss Edith, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watson, near Fairlee.

Mr. John W. Loud, of Mullin & Sons, Wilmington, Del., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cordray Loud, in Chestertown, this week.

Miss Ada Middleton, one of Rock Hall's bright school teachers, is taking a special course in manual training at New Orleans. She will give a summer course in manual training during August at Rock Hall.

Mrs. T. H. Hewett and Mrs. W. L. McCreary, of Baltimore, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. J. S. Patten near town, also Mr. and Mrs. John E. Patten, of Philadelphia.

Miss Linda Bowers, one of Armstrong & Cator's expert milliners, has closed a successful season at Grafton, W. Va., and is spending her vacation with her sister, Miss Venie.

John Price spent last week in Delaware City visiting friends and relatives. He paid a visit to Fort Delaware and Fort Dupont, the former place (Fort Delaware,) the first time since 1863, when there were 14,000 Confederate prisoners there. The island is grown up with briars and weeds exeept near the fort. Capt. Campbell is in Charge and detailed a sargeant to show him around, Fort Dupont being a newer place, is very nicely laid out and fixed up. A Quarter Master's Sargeant very kindly showed him aound, Colonel O'hara is in charge.

SUNDAY SCHOOL every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Morgnec, beginning Sunday July 26. The following are the newly elected officers: Supt., Mrs. Faulkner; Asst. Supt., Miss Edith Minnard; Secretary, Miss Fannie Edwards; Treasurer, Mr. George Jones; Organist, Miss Ella Melvin; Assistant Secretary, Miss Edith Minnard; Librarian, Mr. Walter Rambo.

WHEAT was quoted at 77 in Baltimore yesterday.

POPE LEO died last Monday afternoon. A good man has gone to his reward. His successor will be selected at once but no man can guess who it will be.

BALTIMORE has certainly crowned herself with fame this week. The illuminations have been on a scale of grandeur rivaling that of the World's Fair and of other national fetes, while other features of entertainment have been liberal and enthusiastic. Our Maryland city has never impressed us with much enterprise until we looked upon the scenes of the past week. We doff our hat and now hurrah for Baltimore!

Large Public Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE

PERSONALTY!

THE undersigned intending to discontinue farming will sell without reserve all his farm stock and implements on the farm where he now resides near Lynch's Station,

On MONDAY, August 17th, 1903,

Commencing at 10 o'clock p. m.,

12 HEAD OF HORSES

AND COLTS.

Dexter, gray horse, 13 yrs old, good worker; Sam, bay horse, 14 yrs old, good worker; Tom, sorrel horse, 10 yrs old, good worker and driver; Barney, sorrel horse, 9 yrs old, good worker and driver; Mayflower, sorrel Mare, 9 yrs old, good worker and driver; Kate, grey mare, 10 yrs old, good worker and driver; May, bay mare, 12 yrs old, good worker and driver; Lucy, bay mare, 16 yrs old, good worker and driver; Dewey, sorrel horse; 4 yrs old, partly broken; Blossom, brown mare, 4 yrs old, partly broken; 2 Two Year-Old Colts; 1 One-Year-Old Colt.

12 Good Milch Cows,

Holsteins, these cows have been selected with care from good milkers for the creamery business;

4 Heifers and 1 Bull,

1 McCormick Reaper and Binder, in order, 1 McCormick Mower, nearly new, 1 McCormick Corn Harvester, in complete order, 1 Champion Mower, 2 Corn Planters, 1 Hay Rake, 3 Farm Wagons and harness, 1 Horse Cart and Harness, 1 Randall Harrow, 1 Farmers Friend Wheat Drill, 11 spouts, 1 Hyland Roller, in good order, 2 Sulky Cultivators, 4 Hand Cultivators, 2 50 Tooth Harrows, 1 Garden Harrow, 3 No. 40 Oliver Plows, 3 No. 19 Oliver Plows, 1 A Oliver Plow, 1 Hillside Plow, new, 1 No. 23 Roland Plow, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Steven's Traction Engine, 14 horse power, 1 Tomato Body, capacity 72 baskets with springs, 1 Grindstone, 1 Cutting Box, 1 Dearborn and Harness, 1 Top Buggy, 1 Farm Bell, Lot Creamery Cans, Bridles, Collars, Plow Gears, Shovels, Forks, Hoes and everything found on a well equipped farm; 1 16-ft. Bateau and Oars, nearly new; 1 Fike net, new, Lot of Gill Nets, Lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of 12 months on note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

WILLIAM D. SHINN.

C. H. HURLOCK, Auctioneer. jy25-ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE

DWELLING HOUSE and LOT

AT MILLINGTON.

THE undersigned, trustee appointed by a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in Equity, dated the 15th day of June A. D. 1903, and passed in a cause wherein William T. Mullikin, guardian of Theodore A. Cook, Maggie S. Cook and Emily P. Cook, is complainant, and Theodore A. Cook, Maggie S. Cook and Emily P. Cook, infants, and Kathryn B. Cook are defendants, will offer at public sale in front of the Post-office at Millington, Kent county, Md., on

MONDAY, August the 17th, A. D. 1903,

between the hours of 12 M. and 2 P. M., on that day the following property, to wit:

All that Lot or Parcel of Ground

WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, erected, situate, lying and being on the south side of Cypress street, in the town of Millington, Kent county, Maryland, and described as follows: Beginning for the same at the northwest corner of said lot where it adjoins the lot of John A. Benson and running with said Cypress street easterly 56 feet 6 inches to the property of Mrs. E. Hurlock; thence with said property southerly 202 feet; thence westerly 50 feet to the said Benson lot; thence with said lot northerly 202 feet to the place of beginning. Being the same lot or parcel of ground which was conveyed by John A. Benson and wife to Henry S. Cook by deed dated the 13th day of January A. D. 1887, and duly recorded in Liber S. B., No. 3, Folio 540, &c., one of the Land Record Books of Kent county.

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of a TWO-STORY AND A-HALF

—FRAME—

Dwelling House

with back building attached, with four rooms on first floor, four bed rooms and a bath room on the second floor and two finished bed rooms in the garret. Also a Stable and the other usual and necessary out-buildings. And being the property of which the said Henry S. Cook, late of Kent county, dec'd, died seized and possessed.

TERMS OF SALE...The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are: One-third cash, one third in six months and one-third in twelve months, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser or purchasers. The credit portions to bear interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee. Title papers at purchasers' expense.

WILLIAM T. MULLIKIN, TRUSTEE.

jy25-ts.

PREACHING services in the new Summer Tabernacle on Sunday afternoon, July 26, at 3 o'clock, at Massey, on M. E. Church lot. All are invited.

SACRED HEART CHURCH, Chestertown. Mass Sunday morning at 10.30. St. John's Catholic Church, Rock Hall, 8 o'clock.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH, Rev. D. L. Greenfield, Pastor. 9.30 a. m., Public Testimony; 10.30 a. m., Sermon, Theme—"O Golden Summer Time"; 6.30 p. m., The twilight hour of Prayer and Song.

GALENA M. F. CHURCH.—Rev. F. R. Creed will begin an interesting series of Sunday night services beginning next Sunday night. Subjects as follows: 1st, "Is there a future life? 2nd, "The intermediate state." 3rd, "Relationship after death."

Public Sale of

PERSONALTY!

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming and remove from the county, will sell without reserve on the farm that he now occupies, the Samuel Boyd farm, near Spry's Gate, on

MONDAY, Aug. 3, 1903,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

8 HEAD HORSES AND COLTS,

All good work horses and some good drivers, one colt is by Allie Vincent;

6 HEAD OF COWS,

good milkers and both fresh;

2 BROOD SOWS, with Pigs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.—1 Farm Wagon and Harness, 1 Dearborn, 1 Pennsylvania Drill, nearly new; 1 W. A. Wood Binder, nearly new; 3 No. 40 Oliver Chilled Plows, 1 No. 19 Oliver Chilled Plow, 1 60 Tooth Twin Harrow, 2 Cultivators, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, lot Plow Harness, Forks, Shovels and other Utensils.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M.

TERMS.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over that amount a credit of Twelve Months on note with good security.

HARRY C. JARRELL.

C. H. HURLOCK, Auct'r. jy25-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will offer at public sale on the George R. Reed Home Farm, near Hanesville, Kent county, Md, on

THURSDAY, Aug. 6th, 1903,

commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., the following described personal property:

11 Head Horses AND COLTS,

These horsos are in excellent condition, good workers and some of them fine drivers. There is among them one bay mare with a good deal of speed and an extra fine roadster.

9 HEAD OF COWS

all of which are young and good milkers;

ONE BULL,

TEN HEAD OF HOGS

AND A LARGE NUMBER OF PIGS.

2 Farm Wagons, 2 Dearborns, 2 Top Carriages, 1 Runabout, 1 Drill, 2 Twin Harrows, 1 Sulky Cultivator, 4 Hand Cultivators, 1 Randle Harrow, 5 Plows, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Hyland Roller, 1 Corn Cutter, 1 Grain Fan, Corn Sheller, 1 Corn Marker, 1 Pair Wagon Springs, 2 Carriage and Dearborn Poles, 2 Grindstones, 3 Sets Carriage Harness, 2 Sets Wagon Harness, Plow Gears, Forks, Shovels, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Eleven Months will be given, on bankable note with approved security.

S. AMOS REED,
FRANK L REED.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Attorney.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct'r.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Real Estate

THE undersigned by virtue of the authority contained in a power of attorney from John Pearce and others to William W. Beck, will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md.,

TUESDAY, August 11th, 1903,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON,

The Real Estate,

of the late Lemuel Pearce, lying on the West side of the public road leading from Fairlee to Georgetown and Caulk's Field, and containing

11 Acres, 1 Rood and 30 Perches of Land, More or Less.

This property is improved by a Comfortable

DWELLING,

the land is of good quality and will make a desirable home, or paying investment. There is sufficient wood on the place for fuel.

TERMS OF SALE—One third cash on day sale, and balance in two equal installments, payable in six and twelve months from day of sale. All deferred payments to bear interest and be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. Title papers at cost of purchaser.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Att'y.

J. H. Greenwood, Auctioneer.

THE CANNING & MERCANTILE CO.

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At Still Pond

We have just received another car of AMERICAN FENCE WIRE, sizes as follows:

8 Bar 28 inch High. 9 Bar 34 inch High.
10 " 41 " " 10 " 47 " "

These are the popular sizes and sellers. Let us figure on your wants in fencing.

At Both of Our Places

Chestertown and Still Pond

Our (2) Stores are loaded with the many good things for the Summer Months. Don't get discouraged because crops are short this year, but make the dollar go as far as it will by coming in our place and purchasing the goods at Rock Bottom Prices.

A beautiful line of Rubber Tire Bike Runabouts and Buggies just received.

Also a full line of SUMMER and FALL IMPLEMENTS.

We always carry a full and complete line of

Harness, Hardware, Cutlery, Etc.

THE CANNING & MERCANTILE CO.

STILL POND and CHESTERTOWN.

Straw Wanted!

We are paying **$3.50** per ton of 2,000 lbs. for Straw. Baled and weighed at stack yard. Payment to be made when straw is removed from stack yard. All persons having Straw to sell and wish fair dealings will find it to their interest to address

ENGEL, WILLIS & CO.,
Edesville, Kent County.

July 25, 1903—3t.*

Straw Wanted!

We will buy your straw in bulk, by the load or by the ton.

If in bulk, as mutually agreed. If by the load, $3.00 per load.

If by the gross ton, $3.50 per ton. If bought by the ton, all chaff, wet and discolored straw to be rejected.

Payments to be made within 5 days after receipt of straw.

All persons within 18 miles of our mill having straw to sell will find it to their interest to correspond with us.

American Straw Board Company,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

FOR SALE.

THE COZY AND COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE occupied by the Misses Reed on Corner of Maple and Spring Avenue. This property is modern with up-to date conveniences, hot and cold water, bath room and arranged to suit the most plain or fastidious taste. The undersigned will be glad to show the property.

MISSES C. & H. REED,
Chestertown, Md

LEWIN W. WICKES, ATT'Y. m30-4t

W. S. & A. M. CULP

Lumber and Builders' Supplies.

We have just received a stock of White Pine at prices that will convince you that White Pine can still be used. Yellow Pine Framing and Boards and Shingles.

Plain Mill and Sash Factory.

We have recently removed to our New Factory and have greatly enlarged quarters. We are equipped to do all kinds of Wood-Work. Stock sizes on hand.

Contractors and Builders.

We employ good mechanics and DO FIRST CLASS WORK. Our houses are well constructed. Plans are of the best arrangement and design. We compete with all on any class of work.

W. S. & A. M. CULP,

OFFICE AND FACTORY,
Main Street and Railroad Ave.,
Chestertown, Md.

DIED.

On July 17th, 1903, MARGARET PEORIA COLLINS, beloved wife of Joseph R. Ryan, aged 46 years, 4 months and 29 days.

Some other world is glad to see
Our star that's gone away;
The light whose going makes our night
Makes *somewhere* else a day.

$1000 REWARD!

A reward of **Five Hundred Dollars** will be paid for the return of the Levy Ledger covering the period for 1892 to 1900, wherein is kept accounts of the special levies and other disbursements by the County Treasurer for Kent county, and information leading to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who took and removed said Ledger book from the office of the County Commissioners of Kent County in the Court House at Chestertown, and a further reward of **Five Hundred Dollars** will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who mutilated the Minute Book of the County Commissioners office, and took from said book pages 329, 330 331 and 332.

DANIEL HILL,
LEWIS P. ATWELL,
PERRY B. RASIN,
GEORGE M. HADAWAY,
LOUIS C. AYERS,
Commissioners of Kent county.
SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Counsel to Board.
H. THEO. JEWELL,
Clerk to County Commissioners of Kent County. jy18-tf.

NOTICE TO TRACTION ENGINES

The traveling public are hereby warned that the bridge across "Mullin's Branch" near Lambson's Station, is unsafe for Traction Engines. By order of Board.

jy11-tf. H. THEO. JEWELL, Clerk.

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