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As to whether or not Senator Foxwell blundered politically in turning Mr. Ahern out of office as school commissioner, the News is satisfied for the people to decide. We have stated that he did, and the more his action is studied and his motives which prompted same come to light, the greater appears the blunder. Messrs. Smith, Hynson and Wickes acted wisely when they recommended Mr. Ahern, *and they had behind them the support of the State Central Committee for Kent County,* as they have now the great thinking masses of the county.

It is always the big, ripe, luscious fruit hanging high up beyond reach that calls forth sticks and stones in the effort to bring same down, while the little, green and rotten ones may hang on forever and no one desires to dislodge them. The News for more than sixty years has been assailed by "enemies within and foes without" but owing to the high position which it maintains, the lofty principles it upholds and the hearty support of its thousands of patrons it still wins!

What's in a name? Nothing sometimes. The man who allows himself to be used as a catspaw to pull another man's chestnuts from the fire is, to say the least, to be pitied. But there is a very serious side to it—"another side." The Savior in his sermon on the mount cautioned mankind against such men. He said: "Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves."

The Sun announces another indignation meeting because the Legislature failed to pass the Haman bill. Wonder if it will be as successful as the last one the Sun announced! By the way, what has become of that rail the Sun was going to ride the "Black Beast" on? It must have been burned in the fire!

It is with pleasure we note the tenth anniversary of the well-known firm of Wm. Medders & Co., Still Pond. This house has come to be a rival to many large city stores. Its fame has extended from one end of the county to the other by the strict integrity and honest dealing of its proprietors. The News is proud of the record of this store because in its success it has had a prominent part, the News' columns having been the means of reaching the people.

Maryland Legislature.

The Haman oyster bill was practically defeated in the House on Wednesday by adding several amendments. One defined the "natural bars," which, it was provided, should not be leased, and the other took away the tributaries clause and confined the planting to the bay only. It was a desperate fight against the Sun and its threatening methods, against capital and the enemies of the tidewater oystermen.

The educational measure raising the salaries of teachers, &c., has passed the House by a vote of 81 to 10.

The new election bill has passed the Senate, but will not apply to Kent, as Senator Foxwell asked that this county be exempted. The measure is designed to take away the party designation (the words Democratic, Republican, &c., after names). That Kent should have been included in the change is the opinion of the party workers here.

An appropriation of $7,500 has been recommended for Washington College.

The Kent County Auditing bill has passed the House.

The Legislature will adjourn on Monday, April 4th.

The Sun says that Governor Warfield will not sign the new ballot law nor the franchise amendment.

Mrs. Edwin Warfield, wife of Maryland's newly elected Governor, has completely won all hearts by the charming and graceful manner in which she is fulfilling the duties of her new position. Not for several decades has the gubernatorial mansion been the scene of such lavish hospitality, and the best of it is that the new order of things has completely aroused the sleepy old town on the banks of the Severn from its long apathy into the state of gayety for which it was noted in its prime. Mrs. Warfield is a very handsome woman, tall and of a generous mold, with lovely eyes. Hlthertо she has been more of a domestic than a society figure, but she is now showing herself an equally capable and attractive figure in both capacities. At the reception given by the Governor last week she looked radiant at the elegant function.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

A. W. Vansant.	road work	$10 04
William Steel,	" "	26 75
Peter J. Stevens,	" "	3 25
Josiah Massey, Jr.,	" "	4 05
John Hartnett, stenographer		56 25

Permission was given Thomas Massey to erect telephone poles on the road from his farm to Massey, with the agreement that he is to assume all risk of any damage that might occur.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

—AT—

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned is going to discontinue farming and will sell at public sale at her residence, near Turner's Creek, on

Wednesday, April 6, 1904

At Ten o'clock A. M.,
THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

12 Head of Good Horses

SOME FINE MARES IN FOAL;

3 PAIR GOOD MULES.

10 Head of Cows

30 HEAD SHEEP, with Lambs;

LOT of FINE SHOTES.

5 Farm Wagons, 2 Orchard Wagons, 2 Good Deering Reapers, new; Corn Planter, with Phosphate attachment; a good Bickford & Huffman Drill, eleven tooth; a good Horse Cart, with Harness; new Sled Marker, 3 Twin Harrows, 2 Sulky Cultivators, 8 Spring Tooth Harrows, 4 No. 40 Oliver Chilled Plows, 3 Two horse Oliver Chilled Plows, 3 Small Plows, A and B; 12 Sets of Plow Harness, 5 Sets Wagon Harness, 8 One-Horse Cultivators, 2 Mowers, one Deering and one McCormick; 1 Extra Two-horse Hay Rake, 1 Good Roller, 3 Randall Harrows, 1 Hyland Horse Power Fan, Half Bushel, 3 Clover Seed Seeders, 4 Briar Scythes, 3 Grass Scythes, Spades, Shovels and Hoes, Farm Bell, Anvil, Grindstone, Milk Box and Milk Cans, 2 Drop-foot Carriages, 3 Peach Riggings, 2 Feed Cutters, Bench and Vise, Carriage Tongue and Harness, lot of Corn Knives, 4 Hedge Knives, Sheep Shears, 1 Good Extra Broad Axe, 2 Crowbars, 1 Wire Stretcher, 2 Mauls, 2 Log Chains, 5 Wedges, 1 Large Cook Stove, nearly new; 1 Big Cook Stove, 2 Scythes and Cradles 1 New Weeder, Shovels and Forks, 1 Hereford Bull, 3 Axes, Root Cutter, 1 Set Platform Scales and Beam and Pea, 2 Bushel Basket, 4 Three horse Trees, 6 Two-horse Trees and 2 Four-horse Trees, lot of Single Trees, long and short; 1 Riding Saddle, 1 Very Large Cooking Pot. Five Tons of Hay and a Cross Cut Saw.

TERMS.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all above that amount a credit of Nine Months, with approved security.

MRS. M. F. HEPBRON.
Charles H. Hurlock, Auct'r. m19 ts.

Crossed the Line

The sun crossed the line March 20th; this is the first week of Spring. We have a great stock of new Spring styles, in new Suits, Overcoats and Trousers for Men and boys; piece goods for Tailoring, new Hats, new Shoes and new Furnishings. See especially the Suits for Little Boys $2 to $8, the Suits for Youths $5 to $15, and the Suits for Young Men $8 to $20. New Spring Top Coats $8 to $20. Long, Belt Rain Coats $8 to $25. Everything to wear for Men and Boys, Young Men and Little Boys.

Jas. T. Mullin & Sons
6th and Market.
Wilmington.

HERMAN

HERMAN, the well known Black Stallion, will make the season of 1904, beginning March 20 to June 20th. This noted horse is well represented throughout the county by his many fine quality colts.

TERMS—$10 to insure. Anyone wishing his services will please drop me a card.

WM. B. ASHLEY, Owner,
m26 4t. Rock Hall, Md.

Notice TO Road Supervisors.

The Road Supervisors in the several districts of Kent County are notified not to do any work upon roads in the districts as appointed until by order and with the consent of said commissioners in the districts. This order to take effect at once until further notice. Unless there needs be pipe or culvert replaced or wash-out.

By order of the Board
A. C. LOUD, Pres't.
C. B. DUDLEY,
HARRY DAVIS,
P. B. RASIN,
L. C. AYRES,
C. L. DODD, Clerk. mar19-tf.

Personal Property

AT PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned, intending to discontinue farming on the Kilpatrick Farm, near Lynch's Station, Kent county, will sell at public sale on

Wednesday, Mar. 30, 1904

Beginning at 10 A. M., the
FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY:

STOCK:

5 HEAD WORK HORSES,
1 PAIR GOOD MULES,
1 YOKE BIG OXEN,
6 HEAD OF COWS,
1 BULL,
15 HEAD OF SHEEP,
16 HEAD OF HOGS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

1 Farm Wagon, nearly new; 1 Dearborn, 1 Ox-Cart, 1 McCormick Binder, in good order; 1 Empire Wheat Drill, used two seasons: 1 Buckeye Mower, in good order; 1 Horse Rake, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Little Diamond Cultivator, 1 Roller, 5 Rolls of Felt Roofing, 1 Hand Corn Sheller, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Block and Fall, with rope; 2 Two horse Plows, 1 Three-horse Plow, 1 Fifty Tooth Twin Harrow, 2 One horse Plows, 3 Hand Cultivators, 2 Sets Wagon Harness, 5 Sets Plow Gears, 1 Set Dearborn Harness, 7 Work Bridles, 7 Work Collars, 2 Three horse Trees, 3 Two-horse Treas. Lot of Forks, Hoes and other things too numerous to mention.

Household & Kitchen Furniture:

1 COOK STOVE,
1 HOT AIR STOVE,
2 SETS OF CHAIRS,
2 TABLES, 2 ROLLS OF MATTING and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash on the day of sale; all sums over that amount a credit of Nine Months will be given on note with approved security. No property whatever shall be removed from the premises and no title shall pass to the purchaser until the full terms as above stated are compiled with.

WILLIAM T. CLARK.
Hope H. Barroll, Attorney.
Charles H. Hurlock, Auct'r. m12-ts.

Mortgage Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE

CHESTERTOWN REAL ESTATE

UNDER and by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Charles L. Dodd and George B. Westcott and wife to the Kent County Savings Bank, dated March 15th, 1901, and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 4, folio 447, &c., of the Land Records of Kent County, the undersigned as attorney named in said mortgage, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on

On TUESDAY, April 12, 1904,

AT 11.30 O'CLOCK A. M.,

all the right, title and interest of the said Charles L. Dodd, George B. Westcott and Pollie Westcott or either of them conveyed by way of said mortgage in and to the following named PARCELS OR TRACTS OF LAND located in Chestertown, Kent County aforesaid.

No. 1—All the right, title, interest or estate of the said Geo. B. Westcott and Pollie Westcott in and to the lease of ALL THAT LEASEHOLD LOT of the Washington College Leasehold Lots of Land designated on the plot of said College lands as lot No. 5 which plot is recorded in Liber S. B. No. 4, folio 244, etc., of the Land Records for said Kent county. This lot contains TWO ACRES OF LANDS, more or less, and adjoins the real estate of M. deK. Smith, Esq., the Electric Light Company and Hope H. Barroll, Esq. This Lot would make an excellent grazing lot for residents of the eastern part of Chestertown. It is now well set in grass.

No. 2—ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND now in the tenancy of Marshall Pitman and used as a stable which was conveyed to the said Geo. B. Westcott by Mary L. Westcott by deed duly recorded among the Land Records for said county. This Lot is well suited for stable purposes and is located to the south of Princess street in Chestertown, Maryland and southwest of Cannon street and is reached by a right of way belonging to this property, running from said Princess street and by the property of Frederich Nichols. This Lot of land adjoins the lands of said Nichols and the Old Foundry Property and is improved by a GOOD STABLE.

No. 3—ALL THE UNDIVIDED INTEREST and ESTATE of said Charles L. Dodd, conveyed by Charles L. Dodd in said mortgage in THAT PARCEL OF LAND and PREMISES where Mrs. Sarah A. Dodd now resides, on the northeast side of High street in Chestertown, Maryland, between Mill and Kent streets and adjoining the lands of Mrs. A. M. Bowers and others, which lot fronts on said High street, a distance of 35 feet and has and even depth of 145 feet from said High street. This property is very eligibly located and is impreved by a large roomy FRAME DWELLING, with the usual outbuildings in good condition.

No. 4—ALL THE UNDIVIDED INTEREST and ESTATE of the said Charles L. Dodd conveyed by way of said mortgage in that very large and well located LOT OF LAND situated between the above named Lot No. 3 and the premises where James T. Ireland resides, on the northeast side of High St., and fronting on said High street about 100 feet and running back to Calvert street on the rear and extending in a northwesterly direction along said Calvert street. This is one of the finest tracts of real estate in Chestertown and is improved by a COMFORTABLE DWELLING and other outbuildings in good repair.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half of the purchase money cash on day of sale on each parcel of land sold and the remainder of purchase money payable in Six Months from day of sale or all cash at purchaser's option. All deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

JOHN D. URIE,
Attorney Named in Mortgage.
Deeds at Purchaser's cost.
C. H. Hurlock, Auctioneer. m19-ts.

PUBLIC SALE!

THE undersigned, administrator c. t. a. of the late Samuel E. Berryman, will sell at his home near Rock Hall, on

SATURDAY, April 4th, 1904,

AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.,

2 HEAD OF HORSES,

1 YORK CARRIAGE,
1 DEARBORN AND POLE,
1 MOWER,
Lot Plows, Cultivators and Harrows,
LOT OF HARNESS,
LOT OF MEAT,

Household and Kitchen FURNITURE.

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

J. J. SCOON,
m26 ts. Adm'r c. t. a.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Personal Property

The undersigned not having use for the following, will sell at WHITELEY'S STABLES, on

Saturday, April 2, 1904

at 2 o'clock P. M., the following:

11 Head of Horses

All good workers, some extra drivers. All these are first class horses, bred in Kent and thoroughly acclimated.

ONE PAIR OF MULES

GOOD WORKERS, MEDIUM SIZE.

2 Farm Wagons and Harness; in complete order; 1 One-horse Wagon, nearly new; 1 Dearborn, in good order; Dearborn Harness, nearly new; 1 Milk Wagon, in good order; 1 Osborn Mower, in complete order; 1 Drop-foot Carriage, in good order; lot of Hams, Shoulders, Middlings, Bacon, Hog Heads, etc., cured by the undersigned, and a few other articles.

TERMS.—Sums of $10 and under, cash; on sums over that amount a credit of Nine Months will be given on note with good security.

A. H. CREW.
C. H. Hurlock, Auct'r m19-ts.

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Betterton, Maryland.

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