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JOHN D. URIE, Attorney.

Order Nisi.

John D. Urie, Assignee.
versus
Joseph H. Middleton, Mary A. Middleton.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity.

No. 1535.

ORDERED, this 29th day of Oct., 1904, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the sale of the mortgaged real estate of Joseph H. Middleton and Mary A. Middleton made and reported by John D. Urie, assignee and attorney under power in a mortgage from Joseph H. Middleton and Mary A. Middleton to the Kent County Savings Bank and duly assigned to John D. Urie and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 8, folio 125 etc. a land Record for Kent county be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 9th 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 9th day of December, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $766.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy. Test:—
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Nov. 5, 1904—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

WILLIAM H. ROLLISON,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouches thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of May, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 1st day of November, 1904.

HENRY M. ROLLISON,
RICHARD D. HYNSON,
Administrators

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Given under my hand this 25th day of October, 1904.

MARTHA J. GRAVES,
Oct. 29, 1904—4t. Administratrix.

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A sawmill in an Iowa town was infested with rats, which, being unmolested, became very numerous and bold and played round the mill among the men while they worked during the day. But one day a weasel came upon the scene and at once declared war on the rats.

One by one the rats became victims of the weasel's superior strength until only one very large, strong fellow was left of the once numerous colony. The weasel attacked the big rat several times, but each time the rat proved more than a match for his slender antagonist and chased the weasel to a hiding place.

One day the weasel was seen busily digging under a lumber pile near the mill. He was engaged for some time, but later appeared again in the mill, seeking his old enemy. He soon found him and at once renewed hostilities. As usual, after a lively tussle, the rat proved too much for him, and he ran, pursued closely by the rat, straight to the hole under the lumber pile.

He ran in, still followed by the rat, almost immediately reappeared round the end of the pile and again dodged into the hole behind the rat. Neither was seen again for some time, but the weasel finally reappeared, looking no worse for the fight.

The curiosity of the men in the mill was aroused, and they proceeded to investigate the hole under the lumber pile. They found that the weasel had dug the hole sufficiently large at the first end to admit the rat, but had gradually tapered it as he proceeded until at the other end it barely allowed his own slender body to pass.

When the rat chased him into the large end of this underground funnel he quickly slipped on through, and while the rat was trying to squeeze his large body into the smaller part of the hole the weasel dodged in behind him and, catching him in the rear and in a place where he could not turn round, finished him at his leisure.

HUSBANDS AND WIVES.

A reserved lover, it is said, always makes a suspicious husband. — Goldsmith.

Certainly wife and children are a kind of discipline of humanity.—Lord Bacon.

When a man should marry—a young man not yet, an elder man not at all.—Thales.

He that loves not his wife and children feeds a lioness at home and broods a nest of sorrows.—Jeremy Taylor.

I have hardly ever observed the married condition unhappy but for want of judgment or temper in the man.—Richard Steele.

He that hath wife and children hath given hostages to fortune, for they are impediments to great enterprises, either of virtue or mischief.—Lord Bacon.

After treating her like a goddess the husband uses her like a woman. What is worse, the most abject flatterers degenerate into the greatest tyrants.—Addison.

Altering Stamps.

No change or alteration of any sort should be made by a collector in his stamps. It was a custom some years ago among collectors to erase cancellation marks from their stamps in order to make their stamps better. The effect of the attempt was not all that could be desired. The erasures were not perfect, and the stamps in the changed condition, being neither canceled nor uncanceled, were simply inferior damaged specimens. One of the most common ways of altering stamps at the present time is to erase the word "specimen" from a stamp having this overprint. It cannot be done so that it will not be detected, and the stamp in the altered condition is worthless, while as a "specimen" it had some value. It has frequently happened that stamps, valuable in their original condition, have been made worthless by attempts to increase their value by alteration.—St. Nicholas.

The Koreans' White Dress.

As the Koreans are obliged to dress in white for three years for every case of death and as once three kings died within ten years, by which deaths mourning was imposed on the whole nation, the majority of people chose rather to dress continually in white in order to avoid the great expense involved by repeated change of clothing. The women make these garments, and every time they have to be washed they are entirely taken to pieces and beaten for hours with a wooden paddle in order to obtain the metallic gloss which is considered particularly beautiful.

Compensation.

Head of Family—I want to leave my property to my two sons—one-tenth to my elder son, John Butts, and nine-tenths to my younger son, Royal Chesterfield Montgomery de Peyster Butts. Family Lawyer—H'm! Do you think that's quite fair? Head of Family—Yes. I want to make some kind of reparation to Royal for allowing his mother to give him such a name.—London Mail.

An Eventful Day.

"Well, well," exclaimed the editor, "if that wasn't a queer experience!"

"What was that?" said the foreman.

"There was a man in here just now who didn't seem to know any more about how a newspaper should be run than I do."

"When something is very difficult to understand," said the distinguished professor of biology, "it is called science; when it is impossible, it is called philosophy."

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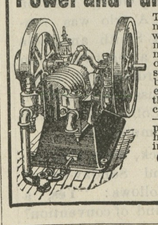
For nearly four years I suffered from ovarian troubles. The doctor insisted on an operation as the only way to get well. I, however, strongly objected to an operation. My husband felt disheartened as well as I, for home with a sick woman is a disconsolate place at best. A friendly druggist advised him to get a bottle of Wine of Cardui for me to try, and he did so. I began to improve in a few days and my recovery was very rapid. Within eighteen weeks I was another being.

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Confirmation Services.—Bishop Monaghan, of Wilmington Del., administered the sacrament of confirmation and preached at Holy Family Church, Church Hill, on Sunday morning and at Mother of Sorrows Church, Centreville, in the evening. Before confirmation the Bishop preached a very earnest and forcible sermon which was listened to with great attention by a very intelligen audience. At the conclusion of the services the Bishop gave the "total abstinence" pledge to all who were confirmed. The following class was confirmed at the services in Church Hi ; Doctor Samuel Charles Dudley, Helen Mary Dudley, Thomas Henry Maloy, Charles Joseph Hardesty, Elenora Cecilia Rhodes, Samuel Francis Magrogran, Mary Verona Hardestv, John Joseph Maloy, Mary Gertrude Pallas, Robert Joseph Magrogran, Elizabeth Agnes Schauber, Frank Augustine Schauber. The following class was confirmed at Centreville. In this class were two colored persons; Mary Ethel Arrington, Francis Augustine Narville, Annie Elizabeth Anthony, Hallie Gertrude Rhodes, Charles Joseph Chance, Francis Joseph Anthony, Mary Gertrude Rhodes, Jesse John Greene, Agnes Dolores Durney, Raphael Scott Anthony, John Lawrence Greaves, Annie Rosalie Slaughter, Rosa Mary Green, Virginia Mary Schofield, Florence Elizabeth Rhodes.—Record.

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TO THE TAX-PAYERS of Kent County.

TREASURER'S NOVEMBER SITTINGS.

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the January Session, 1894, Chapter 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

State and County Taxes

in said county for the year 1904, he will sit for the First November Sitting in the several election districts on

MONDAY, Nov. 14, - Rock Hall, 9 to 12 at T. B. Durding's Store.
MONDAY, Nov. 14, - Piney Neck, 1 to 2.30 at Max Fried's Store.
MONDAY, Nov. 14, - Edesville, 3 to 4 at Samuel Burgess' Store.
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 16, - Galena, at Henry Parr's Store.
THURSDAY, Nov. 17, - Kennedyville, at Wm. A. Pote's Store.
FRIDAY, Nov. 18, - Worton at Turner's Store
MONDAY, Nov. 21. - Pomona, at Thos W. Trew's Store.
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 23, - Melitota, at N. Liberman's Store.

☞ Between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M At all other times will be at Treasurer's Office in Chestertown.

The Treasurer's office in Chestertown will not be open on the above days.

WALTER H. HADAWAY,
n5-tf. Treasurer

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GOV. WARFIELD SPEAKS.

Governor Warfield made a strong speech before the late Sunday school Union. He had been interested, he said, in looking over the figures showing the day school and Sunday-school enrollments and their relation to the population of the counties. They had made him realize, he said, even more than he had before, the tremendous responsibility and influence of the Sunday-school teachers.

"I would like to know," he said, becoming reminiscent, "just what the number of the Sunday-school scholars in the State was when I first went to Sunday-school. It was a long time ago —more than a century ago." Then as some of his auditors looked rather startled he provoked a general laugh by correcting himself and saying: No I mean a half century ago.

"The older we grow," he continued, "the more tender are our recollections of the days of youth. We know that the tender grace of the day that is dead can never come back to us. I had that greatest of all blessing, a Christian mother, and my religious training came from her. You know, no matter how worldly a man may be he appreciates Christian womanhood, and he wants the mother of his children to be a Christian.

Had To Walk To Chapel.

"When I was a small chap I went to Sunday-school at Jennings' Chapel and I had to walk two miles and a half from our home in Howard county to the chapel. It was a little Methodist Protestant chapel. My father went there because my mother had been converted to that faith. My mother's sister long before that had broken away from the Episcopal Church and had become a Methodist, and she soon had her mother and sisters in that church—another instance of a woman's influence in spiritual matters.

"There was no church within 10 miles of their home when my father and mother were married, and my father and other members of the Warfield family built Jennings' Chapel. I can remember when it was dedicated, in 1856. I was 8 years old then.

"We had no trained workers in that Sunday-school. Our teachers were the plain, simple, hard-fisted men of the neighborhood. Yet their piety and their earnestness can never be forgotten. We used to get red tickets for attendance, and after you had so many red tickets you got a blue one, and so on. And I can recall to this day the pride with which I trudged home when I had one of those blue tickets to show to my mother.

"I believe they still give out tickets in the Sunday-schools. Only last Sunday my little girl went to that same Sunday-school that I belonged to when I was a boy, and that is presided over now by my brother. When she came back she held out a ticket, which she said 'Uncle Josh" had given her.

Mr. Warfield's Piety.

'I may not be anything remarkable myself, but I have a good Christian wife, and no matter who may be visiting us in our home out in the country, she goes, rain or shine, to Sunday school. From my earliest boyhood I have been taught to remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it holy. I never saw my mother's fingers idle. If they were not mending little torn jackets or putting patches on little trousers, they were turning over the pages of the Bible."



To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband should be a woman's constant study. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Potts tell their stories for the benefit of all wives and mothers.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** will make every mother well, strong, healthy and happy. I dragged through nine years of miserable existence, worn out with pain and weariness. I then noticed a statement of a woman troubled as I was, and the wonderful results she had had from your Vegetable Compound, and decided to try what it would do for me, and used it for three months. At the end of that time I was a different woman, the neighbors remarked it, and my husband fell in love with me all over again. It seemed like a new existence. I had been suffering with inflammation and falling of the womb, but your medicine cured that and built up my entire system, till I was indeed like a new woman.—Sincerely yours, MRS. CHAS. F. BROWN, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., Vice President Mothers' Club."

Suffering women should not fail to profit by Mrs. Brown's experiences; just as surely as she was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure other women who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration. Read the story of Mrs. Potts to all mothers:—

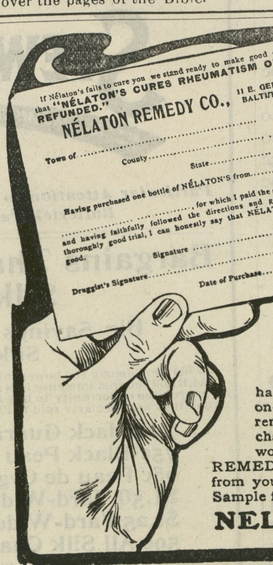


"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—During the early part of my married life I was very delicate in health. I had two miscarriages, and both my husband and I felt very badly as we were anxious to have children. A neighbor who had been using **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** advised me to try it, and I decided to do so. I soon felt that my appetite was increasing, the headaches gradually decreased and finally disappeared, and my general health improved. I felt as if new blood coursed through my veins, the sluggish tired feeling disappeared, and I became strong and well.

"Within a year after I became the mother of a strong healthy child, the joy of our home. You certainly have a splendid remedy, and I wish every mother knew of it.—Sincerely yours, MRS. ANNA POTTS, 510 Park Ave., Hot Springs, Ark."

If you feel that there is anything at all unusual or puzzling about your case, or if you wish confidential advice of the most experienced, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and you will be advised free of charge. **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** has cured and is curing thousands of cases of female troubles—curing them inexpensively and absolutely. Remember this when you go to your druggist. Insist upon getting

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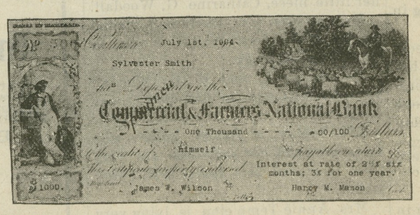
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