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PUBLIC SERVICE

TRAINS LEAVE Chestertown 7.41 a. m. and 2.56 p. m. daily; arriving at 10.55 a. m. and 6.04 p. m. Sundays only, 4.04 p. m.

BOATS LEAVE Chestertown 8 a. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; leaves Baltimore alternate days at 11 a. m.

BOATS LEAVE Tolchester week days 10.15 a. m.; returning, leave Baltimore week days at 2.45 p. m.

MANY Merric Christmases
Many Happy New Years.
Unbroken Friendships,
great accumulations of
cheerful recollections and affections, on Earth, and Heaven for us all.—CHARLES DICKENS.

IF it be so!

PRESIDENT TAFT has sent his annual message to Congress and while it con- 35,000 words, to sum it np in two words the message reads, "Stand Pat."

THE report of Engineer Gibbs for November was submitted to the commissioners Tuesday but owing to the storm there was no meeting and the report was not acted upon. It will appear in the NEWS next week *just as presented.*

ISN'T it rather significant that the Republicans should be urging civil service laws for public officials? While the Republicans were going victorious each year the chief requisite for office was to work on election day. Now that the indications for a Democratic victory are bright President Taft is urging civil-service, etc., for office holders!

JUDGE PEARCE is too busy a man to be writing and rewriting that certain statements are untrue. He has stated his position and his word should be accepted, but in the Barroll organ last week the learned Judge was simply told that he was mistaken as to what he said, or rather what he meant! Hereafter the Judge will likely submit his cases to the *new tribunal* for interpretation! How would the public like that?

IN another column will be found a report of the prizes won at the big farmers' meeting in Baltimore last week. The Eastern Shore did herself great credit and especially the farmers in and near Chestertown. Mr. Harry P. Skipper broke the record by winning *three* State sweepstakes—wheat, corn and rye! Next year perhaps the Massey corn growers will show what big corn really grows in Kent.

THE plans for the jollification to be held in Baltimore January 17th is moving along finely. The plates for the banquet are to cost $10 each and there will be at least 1500 taken while the expense outside of the banquet will amount to $10,000. Among those on the committee from Kent are: Wm. M. Slay, L. W. Wickes, W. W. Beck, H. H. Barroll, H. C. Willis, J. S. Harris, C. L. Dodd, R. H. Collins, Wm. Ivens, John Redmile, Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., and others.

JUDGE ADKINS at the Court in Easton last week said that the administrator of an estate had no right, nor could he give the right of attorney to anyone to administer upon the estate upon which he had been appointed but must administer upon same himself. This is the first time that a decision has ever been given by a court in Maryland on this question, and it is one far-reaching, as for years it has been the practice in many cases for an administrator to give the right of Attorney to some one else to administer on an estate and advertise and sell the property and settle an estate, the same as if he had been named in a will or appointed by the Court as administrator.

INSULT ADDED TO INJURY.

His Honor, Judge James Alfred Pearce, needs no defense from us, for he is well able to protect himself against all assailers. But because of his position before the public and because of the very peculiar circumstances, the NEWS feels it is incumbent to call attention to the contempt with which the Barroll organ deals with our worthy Court.

Judge Pearce published in the NEWS last week a letter in which he stated that the statement made in the Barroll organ was *unwarranted and should not have been made!* The Judge had every reason to expect an apology for an *unwarranted* statement, but instead of an apology came a repetition of the *unwarranted* statement!

Roosevelt tried his hand at deriding the courts and judges with disastrous results, and if we know the people of Kent county they will certainly give their stamp of disapproval to this *unwarranted* use of the name of our learned Judge.

In the *reiteration* of the charge that Judge Pearce had endorsed the Barroll faction the Barroll organ simply added insult to injury. Is there to be no respect shown such men as Judge Pearce?

DEATH'S HARVEST.

NELLIE LEIGH BOONE

Nellie Leigh, the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boone, of Betterton, died on Tuesday evening last, after a long illness of typhoid fever. Funeral services were held from her parents home on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Beauchamp officiating. The bearers were Norman Brice, Preston Smith, William Owens and Walter Luke. Interment was in Still Pond cemetery. Undertaker W. H. Krusen in charge.

WILLIAM E. STEWART.

Major William E. Stewart died on Friday morning in Easton from typhoid fever. The Major has been a prominent man in State, county and town for many years and his death leaves a gap that no successor will fill. He was stricken with the disease but a few days ago, and fears were entertained from the first as to his recovery.

Major Stewart won his title in the Confederate army and was always proud of it. He was a Southern gentleman of the "old school," polished in manner, brilliant in oratory, dissected well his arguments, quick at repartee, a social comrade, the friend of the oppressed, white and colored, a forceful writer, always in the midst of the fray when any moral point was at issue, unsparing in his denunciation of political intrigue and misdemeanor in high places, a supporter of Woman's Suffrage because he saw it was right, was strong on local option and temperance, a valued servant in the Christian faith in which he took more glory than all else combined, and died as he wanted to a "poor man," feeling that he had given his talents to the cause of others.

He was son of the late Judge Stewart, of Cambridge, born in 1839, was educated at Dickinson College and University of Virginia, admitted to the bar in 1860; removed to Arkansas and became a planter but entered the Confederate army, was twice captured, three times promoted, and commanded a regiment in the terrible siege of Port Hudson. He removed to Baltimore, practiced law and was elected to the legislature from that city. He came to Easton in 1876. In early life he wedded Miss Margaret Douglas Wallack, a talented and cultured lady of Washington, who, with the following grown children survives him: Mrs. Skipwith Gordon, of Easton, Mr. Douglas Stewart and Mr. James Stewart, of Philadelphia.

DR. J. E. SMITH

The Rev. Joseph Edmund Smith, died this week of heart disease at his home in Washington, D. C. His funeral will take place in Philadelphia. At the time of his death he was secretary of the American Society of Education. He was eighty-one years of age and for fifty years served in various cities as a preacher of the Methodist Church until his retirement three years ago. He was a native of Delaware and began his itinerancy in Wilmington. He was a brother of the late George W. Smith, of Chestertown, and an eminent preacher.

Miss Florence L. McCourt, daughter of the late Mrs. Louisa McCourt, formerly of Chestertown, died last Saturday in Baltimore, of typhoid fever, aged 43 years. Her remains were brought to Chestertown by train on Sunday and rested in Emmanuel P. E. Church, the funeral services being held on Monday morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. H. B. Martin. The pall-bearers were Messrs. W. H. Brown, A. M. Brown, Leon Brown, H. Clay Brown, Wilbur Eliason, Jr., and J. E. Ferguson. Interment in Chester cemetery, Undertaker J. E. Ferguson in charge.

THE LOCAL OPTION ISSUE.

Bro. Wilson Tyler, of the Easton Gazette, has taken the iniatiative in proposing that the Republican party indorse local option. In a recent issue appeared the following:

"The Gazette's suggestion that the Republican party declare for local option has been met with the objection that we will lose the negro vote. That cuts both ways. The Democrats are already recognized as the whisky party in Maryland, having twice killed the Local Option bill. If on top of this they capture the negro vote to help them continue this saloon and brewery control of Maryland politics there will be a white man's temperance movement that will break the liquor power in politics, disfranchise the negro and revolutionize the State.

The Gazette stands in favor of protecting the rights of the negroes, but we believe the time has come to say to them that, if they block our efforts when we are trying to play good politics by taking advantage of a moral issue, we will join in the attempt to disfranchise them. It is past time to be afraid of shadows. The Democrats have more to fear in getting the liquor vote than we have in losing it. If the negroes and the liquor interests ever get into the same political boat in Maryland the white manhood of the State will sink it and its freight so quickly that it is doubtful if even the crew that will get ashore.

It the negroes follow the Republican party and vote for good citizenship, as we believe most of them will when they see the point, the bottom will fall out of most of the abjection to the negro vote. But if the Republican party loses the negro vote because it stands for a moral issue it will at the same time lose its greatest handicap and get enough white votes to put it into the ascendency forever. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by turning this question on the Democrats."

The Democrats are ready for this question whenever the Republicans are through with it. Will the Barroll faction of the Democratic party in Kent put the local option issue in their platform?

DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME.

It is a waste of time to be busying yourself with what you conceive to be the faults of other people. Be assured that others see as many and as reprehensible faults in you. A good many people who think themselves reformers, specially chosen to point out and reprove the sins of others, are merely insufferable nuisances. If you desire to reform your fellows remember that example is more potent than precept. "Attend to your own business" is rather bluff advice, but it is worth considering. Your fellows have faults—no doubt about it—but if they occupy much of your attention the chances are ten to one that their virtues outnumber your own ten to one.

HAVE the Gem Variety Store man call for your laundry and patronize the best in the State.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

ROOM FOR BETTER STREETS.

The Baltimore Sun of last Friday gives the Chestertown Commissioners some wise advice and endorses the suggestion made repeatedly in the NEWS as to better streets. The writer says:

"With all of Chestertown's get up and go she fails to give enough attention to her own street beds. High street, for instance, is broad and capable of much beautifying. The system here is to take earth from the sides and return it to the crown. Once this street was shelled. That was long, long ago. It is in fine shape for a good covering of permanent material to be placed upon it a little at a time. Some day, no doubt, the ladies will take up the problem and then Chestertown will have good streets.

"The town, with a bonded debt of $20,000 and a tax rate of 40 cents on the $100, could easily take up the question, since it always has several thousand dollars on the safe side of the ledger.

"What can be done was shown when the County Commissioners recently improved Melitota road, not far away. They bought slag from Sparrow's Point at 70 cents a ton, and used it on this road. Many of the residents declared that this was waste, and that the material was totally unfitted for the purpose. A county issue was made of it, but Mr. Charles L. Dodd told the writer that the money paid out was as well spent as any ever given out, and that the road was as substantially built as any part of the State road at but a small fraction of the cost."

IN the annual report made to the Secretary of War this week by Brig. Gen. W. W. Bixby, chief of engineers, several recommendations were made for improvements in nearby rivers. The report states that the improvements in Rock Hall, Queenstown, Claiborne and Cambridge and in the Chester and other rivers of the Eastern Shore are progressing, but it is held that $30,000 is needed to complete these betterments next year. It was also recommended that improvements be made in the Corsica River at a cost of $5,368.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY
Excursion to Baltimore
(Weather and ice permitting)
SATURDAY, December 10, 17, 24, 1910
Steamer Emma Giles will leave Tolchester at 9 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. Leave Baltimore at 7 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. Three and a half hours to see Christmas and the Picture Shows.
ROUND TRIP 50 CENTS.
TOLCHESTER COMPANY.

Public Sale of Personalty

THE undersigned, going to discontinue farming, will sell on the farm where he now resides in Still Pond Neck, near Coleman's, on

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 28th, 1910

Beginning at 10.30 o'clock A. M., the following Personal Property:

3 Head of Horses

All good work horses and one mare in foal.

Farm Implements:

Two Wagons 1 Dearborn and Harness, 1 York Carriage and Harness, Carriage Pole, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Forks, Shovels.

Household and Kitchen Furniture

TERMS.—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Nine Months on note properly secured.

JOSEPH W. HOWARD.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Attorney.
J. W. ROBINSON, Auctioneer. dec10-ts.

WATCHES FOR BOYS GIVEN AWAY

Until Christmas, we are giving with Boys' Clothing, Hats and Shoes, with short pants, sizes 3 to 11 years, a Nickel Watch and Chain with every $5 Cash Sale. This is our Christmas advertisement for the Boys and Little Fellows. Big Stock New Suits, Overcoats and Reefers in every size. New Hats, Shoes and Furnishings. House Coats, Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes for Holiday Gifts in and ready. Umbrellas, Canes, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Suspenders. All the new styles of Overcoats for Men, Plenty of the Patented Presto Collar Coats, $10 to $25. Fur lined Coats, that are Right, Reliable and New.

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dec3-3t. Worton R. R, No. 3.

FOR SALE.
DESIRABLE BUILDING LOT on Washington Avenue, Chestertown.
Apply to
d3-4t F. H. RUSSELL.

WANTED.
DRESSED TURKEYS, dry picked for Philadelphia market. I will pay Philadelphia top quotation less one cent, for good smooth turkeys delivered at my residence at Pomona, Md., on the following dates: December 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 19 and 20.
d3-2t A. H. COVEY.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that the stockholders of the Millington Bank of Maryland will meet at their Banking House in Millington, Kent county, Md., on THURSDAY, JANUARY 5th, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of Directors of the said Bank for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting.
dec10-tm. JOSEPH MALLALIEU, CASHIER.

WANTED.
A reliable white FARM HAND on small dairy farm. A good home to the right person, near West Chester, Pa.
GEORGE COX,
d3-2t R. D. 1, Chaddsford, Pa

FOR SALE.
I have a NUMBER OF PIGEONS for sale, and also some Squabs. Call and see me at Crumpton, Md., on Mr. Alday Clements' farm.
dec3. WILLIE E. WILTBANK.

WANTED.
A representative for Reo Automobile for this vicinity for 1911.
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William W. Beck. Preston R. Ivens

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Properties That Will Sell Quick

No. 102 122 Acre farm, nicely situated in the First Election District of Kent county, 2 miles from railroad station, and close to both school and church. 9 room frame dwelling, new and in excellent condition; 12-stall stable, granary, wagon shed 16x30, poultry house, and all necessary outbuildings in good condition. This land is in a high state of cultivation, 95 acres of which is tillable and 27 acres in woodland and meadow, and at $4,500 is a proposition worthy to be considered.

No. 101 In Kent county, Third Election District, 7 acres of excellent quality soil, land that will produce anything, within 200 yards of railroad station, school and church; 400 keiffer pear trees, 40 apple trees, 30 plum trees and 4 peach trees; large work shop, carriage house, corn crib, wagon shed, several other buildings, all of which are good condition; fencing is hog tight. Price $2,000. Possession given at once.

No. 38 On Lankford's Bay, 45 Acres good land, 5 acres in valuable timber; 7 room frame dwelling and 3 stall stable, just completed, very nicely finished out of the best material. This farm is very nicely located on Lankford's Bay, only 6 miles from Chestertown. Price $1,000. Worth investigating.

No. 100 On Chester River, Queen Anne's county, 200 Acre farm, 20 acres in chestnut and oak timer, fine meadow and balance tillable land,; improvements consist of an 8 room frame dwelling, nicely painted and papered, 2 large Halls, and 28 ft. porch; 3 Stall Stable, Granary, poultry house, potato house and all necessary outbuildings in good condition; fencing and drinking water, good 3-room tenant house in good condition, good shade and water. Hennery on farm wired in and large enough to accommodate 500 hens; 45 apple, 15 pear, 6 peach, 1 damson, and 3 cherry trees, grapes and strawberry patch. This farm is desirably located, ¾ of a mile from school, church and stores, steamboat wharf on farm, and not far from railroad station. Price $5,000 if sold within next 30 days; easy terms.

No. 52 In Kent county, near Chestertown, 150 Acres of land, 25 acres woodland, young fruit orchard, 1 acre asparagus; 14-room frame dwelling, in good condition, nice porches, good yard fence; stable, carriage house, granary, meat house, etc., in good condition; good well of water and good fencing. Price $6,000; good bargain.

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SATURDAY, December 10, 1910
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A. S. BROWN, OWNER.
JOHN D. URIE, Attorney.
ANDREW VANSANT, Auctioneer. dec3-ts.

PUBLIC SALE OF
PERSONALTY
THE undersigned, intending to remove to Talbot county, will sell at public sale at his home in Fairlee, on
Monday, December 12th, 1910
BEGINNING AT ONE P. M.,
1 Horse & Carriage
1 Buggy, 1 Dearborn,
Extension Ladder, Pipe, Tools and Vise, Set of Trucks, Lathe and lot Old Iron.
TERMS—Cash.
W. T. J. KEYSER.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE
Personal Property
THE undersigned, as attorney for the owner, Mr. Samuel L Merchant, will sell at public auction on the farm whereon the said Samuel L. Merchant now resides, known as the B. F. Merchant or Hurtt Farm, situated near Galena, and adjoining the farms of W. Holt Woodall and C. O. Burns, on
THURSDAY, December 15, 1910
Beginning at 10.30 o'clock A. M., the following described Personal Property:
11 HORSES and COLTS
ONE PAIR MULES, Jack and Jennie, 12 to 13 years old.
One Bay Mare, Fashion; 1 Bay Horse, Prince, 6 years old; 1 Bay Horse, Dan, 8 years old; 1 Black Horse, Charley, 14 years old; 1 Bay Horse, Belton, 7 years old; 1 Bay Mare, Mollie, 8 years old; 1 Bay Horse, John, 3 years old; 1 Brown Horse, fine size, 3 years old; 1 Bay Colt, May, 2 years old; 1 Black Colt, 2 years old; 1 Bay Colt; 2 years old. All of these horses are good workers and some excellent drivers.
20 COWS and HEIFERS
Some are fresh and some will soon be fresh ONE FINE BULL, eighteen months old.
40 HEAD NATIVE EWES.
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One Deering Binder, all in order; 1 Wheat 11; hose Drill, nearly new; 1 Hay Rake, nearly new 1 Deering Mower, 1 Corn Planter, 1 Randall Harrow, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, Plows and Cultivators, Forks, Shovels, Hoes, 2 Hay Forks, 2 Farm Wagons and Harness, Plow Harness and Collars, Bridles, 1 Grain Fan, Keystone Corn Sheler, 1 Dearborn, 1 Drop Foot Carriage, 1 Runabout, 1 Sleigh, Grindstone, Farm Bell, 2 Grand Domestic Heaters.
Few Household Goods, 1 Sharple's Separator No. 4, in good order, nearly new; 1 Churn.
TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of Twelve Months will be given on bankable note with approved security, and with interest added. No property to be removed until terms of sale are fully complied with.
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nov5-1m Chestertown, Md.

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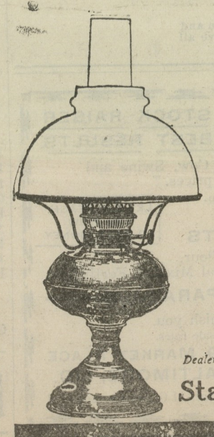
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