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Every Thursday Steamer will leave Fredericktown at 12 noon, Belterton at 1.00 p. m., Tolchester 2.30 p. m., arriving in Baltimore about 5.00 p. m.

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IN EFFECT DECEMBER 26th, 1910.

Steamer will leave Baltimore Pier 7, Light St. wharf Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 11 a. m., weather and tide permitting, for the following points:

Rock Hall, Queenstown, Bogles, *Spaniard's Point, Cliffs, *Indiantown, *Ashland, Quaker Neck, Booker's, *Riverside, Rolph's, *Piney Grove, arrive Chestertown 5.30 a. m.

*Stops on signal.

Returning, steamer will leave Chestertown for Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.00 a. m. weather and tide permitting, stopping at the above landings arriving in Baltimore about 2.00 p. m.

Steamer will leave Baltimore, Pier 7 Light St., weather and tide permitting, Monday, at 6 p. m., stopping at: *Spaniard's Point, Cliff's, *Indiantown, *Ashland, Quaker Neck, Bookers, *Riverside, Rolphs, *Piney Grove, Chestertown, Buckingham, Deep Landing, Sprys, Crumpton.

*Stop on signal.

Returning steamer will leave Crumpton (weather and tide permitting,) for Baltimore Tuesday, at 12 noon, Chestertown 4.00 p. m stopping at the above landings.

This time-Table Shows the times at which steamers may be expected to arrive at and depart from the several wharves, but their arrivals or departure at the times stated is not guaranteed, nor does the Company hold itself responsible for any delay or any consequences arising therefrom.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

JOSEPH DORSEY,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 3rd day of June, 1911, 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 and seal this 29th day of November, 1910.

STEWART DORSEY, Administrator.
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NOTICE! TO TAX-PAYERS OF KENT COUNTY

Dates of Sitting of the Board of Control and Review.

THE County Commissioners sitting as a Board of Control and Review under and by virtue of Chapter 300 Acts of 1910, hereby give notice to all Tax Payers of Kent county, Maryland, that it will sit as a Board of Control and Review, beginning on

Monday, October 31st,

at 10 o'clock a. m. to 3 p. m., at the office of the County Commissioners in the Court House, in Chestertown, and continue to sit each Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of every week thereafter until the business of the Board is completed or until otherwise notified.

The 7th District will first be taken up and disposed of, and then the 5th, 6th, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th in order named.

By order of the Board,
o8-tf SAMUEL HICKS, Clerk.

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WM. M. SLAY, ATTORNEY.

Order Nisi.

Carolene L. Hynson,
versus
Julia Ella Davis et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1736.

ORDERED, this 22d day of December, 1910, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by William M. Slay, Trustee; under a decree of the Circuit Court dated June 24, 1910, to make sale of said property, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of February next:—provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 23rd day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,600,00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test:
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk,
Dec. 24, 1910—4t.

WM. M. SLAY, ATTORNEY.

Ratification Nisi.

Mary L. Plummer, et al.
versus
Thomas P. Plummer, et al.

In The Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1570.

ORDERED, this 23rd day of December, 1910, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 16th 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 two successive weeks before the 9th day of January next.

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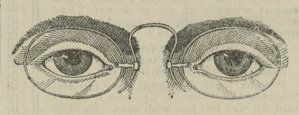

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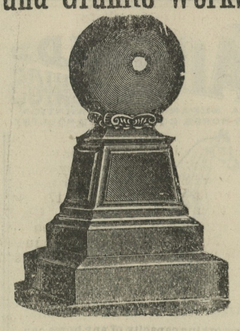

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POTASH TAX HITS THE FARMERS HARD

Looking to Washington For Relief From German Exactions.

Efforts continue to secure relief from the enormous tax imposed by Germany on exports of potash to the United States. In these efforts all agricultural interests are deeply concerned for the reason that potash is an essential element of all commercial fertilizers.

Realizing the seriousness of the burden so imposed, President Taft and the state department have made vigorous protest to Germany, and the matter is still pending. A representative of the state department who visited Berlin in an effort to secure redress from the German government has just returned to Washington, and further action by the administration is expected without great delay.

Official efforts to bring about a favorable settlement have from the start been actively aided by the nonsyndicate potash mines which made the American low price contracts.

Did Germany Break Promises?

It is understood that the state department had assurances from the German government when the tax law was first talked of that nothing would be done which would impair existing trade arrangements. These assurances proved to be worthless, and after Germany had secured the benefits of the minimum rates of our new tariff law the potash tax was put into force. President Taft in his message to congress may have had this fact in mind when he said, referring to the successful working out of the maximum and minimum provision, "There are, however, unfortunately, instances where foreign governments deal arbitrarily with American interests within their jurisdiction in a manner injurious and inequitable."

It was when the German potash syndicate found that independent mines had got almost all of the American business by making prices about 30 per cent lower than the syndicate prices that the law now complained of by American consumers was demanded by the potash trust and enacted by the reichstag with the avowed purpose to deprive Americans of the benefits of their advantageous agreements, running in some cases until 1916.

The amount of the tax imposed by Germany is more than the entire cost at the mines under the American contracts with nonsyndicate producers and makes the price on deliveries in the United States much greater than the old exorbitant syndicate prices. As the American contracts provide that the buyer shall pay all government charges, the tax falls heaviest upon the consumers of potash for the making of fertilizers.

Tax Levied to Raise Prices.

The tax law was passed, it is asserted, with no other purpose than to destroy existing contracts, to coerce all potash mines into the syndicate and so to bring about a return to high prices and take away the market made here by nonsyndicate producers.

Until this controversy arose it was not generally known that potash in workable quantities was found only in Germany. The production is and has been for twenty years controlled by a syndicate, which also fixes the price that the world shall pay for this necessity. In this syndicate, which is strictly regulated by law, several German governments participate as owners of potash mines. It was during a temporary lapse in the syndicate, leaving every one free to make his own figures, that the low prices now causing trouble were made.

WATCH ROADS THIS WINTER.

Improved Highways Are Now Passing Test of All Traffic and Weather Conditions, and Those That Make Good Will Be Standards of the Future.

At the end of the present winter good roads builders will be able to form definite opinions as to what shall be the standard road of the future. Road building up to the present has been for the most part more or less experimental. Demonstration as to just how good some "good roads" would prove to be has been lacking because improved highways have not been built long enough to show their worth.

On asphaltic macadam is placed the main reliance of road engineers. Such highways have been proved absolutely necessary to withstand heavy traffic, and the main question remaining to be decided is the best "binder" to hold the stone of the macadam together. Some of these binders "bleed" in summer and then get so brittle that they "lose" the road. The natural asphalts, such as are used in street pavements, do not act in this way.

Whatever may be next spring's verdict as to what is the best road, the movement for improved highways is going steadily forward with increased energy. The latest to enlist in the good roads cause are the presidents of the Pennsylvania, New York Central and Southern railroads and Mr. Yoakum of the Frisco, who were among the organizers of the American Association For Highway Improvement, now getting to work in Washington, with Logan W. Page, director of the office of public roads, as president.

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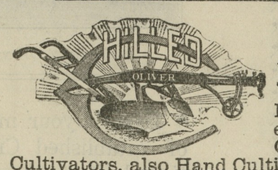

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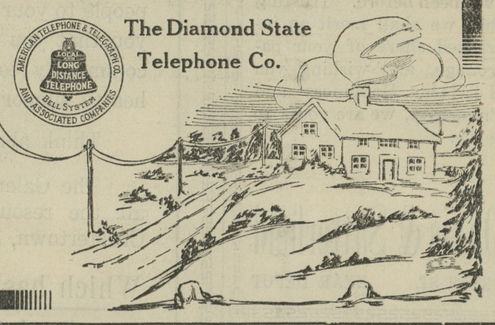

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