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The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Saturday, Oct. 5, 1867.

Public Meetings!

In pursuance of a resolution of the State Central Committee, the Democratic and Conservative voters of Kent county, are requested to meet in their respective Election Districts, at the usual places of holding elections, on

SATURDAY,

THE FIFTH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1867,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., to select a committee of five persons from each District to meet in Chestertown at the Court House, in County Convention, on the following MONDAY, the 7th of October, at 11 o'clock, A. M., to nominate candidates for

Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Register of Wills,
State's Attorney,
Sheriff,
State Senator,
House of Delegates,
Judges of the Orphans' Court,
County Commissioners, and
County Surveyor.

And also to appoint three delegates to the State Convention, which will meet in Baltimore on Wednesday, the 9th of October, to nominate State officers. And also, to appoint three delegates to the Convention which will assemble on a day hereafter to be named to nominate a Chief Judge and two Associate Judges for the Second Judical Circuit of Maryland.

GEORGE VICKERS,
JOSEPH A. WICKES.

Sept. 27, 1867.

PROCLAMATION OF THE NEW CONSTITUTION.—Governor Swann has issued his proclamation, in accordance with the act of the General Assembly, declaring the adoption of the new constitution by the people in the election held on the 18th of September ultimo. He states the certified vote at 47,152 for, 23,036 against the constitution, with 27 blank ballots, and declares that a majority of votes having been cast for the constitution adopted by the Convention at Annapolis, on the 17th of August last, it will go into effect as the proper constitution and form of government of the State (superseding the one now existing) on Saturday. the 5th day of October, instant, (to-day.)

CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR.—The following gentlemen have been spoken of as candidates for the next Governorship of Maryland. On the Western Shore:—Hon. Oden Bowie, of Prince George's; Hon. Geo. W. Hughes, of Anne Arundel; Hon. Walter Mitchell, of Charles; Hon. Wm. T. Hamilton, of Washington; Hon. John Wethered, of Baltimore county; Hon. H D. Fernandis, of Harford; Hon. John K. Longwell, of Carroll; and Hon. Thos. J. McKaig, of Allegany. On the Eastern Shore:—Gen. George Vickers, of Kent; Hon. James T. Earle, of Queen Anne's; Hon. Isaac D. Jones, of Somerset; Hon. R. B. Carmichael, of Queen Anne's; and Col. Samuel Hambleton, of Talbot. The nomination will be made next Wednesday.

BALTIMORE POLITICS.—Political affairs seem to be in much of a muddle in Baltimore as in some other parts of the State. The Judicial nominations made in that city by the democratic-conservative convention seem to be quite unsatisfactory to the party. The *Sun* is evidently displeased, and the *Gazette* is open in its condemnation of the action of the nominating convention and advocates the running of an independent ticket. The necessity of such a course is always to be regretted, but the purity of parties and the interests of the people sometimes demand it. If those papers, or either of them, approve such a course, we cannot doubt its propriety.

THE Richmond *Examiner* says, the effect of the admission of the negroes to testify has been to convert all white men into liars and perjurers. So sure as a white man brings a charge against a negro, half a dozen other negroes are always ready to swear him out of the scrape.—Some negroes make a business of this thing, and are always hanging about the Mayor's office, ready to give any testimony desired at a moment's notice.

THE Norfolk papers have lately given currency to a statement that there are in that city several negroes who are gradually turning white. This affords the New York *Tribune's* editor a text for a very facetious article, in which he incidentally (or perhaps accidentally) gives utterance to the following:

"There is, however, one consideration at which we *tremble*. Suppose, as the blacks are turning white, it should be found that the whites are also turning black!"

We think Greeley will agree with us that this is not the only instance on record of a man's trembling at his own shadow.

THE SOUTHERN HOME JOURNAL is the title of a very handsome Weekly, about to be started in Baltimore. Its corps of contributors gives promise of a first-class paper; and if the first number is a sample of what will follow, it will be a production of which Baltimore may well be proud. It is published by Jno. Y. Slater & Co., 293 Baltimore street, at $3 a year, or eight copies for $20.

THE New York *Tribune* is alarmed at the political reaction, and candidly admits that the Democrats will be almost sure to elect the next President if they carry Pennsylvania at the coming election.

THE Democratic-Conservative party of Baltimore city has nominated Robert T. Banks, Esq., for Mayor.

THE ALLEGED OUTRAGE IN KENT.

A statement was published in the *Baltimore American* of Wednesday, by Amos G. Sullivan, purporting to give the particulars of an alleged outrage perpetrated upon him near this town on the night of the 24th of September. The facts were well known in this community prior to our last issue, and would have been mentioned, but it was understood that an arrangement for compromising the difficulty was on foot, and it was thought best *by both parties* that no notice should be taken of it at that time. It is well known, however, that Sullivan was willing, for a *small* pecuniary consideration, to compromise the matter; and failing in this, he has resorted to the publication aforesaid.

The young men engaged in this affair, all of whom except one are minors, positively disclaim political motives as the basis of their conduct on the occasion, and the political tenets of one of them at least would warrant this conclusion. We have unquestionable authority for saying that Sullivan stated to two parties, after the affair occurred, that he was well aware that it was *on no political grounds* that he was assaulted. What was our surprise, then, to see embodied in his affidavit a declaration that this affair originated in political prejudices! This is a gross inconsistency, and is sufficient to invalidate the truthfulness of his whole statement.

After the treatment in the woods, of which of course we know nothing, Sullivan admits that he was brought to town by the assaulting parties, and lodged in his room at the hotel. He employed counsel, and the case was regularly conducted before a justice of the peace, who held the offenders to bail. The attempt to implicate a number of our prominent citizens in the affair, simply because they stand related to the assaulting parties, is altogether unjustifiable. We know that none condemned the proceeding, in the extent to which it was carried, more heartily than they. Sullivan himself admitted to us that he had the sympathy of our entire community, and that he had heard no one speak of the affair but in terms of condemnation. The fact that he remained here unmolested for two weeks after the occurrence, and pursued his business of picture-selling as usual, proves that there was *none* of that hostility existing towards him which he seeks to make his radical friends abroad believe, and which he himself, while here, admitted did not exist.

We cannot believe that the young men engaged in the affair intended to inflict any personal injury upon Sullivan. The affair, in its conception, was no doubt intended as a practical joke, but unfortunately, as is sometimes the case, it was carried too far. We saw Sullivan the next day, and the only evidence of maltreatment that we could discover was a slight bruise on the cheek and wrist.

After Sullivan's willingness to compromise the matter for a few dollars, and his disavowal of political reasons as the cause of his treatment, his appeal for congressional interference is one of the most silly things that ever appeared in print. His whole statement bears evidence of *softness*, which is generally admitted here to be a prominent trait in his character.

District Meetings.

We would remind voters that the District Meetings for the selection of delegates to the County Convention to nominate candidates, will be held in all the districts at 2 o'clock this (Saturday) afternoon. Let the people turn out and vote for the candidates of their choice.

WE are requested to state that JOHN O. SLAY, Esq., is not a candidate for the office of State's Attorney.

LAND SALES.—Richard Hynson, Esq., as trustee and attorney, sold at the Voshell House, on Tuesday last, the following lands:—S. J. Coleman farm, 47 acres, at $40 per acre; G. W. Hynson farm, 141 acres, at $30 acre—both purchased by John P. Eldes. J. E. Boyd's farm, 128½ acres, to John R. Gill, at $66 per acre. P. L. Lynch's farm, 120 acres, to B. B. Hatchison, at $5,500.

FINE APPLES.—Mr. John W. Corey has presented us with a basket of the finest apples we have seen this season, the largest of which weighed 19 ounces.

SENTENCE OF A DISTILLER.—In the U S. District Court, on Wednesday, Judge Giles sentenced John V. Kendall, of Galena, Kent county, to pay a fine of $4,800 (being double the amount of the unpaid tax) and to be imprisoned in Baltimore city jail for one week. Kendall was convicted of carrying on the business of a distiller without paying the special tax. —*Balt. Sun.*

LIFE AND CAMPAIGNS OF GEN. LEE, by JAS. D. MCCACE, JR., of VA.—We have carefully run over this work, which is now being offered to the citizens of our county, and can recommend it to them as an interesting and intelligent account of the campaigns of the great Southern leader. Some of the reasons given for the failure of the Southern cause are different from those we have before seen, but if the statements are correct, these deductions are the natural and logical consequence.

Mr. William Skinner Stam is now canvassing the county. The price of the book is $4 and $6 per copy, according to binding. We believe this to be a reliable book, and it is one of the very few of its character we have recommended. A large sized engraving of Gen. Lee is given with each copy.—*Transcript.*

From the Age.

Two Pictures.

During a recent trip through the South I was struck by two incidents which amazed and startled me. Believing this Union was formed by white men for white men, I was astonished to find the prodigious progress made by the negrophilists in entirely changing the current of history, and diverting the government from the object of its institution. The first trial by a negro jury that ever occurred in America took place in May last in the United States Circuit Court in Richmond. The first man ever tried by such a jury was a Union soldier of the Eleventh United States infantry then on duty there. As I looked on this veteran in the uniform of his country's defenders—who had risked his life and shed his blood on a hundred fields, arraigned as a criminal before *negroes*, I asked myself, did this man and such as he, fight and bleed for four years of terrible war for the purpose of securing these blacks the right to sit in judgment on white people?

The next feature that startled me was at Fort Macon, North Carolina. That fort is garrisoned by blacks, and is used as a place of punishment for convicts.—Recently I saw a negro soldier, driving and ordering eight white men who were prisoners, while he made them haul a seine and catch fish for his black comrades and himself. Some of them were white soldiers, convicted by court martial of petty offences, and some were citizens of the United States, sent there by military commissions without trial by jury, without warrant of law, and in the exercise of pure arbitrary power.

The civil and military power of the United States, administered by negroes—to control and coerce white men—Union men, loyal citizens, white soldiers, I thought to myself if this thing is done now in Virginia and North Carolina, and the South is held down by negroes, just so will the negrophilists use the negro vote and use the negro and negro power to hold down Pennsylvania and the North. In an election for President a negro vote in Virginia counts just as much as a white man's vote in Pennsylvania, and the negro vote South is to be used to control the white vote North. A TRAVELER.

THE New Orleans *Times*, a Radical paper, thus pictures the effects of negro equality in that section of the Union:

It is undeniable that a strong feeling of *caste*—of exclusiveness—is growing up in the breasts of the colored people, and that the tendency to ignore white men as counsellors and leaders--even though they be of the most Radical type politically—is constantly on the increase. Even at this early day, long before an election for new local governments can be held, there is scarcely a State or municipal office that can be named for which a negro candidate has not already been put forward, with strong and active supporters at his back. A colored man, now holding office by appointment of General Sheridan, boasted on a leading thoroughfare, in tones to be heard by passers, that he would be the next Sheriff elected, if it cost him fifty thousand dollars. He is confident of succeeding without such a liberal expenditure; another is quite as confident of being the next Mayor. The negro member of Congress from the First District is decided upon, and so on to the end of the list.

THE RESULTS OF REGISTRATION.—The elections will soon take place in the Southern States under the act which disfranchises a large number of whites and enfranchises all the blacks. The voters have been registered, and here is the result:

	White.	Black.
Virginia	115,157	101,490
North Carolina	75,000	60,000
South Carolina	24,000	50,000
Florida	5,500	11,000
Georgia	85,000	87,000
Alabama	72,747	88,248
Mississippi	55,000	75,000
Louisiana	44,742	82,904
Arkansas	60,000	20,000
Texas	70,000	35,000
Total	607,646	615,642

FORNEY, of the Philacelphia *Press*, is afflicted with "Maryland" on the brain He has it bad. Here is the result of his latest spasm: "The wretched condition of our sister State, (Maryland,) where all is turbulence and uncertainty, is a pregnant warning to us in this critical hour." Another one like that will probably take him off!

[From the Buffalo Courier, June 26th.]

Thayer & Noye's Great Circus and Collection of Animals, the largest and most complete ever exhibited here, has just finished three days of a successful business, it having been visited in that brief time by over 18000 of our citizens. No exhibition of a similar character has ever been before so extensively patronized, but from the varied and excellence of their programme, it could not be otherwise.—Of this Circus and collection of Animals, and of all parties connected therewith, we certainly cannot be too lavish of our praise. The Circus troupe comprises MORE and BETTER performers than was ever before brought together by one management.—The gymnastic and acrobatic performances would have done credit to the famous Hanlons, while the riding of Mr. Reed, of Horace Smith, and Mlle. De Foe, was the best we ever saw. The astonishing acts of Wooda Cook, a pupil of Mr. Noyes, was certainly immense, particularly the Hurdle Act of this CHILD WONDER, which produced the most profound sensation.—The animals were all young, fat and sprightly, whilst the Cages, Wagons, Harness, Chariots, Carriages, &c., were bright and new, and were abundant evidence of the lavish expenditure of Messrs. Thayer & Noyes, in equipping and re-organizing their great Show for the season of 1867

The gentlemanly bearing and deportment of every person connected with this concern was observed by all those who visited the exhibition. Messrs. Thayer & Noyes are managers of experience, having toiled honestly for years for that good name, which they are so universaly known throughout the country, and of which they are so justly entitled to and proud of.

It will be seen by advertisement in another oolumn that this Show will exhibit at Millington on Thursday and at Chestertown on Friday next.

IMPORTANT MOVEMENT BY SOUTHERNERS.—Important official information has been received here that judicial steps have been taken in Gen. Pope's district to secure the right of suffrage by virtue of the recent amnesty proclamation; several citizens of Alabama who have been pardoned by this proclamation have been before the boards of registration, which are now revising the lists, and demand to be registered. Gen. Pope instructed the boards to refuse to register them, and they were refused.—Hon. S. F. Rice, of Montgomery, and ex-judge of Alabama, who was one of these parties, went before the U. S. Commissioner, and made affidavit to the fact, with a view of testing in the United States courts the constitutionality of the military reconstruction laws, and the powers conferred by an executive pardon. Similar movements will be made in all the Southern States where registration is not closed; and if legal redress fails before Judges Busteed and Underwood, in Alabama and Virginia, his Honor, Chief Justice Chase, can look at his presidential prospects over a decision on the military acts in his Circuit Court in North Carolina. This important movement is exciting deep interest in official circles here.—*Washington Correspondence N. Y. Tribune.*

THAT ARTILLERY.—The radical journals, instigated by incendiaries in this State, who are seeking, by the propagation of defamatory falsehoods, to excite popular passion in the North against Maryland, so as to induce Congress to subvert the State government, and put it into the hands of a factious minority, who can never attain power by the will of the people, are endeavoring to convert the purchase by Governor Swann of a few cannon for the Maryland militia as startling evidence of an intention to assist President Johnson in making war upon Congress. The simple truth of the matter is, that the quota for arms coming from the federal government to Maryland, was $24,000, and Governor Swann had corresponded with Secretary Stanton upon the subject, in which Secretary Stanton consented to furnish the State two batteries of artillery, of six guns each, and the value being somewhat above the amount of the quota, the State was to pay the difference. General Grant, the successor of Mr. Stanton, not having carried out the arrangement, the Governor employed a part of the State appropriation for carrying out the militia bill to purchase a single battery of six guns. Are the radicals prepared to accuse Secretary Stanton of conspiring with Governor Swann to assist President Johnson in making war upon Congress? This whole matter, however, of partisan clamor about a few uniformed militia in Maryland is too ridiculous to pursue further.—*Baltimore Sun.*

THE Radical leaders of the Republican party have staked the existence of their organization upon the single issue of negro equality. They forced it upon the people of the South at the point of the bayonet, because they knew that without subjecting the Southern States to negro domination, their rule would be ended as soon as the Union was restored. Having thus made negro equality the rule in the Southern States, they must of necessity extend it to every other State. They can not expect to maintain the system in the South if it should be repudiated in the North. Hence the resolve to pass a sweeping Congressional enactment.—*Lancaster Intelligencer.*

THE States of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Iowa hold their annual elections on Tuesday, October 8th; while California holds a Judicial election about the same time. Ohio and Iowa elect Governors; a single Representative in Congress is to be chosen from Pennsylvania, in place of Mr. Dennison, deceased, and one from Ohio, vice Gen. Rutherford B. Hayes, who, having accepted the nomination for Governor, has resigned his seat. In Pennsylvania, ex-Judge Woodward is running as the Democratic, against ex-Senator W. W. Ketchum, Republican.

SOUND ADVICE.—The New York *Journal of Commerce*, referring to the opinion expressed in some Southern journals that a long-looked-for reaction in the public mind of the North has commenced, says that its truthfulness depends upon the abstinence of the Southern people "from any course of action or use of language that can give ground of suspicion in regard to the genuineness of their professions of loyalty, or that is capable of being perverted or misconstrued by reckless demagogues for purposes of mischief." This is sound advice, coming from a true friend. If it is universally heeded by Southern journalists, they will reflect the true spirit of the people, who are patient and pacific, and will hasten the restoration of an era of good feeling and the consequent resumption of old political relations.

CAPT. HALL'S ARCTIC EXPLORATION.—A letter to the New York *Herald*, dated at Repulse Bay, August 15, gives an account of a visit to Captain Hall, the Arctic explorer, whose quarters have not been changed since last winter. The writer says:

"Some information he got last winter from the natives he fell in with made him decide on wintering there this winter.—They told him that some white men had been with them for a long time, and one of them died and they buried him with great care. Captain Hall thinks it might be Sir John Franklin, and has determined to try and reach the country and see for himself, so he offered among the whaling fleet five hundred dollars in gold per man for five men to go with him. The men, having wintered, did not wish to say; but at last five good, strong men have joined, and when they are done hunting this fall they will start. Captain Hall is sure of obtaining some relics, at least. 'If I die,' says he, 'I shall die doing my duty.'"

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE.—Ben. Wade, in his speech at Cleveland, Ohio, the other day, said "the country is now in a perilous crisis," commenting upon which the Springfield (Ill.) *Register* remarks: Whose fault is it? The Radical Congress and Radical Governors in the North have been controlling the country since the close of the war. All the laws made for the Government of the people, both North and South, have been made by a Radical Congress and Radical State Legislatures. If the country is in a "perilous crisis," the Radicals alone are responsible. They have had full sway.

THE EPIDEMIC IN NEW ORLEANS.—A letter to the New York Journal of Commerce, dated New Orleans, September 23d, says:

"The fever is rapidly on the increase. The city is a vast hospital. It is believed there are 10,000 cases now under treatment. You hear of it everywhere and in almost house. It is in all of our crowded orphan asylums. The good sisters are stricken down. Committees are going through the streets begging for them. Language fails to depict the misery and distress existing here. We are truly an afflicted people. Business is of course seriously affected by the state of things; non-intercourse with the country, no collections; cotton coming in very slow.

RESUMPTION OF SPECIE PAYMENTS.—A plan has been transmitted to the Secretary of the Treasury, which it is understood meets the approval of bankers and financial men who have conferred on the subject in New York, by means of which it will be practicable to accomplish the following important objects. It will be practicable to resume specie payments in five years; retire all the national bank currency notes within ninety days; substitute greenbacks as the sole currency of the country; give commerce and the West ninety millions increased bank circulation (greenbacks,) and reduce the coin interest debt three hundred millions; and all in a manner satisfactory to the banking and financial interests of all sections.—*New York Herald.*

CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE ON WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.—In a recent conversation with Lucy Stone Mr. Chase said: "Be free to say from me that I think there will be no end to the good that will come by woman's suffrage; on the elected, on elections, on government, and on woman herself. I have said this in public and private for many years. I am glad that an effort is making in Kansas to accomplish it, and I shall rejoice when the elective franchise shall be as free to women as it is now to men. I think, too, that this will be at no distant day."

GEN. LYLE, the Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Philadelphia, who marched with his regiment to the defence of Washington at the first call for troops and served until the close of the war, participating in all the battles of the Army of the Potomac, is now denounced by the *Press* as a "rebel sympathizer." Forney made a fortune by the rebellion, and this is his opinion of the men who helped to crush it.

THE ANTIETAM POET AND GEN. MCCLELLAN.—The Cincinnati Commercial, a republican paper, remarks:

The Antietam poet managed to ring in an ample list of officers who participated in that battle, but by a singular omission he never so much as hinted the name of McClellan, the general commanding the army which won the hard-fought field.

MARYLAND MILITIA.—Forney is going into hysterics because the State of Maryland is organizing a militia force of ten thousand men, and because the uniforms of the troops are gray. He is doubtless ignorant of the fact that there are more than ten thousand militiamen in the city of New York alone, and that many of them wear gray uniforms.—*N. Y. Herald.*

GENERAL SCOTT'S WILL.—Gen. Scott's will, just probated, bequeathes all his property to his daughter, the wife of Col. Scott; his Pulaski sword to the West Point Academy; and his sword, worn in Mexico, to his grandson, Winfield Scott Hoyt.

Baltimore Price Current

[Corrected from the Sun of Thursday.]

WHEAT—White	$2.36a2.50
" Choice Red	2.55a2.65
" Medium and good red	2.30a2.50
CORN—Good to prime White	1.27a1.28
" " " Yellow	1 34a1.35
Oats	65a72

DIED:

At the residence of his brother, near Church Hill, on the 21st Sept., JOHN W. GLEAVES, in the 30th year of his age.

CHARLES E. C. ELLIS, aged 22 years, son of William and Rachel Ellis, of Cecilton, Cecil county, Md., was drowned in the Sassafras river at Fredericktown, where he went in to bathe, on Saturday, the 17th of August last.

In Morgan's Creek Neck, in this county, on Monday last, WILLIAM COMSTOCK, aged about 30 years.

On the 27th Sept., in Still Pond, TANNIE TAYLOR, daughter of John H. Taylor, aged 2 years, 1 month, 9 days.

Now the little soul's an angel,
With a crown upon its brow,
Shining with resplendant glory,
Yes, dear parents, even now.
Why, oh why then weep, dear parents,
While she is so greatly blessed.
Do not weep, rejoice, be thankful,
That your darling is at rest. A FRIEND.

WANTED, FIVE THOUSAND PERSONS TO TRY Simpson's Excelsior Writing Ink, which he is now manufacturing, and will sell at 25 cents per pint. Come and try it. oc5-tf. WM. SIMPSON.

VENDUE. THE subscriber will sell at Public Sale on TUESDAY, the 15th of October, at the Voshell House in Chestertown, EIGHT HUNDRED HEAD of GOOD STOCK SHEEP. Terms made known on day of sale. Oct. 5, 1867—ts* RICHARD GROVES.

Fall and Winter Millinery. MISS M. J. WYATT respectfully calls the attention of her friends and the public generally to her new stock of FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY. Thankful for past patronage, we hope to merit the continuance and increase of the generous patronage heretofore extended. Call and examine. Store adjoining Wickes' apothecary. oc5-3t.

NOTICE. T. C. RINGGOLD, GENERAL AGENT For the sale of all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL. Also, Sash, Doors, Frames, Brackets, Moulding, &c. Orders solicited and promptly executed. Address 193 East Balt. St., Residence, or oc5-2m. 172 Pratt Stt., near Light.

Town Commissioners' Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the Commissioners of Chestertown, made prior to January 1st, 1867, are notified to present such claims to the Commissioners at a special meeting to be held on TUESDAY, Oct. 22, instant, at 7½ o'clock P. M. at the Court House. Claimants are required to prove such claims before the Board at that time for settlement.

By order, T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.
Oct. 5. 1867—3t.

SALE OF Valuable Real Estate. On Saturday, Oct. 19, '67. at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, at 11 o'clock, A. M., the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, his place in Quaker Neck, now occupied by Mr. John K. Willis, which is a Commodious Frame Dwelling, WITH A STORE HOUSE And about 20 ACRES OF LAND.

This place offers rare inducements to purchase to any one who desires to merchandise or conduct any public business in connection with farming in a small way. There is a good Stable and other Out-Buildings amply sufficient for the farming purposes of the premises.

It is located in a good, healthy and prosperous neighborhood. The soil is naturally good and well adapted to Peaches, Pears, and other fruits, and is within a mile of a public landing on Chester River, and convenient to places of public worship, schools, &c.

TERMS OF SALE:—These terms are desired by the undersigned, but will be modified sooner than miss a fair sale: One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; the residue in twelve months therefrom, with interest on future payment from 1st January next, when possession will be given.

For further information consult R. HYNSON, Esq., Attorney, Chestertown, Md.
oc5-ts. JOSEPH O. RASIN.

GRAND CONCERT. PROF. JAMES T. EAGLE, graduate of the Md. Inst. for the Blind, assisted by some of his Schoolmates, will give a Concert of Vocal and Instrumental MUSIC, at the TOWN HALL in Chestertown, on Tuesday Evening, Oct. 15th. The Programme will consist of Comic and Sentimental Songs, Comic Trios, and pieces written for the violin. Tickets 50 cts.; Children under 12 years 25 cts. Doors open at 7 o'clock; to commence at 8. oc5-2t.

For Chester River. STEAMER KENT ISLAND Leaves Light St. Wharf at 7½ o'clock, A. M., every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, touching at Kent Island, Grey's Inn, Corsica, Booker's, Rolph's, Chestertown, and other Landings. Returning, leaves Chestertown at 7, A. M., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving in Baltimore at 2 o'clock. oc5-tf. J. A. BURGESS, Capt.

Come and See! ONE OF THE LARGEST ASSORTMENTS OF GOODS IN CHESTERTOWN. A. W. SPARKS, HAS just returned from the city, and is now opening one of the FINEST and CHEAPEST Stocks of Goods ever before offered. Persons in want of any kind of goods can find them all here, without running all over town. Cash and punctual paying customers will find it to their advantage to give him a call, and save from 5 to 10 per cent on their purchases. Oct. 15.

Boots and Shoes. T. W. ELIASON & SON. WE invite the attention of customers and the public generally to our stock of Men's, Boys' and Youths' Heavy and Medium heavy Best quality WINTER BOOTS. Women's heavy and medium heavy Bal. Boots, Misses " " " " " Children's " " " " " MADE TO OUR ORDER EXPRESSLY FOR OUR TRADE, OF GOOD MATERIAL. Some of the above makes of Boots and Shoes have been sold by us now for ten years, and have given so general satisfaction that we feel warranted in recommending them to buyers for their durability. We keep also an assortment of CITY MADE SEWED WORK, such as Ladies' Goat and Morocco Bal. Boots, " Lasting Bal. Gaiters, Misses " " " " Morocco and Goat Balmoral Boots, " Fancy " Children's Goat and Morocco Bal. Boots, Infants' Plain and Fancy Shoes of different qualities. T. W. ELIASON & SON. Oct. 5, 1867.

JUST OPENED, THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST Assortment of goods that I have ever offered. MUSLINS 8 Cents and upward. CALICOES 8 cts. " " Men's Coarse BOOTS at $3.25. Very Best Natural Tobacco at $1.00 per. lb. The very Best Kersey at 95 cts. per yard, and every thing else in proportion. The reason I can afford to sell goods so low is that I buy exclusively for cash, have no rent to pay, and no clerks to hire. Let all come, and save money by purchasing at the Cheap Down Town Store. JOHN SMITH. Chestertown, Oct. 5, 1867.

Come One! Come All! AND buy a bottle of SLAUGHTER & CATLIN'S Celebrated TONIC BITTERS, kept and sold at Kennedyville, by sep28-tf. C. W. WARREN.

Boots, Boots. I HAVE just received a fine lot of Fall Boots, city made, which I will sell cheap for cash. C. W. WARREN. Kennedyville, Kent county, Md. Sept 28, 1867—tf.

Road Notice. WE the subscribers hereby give notice, that they intend to petition the County Commissioners thirty days after the date of this notice, to appoint examiners to locate and open a new road beginning at Kennedyville, on Turner's Creek Lane, and running through the lands of John Kennedy and Robert Cochrane, to the road called Nicholson's Lane. PHILIP F. RASIN, WILLIAM WELCH, JESSE WILSON, ARTHUR J. WALLIS, J. S. HARRIS, and others. Sept. 28, 1867—5t.

A Pointed Dialogue. "I SAY, JIM, where did you get such a fine looking Hat?" "Why you know, John, I always go to SIMPSON'S to buy my Hats. I can always get the latest styles and cheapest Hats in town from him, for he makes his own Hats. And, John, you would be surprised if you would see that old slouch hat I had on last week; Simpson has made it look like a new one. Also, this old suit of Clothes, you see Simpson has cleaned and dyed them, and they are good as new. He always gets them done at the time promised." sep28-tf.

LOOK HERE! J. H. BURCHINAL & SON, HAVE just received, and are NOW OPENING at their store in the middle division of the building corner of High and Cross Sts., a Large and Varied Assortment of Goods, which they are selling VERY LOW. Call and see. Sept. 28, 1867.

SODA, WATER, CREAM and BUTTER CRACKERS, for sale by oc13. LEVI FIDDIS, Jr.

CARD. HAVING heard that it has been charged that I voted for Abraham Lincoln, and the Constitution of 1864, and that I had said I was in favor of negro suffrage, I take this method of pronouncing such charges utterly false and without any foundation whatever. JESSE K. HINES. Chestertown, Sept. 28, 1867—3t.

A CARD. HAVING been advised by several of my friends, I offer myself as a candidate for REGISTER OF WILLS, subject to the nomination of the Democratic and Conservative party. Sept. 21, 1867—tf. N. T. HYNSON.

A CARD. THE announcement of Candidates through the public press being generally adopted through the State, I avail myself of this method respectfully to offer myself as a candidate for the office of STATE'S ATTORNEY for Kent County, subject to the decision of the Nominating Convention of the Democratic and Conservative Party. Sept. 7, 1867—tf. JAMES A. PEARCE.

ANNOUNCEMENT. I OFFER myself to the Democratic Conservative Voters of Kent County, subject to the nominating convention, as a Candidate for State's Attorney. The above announcement is unusual in our county, but is the regular method in most counties of the State, and presents itself to my mind as preferable to the system of electioneering which prevails here. a31-tf. E. F. PERKINS.

A CARD. AT the solicitation of many voters, I hereby announce myself as an Independent Candidate for the next CLERKSHIP of Kent county, Md. SAMUEL E. BRISCOE. August 1st, 1867.

Another New Candidate! JUST IN TIME. THE announcement of Candidates through the public press being generally adopted, I offer myself as an Independent Candidate to supply Kent and Queen Anne's County with BREAD, CAKES and CANDY of my own manufacture, until further notice. Please drop in and I will give you such inducements that if you cant vote to save the country, you can assist me in making "Greenbacks." The public's ob't serv't, W. HUDGINS, Sept. 28. Next door to Post Office

SOMETHING NEW! Go to STRAUSS & HYNSON'S, CRUMPTON, To buy your READY-MADE CLOTHING, where you will be suited in style, quality and prices. Give us a call. STRAUSS & HYNSON, Sept. 28, 1867—tf. Crumpton, Md.

BERGER & BUTZ'S EXCELSIOR SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME, ALSO, THEIR Ammoniated SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME. (See advertisement in another column of R. J. RUTH & CO., 16 Bowly's Wharf, Balt.) SOLD BY HINES & WOODALL, CHESTERTOWN, Also by JOHN CARSON, Crumpton. T. J. SHALLCROSS, Shallcross' Wharf. EDW. SLAUGHTER, Travilla Landing. JAS. SHUSTER, Buck Neck. S. A. J. WICKES, Grey's Inn Creek. Capt. W. S. KELLY, Still Pond Creek. Also, PERUVIAN GUANO and ALL FERTILIZERS in the Baltimore market. We will have the above fertilizers shipped to any landing in Kent county that the purchaser may desire. HINES & WOODALL, ag31-tf. General Agents.

LATEST ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, AT R. P. STEWART'S CASH STORE. Call and see my stock of NEW and BEAUTIFUL GOODS, just opened. Sept. 7, 1867.

L. MASTBAUM'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT IS UNEXCELLED. WE HAVE IN STORE THE BEST AND LARGEST ASSORTMENT EVER OFFERED! We can suit all in Fine White Shirts, Calico Shirts, Cassimere Shirts, Check and Flannel Shirts, and Undershirts and Drawers. Shirt Bosoms, Linen Collars of all styles, Suspenders, Linen Cuffs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Derby Scarfs and Waterfalls. Paper Collars and Paper Cuffs. GLOVES of all varieties. Hats, Hats, Hats. CAPS! CAPS! If you want to be suited in FURNISHING GOODS, then L. MASTBAUM'S STORE is the place for you. Don't forget to give us a call. L. MASTBAUM. M. TURKHEIMER, Salesman. Chestertown, Sept. 28, 1867—tf.

P. T. N. JUST RECEIVED THIS WEEK At the One Price Cash Store, AT GALENA, A LARGE STOCK OF VARIOUS GRADES OF FALL GOODS, TO BE RETAILED At Wholesale Prices FOR CASH, OR ITS EQUIVELENT, (COUNTRY PRODUCE) E. W. PURNELL. September 28, 1867.

SCOURING AND DYEING. SOFT FELT HATS Dyed, Cleaned, Trimmed and made as good as new. Also, Scouring and Dyeing of Gentlemen and Ladies' CLOTHING, Coats, Pants, Vests, &c., at short notice, on reasonable terms. Give me a call. WM. SIMPSON,

THE LARGEST, CHEAPEST and BEST selection of NOTIONS, HOSIERY AND GLOVES ever offered to the public, has just been opened at the old Stand of Sept. 28. W. J. VANNORT.