TUSSDAY was the fiftieth anniversary of the belaration of Texas' independence, and was observed as a holiday throughout the State.

sopeless delay in seeking the assistance of M.

Ohio, recently, were George E. Haddaway, Esq., of the Easton Ledger, and Col. W. Scott Roberts, of the Centreville Record. A toast "Delaware and Maryland" was eloquently and brilliantly responded to by Col. Roberts.

tombed miners at Nanticoke, Pa., has abandoned, the company having concluded

PROF. POWHATAN CLARK read an interesting paper before the Baltimore Academy of Sciences last Monday evening on "Green-Gilled Oysters." He pointed out the unreasonableness of the prejudice against this species of the bivalve, which cense to our correspondents the columns of the he shows are perfectly harmless, as well as palaNEWS might be filled weekly with arguments pro

a Week—The Ice Boat Comes to the Relief of the cluded the Purnell Jefferson farm and the farm

Hygeia hotel, at Old Point Comfort, died sud- great wrong and an outrage upon the present the thermometer marked 13° above zero and on tractive neighborhood. Mr. Nicholson has made denly last Thursday week, being taken ill only overburdened tax-payer, and that the legislation Tuesday 14°. The steamer Ford was locked to the day before. He was a native of Somerset that brought about such exemption was wholly her wharf here Monday morning and there recounty, Md., and has been a most successful and solely in the interest of the capitalist. business man, amassing in the last twenty years | There is no denying the fact that the sentiment | river was solidly frozen over and skaters sported

surance in companies represented by W. H. thousand dollar farm. Gibson of Centreville.

Senate on Mouday taking the ground that papers | public men of all parties, and I have never yet relating to suspensions from office are not official found one of them who was sincerely for civil papers, and declining to send copies of them to service reform as it is advocated and put into the Senate. The message provoked the ire of practice now. I have had Republican Presidents ferred to the judiciary committee, of which he is laugh at the doctrines they declared." chairman. The President discusses the prerogatives of the executive and legislative branches of the government, points out in the clearest manner their respective functions and is evidently right in the determined stand which he

vide for a joint celebration of the sixteen American republics on the 4th of March, 1889, in tion of the Parent Republic-the United States. Senator Gorman says he mentioned the subject to a number of public-spirited gentlemen, and they all agreed that the celebration proposed is available space was occupied by their expectant appropriate and should be carried through on a friends, relatives, and many others who deem scale that will reflect credit upon the United States. He says he has every reason to believe of good luck. As the bridal party entered the that his bill, or a similar measure, will be church the organ pealed forth the gladsome adopted. The bill appropriates \$100,000 to defray the expense of the celebration in a manner lected for the occasion by Miss Amanda Baker, becoming the dignity of the United States.

Mr. Thomas C. Weeks, labor statistician, ha were at one time accustomed to receive; 1884 The presents were costly and numerous. mand either the work or the wages that they and 1885 were exceptionally disastrous years to the labor of this State. The fall season of 1885 780,894, of which 44,860 were employed in man-934,943; 74,945 engaged in manufactures, making 80 to every 1,000; 90,927 were engaged in that the number employed in manufacture has increased, and those engaged in agriculture has decreased. In 1870 the people employed in nanufactures were classed as follows: Males, 34,061; females, 8,278; children, 2,521. In 1880 the figures were: Males, 46,698, an increase Judges Walker, Hyland and Stevens. of 12,637; females, 21,700, an increase of 13,-422; children, 6,547, an increase of 4,026. In of Wilson Register. 1870 the total amount of wages of those engaged in manufactures was \$12,682,817; in 1880 it was \$18,904,965. The individual earnings in 1870 were \$282.72; in 1870, \$252.25 crease of woman and child labor. The individual earnings have declined per annum nearly that the proportion of inhabitants seeking employment in manufacturing industry is greater now than in 1880, and that the employment of women at a low rate of wages is on the increase."

usual order was passed thereon. The Hancock Fund. A. J. Drexel has consented to act as treasurer of the fund for the widow of the late General most highly respected residents of Queen Anne's Winfield Scott Hancock now being raised in county, died at the residence of Mrs. Sallie A. Philadelphia. Three thousand dollars have Moore, in Centreville, at about 7 o'clock Monalready been subscribed, as follows : George W. day morning, of paralysis, in his 75th year. He Childs, \$1,000; A. J. Drexel, \$1,000; J. Low- received a stroke of paralysis February 17, 1880, ber Welsh, \$250; Joseph F. Tobias, \$100; H. which took the use of his limbs away, and from C. Len, \$100; Joseph Parrish, \$50; G. D. that time until his death he has been unable to Rosengarten, \$100; J. G. Rosengarten, \$50; F. | walk or even sit up. Mr. Parrott was engaged Gutekunst, \$100; Henry McCormick, \$150; Successfully in the mercantile business in CenGeneral Daniel Butterfield, Harrisburg, \$150.

General James B. Fry, an intimate friend of the dead commander, has made a pathetic exhibit of the deplorable state of the general's fi
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in Centreville, and was the organizer of the hibit of the deplorable state of the general's fi
in Centreville, and was the organizer of the latest from Mr. L. C. Justis, one of our al affairs at the time of his death. In a Sunday-school of that church in the town. He delegates in the Legislature, published in another lecture at St. James' M. P. Church, near Hanessetter to George W. Childs he says: "While he was seconomical in all things, the demands that present him for supporting needy kinsfolks and for aiding destitute followers and old soldiers were so constant and heavy that in spite of all he could do be fell behind. The salary of his lowest clerk would meet all that he and Mrs.

Sunday-school of that church in the town. He delegates in the Legislature, published in another column, makes some interesting references to column, makes some interesting references to legislative and custom-house matters.

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Fact !—The proceedings of the Kent County Admission 25 ets, 2t.

When visiting Baltimore the place to buy gloves, dress trimmings and fancy goods is lowest clerk would meet all that he and Mrs.

Hancock spent upon themselves—all the rest of in them. Persons indulge in many things on a sadv, for his remarkably low prices. meeded it. I need not point out to you the good-mess of heart that is the cause of the present goosexty of General Hancock's widow."

duties as collector of the port of Baltimore on | in the matter of gas. Messrs. Clements & York, Monday, succeeding Col. Edwin H. Webster. our enterprising plambers, took the lead some The new and the old collector met at Barnum's weeks since by circulating a paper for subscrip-

of departments and most of the other employes | coal gas, but it costs about five thousand dollars | Delaware City, which have stoc in 325 cases of persons who had been bitten by of the custom-house paid their respects to Gov. more to put the former in operation. In other forty years and remain as good today as upon mad dogs. In only one case did the treatment Groome, and they also took formal leave of Mr. words, estimating the cost of the plant for a the day of their completion. result in failure, and in that case there was a Webster, presenting him with an address ex- company to use coal gas at \$12,000, the cost of He came to Kent county in 1844 and pressive of their appreciation of his uniform plant for water gas would be at least \$17,000. charge of "Plum Point" farm - now owned

> places, so I was told at the Treasury Departsponsible for. The other forty-eight are places paying from \$840 down."

SHALL MORTGAGES BE TAXED?

This is the most important topic of discussion in Kent at this time and were we to give full MR. HARRISON PROBES, the proprietor of the ation and claiming that their exemption is a the cold was severe. On Monday morning altogether changed the forlorn waste to an at-

over \$500,000, and starting in life a poor boy of the people is fast growing for mortgage taxa- upon its glassy surface. On Thursday about 5 without friends or capital. He was a brother of tion, and a very large majority already favor it. P. M. the ice-boat Maryland reached here after Rev. George Phæbus, D.D., of the M. E. Church. Unless the present Legislature takes definite action in the matter the great unrest and dissatis- terday morning left again for Baltimore, the THE large barn and stables of Messrs. J. B. and faction-especially upon the part of the agricul- steamer Ford following in her wake. The Ford C. W. Ringgold, of Kent Island, were totally tural community-will find expression in terms was not able to make any of her stops on the destroyed by fire on Friday night of last week, unmistakable. The proposition-stripped of all river except Quaker Neck because of the ice, as together with two valuable horses, an engine theoretical moralizing about lenders and bor- will not return today. At this writing the and thresher and a lot of valuable farming im- rowers -seems not only just but according to weather bids fair to moderate and it is hoped the plements. It is supposed that the fire was of in- common sense, that a man who is worth \$10,000 steamer will be able to resume her trips next cendiary origin, as it was the third barn burnt in mortgages ought to pay something to support Tuesday. upon the same farm. The loss, which is esti- the government that protects and secures him in mated at about \$3,000, is fully covered by in- bis interests, as well as the man who owns a ten

COLONEL INGERSOLL says: "I have talked with The President sent a special message to the Presidents and Senators and Congressmen and

MATRIMONIAL.

LAMB - TOMLINSON. On Wednesday evening, February 10th, M

CHARLES B. LAMB, of Fairlee, this county, was united in marriage to Miss JENNIE TOMLINSON, of SENATOR GORMAN has introduced a bill to pro- Woodberry, Baltimore county, Md. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. D. Lawrence at St. Mary's Episcopal Church of Woodberry. The church was elaborately and tastefully decorated for the occasion. At 8 P. M. the doors of the sacred edifice were thrown open, and long before the arrival of the happy couple every the witnessing of a marriage ceremony an omen strains of a grand wedding march specially seorganist. Mr. Harry C. Cox, of Baltimore, officiated as groomsman, and Miss M. Blanche Henderson, of Baltimore, was the bridesmaid. The ushers were Messrs. Charles Baker, Thomas J Johnson, Joseph Tomlinson and Wm. J. Baker. esting extracts: "On taking a general review orange blossoms. The bridesmaid was similarly of the condition of our industries we may expect attired in pink, looped with rosebuds. Imme- abandoned, diately after the ceremony a reception was held the State has increased her wealth. In 1870 the at the residence of Mrs. Tomlinson, mother of the computed wealth of Maryland was \$643,741,976. bride. Among those present were Mrs. Douglas In 1880 it had increased to \$869,000,000, which, and Mrs. Tomlinson, of Philadelphia; Mrs. allowing it to increase at the same ratio, would Henderson, Mrs. Hooper and daughters, Mrs. make it in 1885 no less than \$887,500,000. It Sterling, Miss McShane, Miss Clara High, Miss may be mentioned as a further indication of its Russie Engel, of Virginia, and many others. growth that during the spring of 1885 the sum of \$2,832,000 was invested in new industries in Maryland. Yet it is a fact that the bulk of our Mrs. Charles B. Lamb left their guests and went working people find it more difficult to live than to Baltimore and on Thursday morning prothey did a few years ago. They cannot com- ceeded to the home of the groom at Fairlee.

GALE'S WHARF .- The new wharf at Gale's has shown an improvement, and there exists an landing on Worton creek received considerable upward tendency and a greater degree of confi-dence, with a promise of better times and more damage in the unprecedented high tides and industry, and a very large proportionate increase from the level of the plateau of the county in female labor. With increasing manufacture through the bluffs down to the wharf will be there is employed a greater number of hands, so that the number so employed is larger per graded to an easier incline as soon as the frost is that the number so employed is larger per thousand to the population new than formerly, out of the ground. A substantial granary and This causes a surplus of such labor in the market. | general storehouse will be built at the wharf as "In 1870 the population of Maryland was soon as the weather opens. It will be situated ufactures, making 57 to every 1,000, and 80.- under the bluff, so that grain can be run down 449 men employed in agriculture, making 103 into it (instead of elevated up) or run clear to every 1,000. In 1880 the population was through it to the vessels below. Arrangements are already made for the care of stock until agriculture, making 69 to every 1,000, showing shipped or delivered. Ample stabling is pro-

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, March 2 .- Present C. H. Baker filed the last will and testa men

The last will and testament of Lydia S. Willis Letters of adm. on the personal estate of san M. Gemmill were granted unto James A Pearce, who filed his bond in the sum of \$10,000. Letters of adm. d. b. n. c. t. a. on the personal estate of Benjamin Chambers were granted unto Stedman T. Wickes, who filed his bond in James A. Pearce, adm'r of James S. Gemmil

filed an inventory of personal estate. Wesley Nichols, filed report of sale and the

WILLIAM F. PARROTT, one of the oldest and

crediting it to the farm. The buggy rides that a goong farmer takes in the course of a year would bankrupt a man operating on the same capital in anost any other business, yet the difference in cost in the different callings is not

Ex-Gov. James B. Groome entered upon his | Some of the citizens of Chestertown are moving

to be deputy collector, in place of Mr. Geo. M. electricity. These investigators have now about Henry R. Torbert, will remain for some time, it electric light in Chestertown is not possible becourtesy and kind treatment during his term of It is not thought there will be any difficulty in Mr. Adam Diehl-as overseer for Major Reybold, office. Col. Webster made a very appropriate getting the stock all taken promptly for a coal and had the management of the first peach

zeal and efficiency of his subordinates and eulo- cities and also in several of the Eastern Shore gized the civil service act. towns. But whether the additional cost can be In conversation with a Sun reporter Mr. secured for the water gas remains to be seen. It Kent as the experimental ground. No one then Groome said : "You may state that I will make | is proposed to canvass the town next week to de- | dreamed of the present extensive peach culture. no changes until I am acquainted with the termine what patronage can be relied upon for a duties of the places and know the qualifications gas company, and if sufficient encouragement is rieties of peaches by hauling in wagons to Deladiately. It is calculated that not less than eighty consumers will be required to justify the company in going ahead with the matter. The and the assistant custodian of public buildings. | quantity consumed, ranging all the way from These five officers, of course, I am financially re- \$12 to \$50. We hope our citizens will look favorably upon the enterprise and give it every encouragement possible so that the work of piping may be done the coming summer, and the early advantages of good gas light.

ANOTHER ICE EMBARGO. - Navigation Closed for earnestly advocating the justice of mortgage tax- gusts and at times in a perfect hurricane, while

> Personal Notes. Hon. Pere L. Wickes, lately presiding judge of the York, Pa., judicial district, was on Monday admitted to practice in the courts of Baltimore city on metion of Mr. S. Teackle Wallis. Judge Wickes is a brother to Judge Joseph A. Mrs. L. C. Shaw, wife of Jas. A. Shaw. started last Tuesday morning by rail for a trip to Texas. She goes to visit her brother, Mr. James Barnett, who is settled in the "Lone Star

> State," and expected by continuous traveling to

compass the long distance by noon today. "Capt, Shaw" in the meantime will keep bache-Mr. R. F. Moffett, of Ches terville, has suffered for some time past with what he calls a cancer it out once but it again returned and has caused him much suffering. Last week Mr. Moffett secured the services of Dr. Meredith, of Queen Anne's, who makes a specialty of this disease, and he drew the cancer out by the roots. Mr Moffett was in town Thursday with a patch on

the lip and strong hope that the operation will

prove a permanent cure.

SUDDEN DEATH. - Thomas Mason, colored who worked for Mr. Josiah Massey, near Chestertown, fell dead at the woodpile shortly after breakfast Thursday morning. Coroner Bordley was notified and held a jury of inquest, with Mr. Simon Welch as foreman. Dr. Catlin viewed the body and announced that death resulted from heart disease, and the jury rendered a verdict accordingly. Mason was the man who recently brought the charge against John Barrett and "Doctor" Taylor for assault with intent to rob and kill him on the highway, and as he was the only witness of importance against them it is presumed the prosecution will be

some sum remaining after the debts are paid. It is rumored that relatives, who reside in Queen Anne's county, will contest the will.

HE WEST WITH BORROWED SAILS .- Capt. J. B. tor," whose boat has been lying in Grey's lnn He has not been well since. His fatal relapse FOR THE SPRING of 1886 steady employment for labor. There is no gales of the winter, which has proved an incentive creek disabled, succeeded in borrowing sails and occurred about ten days before his death and he reason to anticipate an advance in the rate of to build one so strong at every vulnerable point getting out after the dredgers last week, but the seemed perfectly aware of his danger. Yet he wages per diem, for the reason that there has as to render it absolutely secure from any injury latter were on the alert and escaped. The been a large proportionate increase in the num-ber of hands who seek support by manufacturing in the future. The already serviceable road "Compton" is now lying at the mouth of the

> afford. Mr. Eliason calls attention to his "Chester Compound," Black Residuum, &c. See advertisements in another column.

GRADUATED IN DENTISTRY .- Mr. W. B. Dula ney, formerly of this county, has just graduated William Twilley, son of Dr. J. T. Twilley, of this town, is a student at the same college and

known peach tree fertilizer and guano. They will sell you a good article, especially prepared See their advertisement in another column.

MR. ANDREW J. WOODALL, living on Mr. A . Hynson's farm, in Queen Anne's county, near Chester river bridge, killed on Wednesday a bald eagle which measured 64 feet from tip to tip and 21 feet from bill to tail. Its claws were long and circular and sharp as a needle.

FOR PEACHES, -Read the advertisement of W H. McFeely, agent for Williams, Clark & Co.' high grade phosphate. Now is the time for fruit growers to give special attention to fertilizer for their orchards. It will pay to nourish the frees.

THE revival meetings of the Methodist Profestant Church continues with much interest.

LECTURE, -Rev. Dr. Southerland is to lecture at the St. James M. P. Church, Worton, Monday

evening, March 15. Subject, "A Dish of Hash." into an agreement with Mr. J. W. Corey to comjust been arganized at Easton and Campearly so great as it is thought to be - Cecil plete the grading and filling in of the new road

In Memoriam

ROBERT NICHOLSON.

trustee, and divided between the two-Mr. Nichtable. The idea that the peculiar coloring is and con. We are compelled to decline several Ford .- A season of storm has been visiting this on which James A. French now lives. The tract terprising new ownership soon grew in fertility, and comfortable dwellings and farm buildings additions to his homestead by purchases of adjoining land and it now contains not less than 500 acres. Here, with lands of his own and the mained until yesterday (Friday) morning. The experience of many years, he engaged largely in counsels and cheerful presence, and this comthe business so much to his taste. His orchards were well kept and fruitful and his peaches had a most enviable reputation in the city markets. He has also largely grown small fruits and ascontinuing it for some years and then turning it over to his son Robert. His last farm-work was that they also be published in the county to set out a young peach orchard on a piece of papers. land recently acquired.

In the year 1843 Mr. Nicholson married Miss Sarah Burgess, of Delaware, and in all his long life-journey since-a way of toil and difficulty but yet of success and triumph-he had the advantage of a noble woman's wisdom and counsel together with her affection and sympathetic co-operation. Who can measure the value of this help? Who can say what this man -who so successfully mastered difficulty, was prospered above many of his fellows and was honored by all at the close of his life - would have been but for his loving companion? This one is left now to journey a little while alone-alone! who can appreciate such a bereavement! None but those who have experienced it. Yet, the sad one is not alone; a spiritual comforter is ever FERTILIZE YOUR near, and loving children and friends mingle to-

Besides the wife, the deceased leaves four sons and two daughters - John P., Robert G., Wm. T, and Dr. Albert S.; Sallie, wife of Mr. Geo W. Hatcherson, and Emma, wife of Dr. J Hessey. All of these are well settled in life and in the neighborhood of the old home except the younger son, who is practising medicine in Brooklyn, N. Y., with much success Robert Nicholson was a man of sterling worth gifted in practical sense and well-balanced judgment. In the language of one of his neighbors.

next one." Firm in his opinions, yet always open to conviction and ready to change his mind when in the wrong. He was twice elected a judge of the orphans' court for this countyin 1875 and 1879 - and was the chief judge of that court during the whole of the two terms of of the Kent County Agricultural Association, and its president more than once; while in politics he was a Democrat and a recognized leader High Grade Animal Bone Fertilizers. In religious matters Robert Nicholson was no less marked than in social, business and political

Protestant Church. It was in the fall of '61 conducting a series of revival meetings and was W. and Wm. T. Skirven, Daniel Hanes, George R. Beck, and others of Worton's most prominent and estimable citizens. Mr. Nicholson matters from that time to the day of his death. THE WILL of the late Wilson Register was church meetings and was always that staid, geopened last Tuesday. He left his attorney, C. H. nial soul that saw the silver lining behind the Baker, Esq., \$100, and the balance of his estate | darkest cloud. He was invaluable in counsel he divides between the Protestant Episcopal and and his purse was ever open to the calls of his the Methodist Episcopal Churches in Chester- were close and lasting. Among his nearest neightown. He leaves property valued at about bors were Wm. W. Stephens, J. W. Corey, Bart. \$3,000. What his liabilities are cannot now be stated, but it is supposed there will be a hand- life was as near perfection as can well be realized - he was the king, yet he ruled by love. His hospitality was unbounded; his sumptuous board welcomed both stranger and friend, and his roof was ever ready to give shelter and

Willson, of the oyster police sloop "Mary Comp- jury at the last October term of court and on the MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR., thinks it mistaken Mr. Corey, and after he had arranged the matter economy to use low grade, cheap goods for and uttered these memorable words-"I AM NOW peach orchards. And he is about right. The READY." In this frame he continued, bidding fruit trees are worthy of the best the market will each of his loved ones an affectionate farewell, morning for his eternal home!

Dr. L. W. Bates, who had a very high appre lot full of such men," and this tersely expressed he opinion of all who knew Robert Nicholson.

His funeral took place on Wednesday morning at the family residence. The services were conducted by Revs. A. W. Mather and Walter R. MESSERS. C. W. KENNARD & Co. offer their well | ter Cemetery by a large company of sorrowing sons-in-law acted as pall-bearers. After the for the tree and vine-analysis very high-at a remarked as he took a last look into the open very low price. It will pay you to call upon or grave "There lies a noble man." w. B. C.

> BY HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN Dearest father, thou hast left us. Gone to rest in peaceful slumber: No more pain will you endure, For life's victory you secured. Oh! what sorrow fills our hearts. When thy voice we hear no more; Indeed a father's care departs. As you cross the heavenly shore. Farewell, then, dearest father: We will meet you by and by; Farewell, then, dearest husband. My days too are growing nigh.

At Worton Heights on Monday, March 1, 1886 MRS. ELIZABETH COHEE, consort of the late Capt. James Cohee, aged about 83 years.

IVINE SERVICE at I. U. Church, Sunday next, March 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M., or of Bishop Lay, by Bishop Potter of N. Y. will be

ALBERT I. DUGAN having resigned as my modate Permanent, Transient and Table Board- ments, statues and vases. Jewelry, dolls, pointed WM. JOS. VANNORT my Deputy and Attorney to settle all my official business, to whom all payments must be made at once. JOHN W. PARSONS. late Sheriff of Kent Co.

o this country in his fifteenth year-landing at friends. He made his way to New Jersey and spent some time there. In 1842 he went to Delaware and secured employment under Major Reybold ;

allows State Senator T. Herbert Shriver, of Car- in families. The next question to be decided is specially gifted in diking and underdraining. roll county, to accept the place. Collector what kind of gas shall be used? The water gas He superintended the work of putting in the Groome had a great many visitors. The heads is believed to be a decided improvement upon sluices along the Delaware bay at Port Penn and

speech in reply, in which he complimented the gas company—the kind used generally in the orchard of any size ever grown in this State. business in Maryland and Robert Nicholson his first-lieutenant, with the virgin fruit soil of old SEED OATS---400 bus. Superior Seed Oats Reybold and Nicholson marketed the earlier vafound the company will be organized imme- ware City, a distance of fifty miles! The main | fine quality of this Western seed. From Plum Point Mr. Nicholson moved to cost to users will be altogether according to the Buck Neck in '48 and there for six years, as superintendent for Major Reybold, continued plantng and cultivating the peach. The first wharf at Buck Neck was built by Mr. Nicholson. On the first of January, 1854, Mr. Nicholson removed to the farm upon which he passed the emainder of his days. In conjunction with Mr fall see Chestertown in the full enjoyment of the panion, a tract of about seven hundred acres of mh7-tf.

Isaac Parsons, who was his fast friend and compound for panion, a tract of about seven hundred acres of mh7-tf.

SMITH & SMITH. paragus and has made considerable money out of the latter, and he was the first, we believe, in the county to engage in the nursery business -

gether their sorrows and tears.

Though without collegiate education he was Its value as a permanent feeder, improver "he could see through a thing as quick as the the additional cost over low priced artieight years. He was also a prominent member IS WELL KNOWN and STANDS IN

life. In his mature years he gave himself to his Maker and united with St. James' Methodist and the occurrence was a notable event in the history of that church. Rev. J. E. Maloy was wonderfully blessed. Among those uniting with St. James in company with Mr. Nicholson were Messrs. John Gale, Isaac Parsons, James never ceased his interest and activity in religious BROWN & MCMAHON.

Mr. Nicholson was the foreman of the grand day of his discharge went home with a chill was cheerful and looked upon the matter of dying with the same calm composure that he had CHESTER COMPOUND. regarded all serious matters of life. He said he was not quite ready to die-some change in his NO. 1 AMMO. SUPERPHOSPHATE will was necessary. So he sent for his neighbor to suit him, he quietly lay back upon his pillow THE HOME - prepared especially for and calmly taking his departure in the early

Kent circuit, that "he wished he had a ten-agre and now that he is gone his virtues will be recfrom the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery. ognized as never before and held in lasting

Graham, and his remains were followed to Chesrelatives and friends. His four sons and two | TOR SALEceremonies were over one of the ministers sadly with Calves by their side.

REV. S. B. SOUTHERLAND, D. D., will

T. W. ELIASON,

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC! Musical Phonography invented and taught by the undersigned. The annoyance of Pianos out of tune remedied at reasonable charges this life, at his residence is this Professional and Mechanical experience applied 7 A. M. Monday, March 1, 1886, for 30 years in "Maryland my Maryland."

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Baltimore, Md Will be given for the return or information. that will lead to the recovery of a yellowishtunned, bob-tailed, cropped-eared, IRISH TER-RIER, which has been missed from home for a week, and answers to the name of "Hip."

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at right angles 64 feet to the beginning. 1886, the following resolutions were adopted: WHEREAS: It has pleased Almighty God i His wise providence to remove by death from our society one of its most prominent member MR. ROBERT NICHOLSON, therefore be it resolved 1st. That in the demise of Mr. Nicholson this | Will be sold at the Court-Ho society has lost a prominent and valuable mem ber, and will greatly miss his wise and frank munity a good citizen, a kind neighbor, a warm hearted and charitable man. 2d. That whilst we mourn his death, we will endeavor to emulate his many kindly virtues and may we by the help of our Divine Master realize that our loss is his eternal gain. 3d, That a committee of three be appointed to attend his funeral to represent this society 4th, That these resolutions be placed upon the records of this society, and that a copy be sent

HENRY T. MASSEY. (T.) Sec'y K. C. A. A

to the bereaved family of the deceased, and

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SATURDAY, March 27th, 1886. AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M. to pay taxes due from said Alexander Scott-for 1883, \$1.37; 1884, 98c., and for due and to become due thereon JOS. N. WHEATLEY, CORPORATION COLLECTOR

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NTOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orhans Court of Kent county letters of administration d. b. n. c. t. a. on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of BENJAMIN CHAMBERS. late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of

excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 2nd day of March, 1886. STEDMAN T. WICKES, Adm'rd bncta of Benjamin Chambers March 6, 1886-4t.

September, 1886, otherwise they may be

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sub-scriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of Kent county, Maryland, of SUSAN M. GEMMILL late of Kent county, deceased. All persons having claims against said

leceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the September, 1886, or they will be excluded y law from all benefit in said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of March, 1886. JAMES A. PEARCE,

Ratification Notice.

George Beck, et al.

versus deorge Beck, adm'r of Wesley Nichols. deceased. In the Orphans' Court for Kent County. March 2, 1886. ORDERED, that the sale of the property mentioned in the proceedings made and reported by GEORGE BECK,

Trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Second day of May, next: Provided, a copy of this order be inserted n some newspaper printed and published in Kent county once a week for three sucessive weeks before the Second day of The report states the amount of sales W. S. WALKER,

W. A. HYLAND, Judges.

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Cash in Company's principal office and belonging to the Company deposited in bank Premium Notes in force-All other admitted assets detailed in statement on file

Total Assets..... 104,774.69 Assets not admitted 104,594.69 LIABILITIES. Losses reported, adjusted and

Premium notes in force-\$701,145.83 Total Liabilities...... 48,966.34

Total expenditures...... Amount of Policies in force in United States on 31st December, 1885...... 7,675,687,69 Amount of Policies written in Maryland during the Premiums received on Mary-In addition to the well-known stand- land business in 1885...... 6,566,33

> STATE OF MARYLAND, Insurance Department, Commissioner's Office, Annapolis, February 15, 1886. In compliance with Act of 1878, Chapter 106. hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the Kent County Mutual Insurance Company of Dover, Del., to December 31st, 1885, now on file in this Department.
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