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The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN:

SATURDAY.....SEPT. 3, 1887

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR:

ELIHU E. JACKSON,
of Wicomico.

FOR COMPTROLLER:

LOUIS VICTOR BAUGHMAN,
of Frederick.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL:

WM. PINKNEY WHYTE,
of Baltimore city.

"Me too" Marbury won't hurt anything unless it be the cause he favors.

It is said Hon. S. Teackle Wallis will support the Republican State ticket. When did he ever support a Democratic ticket?

The *Baltimorean*, a popular weekly of the Monumental city, says that Mayor Hodges is the youngest looking man for his age in Baltimore city. Isn't he one of the best looking also?

Gov. Hamilton says the Western Maryland campaign will keep him busy this fall. Pinkney Whyte says Gov. Hamilton's democracy could not be ground out of him in a flour mill.

The mayoralty question in Baltimore is now looming up. For the Democratic nomination Messrs. J. McKenney White, Geo. May, and F. C. Latrobe are prominently named, either of whom would make a first class candidate if willing to serve. If the present mayor would consent to a re-election it would be fortunate.

The Baltimore *American* says "the position taken by Mr. Cowen is being strongly sustained by old-time Democrats in the counties." If there is a single one in Kent—old-time or young-time Democrat—who will follow Cowen into the Republican party we have failed to learn the fact. The general opinion here is that Cowen's move will do the Democracy no harm, and none are more decidedly of this view than the Democratic "reformers" hereabouts.

A Republican Leader's Views.

COWEN APPRECIATED.

We met an intelligent gentleman on Baltimore street last Monday; he is a Democrat, takes much interest in politics and is a personal friend of Hon. Hart B. Holton. The latter is recognized as one of the leading republicans of the State, and was the nominee of that party for governor in '83. Our friend had just returned from a social visit to Mr. Holton's hospitable country seat, and while there of course discussed politics. In a nutshell that which touched a recent subject of comment was about as follows:

Questioner — Well, Benton, you've got Cowen. What do you think of it?

Holton—Think of it? I'm very sorry for it. He will do us no good, but great harm. It stamps us as under the control of corporation influences. A sorry day, for us, sir! Sorry day for us! Wish he had stayed where he was.

Questioner — Keep him, Benton, keep him! For God's sake don't send him back to us. His departure is a great relief to us.

Holton—And he'll only prove a trouble to us.

Exciting Political Contest in Queen Anne's.

The most exciting political contest which has taken place in Queen Anne's county for many years—indeed in any county in the State—was that which closed with the nomination of the Democratic ticket in Centreville last Tuesday. The primaries were held in each of the seven districts on Saturday, and the large vote polled—over *twenty-five hundred*—shows the interest taken. The fight was led on the one side by John B. Brown, Esq., who was a candidate for the State Senate, and a very popular gentleman; the other side by Dr. S. C. Dudley, the present clerk and candidate for renomination. Mr. Brown was supported by Mr. Temple, in Church Hill; Mr. Dever, in Ruthsburg; Dr. Davidson, in Queenstown and Mr. Roberts in the Crumpton district, all candidates for clerk; while Dr. Dudley had the active support of Mr. Godwin of Church Hill, who was a candidate for Senator. Brown carried four districts and Dudley three. All sorts of charges are made of course; one is that immense sums of money were used—as much as $100 paid for a single vote—voters from Chestertown and from Delaware were imported, whiskey flowed and bruisers plied their "arguments;" but how much truth there is in such charges we are not prepared to say. The result was anxiously awaited by some of the politicians here, and as soon as known it was bulletined. The delegates alone were voted for in the primaries—none of the candidates' names were on the tickets—and these delegates met in convention in Centreville on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, and the following report of proceedings is from the *Observer* extra:

Captain James Smith, of Centreville, was made temporary chairman, and Samuel N. Smith, Jr., secretary. There was a contest before the convention from Church Hill, one delegation claiming the seats held by the other. The convention finally seated the original or Dudley-Godwin delegation. John B. Brown was nominated for State Senator by acclamation, and P. B. Hopper was renominated for State's attorney, receiving 32 of the 35 votes in the convention. Dr. S. C. Dudley, the present incumbent, and Wm. Dever, of the sixth district, were put in nomination for clerk of the court. Dever was nominated on the first ballot he receiving 20 votes and Dudley 15. Upon the announcement of the result the delegation from three upper districts except W. P. Finley and J. K. Brown of Church Hill, withdrew from the convention, and the remaining 22 delegates proceeded to nominate the following ticket: For House of Delegates, John T. Norman, Kent Island; John B. Thomas, Ruthsburg; James B. Roe, Sudlersville. For county commissioners, J. E. Cockey, Kent Island; John L. Spry, Crumpton; George Davidson, Queenstown. For Orphans' Court, John Dodd, fifth district; James R. Sudler, first district; E. S. Valliant, second district. For sheriff, Salisbury R. Seeny, second district, was nominated on the 10th ballot. For surveyor, Benj. S. Elliott, Sudlersville.

The ticket is regarded as a strong one. Mr. Brown is the head of the law firm of J. B. & E. H. Brown. He is well known throughout the State. The only public position ever held by Mr. Brown was that of member of the House of Delegates from Queen Anne's county. William Dever, the nominee for clerk, is a prosperous farmer of the sixth district. Of the nominees for the Legislature, Messrs. Norman and Thomas are farmers and Roe a school teacher. The nominees for county commissioners are all farmers. Of the Orphans' Court nominees Messrs. Dodd and Sudler are farmers. Dodd is one of the present judges. Mr. Valliant is a successful merchant of Church Hill.

The wholesale and retail merchants of Baltimore say that the outlook for the autumn trade is very encouraging. The recent pleasant weather has made business brisk earlier than usual, and as a consequence the openings of the big retail stores will take place about two weeks earlier than last year.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The school bell's familiar sound rang out for the first time for two months last Thursday morning.

The first dearborn load of fresh oysters in the shell which came into Chestertown bright and early Thursday morning was in charge of a young lady, and she soon disposed of them.

Tolchester Line will stop the big steamer Louise after Sept. 6, and the new steamer Emma Giles will run every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday during the month of September.

On the steamer Emma Ford last Wednesday were five noted trotting horses on the way to Pimlico races, namely: Belton, Brashaw, Queen and Play Boy, owned by Mr. J. F. Godwin; Delaware Dude, by Henry Spear, and Lightning, by W. Bishop.

The Cecil Fair at Elkton will be one of the best on the peninsula this season. It offers $12,000 in cash premiums. Make your arrangements to attend it and see the grand displays and exciting trials of speed. It is to be held October 4, 5, 6 and 7.

The members of the Kent Guards have been measured for their new suits, which will include helmets and dress coats. The Guards expect to attend the celebration in Philadelphia on the 16th. About 20,000 troops will be in the parade under General Sheridan.

103—What Does It Mean?—Call at Mr. E. W. F. Simpers' and he will tell you. Mr. E. E. Heller, at 103 W. Baltimore st., Baltimore, says that if you want the best five cent cigar you ever smoked you have only to ask for the "103."

The colored boy, David Owney, was arrested and lodged in Easton jail, and on Wednesday last Sheriff Hatcherson, brought him to Chestertown, where he will likely remain in jail till the October term of court. He is charged with stealing $13 from John Duffy.

A Necessary Precaution.—Major Gray hopes notwithstanding his precarious health to be able to attend to the fourth district registration next week, but as a precautionary measure the Governor has appointed Capt. J. Henry Thompson, as assistant register, to make sure of the performance of this important work. Those interested, therefore, may feel sure of the attendance of the registration officer on the days and hours named. Remember the sittings are during the coming week.

At the Age of 105!—"Old Aunt Susan Kennard," colored, originally from Head of Sassafras, died at the Kent county almshouse last Wednesday, where she has been an inmate for about six years. Those who knew the old woman best are satisfied that she was not less than 105 years old at the time of her death, and one gentleman is positive that her age was nearer 108 years! She had a good appetite to the last but had been blind and helpless for some time and required a great deal of attention.

A Serious Accident.—A young man named Al. Russell, a brakeman, residing at Lewes, Del., in attempting to board the caboose of a freight train on the Queen Anne's and Kent railroad, at White Oak station, missed his foothold and the wheels of the car passed over one of his feet, inflicting injuries which necessitated the removal of one of the bones of the foot. This was successfully accomplished, after which the young man was sent to Wilmington in charge of a physician.

An Explosion Luckily Escaped.—The large boiler at Mr. C. W. Kennard's factory near town was considerably burnt on Saturday last and nearly rendered useless. One of the hands smelling something burning told the engineer, who answered him very shortly, and presently Mr. Kennard called his attention to the smell, when the water-gauge was found to be empty and the boiler with but a quart of water in it and only twenty pounds of steam! Why an explosion did not occur we cannot imagine unless it was the failure of the water-pump to force more water into the boiler, causing it to contract and thus cause an explosion.

Died Suddenly.—Information was received here Monday of the sudden death of Mr. William H. Pennell, who was well known and had lived and owned property in Chestertown, and only recently was upon our streets in excellent health. For several years past he has resided in Philadelphia, where he died. Congestion of the liver is reported as the cause of his death. Mr. Pennell was at one time engaged in merchandising in Philadelphia and accumulated considerable means. Upon retiring from the mercantile business he purchased several farms in Kent and removed here, but only remained a few years. He leaves a widow and children, and also a brother and other relatives in this county and was highly esteemed for his social qualities.

Mrs. D. Gruber, up town, has thoroughly renewed and refitted her store and bakery and added a line of confectionery. Her bread can't be beat.

See the advertisement of tournament at Cecilton Sept. 27. Prizes one hundred dollars and half gate receipts.

"Simon Sharp's" book-notice letter will be published next week.

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Aug. 30—Present, Judges Walker and Stevens.

James H. Baker, adm'r d. b. n. c. t. a. of Wilson Register, filed his bond.

The last will and testament of James M. Mallalieu was admitted to probate and letters testamentary on the personal estate of deceased were granted to Joseph Mallalieu; H. Clay Hendrickson and John A. Benton were appointed to appraise the estate.

Jas. H. Hurtt and Eliza Jones, adm'rs of Enoch Jones, returned inventory of the personal estate of their decedent.

The last will and testament of Mrs. Elizabeth DeFord was placed on file.

A Millington Man Drops from a Window.—John H. Johnson, a harness-maker, and a native of England, who has been working for some time past with Mr. Jas. Edwards, Millington, has been for several weeks suffering with malaria. Johnson is a member of the order of Red Men, who have had a nurse hired to attend him during his sickness. In the absence of his nurse last Saturday night Johnson, who had been deranged for several days past, swung himself out the third-story window and dropped a distance of 25 feet to the pavement below. He was picked up immediately and was found to have fractured his ankle and injured his heel and thigh. His condition was such that it was impossible to determine the full extent of his injuries. No hopes are entertained of his ultimate recovery.—*Transcript.*

Epizootic in Cecil.—Dr. Ward, State veterinary surgeon, has made an investigation of the disease among horses which is prevalent in Cecil county and finds that the disease is epizootic, and that it has caused the death of a number of horses and mules in different parts of the county.

The school of porpoises reported up the river last week scared and scattered the fish from deep water so that pike and perch were caught along the shores and in the marshes near town.

The "Voshell House" changed hands yesterday. Mr. J. Henry Hurtt, of Millington, has bought out Mr. Wright and will hereafter conduct the establishment. Mr. Wright, we learn, will still continue the livery business.

September 13 has been fixed upon as the evening for a complimentary benefit to Mr. C. F. Stam. This should be made a grand success, as it is through this gentleman's enterprise we have the advantages of a new town hall, and the opportunities for pleasant and profitable entertainment.

Farms Sold.—J. D. Urie, Esq., for Mr. B. H. Coburn, purchased a few days since of Wm. Stevens, Esq., the "Harris farm" near Rock Hall containing 90 acres, for $4,500.

R. D. Hynson, Esq., as attorney for E. T. Comegys, offered for sale the town property of the latter last Tuesday, but withdrew it for want of a satisfactory bid. Mr. J. E. Crew has bought the Sutton farm, containing 75 acres, of Mr. David F. Mills for the sum of $4,000. Mr. Mills paid $3,800 for this farm last year.

THE REGISTRATION NEXT WEEK.

Voters Remember It.

In all the districts of Kent county the registers of voters will sit next week. See the advertisement. It is important to every voter to bear this in mind, and especially so to the Democratic voter, as this is the only opportunity he will have to secure a vote at the primaries if he is not already registered.

Every Democrat ought to see to it that his name is on the list of *the district in which he resides*, or he may lose his vote. If you have changed your residence since last year you should change your name to the district in which you now live. Don't neglect this next week.

Young Democrats should get registered at this first sitting also in order to exercise the right to vote on the 1st of October. If you don't register next week you can't vote at the primary.

Every Democrat, young or old, should take an interest in the primary contest. This is the only way to secure the best results.

And remember that the primary election takes place on Saturday, the 1st of October.

The steamer Essex, which will be remembered as the popular propeller engaged in carrying peaches from Chester river last season, took fire and was burned to the water's edge early last Wednesday morning while lying at her wharf in Baltimore.—Several of the officers of the steamer were aroused from their beds and narrowly escaped with their lives. The steamers Louise and Emma Giles of the Tolchester line were lying on either side of the adjoining pier but were pulled out into the stream in safety. The damage to the Essex is reported at $18,000.

Catholic Retreat.—Father Murphy, of Chestertown, left last Monday for Baltimore, and was joined at Queenstown by Father Scott. They go with all the priests of the diocese to the annual retreat which is held for one week at St. Mary's Seminary. Bishop Ireland, of St. Paul, Minnesota, gives the retreat—that is he gives the instructions on this occasion. After the retreat the priests all go to Wilmington, Del., where Bishop Curtis will hold a synod.

A letter from Jesse K. Hines, Jr., who is with Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show in London, will be found in another column. According to the account of the Baltimore *Sun's* London correspondent the "show" has proven to be the biggest thing of the age; not only London, but all England seems to have gone wild over it. For months past there have been two exhibitions daily and the interest is unabated—the attendance in a single day will often reach as high as sixty thousand! So that our young friend Jesse may congratulate himself upon his connection with such a successful affair. His interesting letter will be read with much pleasure by his many friends here.

Beginning of the Oyster Season.—Under the amended oyster law of 1886 tonging for oysters in Maryland waters commenced last Thursday, September 1, and will continue until April 25. Dredging for oysters begins October 15 and continues until the 1st of April. Violations of the law are punishable now with imprisonment in the House of Correction for a period not less than three months or more than one year, and a fine of from $100 to $500 and costs, with forfeiture of the vessel if the fine is not paid. It is unlawful for persons to take oysters on Sunday or at night, or to have them in possession at any time between April 25 and September 1, but it is provided that this "shall not prevent transportation companies from carrying oysters brought from other States, nor hotel and restaurant keepers or private persons from purchasing oysters outside of the State of Maryland, nor shall it be construed to prevent any person from taking oysters for private use, and not for sale, from his private beds anywhere within this State at any time."

A Colored Boy Drowned.—A colored boy named Noah Caulk, aged 17 years, was drowned at Travilla wharf, Chester river above Chestertown, on Friday afternoon of last week. The body was recovered on Sunday. Coroner Bordley held an inquest and the jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning. State's Attorney Smith got hold of some evidence on Monday which caused him to investigate the drowning further. Witnesses were summoned and a colored boy named Isaac Baker was arrested and lodged in jail on the charge of pitching the drowned boy overboard. A hearing was had before Justice Wheatley on Thursday, R. Hynson, Esq., appearing for Baker. The evidence went to show that a number of colored boys were in swimming and come out on the wharf.—Baker, who is nineteen years old and a strong boy, caught Caulk up in his arms and went toward the front of the wharf with him, a distance of a few yards. Caulk was a sickly boy and weak, and begged Baker not to throw him into deep water as he couldn't swim; others also called to Baker to the same effect. The boy went over however, and never came up again. The justice sent the prisoner to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Mr. Edward Smith, who is employed on Mr. Howard Anderson's new house near the College, met with a mishap last Saturday. He was engaged sawing a piece of timber when the saw slipped and took off the end of his left thumb. Dr. Hines dressed the wound.

A committee of the Talbot county fair association went to Washington yesterday to invite the President and Mrs. Cleveland to visit the coming fair during its continuance.

Personal Mention.

H. H. Barroll, Esq., is expected home to-day.

Mrs. Mary E. Fiero, of Smyrna, is visiting Mrs. T. R. Hubbard.

Miss Della Wright, of Smyrna, is visiting Mrs. Charles E. Roland.

Mr. Wm. S. Walker and wife and daughter are visiting relatives in Harford.

Mr. Edw. Nichols, of Baltimore, is visiting at Mr. J. F. Howard's, High St.

Mrs. Warren's sudden death yesterday morning is a sad event to her numerous friends.

Dr. J. B. Merritt and wife, Hanesville, go to the Blue Mountain House for a few days this week.

Mr. Frank R. Scott, president of the Scott Fertilizer Company, of Elkton, was in town this week.

Mrs. Wm. B. Realey and daughter Katie, of Elkton, are visiting relatives in town and vicinity.

Mr. Jos. H. Hossinger, of near Kennedyville, was quite ill on Thursday night, but is much better at this writing.

Mrs. Richard Groves and children, of Pomona, return to-day from a two weeks' trip to the mountains of Pennsylvania.

Miss Daisy Carter, of Elkton, returned home on Wednesday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Hiram Brown, Chestertown.

Mr. John N. Roberts, of New York, who has been spending a vacation at the home of his father, Rev. S. C. Roberts, returns to-day.

Miss Bettie Smith, of Manayunk, Pa., and Mrs. Susan Rosin, of Shawmont, Pa., are visiting Mr. Benj. J. McMannis, in Chestertown.

C. T. Westcott, Esq., with his family, who have been at the seaside and mountain resorts during the summer will return home early next week.

Mr. F. J. Carter, who has been engaged in the paper hanging business here for some months, moved his family down from Smyrna this week.

Mr. Wm. Hepbron, of the Empire Drill Co., has our acknowledgment for a ticket to the Williams' Grove Grangers picnic.—Sorry we could not attend.

Rev. C. R. Blades, of Kennedyville, is improving but not yet able to be up. Rev. S. B. Tredway, of St. James', will fill his pulpit for him to-morrow evening.

Rev. S. C. Roberts, of the P. E. Church, Chestertown, left last Thursday morning for a week's recreation in Western Maryland. He will spend most of the time in Carroll county.

Rev. W. R. Graham, of the M. P. Church, who has been on the seashore for a month past under the advice of his physician, returned this week greatly improved, and will fill his pulpit to-morrow.

Wilbur C. Stephens and his daughter Elsie have returned from Key East Beach, N. J., where they attended the summer school of the American Institute of Christian Philosophy—not Institute of Christian Holiness as stated in our last issue.

Mr. Jos. W. Price has determined to discontinue farming but will continue to reside in his dwelling on his Lankford farm. His son-in-law Mr. I. F. Walbert will tenant the farm. Mr. Price will sell his stock and farm utensils on the 14th of September.

The engagement is announced of Ensign Edward Lloyd, United States navy, cousin to Gov. Henry Lloyd, and Miss Bessie, daughter of Judge Robinson, of the Maryland Court of Appeals. The marriage will take place early in the fall at St. Anne's Church, Annapolis. Ensign Lloyd has been assigned to duty on the new cruiser Boston.

Mr. Krebbs, of the firm Black & Krebbs, Baltimore, with his family, including his three interesting daughters, who have been summering at their country seat in Still Pond, returned to the city yesterday. Miss Black and Miss Hammond, two more of the Monumental city's fair daughters, have been guests part of the summer at Mrs. Krebbs'.

A lively company of about twenty-five young ladies and gentlemen made an excursion from Baltimore on the Corsica last Thursday. They were delighted with our beautiful river scenery, and were prepared for the attractions of Chestertown after a full survey of our sister city (Crumpton) at the head of the Chester. Mr. Wright Nichols acted as pilot to the party.

Mr. Wm. T. Wallis, of North Keys, Prince George's county, formerly of Kent, has been visiting friends in this county this week and paid us a social call. Mr. W. has had a somewhat checkered experience and we hardly recognized him because of his silvery locks. He looks in good health and is doing well raising tobacco in Prince George. He says he don't know what turned his hair so gray unless it was the hard service he experienced while in the rebel army.—He was wounded at Cross Keys, and was in the cavalry raid that struck Chambersburg.

A "Big" Adventure.—Our big and genial host of the corner restaurant, Mr. R. S. Usilton, met with a disagreeable adventure last Thursday while on his way with a load of oysters to supply the Lynch's festival. When crossing Goose Hill branch and in the middle of the deep stream his horse got its leg twisted and suddenly dropped! This was a predicament sure. Something must be done, and that very quick or the animal would drown. It was not very dangerous but a most unpleasant thing to do but our big friend was equal to the emergency; he quickly clambered out of the wagon and into the water—got the animal by the head and lifted her above the water—and in that disagreeable position he was kept until by the free exercise of good lungs he made the neighbors hear, and Messrs. Rollison, Biggar and others went to his rescue, and even then it was with the greatest difficulty that the animal's life was saved. With fence rails and other appliances, however, the horse was gotten out, but it can hardly be said that "Richard was himself again," for the plight he was in as he sat in the middle of that foaming stream was equalled only by his "dilapidated" garb after the extrication. He is all right now, however, and ready to serve oysters as usual.

The Tournament and Races at Tolchester.

The racing sports which took place at Tolchester on Friday of last week drew together an immense concourse of people.—From the surrounding country large numbers of people went and the steamers from Baltimore took over two thousand more notwithstanding the cool day. The very best order prevailed, and all the attractions of the famous Beach were up to the promise of the management.

THE TOURNAMENT.

The tournament was witnessed by the thousands present and enjoyed with special zest. Some of the best riders of the State were present and entered the lists—a number coming from the Western Shore with their splendid steeds on the steamer Louise on the day of the tourney. The knights were as follows: H. B. Bay, A. G. Hammond, R. J. Carter, S. S. Tracey, W. J. Walters, W. F. Givens. E. J. Hall, Adam Diehl, W. W. Duyer, J. L. Duyer, E. Duyer, W. Cosden, W. B. Ashley, J. W. Duyer, Albert Jewell, J. Birmington, and W. B. Stephens. The distance was 125 yards, to be run in 11 seconds, and take three rings three times. In the first run all fell short of the required number except S. S. Tracey and J. W. Duyer, who tied. They ran again, and Tracey won, gaining the first prize, a set of harness, and Duyer second, who received a handsome water pitcher. W. J. Walters and W. W. Duyer, the two having the next highest score, competed for the third prize, a lap-robe, which was won by Walters. Mr. Tracey crowned Miss Ida Camp, one of Kent's fair daughters, queen of love and beauty, J. W. Duyer crowned Mrs. Duyer first maid of honor, and Mr. Walters wreathed Miss Annie M. Smith second maid of honor.—Samuel Vannort, Esq., of Chestertown, addressed the knights in an appropriate speech.

In the trotting race there were six horses, as follows: Sleepy Dave, entered by A. J. Hynson; Pricey, J. T. DeCorse; Fannie, by G. W. Shawn; Dexter, by A. L. Baker; Messenger, by T. W. Crew, and May, by P. S. Jones. The fast little iron gray nag owned in Chestertown by W. C. A. Thompson, was on the ground and ready to compete for the honors, but the judges would not allow him to enter because of his "pacing" qualities.—The distance was about a mile, best two in three. Messenger won the first heat in 2.42, and Sleepy Dave the second in 2.40. The deciding heat was postponed on account of lateness till the next day, when the heat and race was won by Messenger in 2.37, Sleepy Dave second, and Dexter third. The first prize was the Tolchester cup for 1887, the second, $10, the third, $5. The judges were Richard Diehl, James L. Beck and J. W. Startt. Chas. H. Hurlock was chief marshal.

DIED.

In Kennedyville, on Friday morning, Sept. 2, 1887, of typhoid fever, Mrs. SALLIE L. WARREN, wife of the late C. W. Warren, in the 54th year of her age. Funeral and interment at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, at the Friends meeting-house.

In Millington, Aug. 22, VINCENT E. BENTON, in the 79th year of his age. "Gone but not forgotten."

In Piney Neck, August 25, JOHN H., infant son of Henry H. and Josephine Robinson, aged 3 months. "Suffer little children to come unto me."

At Fairlee Landing, August 29, 1887, of typhoid fever, HARRY, son of Capt. James and Sarah Middleton, aged nearly 6 years.

"And Jesus called a little child unto Him * * * and said of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Rev. S. B. Tredway, will reach in Kennedyville, M. P. Church Sunday night, Sept. 4. 1t.

Wanted.—A white boy about 18 years old, to serve Coal Oil Route in Chestertown. Apply at at the Kent News office at once. s3-4t.

The Meeting of the Kent Co. Temperance Alliance is postponed from the last Tuesday in August to the Second Tuesday in September. au27-2t. D. W. Bates, Chairman.

Cemetery Notice.—Inasmuch as the lots in Wesley Chapel Cemetery are not in the condition they should be, notice is hereby given to all lot-holders, that the interior of the Cemetery will be thoroughly cleansed and those who neglect to have lots Cleaned within thirty days from date hereof will have them cleaned and charged to their account. By order of the Board of Trustees,

Aug. 27, 1887—3t. Jas. E. Blackiston, Sec'y and Treasurer.

Festival at St. Paul's.

The ladies of St. Paul's will hold a festival for the benefit of the church on the Church Green on Tuesday evening, Sept. 6. Supper to begin at 5 o'clock, and include all the luxuries of the season—Fish, Oysters, Crabs, &c. 1t.

Notice.

The notes taken at the sale of the personal property of the late O. P. Beck, at Worton Heights, are due Sept. 18, 1887, and have been left at the Chestertown National Bank for collection.

All persons indebted to the estate on open account or otherwise are requested to settle the same by that date with the administrator.

Medford M. Rasin, Administrator.
sep3-3t.

Take notice.

All persons indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle at the earliest possible date. This notice I hope will be sufficient otherwise I must resort to other means.

Respectfully, Mrs. Kate Bradley
aug27-4t. Chestertown, Md.

Notice. To whom it may concern!

Parties having carpets standing here for three months and over must take them away within fifteen days from this 27th day of August, or they will be sold. John Bartley,
aug27-2t.* Cross Street, Chestertown, Md.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

The Tax-Payers of the Third District are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1887.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and at Worton Heights every Saturday, until further notice.

M. M. Rasin,
sep3-tf. Collector 3d District.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

The Tax-payers of the Second District are hereby notified that I am prepared to receive their taxes for 1887.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at Still Pond every Saturday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock; at Kennedyville every Saturday afternoon, until further notice. Prompt payment earnestly requested.

John P. Hendrickson,
Kennedyville,
aug27-2m. Collector Second District.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

The Tax-Payers of the Fourth District are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1886.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be in Chestertown every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons until further notice.

Stephen Lecates,
s3-tf. Collector 4th District.

There will be a

Tournament at Cecilton

Cecil county, Md., September 27th, 1887. Prizes One Hundred Dollars and Half the Gate Receipts. Entries close Sept. 14th. Those wishing to participate can communicate with E. McKee.

By order Committee People's Cornet Band, Cecilton, Md. s3-2t.

For Sale

One Good BROOD MARE, 8 years old, with colt at her side, will work anywhere and is a fine driver. Also one Bashaw Mare COLT, two years old next spring. Terms reasonable.

Apply to Jas. L. Schwatka,
sep3-3t.* Chesterville, Md.

At Private Sale

THREE DWELLING HOUSES in the town of Millington. Terms easy.

Apply to Hines & Smith,
sep3-3t. Attorneys.

A Dwelling House at Lynch's at Private Sale.

I will sell at Private Sale at a low price on reasonable terms my DWELLING HOUSE at Lynch's Station, Kent county, Md. The building is a substantial frame of seven rooms besides attic and a good dry cellar; and the location is desirable for business or residence. Apply to Wm. H. Dudley,
sep3-3t. Lynch's Station.

For Rent Until January 1, 1888—

A PRIVATE RESIDENCE, most eligibly located in this town.

APPLY AT THIS OFFICE.
Chestertown, August 27, 1887. 3t

For Rent for 1888:

HOUSE AND LOT AT STANLEY, now occupied by Mrs. Sarah Coppie, to whom application can be made for terms, or to

F. H. Harper,
aug20-3t. Still Pond, Md.

For Rent for 1888:

One LARGE DWELLING, containing 12 Rooms, with a nice shaded yard and a pump of good water, and Stable and Carriage-House attached. Also Four Smaller Dwellings, and Blacksmith and Wheelwright Shops—a good old business stand.

Apply to A. Alexander,
a29-4t.* Alexville, near Rock Hall.

For Sale:

A HANDSOME RESIDENCE In Galena, Kent county, Md., or will rent for 1888. For particulars address

Dr. J. L. Dulaney,
926 I st. N. W., Washington, D. C.,
jy23-3m. or G. W. Jacobs, Galena, Kent co. Md

House and Lot for Sale.

By virtue of competent authority, I offer at Private Sale, the property of Mary Jane Wilmer situated in Sandy Bottom, Fifth Election District of Kent county, near St. Paul's Church. The lot contains FIVE and THREE-QUARTER ACRES of LAND, nearly all cleared, and well fenced. It is improved by a Story and a-half FRAME DWELLING-HOUSE with Kitchen attached, also a Good Stable. Terms will be made liberal. For further particulars apply to

Chas. T. Westcott, Att'y.
je18-4t.

Crawford House for Rent.

INTENDING to discontinue Hotel keeping I will sell on easy and reasonable terms my unexpired Lease on the HALL'S HOTEL PROPERTY for the present year and with my right of rental for 1888 with all my privileges. The purchaser must be an acceptable person to my *Landlord* and prepared to give satisfactory security.

Samuel H. Crawford,
Aug. 20, 1887. Proprietor.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent County, Maryland, of

JAMES M. MALLALIEU,

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 March, 1888, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of August, 1887.

Joseph Mallalieu,
Sept. 3, 1887—4t. Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

MARY L. SPARKS,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 2d day of March, 1888, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 23d day of August, 1887.

Henry A. Sparks,
Aug. 27—4t. Administrator.

$10,000, $5,000, $3,000 $4,000 $2,000 $1,000 TO LOAN.
jy16-tf. H. W. Vickers, Att'y.

Farm for Rent for 1888:

A GOOD FARM of 200 ACRES, for rent for the coming year to a good tenant.

a13-3. Apply at the Kent News Office.

Complimentary Concert!

—TO—

COLIN F. STAM,

PROPRIETOR OF STAM'S HALL,

—ON—

TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 13th

BY THE

CITIZENS OF CHESTERTOWN,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF

PROFESSOR GRAEFT,

ASSISTED BY THE BEST MUSICAL TALENT OF CHESTERTOWN.

Admission - - 35 and 50 cents.

NOTICE.

On and after Monday, Sept. 5, the afternoon Trains on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad on Tuesdays and Saturdays will be discontinued.

Fred. Gerker, Lessee.
sep3-tf.

New Store--Old Stand!

MRS. D. GRUBER

Has thoroughly renewed and refitted her business property up town and is now better able than ever heretofore to supply the public with

Fresh Bread, Buns, Cakes and Pies,

and indeed everything in the Bakery Line. Long experience, the best material, and personal attention to the business enables her to give the very best goods for the least money.

Confectionery.—I have also added to my stock a line of confectionery, such as Fresh Candy, Nuts, &c., to which I invite attention. Give me a call.

Mrs. D. Gruber,
sep3-4m. Up Town.

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Collector's Sale.

By virtue of authority conferred upon me as Collector of Taxes by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Charles Rolph, of, in and to his interest in the undivided one-half part of LOT OF LAND in the village of "Lynchburg," on the main road leading to the depot, adjoining E. Tilghman and Mrs. Vickers' lot, and I hereby give notice that

On SATURDAY, the 24th day of Sept., 1887,

at 3 o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door in Chestertown, I will sell the said property for cash to pay taxes due from said Rolph, as follows:

State and county taxes for 1886.....$2.18

together with interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Stephen Lecates,
s3-4t. Collector.

Collector's Sale.

By virtue of authority conferred upon me as Collector of Taxes by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Albert C. Whaland, of, in and to ALL THAT HOUSE AND LOT in the Fourth Election District, on the road from Chestertown to the Strawboard Mill, now occupied by said Whaland, and I hereby give notice that

On SATURDAY, the 24th day of Sept., 1887,

at 3 o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door in Chestertown, I will sell the said property for cash to pay taxes due from said Whaland and wife, as follows:

State and county taxes for 1886.....$15.83

together with interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Stephen Lecates,
s3-4t. Collector.

Constable's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued by Vachel Burgess, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, at the suit of William R. Usilton against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Henry H. McVay; to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Henry H. McVay, of, in and to

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND

containing 14 Acres, more or less, situated near Belmont, in the Third Election District of Kent county, Maryland, adjoining the lands of Richard T. Turner and others, and known as a part of "Fish Hall," being the same tract of land conveyed to Henry H. McVay aforesaid and Mary M. McVay, his wife, by Henry H. Crew and Martha Crew as tenants in common during the lifetime of both and then to the survivor for life; by deed dated March 27, 1883, and duly recorded in Liber S. R. No. 4, Folio 138, &c., of the land records of Kent county; together with all the BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS thereon.

Also, the crops now grown or growing on said farm, including

NURSERY STOCK, CORN CROP, &c., &c.

And I hereby give notice, that

On TUESDAY, the 20th of Sept., 1887,

at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell all the said interest, right, title and claim of the said Henry H. McVay, in said property to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

Wm. R. Plummer,
Aug27-4t. Constable.

Constable's Sale.

By virtue of one writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued by William A. Miller, a Justice of the Peace for Kent county, in and for the State of Maryland, at the suit of Andrew Woodall, against the lands and tenements of Isaac B. Worrell and Martha J. Worrell, I have levied upon, seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Isaac B. Worrell and Martha J. Worrell in and to

ALL THAT LOT,

Piece or Parcel of Ground

lying and being in the Kent Forest, in Kent county, State of Maryland, being situated on the north side of the new road leading from Golt's Station to the road from Masseys to Smyrna, adjoining the lands of John H. Hill, Nicholas George and others

Containing 33⅓ Acres,

More or Less.

The Improvements are

A New Two-Story Dwelling.

And I hereby give notice that

On MONDAY, September 12, 1887,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., I will sell the said property for cash to pay and satisfy said writ, with interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

WILLIAM R. MILLER,
Aug. 20, 1887—4t. [$8.50] Constable.

SPOT CASH!