

The Kent Mews.

CHESTERTOWN:

SATURDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3, 1866.

POLITICAL PRINCIPLE.

Hon. Henry J. Raymond, of New York, from the basis of representation."

"Mr. Bromall, of Pennsylvania, had accused ed. The previous question having been him of agreeing with Mr. Rogers, of New Jer-pey, a democrat; but he would say to this House ordered, Mr. Stevens, of Pa., addressed than even wrong in the distinguished company He referred in caustic terms to the publi-

ond thought" of her best and wisest men, "marked out." and of the examples of prudence and moderation which such reflection is calculated to produce.

Mr. Raymond, himself a republican, has fearless avowal above made, but he has ryland representatives in the negative. elevated himself in the estimation of all patriotic and right-thinking people. There are men, who refuse to call themselves ton as follows: democrat to be "right," and to agree with ing, by law, on constitutional amendment, such returned Union soldiers as he may which they would be entitled in Congress bushels of Corn; 600 lbs. Bacon; one is, in their estimation, the unpardon- the right of negro suffrage everywhere— deem proper, from the several counties of they conferred the right of suffrage. able political sin. They know that the in the States, in the Territories, and in the State and city of Baltimore, in comof old line Whigs and others who never The opinion obtains with many in the and said organization when completed trict of Columbia, at this time, was the were Democrats-but at the same time, House, that the South would, with alacri- shall be uniformed at the expense of the the question throughout the States; and to boldly oppose the measures of that party | ty, accept the amendment proposed. Hardis sufficient cause for them to charge that ly with alacrity, however, but per force. those who so act "have gone over to the Democrats," or "turned secessionists," sident's conclusions, that any further tink- United States; and said organization shall which with them are synonymous terms. ering of the Constitution is inexpedient. be styled the Maryland State Guard." Such men lack the fairness and consistency of Mr. Raymond. All such talk, right of suffrage to the blacks of this Disthough it may not be so intended, works ate, it is pretty well ascertained, will not mitted a report in the contested election to the interest of the negro suffrage party, pass that bill in its present form; and that case for the Judgeship of the Twelfth Juand it will be so found in the end. The if they do pass it, it will, be vetoed. Sub- dicial Circuit, accompanied by resolutions issue now before the country has been stitutes for the bill are to be offered in the declaring that "John R. Fraklin was not forced upon the people against their will, Senate. and they are compelled to meet it; and in different parts of the South, written by the said office; and because he did not red ident had the above conversation. order to do so, it is not necessary for them men who had hoped and labored for the ceive the largest number of legal votes;" either to "go over" or "come over" from best, and who were known as optimists in that "Thomas A. Spence having received one party to another—the question having politics, to the effect that the people are the largest number of legal votes, was duly never before been an issue in politicsbut all who honestly oppose the measure per manifested by Congress. can meet on one common platform.

PREEDMEN'S BUREAU AND TAXES. taxed enough, and new projects are put one. The President, as I learn from a the farthest in the introduction of extreme they seem to legislate to gratify their pre-Government Two Hundred Millions of to provoke a war of races in the South. Dollars! J. A. J. CRESWELL voted for

PEACH MEN TAKE NOTICE. - It is de-6th, at 11 o'elock, A. M., to send Dele- ordered to report at Washington. gates to the Peach Convention, to be held THE citizens of Centreville and vicinity

all parties.

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NEW BASIS OF REPRESENTATION. An Attack on President Johnson.

mittee on Reconstruction, reported back stead. It providessentation, with an amendment striking out Constitution. the words "and direct taxes," so as to make it read:

among the several States, which may be 4. That he shall be confronted with the included within this Union, according to witnesses against him, have counsel, and their respective numbers, counting the subpænas for his own witnesses. whole number of persons in each State, excluding Indians, not taxed; provided, peal to the Circuit Court and of trial by that whenever the elective franchise shall jury. be denied or abridged in any State on account of race or color, all persons therein made the order of the day for Thursday, stated:" of such race or color shall be excluded

made a long and able conservative speech | The point in which the resolution differs in the House of Representatives, on Mon- from the form in which it was first reportday last, on the proposed Constitutional ed is the omission of all reference to direct amendment providing for a new basis of taxation, leaving that stand as at present representation, in the course of which he fixed by the Constitution. Mr. Schenck shocked the sensibilities of the radical ma- proposed a substitute, making voters the jority by the following announcement: | basis of representation, which was reject-

that he had rather be right with Mr. Rogers, the House in support of the amendment. cation of the reported conversation of the This reminds us forcibly of the noble President with a distinguished Senator, and patriotic remark of Henry Clay on a pronouncing its publication by authority certain occasion, that "he would rather be of the President, at a time when the House right than be President," and it is en- had the subject under consideration, an couraging, amidst the gloom and general interference with the privileges of Conpolitical demoralization in which the coun- gress. He was very severe upon the Prestry is enshrouded, to see that there are ident, and said that such a publication, registry law, which was ordered to be a simple proposition, embraced in a few still a few men of the same stamp. The " made in that way, a few centuries ago, printed. passion for office and power at the present to Parliament by a British King, would day seems to be such, that the great mass have cost him his head." He did not of politicians would rather be wrong with propose, however, to decapitate the Pres- the House: To authorize the Commission- direct taxation. Such a proposition could the many, than right with the few. Such ident, though from the general tenor of men are the bane of the country-plauge- his remarks we infer that, in such an the Queen Anne's and Kent County Rail- mong the several States, which may be inspots on the body politic. We hold that event, he would not be a mourner at the road. To authorize the trustees of the cluded within this Union, according to the it is as much the duty of men to follow funeral. His reference to British Kings their honest convictions on political ques- "a few centuries ago" in connection with tions, as upon matters that may arise af- freedom of speech in this country at the Head of Sassafras. In favor of the Kent within this Union, according to the value fecting any other interest or department present day, and especially in denuncia- County Railroad Company. To incorpo- of all taxable property in each State. of life, and especially should this be the tion of making public the views of the case at the present critical juneture in our President at any time on matters of pubnation's history, when reason seems to be lie policy, is in striking contrast with the dethroned and fanaticism rules the day, course of the radical majority in Congress of 1865 in the newspapers of the State. most part men who were subject to draft offer at public sale, on and passion instead of statesmanship taken | who, if they could, would shut the mouth possession of our national councils. The of every man who dissents from their line country is sadly in need of "the sober sec- of procedure which has been definitely

When Mr. Stevens concluded, the vote was taken and the substitute adopted by the requisite two-thirds vote-yeas 120, nays 46. Francis and John L. Thomas no doubt lost caste with his party by the voted in the affirmative, and the other Ma-

FROM WASHINGTON.

The radical members say that this Con-Many members, embracing republicans as

The House bill for the extension of the trict may be pronounced dead. The Sen- jority of the Committee on Elections sub-

The Freedmen's Bureau, or Lazzaroni bill, as it has been ealled, is condemned by many of the leading journals, though it passed the Senate by a vote of four to vieing with one another as to who can go stronger than their love of justice, and good source, is also opposed to it. There forward every day to filch money from the is no doubt that it will pass the House, people. This Freedmen's Bureau, which for it creates officers, which will increase lowing is the production of Senator Yates, is about passing, is a Massachusetts scheme | the Government patronage to an enormous of Illinois, and so far we think he is justly |-Mr. Charles H. Haines, Clerk of the to create new offices, and to be filled by extent; and it will curse the South with a entitled to the palm. It proposes to pre- Circuit Court of Cecil county, died very Massachusetts men principally, who are It gathers blacks in communities, where vent the people of any State or territory suddenly on Tuesday morning, Jan. 23d, the meanest and worst kind of Yankees. they are to be supported at public expense; from making or enforcing, or in any man-It will encourage negro idleness, as ne. but, what is more, it disposses white own- ner recognizing any distinction on account groes are to be supported by this Bureau, ers from plantations, and gives them for of race, color or condition, and is what monia on the same morning, but a few and it will increase the expenses of the three years to blacks. Many judicious may properly be denominated "a common hours after the death of his son. men consider the bill as one that will tend leveler." Who can beat it?

it. He will doubtless try to sneak out of THE KENT Co. R. R. - We learn from ted States abolishes slavery in all the it, but his swagger and bluster is too well the Smyrna Times that the act to amend States and Territories of the United States, dersigned known to have any effect in our State .- the charter of the Kent County Railroad, His time is short, and Maryland will not which was rejected by the Delaware Leg- slavery, or growing out of the same, are be disgraced much longer by such malig- islature last week, was reconsidered and null and void; and. nant men as Creswell and others of his passed on Tuesday-yeas 15, nays 5. It class. He will soon be in private again, is said the Senate will concur. The Times where he will long remain with the con-road to Symrna, and we hope the amount tempt and execration of the good men of of stock necessary to enable them to commence operations will be taken at once.

Major General Hancock has issued a sired that a meeting of the Peach Growers special order abolishing the Provost Marof Kent should be held at the Court House | shal's Department in his command on the in Chestertown, on Tuesday next, Febr'y 31st of January. Col. Wooley has been

in Centreville, on Friday, the 14th inst. have taken the initiatory steps to estab-A general attendance of the growers of lish a National Bank, with a capital of

MARYDAND BEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, on Tuesday, Mr. Vickers In the House of Representatives, on reported a bill to repeal the present regis-Wednesday, Mr. Stevens, from the Com- tration law, and to enact a new law in its

Constitution fixing a new basis of repre- istered shall take the oath required by the citizens, without distinction of race or col-

evidence against himself. 3. That it shall require at least two ding the rights of suffrage. "Representatives shall be apportioned witnesses to prove his disloyalty.

5. That he shall have the right of ap-

Feb. 1st, by which day the committee on Elections were, on motion of Mr. Vickers, ordered to report to the Senate on the me-

law. There is little prospect, however, and a national guarantee thus given that of any modification of the law being effect- that institution should never again exist ed at the present session, the majority Constitution were becoming as numerous ing a school in Chestertown. being disposed to continue it in force in as preambles and resolutions at town meet-

was made by the majority of the registraion, had a tendency to diminish the digpied by Mrs. Mary I. Mansfield. Apply
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feb3-3t tion committee on a large number of pe- nity and prestige attached to the Consti- on the premises. titions asking a repeal or modification of tution of the country, and to lessen the the registry law. Messrs. Jamison and respect and confidence of the people in Usilton, from the minority of the same com- their great charter of freedom. mittee, made a report in favor of submitting to the registered voters of the State representation and taxation, (and he did an amendment of the Constitution in sub- not deem them at all necessary at the prestitution of the clause in relation to the sent time,) he knew of none better than

ers of Queen Anne's county to levy a tax be embraced in the following terms: of land. To amend the local law of Chesrate the Chestertown Water Company.

port a bill to pay for publishing the laws ciples. The qualified voters were for the i-tratrix of Charles P. Jackson, deceased, wil

pay of County Commissioners at four dol- repel invasion, suppress rebellion and quell (if fair, if not on the first fair day thereafter.) lars per day. The bill to increase the sal. domestic violence and insurrection. They at the late residence of said deceased in Woraries of Judges was laid on the table .- risk their lives, shed their blood and peril ton Point, the following property, viz: Unfavorable reports were made on the bills to make eight hours a legal day's work.

proposing to repeal sections 12, 13, 16, thus conferred, by defraying the expenses 17 and 18 of the militia law of 1864, and incident to its protection and enjoyment. appropriating the sum \$100,000 to enable Such an amendment, the President also 12 Head of very SUPERIOR SHEEP; the Governor to carry into effect an act suggested, would remove from Congress all substituted in its stead, empowering aud A correspondent writes from Washing- authorizing him, in lieu of a general or- determine, absolutely, the qualifications of Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, and other ganization and enrollment of the militia their own voters with regard to color; and State, and when called into active service | was ill-timed, uncalled for, and calculated All over \$10 a credit of six months, on note | shall receive the same compensation as is to do great harm. He believed that it with approved security well as democrats, have come to the Pre- now allowed in the military service of the would engender emuity, contention and

duly and legally elected, because he was We have information by letters from disqualified under the Constitution to hold distinguished Senator with whom the Presport was ordered to be printed.

A COMMON LEVELER.

and unconstitutional measures. The fol- judices rather than to do what is right.

Whereas, The Constitution of the Uniwhereby all Constitutions, laws or regulations of any State or Territory ic aid of

Whereas, By a virtue of said abolition of slavery, all men in all the States and Territories are citizens, entitled to all the rights and privilegs of citizens, subject only to the legal disabilities applicable to white persons; and whereas, also, it is expressly provided that Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the aforesaid power abolishing slavery, which cannot be done without protecting all citizens against all restrictions. penalties or deprivations of rights resulting from slavery, and securing to them all &c., sold on commission. their civil and political rights, including

the elective franchise; therefore. Be it enacted, &c., That no State or Territories of the United States shall by feb3 tf.

any Constitution, law or other regulations whatever, heretofore in force or hereafter to be adopted, make or enforce, or in any White Wheat, per bushel manner recognize any distinction between White Corn citizens of the United States or of any Yellow " State or Territories on account of race or Oats (weight) the joint resolution proposing to amend the 1. That every man applying to be reg- color, or condition; and that hereafter all Rye, or or condition, shall be protected in the 2. That he shall not be required to give full and equal enjoyment and exercise of On the 25th ultimo, by the Rev. J. S. Cook, all their civil and political rights, inclu- Mr. ADAM C. JONES, of Kent county, to Miss Clark the rights of suffrage. CLARA N. ERDMAN, of Queen Ann's Co.

> The President's Views on Constitutional Suffrage Agitation.

The following is the substance of a conversation which took place a few days ago between the President and a distinguished The bill was ordered to be printed, and Senator. It is said to be "accurately

The President said that he doubted the propriety at this time of making any further amendments to the Constitution. One great amendment had already been made, morials and orders referred to them on by which slavery had forever been abolsubject of the repeal of the registration ished within the limits of the United States in the land. Propositions to amend the order to retain power in their own hands. ings, called to consider the most ordinary For Sale or Rent, In the House, an unfavorable report questions connected with the administra-

If, however, amendments are to be made to the Constitution, changing the basis of lines, making, in each State, the number The Senate has passed the following of qualified voters the basis of representabills, which have not yet been acted on by tion, and the value of property the basis

Almshouse of Kent county to sell a tract number of qualified voters in each State. Direct taxes shall be apportioned among tertown. To incorporate the village of the the several States, which may be included

An amendment of this kind would, in On motion of Mr. Vickers, leave was his opinion, place the basis of representa-The House has passed a bill fixing the and enlistment when it was necessary to MONDAY, Feb'ry 12th, 1866, R. J. RUTH & CO., their all to uphold the government and give protection and security and value to A bill has been reported in the Senate property. It seemed but just that property should compensate for the benefits issues in reference to the political equality of the races. It would leave the States to would depend the number upon which

The President, in this connection, exmere entering wedge to the agitation of strife between the two races, and lead to a war between them, which would result in great injury to both, and the certain In the House, on Wednesday, the ma- extinction of the negro population. Precedence, he thought, should be given to more important and urgent matters, legis- | near Still Pond, on lation upon which was essential for the restoration of the Union, the peace of the country, and the prosperity of the people. his entire Stock, consisting of the following :

Senator Dixon, of Connecticut, is the

GENERAL GRANT AND THE RADICALS .-A correspondent of a northern paper says becoming discouraged and disaffected, in and legally elected Judge of the Twelfth General Grant has lost cast with the radconsequence of the disposition and tem- Judicial Circuit of Maryland." The re- icals since his report on the affairs of the South. Of course he has, but has gained thinking people of the whole country .--The radicals in Congress seem to be The prejudices of many of the radicals are Household and Kitchen Furniture.

SEDDEN DEATH OF A FATHER AND SONof typhoid fever. His father, Mr. Joseph Still Pond, Feb. 3, 1866-ts* Haines, who was acting, as clerk in the office, also expired very suddenly of pneu-

NOTICE.

A LL persons are hereby warned not to tres-GUNNERS will bear in mind that the law

denounces very severe penalties against those who shoot out of Boats, or use Decoys in shooting Ducks. It is our firm purpose to enforce the law in every instance. WILLIAM P. WEBB, DANIEL DIEHL,

JOHN JUDIFIND. Feb. 3, 1866-31*

TAKE NOTICE! TOUR ATTENTION is especially called to

our large and carefully selected stock of Agricultural Implements, many of which are of new and improved pat-

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Improved Ploughs. J. HIX BURTON & CO., Warehouse No. 42 South Frederick St. near Pratt, Baltimore, Md. promptly attended to.

Baltimore Price Current.

BACTIMORE, Feb. 1, 1866.

MARRIAGES.

On the 18th ult., at the residence of Mr. John A. Rutter, by Rev. G. L. Schaffer, DRAPER BOUCHEL, of Kent county, and JULIA A. RUTTER, of Cecil county.

DEATHS.

At Washington College, on Saturday morning last, Mrs. MARY C. SUTTON, wife of Rev. Andrew Sutton, aged about 27 years.

On Monday last, in Still Pond, Mrs. HYBERT HARDEN, wife of Wm. Harden, aged 45 years. Near Smithville, on Monday last, of pneumomia, WILLIAM COLBY, aged about 30 years. At his residence near Church Hill, in Queen Anne's county, on the 21st January, of pneu-CARVILLE, in the 60th year of his age.

In Alexandria, Virginia, on the 23rd ALBERT E. BAS-FORD, eldest son of the deceased was for several years engaged in teach

Wanted, MILLER, sober, honest and industrious, competent to take charge of a flourishing

IT is generally admitted by all that

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I sell strictly for cash, and am thereby fertilizer I ever used. enabled to sell at ten per cent. lower than my competitors. Call, examine and be convinced. Locust Grove, Feb. 3, 1866-3m.

granted the committee on Finance to re- tion and direct taxation upon correct prin- D of Kent county, the undersigned, Admin-

2 HEAD OF HORSES, 4 SUPERIOR Milch Cows, AT 3 YOUNG CATTLE.

a lot of Shoats, well grown; Sow and Pigs; 2 Carriages and Harness; Horse Cart and Harness;

PARMING UTENSILS.

Household and Kitchen Furniture. opposition to the present republican and negro suffrage party is largely made up be done by constitutional amendment.—

The President, in this connection, expanies of not less than one hundred, who pressed the opinion that the agitation of head and panies of not less than one hundred, who pressed the opinion that the agitation of head and panies of not less than one hundred, who pressed the opinion that the agitation of head and all panies of not less than one hundred, who pressed the opinion that the agitation of head and all panies of not less than one hundred, who pressed the opinion that the agitation of head and COOK STOVE, nearly new.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. TERMS :- All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Adm'x of Chas. P. Jackson, dec'd.

VENDUE.

Feb. 3, 1866-ts.

THE undersigned will offer at Public Sale Try it directly. It is warranted to cure. For at his residence, on Dr. Maxwell's Farm, | sale by all Druggists, at 50 Cts. per bottle.

Wednesday, Feb. 14th, 1866, 5 HEAD WORK HORSES.

1 MULE, 1 YEARLING COLT, Three Milch Cows, 10 FINE SHOATS, 1 Carriage & Harness, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Horse Cart, 1 Wheat Fan, Corn Sheller and Straw Cutter, Plows, Har-

rows, Cultivators, &c. much in favor with honest and right- 1 Light Sleigh. 1,000 weight new Bacon, and 1 Duck Gun. Also,

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. TERMS .- All sums under \$10 cash. approved security. No property to be taken away until the terms are complied with. WILLIAM HARDEN.

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FOR SALE. THE subscriber will sell at private sale, the

place known as the "CLIFFS," in Quaker Neck, on Chester River, formerly belonging to and near the farm of Mr. R. L. Nichols, con-56 ACRES, More or Less,

The Improvements are a STORE and DWEL LING connected, log Stable, &c. About 3 or

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Apply on the premises, to JOHN D. CARTER.

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SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME.

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Berger & Butz's AMMONIATED

KENT and the adjoining counties, these well known FERTILIZERS, for the Spring seeding. BERGER & BUTZ'S EXCELSIOR SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME has for the last five years undergone the most rigid tests upon all crops, and has never been excelled .-It not only acts immediately upon the crop but is certain to produce a heavy growth of grass. BERGER & BUTZ'S AMMONIATED SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME we guarantee to be a good article.

We give a certificate from one of the most reliable Farmers in New Jersey, showing the effect upon Wheat, Oats and Corn :

HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP, Comberland Co., N.J., August 71b, 1860. MESSAS. BERGER & BUTZ : I have now used your Super-Phosphate of Lime for two seasons. Last fall I used it upon part of my wheat, which has turned out as well as where I manured with good barn yard manure. This last spring I put in my oats with it; the oats were sown upon poor ground

still the vield was most excellent, far better than I had any reason to expect. I also used it upon Corn alongside of another well known fertilizer. The drought has been very severe this summer, and the corn is therefore backward, still your phosphate has done very much better than the other, and does not see m to have suffered so much from the drought. I consider your Super-Phosphate of Lime not only a good manure, but better than any other

Yours, respectfully, ROBERT JONES.

nery into our factory, our article will be much better prepared than beretofore, and if it is not found to be in every way equal to the original standard we will not demand one dollar for

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if More . If is warranted to be the only tittttttttttt preparation known to cure Coughs, Colds, Hourseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Chronic Conghs, Consumption, Bronchitis and Croup. Being prepared from Honey and Herbs it is healing, softening, and expectorating, and particularly suitable for all affections of the Throat and Lungs. For sale by Druggists every where.

Dr. Strickland's *CURE * PILE REMEDY, ******* Bleeding Piles. It gives immediate relief, and effects a permanent cure.

Dr. Strickland's

DR. STRICKLAND'S TONIC is a concentrated preparation of * Roots and Berbs, with ************ antiacids and carmi-

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A ARYLAND, Kent County Orphans' Court, IVI Jan. 23d, 1866.—On the application of William C. Eliason, Administrator C. T. A. of John A. Eliason, late of New Castle county, Delaware, deceased;

Ordered. That he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, in Kent county, Md., and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks, in the Kent News, printed and published in Kent

In testimony that the foregoing is truly coied from the minutes of the proceedings of the (----) Orphaus' Court of the county afore-SEAL | said I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 23d day of Jan., 1866. Test, JOS. P. IRELAND, Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Kent county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, letters of administration on personal estate of John A. Eliason, late of New Castle Co., dec'd. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 21st day of August, 1866; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 23d

day of Januray, 1866. WILLIAM C. ELIASON, Adm'r c T. A. of John A. Eliason, dec'd. Feb. 3, 1866-4t.

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES MAN HAVE THEIR CLAIMS For BOUNTY, PAY and PENSION PROMPTLY COLLECTED.

PRIZE MONEY for Seamen, and arrears of pay due heirs of Officers of the Army and Navy WM. B. HIBL, Government Claim Office,

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