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SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 2.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR:
JOHN WALTER SMITH,
OF WORCESTER COUNTY.

FOR COMPTROLLER:
JOSHUA W. HERING,
OF CARROLL COUNTY.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL:
ISIDOR RAYNER,
OF BALTIMORE CITY.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

All the members of the adjourned Democratic County Convention are hereby requested to meet at Masonic Hall, Denton, on TUESDAY, SEPTEMEBER 5, 1899, at two o'clock p. m., to nominate two persons to be members of the House of Delegates; three persons to be judges of the Orphans' Court; one person to be County Commissioner; one person to be State's Attorney; one person to be Sheriff, and one person to be County Surveyor.

J. BOON DUKES, Chairman.
J. FRANK LEDNUM,
CHARLES W. JEFFERSON,
JAMES E. DUKES,
Committee.

THEODORE SAULSBURY,
Secretary.

IMPERIALISM IN DISFAVOR.

The present attitude of greatness occupied by the U. S. was attained by following from the days of Washington a policy of strictly attending to our own affairs and leaving the people of other nations to do the same. The glamour of foreign conquest has turned the head of the people of other nations many times in the past, and a few months ago there appeared to be danger that Americans would be blinded by the same glamour, but the common sense for which Americans are renowned, has come to the rescue, and our people are realizing not only the meaning, but the danger of the adoption of an imperialistic policy by the U. S., and present indications are that realization will result in a restoration of the Democratic party to power, and a resumption of the only safe foreign policy for this government to follow.

Men who at the beginning supported the expansion policy of the administration are now severely criticising the results obtained by following that policy. For instance, the Washington *Post*, which has to all intents and purposes been an expansion sheet, says editorially: "Either we have not the genius and the temperament for successful colonization, or we have been grotesquely unfortunate in the selection of our agents. It is impossible to see at this moment where and in what respect we have accomplished anything important either in Cuba or in the Philippines. In the latter we have undertaken to set up the regime of law and order and civilization, and we have failed utterly. In the case of Cuba we have undertaken to give the people self-government, or at least to test their capacity in that line, and we have done neither. In the Philippines we have for six months or more been engaged in a petty and perfectly fruitless war with the natives. In Cuba the government consists of a military autocracy, little if any more beneficent than than that conducted by the Spanish Governor Generals in time of peace. In Luzon it is actual war we have upon our hands. In Cuba, it is smouldering discontent, turbulence in various parts of the island, and a fatuous and feeble tyranny at Havana."

MUNICIPAL EXPANSION.

The Cambridge *Banner* says: "Some of our sister towns, notably Salisbury, are advocating the policy of local expansion and are urging preparation for the census of 1900 by extending the town limits so as to take in all the suburbs. Easton, too, is said to be favorable to the same policy and will probably ask the next Legislature to extend its boundaries as far as Easton Point. The annexation of this territory will bring 400 or 500 additional population to the town. This is undoubtedly the proper policy to pursue, not merely from the standpoint of municipal pride, but it is no more than just that suburban residents who enjoy the advantages of the town government should be made to contribute to its expenses. While Cambridge, within the past few years, has nearly filled up its extended limits, yet there is no present necessity for a further extension, and the next census will find us in the same place, territorially speaking, as the last, but will note a remarkable increase in population, wealth and industrial enterprises." Should the above argument prevail generally Denton would soon be augmented by the addition of 235 persons living in West Denton. The little village over the bridge is neat and attractive, and it is no wonder there are many annexationists on this side.

TAXES—MORE TAXES.

Notwithstanding the statement of Secretary Gage that the Treasury would be able to meet all of the expenses incidental to the large army we are preparing to send to the Philippines, in addition to other governmental expenses, without asking Congress to impose new war taxes or issuing more bonds, expert financiers who have carefully studied the matter, and whose opinions are not influenced by political exigences, still predict that more bonds or more taxes will be necessary, and when it is remembered that there was a deficit of $90,000,000 in round figures, at the close of the last fiscal year, this prediction seems reasonable. It may also be mentioned that special agents of the Internal Revenue Bureau are known to have been engaged for months in investigating the working of the various stamp taxes, presumbly with an eye to more Congressional legislation in that direction.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

One of the strongest and best organized lobbies preparing to knock at the door of Congress during the coming winter is the Postal Lobby. It is an organization supposed to include almost every fourth-class postmaster in the United States. Its object is to secure legislation to fix the minimum compensation of fourth-class postmasters at small offices at the rate of $100 a year, instead of the present rate of payment, which is based upon the number of stamps cancelled by each postmaster.

Beginning early in September with the Grand Army Encampment, to be followed by the National Export Exposition continuing until November 30th, in the course of which the International Commercial Congress will be in session, Philadelphia will be for three months in gala attire. It will an eventful period in the city's history, and the strangers within its gates will have come not only from every State in the Union, but from all parts of the world.

Ex-Congressman Daniel M. Henry died at his home in Cambridge Wednesday evening, aged 76 years. He served two terms in Congress. Late in the forties he was p member of the House of Delegates of Maryland. Ex-Congressman W. Laird Henry, a lawyer and a well-known Dorchester Democrat, is a son of the deceased.

Col. John Walter Smith and Dr. Joshua Hering, Democratic nominees for Governor and Comptroller, respectively, visited the fair of Kent and Queen Anne's counties, at Tolchester, Thursday and spent the day with the 8,000 people who had assembled to greet them.

A special dispatch to the Baltimore *Sun*, from an officer in the Philippine Islands, says the war may last a year or two yet and that 75,000 or more men will be requried to whip the natives into submissson.

The Democratic county convention will meet on Tuesday next, and a strong ticket will undoubtedly be named. The personnel will be of the best men. Such a ticket cannot fail of election.

Mayor-elect Thomas G. Hayes who has been absent for a month, has returned to his home in Baltimore greatly improved in health. He will be sworn in as Mayor on November 15th.

Col. John Walter Smith, the Democratic nominee for Governor, is the father of the Free School Book law. He promises further efforts in the cause of public education if elected.

Hodge Podge.

The great success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the treatment of bowel complaints has made it standard over the greater part of the civilized world. For sale by Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro; R. J. Colston. Ridgely; W. E. Brown, Denton.

Captain Joseph Finney and Charles Jory have returned from an extended cruise up the Choptank river, in Captain Finney's yacht Ranger, with mainmast missing, carried away in the draw at Dover bridge.—*Easton Star Democrat.*

Ladies will find a fine lot of wraps at Fisher & Nichols' when their Fall stock is opened.

Sudlersville canning house has a capacity of 25,000 cans daily and employes 100 people.

Mr. B. W. Wright, St. Michaels, cans about twenty tons of tomatoes daily.

Merchants are getting in their fall stock.

Oysters will soon be on the market.

A WONDERFUL CURE OF DIARRHOEA.

A PROMINENT VIRGINIA EDITOR Had Almost Given Up, but Was Brought Back to Perfect Health by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy.

READ HIS EDITORIAL.

From the Times, Hillsville, Va.

I suffered with diarrhœa for a long time and thought I was past being cured. I had spent much time and money and suffered so much misery that I had almost decided to give up all hopes of recovery and await the result, but noticing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy and also some testimonials stating how some wonderful cures had been wrought by this remedy, I decided to try it. After taking a few doses I was entirely well of that trouble, and I wish to say further to my readers and fellow-sufferers that I am a hale and hearty man to-day and feel as well as I ever did in my life.—O. R. MOORE. Sold by Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro; R. J. Colston, Ridgely; W. E. Brown, Denton.

August Flower.

"It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houton, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I find for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feelings from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottles free at W. E. Brown's, Denton, Md., and Rickards & Co., Marydel, Md. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

A Word to Mothers.

Mothers of children affected with croup or a severe cold need not hesitate to administer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any form and may be given as confidently to the babe as to an adult. The great success that has attended its use in the treatment of colds and croup has won for it the approval and praise it has received throughout the United States and in many foreign lands. For sale by Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro; R. J. Colston, Ridgely; W. E. Brown, Denton.

Mind Your Eyes!

It's a delicate organ—a precious one. If your sight is weak don't wear any kind of glasses. Poor spectacles do more harm than good. You go to a good dress-maker or tailor for your clothes, but the preservation of your sight is of much more consequence than correct-fitting raiment. For spectacles go to an experienced optician whose years of experience are a guarantee of skill. Note this in connection with the name of

J. SIEGEL,

the Celebrated Optician, who has been visiting and examining eyes in Denton and Greensboro since 1873, and who is too well known throughout the State to need more than casual mention.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO CHILDREN.

Consider your own case. If you notice a slight deafness in one or both ears you rush in alarm to a surgeon. If your child complains of a like failing you attend to it with equal promptness, yet you go possibly day after day feeling that you have bad eyes, or suffer from headaches. You notice your boy frowning with half-closed lids at his school book. You scold your little girl for "leering" so, and yet the optician remains unconsulted. This dangerous negligence of the eyes is specially to be deplored in this age of indiscriminate reading and reckless eye-straining. Why not call and have your eyes examined and procure a pair of Crystal Glasses and obtain instant relief? No charge for the scientific optical examination of your eyes. Entire satisfaction guaranteed.

Beware of imposters! No Peddlers employed. To avoid the rush call early.

J. SEIGEL, the scientific optician, from Baltimore, Md., who has been visiting and examining eyes in Denton since 1873, and is well known for reliability, will be at the BRICK HOTEL, DENTON, beginning THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th.

Will be at Greensboro (Millington Hotel) two days, Monday and Tuesday, September 11th and 12th.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a mortgage from Maria C. Quillen and John Quillen, her husband, to Mary M. Gearhart, dated the 24th day of February, 1893, and recorded in Liber E. C. F., No 58, folio 560, etc., one of the land record books for Caroline county, which said mortgage was on the 24th day of February, 1897, assigned to Edward W. Neal, the undersigned, as attorney named in said mortgage, will sell at public auction in front of the court house, on

Tuesday, 26th day of September,

1899, between the hours of one and three o'clock p. m., the following real estate, to wit: All that farm, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Eighth Election District of Caroline county, on the southeast side of the county road leading from Williston to Fowling Creek, and adjoining the lands of Elias W. Williamson, Francis Camper and others, and the above named road, and containing

50 ACRES

of land, more or less, and is the same land and premises conveyed by William F. Towers and wife to the said Maria C. Quillen by deed dated the 24th day of February, 1893, and recorded in Liber E. C. F., No. 58, folio 558, etc., one of the land records aforesaid.

This property is conveniently located as to schools and public steamboat landings, and is improved by a

COMFORTABLE DWELLING

and outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-half cash; residue in twelve months, with interest from day of sale, to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All expenses incident to the title papers to be borne by purchaser.

T. PLINY FISHER,
Attorney named in Mortgage.
JOHN W. CLARK, JR., Auct.

Mules! Mules!

We have 24 head of Kentucky Mules for sale—13 yearlings, 1 pair, 3 years coming spring. 9 broke mules. These mules were bought right, and will be sold low and on easy terms.

W. D. TAYLOR,
E. M. GAREY.

WANAMAKER'S. | WANAMAKER'S.

Philadelphia, Monday, August 28, 1899.

Three inducements to come to Philadelphia during the week of September 4th to 9th—

INDUCEMENT ONE—

The encampment of the G. A. R. bids fair to be the greatest event of its kind, and as these old defenders are fast being called to bivouac in the great beyond, and as no new members can come in, it is safe to say that no future encampment can have so much of interest.

There will be parades and music and reviews, and one's interest will be divided between Broad street and its sights and magnificent decorations, and the river with its fleet of war vessels.

The illuminations of the city at night will eclipse anything ever attempted.

The store will be in gala attire—a little World's Fair of interest.

INDUCEMENT TWO—

Railroad fares are to be ridiculously low—and as one wants to come to the city once in awhile just for a change, it is best chance now.

INDUCEMENT THREE—

We sell many kinds of goods cheapest at this season—because conditions warrant it. These—

Dress Goods in fall colorings—the more staple sorts that we can buy ahead of time, and often very cheap.

Furniture—reminders of the great August stocks. Blankets and Bedding, China, the better sorts of glass-ware and all good sorts of Bric-a-Brac.

House-Furnishing Goods.

Shoes—as we are snugging up stocks to get room for the new lots.

Interested? We shall expect you.

TWELFTH ANNUAL

Blanket and Bedding Sale

has been endorsed as never before

Every good housekeeper wants to be ready in time, hence this timely selling. We plan and gather for months; we assign to the work men who have given the best years of their lives to a thorough and accurate mastery of one particular kind of goods; we see to it that every safe economy is secured.

Yet the endorsement of these trade movements depends on you—comes from you. The volume of sales is the measure of that endorsement, and by that measurement Philadelphia women have acknowledged what we thoroughly well knew, that these are—

the Best Blanket Values we ever gave

and what applies to blankets applies as well to the other articles of bedding included.

Not all blankets are all wool—some shouldn't be—we have studied that out, and offer with full knowledge blankets of three general sorts—all wool; wool held by light, strong cotton warp; and, the cheapest of all warmth-givers, blankets of all cotton. You are told freely and exactly what any blanket is. Sizes are exactly told, too. There isn't an atom of guess-work in the whole sale, but there is VERY DECIDED ECONOMY in buying the winter bed-clothing now.

White Blankets—

SINGLE BED SIZE

$1.50 a pair—The "Hillcrest," nicely finished White Blankets. Size, 56x74 inches; weight, 4 lbs.

$1.75 a pair—The "Chipley," warm, well-made, White Blankets. Size, 60 x80 inches; weight, 4 lbs.

$2.25 a pair—The "Manheim," white wool blankets, good looking. Size, 60 x80 inches; weight, 4 lbs.

$3.25 a pair—The "Physicians' Favorite," pure wool filling on light cotton warp. Size. 60x89 inches; weight, 4½ lbs.

DOUBLE BED SIZE

$1.85 a pair—The "St. Lucie," warm white well finished blankets. Size, 70x 80 inches; weight 5 lbs.

$2.00 a pair—The "Chipley," heavy and large white blankets. Size, 70x80 inches; weight, 5 lbs.

$2.25 a pair—The "Merion," full double bed size white blankets. Size 72x82 inches; weight 5½ lbs.

$2.75 a pair—The "Manheim," large warm white blankets, cotton warp. Size, 70x82 inches; weight, 5 lbs.

$4.00 a pair—The "Physicians' Favorite," pure wool filling on light cotton warp. Size, 72x84 inches; weight, 5½ lbs.

The "Lansdowne" blankets are made for us and you in special sizes and weights, pure wool, both warp and filling.

Size 60x80 inches, weight 4 lbs., $3.50 a pair.
Size 70x82 inches, weight 5 lbs., $3.75 a pair.
Size 74x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., $4.75 a pair.

The "Wynnewood" blankets are made of soft white wool filling on light cotton warp.

Size 60x80 inches, weight 4 lbs., $4.00 a pair.
Size 70x82 inches, weight 5 lbs., $4.50 a pair.
Size 78x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., $4.75 a pair.

The "Lindenhurst" blankets are of a very fine stock and are made in extra large sizes.

Size 78x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., $6.00 a pair.
Size 84x84 inches, weight 7 lbs., $7.50 a pair.

Gray Blankets—

The "Silverton" Gray Blankets are very sightly light silver gray.

Size, 60x80 inches, weight 4½ lbs., $1.75 a pair.
Size, 72x84 inches, weight 5½ lbs., $2.25 a pair.

The "Wayne" Gray Blankets—

Size, 60x78 inches, weight 4 lbs., $2.50 a pair.
Size, 70x80 inches, weight 5 lbs. $3.00 a pair.

The "Lafayette" Gray Blankets.

Size, 60x78 inches, weight 4 lbs., $3.00 a pair.
Size, 70x80 inches, weight 5 lbs., $3.50 a pair.

The "Valley Forge" Gray Blankets—

Size, 60x80 inches, weight 4 lbs., $3.00 a pair.
Size, 70x82 inches, weight 5 lbs., $3.50 a pair.
Size, 74x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., $4.00 a pair.

Scarlet Blankets—

The "Wissahickon" Scarlet Blankets are made of pure wool, both warp and filling, fast colors.

Size, 60x80 inches, weight 4 lbs., $3.50 a pair.
Size, 70x82 inches, weight 5 lbs., $3.75 a pair.
Size, 74x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., $4.75 a pair.

Down Quilts—

We make these ourselves and use only good materials. We have every facility for right work and we know the quilts are good.

$3.75—Covered with fine figured domestic sateen and filled with pure odorless down. Size, 6x6 feet.

$5—These are covered with the very finest American sateen, designs are dainty and beautiful. Size, 6x6 feet.

$8—Pretty figured China silk down quilts, filled with odorless down and interlined. Size, 6x6 feet.

$10.00—Figured and plain colored China Silk Down Quilts, filled with pure odorless down. Interlined. Size, 6x6 feet.

Bed Spreads—

75c—Handsome white Crochet Spreads in Marseilles effects.

$1.00—Marseilles patterns in the usual $1.25 quality Crochet Spreads.

$1.85—Beautiful satin finish Bed Spreads in a variety of patterns.

Bedsteads and Bedding—

On the first-floor Cross Aisle we demonstrate good bed furnishing by having Enameled Iron Bedsteads complete with attractive outfits. These are the Bedsteads—

At $5.00 instead of $7.50—White enameled iron Bedsteads in four sizes—1 1-16-inch pillars; ⅜-inch filling; 2-inch brass vases; fine quality woven wire spring on steel angle sides; easily detachable bunk; detachable casters; finest white enamel.

At $7.50 instead of $12.00—White enameled iron Bedsteads in four sizes; 1 1-16-inch pillars; ⅜-inch filling; ½-inch brass top rail; 2-inch brass vases; fine quality woven wire spring on steel angle sides; detachable bunk; detachable casters; best white enamel.

At $16.00 instead of $24.00—White enameled iron Bedsteads in full size only; 1¼-inch pillars with round top ends; very ornamental filling in brass and iron; fancy brass ornaments; best woven wire spring on steel angle sides; easy detachable bunk; detachable casters; finest white enamel and best construction; a very fine bedstead.

MATTRESSES — Full forty pounds made in one piece or two)—

$18 kind at $15.
$14 kind at $12.
$12 kind at $10.

PILLOWS AND BOLSTERS—Filled with goose feathers, well purified—

Pillows, 20x30 in., 2½ lbs., $1.75 each, with cheaper feathers, $1.25 each. Bolsters cost twice as much as pillows.

JOHN WANAMAKER

Murderkill River and Philadelphia

THE SPLENDID NEW IRON STEAMER

"FREDERICA"

W. F. P. JACOBS, CAPT.

WILL LEAVE FREDERICA, WEBB'S LANDING AND BOWERS' FOR PHILADELPHIA AS FOLLOWS DURING

SEPTEMBER.

		FREDERICA	WEBB'S	BOWERS
Friday,	Sept. 1,	1.00 p.m.	2.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m
Monday,	" 4,	2.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.	4.00 p.m
Wednesday,	" 6,	6.00 a.m.	7.30 a.m.	8.00 a.m
Friday,	" 8,	7.00 a.m.	8.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m
Monday,	" 11,	9.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m
Wednesday,	" 13,	10.00 a.m.	11.30 a.m.	12.00 m.
Friday,	" 15,	11.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	1.00 p.m
Monday,	" 18,	1.00 p.m.	2.30 p.m.	3.00 p.m
Wednesday,	" 20,	6.00 a.m.	7.30 a.m.	8.00 a.m
Friday,	" 22,	7.00 a.m.	8.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m
Monday,	" 25,	9.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m
Wednesday,	" 27,	10.00 a.m.	11.30 a.m.	12.00 m.
Friday,	" 29,	11.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	1.00 p.m

Returning, Steamer will leave Philadelphia from Pier 3, South Wharves, (First pier above Chestnut street) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, as follows:

Sat.,	Sept. 2,	10 a.m.	Sat.,	Sept. 16,	10 a.m
Tues.,	" 5,	12 m.	Tues.,	" 19,	12 m.
Thur.,	" 7,	1 p.m.	Thur.,	" 21,	1 p.m
Sat.,	" 9,	2 p.m.	Sat.,	" 23,	2 p.m
Tues.,	" 12,	7 a.m.	Tues.,	" 26,	7 a.m
Thur.,	" 14,	8 a.m.	Thur.,	" 28,	8 a.m

Saturday, September 30, 10 a. m

Leave Chester 1½ hours after leaving Philadelphia. Boat stops at the Consumers Ice Co's Wharf, Chester, both ways.

A Good Meal for 25 Cents.

Passenger accommodations first-class. Ladies' saloon, gentlemen's saloon, and private staterooms. Heated by steam and lighted by electricity.

Fare to Philadelphia $1. Round-Trip $1.50

All kinds of freight carried at low rates. Quick time and low rates.

Covered deck for horses and all live stock.

Transportation to all near-by towns, for both passengers and freight at reasonable rates.

FREDERICA & PHILA. NAV. CO.,
FREDERICA, DEL.

Vacant Scholarship.

In the Orphans' Court of Caroline county.

Notice is hereby given that applications for a vacant scholarship in Washington College, Chestertown, Md., will be received by the said Court until

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th, 1899.

Applicants should be well advanced in the studies of the eighth and ninth grades of the present public school system, and prepared to enter the Freshman class. Board, tuition and books at the college are provided without cost to the student. A competitive examination will be held at the Academy, in Denton, Md., on the above date, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. All applicants are expected to be present. The following studies will be included in the examination: Algebra, through quadratics; four books of Plane Geometry; two books Cæsar; English Literature, Arithmetic and English Grammar.

By order of the Orphans' Court.

ROBT. J. JUMP,
Register of Wills for Caroline county.

For Rent for 1900.

Blacksmith and wheelwright shops at Wye Mills, Md. New, large shops; one of the best stands for business on the Shore. Apply to

DR. HOWARD R. HOPKINS,
8 26 3 Wye Mills, Md.

For Rent.

Two farms, seventy-five and eighty-five acres. Apply to

9 2 3 G. W. L. SMITH,
Nichols, Caroline county, Md.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS at a session of the General Assembly of Maryland begun and held in the City of Annapolis on the fifth day of January, 1898, a Bill was passed proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding a new section to Article Four thereof, to be known as Section 31 A, which said Bill and Amendment are in the words following to wit:

CHAPTER—193.

AN ACT to amend the Constitution of Maryland by adding a new Section to Article Four.

SECTION. I. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, three-fifths of all the members of both houses concurring, That the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as hereinafter provided the same shall stand as an additional section to Article 4 of said Constitution, to follow section 31 and to be known as Section 31 A.

31 A. In addition to the sum of five hundred dollars, which by the preceding section the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is authorized to pay each of the Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is further authorized to pay to each of said Judges annually a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars; provided that the same or any part thereof, being once granted, shall not be diminished during the continuance of said Judges in office.

SECTION. II. *And be it further enacted*, by the authority aforesaid, that the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election to be held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof, for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words, "For the Constitutional Amendment," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," so that the voter may elect: and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth Article of the Constitution.

Approved April 9th, 1898.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LLOYD LOWNDES, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the provisions of Section one of Article fourteen of the Constitution of the State, do hereby order and direct that a copy of said Bill proposing said Constitutional Amendment be published in at least two newspapers in each county, where so many may be published and where not more than one may be published, then in that newspaper and in three newspapers in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be in the German language, once a week for at least three months preceding the next ensuing general election, (which said general election will be held on Tuesday, the seventh day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine,) at which election the said proposed amendment shall be submitted, in the form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

THE GREAT SEAL OF MARYLAND.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of Maryland.

Done at the City of Annapolis on the 13th day July, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and ninety-nine.

LLOYD LOWNDES,
Governor of Maryland.

By order of the Governor:
GEORGE E. LOWEREE,
Secretary of State.

The Tide Has Turned Making ready for fall; selling out as much of the summer stock as is possible. There are big bargains in the summer goods in every department. There are the styles, qualities and prices you will like in the heavier weights. Fall Overcoats are first needed, we have them as low as $5, $6.50 and $8; we have the finest silk lined Coats, at $20 and $25, but we sell more coats, at $10, $12 and $15, than at all other prices. Fall Overcoats for young men are cut very short and full back, we have the longer cuts and closer fitting coats for conservative dressers. Plenty of Coverts and Whip cords in all prices, Herring Bone Cheviots and Diagonals in all the new weaves and colorings. We can suit you, we will please you and we guarantee to sell you good clothes.

JAS. T. MULLIN & SONS,
Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Sixth and Market, Wilmington

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of

GEORGE J. NEWELL,

late of Caroline county, decease1. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 4th day of April, 1900, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said deceased's estate.

Given under my hand this 29th day of August, 1899.

GOOTEE S. LIDEN,
Executor of George J. Newell, dec'd.

AMERICUS FERTILIZERS

AMERICUS BRAND

We do not propose to tire you with any long dissertation on our Fertilizers.

They always have and always will speak for themselves.

They have always been strictly as represented, and always will be.

They always have been and always will be in the very best mechanical condition.

They have always produced good crops, and always will.

They have always been and always will be a safe and profitable investment for every farmer and producer of crops.

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CHARLES F. SMITH,
GENERAL AGENT.
RIDGELY, MARYLAND.

REDUCTION SALE!

TOO MANY PIQUES, LAWNS, ORGANDIES, WASH DRESS GOODS, CLOTHING, &c, &c.

Come and get our prices before buying. All 5c Lawns go for 3¾c. Best 10c Pique made splendid for waists and dresses, going for 7¾c. 12½c Ginghams for 7¾c. Best 12½c Percales made going for 11c; some cheaper.

Special Prices on all Woolen Dress Goods.

Best line of Black Goods we have ever had, all reduced in price. See our black Storm Serge for 55c, worth 75c. All wool Black Poplin for 65c, etc.

Shirts for 50c. to $1.00.

We positively can give you better goods than we have ever seen before. Silk Shirts and Piques for 50c, in Men's and Boys'. Cuffs, 15c per pair, worth 25c. Waterproof Collars 5c. Don't buy your shirts until you see our line.

Clothing for Men, Boys and Children.

Ask to see our all-wool Suits for $5.00, actually worth $10. Ask to see our blue Serges; positively have sold as many already as any two seasons before. Ask to see our all-wool Boys' Suits for $2.75, worth $5.00. One lot of Boys' all-wool suits, ages 3 to 4 only, for $2.00, actual value, $5.00. Crash Suits for men, boys and children. Come and see us on all these goods. 500 tailor-made Pants for $5.00, etc. Don't buy your clothing until you give us a call.

Carpets and Mattings.

We can give you special bargains in Carpets, Mattings and Oil Cloths. Carpets and Mattings from the cheapest to the finest made. No trouble to show you our goods. It will be to your advantage to call and get the prices we shall make on all Clothing, Wash Goods, etc. It is with you whether you buy or not.

J. C. GODWIN CO,
26 N. Washington Street, Easton, Md

Wood and Coal Wanted.

OFFICE OF SCHOOL BOARD,
Denton, Md., August 1, 1899.

Sealed proposals marked on the outside of envelope "Proposal for Fuel," for enough good, well seasoned wood, which, when added to whatever may now be on the school grounds shall make five cords for each school room, will be received at this office until noon of Tuesday, September 5th. The bidder must state what kind of wood is offered, and the successful bidder must stake and cord the wood on the school grounds not later than October first, the wood to be delivered in four-foot lengths, to be measured by one of the trustees, and when bill for fuel, which must be made out on regular blanks to be furnished by the school board, is rendered, it must bear the endorsement of that trustee who made the measurement.

Bids will also be received at same time for No. 1, Lehigh Valley, white ash stove coal for following schools and quantities, Henderson 4 tons; Greensboro, 16 tons; Denton, 22 tons; Hillsboro 8 tons and Preston 12 tons, and Ridgely 16 tons.

By order,
M. B. STEPHENS, Sec'y.

For Sale.

The desirable residence in the town of Federalsburg occupied by the undersigned will be sold on easy terms. The dwelling has eleven good rooms and five halls. There is a large stable and carriage-house and all necessary outbuildings in excellent repair. The property has a frontage of 100 feet on Main street. Price, $1,300.

For further particulars apply to
MISS ROBERTA H. HOBBS,
9 2 3 Federalsburg, Md.

C. PERCY DUNNING,
CONSTABLE AND COLLECTOR,
DENTON, MARYLAND

5 Per Cent. Discount Allowed on All Taxes Paid in September.

Notice to Taxpayers.

By direction of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1892, entitled 'An Act to add six additional sections to the Code of Public Local Laws, title Caroline county, sub-title County Treasurer," etc., I hereby give notice to the taxpayers of Caroline county that the County Commissioners of Caroline county have made their annual levy upon the taxable property, and that the taxes levied for county and State purposes are due and payable to the undersigned, as treasurer, on September 1.

In pursuance of said Act of Assembly I hereby give notice that for the purpose of receiving the State and county taxes in said county, for the year 1899, I will sit in the principal towns of the several election districts, as follows:

FIRST SITTING.

Hillsboro, Monday, September 4,
American Corner, Wednesday, " 6,
Ridgely, Thursday, " 7,
Henderson, Friday, " 8,
Greensboro, Saturday, " 9,
Federalsburg, Friday, " 15,
Preston, Saturday, " 16,

SECOND SITTING.

Henderson, Friday, September 22,
Greensboro, Saturday, " 23,
Hillsboro, Monday, " 25,
Ridgely, Wednesday, " 27,
American Corner, Thursday, " 28,
Federalsburg, Friday, " 29,
Preston, Saturday, " 30.

☞ HOURS: from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

5 Per Cent. Discount.

As the law provides, a discount of five per cent. will be allowed on all State and county taxes paid during the month of September.

☞ Taxpayers will please take notice that on all tax bills unpaid on January 1, interest will be charged from September 1.

CHAS. H. WHITBY.
Treasurer of Caroline county.

Election Supervisors' Notice.

The Supervisors of Election for Caroline county met at their office in Denton on Tuesday, August 29th, 1899, and appointed the following Judges and Clerks of Election for the present year:

FIRST DISTRICT.
Judges—W. W. Rickards, Democrat.
Clerks—George E. Smith, Democrat.

SECOND DISTRICT.
Judges—M. L. Weaver, Republican; W. T. Downes, Democrat.
Clerks—John S. Mitchell, Republican; Jas. P. Hopkins, Democrat.

THIRD DISTRICT.
Judges—John Stevens, Republican; Ben. H. Johnson, Democrat.
Clerks—Harry B. Mason, Republican; J. Dukes Downes, Democrat.

FOURTH DISTRICT.
Judges—Thos H. Fluharty, Democrat.
Clerks—Joseph H. Trice, Democrat.

FIFTH DISTRICT.
Judges—James B. Forbes, Republican.
Clerks—John A. Smith, Republican.

SIXTH DISTRICT.
Judges—E. L. Melvin, Republican; Ira Williams, Democrat.
Clerks—Paul J. Davis, Republican; Isaac Sparklin, Democrat.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.
Judges—John M. Swing, Republican; John K. Lynch, Democrat.
Clerks—Geo. H. Imler, Republican; W. Preston Day, Democrat.

EIGHTH DISTRICT.
Judges—Chas. W. Edgell, Republican; Bayard Nichols, Democrat.
Clerks—J. Willard Johnson, Republican; Gootee S. Liden, Democrat.

Vacancies in the First, Fourth and Fifth Districts will be filled at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, on Tuesday, September 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the above named officers are hereby notified to appear for examination.

By order Board,
W. I. NORRIS,
Sept. 2 2t. Clerk.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro; R. J. Colston, Ridgely; W. E. Brown, Denton, will refund your money if you are not satisfied using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy now in use for bowel complaint and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable. 3m.

Bank Notice.

DENTON NATIONAL BANK,
DENTON, MD., Aug. 26, 1899.

This Bank will be closed on Labor Day, September 4th, it being a legal holiday. All paper maturing on that day, and payable here, may be paid on the following day.

T. C. WEST, Cashier.

Dog Lost.

Strayed away several days ago a Beagle Puppy, white with black spots. Finder will be paid for trouble by returning to owner.

P. W. SULLIVAN,
8 26 2 American Corner, Md.