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Non-Resident Notice.

Laura Gantt and Albert Gantt, Chesley Gantt, Marshall Gantt and Ethel Gantt, by their next friend, Laura Gantt, vs. Robert Stoddard and Catharine H. Stoddard, his wife, Chesley Gantt, Albert Gantt, Marshall Gantt and Ethel Gantt.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, Maryland, in Equity No. 221 N. E.

The object of this suit is to procure a Decree for the sale of a certain tract or parcel of land lying and situated in Chaptico district, in St. Mary's county, Maryland, known as 'FOREST HOME' containing 470 acres, more or less. The Bill states that a certain Laura Gantt, formerly Laura Stoddard, is seized and possessed of a life estate with remainder in fee in her children, in the above described real estate, and that she is willing that the same shall be sold in its entirety, and except in lieu of her life tenancy the income from the net proceeds of the said property, during her life, or such part thereof absolutely to which she may be entitled, and as the Court may direct; that Chesley Gantt, Albert Gantt, Marshall Gantt and Ethel Gantt, all of whom are infants under the age of twenty-one years, (being all the children of said Laura Gantt now living by her present husband, J. Gibson Gantt, and Robert Stoddard (being the only child of said Laura Gantt now living by her former husband, John T. Stoddard), are seized as tenants in common of the remainder in the tract of land after the aforesaid life estate of Laura Gantt, each being entitled to an undivided one-fifth interest therein; that the said real estate is not susceptible of advantageous partition, and cannot be divided without loss or injury to the parties thereto; that the said Robert Stoddard and Catharine H. Stoddard, his wife, are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

It is thereupon this 25th day of August in the year 1904, ordered by the said Court, that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in St. Mary's county, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1904, giving notice to said absent or non-resident defendants of the object and substance of the Bill of Complaint filed in this case, warning them to appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 27th day of September, 1904, to show cause, if any they have, why a Decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

WYCH B. ABRELL, Clerk. True copy—Test: WYCH B. ABRELL, Clerk. Aug. 11, 1904—54.

Notice to Creditors.

Orphans' Court of Saint Mary's county, set July 12, 1904.

Ordered by the Court, that Francis V. King, Executor of JAMES H. HOPKINS, of St. Mary's county, Md., deceased, give the notice required by law to the creditors to file their claims and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon.

NOTICE. In pursuance of the above order, I hereby give notice that I have obtained from the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of James Cooper, late of St. Mary's county, Maryland, deceased, and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon.

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Ordered by the Court, that Ann R. Adams, Administratrix of Henry Adams, late of St. Mary's county, Maryland, deceased, give the notice required by law to the creditors to file their claims and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon.

NOTICE. In pursuance of the above order, I hereby give notice that I have obtained from the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Henry Adams, late of said county, deceased, and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon.

Real Estate For Sale.

The following described farms and timber lands, situated on the St. Mary's River, St. Mary's county, Md., formerly the property of the late Dr. John M. Brome, are offered for sale on reasonable terms:

- SNOW HILL, 300 acres. YELLOW BANK, 260 acres. EAST ST. MARY'S, 236 acres. ST. MARY'S MANOR, or any part thereof, 1717 acres. WHEATLEY'S, 100 acres. LEIGH or NORRIS, 200 acres.

These lands are admirably located on the St. Mary's River, close to shipping points, 1500 acres are first-class timber land.

The timber on the above-described lands is reserved and will be sold separate.

For further information, address, J. WILSON HUMBIRD, Cumberland, Md. Aug 27—14

Sleepy Hollow!

11 bars washing soap, 25c; granulated sugar, 10c per lb; Florida powder, 4c per bottle; bread soda 10c per lb; ginger snaps, 5c per lb. Levelling coffee, 10c per lb. LADIES' SHOES from 50c up. MEN'S SHOES from 75c up. CALICOES and GINGHAMS from 4c per yd up. MEN'S SUITS from \$1.50 up. BOYS' SUITS from 75c up.

For these bargains come to S. MILLISON, SLEEPY HOLLOW, Leonardtown, Md. JOHN C. DOYLE, LEONARDTOWN, MD. HOUSE PAINTER AND DECORATOR. Estimates furnished. Let us bid on your work. JOHN DOYLE, Leonardtown, Md. Address April—317

St. John's Festival.

The dinner and tournament at St. John's on Wednesday, Aug. 10th, was an unprecedented success, notwithstanding the rainy weather in the early morning and the lowering clouds throughout the day. The immense outpouring of the patrons of the Festival gave evidence of a hearty good will. The ladies and gentlemen in charge of the Festival labored with heroic zeal. The tournament yielded \$56, which beats the record. Eleven knights contended for the honors, and of these the most successful were: Oswald Payne, Knight of Newmarket; and Miss Ella Johnson Queen. Polham Ward, Knight of Mechanicville, came second. He rode for Donald Hurry, who crowned Miss Agnes Raley 1st Maid. James R. Drury, Knight of Aurierville, took the 3rd prize, and crowned Miss — 2nd Maid. Claude Guy, Knight of St. Clement's, was 4th, and crowned Miss Marie VanRieswick 3rd Maid. Wm. V. Waters made a gallant Marshal and was ably assisted by Claude Thompson. The Lady Heralds, excellent equestriennes, were Misses Beatrice Wible, Elizabeth Hebb and Lillie Wathen, with Wm. Mattingly as escort. Derby A. Lynch made a spirited charge to the knights and Charles S. Jarboe gave a masterly coronation address. Gross receipts, \$462.02; expenses, \$105.00; net result, \$357.02.

Maddox Items.

(Correspondence of the Beacon.) Last Wednesday, August 10, Miss A. Pinkney Hayden, daughter of Mrs. Oscar Hayden, and Mr. Forest Shekell, of Washington, were married at Christ Church, Chaptico. The Rev. W. R. B. Turner officiated. We wish the young couple much happiness.

Miss Carpenter, of Charles county, is the guest of the Misses Lyon. Mr. Wm. Nelson is the guest of the Misses Hayden, of Willow Glen.

A jolly crowd of our neighborhood went to River Springs last Monday to one of the many dances that are given during the summer.

We were pleased to see Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Gough in our neighborhood last week.

Mr. W. W. Blakistone, one of our popular young men, has been slightly under the weather for the past week, but is now recovering. He says "sporting does not agree with him."

Mrs. Geo. Thomas, of Ellicott city, has, we are sorry to say, returned to her home, after a visit of about two weeks at her brother's, Mr. Truman H. Thomas, of Brambley.

Dr. Hammett, of Washington, has just returned from a very short visit to his mother, Mrs. Julia Hammett, of Locust Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Slye are on a visit to Mrs. Geo. S. Slye. AIR.

Baseball at Chaptico.

(Correspondence of the Beacon.) A very interesting and exciting game of ball was played at Chaptico on Friday, August 16th, between the local boys and the Clements team for the benefit of Christ Church, Chaptico, the home team winning by a score of 19 to 8. There was much good playing on both sides, but the principal features were battery work of Walter and Elliot Dent, the batting of R. Gough and Reaney and catches by Reaney and Reeder, which bordered on the sensational.

Bailey, of Clements, also made a beautiful running catch of a line fly to left field. As the game was so interesting it is to be hoped that these two teams will play again in the near future.

Chaptico—P. G. Gough, 2nd B; B. R. Gough, 3rd Base; W. Dent, C; A. Reaney, S. S; W. Reeder, C; F. S. Lyon, 1st B; E. Dent, P; 3rd B; G. P. Gough, R. F; T. Parsons, L. F.

Clements—S. Mattingly, P. and 2nd B; S. Dent, 1st B; G. Herbert, S. S; G. Stone, C and P; G. Herbert, 2nd B. and C; J. Parsons, 3rd B; A. J. Anson, C. F; H. Bailey, L. F; H. Burroughs, 3rd B.

De Witt is the Name. When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name De Witt on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel is used in making DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, boils, eczema, and piles. The popularity of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. Sold by Loker & de Waal, Leonardtown.

A Summer Cold. A summer cold is not only annoying but if not relieved Pneumonia will be the probable result by Fall. One minute Cough Cure clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation, heals, soothes and strengthens the lungs and bronchial tubes. One minute Cough Cure is an ideal remedy for the children. It is pleasant to the taste and perfectly harmless. A certain cure for Croup, Cough and Cold. Sold by Loker & de Waal, Leonardtown.

CHEERS FOR DAVIS.

Hundreds Of Democrats Help Notify Candidate For Vice-President.

Baltimore Sun.

In the presence of more than 1,500 persons the principal figure in an inspiring scene, Hon. Henry Gasaway Davis, of West Virginia, was formally notified Wednesday, Aug. 17th, of his nomination as the Democratic candidate for Vice-President. The feature of the occasion was the speech of Congressman John Sharp Williams, who as chairman of the notification committee delivered the principal address.

Mr. Williams' utterance aroused the crowd to a high pitch of enthusiasm, and at the end an enthusiastic demonstration was given him. His vigorous arraignment of the Republican party and its policy, together with the wealth of sarcasm with which he discussed "Our Little Father in the White House," caught the gathering in a moment, and men and women vied with each in showing their pleasure and approval.

The speech of response accepting the nomination, made by Mr. Davis, was short and informal, Mr. Davis' intention being to more fully discuss issues and policies in his letter of acceptance.

Ideal Spot For Ceremony.

The ceremonies were held on the lawn south of Greenbrier hotel and just at the foot of the mountain. The spot was ideal. The people gathered about the decorated stand in a compact mass. When he appeared Mr. Davis was cheered to the echo and beamed upon the crowd with unmistakable pleasure.

When he made his appearance on the hotel veranda Mr. Davis was greeted with applause by the hundreds of guests assembled, and the handclapping followed him wherever he went.

Mr. Davis' own speech he read from typewritten manuscript, after making a few introductory remarks, in which he praised Mr. Williams, of Virginia, who was also on the platform. He complimented the ladies who composed a large part of the crowd, and frankly asked them to aid in the election of Parker and Davis.

A pretty incident occurred at the conclusion of the ceremonies, when a delegation of 17 ladies from Atlanta, Ga., headed by Mrs. W. L. Peal, all bearing the Georgia State flag, came forward to congratulate the candidate.

Sentences From Davis' Speech.

The most sacred right of property is the right to possess and own one's self and the labor of one's own hands, capital itself being but stored-up labor. For years I worked in the ranks as a wage-earner, and I know what it is to earn my living in the sweat of my brow. I have always believed, and my convictions come from the hard school of experience, that, measured by the character of work he does and the cost of living, a man is entitled to full compensation for his services.

My experience as a wage-earner and my association with labor have alike taught me the value of Democratic principles, for in them the humblest has the strongest security for individual right and the highest stimulus to that independence of spirit and love of self help which produce the finest private characters and form the base of the best possible government.

The apprehension which now prevails in business circles and the present unsatisfactory industrial conditions of the country seem to demand a political change.

With the convention and its nominee for President, I regard the present monetary standard of value as irrevocably fixed.

I beg my countrymen, as they value their liberty, to guard with great care the sacred right of local self-government and to watch with a jealous eye the tendency of the times to centralize power in the hands of the few.

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A PORCH DINING ROOM.

Have one by all means, if it does not add to the housework beyond the patience and strength of the home maker. If one cannot go away for a long summer's vacation there is nothing contributes so widely to summer health and enjoyment as meals out of doors.

In fact living out of doors is becoming more and more an American custom. You see porch sitting rooms and porch dining-rooms fitted up for constant practical use in every village and farm region all over the country. Even city people who have to stay in town are converting their back yards into gardens with summerhouses, and are having built back verandas or hanging porches, where eating, sewing and loafing are possible out of the house.

But almost every country woman has the advantage of a porch ready to hand and often at the side of the house near the real dining-room and kitchen. Here very few extra steps are necessary to spread a table and serve the meals out of doors.

And the fitting up and keeping in order of such a place is not really much trouble if one starts out determined to work for comfort and convenience, not for showy effects. If there are vines about the porch, seclusion is secured in the most natural and artistic way; if not, then a curtain of some sort is necessary, a strip of blue and white, a yellow and white Japanese print if brightness is desired, or dull green, terra cotta or dark blue denim, if dark homes are preferred, or burlap in any shade. This should be hung on a slight brass rod or a stout metal cord. Or matting can be hung as a shade.

A rug need be no more than a single strip of ingrain filling in color to match the curtain, this filling is light and can be easily rolled up at night.

Any old table will do, stained ebony or forest green or weathered oak, and some old chairs from the attic can be stained to match, and then a hammock, if the porch is large enough, and a low table that will serve as a buffet at luncheon time and hold the mending basket between meal times.

If a pleasant color scheme is worked out, say, blue and white or yellow and brown, or dull green, or peacock green and blue, a living and eating porch can be made, with just a few dollars expense, the most charming place in the whole house and most healthful and cheerful. Children will forget that "it is hot enough to be cross," and think luncheon out doors some kind of lovely play, and men who have spent a wretched scorching day in stuffy stores and offices will find themselves suddenly rested and good natured, dining out of doors.

Of course there must be a few extra steps, but the compensations are so great, great even to the homemaker herself. And the children can be taught to think it just fun to help with the work, which is a bit like picnicking.

And a great deal of clean housework can be done out on that porch. Vegetables can be prepared out in the cool breeze, and all the sewing can be done and the baby can have his naps there, and there will be less sweeping to be done and less cleaning of all sorts in doors.

The cleaning of the porch itself can be reduced to a few minutes each morning. After breakfast, when the men have gone for the day and the children are playing, it can be mopped up with warm borax water. If a mop is used with a wringer on the side of the pail, the work can be done in ten or fifteen minutes without wetting the hands. Then a feather duster can be used for the dust will all blow away. And this sort of exercise out doors is really beneficial instead of injurious. If a woman stands to work so that her spine is straight and her chest high a moderate amount of ordinary housework is the best sort of exercise, particularly when it can be accomplished out of doors.

Once a week it is a good plan to give the porch a pretty thorough cleaning, wiping the chairs and woodwork with borax water, and the curtains, if they have become soiled can be dipped in warm borax water and cleaned without rubbing. If, however, a matting curtain is used it will last a season fresh without being taken down. It will cost a little more at the start and be no more trouble all summer.

Once a porch is made attractive and practically comfortable, it is as-

tonishing how much time even a busy woman will find to spend there. She will do all her visiting there, and will rest there after work instead of in a warm bed-room, and work will seem less difficult. She will wear prettier frocks for she will be often seen, and nothing is so thoroughly good for a woman's nerves and disposition as to know that she is looking daintily attractive at all hours of the day every day of her life.

There is a beauty of harmony and a beauty of contentment, and the woman who wears daintily becoming frocks, however cheap, about her daily tasks, has all of this beauty at her command.

NURSERY INSPECTION.

As the season is at hand when the officers of the State Horticultural Department conduct the annual inspection of nurseries in the State as required by laws of Maryland 1898, Chapter 289, we wish to announce to the public that it is necessary for everyone who wishes to sell either trees, vines, shrubs, plants, etc., in this or any other state to have their premises inspected by the State Entomologist and the State Pathologist, and secure a certificate from the above mentioned officers, if the inspection is satisfactory, certifying that said inspected stock is apparently free from injurious insects and plant diseases. Such certificates should be attached to every consignment of either trees, vines, shrubs, plants, etc., in order that the consignee may not violate the before mentioned law.

The inspection of nurseries is of great importance both to the nurserymen and the growers; to the former, in that a rigid inspection of his stock will reveal any injurious pests which may have recently commenced their ravages, thereby giving him an opportunity to control the same before their depredations are serious. Further, having the stock inspected by specialists enables him to give a greater assurance to the public that his stock is clean and healthy. The official certificate given to the nurserymen in this state protects them from competitors who grow inferior stock and moreover allows them to ship their stock into other states without it being confiscated by the officers of the respective states.

To the grower, the attached certificate accompanying every consignment of nursery stock assures that the stock has been duly inspected and is apparently free from any injurious pests. As there are so many pests that attack nursery stock, which the ordinary grower would not detect until after the planted stock commenced to lose vitality or dies, the result being a loss of money and time, the inspection of nurseries is in many ways a great benefit to the prospective grower.

Those wishing to sell trees, vines, shrubs, plants, etc., should at once notify the officers of the State Horticultural Department, College Park, Md., and the inspection will be made at the proper time, at the expense of the State Horticultural Department.

THOMAS B. SYMONS, State Entomologist. J. B. S. NORTON, State Pathologist.

A Sweet Breath

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He Could Tell.

The Kansas City Star tells the story of a Missouri man who declared he could tell a Democrat or a Republican by looking at him. He picked out a Democrat and was asked to show a Republican. He hesitated, but walked up to a man and said: "You are a Republican." "You're a liar, instantly retorted the man. "I've been sick; that's what makes me look like this."—Rochester Herald.

Get Your Money's Worth.

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