Staunton Spectator.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1882.

Democratic Congressional Convention.

The convention to nominate a Democratic candidate to represent this District in Congress will meet in this city to-day. It will be composed of intelligent and patriotic delegates from the counties composing the district, whose aim it will be to nominate a candidate who possesses not only the proper qualifications to represent this district faithfully and creditably, but who also possesses the popular strength requisite to ensure success. This district is now outrageously misrepresented by Hon. John Paul who was elected as a Democrat, but who is practically, if not professedly, a Stalwart Republican of the worst type. He has deceived the Democrats who voted for him, and wilfilst he occupies the position of representing a district that is Democratic by thousands, he votes uniformly with the most extreme Republicans, in violation of the wishes and interests of a large majority of his constituents.

We hope that a proper spirit will govern the action of the members of the convention, and that they will not suffer merely personal considerations or prejudices to influence them in making the nomination, but that each member will look solely to the qualifications and popular strength of the candidates in making his choice of the several very worthy gentlemen whose claims will be presented. We hope that whoever may be nominated, will receive the cordial and active support of every Democrat in the district. He will have a great labor to perform, for he will have a formidable competitor, and will need, and should receive, the unhesitating support of every Democrat, whatever his opinions upon mere State questions may be.—This is a time when no Democrat is excusable for failing to vote for the nominee of the Democratic Convention. Whether we get our choice or not,—and, of course, all cannot get their choice,—it is our duty to support the nominee with as much zeal as if he were our first choice; for we do not vote for the man personally, but for the principles and policy he represents. It is the duty of convention to make the best possible nomination, and it is the duty of every Democrat, who is opposed to Stalwart Republicanism, to vote for the nominee, whether he be his personal choice or not.

We hope that the convention will place the Democratic standard in the hands of a candidate who will bear it proudly through the canvass, and that, on the day of election, victory will perch upon it, and that our district will be "redeemed, regenerated and disenthralled" from the bondage of the Stalwart Republicanism and "Bossism" represented by Hon. John Paul, who, in such representation, most outrageously misrepresents the sentiments and contravenes the interests of the majority of his constituents.

STRAIGHTOUT REPUBLICAN NOMINATION IN THE SIXTH DISTRICT.—A straightout convention to nominate a candidate for Congress in the sixth district, now represented by Hon. J. Ran Tucker, was held in Lynchburg last Wednesday when Col. D. J. Woodfin, of Buckingham, was nominated by acclamation.

A letter from Rev. J. M. Dawson, the Straightout Republican for Congressman at large, was read, from which we extract the following significant paragraph:—

"You and all our Republican friends may rest assured that neither Senator Mahone nor any other Readjuster can bribe me to sell out the old party that gave us everything under the sun that is near and dear to us. I am only sorry that those who claimed to be wise, gave him an opportunity to split and disorganize our party at a time when we ought to have done that work for his (Mahone's) party."

Rev. J. M. Dawson is in for the race, and relies upon his race to vote for him. If they unite upon him, his chances for election are good, if John S. Wise succeeds in dividing the white vote. A vote for Wise is a vote thrown away. The contest will be between Massey and Dawson if the negroes vote for Dawson.

SUPREME COURT JUDGE FOR WEST VIRGINIA.—On the 3rd inst., a State Democratic Convention for West Virginia, will meet at Clarksburg, W. Va., to nominate a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of that State. We have no doubt that A. C. Snyder, of Lewisburg, W. Va., will be nominated, for he possesses in an eminent degree the requisite qualifications—sound legal learning and incorruptible integrity. West Virginia would be fortunate if her whole court consisted of members who possessed the legal qualifications and moral qualities of Judge A. C. Snyder, who is now filling, by appointment, an unexpired term. This distinguished citizen of West Virginia is a native of Highland county of this State, and that little gallant and patriotic county has cause to be proud of her distinguished son. We hope and believe that Judge A. C. Snyder will be nominated and elected as Judge of the Supreme Court of W. Va.

REPUBLICANS ENDORSE PAUL AND WISE.—The last *Valley Virginian* publishes the proceedings of a meeting of Republicans held in Charlottesville on the 7th inst., at which resolutions were adopted endorsing John Paul and John S. Wise. We mention this that Democratic-Readjusters may consider it. It seems that John Paul and John S. Wise are good enough Republicans to suit the members of that party. How can any Democrat vote for either of them?

That you may be qualified to vote, be sure to pay your poll-tax of 1881. Don't neglect this important duty, and don't fail to vote for Massey, and the nominee of the Staunton Democratic Congressional Convention. These duties it is incumbent upon you to perform.

Mr. C. B. Beck, the telegraph operator at Berryville, was sitting at his instrument during a thunder-storm the other day. Lightning entered the office over the wife and so severely shocked him that he remained lifeless for three hours.

The increase of the revenue of the Chesapeake and Ohio for the first three weeks of July, is put down at $63,574. The Virginia Midland increase is said to be about 40 per cent. over this season of last year.

Congress has adjourned, and the Republican journals of the North are unhappy about the record it has made.—It was confidently expected at the beginning of the session, says the Lynchburg *Virginian*, that Congress would inaugurate measures looking to a material reduction of taxes. With a revenue of $450,000,000,—according to Mr. Kelly's calculation,—to be wrung from the people of the United States this year in the form of taxes, and with the demands of the Government, on the most lavish scale of expenditures, not likely to exceed $270,000, who will not see that the Republican Congress has failed to afford the relief that it was in their power to grant? It only remains for the people, now that Congressmen are soon to be elected, to see to it that they vote for no man who does not pledge himself to favor a reduction of taxes in every shape and form; that the people may be relieved and at the same time, there may be a smaller surplus in the treasury, to be used as a corruption fund. Let us strike for the abrogation of the whole internal revenue system, with its odious rabble of spies, informers and placemen. It was a war system, that has no place among us in time of peace, and ought not to be in operation now, seventeen years after the war closed, and while the country is enjoying prosperity. We believe that the vote of the people may be cast this year in such manner as to force Congress at its next session to fix the limit, at an early day, beyond which the internal revenue system shall not be continued. Let it die as it ought to die; and with it the whole constabulary force of rough riders who are hunting down our people in the agricultural districts, and subjecting them to personal annoyance, and their property to confiscation, for disposing of their corn and tobacco as they should have a full right to do, in time of peace. Away with this whole system of spies, informers, and its army of retainers that eat out the sustenance of the people! The country is getting ripe for this change; and even now the axe is laid at the root of the tree, and the revenue officials will have to stand from under.

NOMINATION OF HON. J. AMBLER SMITH.—Hon. J. Ambler Smith, Republican, son-in-law of Hon. John F. Lewis, has been nominated by the Coalitionists as their candidate for Congress in the Richmond District. He will be beaten by Hon. Geo. D. Wise, who will be the Democratic candidate for re-election. It is time for all Democratic Readjusters to withdraw from the Coalitionist party, unless they wish to be recognized as Republicans. The *State* says that Hon. J. Ambler Smitn is not properly eligible as a citizen of this State, having been, for some time, a citizen of Washington City. The *State* says:

"For, though Mr. Smith is a Virginian by birth, and may claim citizenship in Virginia, still for several years he has been to all intents and purposes a non-resident of this State. Try as he may, Mr. Smith cannot persuade the people that Virginia, and not the District of Columbia, is his home, and that he is anything else than a new comer come for office. He should have returned sooner to this State and settled among us. It is too late for him to swap his carpet-bag for a clothes-press."

ANOTHER BIG CAVE.—The Wheeling *Intelligencer* reports that Ed. H. Dick and G. A. Benter, of that city, while on a recent visit in the vicinity of Harper's Ferry, discovered the entrance of a cave the existence of which had been known before but which had never been explored. It was on the farm of Rudolph Rau, back of Harper's Ferry, and within a short distance of the Baltimore and Ohio track, on a prominence known as Prospect Hill. Messrs. Dick and Benter, in company with two of Mr. Rau's sons, explored the cave, and report that it fairly equals if it does not surpass either the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky or that of Luray. That there are many caves of extent and beauty in this Valley that are yet undiscovered we have no doubt. In all limestone countries there are cavés, particularly where the strata have been turned up as in this Valley. That the caves that have been discovered are few in comparison with those that exist we have no doubt.

Victoria Furnace Company—English capitalists—Rockbridge county, are constructing houses for 1,500 workmen. They have completed a chimney 215 feet high. A branch railway connects the furnace with the Chesapeake and Ohio at Goshen, eleven miles distant.

Judge Turner, of Clarke county, has decided, that the Shenandoah Valley Railroad Company is not exempted from county taxation. The sum immediately involved is $1,000.

Col. James H. Skinner.

The Staunton SPECTATOR, in its issue before the last, mentions the names of several prominent gentlemen who are likely to be before the Democratic Congressional Convention which meets in that city on the 15th for nomination, among whom is Col. James H. Skinner. It is a gratification to all Democrats, and especially those situated as we are almost within the sound of the political guns of that District, to know that the Democratic banner, when unfurled, will have a strong arm to bear it aloft. Of Col. Skinner even his enemieb do say, "Ah, Sir Lancelot, * * * thou wert the courtliest knight that ever bore shield; * * * and thou wert the sternest knight to thy mortal foe that ever put spear in rest." For those who have opposed him have found to their sorrow that they encountered a man as bold as a lion—ready at all times with the strongest arguments in favor of his cause, as well as most scathing and powerful in his denunciations of anarchy and maladministration. His speeches in the last campaign were pronounced among the most forcible on his side of the question. And now, that the issue has broadened from State to National magnitude, in similar proportion do we believe Col. Skinner could make himself felt. Should it be the pleasure of the Convention to nominate and the people to elect him, it would be, as it were, a return to those halcyon days when honest men were entrusted with office, and demonstrate afresh that public servants could be of other material than that which had worn out and failed at every other calling. Above all, would it be a blow in the face of the Readjusted Republican Radicalism now sought to be foisted on the country. Our tribute to that talented gentleman is prompted only by that kindly feeling which draws us near to those we cannot help but admire, and is not meant to detract from other gentlemen referred to in the same connection.—*Greenbrier (W. Va.) Independent.*

We have yet to be convinced of the fact that the Democracy of this district are willing to kiss the rod of Radicalism, proscription and hate which has been held over them by the Republican party since Lee surrendered at Appomattox, simply because Mr. Mahone and Mr. Paul bid them do so in following their example.—*Rockingham Register.*

Excitement at Franklin Court-house.

AN ASSAULT UPON MASSEY.

A Lynchburg correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun*, under date of the 8th inst., says:

"The campaign speech of Mr. John E. Massey at Franklin Court-house yesterday was attended by some disorderly and disgraceful scenes. It became apparent at an early hour that the Mahone party were determined to interrupt. Col. Waddell James, a Mahone member of the Legislature, had been circulating reports that Massey when a candidate for the United States Senate had tried to buy his vote. Without mentioning James's name, Massey denounced these reports as false and slanderous. James asked if he was referred to, Massey replied that the authority for the report was the man he referred to, whoever he was. James then said he was the author of the report. "The report is a lie," said Massey. James said he would swear to it. "Then you would swear to a lie," said Massey. There was great confusion, and Col. James, attended by County Judge Clayborne, attempted to speak from the stand Massey occupied, interrupting the latter. The crowd took Massey up in their arms and carried him into the court-house, but as it would not hold one-tenth of the immense crowd present, he was again taken up and carried to the portico of the Early House, where he delivered a tremendous invective against the Mahoneites.

This morning Col. James, attended by Judge Claiborne, made an attack on Massey at the depot, which led to another disorderly scene, in which James was rather roughly handled. Massey was arrested on a charge of assault, and he would have been prevented from keeping his next appointment had not the passengers on the train all voted it should wait till after Massey was heard. The train waited. The Mayor acquitted Massey and fined James $20. The citizens cheered Massey, and he made a speech from the car platform."

A correspondent of the Lynchburg *Advance*, writing from Franklin Court-house, (Rocky Mount,) says:

"At our depot this morning, (August 8th,) James made one of the most malicious attacks on Mr. Massey known to our people, but he certainly must not have known his man or the crowd. He struck Mr. Massey on the side of his head, and a bystander returned the blow, with a stick, on the side of James's head that brought blood freely. At one time the fight had the appearance of a general row, but quiet was soon restored. Both parties were arrested and taken to the depot, where the Mayor opened his court. Witnesses were examined, and Mr. Massey honorably acquitted. James was fined $20.

Mr. Massey then boarded the train amidst deafening cheers. When he reached the platform of the cars, he returned thanks to the citizens of Franklin for their kindness in his behalf, and the only thing that could be heard from the large crowd was, "Hurrah for Massey."

Every attempt that Mahone's strikers made at Massey in Franklin has weakened their cause and made hosts of friends for the Parson.

When the parties were arrested the passengers on the train got out and declared their purpose of remaining until the matter was disposed of. The Mayor was sent for, with the result above stated."

If all the Republicans in Virginia feel as those who come to this city talk, Capt. Wise will have but a small vote at next fall's election, for almost without exception those who have been here are sick and tired of the coalition, say their party has been badly treated and either say that they have no interest in the next election or else that they intend to let the Administration see that they are freemen and will not allow themselves to be traded off like so many cattle to gratify the selfish ambition of a man who until recently was their most ultra and proscriptive political opponent.—*Wash. Cor. Alex. Gazette.*

Mr. George D. Wise, who represents the Richmond district in the U. S. House of Representatives, says that but for the votes of the white and black Republicans Mr. Paul voted to seat, in the place of the Democrats he voted to oust, Mr. Randall's proposition to abolish the whole internal revenue system, which was only defeated by one vote, would have been adopted, and thus not only an onerous and unnecessary tax, but the thousands of lucrative offices in the internal revenue service, been swept away. This is one of the many instances of the baleful effects of Mahoneism.—*Alexandria Gazette.*

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States.—Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle. jan3-ly

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aug15-3t Staunton, Va.

Churchman's Executor vs. Fulton's Adm'r, &c.—In pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Augusta county, entered April 5, 1880, in this cause, I shall proceed at my office, in the city of Staunton, on *Friday, September* 15, 1882, to take, state, and settle an account, showing 1st, How much is still due from Alex. G. Fulton on his purchase of land from N. K. Trout, Trustee, and 2nd, The balance due to the estate of John Churchman on the debt secured in the trust deed from John G. Fulton to N. K. Trout, trustee, after applying all payments made thereon since the last report. JOS. A. WADDELL,
aug15-4t Commissioner.

LOST.—About the 11th of June last I lost A PACKAGE OF PAPERS from my side pocket in this county. I had them at New Hope, on the 8th; came to my home that day, remained one day, the 9th; went to Staunton, by the Augusta Springs, on the 10th. The next day, the 11th, to McDowell, in Highland county, by the way of Churchville; missed the papers at McDowell; have not heard of them since. They consist of a book containing stamped checks on the Augusta National Bank, also a package of papers—some relating to the office of the late Marshal of this District. No paper could be of use to any one except a note or two for small amounts on persons, made payable to me. There are quite a number of valuable receipts and some letters; they were held together in one package by a gum band, half-inch wide. My name is on almost every paper, and no one could have any doubt as to whose they are. I will

Reward the Finder Liberally

if they be returned to me or left at the Augusta National Bank or either of the Clerk's Offices of our County, or will inform me by letter where to come for them. R. TURK,
aul5-4t Mossy Creek, Augusta Co., Va.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUGUSTA NATIONAL BANK STOCK FOR SALE.

On Monday, the 28th day of August, 1882, (court day), I will, in front of the Court-house, at Staunton, sell publicly, SIXTEEN (16) SHARES OF STOCK of the Augusta National Bank of Staunton, FOR CASH.
WM. T. RUSH,
aug15-2t Adm'r of Richard Summerson.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—In pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Augusta Co., entered on the 3rd of November, 1881, in the cause of Stewart, &c., vs. Grant, &c., the undersigned will offer for sale, in front of the Court-house in Staunton, on—

Saturday, the 9th day of September, 1882,

the HOUSE and LOT situated on the East side of the Greenville road, in said county, adjoining C. Collins, it being the same property upon which Robert Stewart, dec'd, resided in his lifetime; two small lots which have been sold privately. Said lot has on it a comfortable new Frame Dwelling and out-houses, and good fruit trees in bearing. It will be offered as a whole or in parcels, to suit purchasers, or as the Commissioner may deem best.

TERMS:—One-fourth cash, and the residue upon a credit of one, two, and three years—the purchaser executing bonds for said residue, bearing interest from day of sale, with approved personal security, and title retained as ultimate security. J. E. GUY,
aug15-4t Commissioner.

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY IN THE MARKET.—Having sold all of the real estate of the late Philip O. Polmer, except what is known as the mill property, we will,

on Thursday, the 7th day of September, 1882,

at 11 o'clock, on the premises, proceed to sell the said MILL PROPERTY, consisting of **24 acres of land,** with all of the Water Power, the large Merchant Mill, Work Shop, Foundry, Saw Mill, Brick Mansion House, Miller's House, with all other out-houses; also **9 acres of land,** lying between the road and the Run. We call special attention to this property.

TERMS:—So much as will pay costs of advertising and costs of sale will be required in cash,—the balance on a credit of one, two, and three years,—the purchaser executing bonds with approved personal security, bearing interest from day of sale, with the retention of title until all the purchase money is paid.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL FAIR OF THE Shen. Valley Agricultural Society

will be held at Winchester, Va.,

October 10th, 11th, 12th, and 13th, 1882.

Many special features of particular interest to the people of the Valley will be presented. Large premiums in every department. Attractive Trials of Speed. Competitive Military Drill by Companies of 2nd Virginia Regiment.

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Specially large display of Saddle Horses in competition for valuable $100 Silver Cup and money premium. ☞ Every arrangement has been made for the comfort and entertainment of visitors. ☞ For premium lists, etc., address the Secretary at Winchester.

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H. G. HOLLIS, Secretary. aug15-8t

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The 2nd session of this School conducted by the Misses WAILES in the family of their father, the Rev. B. M. Wailes, will begin on the **15th September,** and end the **15th June.**

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Mr. Jno. L. Wallace, Augusta.
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J. Lewis Dorset, M. D., Powhatan.
James Brown, Albemarle.
Wm. Hanna, Nelson.
Mrs. D. A. Witt, Nelson.

☞ Correspondents address—

REV. B. M. WAILES,
aug15-5t* Lodebar, Nelson County, Va.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VERY VALUABLE REAL ESTATE ON AUGUSTA STREET,

in the City of Staunton.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Augusta county, in the cause of *Wm. S. McChesney's Ors. vs. Wm. S. McChesney's et als.* rendered June 8th, 1882, the undersigned Commissioners will sell, at public auction, in front of the Court-house in Staunton, on—

Saturday, the 16th day of September, 1882,

that VERY VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT, on the West side of Augusta street, in the city of Staunton, at present occupied by the Augusta National Bank in the conduct of its business.

Said property is fully described in a deed from Wm. S. McChesney and wife to Edward Echols, Trustee, bearing date February 8th, 1876, and of record in the Clerk's office of the Hustings Court of Staunton, and in other papers in the above-mentioned cause.

The property will be offered at the upset bid of $5,620.90, made by M. V. D. Bumgardner, at the June term, 1882, of the circuit court of Augusta, and upon the following terms:—Cash in hand sufficient to pay costs of suit and of the former sale, $203.26, and the costs of the re-sale, and the remainder upon a credit of one, two, and three years, from the 20th day of May, 1882, with interest from that date,—the purchaser to give bonds with approved personal security for the deferred instalments, and the title to be withheld as ultimate security.

THOS. C. ELDER,
GEO. M. COCHRAN, JR.,
JAMES BUMGARDNER, JR.,
aug15-tds Commissioners.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of—

BOWLING & EAKLE BROTHERS,

was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st of August, 1882.

All accounts due the firm must be paid without delay to either of the undersigned.

We thank our friends and the public for their liberal patronage, and bespeak for our successors, Messrs. EAKLE & JONES, the same confidence and support so generously extended to us.

Respectfully,
ANDREW BOWLING,
B. F. EAKLE,
aug15-3t E. G. EAKLE.

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NOTICE.—The notes and accounts of the late firm of J. A. and Y. M. BICKLE are now in my hands, and parties indebted will please call within the next thirty days and close up by money or negotiable note, as the business must be closed up speedily.

D. N. BICKLE.

The business will still be continued at the same place by the undersigned.
aug8-3t Y. M. BICKLE.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the Chancery suit of A. D. Campbell vs. John Cleek, Jr., pending in the circuit court of Bath county:—Notice is hereby given to the parties, that I will proceed, at the office of John W. Stephenson, at Bath Court-House, Va., on *Friday, the 1st day of September,* 1882:—1st, To take an account of any debts and outstanding liabilities of the late firm of Campbell & Cleek, what, if any, have been paid, by whom, and out of what funds; 2nd, What collections of the partnership assets, if any, have been made, by whom, and the disposition made of the same, and if any uncollected assets, the nature thereof, and proper distribution thereof among the parties entitled.

Given under my hand this 29th day of July, 1882. C. R. McDANNALD, Com'r.
S. H. Letcher, p. q. aul-4t

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the Chancery suit of A. D. Campbell vs. A. G. Cleek and John Cleek, Jr., in the circuit court of Bath county, Va.:—Notice is hereby given to the parties, that I shall proceed, at the Law office of John W. Stephenson, at Bath Court-House, Va., on *Friday, the 1st day of September,* 1882, to take the following accounts:—First, An account of any debts that were due by the late firm of A. G. Cleek & Co., if any are still outstanding, or if paid, by whom, and out of what funds, and when paid; 2nd. An account of any assets of the said firm, what have been collected, if any, when, by whom, and what disposition has been made of them; and, 3rd, A proper distribution thereof among the parties entitled. Given under my hand this 29th day of July, 1882. C. R. McDANNALD, Com'r.
S. H. Letcher, p. q. aul-4t

VIRGINIA—IN VACATION.—In the Clerk's office Circuit Court of Augusta county, August 7th, 1882:—

Wm. S. Rankin, Administrator of Eliza A. Curry, dec'd, and James W. Curry,.....Plaintiffs,
vs.
John W. Curry, Ida B. Curry, and Maudie Curry, (the last two infants).....Defendants,

In Chancery.

The object of this suit is to settle the accounts of Wm. S. Rankin, Administrator of Eliza A. Curry, dec'd, and have a sale of the real estate of said decedent.

It appearing by affidavit filed that John W. Curry is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the publication of this notice, and do what is necessary to protect his interest.

Teste,—
JOS. N. RYAN, Clerk.
Hudson & Patrick, p. q. aug8-it

VIRGINIA—IN VACATION.—In the Clerk's office, Circuit court of Augusta county, August 4th, 1882:—

J. Frank Clemmer, Administrator of David F. Clemmer, dec'd,.....Plaintiff,
vs.
James R. Grove, A. A. Grubert, and James Bumgardner, Jr., Commissioner and Receiver of the circuit court of Augusta county in the case of Beard vs. Kunkle.....Defendants,

In Chancery on an Attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover of James R. Grove the sum of $2,114.30, with interest thereon from November 4th, 1874, due from said Grove to said Plaintiff, and to attach debts due from A. A. Grubert and James Bumgardner, Jr., Commissioner in case of Beard vs. Kunkle, to James R. Grove, and subject said debts to the payment of the debt due from said Grove to the Plaintiff.

It appearing by affidavit filed the Defendant, James R. Grove, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that he do appear here within one month after due publication of this notice, and do what is necessary to protect his interest.

Teste,—
JOS. N. RYAN, Clerk.
Sheffey & Bumgardner, p. q. aug8-4t

VIRGINIA—IN VACATION.—In the Clerk's office, Circuit court of Augusta county, July 20th, 1882:—

Henry H. Kindig, Guardian.....Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles S. Kindig, Theodore H. Kindig, and Nellie V. Kindig, infants and wards of said Henry H. Kindig and Joshua Robinson, Defendants,

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to effect a sale or ratify a sale already made to said Joshua Robinson, of the interests of said wards in a certain tract of land, containing about 132½ acres, and lying in Augusta county, Va., on Mountain Run, a branch of Back Creek, near South River.

It appearing by affidavit filed, that Charles S. Kindig, Theodore H. Kindig, and Nellie V. Kindig, are non-residents of this State, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after due publication of this notice, and do what is necessary to protect their interests.

Teste,
J. N. RYAN, Clerk
J. E. Guy, p. q. july25-4t

FOREIGN GUARDIAN NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that at the ensuing November term, 1882, of the circuit court of Augusta county, I will apply to said court for an order authorizing the transfer of the interests of my wards, Charles S. Kindig, Theodore H. Kindig, and Nellie V. Kindig, in the proceeds of the sale of a certain tract of land, lying in said county on the waters of Mountain Run, containing about 132½ acres, to me, as guardian of said wards, duly qualified in the county court of Woodford county, in the State of Illinois. HENRY H. KINDIG,
by Counsel.
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