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Local Matters.

Great Union Meeting!

To all who Love their Country, AND GO FOR THE PRESERVATION of the UNION.

A Public Meeting has been called for Tuesday next, the 5th of February, to assemble in Chestertown, of those who are favorable to a Convention, and all others are excluded.

"Convention" now means Secession and Civil War in our own Borders. Therefore all the citizens of Kent County, without regard to party ties, who wish to preserve our Union, and above all to prevent our beloved and truly conservative State from becoming the battle-ground of contending factions, are requested to convene in Chestertown, at the Court House, on

Saturday, the 9th of February,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., to adopt such measures as shall reflect the wishes of the majority of the people of the county. Matters are becoming desperate; it therefore becomes every man who desires peace and the blessings of a free government, to be present. Let the old and the young, who have sustained and honor the Constitutional Flag of the Stars and Stripes, and who are still willing to keep step to the music of the Union, now come out and stand by their Country!

We go for the CONSTITUTION, THE UNION, AND THE LAWS. Resolutions will be presented, and Addresses made.

Jas. B. Ricaud,	Geo. B. Westcott,
Wm. W. Valk,	W. W. Wallis,
Wm. Harris,	J. W. Philips,
Thos. B. Hynson,	Wm. Maxwell,
Charles Stanley,	Geo. N. Hines,
B. F. Houston,	George Vickers,
Chas. H. Wickes,	B. H. Gardner,
W. H. Hamilton,	S. W. Spencer,
J. M. Vickers,	John F. Barnett,
James Arthur,	Chas. H. Davis,
Pere L. Lynch,	C. T. Lusby,
Levi Fiddis,	Joseph Bridener,
E Mansfield,	A. P. Carroll,
John N. Usilton,	T. A. Fiddis,
C. W. Spry,	Jesse K. Hines,
John H. Hersch,	A. M. Russell,
Thomas Baker,	Samuel E. Baker,
R. W. Calder,	A. O. Meara,
Isaac Perkins,	Robert Wilson,
John Lusby,	Edw. Wilkins,
T. D. C. Ruth,	William Conyer,
Asbury Howard,	Daniel Haines,
Wm. Moffett,	S. H. Knock,
D. B. Stewart,	Isaac Parsons,
T. D. Burgess,	V. Burgess,
Josiah Massey,	W. C. Meginiss.

☞ Other names, which we have not room for, will be published in the Handbills.—EDS.

LOTTERIES.

A gentleman, residing in Chestertown, has handed us the following letter, recently received by him:

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 26, 1861.

Dear Sir:—Having heard that the Lottery Business is in bad repute in your State, and desiring to remove all such prejudices, we take the liberty of sending you a splendid Scheme to be drawn on 25th Feb., in which we have selected and laid aside for you a nicely arranged package of 26 Tickets, the cost of which is only $20, and so great is our faith in it, from its success in previous Lotteries, that we promise to send you a Package in one of our extra Schemes for nothing, if the first fails to draw at least $4,000. We make this offer in good faith desiring to sell you a prize, and all we ask of you in return is that on receipt of the money for the Prize, you will exert yourself to increase our business. Send us $10 on any solvent Bank and the package will be forwarded by return mail. The official drawings with a statement of what you have drawn will be sent you immediately after the drawings. The result we are confident will be satisfactory to you. Yours truly, — — —

The same gentleman informs us that he has received a number of similar letters, during the winter, and we are further informed that many letters of a similar character have been sent by mail to many persons in our county. Probably a number of unsuspecting citizens have been deceived by these communications, and have sent their money to these unscrupulous people. The $10 requested is about the price, we presume, of the two packages of tickets—the actual worth, a postage stamp less than nothing! The $4,000 inducement is the greatest humbug imaginable; these letters are legion; how can they promise every purchaser the above sum? They can with as much propriety promise all, as one, because if the Lotteries are honestly drawn, no one can tell who will get a prize, and consequently there can be no truth in indirectly holding out an expectation of drawing a prize. The blanks are very numerous—the prizes few—and the large prizes rare indeed. The whole system is immoral and of a deceptive character. The Constitution and Legislature of Maryland have banished them from the State, and they now seek an asylum in the State of Delaware, from whence they disseminate such epistles as we publish. We caution our readers against being deluded by these Delaware Lottery venders. They might as well, for any advantage to be expected, invest their moneys in building lots in the moon! In the scheme accompanying the letter, there are only twelve prizes over $300, while there are 5,568 of $16, and 28,221 of $8! What chance is there for a prize of $4,000 when there are only two prizes of that amount in the scheme, and only four above that sum? Now imagine the chances—34,412 tickets, and only six prizes of $4,000 and upwards! Wonderful! And yet, these operators can attempt to impose upon the credulous and unsuspecting, by such insidious epistles.

☞ The spurious despatch telegrahed from Washington to St. Louis immediately on the temporary rejection of the Crittenden proposition, and stating that "the Missouri delegation in Congress recommend immediate secession," has called forth the following response from the Hon. JOHN W. NOELL, a Representative from that State:

"I not only am not for immediate secession, but I utterly repudiate the doctrine of secession, and deny that any such right exists under the Constitution. I hope Missouri will be the last State to resort to this extreme revolutionary measure, and I will be one of the last men in the State to give up the Union. If the people, the honest yeomanry of the land, would take the destinies of the country in their own hands, and trample under foot Northern abolitionists and Southern disunionists alike, all might yet be well. If the country is to be ruined and the Government destroyed, it will be because the people have trusted too much, North and South, to reckless political leaders."

☞ The Hon. JOHN BELL addressed a very large assemblage of ladies and gentlemen at Nashville, on the 22d ult., upon the all-absorbing question of the day.—The Nashville Patriot, in an editorial reference to the address, says:

"Mr. Bell was listened to throughout with the most profound and respectful attention, being interrupted only by the earnest applause which frequently greeted the utterance of some great and patriotic sentiment. His speech was one of the most eloquent and powerful of his life.—It was characterized by the loftiest patriotism, and made a deep and lasting impression upon his hearers. Mr. Bell still has hopes of the Republic. He does not believe that the time has yet come for the destruction of the Union. He does not believe that the tree of our liberties, planted in the dark days of the Revolution, and watered by some of the best blood of our country, is yet to fall before the axe which is uplifted for its destruction."

☞ It is a remarkable fact, says the National Intelligencer, that though the letter addressed by Lieutenant Gen. Scott to the Secretary of War, as recently published in our columns, distinctly and expressly "eschews (we quote its language) the idea of invading a seceding State," and proposes by a policy of mingled "moderation and firmness" to exercise the danger of secession "without one conflict of arms, one execution, or one arrest for treason," yet not a single disunion journal, so far as we have observed, has given information of the fact to its readers. The veteran and patriot chief continues to be denounced in some of their columns as a "coercionist," as "disloyal to the South," a "traitor to Virginia," and as "Butcher Scott." What are we to infer from such a species of editorial conduct? It is that a portion of the press on both sides, the North as well as the South, would seem to delight in any representation or misrepresentation which can serve to keep keen, deep and precious the sentiment of public hatred.

SOLON BORLAND GETS A REPLY FROM JOHN BELL.—Solon Borland made a speech in Nashville recently. He said, in the course of his remarks, that the "Constitutional Union party," and its champion, John Bell, had held the doctrine that the election of Lincoln would be a just cause for the dissolution of the Union. John Bell, who was in the audience, rose and denied the charge. Upon this, says the Nashville Democrat, the cheers "rang again and again through the vast hall, satisfying us of the predominant Union feeling in that assemblage—notwithstanding the disunion element mustered its strength." Mr. Bell, before he sat down, expressed the hope and conviction that all would yet be well with the Union; and this declaration was received with a great shout of applause. The country will be glad to hear this from Mr. Bell and the City of Nashville

BALTIMORE MARKETS

BALTIMORE, Jan. 30, 1861.

WHEAT.—Some 8,500 bushels Wheat were offered this morning, and demand good; medium to prime white sold at 1 35 a$1 60 per bushel—red sold at 1 35a$1 36 per bushel for prime.

CORN.—The receipts were light; new white sold at 68 a70 cts., and and old do, at 74 cts., new yellow at 62a64 cts. for god to prime, 58 cts. for inferior.

OATS.—Maryland is quoted at 34a36 cts.

FLOUR.—Market firm; Extra Ohio selling at $5.87½a$6.00; Howard St., $6a 6.12½; City Mills at 6.50a$6.75 per bbl.

CLOVER SEED.—400 bushels, good to prime sold at 5.25a$5.40 per 64 lbs.

PHILADELPHIA.

White Wheat is selling at $1.40a1.50; red, $1.38; old yellow corn 70a71, new 63a65. Oats are steady at 33a34 cts.

MARRIAGES.

On the 22d ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Mr. Simpers, Mr. THOMAS O. GOODING to Miss ANNIE W. MASON, all of Kent.

FEATHERS WANTED.—100 lb. live geese Feathers wanted, for which the highest market price will be paid.
feb2. WM. VANNORT.

Attention!

THE FIRST NATIONAL TROOP, and all who desire to join them, and all others friendly to the reorganization of the same, are hereby requested to meet at St. Paul's Church on SATURDAY, the 9th of February, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to elect officers and reorganize the Company. By order of
feb2-2t* H. BECK, Captain.

County Commissioners' NOTICE.

THE Commissioners of Kent County will meet on TUESDAY, the 12th of February next, at their office in Chestertown, for final action on the road from Porter's Grove through Vandort, Jones, Graves and others. All persons interested are desired to attend.
By order, DAVID ARTHUR,
feb2—2t. Clerk to Co. Com.

COUNTY MEETING ON Tuesday, the 5th of February.

A STATE CONVENTION, to assemble in Baltimore on the 14th day of February next, has been called by the people of several of the Counties, for the purpose of consultation and conference, and to take such action as the safety, the rights and honor of Maryland, in the present critical condition of public affairs, may demand. That Kent County may be represented in the Convention, we invite every voter in the County, in favor of maintaining the Constitutional rights of the South, and of the Union under the Constitution; and who is in favor of Maryland taking action in the present political crisis, and of sending delegates to the State Convention, to meet at the Court House, in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY, the 5th day of February,

at 11 o'clock, A.M., for the purpose of appointing Six Delegates, to represent the county in the State Convention..

E F Chambers,	P. Wroth,
J. A. Wickes,	John S. Constable,
Geo W. T. Perkins,	David C Blackiston,
Edwin Crouch,	Geo. H. Willson,
Wm. P. Morris,	Horace Beck,
David Jones,	David Arthur,
John Greenwood,	Richard W. Jones,
Wm. A. Vickers,	P. L. Wickes,
Garret M Hart,	Thos. W Ringgold,
Jacob Sutton,	Wm Camp.
George Jessop,	Jervis Spencer,
J. Leeds Barroll,	Josias Ringgold,
Rich'd W. Ringgold,	Joseph Wickes,
John M. Comegys,	Wm Janvier,
Geo. D S Handy,	Wm. N. E. Wickes,
Cornelius J. Scott,	Dr. E. F. Rasin,
George Beck,	A. S. Camp,
Dr. Samuel Beck,	Josias Ringgold, jr.

feb 2--1t.

TEA CAKE!

COFFER CAKE,
RUSK, JUMBLES,
ROLLS, BUSCUIT,
SPONGE CAKE,
ROCK CAKE,
FRUIT CAKE, &c.,
fresh from the Bakery, constantly for sale at the lowest prices, by
feb2. S. FRANKLIN SMITH.

TO FARMERS! Machine and Blacksmith Shop IN CHESTERTOWN!

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the Farmers of Kent and Queen Ann's counties that he has just opened in Chestertown, next to Ringgold & Calder's, a MACHINE and Blacksmith Shop, where he is prepared to make to order, or repair every description of

Agricultural Machinery,

embracing both the WOOD and IRON WORK.

Having been for several years in the employ of R. Sinclair & Co., Agricultural Machinists, Baltimore, and having acquired a practical knowledge of the business in all its departments he feels assured that he can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. JAMES A. BURTON.
Chestertown, feb2y.

THE UNION SAVED! All Hail to the Old Dominion!!

WHILE the noble efforts of our sister State and the recent conciliatory letter of the President elect inspire all friends of the Union with new hope, I. FRANK & BRO., still cling to their union with their friends of Kent and adjoining counties, notwithstanding their recent grievances and wrongs suffered by them through the agency of their few fanatic opponents and passionate enemies. And in order to preserve that union upon a basis of equal rights and justice, and to give room for their Spring Trade they will sell the remainder of their Winter stock at

VERY LOW PRICES.

Also for sale a great variety of TRIMMINGS and FANCY GOODS, which will be sold out at astonishingly low figures.
feb2. I. FRANK & BRO.

The Territorial Question.

ALL persons having acquired property from the undersigned without making the suitable recompensation, are requested to do so at the very shortest notice, as the laws will be enforced towards them with the most rigid consistency. I. FRANK & BRO.

Brigade Order, No. 2.

IN pursuance of Order No. 2, issued by Brig. Gen. R Goldborough, to the field officers of the 6th Brigade, to meet at Centreville on Tuesday, the 15th inst., the following officers were present: Brig. Gen. R. Goldsborough, Col. Joel Thomas, Lieut. Col. S. J. Bradley of the 35th Regiment; Col. John R. Emory, Lieut. Col. R. C. Tilghman, of the 38th Regiment; Col. James Gale, of the 8th Cavalry Regiment, and Lieut. Col. Samuel T. Harrison, of the 9th Cavalry Regiment. Brig. Gen. Goldsborough was called to the Chair, and Lieut. Col. Harrison, appointed Secretary. Gen. Goldsborough then stated the object of the meeting, and after an interchange of sentiment by the officers present, the following "order" was issued:

Ordered, That the Colonels, Lieut. Colonels and Majors of the 21st, 37d, 35 and 38th Regiments of Maryland Militia composing the 6th Brigade, are hereby ordered to call together the Captains and other officers of their regiments, and assemble at some convenient place, for the purpose of filling up vacancies in the several companies, and that they make a full enrolment of the men under their command; and lay down the bounds of the companies, severally revised and designated, and that they report to me at an early day.

R. GOLDSBOROUGH, Brig. Gen.
f2-3t. 6th Brigade M. M.

Clothing! Clothing! Clothing! MASTBAUM'S.

IN view of the financial condition of the country, and the stringency of the money market, we will from this day make a still further reduction of our immense stock of

CLOTHING, Furnishing Goods, &c.,

and we would say to all who are in want of any article in our line, to call at once; as our stock *must* be closed out before the 1st of March to make room for our spring purchases.

LOOK AT THE REDUCED PRICES!

$7 00 fine black cloth Coats reduced to			$4 00
6 00 Cassimere Business Coats,		"	3 50
5 00 black "	Pants,	"	3 00
4 00 "	union cloth do.	"	2 00
3 00 "	satin Vests	"	1 50
2 00 "	Valencia "	"	1 00

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps of the latest styles, reduced in proportion. Don't forget to call.
MASTBAUM'S
feb2. Nearly opposite the Armory.

To Hire,

FOR the year 1861, a NEGRO WOMAN, a good cook, washer and ironer.
jan26-3t. H M WALLIS.

Wanted,

A SINGLE or married man, who thoroughly understands the TRUCKING BUSINESS, and can come well recommended.
Inquire immediately of
jn26-3t DR. H. M. WALLIS.

Wanted,

AT the CHESTERTOWN MACHINE SHOP, (next to Ringgold & Caulder's,) a BOY, aged about 16 years, to learn the Agricultural Machine Business. JAS. A. BURTON,
jn26-3t. Proprietor

SELECT SCHOOL. Mrs. S. E. Ringgold,

WILL reopen her Select School for YOUNG LADIES on the 14th of January, 1861, in the town of Millington.

TERMS:

Boarding, with English Branches included, per quarter, of 12 weeks,	$30.00
Music—Piano,	10 00
Drawing and Painting,	6 00
French,	5 00

☞ Having secured the services of a competent and experienced lady, Mrs Ringgold is warranted in assuring any one who may favor her with their patronage that their children will have every care bestowed upon them.
Millington, Md., j12-4t.
[Md. Citizen copy 4t. and send bill to this office.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE undersigned would inform their friends and the public that they have rented the Granary recently occupied by Capt Taylor, and will RUN A VESSEL regularly to the city every week. All Grain will be received by one of the firm and no pains spared to give ENTIRE SATISFACTION to all who may be disposed to encourage them. Back freights purchased and delivered at reasonable rates.
JAMES H THOMPSON,
THOMAS H. LEE.
Chestertown, Jan. 26, 1861.—3t.

John Frazier, et al. vs. Jas. W. Hurtt, et al } On the Equity side of the Circuit Court for Kent county.

JANUARY 15, 1861.

ORDERED by me, Jesse K. Hines Clerk, that the sale made and reported by George Vickers and Richard Hynson Esquires, Trustees in the within cause be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shewn on or before the eighteenth day of March next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published on the Eastern Shore, once in each of three successive weeks, before the fifteenth day of February next. The Report states the amount of sales to be $29,564.35

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
True copy, Test:—
j19-3t. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

GEO. Z. GREENWOOD, Commission Merchant,
No. 1 BOWLY'S WHARF,
BALTIMORE, MD.

REFERENCES.

H. M. Warfield Esq., Thomas Whitridge & Co., J. P. Poca, Esq., Balt. Clayton Wright, R. A. Wright, E. T. M. Forman, Esqs., Queen Ann's county. Wm Ericsson Frank Bright, Capt. Benj Legg, Kent Island. Thos D. C. Ruth, Henry W. Carvill, J. M. Hudson, Merrill Miller, Morgan Brown, Jr., A. L. Covey, Thos. S. Corey, Esqs., Kent Co. (j19y)

Notice to Debtors.

MESSRS. IRELAND & ASHLEY have executed to me for the benefit of their creditors, a Deed of Trust, in which they have assigned and transferred all of their store goods, book accounts, notes, &c.

All persons indebted to them are hereby notified to settle with me at once, as it is necessary to collect the debts and close the Trust without delay. Unless the claims are promptly paid, I shall be compelled to sue in every case.
j19-4t. J. A. WICKES, Trustee.

NEW GOODS.

MISS EARLE would inform her friends and the public that she has lately opened at her store (on Main street, formerly occupied by Miss Eliza Smith,) a large assortment of Goods, suitable for the season—GRISSELLE for Dresses and Dusters; MANTILLAS, COLLARS and SLEEVES, EDGE and INSERTING LAWNS, Hoop SKIRTS, Paper and Envelopes, Double Skirts, Lawn Robes, and many other articles, which she would invite her friends to call and examine. [j19y.]

Notice

To Tax-Payers of the 3rd District.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned for Taxes in the Third Election District for the years 1858 and 1859, are hereby notified to settle the same on or before

Saturday, the 2nd of February, 1861,

as I shall, after that date, proceed to advertise and sell in every instance where payment is not made. ISAAC GALE, JR.,
j19-3t. Collector.

MARYLAND: Kent County Orphans' Court.

January 15, 1861

On the application of William C Meginnis, Administrator of Sophia Boyer, late of Kent county deceased,

ORDERED, That he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, 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 county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 15th day of January, 1861. {SEAL}

Test, B. F. HOUSTON,
Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice, that the subscriber of Kent county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of administration of the personal estate of Sophia Boyer, late of Kent county, dec'd. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 5th day of August 1861; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of January, 1861. WM. C. MEGINNIS,
j19-4t Adm'r of Sophia Boyer, dec'd.

MARYLAND: Kent County Orphans' Court,

January 19, 1861.

On the application of Jos. D Elbert Administrator C T.A. of Isaac Elbert, fn., late of Kent county, deceased;

ORDERED, That he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, 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 county,

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 15th day of January, 1861. {SEAL}

Test, B. F. HOUSTON,
Reg. of Wills for Kent county

In compliance with the above order, this is to give notice, that the subscriber of Kent county hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Isaac Elbert, fn., late of Kent county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the 5th day of August, 1861; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of January 1861. JOS. D ELBERT,
j19 4t. Adm'r C.T.A. Isaac Elbert, fn., dec'd

To Housekeepers.

POTATOES, Parsnips, Turnips, Onions, Meal, Flour, Buckwheat, Dried Fruit, Fresh Beef, and Butter on hand and for sale cheap by [j26.] E. MANSFIELD.

BOOTS, SHOES, & GROCERIES! LEVI FIDDIS,

HAS just returned from the city with a large stock of Leather of the best quality, and is now prepared to manufacture

Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, &c.,

in the most substantial and durable manner. He has now on hand a large stock of heavy

Boots and Shoes, for Winter wear,

to which he invites the early attention of purchasers. Fine Boots and Shoes of every description for sale low. A large stock of

City Made Boots & Shoes

of the best quality, for sale cheap.

GROCERIES! GROCERIES!!

A fresh assortment of Groceries of every variety, on hand and for sale as low as they can be purchased elsewhere. Call and examine.
Chestertown, d8. LEVI FIDDIS.

New Clothing Store! Jas. H. Smith,

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Kent and the adjoining counties, that he has opened in Chestertown, at the store room recently occupied by Mr. John Burchinal, next door to Mr. A. M. Russell, and opposite the Court House, a large and well selected stock of

WINTER CLOTHING,

made in the best manner, and will be sold as cheap as they can be purchased on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

Winter Coats, Pants, Vests, &c.

An excellent supply of

FINE LINEN SHIRTS,

collars, Neck-Ties, Scarfs, &c.,

to which an examination is respectfully solicited. It will be his endeavor to give perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom.

JAMES H. SMITH.
Chestertown, Nov. 24tf.

The Largest Assortment of

Tobacco and Segars,

Ever Opened in Chestertown!

B. H. GARDNER,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Kent and Queen Ann's counties, that he has opened at his Old Stand in Chestertown, opp. McDaniel's Hotel, a larger assortment of

TOBACCO, SEGARS, SNUFF, PIPES, SEGAR SMOKERS, &c.,

than ever offered in Kent co., and for sale cheap. Tobacco from 12, 20, 25 and 30 cts., up to $1.50 per pound. A good article of Smoking Tobacco at 12½ cents per pound!

Tobacco and Segars for sale by the box as cheap as they can be purchased in the city.

A beautiful assortment of Pipes and Segar Smokers of the latest style for sale cheap.

Newspapers and Periodicals!

The latest Publications of every description kept constantly on hand [d8]

Bakery! To Families, Traders, & Others. S. FRANKLIN SMITH,

WOULD inform the public that he has taken the Bakery lately owned by Mr. Jno. W. Dayer, and is now prepared to bake

BREAD, CAKES, PIES, &c.,

and to furnish the same to families and others at the lowest prices. CAKES of every description fresh from the Bakery, will be kept in store and furnished to traders at low rates.

CAKE for wedding parties, &c. gotten up in the best manner and furnished cheap, and *guaranted to give satisfaction*.

☞ He respectfully asks the patronage of the public, being determined to do all in his power to give general satisfaction. Store opposite the residence of the late Judge Eccleston
d8 S FRANKLIN SMITH.

South Carolina HAS SECEDED, BUT MARYLAND Is Still True to the Constitution!

THE undersigned begs leave to announce to the citizens of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties, that he has leased the Store House formerly occupied by Wm. P. Francis, and recently by A W. Sparks and just returned from Philadelphia and Baltimore, with a large and

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

of GOODS adapted to this and approaching seasons, which for style, beauty, durability and cheapness, cannot be excelled, in this or any adjacent county.

His stock, comprises, a large and varied assortment of

Dry Goods,

Groceries, Notions, Hardware,

Queensware, Cedar, Earthen and Stoneware.

Ladies' Dress Goods,

Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes,

and everything belonging to a well regulated store. These goods have been bought with a view to the wants of the people, and necessities of the time. They have been purchased of the very best houses in the above named cities, at the very lowest possible cash figures, and will be sold accordingly, to all who may favor him with a call.

☞ Hoping to merit a share of the public patronage, I remain,
The Public's humble serv't.
WILLIAM VANNORT

P. S. Butter, Eggs, Lard, Bacon, Poultry, Rags, &c., taken in exchange for goods at the highest market prices. WM. VANNORT.
Chestertown j5.

New Store.

THE subscriber having taken the Store room at the upper end of High Street, formerly occupied by J. W. Philips, Esq., would respectfully invite the attention of his friends and the public generally to his well selected stock of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

comprising in part, choice Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Molasses, wheat Flour, buckwheat Flour, corn Meal, Bacon, Mackerel, Herring, Salt, Lard, Goshen Butter, Cheese, Fruits of various kinds, spices, superior Salad Oil, French Mustard, English table sauces, Flavouring Extracts, &c. &c. In fact every article usually found in a well regulated Country Store.

TOBACCO,

a good supply, some very superior, also medium and common. CIGARS—of various brands, some very choice

LIQUORS.

French Brandy, Domestic Brandy, superior old Rye Whiskey, medium and common whiskies, New England Rum, Cider, Champagne, and other wines. As the above articles together with many others too numerous to mention, were all selected with great care, and bought for cash, I respectfully invite the public to give me a call, and as I sell for Cash only, I think I can offer them bargains.

☞ The highest market price will be given in merchandise for all kinds of Country Produce.
feb 18. WM. MAXWELL.

RASINS.—A large lot for sale by box or quarter box, at wholesale rates by
jun12. E. MANSFIELD.

VALENTINES! VALENTINES!

A large assortment of Comic and Sentimental Valentines, just received at

B. H. GARDNER'S

TOBACCO AND SEGAR STORE AND NEWS OFFICE.
j26-3t. ☞ Call and see them. ☜

New Goods. FALL AND WINTER, 1860.

NOW OPENING at the Old Established stand at REES' CORNER, a large, beautiful and well selected stock of

Fall and Winter Goods,

I name in part as follows: Plain and Fancy Delaines, Plain and Fancy Poplins, French Merinoes, Merino Plaids, Scotch Plaids, striped and plain Debeges, Fancy Cashmeres, black Dress Silks, Lusters; a large and beautiful assortment of English and American Prints, Ginghams, bleached and unbleached Muslins, 3-4, 4-4, 6-4 and 10-4 bleached and unbleached sheetings, swiss Muslins, plain and plaid cambric. A full stock of Goods for servant's wear such as Heavy Plaid Osnaburgs, Linseys, plantation stripes, very heavy plain and twilled Osnaburgs; a large stock of Mallallieu & Bro's Fulled Kersey, fine cassimeres and coarse yarn also a handsome assortment of Black and Fancy cassimere, Tweeds, Sattinets and Kentucky Jeans, white and colored canton Flannels, all wool Flannels and Blankets; a large and well selected stock of rag, hemp and wool Carpets, floor, stain and Table Oil Cloths, window curtains of every description and curtain fixtures; a handsome assortment of Ladies' black Cloth Cloaks, ladies and misses skeleton skirts, worked Collars, Linen Handkerchiefs, Velvet Ribbons, Kid Gloves, heavy woolen and buck Gloves, cloth and buck Gauntlets, ladies fancy worsted Hats, Opera Hoods, clouds, comforts and scarfs, children's worsted Capes and coats, ladies, misses and children's Hose of every description. The largest stock of

Men's and Boys' Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS AND CAPS,

ever offered in this section of the county; choice selection of GROCERIES, WINES & Liquors Queens-ware, Stone-ware, Earthen-ware, Tin ware, Woodenware, Glassware and Hardware

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

window Glass, Putty, Varnish, Paints & Oils, Segars and Tobacco a well selected stock of such articles as are usually used by Farmers, such as Horse Collars, Bridles, Halters, Traces, saddles, Horse Blankets, shovels, forks, spades and rakes. All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods. Orders promptly attended to. Thankful for past favors I ask a continuance of the same and pledge myself that every means shall be used to please those who favor me with their patronage.

ANDREW McCOY.
REES' CORNER, Md., Oct. 27, 1860.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

THE undersigned has just returned from the city, with the most beautiful assortment of goods ever exhibited on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, consisting in part of

Splendid Silver and Gold Watches,

GOLD MEDALLIONS,

PENCILS BRACELETS, EAR RINGS RINGS of every description BREAST-PINS, STUDS, Sleeve Buttons, Trinkets, Silver Goods, Musical Boxes and a general assortment of SPECTACLES to suit all sights and ages. Also, a splendid assortment of

FANCY GOODS,

such as Head-balls, Perfumery and those pretty India-rubber Toys, of which he invites all his friends and the public in general to give him a call, as he is determined to sell cheaper than the cheapest. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry mended at the shortest notice.
Chestertown, d22. A. SEEMAN

Selling at Cost! FOR CASH!

The subscriber will from this day until the first day of March, 1861, sell

Dry Goods at Cost, for Cash!

☞ *CALL AND EXAMINE.*
JOHN W. COLLINS.
Chestertown, Jan.5-4t.

Local Intelligence.

CITIZENS of Kent and Queen Ann's counties that are compelled these hard times to purchase Dry Goods and every thing else generally found in a first class store, should not fail to examine the large and varied stock of NEW GOODS, that are to be sold at Reduced Prices, to make room for Spring Trade, at the People's Store. W. A. VICKERS. We would advise all those who have not called to do so at an early day. (j19.)

LUMBER.

I HAVE this day received a large supply of seasoned Lumber, consisting in part of

PALES, RAILS, LATHES,

AND

FLOORING BOARDS

which will be sold on the best terms to our customers. All orders left at the store will receive immediate attention.
j5. WILLIAM VANNORT.

Wickes & Bro.,

OPENED during the early part of the present week, a stock of Goods adapted to the wants of the season, and respectfully invite an examination of the same, calling especial attention to their stock of

LADIES' Dress Goods,

which will be found much larger than is usually the case at this season of the year.
Chestertown, Dec. 22, 1860.

HEAVY CLOTHING.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT now on hand and for sale upon the best terms by
Dec. 22. WICKES & BRO.

Encourage Home Industry!

THE undersigned is still prepared to weave RAG CARPETING in the best manner at short notice. He solicits the patronage of the public. Residence near M. U. Church.
j19-3t. JAS. BECK, (of Jno.)

Sleigh for Sale.

A NEAT NEW SLEIGH, used once or twice for sale cheap. Apply at the People's Store. W. A. VICKERS.
Chestertown, j19-3t.

MEN'S heavy Boots, Calf-Skin and Water Proof, heavy Brogans, and Women's thick Shoes for winter wear, now on hand and for sale by WICKES & BRO.

A FINE stock of superior Wines and other Liquors, some of them very choice, lately received by WICKES & BRO.

JUST received another fresh stock of those Sugars and Coffees, which have given universal satisfaction as to price and quality.
j 26 WM VANNORT.

SIX DOZEN LIVE CHICKENS of improved stock, for sale in lots to suit by
jan26. WM. VANNORT.

FRESH PRINTED BUTTER just received by
j26. WM. VANNORT.

IN STORE and for sale cheap, a superior lot of Flour, by the barrel or lb., and Corn Meal by the bushel. WM. VANNORT.