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Painting and Glazing.

CHAS. H. DAVIS & BRO.,
CHESTERTOWN,

THANKFUL for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended, respectfully inform the public that they have now on hand a large and excellent assortment of PAINTS, OILS, &c., and are prepared to do every description of

House and Sign Painting, &c.,

in as good style and as cheap as it can be done in the county.

GLAZING done at short notice.

They hope by strict attention to business to merit and continue to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

☞ Shop on Main street, opposite the residence of the late Judge Eccleston.

Chestertown, April 4—3m

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at Private Sale their FARM, lying on the public road leading from Chestertown to Galena,

Containing 112 ACRES;

being a part of the Sam. Ringgold Estate. This Farm is eligibly located; being within two miles of Chestertown, convenient to places of public worship, schools and mills, and not over one and a half miles from Washington College.

The SOIL is naturally good, and the greater part has been LIMED. It is under good fencing.

THE TERMS will be reasonable, and may be arranged to meet the convenience of any one who may desire to purchase.

For further particulars see R. HYNSON, Esq., Chestertown.

EMELINE BIDDLE.
MARTHA M. BIDDLE,
JULIA A. BIDDLE.

April 4, 1863—3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent county, at the suit of William Daniel, against the goods and chattles, Lands and Tenements of John Hall, fn., and Frisby Hall, fn., to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said John Hall, fn., and Frisby Hall, fn., of, in and to the following property to wit:

53 ACRES OF LAND,

in the Forest, near the Head Sassafras, adjoining the land of Lampson; all the interest of the said Frisby Hall, of and to said Land. Also,

Two Bay Mares,
One white and black Cow,
1 CART, and 1 DEARBON.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Saturday, the 18th of April, 1863,
AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

At the Hotel of Mr. William Ellis at the Head Sassafras,

I will sell the said property, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder, for cash, to pay and satisfy said debt, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JAMES L. DAVIS, Sheriff.

Sheriffs' Office, Chestertown, March 28, 1863. } tds.

SPRING. SPRING. 1863.

I. FRANK & BRO.,

HAVE laid in a beautiful selection of SEASONABLE GOODS, and again asks a favorable inspection of the same, and solicit a share of public patronage.

As they are not fond of empty boasting they don't claim their Goods to be superior to any others offered in this market, nor do they assert to sell at "old prices," or that they are the only ones who can furnish you with a nice and fashionable outfit. But in all sincerity they would say:

☞ CALL AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELVES! ☜

and you will find their Goods compare favorably with any others, and that their prices are as low as the present state of the market will permit. Also on hand

Boots and Shoes,
HATS AND CAPS,

and FURNISHING GOODS as usual.

Apr. 4, 1863. I. FRANK & BRO.

Examiners' Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Commisioners of Kent County, to examine and determine whether the public convenience requires the opening of a

PUBLIC ROAD,

in the First Election District of Kent county, commencing at Hodson's gate on the road leading from Massey's X Roads to Smyrna, through the lands of the aforesaid Hodson, Dulaney, John Whittington, and James Yeates, to lead to a gate on said Yeates' farm to the main road to Turner's Mill, distance about three and a half miles—hereby give notice that they will meet at the Hotel in Millington, on

Wednesday, the 6th day of May, 1863,

at 8 o'clock, A. M., and then and there commence the discharge of the duties devolved upon them by the said appointment and commission.

SAMUEL H. KNOCK,
JESSE WILSON,
JOSIAH MASSEY,
Examiners.

Apr. 4, 1863—5t.

MARYLAND:

KENT COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT. March 17, 1863.

On the application of Emeline Biddle, Administratrix of Mary Biddle, late of Kent co., deceased;

ORDERED, That she give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, in Kent county, Md., and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks, in the Kent News, printed and published in Kent 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 17th day of March, 1863. { 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 Mary Biddle, 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 10th day of October, 1863; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of March 1863.

EMELINE BIDDLE,
apr4-4t. Adm'x of Mary Biddle, dec'd.

TOBACCO! TOBACCO! TOBACCO!
TWELVE
DIFFERENT VARIETIES!
A LARGE STOCK,
PURCHASED CHEAP,
AND WILL BE SOLD CHEAP.

Call and examine. JAMES A. SHAW,
Apr. 4, 1863. Court Street.

SOLDIERS' BOUNTY!

PENSIONS! PRIZE MONEY!! Back Pay, &c.

Government Claim Office,

No. 70 W. Fayette street, near St. Paul street, BALTIMORE, MD.

WIDOWS of Soldiers who have died in the service of the United States, are entitled to a pension for life, in addition to the Bounty of $100, and all arrearages of pay, &c.

Children and Heirs of deceased soldiers, (where there is no widow living,) are entitled to Bounty, &c., &c.

Soldiers who have been wounded and disabled are entitled to Pension and (by a recent law of Congress,) are entitled to a Bounty of $100.

Soldiers who have been Prisoners of War are entitled to Commutation of Rations.

Seamen in U. S. Service are entitled to Prize Money, Naval Bounties, &c.

Prompt attention given to all claims against the United States.

WM. B. HILL,
Government Claim Office,
No. 70 W. Fayette street, Baltimore.

N. B.—*No letters answered unless a postage stamp is enclosed.* [March 21—tf.]

UNITED STATES

Internal Revenue,

FIRST COLLECTION DISTRICT, OF MARYLAND.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, DENTON, MD., March 24th, 1863.

THE Assessment for KENT COUNTY having been completed, the list as taken by William H. Lambert will be open for inspection at

THE COURT HOUSE, IN CHESTERTOWN,

For FIFTEEN DAYS from the 30th day of March to the 13th day of April,

inclusive; and NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned will attend at the place above named, on

TUESDAY, the 14th day of April,

between 10, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M., to hear and determine appeals from the decision of the Assistant Assessor. All appeals must be made in writing in accordance with the provisions of the 15th section of the Act entitled, "An Act to provide internal revenue to support the Government and to pay interest on the public debt," approved July 1st, 1862.

GEORGE M. RUSSUM,
mh28-3t. Assessor 1st Dist., Md.

WOOD LAND at PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber desires to sell TWO TRACTS OF VALUABLE WOOD LAND, one containing Twenty-seven and the other Fifteen Acres, adjoining the Lands of John Schwatka and Richard Moffitt, and near the road running from Chesterville to Millington. Farmers in the neighborhood will now have an opportunity to provide for the future on most accommodating terms.

JOHN G. BLACK,
mh28—tf. Smyrna, Del.

NEW SPRING GOODS!

Saturday, March 21, 1863.

A. W. SPARKS,

HAS returned from the city, and opened a General assortment of Seasonable Goods, bought at the lowest figure for the cash, and will be sold at small profits for the cash or to punctual paying customers.

March 21, 1863. A. W. SPARKS.

Heavy Cotton Duck.

LINEN DUCK, Cotton Drills, do. Osnaburgs for servant's shirting: Farmer's Linen Drill, Stout Heavy Cotton Stripes for Pants, Cottonades, Kentucky Jeans, Plaid Marseilles, Beverteens, Corduroys, Cassimeres, Black Lasting, Vest Patterns, &c., for sale by

March 21, 1863. A. W. SPARKS.

Plaid Domestics.

BLUE and brown Denims Stripe for Shirting, Plaid Checks for do., Bed Tickings, Brown Muslins 4-4, 7 8 and 3-4 wide, Red Flannels, white do., Canton do., Sack Flannels, &c., for sale by A. W. SPARKS.

BLACK CLOTH, do. Cassimeres, fancy colored, do., Sattinets, fine Tweeds, White Linen Drills, do. Linen Duck, for sale by

March 21, 1862. A. W. SPARKS.

LADIES' GOODS.

BLACK SILKS, Black Ginghams, Alpacca, Calicoes, black Thebet Cloth, Delaines, an assortment, Challi Delaines, Challis, fig Linen, black silk velvet Rebion, Shepherd Plaids, fancy Prints, Cambric Muslins, Plaid and striped Muslins, Brilliants, Hoops, Brilliant Skirts, &c., for sale by A. W. SPARKS.

Ladies' Gaiters, Morocco Boots, do. Shoes, do. spring heels, children's Boots and Shoes, do. Misses, Balmorals, Ladies' Balmoral Hose, Gloves, &c., for sale by A. W. SPARKS.

Queensware, Glass-Ware, Tin do., Hardware, Knives and Forks, Andirons, Shovels, Tongs, Spades, Forks, Fencing Nails, 8 and 10 penny, Cumberland Nails, Wooden-Ware, Washing Tubs, Clothes Baskets, Market do., Traces, Halters, Iron Traces, Rope do., for sale by

March 21, 1863 A. W. SPARKS.

GILLING TWINE, a good article, Gearing Twine, Rope made of grass, do. Cotton, do. Hemp, for sale by A. W. SPARKS.

A FRESH assortment of *GROCERIES*, brown and white Sugars, bl'k Tea, Y. H. and O. H. Tea, Imperial Tea, Rice, Coffee, Java, Laguira and Rio, Powder & Shot, for sale by A. W. SPARKS.

WANTED—5,000 lbs. Bacon, the hog round, 1,000 lbs Lard, 10,000 lbs. Rags, 10,000 Wool, 1,000 Feathers, Butter, Eggs, Irish Potatoes, Beans, Dried Apples, do. Peaches. The highest market price will be given for the above articles, by A. W. SPARKS.

Chestertown, March 21, 1863.

WANTED! WANTED!

I WANT to purchase FIFTY HEAD of aged MULES, that have been broke to work. Also,

25 HEAD OF HORSES,

from seven to ten years old, of good colors, for which I will pay the highest price in cash, or exchange four year old colts for them.

FIFTY DOZEN LIVE FOWLS, for which I will pay the highest prices in cash.

All the above articles will have to be furnished by the undersigned *within twenty days*, and persons having either Mules, Horses or Fowls to sell will find it to their interest to call and see me immediately.

I will be at Mr. J. O. Rasin's Hotel in Chestertown, on Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays.

Mch. 28, 63.* JACOB BARKMAN.

ROAD NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they intend to apply to the Commissioners of Kent county, thirty days after the date of this notice, to straighten the road through the farm of Wm. McCauley, on the road leading from Harmony to the Brick Church.

WILLIAM McCAULEY,
R. J. BOWLDEN,
WM. WELCH,
PHILIP F. RASIN,
March 28, 1863—5t. and others.

FOR RENT,

THE DWELLING HOUSE, in Chestertown on the corner opposite the Hotel of Mr. J. O. Rasin. It contains six rooms, in good condition, and will be rented for the balance of the present year at a moderate rate. Apply to

mh28—3t. JAMES E. JURNEY.

PUBLIC SALE OF

Valuable Real Estate.

I WILL offer at Public Sale, a very desirable and valuable property, situate in Quaker Neck, Kent county, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, the 21st of April next,

at the Hotel of Mr. J. O. Rasin, in Chestertown, at 11½ o'clock, A. M. This property consists of a LARGE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, containing seven large rooms, besides a large and convenient STORE ROOM, and good Kitchen, Carriage and Corn Houses, Meat and Poultry Houses and Stable; a good GARDEN well paled in, and contains in all about 17 or 18 ACRES, all of which is under good post and rail fence. There is a

FINE YOUNG ORCHARD,

of the most choice and select PEAR, APPLE, PEACH and CHERRY TREES.

This property is located within four miles of Chestertown, about ¾ of a mile from a Steamboat Landing, at which steamers touch daily during the greater part of the year. There is an M. E. Church and a Public School within less than a mile, and is considered one of the best locations in the county for a country store. There is always an abundance of Fish, Oysters and Wild Fowl in their seasons in sight.

To a young man of good business capacity, and a small capital, this place offers strong inducements, and is considered one among the most salubrious and hospitable portions of the county. Possession will be given on or before the 1st of May next, if desired.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half cash, and the balance in twelve months, with interest, and security to be approved by the undersigned.

Apply to J. A. F. BAKER, Proprietress.
feb21-ts. or J. N. USILTON, Agent.

PROCLAMATION!

BE IT KNOWN and remembered that JOS. V. SMITH has removed from his old place of business and permanently located himself and family in Chestertown, where he intends, in connection with his father, ROBERT SMITH, to carry on in all its departments, the CLOCK, WATCH and JEWELRY BUSINESS. Robert & Joseph V. Smith are well known to the citizens of Kent and the adjoining counties, the former having moved to this county when but a young man, and the latter was raised in this neighborhood, and after an absence of many years and a long practical knowledge of the business, we come back and solicit your patronage. It is useless to use the names of any one as reference for we are both well known to most of the citizens of this county, (as well as Queen Ann's,) and the people know that they can trust us with all kinds of work, and the better the watch, or clock, the more easily it is for the practical workman to give satisfaction.

R. Smith & Son,

(SUCCESSORS OF J. FRANK MORGAN,)

Have greatly increased the stock as kept by the former, and now offer all kinds of GOLD and SILVER Hunting and open-faced English and American WATCHES, and pledge ourselves to sell them as low as they can be purchased in the city. We keep on hand a large stock of all kinds of CLOCKS, also Silver, Albata and Plated Ware, such as Spoons, Sugar Tongs, Castor Stands, Goblets, Butter Knives, and all things usually found in connection with Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry. The latest styles of JEWELRY, Onix Chains, fine Studs and sleeve Buttons, gold silver and gilt; guard, vest and fob chains, and a very large stock of ordinary Jewelry. CALL AND SEE if this is not the largest stock of Jewelry on the Eastern Shore.

ROBERT SMITH.
JOSEPH V. SMITH.

P. S.—Ours is the Old Stand, opposite the Methodist E. Church. [mh14-6m.]

1863. NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! 1863.
NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW!
SPRING GOODS. SPRING GOODS.
SPRING GOODS. SPRING GOODS.

L. MASTBAUM'S National Clothing Emporium,

AND GENTS' FURNISHING BAZAAR,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Now Opening the Largest Stock
Now Opening the Largest Stock
Now Opening the Largest Stock
The Best Assortment,
The Best Assortment,
The Latest Styles,
The Latest Styles,
OF
Men and Boy's Clothing,
Men and Boy's Clothing,
Men and Boy's Clothing,
For Spring and Summer Wear,
For Spring and Summer Wear,
Ever offered in Chestertown,
Ever offered in Chestertown,
And will be sold at Prices
And will be sold at Prices
And will be sold at Prices
LOWER than they
LOWER than they
Can be bought for in Wholesale
Can be bought for in Wholesale
In the City.
In the City.

These Goods having been bought sometime before the immense rise in raw materials, will enable us to give to our patrons the advantage of buying at a small advance above the old prices. We have also opened an immense stock of Gentlemen's FURNISHING GOODS, selected with great care from the New York and Philadelphia markets. Terms positively Cash.

☞ An early examination is respectfully solicited. L. MASTBAUM.

HATS & CAPS.—The latest New York and Philadelphia styles of Hats and Caps, for Men and Boys, now open, at very moderate rates.

March 7, 1863. L. MASTBAUM.

20,000 Peach Trees FOR SALE!

OF THE BEST LEADING VARIETIES, suitable for the markets. They are all healthy, one year old from the bud, and raised from natural seed procured in Virginia, and will be sold low on a credit of 12 or 18 months if desired.

Also, 50,000 OSAGE ORANGE QUICKS, for Hedging. Apply to

THOS. J. SHALLCROSS,
Locust Grove, Kent county, Md.

March 14, 1863—5t.

DENTISTRY.

J. N. BAIRD, D. D. S.,

HAVING permanently located in Chestertown, respectfully tenders his Professional services to the public.

OFFICE on Main St., adjoining the Bank.

Notice.

THE SCHOONER
"MARY COMEGYS,"

has resumed her REGULAR TRIPS between Chestertown and Baltimore, and will make regular WEEKLY TRIPS throughout the season, leaving Chestertown every Tuesday morning.

March 14, 1863—tf. J. F. TAYLOR.

AULT'S CELEBRATED GARDEN SEEDS, of all kinds, the best in the market, for sale by

mh28. JAS. A. SHAW.

GOLD and SILVER Wanted.

I WILL buy all Gold and Silver offered at a fair price at my store in Chestertown.

Feb. 21, 1863. W. A. VICKERS.

GOOD SMOKING TOBACCO at 25 cents per lb. for sale at

March 7. GARDNER'S.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, TRADERS, AND OTHERS.

ALL PERSONS AND BODIES, corporate or politic, in Kent county, who are or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license or renew the same ON OR BEFORE THE

FIRST DAY OF MAY, ENSUING,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws passed by the General Assembly of Maryland.

The rates required for Traders' Licenses are as follows:

If the amount of goods on hand at the principal season of sale or expected to be kept on hand, does not exceed one thousand dollars, the price of License is $12 50

If over	$1,000	and not over	$1,500		15 50
"	1,500	" "	2,500		18 50
"	2,500	" "	4,000		22 50
"	4,000	" "	6,000		30 50
"	6,000	" "	8,000		40 50
"	8,000	" "	10,000		50 50
"	10,000	" "	15,000		65 50
"	15,000	" "	20,000		80 50
"	20,000	" "	30,000		100 50
"	30,000	" "	40,000		125 50
"	40,000				150 50

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at the principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting the license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent County, To Wit:

On this —— day of —— 1863, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for said county, personally appeared —— —— and declared that he intends to apply for a trader's license, under the laws of the State to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and made oath that the amount of the stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it is a partnership,) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade, that the amount of the stock of goods which he expects to keep, &c.,) does not (or will not) exceed $

Sworn before ——
—— ——
Justice of the Peace.

If the oath be administered by a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the county in which the Justice resides.

The rates of license of females vending millinery, &c., whose stock at any season of the year does not or will not exceed $500, is $6 50. If their stock does or shall exceed $500, the rates are the same as those of Traders' License, and the same form of application must be observed.

The laws require all persons proposing to sell spirituous or fermented Liquors, or Lager Beer in quantities not less than a pint, to apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in person, or in making the oath before a Magistrate as above, stating that he desires a license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors, as the case may be, and the amount of Stock in trade in same manner as those applying for Traders' License. If the amount of stock does or shall not exceed $500 the rate is $18 50

If over	500	and not over	1000	"	35 50
"	1000	" "	2000	"	50 50
"	2000	" "	4000	"	75 50
"	4000	" "	6000	"	100 50
"	6000	" "	10000	"	120 50
"	10000	" "	20000	"	140 50
"	20000	" "	30000	"	150 50

Persons applying for Ordinary Licenses, in which spirituous or fermented Liquors or Lager Beer is sold in quantities less than a pint, must make application to the Clerk of the Circuit Court in the county in which they reside, and must also be recommended by two respectable freeholders of the immediate vicinity of the applicant—which may be made in the following form:

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County:

We, the undersigned, freeholders of Kent county, living in the immediate vicinity of ——, ——, who is about to apply to you for a license to keep an ordinary at ——, in said county, do hereby recommend him as a suitable person to obtain the license.

—— ——
—— ——, 1863.

The applicant must then make oath to the Clerk to the following effect, that he ha *bona fide* and without intending to evade the requirements and the Acts of Assembly of this State, regulating the issues of Licenses to ordinary keepers and traders, provided and expects to maintain six good beds with sufficient clothing therefor, and three rooms more than sufficient for the private uses of said applicant, and stabling and provender for five horses at least.

In addition he shall also make oath to the Clerk of the rate of rent or annual value of the house or place at or in which the business to be authorized by the license may be done or intended be done. If the said rent or annual value does not exceed $100 the rate is $20 50

If over	$100	and not over	200	"	40 50
"	200	" "	300	"	50 50
"	300	" "	400	"	60 50
"	400	" "	500	"	75 50
"	500	" "	750	"	90 50
"	750	" "	1000	"	100 50
"	1000	" "	2000	"	150 50
"	2000	" "	3000	"	180 50

Any person proposing to keep an oyster house, &c., or any place other than an ordinary, for the sale of spirituous or fermented Liquors, or lager-beer in quantities less than a pint, shall apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county where he resides, and must be recommended by two respectable freeholders of his immediate vicinity as a suitable person to keep such a house.

The License in all cases, by the late Act of the General Assembly, is $50.

The oath required to be made by applicants for Traders' License, and License to sell spirituous liquor in quantities not less than a pint, may be made before a Justice of the Peace and forwarded to and filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, to whom all applicants for License must be made.

Any person, or company of stage players, ventriloquists, slight-of hand performers, rope dancers, tumblers, and wire dancers, shall, previously to exhibiting or performing for a reward in any county in this State, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for such county, thirty dollars for one year, or one dollar or each exhibition, at his or their option.

Every person, or company of circus riders or equestrian performers, who shall exhibit for a reward in any county in this State, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for such county, the sum of thirty dollars for a license therefor for one year.

Every person or company who shall exhibit for a reward any animal or animals, or natural or artificial curiosities of any kind, (except models of useful inventions,) shall pay to the said Clerk the sum of fifteen dollars for a License therefor for one year.

Each license shall contain a list of the personal performances, or animals, or other articles or things to be exhibited

The owner or keeper of every stallion or jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of the said clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing or standing such stallion or jack for one year from the date thereof; *Provided*, that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section for such license be less than ten dollars; and that every stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid, shall be exempt from all other State tax.

Any owner or keeper stationing or standing any stallion or Jack without a license, shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the last preceding section, one-half to the State and the other half to the informer.

JAMES L. DAVIS,
Sheriff of Kent county.

NEW LICENSE LAWS,

Passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, at the Regular Session, commencing January, 1862, *Relating to Licenses.*

AN ACT to amend the twenty-first and twenty-second sections of the fifty-sixth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the Licenses of Hawkers and Pedlars.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the twenty-first and the twenty-second sections of the fifty-sixth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the licenses of hawkers and pedlers, be and the same are hereby repealed, and the following sections enacted in lieu thereof:

"Twenty-one." For every such license, not to extend beyond the county in which the same may be issued, there shall be paid the following rates, to wit: For every license to travel on foot, the sum of forty dollars; to travel with a horse or other beast of burden, and wagon or other vehicle, the sum of fifty-dollars; with two horses or other beasts of burden and wagon or other vehicle, the sum of seventy dollars. For every such license to extend over the whole Eastern Shore or the whole Western Shore, there shall be paid the following rates, to wit: for every license to travel on foot, the sum of sixty dollars; to travel with a horse or other beast of burden, or one horse and other beast of burden and wagon or other vehicle, the sum of one hundred dollars, with two horses or other beasts of burden and wagon or other vehicle, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

"Twenty-two." No such license shall be granted to any other than a white person or to any hawker or pedlar in the name or style of partnership or company, and but one person shall act under any such license.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the day of its passage.

AN ACT to amend the fifty-sixth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Licenses, by adding thereto the following section, relating to partnerships taking out Licenses.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following section be and the same is hereby added to the fifty sixth article of the Code of Public General Laws, to follow the second section thereof:

Any license may be obtained by partnerships or firms, as well as by individuals; but in all cases, the names of all the partners of any firm shall be set forth in full in the license, and no license shall protect any person pretending to act under the same, unless it is named therein, or is entitled as a representative, or assignee under the provisions hereinafter contained in this article, and the clerk issuing the license shall enter upon the record of licenses, the full names of all the members of a copartnership to which such license is issued.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the Thirtieth day of April next.

AN ACT to amend the seventieth section of the fifty-sixth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Licenses for Ordinaries.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the seventieth section of the fifty-sixth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Licenses for Ordinaries be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

If any person or body politic shall propose to open or keep an ordinary he shall apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which said applicant may reside, or if he resides in the city of Baltimore, to the Court of Common Pleas, for a license therefor, under which license spirituous or fermented liquors, or lager beer, may be bartered or sold in quantities less than a pint.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect on the Thirtieth day of April next.

AN ACT to amend the forty-second section, relating to the granting of Licenses to Traders, of Article fifty-six of the Code of Public General Laws.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the forty-second section of Article fifty-six of the Code of Public General Laws relating to the granting of Licenses to Traders, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted as a substitute therefor:

SEC 42. When any person, body or politic, or corporate, shall propose to sell or barter anything mentioned in the preceding section, except spirituous or fermented liquors, he shall apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which he may reside, or if he resides in the city of Baltimore to the Court of Common Pleas, for a license therefor; but no License to trade, or to sell spirituous or fermented liquors shall be issued by any clerk of a court to a feme-covert, or to any person under the age of twenty-one, without the special order of the judge of the court; but no Judge shall give such special order to issue license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors, unless upon the recommendation of at least ten respectable free holders, resident of the ward or district wherein the place of sale may be and whenever any license shall be issued to a feme-covert, or minor, the said feme-covert, or minor, shall be responsible for all contracts made in the prosecution of their business under such license, and shall be liable to be sued therefor in any courts of this State; and the said feme-covert may be sued, or indicted and prosecuted in case of a violation by her of the license laws of this State, or in case she should keep a disorderly house, as if she were a feme-sole; and, if judgment be obtained against her on any contract, execution shall or may issue in the ordinary way to affect her separate estate, provided however, that such responsibility shall in no manner affect or impair the responsibility of the husband, or parent under the existing laws and that this Act shall take effect on the Thirtieth day of April next.

We certify that the foregoing Acts are true copies of their respective originals, as passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, at its January session, 1862.

T. SNOWDEN THOMAS,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
C. HARWOOD,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing are truly taken and copied from the laws recently received from the Comptroller. Test: JESSE K. HINES,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Kent county.

TAKE NOTICE.

The Clerk desires to call particular attention to the fact that by the foregoing law, Licenses must be renewed ON or BEFORE the

First day of May.

The custom which has heretofore prevailed of taking out Licenses between the first and the tenth of May, is no longer allowable. Persons violating this provision are subject to the penalties prescribed for selling without license.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

Apr. 4, 1863.—4t.

1863. NEW GOODS! 1863

NEW SPRING GOODS!

WM. VANNORT,

HAS just opened a new and complete Stock of GOODS, which he invites the public to call and examine. His stock consists in part as follows:

DRY GOODS.

Bleached and Brown MUSLINS, CALICOES, at the lowest market price. English and Scotch GINGHAMS, Domestic Ginghams, Colored and white Cambrics, PLAID DOMESTICS, Apron Check, Striped Osnaburgs, Denims, Linen Ducks, Linen Drills, Stripe Shirting, Shirting Calico, &c. CASSIMERES, Cottonades, Cotton Kersey, cotton Cassimeres, Kentucky Jeans, Tweeds, Georgia Drills, &c.

NOTIONS.—Ladies, Gents, Misses and children's Hose and Gloves, medium and fine qualities. Linen Hdk'fs, Knitting Cotton, Gents' Collars, Neck Ties, &c.

HATS & CAPS.

Men and boys' fine and coarse wool Hats suitable for the season.

A LARGE STOCK.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Men and Boys' Fine and coarse Shoes, Servant's fine and coarse do., Ladies and Misses black Lasting Gaiters, fine dressed and undressed Morocco Boots, children's black morocco and fancy Shoes.

Always on hand a complete stock of HARDWARE suitable for building purposes, Queensware, Cedar-ware, Tinware, &c. A fresh supply of GROCERIES constantly on hand.

Coal Oil, and Coal Oil Lamps and Shades.

☞ Call and examine. We take delight in showing our goods to customers.

WILLIAM VANNORT.

Chestertown, March 14, 1863.

MARCH 7th, 1863.

Latest Arrival!

NEW GOODS.

ONE OF THE LARGEST STOCKS IN CHESTERTOWN!

FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST. We will not attempt to enumerate.

No trouble to show goods. Call and examine. VICKERS' stock comes fully up to his advertisements.

NOTIONS.—Ladies and Misses Hoop Skirts, Gloves, Hosiery, Hdk'fs, Collars, Ties, White Goods and Fancy articles.

DRY GOODS. Prints, Ginghams, Linens, Domestics, &c.

SERVANT'S WEAR. Cotton Ducks, Osnaburgs, Plaid Domestics, Plain Linens, Linen Ducks, Heavy Cottonades, &c., &c.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY, as cheap as can be bought in the city. One of the largest stocks ever offered to this community. W. A. VICKERS.

WE INVITE OUR FRIENDS to examine our Stock. We pay cash for our goods, and think we can sell them as cheap as can be bought in this market.

Respectfully, W. A. VICKERS.

Chestertown, March 7, 1863

SPRING CLOTHING

AND

Gents' Furnishing Goods.

JAMES H. SMITH respectfully informs his customers and the public, that he has now in store a fine assortment of.

Spring Clothing,

AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, for Men and Boy's wear, of the best qualities, and will be sold as cheap as they can be purchased on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

SPRING COATS, PANTS, VESTS, &c.

An excellent supply of

Fine Linen SHIRTS, COLLARS, NECK-TIES, Scarfs, &c.

An examination of his goods is respectfully solicited. It will be his endeavor to give perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom. JAMES H. SMITH,

Next door below T. W. Ellison's store.

Chestertown, March 7, 1863.

Saturday, March 7, 1863.

New Spring Goods,

OPENED
ON THIS SATURDAY MORNING,
BY

WICKES & BRO.

COTTON PANTALOON GOODS and SHIRTINGS, just received and for sale at small advances, by

March 7, 1863. WICKES & BRO

PLAID DOMESTICS and Plantation Plaids, Shirting Stripes, Tickings, and other Domestics, purchased some weeks since, in store and for sale at trifling profits, by

March 7, 1863. WICKES & BRO

PLOW CASTINGS, from the New York, Delaware, and Baltimore Founderies, just received and for sale at old rates, by

March 7, 1863. WICKES & BRO.

GARDEN SEED OF ALL KINDS, Seed Peas and Beans, guaranteed fresh, just received and for sale by WICKES & BRO.

Chestertown, March 7, 1863.

EASTERN SHORE BACON!—Shoulders and Sides, Kent county cured and of prime quality, on hand and for sale by

WICKES & BRO.

Chestertown, Feb. 28, 1862.

MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS, some of them extra water proof, Boys' Do., STOUT BROGANS, and WOMEN'S THICK SHOES, a good preventative of sickness at this season of water and mud, all on hand and for sale at old prices

Feb. 28, 1863. by WICKES & BRO.

"Old Prices!"

SPRING GOODS! SPRING GOODS!

NOW OPEN AT

☞ OLD PRICES. ☜

We only ask a call to prove it. Also, COTTONS at reduced rates.

J. R. CHANCE & SONS.

Chestertown, April 4, 1863.

Pennsylvania Female College,

AT FREELAND MONTGOMERY CO., PA.,

PROVIDED with every facility for the thorough education of Young Ladies in any or all of the branches of useful or polite Learning. The location is most delightful and healthy, and the expenses are very moderate.

Special attention is given to fitting young women for the profession of Teaching.

For circulars containing full particulars, address the principal.

apr4—3t.* J. W. SUNDERLAND.

ROAD NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made to the Commissioners of Kent county, at their first meeting held thirty days after the date of this notice, for widening and straightening the Shrewsbury Neck Road, commencing at the main road opposite the Beastin Farm, and running down through Stull Town to Sassafras river.

NATHANIEL WOLF, and others

March 14, 1863—5t.

SMOKING TOBACCO, 25 to 70 cts. CHEWING TOBACCO, from 70 cents to $2.00, for sale by JAMES A. SHAW.