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VENDUE.

BY order of the Orphans' Court of Kent County, the undersigned as administrators, will sell at PUBLIC SALE at the late residence of Richard S. Rolph, deceased, in the town of Millington, on

THURSDAY, the 28th April, inst.,

if fair, if not on the first fair day thereafter, all the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting in part as follows:

2 Head of Horses,
FOUR HEAD
OF CATTLE,

1 WAGON AND HARNESS, 1 CARRIAGE AND HARNESS,
150 BUSHELS CORN in the ear, &c.

ALSO, A VARIETY OF

STORE GOODS,

Consisting of DRY GOODS, Ready made CLOTHING, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, WHISKEY, KERSEY, Oil Cloths, Drugs and Medicines, Hosiery, &c., &c.

ALSO,

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

5 FEATHER BEDS, 3 low-post Bedsteads, 1 high-post Bedstead, Bedclothes, CARPETS, SOFA, 1 Marble Top Bureau, Chairs, Sideboard, Wash Stands and Pitchers, Looking Glasses, Window Curtains, Table Covers, Napkins, &c.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. TERMS.—For all sums under $10 the cash will be required. On all sums of and over $10 a credit of six months will be given upon the purchaser giving note with approved security. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

☞ If the sale should not be completed the first day, it will be continued the next day.

HENRIETTA ROLPH,
GEORGE VICKERS,
Administrators of R. S. Rolph, dec'd.

Apr. 16, 1864—tds.

STANDARD KEEPER'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed STANDARD KEEPER for Kent County, hereby gives notice to

MERCHANTS, SHOP-KEEPERS, and all others interested,

that he will by order of the County Commissioners, attend at the following places, on the days named, for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting all BEAMS AND SCALES,

Weights and Measures,

used or intended to be used in this county, viz:

MONDAY, May 2nd—at Chesterville, Crumpton, Millington, Massey's X Roads and Head Sassafras.

TUESDAY, 3rd—at Galena, Georgetown, Locust Grove, Harmony, Kennedyville and Still Pond.

WEDNESDAY, 4th—at Chestertown.

THURSDAY, 5th—Worton Heights, Bell Air, and Rees' Corner.

FRIDAY, 6th—at Forktown, Rock Hall and Quaker Neck.

The small Stores and Shops at unnamed places, in various parts of the County, will be attended to at convenience in passing from one more prominent point to another.

RICHARD S. USILTON,
apr16-3t. Standard Keeper.

GEORGE S. DEMPSEY,
versus
CHARLES C. WOOD,
AND OTHERS.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent County.

ORDERED by me, Jesse K. Hines, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, that the report of George Vickers, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Matthew J. Wood, deceased, in Kent county, in the above case, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before the first day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the first day of June next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $10,105.00.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

True copy—Test:
apr16-3t. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

MARYLAND:
KENT COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT.
APRIL 12, 1864.

On the application of Henrietta Rolph and George Vickers, Administrators of Richard S. Rolph, late of Kent county, deceased:

Ordered, That they 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 12th day of April, 1864. Test, JOS. P. IRELAND,
(SEAL)
Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice, that the subscribers, of Kent county, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Richard S. Rolph, 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 subscribers on or before the 30th day of October, 1864; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under our hands this 12th day of April, 1864.
HENRIETTA ROLPH,
GEORGE VICKERS,
a16-4t. Adm'rs of R. S. Rolph, dec'd.

HAVE YOU CALLED AT
THE PEOPLE'S POPULAR STORE,
to examine the large stock of GOODS. New Goods received nearly every week.
Apr. 9. W. A. VICKERS.

JUST received and for sale a fresh supply of CLOTHING, FLOUR, Spices, Lard, Tea, Brass mounted Trunks, and a very fine article of Chewing Tobacco, at low rates, by
apr9. JOHN H. BURCHINAL.

For Hire,

A YOUNG and active NEGRO GIRL, perfectly healthy, and accustomed to house work. Apply at the College. a9-3t.

Wanted

A BOY, from 15 to 17 years of age, to learn the harness making business. Good recommendation required. Apply to
HENRY PARR,
apr9-3t. Galena, Kent county, Md.

WOOL WANTED by
mh26. A. W. SPARKS.

1864. NEW GOODS! 1864

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
WM. VANNORT,

HAS just returned from the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore with a complete Stock of GOODS, which he invites the public to call and examine. His stock consists in part as follows:

DRY GOODS.

Bleached and Unbleached MUSLINS, CALICOES, PLAID DOMESTICS, GINGHAMS, PLAID LINSEY, STRIPE SHIRTING, CHECKS, DENIMS, CASSINETS, CASSIMERES, Sheeps Grey Sattinets, cheap. Mallalieu's fine and common Kersey, white Flannels, Red Flannels, Domestic Flannels. A beautiful assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

NOTIONS.—Ladies, Gents, Misses and children's woolen and cotton Hose and Gloves, Gents' Buck Gloves and Mitts, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, Gents' Collars, Neck Ties, &c.

Boots and Shoes.

Special attention is called to his stock of Boots and Shoes; Men's and Boy's coarse Boots, and fine Shoes; Women's Shoes in great variety. A complete assortment of children's Shoes. Men and Boy's HATS and CAPS.

Always on hand a complete stock of HARDWARE suitable for Building purposes.

GROCERIES in great variety.

The highest market price paid for country Produce.

No trouble to show Goods. Give us a call.
WILLIAM VANNORT.
Chestertown, April 16, 1864.

Spring Goods.
I. FRANK & BRO.,

HAVE laid in their first purchase of SPRING GOODS, and are now receiving additions to the same *EVERY WEEK.*

Those in want of anything in their line are cordially invited to give them a call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Entire satisfaction is guaranteed.
mch19 I. FRANK & BRO.

Labour Saving Machines!
REAPING and MOWING for 1864.
THE KIRBY Comb'd Mower & Reaper,
And **KIRBY CLIPPER MOWER,**

Highly improved for 1864, with hand rake and self-rake. Farmers wishing BEST MACHINE should order the KIRBY COMBINED at once. Machines and Parts for Repairs in store and for sale by me. The undersigned has been appointed agent at Chestertown for the sale of the above Machines. Persons desirous of obtaining a good Machine would do well to order early, as the demand for the above Machines will probably be greater than the manufacturers' can supply.

CHARLES STANLEY, Agent.
Chestertown, apr9tf.

DAILY LINE
For Baltimore, Philadelphia,
HAVRE DE GRACE, WILMINGTON, PORT DEPOSIT, &c.
THE STEAMER
JOHN F. RODMAN,

Is running from the Sassafras River to Havre de Grace, connecting with the early morning trains of Railroad cars for Baltimore, Philadelphia, Wilmington, &c.

Leaves Georgetown at 6 A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, touching at Betterton, and other landings on the river. Leaves Betterton daily (except Sundays) at 8 A. M.

Returning to Georgetown, touching at Betterton and other landings, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; leaving Havre de Grace about 11 o'clock, A. M., on arrival of morning trains from Philadelphia and Baltimore. To Betterton (daily except Sundays,) leaving Havre de Grace on arrival of cars as above.

Passengers by this route will reach Baltimore or Philadelphia by 1 to 1½ o'clock, P. M.

Through Tickets will be sold upon the Boat to Baltimore and Philadelphia, and for "Sassafras River," by R. R. Company.

Baggage will be checked on the boat, and conveyed to and from the cars, thus saving any trouble or anxiety to the owners.

FREIGHT carried at fair rates, but must be pre-paid to Havre de Grace, either way.

Kent county, Md., Apr. 9, 1864-tf.

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned, as agent, will offer at private sale, until

THURSDAY, the 21st of April inst.,

and if not sold by that day, he will then offer at PUBLIC SALE at the Tavern Porch of Jos. O. Rasin, in Chestertown, at 3 o'clock, P. M.,

A DWELLING HOUSE,
AND LOT OF LAND,

Containing about 30 Acres, more or less,

lying and being on the north side of the main road leading from Chestertown to Millington, and near New Market, in Kent county. It being the same land deeded to James Doman, (colored,) by a certain Thomas Titus, by deed, bearing date the 21st day of January, 1846, and recorded among the land records of Kent County.

TERMS OF SALE.—$550 to be paid by the purchaser on the day of sale, and the residue to be secured by bond and mortgage.

A. W. SPARKS, Agent.
Cheetertown, Apr. 9, 1863—ts.

HARRISON'S
PLANT FERTILIZER,
A PERFECT FOOD FOR EVERY VARIETY OF FARM & GARDEN CROP.

The invention of the compound bearing the foregoing title, was prompted by the conviction, that no means of fertilization, either natural or artificial, yet existed to meet the demands of Agriculture and its kindred interests, or re-supply the nutritive elements which present methods were constantly removing from the soil, and with the means of but partial and very limited restoration.

It contains all the elements of nutrition, for every plant, shrub and tree, and their seeds, grains and fruits, cultivated for the use or benefit of man or the lower animals. It will furnish every element requisite for the most rapid, equable and enlarged growth, the most perfect structure of every organ of each plant, the most mature development of their fruit, and consequently, the most healthy constitution possible to attain. It will give fertility to the most barren soils, and maintain the highest fertility in all soils. ☞ Descriptive Circulars, of its character, properties and uses, and testimonials of its great practical results—sent free by mail. *Price not advanced*—$50 per ton, of 2000 lbs., in bags of 200 lbs., each—net cash.

ALEXANDER HARRISON,
INVENTOR & PROPRIETOR,
a9-3m. No. 611 Commerce Street, Philad'a.

THE STALLION
MORGAN BLACK HAWK,

May be seen at the Stables of Mr. J. O. Rasin, Chestertown, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week, until June 20th of the current year. MORGAN BLACK HAWK is a son of old "Vermont Black Hawk."

Letters of inquiry may be addressed to
S. D. M. WILLIAMS,
Crumpton, Md.
Chestertown, Apr. 2, 1864—1m.

SHIRTS.—Received a splendid stock of Cassimer Shirts. Also, Hosiery, Neck Ties, and Pocket Books, for sale by
feb12. I. FRANK & BRO.

TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY
Of Kent, Queen Ann's and OTHER COUNTIES.

THE GREATEST INDUCEMENT ever yet offered in CHEAP GOODS of desirable styles, quality and durability, we now have opened for exhibition, at our Cash Store, corner of HIGH AND COURT STREETS, Chestertown, *consisting in part, as follows:*

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, TWEEDS, BOY'S WEAR, SATTINETS, Flannels, Alpaccas, fine Delanes and Cashmeres, Lawns, Mozambiques, Challies, Prints of splendid styles, Irish Linens, fine L. C. Hdk'fs, Swiss, mull and other muslins, Bed Tick, Domestic Plaids, Ginghams, Stripe Shirtings, Suspenders, Ties and Scarfs, &c.

ALSO,

The largest lot of Hoop Skirts of all descriptions which we have ever offered, together with all kinds of NOTIONS, Soaps, Perfumery, Dress Trimmings, Ladies' Collars, Chokers, Cuffs, &c.

ALSO,

HARDWARE, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Iron-ware, Wooden-ware, Tin-ware, Brooms, Rope, wrought and Cut Nails, &c.

ALSO,

All descriptions of GROCERIES and TEAS with other Goods adapted to that branch of business. ALSO

A general assortment of China, Glass, and Queensware, Crockery-ware, stone, Hollow and Earthen Ware, &c.

ALSO,

CARPETING, Ingrain, Hemp, Rag, Canton Matting, Floor Oil Cloths, Table do., Window Curtains, &c. ALSO,

The greatest assortment of Ladies and Gents, Misses, Boys, Youths and Children's BOOTS and SHOES, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., all of superior material and workmanship.

ALSO,

A general assortment of COAL OIL LAMPS, Fixings, Burners, Chimneys, Shades, &c., together with an endless variety of all kinds of articles too lengthy for detail, *all of which we pledge ourselves to sell as low if not lower than can be bought on this Shore.*

☞ All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods at the highest market rates

JAS. R. CHANCE & SONS.
Chestertown, April 2, 1864.

New Spring Goods!
OPENED
On This Saturday Morning,
BY
WICKES & BRO.

CHESTERTOWN, March 12th, 1864.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.
NEW SPRING STYLES,
just opened by WICKES & BRO.
Chestertown, March 12, 1864.

LADIES' French Stays, Hoop Skirts, Hosiery, and Kid Gloves, all just received by
March 12, 1864. WICKES & BRO.

ALPACAS, BOMBAZINE, and Black Dress Silks, black Gloves and Mourning Hdk'fs, and a large assortment of Mourning Goods generally, all now on hand and for sale at small advances, by WICKES & BRO.
March 12, 1864.

GARDEN SEEDS—Seed Peas and Beans, warranted fresh, in store and for sale by
March 12, 1864. WICKES & BRO.

WICKES & BRO.

CALL the attention of their acquaintance to a superior lot of

New Spring CLOTHING,

made up in the best manner and of superior material, and which they are selling at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction.

Chestertown, March 12, 1864.

PREPARE FOR HARVEST.
THE "KIRBY REAPER."

THE undersigned having been appointed agent for the sale of the above Machine in the lower part of Kent county, takes this method of informing the Farmers of that part of the county, that he is prepared to furnish them at Manufacturer's prices, with a COMBINED REAPER AND MOWER, that cannot be excelled in the country, just such a machine as every Farmer needs at this time, when labor is so scarce.

It Reaps, It Mows, It Rakes!

A perfect Reaper, a perfect Mower, a perfect Self-Raker, and a perfect hand raker.

All Machines sold by him will be put in running order, and the following warranty given if required:

WARRANTY—That they are well built, of good material, and capable of cutting with one span of horses an acre of grass or grain per hour. The purchaser to have the privilege of cutting two acres of grass or grain as a trial of the Machine. If it should not work well he shall give notice to the agent, and allow him time to send a person to put it in order; if it cannot then be made to work satisfactorily it will be taken back and considered no sale.

Early orders solicited.

GEORGE H. THOMPSON, Agent
Near Edesville.

The CLIPPER MOWER, the Cheapest and best single Mower in the world. apr2-3t.

B. G. TUBMAN & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 102 Light Street Wharf,
BALTIMORE.

FISH, POULTRY, EGGS, BEEVES, Calves, Lambs, &c., &c., received and sold at the highest market prices Cash returns made punctually by return Boat. *We guarantee entire satisfaction* and solicit a trial.

We are always in attendance at the steamers on their arrival, and will pay strict attention to all consignments made us. Our Warehouse is immediately opposite the Steamers "Chester" and "Arrow's" Wharf, where we have on hand a large and well selected assortment of GROCERIES and LIQUORS, at wholesale and retail, which we will dispose of at the lowest market prices. [mh26-1m.]

CLAIMS

FOR GOVERNMENT and STATE BOUNTY for ENLISTED SLAVES, promptly attended to by

JOHN V. L. FINDLEY,
Attorney at Law,
22 Law Buildings, Baltimore.

Communications must enclose a stamp.

There is no difficulty in the way of obtaining the State bounty. REFERENCE—Geo. B. Westcott, Esq., Chestertown. [m19-5t]

CARLIN & FULTON,
(Successors to Jessop & Fulton,)
IMPORTERS OF
HARDWARE,
NO. 4, HANOVER STREET, BALTIMORE.

ARTHUR EMORY, OF QUEEN ANN'S CO., } SALESMAN.

Would respectfully call the attention of merchants visiting the city to our fine assortment of HARDWARE, it being well adapted to the wants of the Eastern Shore trade. [m19-3m.]

GENTLEMEN will find a splendid variety of the Newest Style Furnishing Goods, in Shirts, Neck Ties, Scarfs, Collars, Suspenders, Pocket Hdk'fs, and all other articles appertaining to a gentleman's full dress, at
apr2. L. MASTBAUM'S.

S. D. M. WILLIAMS,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
apr2-tf. CRUMPTON, KENT CO., MD.

1864. FASHIONS 1864.

For Spring!

THE LARGEST STOCK of MEN and BOY'S FASHIONABLE
SPRING CLOTHING,

Ever offered in Chestertown, is now ready for Examination at the OLD ESTABLISHED STAND AND POPULAR CLOTHING HOUSE OF

L. Mastbaum,

Comprising all the LATEST NOVELTIES of the Season, which for WORKMANSHIP, STYLE and DURABILITY, are *UNSURPASSED* by any other house on the Peninsula, and will be sold at prices

Defying all Competition!

☞ AN EARLY CALL ☜
from our old as well as new patrons, is respectfully solicited ☜

ALSO OPENING
A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT
OF
GENTLEMEN'S
Furnishing Goods,

selected with great care from the Philadelphia and New York markets,
AT REASONABLE RATES.
L. MASTBAUM.
Chestertown, March 12, 1864.

For Sale or Rent.

THE subscriber offers at private sale, or for rent, the place on which he now resides, situated on Swan Creek, formerly called Page's Point, and now known as Humphrey's Point, containing *TEN ACRES,* more or less, of EXCELLENT LAND.

The Improvements consist of a substantial and commodious two-story *BRICK DWELLING,* containing six rooms, with a two-story back building, all in good repair, together with a good Stable and Shedding. The location is exceedingly beautiful and pleasant. Oysters and Fish may be had in abundance There are on the premises small Apple, Peach, and English Walnut Orchards. It is a good stand for a store, and a profitable business might be done.

There is a large Granary and good WHARF on the premises, affording every facility for running grain and marketing of all kinds to the city of Baltimore, distant only about twenty-five miles.

It is an excellent location for a Canning Establishment, for either Oysters or Fruit, or both. There are many fine Peach Orchards in the vicinity, and fruit in abundance could be obtained at reasonable prices; and Oysters also, which can be delivered at the wharf. The advantages of the situation for a business of this kind cannot be too highly appreciated. Possession can be given at any time.

Apply to DARIUS COLEMAN,
Rock Hall P. O., Kent county, Md
Feb. 20, 1864—tf.

HO, for the CHEAP CORNER!
NEW STORE in Chestertown.
(Corner of Main and Queen Streets,)
Nearly opposite the Post Office.
JOHN H. BURCHINAL,

ANNOUNCES to the citizens of Kent and Queen Ann's county, that he has opened a NEW STORE in Chestertown, on the corner of Main and Queen Streets, formerly known as Bacchus' Corner, and recently occupied by Mr. W. Hudgins, and has just opened a fine assortment of

CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
Groceries,
HATS AND SHOES,
QUEENS-WARE, GLASS-WARE,
China-ware, Wooden-ware,
Tin-ware, Iron-ware,

BRIDLES, COLLARS, TRUNKS, VALISES, and a variety of other Goods, VERY CHEAP according to the times.

These Goods were all purchased at the lowest prices for cash, with 10 per cent. off, and will be sold accordingly.

COUNTRY PRODUCE of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods.

JOHN H. BURCHINAL.
Chestertown, March 26, 1864.

SPRING
CLOTHING.

GIVE ME A CALL
AND AFFORD ME THE PLEASURE
OF SHOWING YOU MY
NEW GOODS.
JAMES H. SMITH.
March 12, 1864.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE.

INCOME FOR 1863, AND ANNUAL TAXES FOR 1864.

The attention of tax-payers is hereby called to the provisions of the United States Excise law, relative to the assessment for annual taxes.

By the sixth section of the act of July 1, 1862, it is made the duty of all persons, partnerships, firms, associations, or corporations, made liable to any annual duty, license, or tax, *on or before the first Monday of May in each year,* to make a list or return to the Assistant Assessor of the District where located of the amount of annual income, the articles or objects charged with a special tax, and the business or occupation liable to pay any license.

Every person who shall fail to make such return by the day specified will be liable to be assessed by the Assessor according to the best information which he can obtain; and in such case the Assessor is required to add fifty per centum to the amount of the items of such list. Every person who shall deliver to an Assessor any false or fraudulent list or statement, with intent to evade the valuation or enumeration required by law, is subject to a fine of five hundred dollars; and in such case the list will be made out by the Assessor or Assistant Assessor, and from the valuation and enumeration so made there can be no appeal.

Payment of the annual taxes, except those for licenses, will not be demanded until the thirtieth day of June.

The appropriate blanks on which to make return, and all necessary information, will be furnished by W. H. LAMBERT, Assistant Assessor for the 7th Division, to whom the returns should be delivered on or before the first Monday of May, at his office, in Chestertown.

GEORGE M. RUSSUM,
U. S. Assessor, 1st District, Maryland.
April 2, 1864.—4t.

PERSONAL.

L. MASTBAUM has again returned from the city, and will be pleased to see his friends and the public at the old established CORNER STAND, nearly opp. the Town Hall. ap2.

A WORD TO THE WISE.

Any body who has 25 cents to spare, should not fail to secure one of those really handsome little Bows, which are exhibited for sale by I. FRANK & BRO.

HATS AND CAPS—Spring Styles—now opening at L. MASTBAUM'S.

VALUABLE FARM
FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at private sale his FARM, situated near the I. U. Church, in Kent county, Maryland, within seven miles of Chestertown, called

"MOUNT PLEASANT,"

Containing TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY ACRES OF LAND. There have been ten thousand bushels of Schuylkill Lime applied to the land. One of the fields has been limed a second time over.

The Farm now is laid off in four fields, with a running stream of water through each, and there can be five or six acres of meadow land attached to each field. It could be laid off into five fields to great advantage. The fencing is in good condition.

THE DWELLING HOUSE is small but very comfortable, in good repair, and the Out-Buildings in good order. The Water is as good as any man can wish for. There are from

900 TO 1,000 PEACH TREES

on the farm, in full bearing, five and six years old. Also, 100 APPLE TREES, three years old of different varieties of choice fruit, and 25 do., in bearing, six years old.

The Farm lies within three quarters of a mile of two Churches, Episcopal and Methodist; within a mile and a half of a school house; within a half mile of a saw mill, and within three quarters of a mile of a Grist Mill. It is also within one mile of a good Landing on Still Pond Creek, and within three miles of the Chesapeake Bay.

Possession given January 1st, 1865.

For further particulars and terms, apply in person, or by letter, to

JOHN H. GEMMILL,
mh12-tf. Chestertown, Md.

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 thro' 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 —— 1864, 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 law requires 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, state 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.

—— ——, 1864. ——

The applicant must then make oath to the Clerk to the following effect, that he has 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 thereto, 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 to be done. If the said rent or annual value does not exceed $100 the rate is $25 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

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 for 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 performers, 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. S. W. CALEB,
Sheriff of Kent county.

New License Laws,
Passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, at the Regular Session, commencing Jan. 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 pedlars, 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 ever 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, 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.

Section 2 And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the 30th 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 30th 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 freeholders, 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 court of this State; and the said feme-covert may be sued, or indited 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 judgement 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 of April next.

The foregoing are truly taken and copied from the laws recently received from the Comptroller.

JESSE K. HINES,
apr2. Clerk Circuit Court Kent Co.