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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Edwin Crouch, David Clements, and William F. Smyth, against the goods and chattles, lands and tenements of John T. Hurtt, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest and claim of the said John T. Hurtt, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

1 HOUSE AND LOT,

in Galena, now occupied by the said Hurtt, with the Improvements thereon.

1 Horse, and Carriage and Harness.

And I hereby give notice, that on *SATURDAY, the 14th of May*, 1864, at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M and three o'clock, P. M., I will sell the said property, so seized and taken in execution, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the said debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon. SAMUEL W. CALEB, Shff.

Sheriffs' Office, Chestertown, April 23, 1864. } ts.

NEW
SPRING GOODS.

T. W. Eliason,

HAS NOW OPEN A NEW *STOCK OF GOODS*, purchased in Philadelphia at the lowest rates for cash, and for sale at moderate profits.

His stock embraces a good assortment of

DRY GOODS,

for the season, also
FUR AND WOOL HATS,
BOOTS, SHOES, BALMORALS & GAITERS,
HARDWARE and CUTLERY,
OIL CLOTHS, WINDOW SHADES,
GROCERIES, &c., &c.

His customers and the public are invited to examine his assortment.

April 16, 1864.

SPRING MILLINERY.

MRS. SARAH PEARCE

HAS just returned from the city with a handsome assortment of SPRING MILLINERY, embracing the latest styles and patterns of BONNETS, RIBBONS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, and everything in the Millinery line. The ladies are respectfully invited to examine her goods and prices.

Thankful for past patronage, she respectfully requests a continuance of the same.

Store next house below the residence of Mr. John T. Dodd. [apr16-2m.]

Mrs. C. R. Fiddis,

HAS received her SPRING and Summer stock of CHOICE MILLINERY, embracing Hoop Skirts, &c., and is now prepared to show her customers an elegant selection of the latest Paris Novelties, among which are beautiful French Bonnets, &c.

Thankful for the liberal patronage received, she will endeavor to deserve a continuation of the same. Respectfully,

C. R. FIDDIS,

Market Space, rear of the M. E. Church.

P. S.—A choice selection of Embroideries, Trimmings, Hoop Skirts, &c. apr16tf.

TO THE LADIES!
NEW MILLINERY
AND
FANCY GOODS!

MRS. L. C. SHAW has just returned from the city with a large stock of FASHIONABLE SPRING MILLINERY, embracing BONNETS, ready made and trimmed, FANCY GOODS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, &c., &c., which were bought at the lowest cash prices, and will be sold accordingly.

An early call from the Ladies is respectfully invited. ☞Store at the old stand on Queen Street. [Apr. 16, 1864—3t.]

SOMETHING NEW
FOR THE LADIES!

MRS. ANN M. REGISTER will open at Church Hill, Queen Ann's Co., an extensive stock of MILLINERY direct from PARIS via New York, every week. Among her stock are Misses trimmed HATS,—Straw, Crape and Silk. No town or city can surpass her in style or material. It will give her pleasure to show her superb stock on the 28th, 29th, and 30th of this month, and at any time thereafter during the season. The Ladies of Kent and Queen Ann's are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves. apr16tf.

(Citizen, Centreville, copy 3t.)

Lost or Mislaid

A BUNDLE of papers, containing several Policies of Insurance, Bonds, Notes of hand, and Copies of Judgments. The undersigned will handsomely reward any person or persons who will return the said papers. They are worthless to any one except myself.

apr16—3t. A. W. SPARKS.

FOR SALE,

TWO BAY MARES—one ten years old, thoroughly broken to harness, and finely gaited for the saddle. The other 16 years old, perfectly safe and well broken. Will be sold upon moderate terms, for part cash, and a short credit for the balance. Apply at the Kent News office. (a16-3t.)

Estray.

WAS accidentally driven off from Chestertown, in a drove of cattle, on Monday last, a deep yellow COW, 3 years old, with tip of horns sawed off. As the Cow was fresh with milk and unable to travel far, it is probable she has been left on the road between Chestertown and Galena. A liberal reward will be paid for her return to the undersigned, or for any information that will lead to her recovery.

PERE CHAMBERS,
apr16—3t. Chestertown.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT,
PRACTICAL SMITHS,

CALL the attention of Farmers to their facilities for manufacturing Steel-tooth CULTIVATORS and HOES of all kinds.

Farmers would do well to examine their Reapers and other implements, and send them to our shop for repairs. "A stitch in time saves nine." [Chestertown, a16-3m.]

DWARF BROOM CORN.

I HAVE for sale DWARF BROOM CORN SEED. This broom corn is preferable to the old kind, as it will grow thicker and does not require bending down.

LOUIS HEPBRON,
apr16-3t. Still Pond.

Notice.

THE taxable inhabitants of School District No. 6, in the 2nd School and 4th Election District of Kent county, are requested to meet at the School House, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, April 30th at 2 o'clock, P. M., to determine whether said District shall be altered or not. apr-3t*

WOOL WANTED by
mh26. A. W. SPARKS.

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.

1864. LATEST NEWS 1864.
FROM
THE FRONT!

Gentlemen's Fine Furnishing Goods.
Gentlemen's Fine Furnishing Goods.
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Gentlemen's Fine Furnishing Goods.

SPLENDID SILK SCARFS for Spring,
SPLENDID SILK SCARFS for Spring,
SPLENDID SILK SCARFS for Spring,
With SCARF PIN attached, at $1.25.
With SCARF PIN attached, at $1.25.

NECK TIES, NECK TIES,
NECK TIES, NECK TIES,
NECK TIES, NECK TIES,
IN ALL THE NEW COLORS,
IN ALL THE NEW COLORS,
From 15 Cents to $1.
From 15 Cents to $1.

Best Linen Three-Ply COLLARS,
Best Linen Three-Ply COLLARS,
Best Linen Three-Ply COLLARS,
AT THE OLD PRICES.
AT THE OLD PRICES.

FINE SHIRTS! FINE SHIRTS!

CASSIMERE SHIRTS, fine and wide Plait SHIRT FRONTS,
CRAVATS, Stocks, Suspenders, Pocket Hk'fs, *UNDER GARMENTS* of all descriptions and sizes, Half Hose Pocket Books, Hair Brushes, Combs, Scarf Pins, Sleeve Buttons, and
PAPER COLLARS! PAPER COLLARS,
JUST RECEIVED AT THE

Popular Establishment
OF
L. MASTBAUM.

Chestertown, April 16, 1864.—1m.

FOR THE
HARVEST OF 1864.

THOMAS NORRIS,

Dealer in Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds,

Warehouse 114 Pratt St., Baltimore,

Would respectfully call the attention of FARMERS to the following superior Machines:

WOODS' Self-Raking Reaper, worked by one man and two *good* horses.

Woods' Prize Mower, now recognized as the best Mower in this country or Europe.

Woods' Combined Reaper and Mower, a light two-horse Machine

MANNY'S Combined Reaper and Mower.

Westinghouse Horse Powers, Threshers and Cleaners, well known, and of high reputation.

In addition to the above, I have for sale other good Reaping and Mowing Machines, Horse Powers and Threshers, Implements and Machinery of every description. Please read below copy of a letter from a highly respectable gentleman of Kent Co., who purchased a Reaper of me in 1862.

Extras for the *Manny* and all the above named Machines kept on hand for repairs.

Descriptive Pamphlets and Circulars furnished upon application.

THOMAS NORRIS,
141 PRATT STREET, near LIGHT, Baltimore

CHESTERTOWN, MD., Mar. 15, 1864.

Mr. Thomas Norris.—Dear Sir: I now reply to your request to say how I liked Woods' Reaper. I have been using it two years with great satisfaction, and without the cost of a cent for repairs. As a Self-Raker I think it has no equal. I believe mine was worth one hundred dollars to me the first harvest, as the wheat was down and tangled the worst I ever saw.—Five hundred dollars in gold would not buy mine to-day, were I sure I could not get another. Very respectfully, yours,

apr16tf. JOHN F. MELVIN.

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.

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

feb13. I. FRANK & BRO.

GILLING TWINE AND ROPE.—The undersigned has just received a lot of very superior 3 cord Irish Gilling Twine.

apr16. A. W. SPARKS.

United States Ten-Forty Loan.

First National Bank of Baltimore.

DESIGNATED DEPOSITARY AND FINANCIAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Baltimore having been designated as Financial Agent and Depositary of the United States in the City of Baltimore, is now prepared to receive subscriptions on account of United States Bonds authorized by the act of March 3d, 1864, bearing date March 1st, 1864, redeemable at the pleasure of the Government after ten years, and payable forty years from date, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable in Gold *annually* on Bonds not over one hundred dollars, and *semi-annually* on all other Bonds.

Subscribers may have the option of Registered or Coupon Bonds, as they may prefer.

The accrued Interest from the 1st of March to date of subscription will be payable in coin; or in United States notes or the notes of National Banks—adding fifty per cent. premium until further notice; or interest may commence from date of subscription.

Coupon Bonds are now nearly ready for delivery, and Registered Bonds are expected on or before the 30th April next.

Subscriptions and remittances will be received at the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE.

ap16-3m. J. S. NORRIS, Cashier.

HEAVY PURCHASES
OF ALL KINDS OF
Spring Goods.

NEARLY every line of our stock is largely increased—purchased at the Lowest Cash Prices. We would respectfully ask an examination of our late purchases.

All goods warranted as represented.

Farmers would do well to examine.

All Produce wanted.

Respectfully, W. A. VICKERS.

SPRING
CLOTHING.

GIVE ME A CALL

AND AFFORD ME THE PLEASURE

OF SHOWING YOU MY

NEW GOODS.

JAMES H. SMITH.

March 12, 1864.

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.

The Only Agricultural Journal in Maryland.

MARYLAND FARMER
AND MECHANIC,

A MONTHLY PERIODICAL PUBLISHED BY

S. S. MILLS & CO.,

(The senior partner formerly interested in the "Rural Register,") No. 24 S. Calvert St., Corner of Mercer, BALTIMORE,

And Devoted to AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE, Rural Economy, Household Affairs, and Mechanic Arts.

It is a RELIABLE and PRACTICAL Journal, devoted to the different departments of FIELD CULTURE, such as growing Field Crops, Orchard and Garden Fruits, Garden Vegetables and Flowers, Flowers for the lawn and yard, Trees and Plants, Care of Domestic Animals, &c., together with all subjects of a kindred nature interesting to the Farmer, Horticulturist, & Household. The "FARMER" contains 48 double column octavo pages, with a 4 page cover, making in the 12 numbers, 624 pages—printed on fine paper and clear type.

Published on the first of each month, at $1.50 per year—or six copies for $7.50—or 10 copies for $10, and a copy to the getter up of the club. Specimen copies furnish d gratis. a16.

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, Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

{SEAL}

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

West Nottingham Academy.

A BOARDING & DAY SCHOOL for BOYS, is located at West Nottingham, Cecil Co., five miles from Port Deposit, with which it is connected by daily stage. The location for beauty and healthfulness cannot be surpassed. It is singularly free from temptation, and is surrounded by a moral and intelligent population. Young Men are prepared for any of the college classes, or for the counting-house.

The next session commences the 2nd of May.

TERMS per session of twenty-two weeks including all expenses $75.

For particulars, address

GEO. K. BECHTEL, A. M., Principal,

Or Rev. S. A. GAYLEY, Pres't Board of Visitors, at West Nottingham, Cecil Co., Md.

Apr. 16, 1864—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.]

To Soldiers' Families.

BOUNTY,
PENSION,
BACK PAY,
Prize Money, &c., &c.

THE Widow, Child, Father, Mother, Brother or Sister of any officer, soldier or seaman, who dies in the service of the United States, is entitled to Bounty, Pension, or Back Pay, &c

Full information given, and all such claims promptly collected by

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

N. B.—All letters must contain stamp for reply. [jan23-tf]

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.

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 bonafide, 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 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.