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Governor's Message.

The Message of Governor Bowie was transmitted to the Legislature on Thursday of last week. It is a voluminous document, discussing ably and at length every subject of interest to the State. Its great length precludes the possibility of inserting it in full in our columns, and in lieu thereof we give the following synopsis of its contents:

The message begins with a pertinent reminder to the Legislature, in view of the great accumulation of business demanding attention, not to defer action upon important matters until the close of the session.

After a general enumeration of the material blessings which the State has enjoyed during the past two years, the Governor proceeds to a statement of the present condition of its finances. The aggregate of receipts into the treasury for the fiscal year ending September 30th (including a balance of $482,551 01 left over) was $3,484,641 59. The total disbursements for the same year were $3,039,301 18, leaving a balance of $445,340 41. The State debt for which interest has to be provided was, on the 30th September, $12,692,938 96. The productive assets of the State (bonds and stocks on which interest and dividends are promptly paid) amount to $7,228,413 13. Of unproductive assets the State owns $19,676,632 08. From various State officers (sheriffs, clerks of courts, &c.) there are due $1,562,151 89, of which sum, the Governor estimates, one million will be paid into the treasury. In reference to the unproductive investments, the Governor proposes to make the State's interest in the Chesapeake and Ohio canal and the condition of that important work the subject of a special communication. Confidence is expressed that at no distant day the State's investments in the different Eastern Shore railroads and the Annapolis and Elkridge road will prove remunerative. In view of the bad effect upon the credit of the State of having a debt approximating $13,000,000, when the use of her available assets would reduce it to about one-third of that amount, it is recommended that provision be made at the present session for the liquidation of loans already due or soon to mature.—The refusal of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad to pay the bonus to the State required by the act of 1832 is adverted to as creating a possible necessity for raising revenue from other sources—either by an increase of direct taxation, or by a tax per bushel on oysters and upon the revenues of foreign corporations, express and telegraph companies. The Governor favors the latter plan.

The next matter of importance treated in the message is the public school system. While the defects of the present law are freely acknowledged, belief is expressed that they may be cured by a more exact and authoritative superintendence of its operation. Preference is declared in favor of the appointment of a State board of education rather than vesting the needed supervisory power in the hands of a single individual. It is suggested that the county boards of school commissioners should be made corporate bodies and their duties more strictly defined. The claims of the colored population to have educational facilities provided for their children, and the interest of the State in the elevation of this class, are forcibly presented.

The attention given by the governments of Europe and of other States to measures for increasing the food supplies of the people, and the success which has crowned their efforts, particularly in the matter of oyster culture and fish culture generally, are adduced as additional arguments why proper legislation should be provided for the protection and development of the oyster beds and fisheries of this State, the importance and value of which, the Governor rightly thinks, cannot be overestimated.

The establishment of a State bureau in the city of Baltimore for the compilation and preservation of statistics and information generally regarding its agricultural, manufacturing, mining and mechanical interests is recommended.

Information is given of the present condition and needs of the Maryland penitentiary. It is shown that the increase of crime has been much greater among the blacks than the whites. The preferableness of the "Auburn" system, adopted in the penitentiary, of working the convicts by day and seperating them by night over the Pennsylvania "seperation" system of solitary confinement without labor, is demonstrated, and the urgent need of additional dormitory buildings is pressed upon the attention of the Legislature.

The repeal of the objectionable two-dollar militia tax and of the present enrollment system, which is admitted to be an expensive failure, is recommended.

The removal of the State pupils from the Deaf and Dumb Asylum in Washington city to the State institution at Frederick, now in successful operation, is recommended.

The flattering prospects of the city of Baltimore are the occasion of another digression and of sundry congratulatory observations.

The subject which occupies the greatest space in the message is the issue lately made by the president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company in regard to the State's claim to one-fifth of the receipts of the road from passenger travel on the Washington Branch. As to the grounds upon which the company bases its refusal to pay over one-fifth of its receipts as required by law, the Governor says they are understood to be: 1st, that the company had by its original charter the right to build lateral roads without the conditions exacted by the act of 1832; 2d, that the State has already received enough to compensate her for any risk she ran; 3d, that the payment to the State in the nature of a capitation tax upon passengers, therefore unconstitutional, according to the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Nevada case; 4th, that the Baltimore and Potomac road is a competing road, the building of which should relieve the Baltimore and Ohio road from further payment of the bonus.

The Governor reviews these reasons at length, and argues the futility of each and every one of them as affording any justification for the action of the company.—He further suggests that should the issue be pressed, it will be a question for the Legislature whether to release the company from the payment of the "bonus" on the Washington branch, and subject its whole capital and property—exceeding $50,000,000 in value, to such taxation as other corporations and interests are required to pay. He argues generally the constitutional right of the Legislature to repeal the exemption from taxation which the company now enjoys, or, if such exemption is to be regarded in the light of a contract, he holds that the refusal of the company to abide by its obligation to pay the one-fifth passenger receipts to the State amounts to a failure of consideration and consequent release of the State.—Whether, therefore, the Legislature decide voluntarily to relinquish the "bonds" or the company persevere in its refusal to pay, the Governor recommends that the question be tested by a repeal of the clauses exempting the property of the company from taxation.

The Governor recommends the appointment of a commission to digest and prepare a general system for the improvement of public roads throughout the State.

A reference to the commissioner of labor and agriculture of all claims arising under the act of 1867, chap. 148, for moneys illegally demanded and received by tobacco inspectors is recommended.

The proposed fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States next receives consideration in the message.—He argues that the amendment itself is in conflict with the inherent constitutional and sovereign right of every State to designate for itself the class of persons in whom political power within its borders shall be vested, and by whom it shall be exercised. He further says that to commit such power into the hands of the ignorant and vicious is "to invert the pyramid and place it on its apex." The fathers taught that the perpetuity of free institutions must rest on the virtue and intelligence of the citizens.

The Governor reverts to the claim of the State upon the United States for compensation for emancipated slaves, and supports his position by long quotations from a message of Governor Bradford and the inaugural address of Governor Swann.

The proposed World's Fair at Washington in 1871 is commended to the favorable consideration of the Legislature.

The appointment of a special commissioner to investigate and prosecute the claims of the State against the United States for expenditure during the war is suggested.

An appropriation for the burial of the Confederate dead at Antietam, excluded by the action of the trustees of the other States from the National Cemetery, and for the removal and reinterment within the State of the remains of Marylanders who fell at Gettysburg on the Confederate side, is recommended.

The condition of the State House and grounds and of the new government house comes in for a share of mention, and the necessity of an appropriation for the repair and preservation of the one and the completion and furnishing of the other is suggested.

The message closes with a recommendation to the Legislature to be "moderate and judicious" in the expenditure of the public money, and a reminder that again, for the second time in the history of the State, the representation in both branches of the Assembly is confined exclusively to one political party, and that as there is no divided responsibility to be shared, the people of both parties will look for a more faithful and strict discharge of duty, because of the very extrordinary measure of confidence reposed.

RATHER SEVERE ON THE MARYLAND MILITIA.—The Wilmington (Del.) *Commercial* is inclined to be funny at the expense of the militia system of Maryland. Alluding to Adjutant General Bier's recently published report, the *Commercial* says:

The adjutant General of Maryland suggests a new Militia law which provides for three honorable orders: "The Order of Merit," "The Order of Perfection," and "The Legion of Honor." It also provides that certificates of service for one, three and five years shall exempt the holders thereof from jury duty for three, five and tea years respectively. This is an excellent provision, and should be made to go further. Any man who is ass enough to be mixed up with this tomfoolery ought to be exempt from jury duty all his life, on the ground of mental imbecility.

PAYMENT OF THE NATIONAL DEBT.—Correspondence has been going on recently between United States Treasurer Spinner, and a gentleman in Germany, who has been the financial agent of the Duke of Baden for thirty years. He claims he has, by long study, discovered a mode by which the United States can resume specie payments without the use of coin, but he does not want to impart the secret without ample reward. Mr. Spinner replies that before long, by pursuing its present policy, our Government will be able to resume specie payments.

ALL the prisoners in Snow Hill jail escaped last week. They burned a hole in the ceiling; another through the roof, tied their blankets together and slipped to the ground.

Let Common Sense Decide.

What is the rational mode of procedure in cases of general debility and nervous prostration? Does not reason tell us that judicious stimulation is required. To resort to violent purgation in such a case is as absurd as it would be to bleed a starving man. Yet it is done every day. Yes, this stupid and unphilosophical practice is continued in the teeth of the *great fact* that physical weakness, with all the nervous disturbances that accompany it, is more certainly and rapidly relieved by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters than by any other medicine at present known. It is true that general debility is often attended with torpidity or irregularity of the bowels, and that this symptom must not be overlooked. But while the discharge of the waste matter of the system is expedited or regulated, its *vigor must be recruited*. The Bitters do both. They combine aperient and antibilious properties, with extraordinary tonic power. Even while removing obstructions from the bowels, they tone and invigorate those organs. Through the stomach, upon which the great vegetable specific acts directly, it gives a healthy and permanent impetus to every enfeebled function. Digestion is facilitated, the faltering circulation regulated, the blood reinforced with a new accession of the alimentary principle, the nerves braced, and all the dormant powers of the system roused into healthy action; not spasmodically, as would be the case if a mere stimulant were administered, but for a continuance. It is in this way that such extraordinary changes are wrought in the condition of the feeble, emaciated and nervous invalids by the use of this wonderful corrective, alterative and tonic. Let common sense decide between such a preparation and a prostrating cathartic supplemented by a poisonous astringent like strychnine or quinia.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, against William C. Meginniss at the suit of George D. Lobdell, I have seized and taken as the property of the said Meginniss, all that

WOOD LOT,

CONTAINING ABOUT 40 ACRES, lying in the Forest, in Kent county.

Also, A TEN ACRE WOOD LOT,

Near Chesterville, adjoining lands of Dr. Pennington and Jervis Spencer.

And I hereby give notice, that on

MONDAY, the 31st of January, 1870,

At Massey's Cross Roads,

beginning at eleven o'clock, A. M., I will sell the said land and premises to the highest bidder, to satisfy the said writ of execution, and the costs due and to become due thereon.

JOSEPH E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 8, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County and to me directed at the suit of Samuel C. Smith against the goods and chattels lands and tenements of Morris Ascher, I have seized and taken into execution all the right title claim and interest of the said Ascher, in and to the following property:

2 HORSES, DEARBON & HARNESS, A LOT OF STORE GOODS,

And the Store House and Dwelling.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Wednesday, the 2nd of February, 1870,

at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Court House in Chestertown, I will sell the said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon. JOS. E. GILPIN,

jan8-ts Late Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of three writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of George Vickers, one at the suit of N. G. Westcott, and one at the suit of Wickes & Brother, against the goods and chattels of Charles H. Jewell, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Jewell, of, and to

7 HORSES, 20 CATTLE, 18 SHEEP, 18 HOGS, 1 Carriage and Harness, 1 Wagon and Harness, Farming Utensils, Household Goods,

And interest in Corn and Wheat crops on the farm where he lives.

And I hereby give notice, that on

FRIDAY, the 21st of January, 1870,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the residence of said Jewell, I will sell the said property for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JOS. E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 8, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Wickes & Bro., against the goods and chattels of Elias Walraven, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Walraven, of, in and to

5 HORSES, 6 CATTLE, 22 SHEEP, 11 HOGS, 1 Carriage and Harness, Wagon and Harness, Farming Implements, Household Goods and Corn Crop.

And I hereby give notice, that on

FRIDAY, the 21st of January, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the residence of the said Walraven, I will sell said property for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

J. E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 8, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Alexander Maxwell, against the goods and chattels of Ambrose Spear, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Spear, of, in and to

4 HORSES, 2 COWS, 6 HOGS, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Carriage and Harness, lot of Farming Implements, Household Goods, and interest in Crop of Wheat seeded.

And I hereby give notice, that on

THURSDAY, the 20th January, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the residence of the said Spear, I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon

J. E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 8, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Robert Blackway against the goods and chattels of Joseph Morris, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Morris, of, in and to

1 PAIR MULES, 2 HORSES, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Carriage and Harness, Farming Implements and Household Goods.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, the 25th January, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the premises of said Morris, I will sell said property for cash to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

J. E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 10, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Thomas J. Shallcross against the lands and tenements of James R. Redding, I have seized and taken in execution all the interest of said Redding in and to one

HOUSE AND LOT IN GALENA.

And I hereby give notice, that on

WEDNESDAY, the 2d February, 1870,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell 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.

JOS. E. GILPIN, late Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County, and to me directed, at the suit of George Vickers, Trustee, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Abel J. Rees, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Abel J. Rees in and to the following property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES, 3 Cows, 2 Yoke of Oxen, 25 Sheep, 1 Carriage and Harness, and Household Furniture, the property known as Rees' Corner, and the farm called 'Tolchester.'

And I hereby give notice, that on

WEDNESDAY, 2d of February, 1870,

at 12½ o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, 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 costs due and to become due thereon. JOS. E. GILPIN, late Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of 2 writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County, and to me directed, one at the suit of Jesse Morris, against the Goods and Chattels of Thomas H. Wright, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Thomas H. Wright, in and to the following property:

7 HORSES, 15 CATTLE, 15 HOGS, 2 Wagons, 1 ox-Cart, 1 Carriage and Harness, Farming Implements, Household Goods.

And I hereby give notice that on

Thursday, the 20th, of January, 1870,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.

on the premises, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the said property so seized and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JOS. E. GILPIN, Late Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of 4 writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent county and to me directed, one at the suit of Geo. Z. Greenwood, one at the suit of A. H. Willson, one at the suit of H. L. Tatman & Co., and one at the suit of S. Constable and wife, use of others, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Joseph C Rasin, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of said Rasin, in and to the following property:

1 HORSE, 1 CARRIAGE, 2 COWS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

A HOUSE AND LOT in Still Pond,

A FARM in Still Pond Neck, and the Corn Crop thereon.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Wednesday, the 2nd of February, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, 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 costs due and to become due thereon. JOS. E. GILPIN, late Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County, and to me directed, at the suit of William Cating, against the goods and chattels of John W. Fogwell, and Other M. Fogwell, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said John W. Fogwell, and Other M. Fogwell, of, in and to the following property:

1 HORSE, 2 COWS, 1 DEARBORN AND HARNESS.

belonging to John W. Fogwell, and the following property, belonging to Other M. Fogwell: 5 Horses, 7 Cattle, 12 Sheep, 9 Hogs, Household Goods, and Farming Implements, and the Corn and Wheat Crops, on the Farm where he lives.

And I hereby give notice, that on

Wednesday, the 19th of January, 1870,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., at Bell Air, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the said property so seized and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

JOS. E. GILPIN, Late Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of 3 writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court of Kent county and to me directed, one at the suit of James Spear, one at the suit of L. & S. Hecht, and one at the suit of R. M. and John T. Smyth, executors of Wm. F. Smyth, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenments of Jefferson McWhorter, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said McWhorter in and to the following property:

4 HEAD OF HORSES, 3 CATTLE, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Carriage and Harness, Farming Implements, and the Farm where he lives.

And I hereby give notice, that on

WEDNESDAY, 2d of February, 1870,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell the said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JOS. E. GILPIN, late Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 8, 1870—ts.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County, and to me directed at the suit of George R. Reed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of James S. Gemmill, and Ann M. Porter, I have taken into execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said James S. Gemmill and Ann M. Porter, in and to the following property:

All the interest of James S. Gemmill, in and to 9 Horses, 20 Cattle, 15 Hogs, 1 Wagon & Harness, 2 Ox-carts, 1 Carriage & Harness, Wheat Crop, Household and Kitchen Furniture, and the FARM on which he resides, and Farming Implements. All the interest of Ann M. Porter, in and to 1 Cow, 4 Hogs, 1 Carriage and Harness interest in THREE FARMS on the railroad.

And I hereby give notice that on

Wednesday, the 2nd of February, 1870,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the said property so seized and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due, and to become due thereon. JOS. E. GILPIN,

jun8-tf. Late Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni exponas, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of M. M. Marple & Co., against the goods and chattels of T. P. Kennedy, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Kennedy, of, in and to

Lot of STORE GOODS AND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, the 22nd January, 1870,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the residence of said Kennedy, I will sell the said property for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

J. E. GILPIN, Late Shff.

Chestertown, Jan. 8, 1870.

SAMUEL C. GLEAVES,

RESPECTFULLY informs his customers and the public generally that he has removed to the

CORNER STORE, UP TOWN,

formerly occupied by Mr. James W. Phillips, and has now in store, and will keep constantly on hand a large and choice assortment of

GROCERIES, SUGAR, COFFEE,

TEA, &c., GOOD TOBACCO AND SEGARS.

I have also a full assortment of

Liquors of all kinds,

consisting of American and Foreign WINES, BRANDIES and GINS; also good OLD RYE and BOURBON WHISKEY, at the LOWEST PRICES for Cash or Country Produce.

Please call and examine my stock of goods.

SAMUEL C. GLEAVES.

Chestertown, Aug. 21, 1869.

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Look Here!

STANLEY & SON,

Opposite the Kent National Bank,

Are receiving a large and well selected stock of

NEW FURNITURE,

which they will sell at the lowest rates for CASH. They have ONE PRICE ONLY for their goods, and sell to all alike. Give them a call before purchasing elsewhere.

UNDERTAKING.

We are still engaged in the undertaking business, and are prepared to execute all orders in that line at the shortest notice, and will guarantee satisfaction both in price and quality of work. STANLEY & SON,

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JAMES L. BEWLEY & CO.,

404 S. DELAWARE AVENUE, PHILADELPHIA,

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Produce Commission Merchants

Also, Agents for the sale of the best

SUPER-PHOSPHATES,

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Prepared in Pennsylvania.

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T. W. Eliason, Chestertown, Kent Co.
John S. Hurlock, Kent county. d25-6m.

K. N. R.

ATTENTION!

1st

To my LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF GOODS, embracing the largest and best assortment of all descriptions. It would be impossible to enumerate the various kinds and qualities that I keep, and the only way to find out is to give me a call, and save money by buying of me for the Cash!

2d

To my full and beautiful line of CASIMERES, bought to match in suits; together with an assortment of BEAVER & FRENCH CLOTHS for Overcoats; and to the fact that Mr. E. J. MOLINEAS, Fashionable Tailor, formerly of Philadelphia, now occupies rooms over my Store. I am therefore prepared to furnish to order CLOTHING of all styles, to suit the most fastidious.

3d

I am agent for the justly celebrated

Grover & Baker Sewing Machines,

which I keep constantly on hand in a room fitted up for the purpose, where they are open for inspection to all that wish to purchase.—This Machine is so well and favorably known that it needs nothing but an examination to accomplish a sale.

4th

Lastly, I call the attention of my customers to my complete

STOCK OF LIQUORS,

consisting in Whiskey, Brandy, Wine, Gin, &c., which I will keep constantly on hand until further notice. Especial attention is called to my superior Old Cognac Brandy, Holland Gin and pure Rye Whiskey, which I bought expressly for Medical purposes and family use.

☞ Any of the above articles can be bought cheap for cash at

E. W. PURNELL'S,

GALENA, MD.

N. B.—Country Produce, and Poulty dressed for the Philadelphia market, taken in exchange for merchandise, or the cash.

Nov. 13, 1869—tf.

NEW Cheap Cash Store! IN GALENA!

THOMAS H. HORSEY.

"Come one! come all! this rock shall fly
From its firm base as soon as I."
Fitz James spoke thus to Rhoderic Dhu,
And so kind friends will say to you

THAT WE INTEND TO SELL

Goods as Cheap as they can be bought in Kent!

We now offer to the public at LOW RATES for CASH or Country Produce, a general assortment of GOODS just purchased from NEW YORK and PHILADELPHIA.

OUR STOCK OF DRY GOODS

IS HARD TO BEAT.

Always on hand a full supply of

Family Groceries and Choice Liquors

A well selected stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
Builders' and Housekeeping
HARDWARE,
QUEENS, STONE
and CEDAR WARE

a full stock in this line to suit all tastes.

Ladies' Dress Goods,

WHITE GOODS, Notions and Trimmings, we make a speciality.

Mallalieu's Kerseys and Cassimeres very cheap.

Turner's Celebrated AXES just received.

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

☞ Give us a call and we'll suit you all.

oc30tf. THOS. H. HORSEY.

FRUIT GROWERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST.

I am still in the market with a LARGE and GENUINE ARTICLE OF

FRUIT TREES,

Such as PEACH, grown in New Jersey by Pullen and Bilyeau, and DWARF, grown in New York, and the different varieties of Small fruits, such as RASPBERRY, BLACKBERRY, STRAWBERRY, GRAPES, and in fact every variety grown in a first class Nursery.

My Peach will compare in quality and genuineness with any in the U. S. In regard to Mr. S. G. Bilyeu's Fruit, we will offer Col. E. Wilkins as a reference. Among our list of Peaches we have three prime varieties of late Peach, two of them white with a beautiful blush, ripening with Smock, being much larger, and in color there is no comparison. We have a fine stock of the Salway, which is ten days later than Smock or Heath, a very fine size round Peach, with beautiful blush and perfectly free to the seed—the buds Mr. Bilyeu went to Europe to procure. Two other varieties are Keyport White and Steven's Rareripe.

I think I can furnish anything in the Nursery line as cheap and as good, and on as good terms as any other man in the county. From an experience of ten years in Nursery stock, I flatter myself I can furnish any article that can be procured from any other source. Feeling very thankful for past patronage, I still ask for a continuance of the same.

Any information concerning any of the different varieties gladly given by letter.

Please address JOSEPH C. RASIN,

d4tAI. Still Pond, Kent county, Md.

LEDGERS and DAY BOOKS, A large assortment at

Dec. 11. T. W. ELIASON & SON'S.

THE celebrated HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, advertised in this paper, are for sale by

d25. J. W. IVENS, Chestertown.

SUPERIOR CIDER VINEGAR, Reliable for Pickling purposes, on hand and for sale by

Sept. 11, 1869. THOMAS S. WICKES.

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Anticipating a Change in our Business we will sell

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST, FOR CASH,

OUR LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS,

Notions, Hardware, Cutlery, Queensware, Groceries,

And BOOTS & SHOES (City Made,)

CHEAPER THAN THEY CAN BE PURCHASED AT ANY OTHER STORE.

☞ People who have but little money should not fail to visit the PEOPLE'S STORE. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY **GREAT BARGAINS**, as we intend to RUN OFF THE ENTIRE STOCK AT SOME PRICE. We shall stick to the one price system, and it will be named on all articles.

☞ Parties who are indebted and have been repeatedly and politely requested to settle their accounts long over due, will have the pleasure of settling with other parties.

To our old friends we return our hearty thanks for their confidence and patronage.

Respectfully,

WM. A. VICKERS,

PEOPLE'S POPULAR STORE.

Chestertown, Dec. 11, 1869.

B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE.

Why is it that so many children die under the age of five years? That a large proportion of children die under that age, has long been a subject of remark, and without a satisfactory cause ascertained, it is certain.

Also, it is known that worms exist in the human system from its earliest infancy; therefore parents, especially mothers, who are more constantly with their children, cannot be too observing of the first *symptoms of worms*, for so surely as they exist, can they be

SAFELY AND CERTAINLY

removed from the most DELICATE INFANT by the timely use of

B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE.

IT IS PERFECTLY HARMLESS—contains no Mercury, being a

Purely Vegetable Composition,

And may be administered with the UTMOST SAFETY TO CHILDREN OF ALL AGES.

Worm Confections, made more for the purpose of pleasing the palate than of overcoming the disease, have been manufactured all over the country, but their short lease of life is nearly exhausted, and B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge continues to grow in favor daily.

CAUTION.

Should occasion require you to purchase B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge, be particularly careful to see that the initials are *B. A.* This is the article that has been so

FAVORABY KNOWN SINCE 1829;

And purchasers must insist on having it, if they do not wish to have an imitation forced upon them.

SCHWARTZ & HASLETT,

FORMERLY

B. A. FAHNESTOCK SON & CO.,

SOLE PROPRIETORS,

d11-y PITTSBURGH, PA.

The Misses Hynson,

HAVING TAKEN HOUSE

No. 62 BARRE ST., BALTIMORE,

Between Hanover and Sharp,

Convenient to Light St. bhf. & Camden Depot, will accommodate

TRANSIENT, PERMANENT AND TABLE BOARDERS.

Nov. 27—6m.

CEMETERY NOTICE.

Persons wishing to improve their Lots in Public Cemeteries and Private Burial Grounds, will do well before purchasing elsewhere, to call and examine our large and new stock of

ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE MONUMENTS,
MONUMENTAL TABLET HEAD AND FOOT STONES,
VASES AND STATUARY,

All of new and beautifully proportioned designs, at the STEAM MARBLE WORKS of GADDESS BROS.,

ap3-y. Sharp and German sts., Baltimore.

PARASOLS, UMBRELLAS, NOTIONS, FANCY GOODS, HARDWARE and CUTLERY, now opening at VICKERS'. Goods at reduced prices—shewn with pleasure. May 29.

PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR, for sale by the barrel, at Baltimore prices for cash by

Oct. 9, 1869. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

Bunce's Vegetable Nourisher.

This favorite Hair preparation has been before the public long enough to have been thoroughly tested and its increasing sale and popularity are the best evidences of its superior merit.

As a Restorer of Gray Hair to its original color it has no equal.

For curing humors of the scalp and preventing itching it is wonderfully successful.

For preventing the Hair from falling off it is unfailing.

For restoring Hair to Bald Heads it succeeds beyond Competition, although not always successful. Where the glands or follicles are not destroyed new Hair is sure to grow after using it properly.

As a dressing nothing surpasses it. It imparts to dry, faded and wiry Hair that beautiful glossy appearance so much admired.

Containing no oil or grease it does not soil the finest linen.

It is compounded upon Scientific principles of the purest ingredients and is entirely harmless.

Being perfumed with the most fragrant Extracts its odor is delightful.

TESTIMONIALS almost without number can be given if necessary but the AMBROSIA is too well known to require it. Use it once and you will never be without it.

SOLD BY

DRUGGISTS and MERCHANTS EVERYWHERE

PRICE ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE

H. M. Tyson & Co. MANCHESTER, N.H.
Proprietors

For Sale by JOHN L. STAM & SON,

oc30-6m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Fountain Hotel,

Formerly the National,

CAMDEN STREET, NEAR HOWARD,

Within three squares of the steamboats at Light St. Wharf, BALTIMORE.

THE undersigned, late proprietor of the Maltby House, has the pleasure of announcing to his friends and the public generally, that he has leased the above Hotel for a term of years, and propose making it a

FIRST-CLASS HOUSE.

This Hotel has been thoroughly renovated and refurnished throughout, and I hope by strict personal attention to business to add to the comforts of all those who may favor me with their patronage.

Having been proprietor of the Maltby House for a number of years, I feel confident of meeting all expectations of the traveling public and all others. Very respectfully,

n6-y. A. B. MILLER.

TO THE TAX-PAYERS Of the First District.

HAVING concluded that the taxable citizens of the First District may have forgotton that they owe taxes for 1869, I beg leave to remind them of that fact—and that unless they show some evidence of a disposition to pay them, I shall at an early day avail myself of the comfort of the law.

For the convenience of Tax Payers I will be at the following places on the days named:

At Galena on Mondays.
At Masseys on Wednesday mornings.
At Sassafras on Wednesday afternoons.
At Chestertown on Saturday mornings.
At Millington on Saturday afternoons.

oc23-tf. E. R. MILLER, Collector.

NOTICE.

TAXES FOR 1869 ARE DUE, and I must say, I do not intend to wait or indulge as I have done heretofore, and those who have not paid their taxes for 1867 and 1868, had better look out, or they will find their property advertised. I will not wait longer for those in arrears for the past two years.

JACOB SUTTON,
Collector Second District.

Kennedyville, July 31, 1869—tf.

TAX NOTICE.

THE undersigned respectfully notifies the Tax Payers of the Third District that their Taxes for the present year are now due, and that he is prepared to receive them.

He may be found at the store of Mr. A. L. Vannort, Hanesville, every day, except Sundays. In case of his absence Mr. Vannort will collect and receipt for them

Those persons who have not paid their taxes for 1868 are hereby notified that unless the same are settled by the FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, he will be compelled to enforce payment by legal process. None need expect indulgence after that time

THOMAS H. KENNARD,
Collector Third District.

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LADIES' FANCY FURS!

JOHN FAREIRA,
718 Arch Street,

Middle of the Block, between 7th and 8th St., South Side, PHILADELPHIA,

Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds and quality of

FANCY FURS for LADIES and CHILDREN.

Having enlarged, remodeled and improved my old and favorably known FUR EMPORIUM and having imported a very large and splendid assortment of all the different kinds of Furs from first hands, in Europe, and have had them made up by the most skillful workmen, I respectfully invite my friends of Kent and adjacent Counties, to call and examine my very large and beautiful assortment of Fancy Furs for Ladies and Children. I am determined to sell at as low prices as any other respectable House in this city. All Furs Warranted. No misrepresentations to effect sales.

JOHN FAREIRA,

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Fall and Winter Fashions.

MRS. M. A. BINDER has just arrived from Paris and London with the latest designs, personally selected from the greatest novelties; also, the most elegant Trimmings to be secured in Paris.

LACES, RIBBONS, VELVETS, BRIDAL VEILS, FLOWERS, FINE JEWELRY, and trimmed Paper Patterns, Dress and Cloak Making. Exclusive agent for Mrs. M. Work' celebrated system for cutting Ladies' Dresses Sacques, Basques, &c.

N. W. Corner of Eleventh and Chestnut Sts.,

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LUMBER.

JUST RECEIVED A LARGE AND SUPERIOR STOCK OF LUMBER,

to which we invite the attention of consumers, comprising in part of Select Cullings, 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4 White Pine, 5-8 Siding.

Yellow Pine Dressed Flooring,
White Pine Scantling and Bill Stuff,
Hemlock Joist, Scantling & Bill Stuff,
White Pine and Hemlock Fencing,
White Pine and Cypress Shingles,
Laths, Pales, Window Sash glazed, and Window Shutters.

A large lot of Prime Cedar Post, which will be offered very low to cash and prompt paying customers, at short dates with interest.

Oct. 23. WILLIAM VANNORT.

☞ DR. C. G. GARRISON *warrants* a CURE for RHEUMATISM and ASTHMA. Call or address

DR. C. G GARRISON,
No. 211, South 8th St., Philadelphia.

BLANKETS—white and colored—at prices to compete with any Store on the Shore.

Oct. 9. at W. A. VICKERS'.