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The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Saturday, Jan. 22, 1870

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.—*Election of State Treasurer.*—Tuesday having been set apart for the election of State Treasurer, a subject which has excited much interest for several months past, the Legislature proceeded to a ballot. Each house voted separately, and the first ballot resulted as follows: Mr. Merryman, of Baltimore county, received 11 votes in the Senate and 43 in the House—total 54; Mr. Fowler, of Baltimore county, 9 in the Senate and 22 in the House—total 31; Mr. Vansant, of Baltimore city, received 16, and Mr. Pannell, of Harford, 9 votes. On the announcement of this result (Mr. Merryman lacking but two votes of an election) much excitement ensued and various motions followed. On motion of Judge Merrick, a message was adopted inviting the Senate to assemble on the floor of the House. This the Senate refused to concur in. The House then proceeded to a second ballot, and at its conclusion it was learned that the Senate had adjourned, and the House then, without counting the ballot, also adjourned. The ballot was counted on Wednesday, when it was ascertained that Mr. Merryman had received 62 votes, Mr. Fowler 33, Mr. Vansant 13, and Mr. Pannell 3. Mr. Merryman was thereupon declared duly elected State Treasurer of Maryland for two years, having received a majority of all the votes cast. Both houses, consisting conjointly of 111 members, were fully represented, and the entire vote was cast in each. This exciting contest being ended, the members will be better prepared to enter upon the important legislative business of the session.

CONGRESS.—The House of Representatives on Saturday last, passed the bill for the admission of Virginia—yeas 98, nays 95. The Democrats voted with the conservative Republicans in favor of admission. The announcement of the result was received with applause on the floor of the House. The bill as passed is as follows:

"Whereas the people of Virginia have adopted a constitution republican in form, and have in all respects conformed to the requirements of the act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing the submission of the constitutions of Virginia, Mississippi and Texas to a vote of the people, and authorizing the election of State officers, provided by the said constitutions, and members of Congress," approved April ten, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine; therefore.

"Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, That the said State of Virginia is entitled to representation in the Congress of the United States."

The New York Tribune says:—This is a vote in favor of liberality and trustfulness in dealing with a great State; and we trust it forecloses all effort—at least, all successful effort—to make the conditions of restoration harsh or degrading. Each side has done its utmost; the vote is the fullest taken in the House these eight years, and the republicans who voted yea had to brave the odium of voting with the democrats and against the greater number of their own party.

The New York Post (republican) says it has no hesitation in saying that the forty-nine republicans who voted against the Virginia admission bill in the House, on Friday, "voted to break the solemnly-pledged faith of Congress and to perpetuate disunion." The Post also publishes their names in a sort of black list, so that the people may see who they are.

The bill was sent to the Senate, where it has been debated, and an amendment adopted which provides that members of the Legislature who have taken oaths as various officers prior to the rebellion and afterwards engaged in it shall not hold their positions unless relieved of their disabilities by Congress. With this amendment the bill was adopted—yeas 45, nays 16—and will now have to go back to the House of Representatives for its action.

PRESIDENT GRANT'S FIRST VETO.—The President the other day vetoed, in a message of five lines, a pistol patent extension bill passed by Congress. It was General Grant's first essay in the role which so distinguished his predecessor, and most of the newspapers have had something to say about "Our President's first veto." The New York Journal of Commerce gives the Executive a nudge of encouragement, and says: "If Congress pass the bill over his head he may take a hint from it and not court their opposition again. Should they sustain his veto, he may try the experiment once more—on some statelier game, we trust; for patent extensions are but 'small deer' compared to the devouring beasts let loose by Congress to prey upon the community, and some of which a timely shot from the President's constitutional gun might bring down."

By the way, is not this veto a violation of General Grant's declaration, in his letter accepting the nomination for the presidency, that Congress was supposed to represent the wishes of the people, and that he would co-operate with that body in all measures which it might adopt?—We suppose this would hold good in reference to a pistol patent extension as well as to weightier matters of the law.

COL. WM. J. LEONARD, Comptroller of the State Treasury of Maryland, retired from that position on Monday last, and is succeeded by Colonel Levin Woolford, of Somerset county, for two years. Colonel Leonard served the State faithfully, and made many warm friends during his administration of the office.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—The first meeting of the Quarterly Association of the Order of Good Templars in Kent county, was held at the hall of Resolute Lodge in Chestertown on Tuesday last. The attendance of delegates was quite large—all the Lodges in the county being represented. The meeting was called to order by C. H. Baker, Esq., W. C., and opened with prayer by Rev. J. T. Murray. After adopting a Constitution and rules of order, the following officers, to serve for the ensuing quarter, were elected:—W. C., Geo. H. Thompson of Rock Hall; W. V., Miss Watts, of Still Pond; Chaplain, Rev. D. C. Ridgway; Secretary, Dr. Walter Melvin; Treasurer, Jas. H. Edes; Financial Sec'y, Miss Sue Young; Marshal, Frank A. Wilson; I. G., Comegys B. Peacock. For District Deputy, Mr. Jas. J. Hogg, of Still Pond, was selected. A resolution was adopted recommending the subordinate lodges to encourage the formation of juvenile temperance societies. The W. C. was authorized to appoint a committee to make arrangements for a public meeting of all the lodges in the county during the month of May next, at some place to be hereafter designated.—A question was raised as to the propriety of petitioning the Legislature to modify the liquor license laws, and considerable discussion ensued, some arguing that if such action was taken political motives would be attributed, and that the order is not designed to interfere with or take any part in politics, but rather by moral suasion discourage the use and sale of intoxicating liquors and promote the cause of temperance. The next meeting of the association will be held in Still Pond on the first Saturday in April.

MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD—*Election of Examiner.*—The new School Board held its second meeting on Tuesday last. There were but four members present, Mr. DeCorse being still detained at home by sickness. After several ballotings for Examiner, the name of Mr. Howard Meeks was proposed, when he received three votes, and was declared elected. The place was not sought by Mr. Meeks, and he was quite surprised when informed of his election.

LARCENY AT ANNAPOLIS.—A letter from Annapolis states that the room of Mr. Beck, member from Kent, at the City Hotel, was entered Wednesday morning between the hours of two and four o'clock, and money and postage stamps taken from his pockets amounting in the aggregate to $125. Mr. Blackiston, late Senator from Kent, and Colonel Thomas, member from Queen Anne's, were sleeping in the same room. The pockets of each of these gentlemen were rifled and their pocket books taken. Their loss is about $60 each.

DR. GEORGE C. M. ROBERTS, LL. D., a well-known physician as well as minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died in Baltimore on Saturday morning last, in the sixty-fourth year of his age. Dr. Roberts enjoyed a wide-spread reputation not only in Baltimore but throughout the country, and was known to many in this county, having preached at several of our camp meetings. The *American* says:

In the early part of last week he became fully satisfied that his days on earth were rapidly drawing to a close, and with that beautiful Christian spirit which has always marked his life, he calmly awaited the time when he should be released from his sufferings. He carefully arranged his financial affairs, gave directions for his burial and other matters, and then announced himself as ready for the demand of his Creator. That demand was made at an early hour on Saturday morning, and as he passed from life unto death, a halo of glory glorified his face. The funeral services took place at Charles street M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon. The church was densely crowded, and it is estimated that fully two thousand persons who applied were unable to gain admission into the building.

MALTBY HOUSE.—The attention of the travelling community is invited to the card of the Maltby House, published in another column, and to the reduction of board to $2.50 per day. The "Maltby" is one of the best hotels in Baltimore.

CLERK TO SOMERSET COURT.—Levin L. Waters, Esq., appointed by the judges of this judicial district clerk to the Circuit Court for Somerset county, Md., vice Col. Levin Woolford, elected comptroller of the State treasury, was installed in office last week. Mr. Waters is a prominent member of the bar of Somerset county, and represented that county in the State Senate in 1861, when, by order of Gen. Banks, the members of the Legislature were arrested and confined for ten months in a military bastile. Mr. Waters is eminently qualified to fill the office to which he has been appointed.—*Eastern Shoreman.*

FIRES IN QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY, MD.—The dwelling house of Mr. Frederick Bryan, in Piney Neck, near Queenstown, was destroyed by fire on Sunday week.—Besides the house, Mr. Bryan lost a quantity of his furniture and all his pork.—The fire originated from the kitchen stove, during the absence of the family. On the afternoon of the same day, the Methodist Episcopal church at Queenstown was discovered to be on fire, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

CHEAP COAL.—Coal is lower already, but it has evidently got to go still lower in the scale. The supply is large, the demand is small, and the weather is so exceptionally mild that consumption cannot but be at its lowest point. Already the amount sent forward from the mines is for the season one hundred thousand tons greater than it was last year.—*Balt. American.*

Correspondence of the Kent News.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19, 1870.

Messrs. Editors:—What is the proper course to be pursued in regard to the "Chinese immigrants," is a question which must present itself to the mind of every true American. Since their introduction into California in 1850, they have gradually increased in numbers, till now their presence is sorely felt by the white inhabitants of that golden State. Let us look for a moment at the true status of this Pagan population; coming as they do from the worst province of the Chinese empire, totally differing from us in almost every characteristic that makes man superior to the brute; pirates, robbers and outcasts, hardened in all the crime and vice that pertains to that densely populated country of whose laws, legalized infanticide is a specimen. And these are the people who are to be made American citizens! True, we invite to our shores the wronged and oppressed of every clime and offer a home to all who will obey our country's laws and defend her homes.—Yet self preservation demands a limit to this liberal invitation. Are there not other motives, physical, moral and political, which should guide us in the work of peopling our rich and undeveloped territory? Is not European immigration filling with great rapidity our vacant lands, with a people skilled in art and near related to us in religion and civilization? From a physical stand point, our country might be somewhat benefitted by the introduction of Chinese labor, but what would be the moral and political effect of opening wide our doors to these 400,000,000 people, who could very conveniently rid themselves of 10,000,000 of their refuse population, and send these as an annual tribute to our shores. This would be of little benefit to China, for there would be two born for every one that came to us. Nor would we be benefitted by such an enormous influx of a race whose ideas of religion and civilization have stamped their character in too rigid a mould for them ever to become a part of our people.—From San Francisco, where they are huddled together by hundreds in the vilest and most loathsome haunts, living on the poor pittance of fifteen cents per day, or starving to death as the case may be, our last reports show that this evil is already doing its work there, and is not only stopping further immigration from the East but forcing many laborers there to return here to escape starvation.

To the European settler, free America has and ever shall offer a quiet and peaceful home; but we are not so anxious to fill up our country, that we are not willing to leave any room either for these our friends nor even for our children and their posterity, but turn to Asia and open wide the floodgates by tapping this endless horde of Chinese Pagans. I trust our people will realize the magnitude of this evil and by prompt legistation prevent its increase. As an American citizen, I am opposed to anything that tends to degrade Americans, whether in the shape of African or Asiatic coolies.

QUILLS JENNING.

OUR PRESENT LEGISLATURE.—The following is from the *Maryland Republican*, published at Annapolis, whose editor, George Colton, Esq., is a member of the House of Delegates:

We think we may be considered correct in saying that our present Legislative body, taken as a whole, in point of talent, capability and high political integrity, will compare favorably with any similar body assembled in Annapolis for many years.

Most of the members are, comparatively speaking, in the prime of life, and at a period when both mental and physical energy are the greatest. It is fair, therefore, to expect from them perseverance with a full amount of labor and activity in the transaction of business. We think we may, with some degree of confidence, assure our readers such will be the case.

Many important measures are to be acted upon, which will require close attention and labor; nor this alone, but the exercise of matured judgment. It were well, therefore, if these matters be approached speedily as possible, discussed, fairly understood and effectively disposed of. Hitherto it has been too often the case that measures of magnitude, requiring the most intelligent consideration, have been procrastinated and crowded into the few last days of the session, thus adopting bills in some respects incomplete and faulty.

In a partizan, or political sense, we think the membership of the present House and Senate healthful and satisfactory.—As a body, whilst purely and uncompromisingly democratic, they are eminently conservative, faithfully representing the principles of their constituents.

Much depends upon the discreet action of our present Legislature, and from the intelligence and high character of its members, we have every reason to anticipate favorable results.

AN INVENTION FOR FARMERS.—Mr. F. D. Robinson, of North Haven, Mass., has invented an ingenious apparatus for dropping feed to horses, cattle, poultry, etc., in the absence of the attendant. It consists of a hopper with a lid at the bottom, which is made to drop at any time desired by a small clock, working on the principal of the alarm clock. If the farmer wishes his cattle or horses fed at an early hour, before he gets out of his comfortable bed, or at any time during his absence, he has only to fill the hopper and set the clock, and the machine does the work at the appointed time.

THE Peabody funeral fleet will be due at Portland, Maine, on the 28th instant. Admiral Farragut will take charge of the imposing naval ceremonies attendant upon the disembarkation and transfer of the remains. The escort on the funeral trains from Portland to Peabody will fill about forty cars. It is intended the ceremonies shall eclipse anything of the kind heretofore known.

Hon. Lot M. Morrill was on Tuesday elected United States Senator from Maine in place of the late Mr. Fessenden. He already occupies the position by Gubernatorial appointment.

ONE OF SEVERAL THOUSAND.—Plymouth Church having recently voted to increase the salary of its pastor, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, from $12,500 to $20,000, he has declined from the pulpit the addition offered him.

Baltimore Price Current

[Corrected from the Sun of Thursday.]

WHEAT—White	$1.20@1.23
" Choice Red	1.30@1.40
" Medium and good red	1.12@1.15
CORN—White	101@102
" Yellow	91@95
OATS	54@55

MARRIED:

On the 20th inst., by Rev. D. C. Ridgway, GUSTAVUS STARTT to Miss MARY ELLEN HADAWAY, both of this county.

On the 19th inst., at the M. E. Parsonage in Chestertown, by Rev. J. B. Merritt, JAMES ALBERT ROLPH to Miss EMELINE BIDDLE, daughter of Mr. Samuel R. Clayland of Queen Anne's county.

On the 18th inst., by Rev. J. Thos. Murray, Mr. JOHN D. WALRAVEN to Miss MARY E. BACON, all of this county.

On the 13th instant, by Rev. S. Townsend, JOHN L. SHUSTER to Miss TABITHA T. BROWN, both of Queen Anne's county.

DIED:

In Chestertown, on Saturday evening last, of Pneumonia, SAMUEL A. SMITH, aged 62 years, 11 months and 8 days.

In Chestertown, at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening last, ALBERT A. BISCOE, in the 46th year of his age.

[The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the M. P. Church.]

Near Still Pond, on the 15th inst., EMILY, wife of George T. Spry, in the 43rd year of her age.

Religious Notice. An adjourned meeting of the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Kent Circuit, M. P. Church, will be held at the Chapel in Chestertown, on SATURDAY, January 29th, at 10½ o'clock, A. M. jan22-2t.

6 Cents Reward.—Left the subscriber about the 30th of December last, a colored Boy, named SAMUEL RASIN, regularly indentured to me by the Orphans' Court of Kent county. All persons are warned against harboring or employing him under penalty of the law. R. C. SMYTH.
Jan. 22, 1870—3t.

NOTICE. Persons who owe me Notes taken for accounts assigned by C. B. Krusen, will oblige me by settling the same at once. If not settled by the first of March next, they will be put in a legal train of collection.
jan22-3t. WM. B. HARBOURD.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of C. P. MORTON & CO., is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by John Harris, Sr., who will settle up the affairs of the late firm. C. P. MORTON, JOHN HARRIS, Sr.

All persons indebted to the late firm of C. P. Morton & Co., are hereby notified that on all claims not settled by Feb. 1st, prompt payment will be enforced by law. JOHN HARRIS, Sr.
Round Top, Jan. 1. 1870. j22-3t.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I hereby give notice, that on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd of February next, at eleven o'clock, A. M., I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at Bell Air,

ONE HORSE AND CARRIAGE,

seized and taken as the property of Wm. C. Crow or Nat. C Crow, to pay taxes due from Chas. W. Crow for 1868, on farm where said Nat. C. Crow resides.
jan22-ts. S. G. COPPER, Coll.

Collector's Sale.

I hereby give notice, that on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of February, 1870, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the premises of Enoch Harrison, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash,

THREE HEAD OF HORSES,

levied on as the property of Enoch Harrison, to pay the taxes for the year 1868, due from said Harrison, with interest and costs due and to become due thereon.
jan22-ts. S. G. COPPER, Coll'r.

Collector's Sale.

I hereby give notice, that on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of February, 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Ship Yard farm, I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash,

FOUR HORSES and THREE COWS,

levied on as the property of David R. Derrickson, to pay taxes for [illegible] due from Edward Hadaway's heirs at the Ship Yard farm, where said Derrickson now resides.
jan21-ts. S. G. COPPER, Coll.

Collector's Sale.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that on

TUESDAY, 15th February next,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

I will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House, in Chestertown, the following property:

300 BUSHELS CORN IN THE EAR,

Crop of Wheat growing at the White House Farm. And also said

WHITE HOUSE FARM

or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the State tax due by John G. Black for the year 1869.

Also, 600 bushels of CORN and Crop of Wheat now growing on the farm near Locust Grove, where William H. Moffett now resides.

This property will be sold to pay the taxes due by John G. Black for the years 1867 and 1869. JACOB SUTTON, Collector.
Jan. 22, 1870—ts. ($4.75)

STRAYED from the subscriber, near I. U. Church, about the 1st inst., TWO COLTS, 3 years old in May; one a bay with a little white about the feet; the other a dark gray, with star in forehead and warts about the nose. Any information of them will be thankfully received.
jan15-3t. JAMES L. BOWERS.

STRAYED from the undersigned, near Kennedyville, about the first of Dec. last, a Red, Horned HEIFER, with white face, three years old next Spring. A liberal reward will be paid for her recovery, or for information that will lead thereto.
jan15-3t. EDWARD ROBINSON.

ESTRAYS.—Came to the subscriber's in Christmas week, TWO COLTS—one light bay, with blazed face and white feet; the other dark iron grey, with blazed face. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away. JOHN D. BOYD.
Jan. 15, 1870—3t.

FOR RENT,

A PRODUCTIVE FARM,

at Williamsburg, Virginia, containing 360 Acres of arable land. Apply promptly to JAMES B. GROOME,
jan8-3t. Elkton, Md.

R. B. RUSSELL,

CIGAR MANUFACTURER,

HAS REMOVED to the store next door below Mr. T. B. Hynson's. CIGARS from the lowest to the best grades, for sale as cheap as they can be had in the city. Give me a call. j8-3t.

UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS can be had at L. S. FOWLER'S at low prices.
Jan. 22, 1870.

TEAM WHIPS, Cart Whips and Carriage Whips, of various lengths and qualities, are offered a bargain by
Jan. 22, 1870. L. S. FOWLER.

TURNER'S AXES and POST AUGERS, for sale at low prices by
Jan. 22. L. S. FOWLER.

Very Cheap Goods!

L. S. FOWLER

BEING desirous of reducing his stock of Goods still further, would especially invite the attention of all persons wishing to buy anything in his line

VERY CHEAP.

Needing money more than he does Goods, he will SELL AT A SACRIFICE FOR THE NEXT TWENTY DAYS.

A good stock of HATS is offered for sale very cheap, as he intends to close them out at prices to suit customers.

HARDWARE for Builders and others, is offered very low. Locks, Hinges, Bolts, Screws, Shutter Fasteners, Nails, Finishing Nails, Malleable Nails, Hinge Nails, Gate Hooks, Files, Hatchets, Augers, &c., *will be sold very cheap.*

WORSTED HOODS, Breakfast SHAWLS, Sontags, Children's Caps, and Ladies' Merino Vests, will be sold at reduced prices, by
Jan. 22. 1870. L. S. FOWLER.

Constable's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued by D. U. Dewees, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, to me directed, at the suit of James Willis, against the goods and chatels, lands and tenements of R. B. M. Massey, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said R. B. M. Massey, in and to

6 HEAD OF HORSES,
12 HEAD OF CATTLE,
TWO YOKE OF OXEN,
1 CARRIAGE,

And THE FARM on which said Massey now resides, in Kent county.

And I hereby give notice, that on *FRIDAY, the 11th of February,* 1870, at Eleven o'clock, A. M., on the premises of the said Massey, I will sell the said property at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writ, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
JACOB SUTTON, Constable.
Jan. 22, 1870—ts. ($4 00)

TREES, PLANTS, AND VINES.

MY friends and customers will please recollect that I am still in the market, with a large and extensive assortment of

NURSERY STOCK.

PEACH TREES, and SMALL FRUIT PLANTS specialities.

N. BARNARD, Still Pond, Md.
Jan. 15—3m.*

Professional Notice.

DR. J. H. PRICE

HAVING located at the Trappe, offers his professional services to the surrounding community. Refers to a practice of four years at Hooversville, Anne Arundel co., Md.
Jan. 8, 1870—6m.

Medical Notice.

HAVING bought the house and lot at Belair lately belonging to Samuel B. Wheat, the subscriber has *permanently* located for the practice of Medicine and Surgery.

Special attention given to diseases of Women.
ja8-3m. A. SAPPINGTON, M. D.

County Commissioners' Notice.

BY order of the County Commissioners, the public are hereby notified that no new roads will be granted during the year eighteen hundred and seventy.
jan15-3t. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.

Notice to Pensioners.

ALL PERSONS intending to make application for Pensions, and all who received pensions during the year 1869, are notified to appear before the County Commissioners for Kent county, at which time their claims will be considered. By order.
jan15 3t. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.

TAX-PAYERS

Will please bear in mind that I need money to meet the demands against me, which are due and payable on the first day of January. I will continue to be at the usual places, and at the Trappe on Monday afternoons and Belair on Thursday afternoons.
A. B. WHEATLEY,
Dec. 18—tf. Coll. 5th Dist.

One Cent Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, Dec. 24, 1869, JANE ROSURE, aged 14 years, indentured to me by the Orphans' Court. All persons are forewarned from harboring her. I will pay the above reward for her apprehension.
jan15 3t. CHARLES BACON.

A CARD.—All persons indebted to me are earnestly requested to call and settle. Unless they do so shortly, I shall be compelled to place their accounts in a legal train of collection. C. W. WARREN,
jan15-3t. Kennedyville

NOTICE. All persons indebted to the late firm of TURKHEIMER & CATLIN will please settle their accounts, either by note or cash, on or before the first day of February next, or they will be placed in train for collection. The books will be found at the store of
jan8-4t. J. A. CATLIN.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of TURKHEIMER & CATLIN has been dissolved this day by mutual consent.—Joseph A. Catlin is alone authorized to settle the business of the late firm.
MOSES TURKHEIMER,
JOSEPH A. CATLIN.
Chestertown, Jan. 6, 1870.

TO RENT,

For the year 1870,
THE BLACKSMITH and WHEELWRIGHT SHOPS, at Parsons & Co.'s Mills.
A good stand. Enquire of
ISAAC PARSONS,
ROBERT NICHOLSON,
j8-tf. or THOS. C. PARSONS.

FOR SALE,

TWO FINE HORSES,

good for farm work or driving. They will sold on a credit of 12 months. Apply to SAMUEL L. RAWLEIGH,
j8-3t. Chestertown.

TO Blacksmiths

And all others whom it may Concern.

HORSE SHOES and Horse Shoe Nails, Carriage and Tire Bolts. Also an assortment of HARDWARE on hand and for sale at reasonable prices for cash. J. BELL & BRO,
jan8-4t. Buck Neck Wharf.

Caught Adrift, off Swan Point, Chesapeake Bay, a YAWL BOAT, black bottom and green bender; one side newly repaired, the other in tolerable good condition. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take it away.
Enquire of THOMAS HILL,
jan8-3t* Rock Hall, Kent co., Md.

Notice is Hereby Given, that the undersigned will pay no bills or debts of any kind whatever, contracted by any one else, without a written order from under my own hand. M. W. GINN.
Philadelphia, Jan. 15, 1870—4t.

WOOD! WOOD!

W. F. BAKER, respectfully informs the public, that he has purchased the WOOD YARD of Mr. W. H. Hamilton, up town, and is now prepared to supply all in want with Pine, Oak, and Hickory wood, at the lowest prices. Orders left at my Store, Court Street, will receive prompt attention.
jan15-tf. WILLIAM F. BAKER.

BLACK

CHESAPEAKE

INK.

I have discovered a Chemical Combination by means of which I produce an Ink

VASTLY SUPERIOR IN EVERY RESPECT TO ANY OTHER WRITING FLUID EVER BEFORE INVENTED.

IT IS OF A JET BLACK COLOR,

and is perfectly indelible, does not change in the least even when subjected to acids which entirely erase and destroy all other inks; consequently it is the

ONLY RELIABLE INK KNOWN

for signing BANK NOTES, writing or recording DEEDS, &c., and will doubtless last as long as the paper or parchment on which it is written.

It flows easily from the pen; does not corrode or gum up; does not blot. It can be written with across the sheet over the wet writing without blurring the first writing.

It is an excellent substitute for India ink in making drawings or fine line ruling, and can be written on the thinnest paper without spreading.

It is sold for one half the price of the many worthless fluids bottled and sold as writing ink, and is a home manufacture.

This ink is now for sale by the bottle, dozen, or gross, and a liberal discount allowed to merchants.

R. CLAY CRAWFORD,

Corner High and Front Streets,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

BLACK

CHESAPEAKE INK

It flows easily from the Pen.

It does not gum up.

It does not corrode the Pen.

Acids do not erase it.

It is PERFECTLY DURABLE.

It is an excellent drawing Ink.

It can be written on the thinnest paper.

It does not contain Acids.

It does not contain iron or gall.

IT IS THE BEST INK EVER MADE.

Manufactured Only by

R. CLAY CRAWFORD,

Corner High and Front Streets,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Jan. 22, 1870.

MALTBY HOUSE

BALTIMORE, MD.

C. R. HOGAN.....PROPRIETOR.

Reduction of Fare.

IN consideration of the general decline in cost of all necessaries appertaining to Hotel Keeping, the price of Board will be Reduced on and after Jan. 1st, 1870, to

$2.50 Per Day.

Being determined that nothing will be left undone in the future to make the "MALTBY" what it has been in the past—second to none in the city. jan22y.

Cucumber Pumps.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO GET THE GENUINE WILD

Cucumber Pump.

I have them now on hand and will put them in on short notice.
They are the BEST Pumps in use.
They are Cheap and Durable—lasting from ten to twenty years. They work easy.
They are simple in their construction.
They throw a large volume of water.
They are made of tasteless wood, hence will not spoil water. They are easily arranged to prevent freezing. They will not check or crack. They are ornamental. The People like them. They are highly spoken of by all who use them. They are light and handy.
D. A. BENJAMIN, Agent.
Chestertown, Jan. 15—3t.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS.

Misses Middleton & Wyatt,

HAVE just returned from the city with a large assortment of

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY,

embracing BONNETS, HATS, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, FEATHERS, &c., &c., all of which are of the latest styles, and will be sold at the very lowest prices.

Our stock of FANCY GOODS cannot be surpassed in this market.

The Ladies are invited to call and see our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

Store adjoining T. W. Eliason & Son's.

NOTICE.—Persons indebted to us will confer a favor by making payment once. We are in want of money, and desire to close our books for last year.
Jan. 15, 1870—tf.

AGENT WANTED

EMPIRE MUTUAL Life Insurance Co.,

OF NEW YORK.

BRANCH OFFICE:—22 SECOND STREET, Opposite Post Office, Baltimore.

No restrictions upon residence, occupation, or travel.

All policies nonforfeitable and absolutely incontestable, after second premium.

Those contemplating Life Insurance will find themselves amply recompensed, in the end, by sending for free circular, &c. Persons of any honorable profession, or occupation having leisure hours, they wish to employ profitably, would do well to address,
A. PROSEUS, General Agent.
j15-2m. Baltimore, Md.

LOOK HERE! LOOK HERE!

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,
d18-3m. Chestertown.

$5 Reward.—Ranaway from the subscriber on Sunday last, two colored Boys, one named Alex. Gordon, aged about 16 years, the other Jim Gordon, aged about 11 years, regularly indentured to me by the Orphans' Court of Kent county. They had on dark kersey coats and light kersey pants, new boots and slouch hats. All persons are hereby warned against harboring or employing either of them, as I shall prosecute such to the full extent of the law. The above reward will be paid for their return to me in Quaker Neck.
jan8-3t* WM. J. MASLIN.

TO PEACH GROWERS.

The subscriber has for sale about *Thirty Thousand PEACH TREES,* of the best varieties. Trees warranted to be of the variety represented. Orders solicited.
ROBERT NICHOLSON,
Oct. 16—tf. near Hanesville.

FOR SALE,

60,000 PEACH TREES,

of prime quality, and very best orchard varieties. Also, 200,000 Osage Orange Quicks of superior growth. F. H. TAYLOR,
s4tf. Galena, Kent county, Md.

For Rent for 1870,

TWO HOUSES IN CHESTERTOWN, one on Queen Street, the other on High Street Enquire of WM. VANNORT.
Nov. 20, 1869—tf.

COAL! COAL!

The subscriber having bought out Mr. Wm. H. Hamilton's Coal business, is prepared to supply Mr. Hamilton's customers and the public with all kinds of Coal at lowest cash prices.
oc23-3m. J. T. TWILLEY.

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.

AT JAMES W. IVENS' CHEAP UP TOWN STORE, You can get Powder, Shot and Caps; Figs and French Candy; Hams, Shoulders & Middlings; a few cases of choice Champagne Wine; also cases of Port and Sherry; choice Bourbon Whiskey, French Brandy, Gin, &c.; Tobacco and Cigars of choice quality, and many other goods, which will be offered very cheap. n13

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