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STATUS OF THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT.—The Legislature of Mississippi having ratified the fifteenth amendment, there are now twenty-three States recorded in its favor, as follows: Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Mississippi, Nevada, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wisconsin. Three have rejected by one or both houses, and will not likely take any further action—Delaware, Kentucky and Tennessee. The constitution provides that any proposed amendment must be ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the States before it can become a part of the constitution. There are thirty-seven States, and the ratification of twenty-eight is therefore necessary to constitute the amendment a part of the constitution. Five more are therefore necessary to render the ratification complete.—The Senate of Ohio has already ratified the amendment, and the House will probably follow. If so, there will be twenty-four States ratifying. Texas must ratify the amendment before its reconstruction can be completed, and this, added to the twenty-four which have already ratified it, would make twenty-five States, leaving three yet required to render the action complete. The States from which these three must be obtained are California, Georgia, Iowa, Maryland, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Jersey, Oregon and Rhode Island, and of these nine there are four (Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska and Rhode Island) claimed for ratification—making twenty-nine, or one more than is wanted.

It is true that the Legislature of New York has repealed its act of ratification, and that Virginia, being not yet, according to radical theory, a State, and her Legislature looked upon as not in a reconstructed condition, we might not, in logical consistency, be authorized to count these two votes in favor of the amendment. But as the domain of consistency, as well as of constitutionality, seems long ago to have been abandoned, and the only logic left is embraced in *might*, we feel warranted in considering that there are now twenty-three States in favor of the fifteenth amendment, as also in anticipating that, even if Virginia and New York should not be counted in, Georgia, under the progressive impulses of the last reconstruction act, will help to amend the constitution as well as her own ways, and thus, though out of the Union, secure to those States which are in it the full benefits of the fifteenth amendment.

In view of these facts, we may consider the fifteenth amendment an accomplished thing. It is to be hoped that it may answer the most sanguine anticipations of its advocates, and that the perverse constitution of the United States, which was handed down to us in such an immature and rickety condition by its bungling political founders, may now be considered as thoroughly repaired, and ready for any emergency.—*Balt. Sun.*

CRIME IN NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN.—New York and Brooklyn are just now reveling in horrors. In the latter city a man named Frank P. Mills, who had murdered one wife and served a period in the penitentiary for the offence, has been arrested for stabbing, and it is supposed mortally wounding his second wife; a bartender named Michael Rood is in custody for stabbing his former employer, one George W. Cumberson; and Thomas Kennedy, a carman, having raised a disturbance in a liquor shop was kicked to to death by the proprietor. In the former city a number of similar crimes are recorded, but the leading sensation is the trial of a woman for murder. This woman's name is Rebecca Ellen Ute, who is charged with having stabbed to death Thomas Barrett, in September last. In this trial much discussion occurred on Monday as to the competency of a witness who was the reputed but not the real husband of the prisoner, and the brother of the murdered man. The counsel for the defense objected to his testimony on the ground that as the two had been living together as man and wife, "their union was as valid as many of the marriages performed by Henry Ward Beecher himself." This objection, it appears, would have been sustained but for the fact that the witness proved to have been legally married to another woman, and so, notwithstanding "what these two had been to each other," Barrett's testimony against her will be admitted. The trial continues.

SINGULAR CAUSE OF DEATH.—Men sometimes die from very singular causes. A blacksmith in Monticello, N. Y., recently put a common wooden axle in his fire to loosen the iron "thimble" from its outer edge, when, to his astonishment, it blew up, shooting jagged splinters into his body. Death ensued. It happened thus: The broken axle had been lying out in the rain for some time, and was pretty thoroughly saturated with water. There is frequently a considerable cavity between the thimble and the end of the axle. The water had rusted the bolt screw at the head of the thimble so as to render it perfectly tight, and the swelling of the wood had produced a similar effect at the other end. When the moisture in the chamber had turned to steam and afterward to gas in the intense heat, an explosion was the natural result.

BOUGHT A TOWN.—An individual who has lost a leg, and styled himself Col. Westmoreland, formerly chief of staff to Stonewall Jackson, appeared in the town of Clarendon, Ask., a few days ago as an agent for a rich English Land Company. In this character he made purchase of the whole town "for an English settlement." A correspondent states that "for one whole day every store and shop in Clarendon was closed, taking stock, preparatory to a transfer to him. When the various parties presented themselves to the 'colonel" with their bills of sale, he was found at his hotel drunk. Everybody was put off until next day, when the magnificent individual was not to be found."

THE STANTON FUND.—The fund raised for the family of the late Secretary Stanton amounts at the present time to one hundred thousand dollars, one-half of which has been raised in New York.—Contributions are still being made.

THE New York Board of Health reports one hundred and sixty cases of small-pox in that city, and measures are being taken to prevent its increase.

"STATE OF CHESAPEAKE."—Idle talk is again revived of the scheme to consolidate the State of Delaware, the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and Accomac county, in Virginia, into a new State, to be called Chesapeake. The thirteen counties in the three States make the peninsula lying between the Chesapeake, the Delaware river and the Atlantic ocean. The beauty of the scheme is that it is now to be carried out according to the modern plan of reconstructing States, under a simple act of Congress, or, perhaps, a military order. Delaware is to be stricken from the constellation of States of the Union, and says the Washington Chronicle:

"If the peninsula is ever to be constituted as a single State, the present time is more appropriate for the purpose than any future time can be. We are now in an era of reconstruction. New States are being yearly added in the West, new provinces upon our borders are knocking for admission into the Union. Above all, the Southern States are just now having their relations to the Union definitely settled."

As it is generally supposed that the relations of Maryland and Delaware to the Union are quite as definitely settled as any others of the whole number of States, and have been from the time there were any States in existence, we hardly think this little job of reconstructing them will be undertaken just yet. We have no doubt that our fellow-citizens of the Eastern Shore counties are quite content to remain as they are, and as they have not rebelled, but are truly loyal, Congress will be equally content to let them alone.—*Baltimore Sun.*

DUCKS AND DUCKING.—Our gunners who follow ducking on the flats below the mouth of the Susquehanna river, and in Elk and Bohemia rivers, report fewer ducks the present season than ever before, and an increase of gunners. The gunners have not only increased in numbers, but the means of destruction have become more formidable. In addition to the sink-boat, which is a very destructvie contrivance, allowing the sportsman to lie concealed in the very heart of the waves, as it were, while he anchors a flock of wooden ducks in easy range of his hidden boat to entice the birds to approach, when he fires into the ambushed flock with double bareled guns, bringing down numbers of them by the volleys he fires in quick succession, before the ducks can get beyond range. To this wholesale slaughter is now added night shooting with heavy swivel guns, which not only kill and cripple the birds in great numbers, but the loud report of those heavy guns fired amongst them in darkness, added to the glaring flash, completely terrifies the ducks and drives them from their accustomed feeding grounds.

We have heard of still another formidable engine of destruction which has been introduced recently. In fact we have not heard of it before this winter.—This is a long, narrow, low built boat, driven by steam, carrying two men, who are are armed with repeaters capable of firing sixty shots a minute. Small balls are used, and by this, we presume, the gun is of a rifle class, and capable of throwing its balls, though small, a long distance. The steam-propelled boat enables the gunner to follow the game rapidly from place to place, and pursue them for miles, while the rapid discharges of their formidable pieces prove very destructive to large flocks. With such a relentless warfare on the birds, it is not surprising that they are leaving their old feeding grounds, and those which escape their deadly foe seek new haunts less exposed to danger. The Chesapeake and its tributaries are famous for their unrivaled canvass-backs, but unless a check is put to the relentless and bloody pursuit urged against them, which is yearly becoming more destructive, and the army of gunners and improved modes of slaughter decreased, the canvass-back will soon be known only in history.—*Elkton Whig.*

DEPLORABLE CONDITION IN SOUTH CAROLINA.—The following is an extract from a letter to a gentleman in Baltimore.—The writer is one of the most estimable gentlemen in South Carolina. It is dated Jan. 13, 1870:

"What is to become of this poor State nobody can do more than conjecture.—You have perhaps not known that, at the end of the war, the old bank bills brought some ten cents on the dollar, I mean the bank of the State. I had a good many of them and was glad to get that. Gov. Scott, and his friends bought up all these bills, then got the negro Legislature to redeem them by State bonds at par, and soon after to enact that these bonds, principal and interest, shall be paid in gold. And so it is in everything. Five or ten dollars will buy, I hear, any vote in the Legislature for anything.—They sit for months, instead of weeks, as formerly, and vote themselves six dollars a day, instead of three, as before."

RIGHT SENTIMENTS.—Governor Alcorn, of Mississippi, has written a letter to Gen. Ames declining the provisional governorship coming from military power and depending for its support upon the military. He says: "The fitness of things seems to forbid my acceptance of it while I hold in immediate prospect the position of civil Governor by that sanction most acceptable to my instincts as an American citizen—that of popular choice. I may, perhaps, be indulged in the frank confession that under the fellowship in error and chastisement by which I am bound to the Southern people, I am constrained by an irresistible impulse of my heart to draw back from any part or lot in their government by any other right than that of their own conscience."

CONSTABLES.—The County Commissioners for Queen Anne's have made the following appointments of Constables for the present year, viz:

First District—William J. Gillispie, John W. Anderson, and John Atkinson.

Second District—Robt. T. Armstrong, E. B. Walls, and Hopper Smith.

Third District—P. F. T. Blake, Jas. H. Straughn, and Geo. W. Legg.

Fifth District—Clement McConner.

In the Fourth (or Kent Island) District no appointment was made. At this time there is neither a Justice of the Peace or Constable in that District, and no one is willing to accept of either position, the people there paying their debts so promptly as to render those officers unnecessary.—*Citizen.*

FIRE IN CAROLINE COUNTY, MD.—The Easton Gazette reports the destruction of three dwelling dwelling houses by fire in Hillsborough, Caroline county, on Thursday night. The houses were occupied by Capt. Kemp, Frank Morgan, and Benjamin Colgan.

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 stimulent 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, Late Sheriff.

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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.

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 Geo. 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 writ, 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 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.

COAL! COAL!—For Sale at Buck Neck Wharf. JOHN BELL & BRO.

THE OLDEST
ESTABLISHED
CLOTHING HOUSE
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EASTERN SHORE.

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After an experience of years, a thorough acquaintance with the City Markets, and a knowledge of the wants of the trade in this locality,

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A COMPLETE
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CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK
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MEN & BOYS'
CLOTHING,
OF EVERY KIND,
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Furnishing Goods!
Furnishing Goods!
Hats and Caps!
Hats and Caps!

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO
CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER,
In the Best Style and Finish.

I have secured the assistance of
MR. WM. J. McFEELEY,
AN EXPERIENCED SALESMAN, LATE OF CENTREVILLE.

I AM DETERMINED, NOT ONLY TO SUSTAIN THE REPUTATION OF THIS HOUSE, BUT TO EXTEND ITS PATRONAGE BY KEEPING *AT REASONABLE PRICES,* A STOCK OF GOODS to MEET THE WANTS OF THE PEOPLE.

A call and examination of my Goods is respectfully solicited.

JOSEPH A. CATLIN,
CHESTERTOWN.

January 15, 1870.

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 ocupies 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.

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Cheap Cash Store!
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Fitz James spoke thus to Rhoderic Dhu,
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Always on hand a full supply of
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A well selected stock of
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a full stock in this line to suit all tastes.

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

Mallalieu's Kerseys and Cassimeres very cheap.

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

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I HAVE compiled a full, concise and complete statement, plainly printed, for the information of persons intending to take up a Homestead or Pre-emption in this portion of the West, embracing Iowa, Dakota and Nebraska—and other sections. It explains how to proceed to secure 160 acres of Rich Farming Land for nothing, six months before you leave your home, in this most healthy climate. In short it contains just such instructions as is needed by those intending to make a home and fortune on the Free Lands of the West. I will send one of these printed Guides to any person sending me 25 cents. The information alone, which it gives, is worth $5 to anybody. Men who came here two and three years ago and took a farm, are to-day independent.

TO YOUNG MEN.—This country is being crossed with numerous railroads, reaching from every direction to Sioux City, Iowa. Six railroads will be completed to this city within one year. One is already in operation, connecting with Chicago and the U. P. Railroad, and two more will be completed before spring, connecting us with Dubuque and McGregor direct. Three more will be completed within a year, connecting us direct with St. Paul, Minn., Yankton, Dakota and Columbus, Nebraska, on the Union Pacific Railroad. The Missouri River gives us the Mountain trade.—Thus it will be seen that no section of country offers such unprecedented advantages for business, speculation and making a fortune. For the country is being populated, and towns and cities are being built, and fortunes made almost beyond belief. Every man who takes a homestead now will have a railroad market at his own door. And any enterprising young man, with a small capital, can establish himself in a permanent and paying business, if he selects the right location and right branch of trade. Eighteen years residence in the Western country, and a large portion of the time employed as a Mercantile Agent in this country has made me familiar with all the branches of business and the best locations in this country. For one dollar remitted to me, I will give truthful and definite answers to all questions on this subject, desired by such persons. Tell them the best place to locate and what business is overcrowded, and what branch is neglected. Address DANIEL SCOTT,
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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.

SELLING OFF.

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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

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

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Convenient to Light St. whf. & Camden Depot,
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Nov. 27—6m.

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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.
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This favorite Hair Restorer 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.

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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.

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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 re-furnished 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.

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

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Ratification Notice.

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VERSUS
HENRIETTA L. SPENCER AND OTHERS.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Jan. 10th, 1870.

ORDERED by me, Jesse K. Hines, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, that the sales made and reported by George Vickers and Richard Hynson, Trustees for the sale of the Real Estate of the late Samuel W. Spencer, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the seventeenth day of March 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 prior to the seventeenth day of February next. The report states the amount of sales to be $22,116.00.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

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