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Hard Times and the Cause.

We are fast becoming a nation of schemers to live without genuine work. Our boys are not learning trades; our farmers sons are crowding into cities, looking for clerkships and post offices; hardly one American girl in one hundred will do housework for wages, however urgent her need; so we are sending to Europe for workmen, and buying of her artisans millions worth that we ought to make for ourselves.

Though our crop of rascals is heavy, we do not grow our own hemp; though we are overrun with lads who deserve flagellation, we import our willows.

Our women (unless deceived) wear European fabrics; our men dress in foreign clothes; the toys which amuse our younger children have generally reached us from over the sea.

Hence it is that we plunge deeper and deeper in debt to the Old World. We are like the farmer who hires his neighbor's sons to cut his wood, feed his stock and run his errands, while his own boys lounge at the grog-shop, playing billiards, and then wonders why, in spite of his best efforts, he sinks annually deeper and deeper into debt, till the sheriff cleans him out, and he starts West to begin again.

We must turn over a new leaf.

Our boys and girls must be taught to love labor by qualifying themselves to do it efficiently. We must turn our fewer professionals and more skilled artisans, as well as food growers. We must grow and fabricate two hundred millions worth per annum, that we now import, and so reduce the foreign debt that we have so long and successfully augmented year by year. We must qualify our clever boys to erect and run factories, furnaces, rolling mills, tanneries, machine shops, etc., to open and work mines, improve and fashion implements, and double the present product of their father's farm. So shall we stem that tide of debt that sets steadily against our shores, and cease to be visited and annoyed by hard times.

EX-GOVERNOR BIGLER ON NATIONAL POLITICS.—Ex-Governor Bigler's health not permitting him to join in the out door campaign during the present political contest in Pennsylvania, he has written a letter to Hon. Samuel J. Randall, chairman of the Democratic State Committee, on the issues joined, in which, after an able defence of Mr. Buckalew and a review of local politics, he says upon national questions:

I know it strikes the minds of some as passing strange that those who used to own slaves should join hands with those who did all they could to abolish slavery; that men who were in the insurrection should unite with those who, sword in hand, helped to put it down; that those who labored to elevate the status of the colored race should join with those who earnestly resisted these measures. But those who are so exercised must notice that the essence and virtue of the great movement in which we are engaged consists in forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth into those things which are before. This is the primary remedy which the disease requires.

In forecasting these grave troubles, and in devising measures of relief, Mr. Greeley has shown singular wisdom and courage; and it is not, therefore, strange that he should be the recognized leader in the work. For one, I join hands with him with pleasure. I care not that he resisted me and I resisted him when we differed. And I care now to know only that we agree on vital things, and that Mr. Greeley if elected President will carry out this bond of fellowship in good faith, and on these points I feel as well assured as one can be about human affairs involved in the future.

I believe it to be the fixed purpose of Mr. Greeley, and that he has the ability and courage to carry out the principles of the Cincinnati platform, and that he will not only insist upon amnesty, with universal application, but that the general policy of his administration will tend to beget good will and fraternal affection among the people of all sections of our great country.

OUR AMERICAN DESPOTISM.—The Washington *Patriot* gives vent to its indignation over the fact that our American Cæsar has around him a corps of spies, informers, and "secret service" agents.—The recent visit of the head of these Janizaries to the Albany Penitentiary, has called forth from the *Patriot* the following:

In despotisms, a secret police becomes a prime necessity. Napoleon the First, making himself Emperor, settled the conditions of Fouche's office before he appointed a Minister of State. Under his nephew, the mouchards and Pietri were of much more consequence than Roucher or Haussmann. In Austria, Stein's corps were considered before the army and the civil service; and in Russia, the secret police of Orloff have substantial precedence of the princes of the blood. It has remained for General Grant, in his progress towards making himself autocrat, to inaugurate in our midst the system of the secret police, so foreign to our habits, so repugnant to our institutions. During the war there was indeed a detective police subordinate to the operations of the Departments of State and War, and when peace was secured a portion of these detectives were retained by the Treasury to prevent counterfeiting. But Grant is the first President who ever dared to employ a secret police, much less to use them for political ends. Under Akerman, the disgraceful practice was set on foot of creating political offences and allying political offenders to them, by means of "Colonel" Whiteley, "Superintendent of Secret Police." He and his "shadows" were for some months employed to "work up" the Ku-Klux business in South Carolina, in order to smooth the way and provide plausible pretexts for the proclamation of martial law in those harried regions. When Akerman resigned, it was hoped that Whiteley's occupation would be gone.—But no! The President has use for him still.

LIME ON PEACH TREES.—Mr. Bailey, of El Paso, Ill., writes to the *Western Rural* that the application of lime to peach trees is a successful method of treatment. "I saw recently an article on lime being injurious to peach trees. I will here state an experiment tried by myself. In our garden there were six trees. They all bloomed and looked well. The fruit set nice, but on some leaves did not start.—I thought there was something wrong; on examination the borer was there. I trimmed off the bark, found the insects as described in the upper paper, took air-slacked lime and put it all around the stem, then put back the dirt. The leaves came out and the peaches got ripe. The trees looked well. Those where I didn't put lime died."—*Rural Messenger.*

IT is stated that forty-five per cent. of the gross products of California are from agricultural sources, while but sixteen per cent. is from gold or other metals.

A GUESTING lover at Long Branch recently presented the object of his adoration with a $100 bouquet.

THE FLOW OF WATER OVER NIAGARA. Another element in the problem of Niagara's age is the flow of water. To construct a scale from the present and apply it to the past, we should know that the amount of water in past ages has been essentially the same as now.

About 9,800 cubic miles of water, nearly half the fresh water on the globe, are in the upper lakes, and 18,000,000 cubic feet of this plunge over Niagara Falls every minute, all the water of the lakes making the circuit of the Falls, the St. Lawrence, the ocean, vapor, rain and lakes again, in 152 years. Through the Illinois Canal about 8,000 cubic feet of water are taken every minute from Lake Michigan to the Illinois river; through the Welland Canal 14,000 cubic feet flow every minute from Lake Erie into Lake Ontario, and through the Erie Canal 30,000 cubic feet pass every minute from the same lake into the Hudson. Thus 52,000 cubic feet of water, which nature would give to Niagara, are diverted every minute by artificial channels, some into the Mexican Gulf and some into the Bay of New York. Add this to 18,000,000, it is a drop in the bucket, and would make no appreciable difference in the character of the Falls or their rate of recession.—*Professor Gunning, in Popular Science Monthly for September.*

TO CLEAN LAMP CHIMNEYS.—When you wish to clean a lamp chimney, hold a linen cloth agrinst one end of the chimney and place the other end in your mouth; breathe in it until it is covered inside with moisture, push the cloth into the chimney with a smooth, slender stick, and rub it around until the moisture is absorbed; repeat the process and breathe over the outer surface also; rub this with a cloth until dry, and you have a clean, bright chimney. Soft newspaper will take the place of a linen cloth. Do not use cotton cloth on any glassware.—*Boston Journal of Chemistry.*

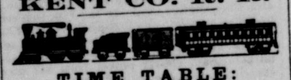
AT one of the theatres the other evening any one within half-a-dozen seats might have heard the following: "Yes, she calls herself a lady because she has got in with the M—s; but, laws, she used to live in a little one-story house, and was borrowing my flat-irons every week of her life. Now, bless you! she don't know me." "There's plenty of them kind here to-night," said the companion. "You bet there is! And curious! why she was that inquisitive that I had to paper my kitchen windows; and then she'd get on a table to look over the paper. As for the knot-holes in the fence, I was obliged to nail oil-cloth over them to keep her from prying."

JOSH BILLINGS says: "When we cum to think that there aint on the face of the earth even one bat too much, and that there haint been, since the daze of Adam, a single surpluss muskeeter's egg laid by acksident, we kan form sum kind ov an idee how little we know, and what a poor job we should make ov it runnin the machinery of kreashun. Man is a phool enny how, and the best ov the joke is, he don't seem tew know it. Bats have a destiny to fill, and I will bet 4 dollars they fill it better than we do ours."

A POUND of copperas dissolved in a gallon of water is said to be the cheapest and most perfect disinfectant to be obtained. Thrown into sinks, cesspools, &c., a quart or two of copperas water will at once do away with any unpleasant smell.

A FARMER who smoked in his barn is now hauling lumber for another one.

KENT CO. R. R.



TIME TABLE:

TO TAKE EFFECT MONDAY, JULY 15, 1872

MORNING TRAIN.

GOING EAST.

Leave Chestertown	6.45	A. M.	
" Worton	6.57	"	
" Lynch's	7.03	"	
" Still Pond	7.09	"	
" Kennedyville	7.22	"	
" Black's	7.35	"	Q. A. & Kent R. R.
" Lambson's	7.46	"	1.24 P. M.
" Massey's	8.02	"	1.38 "
" Morris'	8.12	"	1.52 "
" Vandyke's	8.22	"	2.10 "
Arrive at Townsend	8.35	"	3.55 "
" Wilmington	10.15	"	5.18 "
" Philadelphia	11.45	"	8.10 "
" Baltimore	1.05	P. M.	

GOING WEST.

Leave Baltimore	7.25	A. M.	2.50 P. M.
" Philadelphia	8.30	"	5.00 "
" Wilmington	10.10	"	6.25 "
" Townsend	11.40	"	8.00 "
" Vandyke's	11.55	"	8.15 "
" Morris'	12.05	P. M.	8.25 "
" Massey's	12.20	"	8.36 "
" Lambson's	12.30	"	
" Black's	12.40	"	
" Kennedyville	1.00	"	
" Still Pond	1.10	"	
" Lynch's	1.15	"	
" Worton	1.25	"	
Arrive Chestertown	1.45	"	

MARKET TRAIN.

GOING EAST:

Leave Parsons'	11.30	A. M.	
" Vickers'	11.50	"	
" Chestertown	12.30	P. M.	
" Worton	1.00	"	
" Lynch's	1.15	"	
" *Still Pond	1.30	"	
" Kennedyville	1.45	"	
" *Black's	2.00	"	Q. A. & Kent R. R.
" Lambson's	2.20	"	
" Massey's	2.50	"	8.26 P.M.
" *Morris'	3.00	"	8.25 "
" *Vandyke's	3.15	"	8.15 "
" Townsend	Ar 3.30	"	
	Le 3.45	Fruit	
	Le 6.07	Passenger	
" Wilmington	8.15	"	6.25 "
" Philadelphia	11.30	"	5.00 "
" Baltimore	3.50	A. M.	2.50 "

GOING WEST:

Leave Baltimore	2.50	P. M.	2.50 "
" Philadelphia	5.00	"	5.00 "
" Wilmington	6.25	"	6.25 "
" Townsend	8.10	"	8.00 "
" Vandyke's	8.25	"	8.15 "
" Morris'	8.35	"	8.25 "
" Massey's	8.46	"	8.36 "
" Lambson's	8 58	"	
" Black's	9.07	"	
" Kennedyville	9.16	"	
" Still Pond	9.25	"	
" Lynch's	9.31	"	
" Worton	9.37	"	
Arrive Chestertown	9.50	"	

All trains daily, (Sundays excepted.)

Stations marked * have no agents.

"Way Passenger" West, will stop for passengers only between Massey's & Chestertown, until further notice.

To insure connections with Philadelphia Market Train on the Delaware Railroad, shippers must have their marketing at stations at least one half hour before the train is due.

JOS. T. RICHARDS, Sup't.

Chestertown, Aug. 3, 1872—tf.

A CARD.

MRS. S. M. BEASTEN respectfully informs her friends and the public generally that she has taken the store up town, lately occupied by Mrs. Barrett, where she will be pleased to wait on them with a good supply of

Dry Goods, Groceries and Notions,

CHEAP FOR CASH or COUNTRY PRODUCE hoping by strict attention and low prices to receive a share of patronage. mh9-tf.

IMPORTANT

THAT all persons wanting a LATE STYLE STRAW HAT should know that they can find the article at

VICKERS',

who has the LARGEST ASSORTMENT IN TOWN, at the Lowest Prices.

LARGE STOCK OF

Mattings and Oil Cloths,

VERY CHEAP, at VICKERS'.

New Summer CLOTHING!

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Gents' Furnishing Goods!

HATS AND CAPS.

SAMUEL MERRITT. WM. J. MCFELLY.

S. Merritt & Co.,

ARE NOW OPENING

At their Store in Chestertown,

The Most Desirable Stock of the above Goods ever offered to this Community.

Our selections have been made with the greatest care from the best houses in Philadelphia and Baltimore, and embrace all the different styles, both as to Cut and Material.

Our assortment of

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

IS VERY COMPLETE,

And contains ALMOST EVERY ARTICLE WORN BY GENTLEMEN.

OUR LINE OF

HATS AND CAPS

IS NOT EQUALLED IN THIS MARKET,

EITHER AS TO VARIETY OF STYLES, COLORS, KINDS OR QUALITY.

We Buy and Sell for the Cash

Which enables us to BUY LOW and SELL CHEAP, thereby making it a MUTUAL BENEFIT TO THE PURCHASER WITH OURSELVES.

Come and See for Yourself.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO

CUSTOM WORK.

Fits Guaranteed.

Remember the Place:

S. MERRITT & CO.

BORDLEY'S CORNER, CHESTERTOWN.

April 13, 1872.

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

TOYS, CONFECTIONERY, &c., &c.

J. H. SMITH

Has now in store a large assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Embracing a general variety of

TOYS,
CONFECTIONERY,
RAISINS,
CURRANTS,
CITRON,
PRUNES,
FIGS,
NUTS,

French and Common Candy,

Canned Fruits,

JELLY, PICKLES, CHOW-CHOW, TOBACCO, CIGARS, &c.

Give me a call.

Dec. 2. J. H. SMITH.

R. B. RUSSELL,

High Street, near the Voshell House,

Has now in store a full supply of very superior

Cigars, Confectionery, and Tobacco

for the season, which can be bought as cheap as any where in the Town.

Chewing Tobacco,

of all grades, both Sweet and Natural; also, Fine Cut.

Smoking Tobacco,

SNUFF and PIPES, a good assortment.

Lovers of the weed are invited to call. Also, in store an assortment of

CANDIES, FRUITS,

AND

GENERAL PRODUCE.

FRESH BREAD every afternoon.

Everybody is invited to call and buy something. Dec. 16.

Shoe Findings, Shoe Findings.

SHOE PEGS, Titus Sewing and Pegging Awls, Awl Hafts, Webbing, black and white Eyelets, Gaiter Hooks, Heel Ball, Wax, Moran & Fulton round and square Point Knives, Lasting Tacks, Shoe Nails, Nippers, Peg Cutters, Rubbers, Barber's Thread, Bristles, &c., &c., for sale at the Tin, Stove and Hardware Store of

mh9. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Ready-made Clothing.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT, Fine and Coarse.

JOS. E. WEER,

Feb. 24, 1872. Kennedyville, Md.

BEST ITALIAN

"GUITAR"

AND VIOLIN STRINGS.

Jan. 27. C. F. STAM & BRO.

C. F. STAM & BRO.,

APOTHECARIES,

Cor. High and Court Sts., Chestertown, Md.

Have just received a large lot of

WINDOW GLASS,

of all sizes, which they are selling very cheap

WM. CULLEN BRYANT'S LIBRARY OF POETRY and SONG, Tennyson's Last Tournament; Cheap editions of Sir Walter Scott and Charles Dickens, bound in cloth, $10.50. Complete assortment of STORY BOOKS FOR CHILDREN, PRAYER BOOKS, BIBLES, HYMN BOOKS, &c.

Dec. 16. C. F. STAM & BRO.

STRAW HATS, LINEN HATS & CAPS, for sale cheap at

June 29. S. MERRITT & CO.'S.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—a prime article, at JAS. E. TAYLOR'S.

KENNEDYVILLE

CHEAP CASH STORE!

COMEGYS & BRO.,

HAVE JUST RETURNED from the city and opened an assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

Consisting of

A General Assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Persons wishing to buy CHEAP GOODS FOR CASH, will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Our motto is—"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

COMEGYS & BRO.

Kennedyville, Nov. 4, 1871.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF

Drugs and Medicines,

In which I cannot be undersold.

A DISCOUNT of 10 per cent. allowed on

Patent Medicines.

WHITE LEAD, PAINTS, OIL, VARNISH, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, GLASS, &c.

JOS. E. WEER,

May 18, 1872. Kennedyville, Md.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS!

REMOVAL!

SAMUEL C. GLEAVES,

RESPECTFULLY informs his customers and the public generally that he has removed to the store room in the basement of his residence, and has now in store, and will keep constantly on hand a choice assortment of

GROCERIES, SUGAR, COFFEE,

TEA, BACON, LARD, FLOUR, MEAL, NOTIONS, CONFECTIONERY, TOBACCO, SEGARS,

and a general variety of all goods usually kept in a well ordered Grocery and Provision Store, which will be sold at the LOWEST PRICES for Cash or Country Produce.

Please call and examine my stock of goods.

SAMUEL C. GLEAVES.

Chestertown, May 4, 1869.

Notice to Farmers AND HORSEMEN.

YOU CAN BE SUPPLIED AT THE *"PEOPLE'S HARNESS STORE,* with everything in my line of business at CITY PRICES. We have a fine stock of

NEW HARNESS

on hand, which we are selling at very low prices. A good stock of

SADDLES

which I can guarantee. BITTS of all styles and SPURS of all kinds.

We also keep the best assortment of Wagon and Plough COLLARS in the County.

My stock consists, not merely of a few articles, but an assortment of everything connected with this business. Give me a call.

REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at the shortest notice.

JOHN F. HOWARD,

Oct. 24. Opposite the Voshell House

BREAD AND CAKE BAKERY

DOROTHEA GRUBER,

AT the old Bakery (up town,) respectfully informs the public that she is prepared to furnish

BREAD, RUSK, BUNS, PIES, Biscuits, &c.,

FRESH FROM THE BAKERY, together with every description of Cake, such as

Pound Cake, Sponge Cake,

FRUIT CAKE, JUMBLES, SUGAR CAKE, Jelly Cake, Lemon Cake, &c., at the lowest prices. Having had large experience in Philadelphia in this business, she is satisfied of her ability to give satisfaction.

DOROTHEA GRUBER.

Chestertown, Jan. 1, 1866

BAKERY! BAKERY!

FRESH BREAD, CAKES AND PIES.

JOHN WAIBEL

Has again commenced the *Bread and Cake Baking Business,* in Chestertown. I have built a Bakery on Queen Street, adjoining Mrs. Biscoe, and hope to supply my old customers and the public with BREAD, CAKES, PIES, &c.

I am determined to sell at the very lowest prices, and will do all in my power to please my customers. Give me a call.

24d. JOHN WAIBEL.

FLOUR and MEAL STORE!

On the Corner opposite T. B. Hynson's

FLOUR $7.00, 8.00, 8.50 and $9 per barrel 2 to 5 cts. per pound.

BUCKWHEAT by the bag or pound.

CORN MEAL, CHOPPED CORN, BRAN Shorts and other Chops.

DYSPEPSIA FLOUR made to order.

Buy where you can buy the Cheapest.

Call at **BACCHUS'.**

Dec. 10, 1870—tf.

Hardware! Hardware! Hardware!

CALL AND EXAMINE MY LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

FARMERS' and BUILDERS' HARDWARE.

TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY, SCISSORS, RAZORS, &c., &c.,

For sale at very small advance on first cost, at the TIN, STOVE AND HARDWARE STORE of J. K. ALDRIDGE.

March 9, 1872.

SUMMER!

S. MERRITT & CO.,

Have just opened a beautiful stock of

LINEN SUITS,

for Men and Boys. Also, Alpaca Coats, black and light colors; Linen Dusters; Bleh'd Duck Suits (Shrunk,) made up to order; Marseiles Pants and Vests; also a fine stock of Summer Cassimers; Gauze Undershirts and Bleached Drawers, &c. S. MERRITT & CO.

T. W. WICKES

Has Purchased

A NEW SODA FOUNTAIN,

And is prepared to furnish all lovers of this refreshing beverage with a superior article.

Call and try it. jel-tf.

ARE you in want of NECK TIES, call at S. Merritt & Co's., where you will find a full line of Black Ties and Bows; fancy Ties and Bows; and Scarfs, all of the latest styles.

PETROLEUM FLUID, Reduced to **25 cts.** per gallon. Best light and no grease.

jel. WM. A. VICKERS.

HAMS.—Fine Sugar-Cured and Market Hams, Salt Shad and Mackerel, and salt, smoked and Scotch Herring, for sale by

sep3 W. C. A. THOMPSON

AXES.—Several kinds of Axes of superior make, for sale low. J. E. WEER,

Feb 24. Kennedyville, Md

PURE DRUGS and MEDICINES.

Particular attention given to Prescriptions. Prices low. JOS. E. WEER.

ESPECIAL attention paid to FINE LINEN SHIRTS, and any one in want of a good Shirt at a moderate price, will do well to call and see S. MERRITT & CO.

BOOTS & SHOES, of different quality and prices.

Feb. 24. JOS. E. WEER.

IMAGES, Vases, Card Baskets, Cigar Stands French, English and American Perfumery Pomades, Toilet Soaps, Brushes, &c.

Dec. 16. C. F. STAM & BRO.

FOOD FOR THE SICK!

CORN STARCH, FARRINO, RICE FLOUR TAPIOCA, SAGO, SEA MOSS FAINE, for sale at WICKES' DRUG STORE.

HERRING, MACKEREL, and CIDER VINEGAR, For sale at MING'S.

THE EUREKA FANNING MILL.

THE GREATEST INVENTION OF THE NINETEENTH CENTURY!

Farmers Look to Your Interest!

THE attention of Farmers and Mechanics is particularly directed to the combined economy, utility and practicability of the Eureka Mill, and to the many other advantages it possesses over every other Fanning Mill which has been introduced to the public.

It is the fruit of long and patient investigation by the inventor, who has made it his constant study for over twenty years. He has secured several patents for Mills, and has always been rewarded with the best of success. But not feeling satisfied with his former attainments, he determined to reach the climax, and he now believes that his new invention will warrant him in exclaiming in the joy of his heart, like the philosopher, Phythagoras—EUREKA!—signifying in the Grecian language, "I have found it." This has given the name to this new Mill.

In this Mill are all the former improvements to which have been added several more, adding still greater advantages than were at first anticipated, or even thought possible by the inventor himself. It embraces the three great essentials necessary in every invention:

It combines ECONOMY, UTILITY and PRACTICABILITY!

THE "EUREKA" MILL

Is small and lighter, and is capable of doing more and better work in a given time than any other Mill ever invented.

IT IS THE ONLY MILL

that will successfully remove from wheat all such pests as Cockle, Garlic, Oats, Rye, &c.

Should an extra quality of grain for seed or gristing purposes be required, it can be so arranged as to catch in one box perfect grain, and in the other, grain fit for market or mill. Here is made a great saving usually lost sight of: for nearly one quarter of the grain cleaned in the common Mills is lost when sown, on account of shrunken kernels and inferior grain. The Eureka Mill saves all this, and gives seed every kernel of which will grow when put into the ground, and this saving will, in a short time, pay for the Mill.

HINES & BURCHINAL,

Chestertown, Maryland,

Owners of the Mill, are having them manufactured at the Sash Factory and Planing Mill of Noland & Co., Port Deposit, Md., which is a guarantee that they will be put up in the best manner. jel7-tf.

GO TO THE

UP TOWN FAMILY GROCERY,

AND

PROVISION STORE,

Where you will always find a fine assortment of GROCERIES.

SUGARS of all grades,
Prime Rio Coffee, both green and roasted,
Fine Sugar Cured Hams,
Molasses and Syrups,
VERY CHEAP.

Notions of all kinds.

Ladies', Misses and Children's Hose; Men's Half Hose, Suspenders, Bows, &c., of different qualities and prices. Cottons, Threads, Sewing Silk, Buttons, Scissors, Pen Knives, Violin Strings, Screws, Cruppers and Bridges, Watch Keys, &c.

TOBACCO & SEGARS of different qualities and prices; John Fuble's celebrated Pound Lump Tobacco, said to be the best Tobacco in this town. Snuff, Pipes, &c.

POWDER & SHOT, E B and Rifle Gun Caps,
Washing Crystal, Coffee Essence,
Kitchen Crystal and Babbitt's Soap,
Bacon, Flour, Lard, Cheese,
Butter, Salt Fish,
Concentrated Lye,
Essences, all kinds.

Spelling and Copy Books,
Slates, Inks, Paper, Pens and Pencils.
Laudanum, Bateman's Drops, Pain Killer, &c.
Soda, Water, Butter and Sugar Crackers,
Lemon and Ginger Schnapps,
Lemon and Ship Biscuit,
Oranges, Lemons, Nuts and Candies, Harris' Blacking by the doz. at city prices.

Flour and Lime by the Barrel, and other articles too numerous to mention, which will be sold at the very lowest figures for the cash.

WM. C. A. THOMPSON.

I will pay cash or exchange goods for all kinds of PRODUCE. ap6.

REMOVAL and ENLARGEMENT!

L. C. BAKER,

HAS removed from the basement of the Voshell House, to the Store House of S. S. Usilton, up town, where he has ENLARGED HIS STOCK, and will keep on hand

WHISKIES of all Grades, BRANDY, GIN, WINES, RUM, &c.,

RASPBERRY & LEMON SYRUP,

together with Demijohns, Jugs, Flasks, &c.

Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS,

OF THE BEST AND ORDINARY BRANDS, *AT LOW PRICES.*

His Liquors will be sold at a lower price for the quality than can be bought elsewhere in Chestertown, in proof of which he asks a trial by those competent to judge.

my18-tf. L. C. BAKER.

A CARD.

I respectfully inform my friends and the public that in the future I can be found at all hours, night or day, at my

DRUG STORE ON HIGH STREET,

where I will be at all times, ready to

COMPOUND MEDICINES

Accurately and with Dispatch.

I take pleasure in showing my

FINE ASSORTMENT OF

FANCY ARTICLES,

Which is varied and attractive.

No Trouble to Show Goods.

Thanking my friends for their liberal patronage bestowed in the past, I would respectfully ask a continuance of the same.

T. W. WICKES.

P. S.—Persons wishing Medical advice will always find Dr. T. S. HOLTON in my store, when not professionally engaged.

Feb. 3—tf. T. W. W.

GOOD HARNESS

MADE AND SOLD

J. F. HOWARD'S HARNESS STORE

FOR $2

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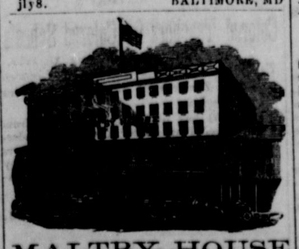

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