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Horrible Homicide in Delaware.

A Man Killed, Skinned and Cut Up—Confession of the Prisoner.

The Wilmington, (Del.) *Gazette* gives the particulars of a horrible homicide which occurred in Dover on the 2d inst., the victim being a colored man named Henry Turner, and the perpetrator a young man named Isaac C. West, Jr., 29 years of age, and practicing as a professor for the cure of pulmonary diseases. West, it appears, had a laboratory in his establishment in which there was a gasometer of his own, which he employed in his profession. Occasionally he obtained the assistance of Turner to carry water and do similar service. On the evening of the day above mentioned the house was discovered on fire, apparently from an explosion in the laboratory, where, after the fire was extinguished, a dead body was found, minus skin, head, hands and feet. Underneath the body was discovered a hole, containing a quantity of gunpowder. It was at first supposed that there had been an explosion of gas, and that the mutilated body was that of the young professor, but a suspicion soon arose that it was all a plan devised by him to obtain by indirect means insurance to the amount of $25,000, which he had upon his own life. The matter remained a mystery until Friday last, when the professor reappeared in Dover, and made a confession, acknowledging that he killed the man, but averring that it was done in self-defense, Turner, according to his account, having seen him with money early in the day and attempted to kill him when employed in his laboratory that evening to obtain it. The statement of West was made before the coroner and jury. He said:

STATEMENT OF THE PRISONER.

"I had taken my gas apparatus to pieces that day, intending to fasten a small sledge hammer to the weights; the sledge hammer was sitting just inside the door; the other weights were near the corner, about eight feet further on; one of the weights was a bolt, or piece of an axle; it was about two feet long and about 1½ inches in diameter; I just got over about where this bolt was sitting when I turned and saw him with this sledge hammer in his hand; soon as Turner saw that I saw him with the hammer, Turner says, "Give me your pocket-book, or I will kill you;" I snatched up the bolt or piece of axle, and just as I did so he struck at me with the hammer; he struck me on top of my hat, denting the hat in, but did not touch my head, as I was stooping over; I then struck him with the bolt or piece of axle, intending to strike him on the head, but missed his head and struck him on the neck, I think below the ear; he fell, and I don't think he ever breathed after that; this was just about sunset; he fell over on his side; I then felt of his pulse and found that he was dead; I did not intend to kill him, but only intended to knock him down, so that he would not kill me; I left the body laying there and came up to Wm. Fountain's Hotel and got my supper, and did not go back any more that evening; I went back again on Tuesday morning about 10 or 11 o'clock; I then thought I would cut him up in pieces and carry him off and bury him; I cut off his head and feet with a penknife, and skinned the body; I had broken several of the bones with the bolt or piece of axle previously; this was not all done before dinner; I do not know how much I did do before dinner; I went to my dinner that day, but do not know the exact time; I was not there in the afternoon to the best of my knowledge; in the afternoon I got a horse and carriage of Mr Fountain and went out home to Hazletville, thinking it would be dark in the evening when I came back to take the remains away and bury them; I think it was about six o'clock in the evening of Tuesday when I returned; I brought down the skin of Turner in the water bucket; had a piece of paper over the top of the bucket, which was about even full; the horse smelt it and would not let me take it; I set it down just inside of the outside door, and locked the door; I then brought the horse and carriage up to the stable; I went up to the hotel and prepared myself, then thought I would carry off the remains in a bucket and bury them; I got my supper at Hazletville; I think it was about 8 o'clock; I went back to my room; I then took the bucket that had the skin in it and started out on the street with it; I had not got far before there were two dogs after me. I was going down Lockman to New street, and then turned into New street; I found the ground was frozen, and I had nothing to dig a hole with; I then turned and brought it back to my room again; I then remained up in my room thinking what to do; I then concluded to tear a large box to pieces I had and make a box that would hold the remains, and ship them on the Delaware railroad to some point undetermined, and then bury them; I found it was getting late, and I could not stay any later that night; I then came up to the hotel, and went to bed about 11 o'clock on Tuesday evening; on Wednesday my foot was hurting me, and I did not go back to my room until about 9 o'clock, and found the remains smelling so that I could not ship them on the Delaware railroad; I was about at different places in town that day until the afternoon; got my dinner at Fountain's Hotel as usual; I think I went back to my room about 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon; I took my knife and cut some pieces off the abdomen; I cut the lips and nose off the head; I then took the bolt or piece of axle and struck the head; I am under the impression I struck the head before I cut the lips and nose, intending to mash the head up so that it could not be recognized; it was my intention to skin the head; I then thought if I skinned the head it would still retain its shape and be recognized; I then took the head in a bucket and took it down to a lime heap near the railroad and put lime over it, and put it back in the bucket, and then carried it back to the place where I buried it with a spade I got from the side of Mrs. Jones's out-house, under a heap of dead briars, near the corner of Water street and railroad; I then came back to my room about 10 o'clock at night; I had a candle and two lamps; one for the purpose of burning alcohol and the other for kerosene oil; I took the bucket and put the skin in it to carry it away; I went out on the street with it and saw some one coming; I took it back to my room again; I melted some tallow on the floor and stuck the candle in it, and then took one of the feet and poured some alcohol over it; set fire to it; I thought that would change the color of it, and spilt some on the floor, and then also caught fire; I had the night before that time piled the box over the body, and put the pieces of the box on top of the box; I intended if the alcohol changed the color of the skin on the feet I was then going to spread the skin out on the floor, and put alcohol on it to change the color of it by burning the alcohol; I found the burning of alcohol did not change the color of the skin; I intended if it did to put the skin back on the body, and fit it as well as I could; the alcohol on the floor caught fire; I tried to put the fire out with my hat, and could not; then I gathered up the feet and hands and skin in my hands, and got out of the room soon as I could, fearing the fire might catch to the powder in the hole, and walked towards the Methodist graveyard with the feet, hands and skin; after I got off some distance from the house I saw that the fire had gone out; did not see more than one light burning; I started to go back to the room again, but I was afraid to go back, knowing the candle was setting on the floor; I had gotten up near Mrs Jones's new house, and I saw the fire flash up again; I then turned and went back towards the graveyard, where I left the hands, feet and skin; I then took them up and carried them over in the Methodist graveyard, and waited there until the fire was put out. I then went and buried the skin along the side of the railroad; I started up to get the hands and feet to bury them; I heard the whistle of the 4 o'clock down train; I raked some lime over them between two lime piles; I then went up to the depot, and waited there until the train came, and got on board the train with a bundle of clothes; got on the train next to the town side, and went to Delmar; there got off the train and walked to Salisbury, Maryland, down the track to the railroad; I went up to Tracy's Hotel in Salisbury, Maryland, and remained there until this morning, Friday, the 6th, and then got on the train coming north; came up to Farmington, and got off the train there; I then walked up to Harrington, got on evening train and came to Dover and delivered myself up to the sheriff; I had previously called for a constable at Harrington to deliver myself up to him. My life is insured for $25,000. In New England Mutual Company for $10,000. In John Hancock for 5,000. In Delaware Mutual for 5,000. In Ætna for 5,000. About half which is in favor of my wife, the other part in favor of self. The policies are all alive. The Ætna policy was taken about five or six years ago, the others last spring.

"Had no quarrel with said Turner, nor no enmity against him; just simply knew him by name, never having exchanged a half dozen words with him before that day. When I struck him I had the axle or bolt in both hands, and hit him on the right side and the back of the neck; one blow was all I gave him; that killing him; I don't think he ever breathed after I struck him; I felt his pulse as soon as I could compose myself, and his pulse had ceased beating; I am not certain whether the lamp was burning or not; I bored the hole in the floor about one month ago with a brace and bit, borrowed from Captain Bartel; the hole was to set a post in to hold the retort; the powder, about a quarter of a pound, was put in the hole on Saturday, the 30th of November; the bundle of clothes I took with me was circular—one coat, pair of pants, three shirts; I bundled them up in my room in Kerbin's building; about ten o'clock on Wednesday night I took them down back of Holland's store, and left them in the graveyard; when I heard the whistle of the train I got my bundle of clothes and took them down and laid them on the platform; the same bundle of clothes, with an addition of one pair of pants, are at the depot in Dover; they are in a bag; the b g I bought at Salisbury, Md.; I tore Turner's clothes up in scraps, so that they would not be recognized, consisting of coat, pants and shirts; the shoes of Turner I cut the tops off and threw the soles out in the street; I left the uppers with the torn up clothes to carry off and bury; the front shutters of the room were closed when I left, and in time of the fire"

HOW THE STATEMENT IS RECEIVED.

The Delawarean says that West's explanations of the killing are not credited. A large crowd awaited his arrival at the depot, where he was taken in charge by the officers. He is now lodged in jail. His brothers and his father-in-law joined him in the cell. They were very much distressed and in tears; while West coolly and apparently unconcerned ate his supper.

WEST'S ANTECEDENTS.

The Wilmington *Commercial* says:

Rrof. Isaac C. West is a Delawarean by birth, and is respectably connected.—His parents reside in Baltimore Hundred, Sussex county. His father-in-law is the recorder of deeds for Kent county. West's earlier years were spent in Dover, where he was learning blacksmithing. Subsequently his aspirations rose higher, and he entered Dickinson College, graduating in 1868. He studied both law and medicine, but never had practice of any account at either. For a year or two he was employed as assistant at Faukner's select school at Dover, which he left to pursue other studies. Of late he has been experimenting with the manufacture of a gas which he claims will cure consumption. He is about twenty-nine years of age, five feet eight inches high, good features and rather prepossessing in appearance, aquiline nose, black, piercing eyes, black hair, generally wears glasses astride of his nose, stout and heavy in built and is quite intelligent.

THE MURDER AT DOVER, DELAWARE—*An Interview with West.*—The Wilmington *Commercial*, of Monday, in referring to this extraordinary case, states that the excitement at Dover over the murder of the colored man, Turner, by Prof. West, and the skinning and cutting up of the body, is somewhat abated, but the affair remains the chief subject of conversation. The *Commercial* says:

"A representative of the *Commercial* was admitted to the cell in which West is confined, and the revelations made by him, not in his previous confession, are not only of a strange and peculiar nature, but may yet take an active part in the affair before its close. Of the peculiar sort of gas for which he claimed a secret, and which he has not only used himself, but has been dispensing to others under the pretext of its wonderful curative properties for certain diseases, but in reality for the exceedingly exhilarating and intoxicating influences, there is no special secret. It is simply nitrous oxide gas, and in order to give it a different appearance it is disguised by a solution of sesquioxide or sub-carbonate of iron, which changes the color. The effect of an excessive use of this gas, it is declared by medical men, cannot, in time, do otherwise than produce temporary and in some cases permanent insanity. The prisoner admitted that he had been in the habit of using it for more than a year, and, aside from this, had been using gunpowder for a disease of the kidneys. Some time ago West had an office in Baltimore, where he manufactured and used this gas. He subsequently sold the right to manufacture to a man on Baltimore street, near Broadway. West further states that this man, by use of this gas, was for a time an inmate of an insane asylum. Another instance of its fearful effects is at Newtown, Penn., where it has produced violent hemorrhages on a lady, and that now her life is despaired of, and with a peculiar and significant expression he said, "and has done other mischief." He stated that on Monday, previous to committing the foul deed, he had two gallons of gas left, and not wanting to waste it, inhaled the whole of it during the day. The prisoner declares the affair now seems to him a "a fearful nightmare," and says he can assign no reason for his flight and sudden reappearance. Dr. W. C. Davidson, of Milford, who has known him from boyhood, had an interview also with him on Saturday, and admits that his previous convictions of the man's insanity are confirmed. His excessive use of the gas, he thinks, has done the work."

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF A YOUNG LADY WHILE BUGGY RIDING.—A few days ago Benjamin Coleman, a young man who resides near Etna, Illinois, seven miles south of Mattoon, called at the house of a near neighbor, Mr. Benjamin Hyatt, and invited his daughter to ride a short distance in a buggy with him. Miss Hyatt, who was a young lady of twenty years, and bore a good character, complied with his request and they started, but in a short time Coleman returned with the dead body of Miss Hyatt in the buggy. He first stated that his horse had run off, throwing the lady out and causing her death, but in conversation a few minutes afterward stated that Miss Hyatt had jumped from the buggy, and was killed by the fall. Coleman fled immediately, and this circumstance, taken in connection with the variations in his versions of the affair, has given rise to strong suspicions of foul play. An inquest is being held, and further facts may be developed.

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Odoriferous SOZODONT renders the mouth enchanting. Composed of rare antiseptic herbs, it imparts whiteness to the teeth, a delicious flower-like aroma to the breath, and preserves intact, from youth to age, the teeth.

Spalding's Glue, hands, mending everything.

Death-bed of Gen. Lee.

A magnificent 14x18 inch Engraving, representing the death-scene of Gen. Lee. The family and friends are grouped sorrowfully around the old hero's death-bed. The scene represented is so touchingly beautiful, the sentiment of the picture is so sweet, and the characters so life-like, that everybody admires it wherever shown. It is truly a gem of art, one which should hang in the parlor of every Southern home. Sent by mail, mounted on a roller and post-paid, on receipt of 20 cents, or 3 for 50 cts. Address J. C. & W. M. BURROW, No. 200 Main st., Bristol, Tenn. Agents wanted, local and travelling, everywhere to sell our Popular Pictures, Charts, Books, Photographs, &c.

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DR. A. BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP, lately introduced into this country from Germany, for severe coughs, consumption, or any disease of the throat and lungs, and GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER, sure cure for dyspepsia, liver complaint, &c. Two doses of either of the above will relieve and convince any one. We will not publish certificates, print column in the papers, or portray the ghastly feature of disease, we simply say get a sample bottle, *free of charge*, and try them. Regular size, 75 cents each. Samples free at T. W. WICKES' and C. F. STAM & BRO.'S Drug Stores, Chestertown, Maryland.

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of two writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued by D. U. Dewees, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of H. L. Crew, against the goods and chattels lands and tenements of Edward Posey, colored, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Edward Posey, of, in and to

Five Acres of LAND

WITH IMPROVEMENTS,

On the public road from Still Pond to Betterton, and adjoining the lands of Jesse Wilson and G. W. Howard.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, 21st of December, 1872,

At 10 o'clock, A. M., at Still Pond Cross Roads, I will sell the said property, so seized and taken in execution, at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the said debt, interest and cost due and to become due thereon

JACOB SUTTON, Constable.

Nov 30, 1872—ts [4.75]

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

BY virtue of three writs of fieri facias, issued by T. K. Stephens, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of Jeremiah Peacock, use of Samuel Todd, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Robert D Parker, colored, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Robert D. Parker, in and to the following property:

A LOT OF LAND,

adjoining the lands of C. J. Scott and others,

Containing Two Acres, more or less,

Also, Lot No. 2,

adjoining J. B. Hance and Henry Spencer, containing 2¾ Acres.

Also, **Lot No. 3,** adjoining George Raisin, and others.

And I hereby give notice, that on

MONDAY, the 23d of December, 1872,

in front of the Hotel Porch in Galena, at 2 o'clock, P. M., I will sell to the highest bidders for cash, the said property so seized and taken in execution, to pay said writs, interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

A. S. HURLOCK, Const.

Nov. 30—ts [5.50]

Winter Goods!

WE beg to inform our customers and buyers generally, that late purchases of all descriptions of goods used in COLD WEATHER have made our present stock on hand very large and attractive.

Having bought from FIRST HANDS and at the CLOSEST CASH FIGURES, we are enabled to offer them to responsible parties upon most satisfactory and accommodating terms.

Making a speciality of no one branch of trade, we do not call special attention to any particular line of goods, but would merely state that in ALL DEPARTMENTS OF OUR BUSINESS the Stock is being fully kept up to its old standard, and dealing more particularly in FIRST CLASS GOODS, we shall continue to make it our aim that our friends shall have no complaint to make about prices.

T. S. WICKES.

Chestertown, November 30, 1872.

POULTRY! POULTRY!

The HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH every TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY for POULTRY, dressed for the Philadelphia market, by STEWART & CO.,
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GOOD CYPRESS FENCING.

POINTED PICKETS.

No. 1 HEART CYPRESS SHINGLES,
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BOARDS, JOIST, SCANTLING, &c.,
For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.
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Nov. 23. C. F. STAM & BRO.

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S. Merritt & Co.,

HAVE JUST OPENED

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The Most Desirable Stock of

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FOR MEN AND BOYS,

Ever offered to this Community.

Gents' Furnishing Goods!

HATS and CAPS.

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

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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.

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Howe Machine COMPANY

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ON THE MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

They are now manufacturing

SIX HUNDRED DAILY.

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THE ORIGINAL INVENTOR OF

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Did not compete with Companies who were paying him royalty for the use of his patents. At that time he commenced manufacturing and put the genius which invented the Sewing Machine, the experience derived from the failures of other manufacturers, and the experience of a long life as a practical mechanic into the

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It is a noticeable fact that the

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of their Machines in use, although having existed but SIX YEARS, while the Company which claims to have the most in use, has only about twice that number, though having existed for TWENTY YEARS.

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Will sell on credit or lease on Monthly Payments, and offers such easy terms that every one can afford to have a

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He sells at New York prices and does not charge Fifteen Dollars in advance as some rival agents are doing.

Nov 9, 1872—tf.

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WE HAVE JUST OPENED A LARGE AND *SPLENDID STOCK* OF OVERCOATS

In great variety of Styles, Color and Material.

Also, a nice stock of

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all of which we propose to sell as low as possible. Call and look at them.

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HAVE THE BEST AND CHEAPEST SPICES

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Green Ginger, White and Black Mustard Seed, Celery Seed, Mace, Nutmegs, Cloves, Allspice, Red and Black Pepper, whole or ground, and warranted pure.

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JOS. E. WEER,
Feb. 24. Kennedyville, Md.

New Goods at Low Prices,

—AT—

T. W. ELIASON, JR.'S.

NEW FIRM IN MILLINGTON!

WEST & JOHNSON

HAVE just returned from the City and opened an assortment of

FALL & WINTER GOODS

Consisting of a general assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, &c.

Persons wishing to buy Goods at a Fair Price will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Our motto is "QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS."

WEST & JOHNSON.

Sept. 7, 1872—4m.

New Goods!

THOSE WHO WANT BARGAINS

ARE INVITED TO CALL AND EXAMINE MY GOODS AND PRICES!

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
NOTIONS,
CONFECTIONERY,
TOBACCO,
SEGARS,
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BOOTS AND SHOES

BOUGHT for CASH BEFORE THE BOSTON FIRE!

And will be sold at prices LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

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Men's, Boys' and Youth's Hats and Caps, at the very lowest prices.

CALL AND EXAMINE THEM.

Molasses and Syrups, Coal Oil,

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And a general assortment of all kinds of goods.

You will be very apt to find what you want at

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WANTED—Poultry dressed or undressed, Eggs, Butter, Lard, Pork, and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE in Cash or Goods.

Furs.—I will pay the *very highest Cash price* for Mink, Otter, Muskrat, Fox, Opossom, Coon, Rabbit Skins, and Rags.

QUICK SALES, SMALL PROFITS, AND FAIR DEALING.

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Store on Cross St., opposite G. E. Lambert's Carriage Factory, Chestertown.

Nov. 30, 1872.

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PURE	PURE
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COMEGYS & BRO.,

HAVE JUST RETURNED from the city and opened an assortment of

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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.

New Store at Buck Neck.

THE undersigned would announce to their friends and the public generally, that they have opened a NEW STORE at

BUCK NECK WHARF,

Under the firm name of

MOORE & BEACHAM,

and will keep on hand a general assortment of

GROCERIES,

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes

HATS AND CAPS,

and such other goods as are usually kept in a country store. Also,

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

OF ALL KINDS,

to which the attention of Farmers is particularly invited, and which we guarantee to sell as low as they can be bought in the city.

Plow Castings also kept on hand.

COUNTRY PRODUCE of all kinds taken in exchange for goods, or at a fair cash price.

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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

now on hand, which we are selling at very low figures. 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.

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WINDOW GLASS, all sizes, for sale by
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Received Direct from the Manufacturer, and for sale at very small advance on First Cost.

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Morning Glory, Spear's Anti-Clinker Hot Base, Magic Light Base Burner;—these three are self-feeders. Token Base Burner with Reflector, Dawn, Comet, Myrtle, Vulcan and Crystal Egg Stoves, Casket for wood or coal; Tuscan, Union Air-Tight, Woodland, Flame, &c.

Spear's Golden Light and Bibb's Silver Palace, for sale at city prices, and put up to heat one, two, and three rooms.

Store opposite the Court House.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

SPORTSMEN LOOK!

GUNS, PISTOLS, Cartridges, Caps, Shot, Gun wad, Tubes, Ramrods, Heads and Screws, Shot Pouches, Powder Flasks, Game Bags, Gun Washers, &c., for sale by

Nov. 2. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

TAX-PAYERS of the Third Election District are notified that their taxes for 1872 are due, and demanded. The collector will shortly begin to serve parties with their accounts and the legal notice to pay. In all cases where the legal notice is given, he will proceed, at the expiration thereof, to collect by law. The last Act of Assembly renders this course necessary. The collector will be found every SATURDAY AFTERNOON at Wm. V. Lucas' store, Smithville, from 2 to 6 o'clock, P. M.

WILLIAM HEPBRON,
Collector of Taxes for Third District.
July 27, 1872—tf.

TAX NOTICE.

THE TAXES for the year 1872 for the Fifth Election District, are now due, and I am prepared to receive them. Prompt attention to this matter upon the part of Tax-Payers will save them expense and myself much trouble. For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at Grey's Inn Wharf every Monday morning; at Edesville every Monday afternoon; in Chestertown on Tuesdays, at Rees' Corner on Wednesdays.

MORGAN BROWN, Collector.

N. B.—All persons indebted to me for taxes for 1871, are hereby notified that unless the same are paid by the first day of September, 1872, I shall be compelled to collect them by the shortest legal process.

jy27-tf. MORGAN BROWN, Coll'r.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

THE subscriber gives notice to the Tax-payers of the Fourth Election District, that their taxes are now due, and their accounts made out. He will at once commence to deliver them, in all cases bearing the legal notice. After thirty days he will proceed to collect the same, so that he may be prepared to comply with the stringent enactment of the last General Assembly.

CHAS. H. DAVIS,
Collector of Taxes for 4th Dist.
July 20, 1872—tf.

Ratification Notice.

GEORGE VICKERS
vs.
THOMAS I. BRITTON.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent County.

ORDERED that the sales made and reported by GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee for the sale of the Mortgaged Real Estate of Thomas I. Britton, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Tenth day of February next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the Tenth day of January next. The Report states the amount of sales to be $550 00.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
d7-4t. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Kent county, Letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

WILLIAM J. HURLOCK,

late of New Castle county, Delaware, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 17th day of June, 1873 otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of December, 1872.

WILLIAM D. CLARK, Ex'r.
Dec. 7, 1872—4t.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

GEORGE H. W. JEWELL,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of June, 1873 otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of December, 1872. JAMES A. FRENCH,
Dec. 7, 1872—4t. Adm'r.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

WILLIAM H. BOWMAN,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 11th day of June, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in the said estate.

Given under my hand this 19th day of November, 1872.

JAMES SKEGGS, Adm'r.
Nov. 23, 1872—4t.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, of

THOMAS W. RINGGOLD,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 11th day of June, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 19th day of November, 1872. MARY J. RINGGOLD,
Nov. 23, 1872—4t. Executrix

JOHN H. THOMAS

AUCTIONEER,

Will attend sales in any part of the county on reasonable terms. Address him at Millington, Md. oct5-6m.

ENVELOPES and PAPER at Wholesale and Retail. Call and examine our stock.
STAM & BRO.

CALL and get one of our FAMILY ALMANACS for year 1873. We are distributing them gratuitously. C. F. STAM & BRO.

RAZORS, Razor Straps, Nuns Brushes, and everything for a complete outfit for shaving, at C. F. STAM & BRO.'S.

KENT CO. R. R.

TIME TABLE:

TO TAKE EFFECT SATURDAY, Nov. 16th.

GOING EAST.

Leave Chestertown	6.20 A. M.		
" Worton	6.48 "		
" Lynch's	6.55 "		
" Still Pond	7.02 "		
" Kennedyville	7.17 "		
" Black's	7.32 "	Q. A. & Rent	
" Lambson's	7.44 "	X. R.	
" Massey's	8.02 "	1.28 P. M.	
" Morris'	8.12 "	1.38 "	
" Vandyke's	8.22 "	1.52 "	
Arrive at Townsend	8.35 "	2.10 "	
" Wilmington	10.15 "	3.55 "	
" Philadelphia	11.45 "	5.18 "	
" Baltimore	1.05 P. M.	8.10 "	

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 "	
" Chestertown	1.35 "	
" Vickers'	1.55 "	
Arrive Parsons'	2.00 "	

All trains daily, (Sundays excepted.)

Stations marked * have no agents.

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

Trains run to Vickers' and Parsons' Stations for freight only.

JOS. T. RICHARDS, Sup't.
Chestertown, Nov. 16, 1872—tf.

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

FALL ARRANGEMENT.

On and after SATURDAY, September 21, 1872

The Steamer CHESTER

Will leave Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7, A. M., for Kent Island, Queenstown, Grey's Inn Creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's, Chestertown, and Crumpton.

Returning, leave Crumpton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7, A. M., making the above stops.

FARE $1.25.

Freights received on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All freights must be prepaid at the office in Baltimore.

OFFICE—No. 7 Light St. Wharf.

B. S. FORD, President
Chester River Steamboat Company
Sept. 28. 1872—tf.

For Sassafras River.

THE STEAMER TRUMPETER

HAVING undergone thorough repair, and being now in complete order, will resume her trips on SATURDAY, the 9th of March, 1872, leaving Pier No. 6, Light Street Wharf, at 10½ o'clock, A. M.

Thankful for past favors, we will earnestly strive to merit a continuance of the same.

WM. CUNDIFF, Capt.

March 9, 1872—s

The Steamer C. P. Smith,

CAPT. J. H. BROWN,

On and after May 1, 1872,

Will leave BALTIMORE,

From Pier No. 7, Light Street Wharf, at 10½ o'clock, A. M., for ELKTON, stopping at

Buck Neck, Barnard's & Betterton

REYBOLD'S, and the LANDINGS ON ELK RIVER. Returning the opposite days, leaving Elk Landing at 7 o'clock, A. M.

Stage will connect with this Boat to and from Chestertown.

FARE—from Chestertown - - $1.25
" " Buck Neck - - 1.00

Freight at reasonable rates.

EDWARD BROWN, Prop'r.
April 27, 1872—tf.

Lumber! Lumber!

NEW STOCK.

JOHN T. DODD & SON,

Have removed their LUMBER YARD from the old stand of Wm. Vannort to the Yard in the rear of their Carpenter Shop, up town, and have just received a full supply of

Lumber, Sash, Doors, Shutters, &c.

OF ALL KINDS.

No. 1 HEART CYPRESS SHINGLES
No. 1 SAP do. do.
No. 1 WHITE PINE PALES,
No. 1 HEMLOCK PALES,
WHITE PINE FENCING,
HEMLOCK FENCING,
PLASTERING LATHS,
White Pine CULLINGS and SELECTS,
SCANTLING, JOIST & BILL STUFF.

Thanking our customers for their past patronage, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. UNDERTAKING will receive our special attention as best few.

apr20. JOHN T. DODD & SON

TO THE PUBLIC!

THE undersigned having resigned the R. R agency at Massey's, is now prepared to give his exclusive attention to the

Grain, Lime, Phosphate, Lumber, AND Farming Implement business.

By doing business as nearly as possible on a cash basis, will endeavor to reduce price and give general satisfaction.

ALSO, AGENT FOR

PEACH TREES

From a First Class Nursery

S. W. BOYER, MASSEY'S.

Office opposite Sweatman's Hotel.
Sept 21, 1872—3m*

KENT COUNTY, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that George Bell, farmer, of Kent county, personally appeared before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, this 21st day of November, in the year 1872, and made oath in due form of law that there is as an estray trespassing upon his enclosures a YEARLING HEIFER, red and white, with horns. Given under my hand. T. W. RUSSELL, J. P.

The owner of the above described Heifer is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take it away.

n23-3t GEORGE BELL, Fairlee.

FRESH LAGER,

COLD AND PRIME.

Also, LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS

Always on hand and for sale by

H. FERRY, Up Town.
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T. W. ELIASON, JR., has