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The Kent News.

SATURDAY . . DEC. 21, 1872.

FRENCH SPOLIATION.

"Let Justice Be Done, Though the Heavens Fall."

In the United States Senate on Monday, Mr. Cameron called up the bill appropriating five million dollars to pay the French spoliation claims.

He then explained fully the origin of these claims, reviewed their history, and advocated the propriety of their immediate payment.

MR. VICKERS, after having read extracts from the various treaties with France, and given a succinct account of our revolutionary struggle, and of the aid and succor furnished by France, and followed up the succeeding history of Jay's treaty and subsequent negotiations and treaties with France, and demonstrating the liability of the United States to pay for French spoliations prior to 1800, concluded by a recapitulation of the leading facts and arguments as follows:

I have endeavored to show to the Senate the incalculable importance of the treaty with France, and the vital aid rendered by her to our feeble and struggling country. Possibly it might not be an exaggeration to say that without it, and the prestige it gave to us in the eyes of the world, we should have failed of our independence, and been thrown back into our colonial condition, with more onerous and degrading conditions than the tea and the stamp tax. To obtain the assistance of France our Government gave to that country privileges of a high and exclusive character, and bound herself to the performance of duties, involving war, to protect the West India possessions of France. Immense concessions, and even war, were considered prices not too great for the purchase of independence. France redeemed her promises, expended her money, and sacrificed the lives of her men and the security of her ships for us. Peace was conquered, freedom secured, and the United States stood forth redeemed, regenerated and disenthralled. She assumed her position among the nations of the earth, and became the asylum of the oppressed, the land of the free, and the home of the brave.

Commerce, agriculture and the mechanic arts thrived briskly under American industry and enterprise. Our late friend and ally became engaged in hostilities with foreign powers; her crops failed; Europe combined to starve and to destroy her. She, imitating our example, threw off the yoke of kings, and pronounced for a republic. As a neutral nation our commerce suffered the usual evils. The sympathies of our people were with France, but instead of assistance our Government declared, by proclamation, that we would be neutral. As France became sore pressed, she issued edicts to counteract the orders of her enemies. Our commerce suffered greatly and unjustly. Negotiations followed; partial indemnity was secured, but against the residue she set up our delinquency in suffering her West India possessions to be taken from her, in depriving her of the use of our ports for her prizes, as stipulated in the treaty with her, and for other non-performance of treaty obligations. A reconciliation was effected, a new treaty was made. France relinquished her claims under the former treaty, and we released her from the just demands of our citizens for the spoliation of their commerce. Our Government substituted herself for France, and assumed the obligations that Power would have been obliged to discharge.

From that period to this, the claimants have been unceasing in their call for remuneration. Some, perhaps all, of the original claimants have died, but their children, and grandchildren and relatives have not failed to make their voices heard. There is scarcely a city from which the appeal does not come; they ask for less than half of their legitimate demand, with the loss of seventy years' interest. Can the United States afford to be unjust?—Can it longer turn a deaf ear to the claims of the needy—to the voice of the widow and the cry of the orphan? For seventy years they have waited. Some have endured want and suffering; they have respectfully and urgently asked their country to be just—to pay back less than a moiety of what it owes. Twice have the Senate and the Representatives of the people responded to their call, and been met by vetoes; and now they again invoke their Government, great and strong in its resources, to do justice, and to wipe away the stain which indifference and neglect have brought upon our escutcheon. Republics have been charged with ingratitude. Let ours be an exception, and prove to the world that no dishonor shall attach to the name or to the history of our country. A good name is preferable to great riches, and as our institutions have their origin in, and owe their stability to the people, let us redeem the apathy and the errors of the past by a prompt and ready response to duty and to honor.—"Let justice be done, though the Heavens fall."

MARYLAND SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.—The third quarterly meeting of the Maryland Sunday School Union was held in Baltimore on Wednesday, G. S. Griffith, Esq., in the chair. From the reports of the State superintendant and missionaries it is learned that the interest and the energy of the society have not been flagging. They have organized during the past three quarters 167 Sunday schools, gathering in between seven and eight thousand children heretofore not provided with religious instruction. Through the ten missionaries employed by the society they have visited over 18,000 families in the city and counties, and 230 Sunday schools in poor and destitute communities have been aided by the society in procuring necessary Sunday school books, also furnished with 6,200 Sunday school papers, besides the distribution of over 1,600 Bibles and Testaments. In addition to this mission work the Maryland Sunday School Union has been laboring earnestly to promote the standard of Sunday school instruction in communities where such schools are already organized, resorting to conventions and Union mass-meetings in the various towns under the auspices of Rev. Mr. Smeltz, the State superintendant, who also distributes tracts and pamphlets to the Sunday school workers.

A NEW TRICK OF PICKPOCKETS.—Recently at a trial of considerable interest in Rome, where the court-room was crowded, the pickpockets let loose a trained bird, which sailed around the heads of the audience, attracting their attention, giving ample time for the pickpockets to relieve the pockets of the audience.

AN eminent French physician has published a "warning to cigarette smokers." He asserts that habitual cigarette smokers will die of consumption before they reach the age of fifty. His arguments are earnest, interesting and plausible.

A Fragrant Breath and Pearly Teeth Are easily attained, and those who fail to avail themselves of the means, should not complain when accused of gross neglect. The *Sozodont* will speedily eradicate the cause of foul breath beautifying and preserving the teeth to the oldest age.

Spalding's Glue; stickiest thing out; ready.

A DESPERATE YOUNG MAN.—Thomas Cox, recently convicted for assault and intent to rob a feeble old man on the highway, is a greater desperado and a more hardened criminal than is often found at his age. A Cambridge paper says:—Beginning life in a rum shop, at the age of twelve, he was not long learning to swear and drink intemperately. Stealing followed, and he was twice placed in the pillory and flogged in Delaware. Next he was sent to the Maryland penitentiary from one of the lower counties, and he had only been out a few weeks when he met an old man at Greensboro, Caroline county, and accidentally saw the gentleman's pocket-book, which was well-filled with greenbacks. A few days after he met this same gentleman on the road, asked him to give a ride, and a short time after he was in the carriage attempted to rob him and would have probably succeeded had they not been overtaken by another carriage. Whilst a witness was testifying in court in his case, he leaned towards an Attorney, sitting close by and said, "as soon as I get loose I'll give that man the d—st flogging he ever heard of." After he was convicted and sentenced for six years and sent back to jail, he went to work and broke his hand-cuffs, his leg-irons, prized open the inner door and set fire to the outer one, and when discovered was almost free. He has a youthful look, a large head, and not a bad looking face, strong and muscular built; he will evidently endure six years of prison life without injuring his constitution. He is only about twenty-one years old. The Smyrna *Times* says that this same man has been twice at the whipping post in Delaware.

THE USURY LAWS.—The Wilmington *Every Evening* says: It is becoming the settled opinion of most of our leading business men that the great effort which should be made before the next Legislature should be that to secure the essential modification or repeal of our repressive usury laws. No further great expansion of business here, say many, is possible while these antiquated encroachments continue to drive a great part of the capital of our wealthy men to seek investment elsewhere and cause those who must borrow here to pay an exorbitant rate of interest for it. For that this is one result of these laws no one with any information on the subject will deny. The laws are constantly and necessarily evaded, but the borrower has to pay more on account of the added risk and also because of the comparatively small amount of money in the market for loaning in this way on any terms, and we have heard recently of money being loaned by a responsible man of property, to meet a sudden emergency, at the frightful rate of 18 per cent., while he could readily have got it for seven or eight per cent. from those who had it to spare, but for the fact they were unwilling to violate the law.

A PROPOSED NEW YORK CRYSTAL PALACE.—A number of gentlemen interested in the New York Industrial Exposition met in that city on Friday, with a view of developing a plan to inaugurate a Crystal Palace Exposition worthy of the increased demands of the times. General Dix, the governor elect of New York, and president of the association, occupied the chair, with Mr. Erastus Brooks on his right. It is proposed to erect the crystal palace in the vicinity of One Hundredth street and Fourth avenue. Land has been purchased at $1,700,000, of which $398,000 has been subscribed.—There are 355 building lots in the tract upon which it is proposed to erect the crystal palace. Mr. Diven, vice-president of the Crystal Palace Company, said "that but for the supineness of New York, the people of Philadelphia would not have asked, or Congress granted, a series of acts by which Philadelphia is to be honored and enriched by the holding of a world's fair, and by the United States proclaiming to all the world that Philadelphia is the commercial metropolis of this country. Speeches were also made by General Dix and others, and there seems to be a serious effort on foot, calculated at least to stimulate the world's fair stock in Philadelphia.

A PAIR OF BOOTS.—Mr. Alger, of the firm of Russell & Alger, exhibited a boot at *The American* office on Saturday, which at first sight any one would have taken for one of those exaggerated effigies which enterprising Sons of St. Crispin are want to hang out in front of their shops to give notice that smaller editions of the same article are made within. On closer inspection, however, it proved to be a genuine boot, made of the best material and finished in the highest style of the Crispin art. It seems that there is a youth on the Eastern Shore, of African descent, who is obliged to send to Baltimore for his boots, for the reason that the native shoemakers, on account of the diminutive size of their shops and their limited stock of leather, are not able to make them.—This interesting boy is nineteen years of age, and three or four years of his growing period still remain. If he attains the stature which the length of his foot indicates, according to the Greek sculptors' rule, he will be something over nine feet high. The boot was eighteen and a-half inches in the sole, and was intended for a good fit. The boy's foot measured seventeen and three-quarters inches around the heel, twelve and a-half inches around the instep and eleven and a-half inches around the calf, it required ten pounds of calf-skin and sole-leather to make the boots. This size of boot being utterly unknown to the trade, Messrs. Russell & Alger were obliged to have a last made from the measurement. The machinery used in their establishment not being intended for making giant's boots, one of their skilled workman made these by hand. They will cost the lively lad who is to wear them the sum of $20.—*Baltimore American.*

MURDER BY SUICIDE.—According to the English law, if two persons agree to commit suicide together, and the attempt is made successfully in one case and unsuccessfully in the other, the survivor is held to be guilty of the crime of murder. A case of this kind has been tried recently in England. Two young Germans, Paul Julius May and Hermann Nagel, who had lately arrived in England, after a round of low debauchery were alleged to have agreed to commit suicide, and to have gone to a room for that purpose.—Nagel succeeded in killing himself, while the wound inflicted by May was not mortal. A pistol was found lying by the side of May, yet, as it was conceivable that both shots might have been fired by Nagel, the jury gave the prisoner the benefit of the doubt. The London Journals, in commenting on the case, say it was clear from the first the prisoner would escape—partly on account of his being a foreigner, and unacquainted with the law, a mere youth, and having already suffered severely from the wound inflicted by himself. At the same time the law is spoken of as sound, and coincident with that spirit of public utility which is the best test of all legislation.

A CHESTER county "huskist" recently husked one hundred ears (?) of corn in four minutes.

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.

FREE OF CHARGE!

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 columns in the papers, or portray the ghastly features 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.

TAX NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to me for Taxes for 1871 and 1872, are hereby notified to settle the same on or before the Fifteenth day of January, 1873, otherwise I shall be compelled to proceed and collect by the shortest legal process. An act of the last Legislature makes it incumbent upon Collectors to collect and pay over the State taxes by the period above named. C. W. WARREN,
dec7-6t. Coll. 3d District.

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.

Ratification Notice.

William T. Tomlinson
versus
Robert K. Pippin and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Chancery, October Term, 1872.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee for the sale of the real estate decreed to be sold in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twenty-fifth 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 twenty-fifth day of January next. The Report states the amount of sales to be Eight Hundred dollars.

JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test:
JESSE K HINES, Clerk.
Dec 14, 1872—4t.

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 BOWKER,

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 12th day of July, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 10th day of December, 1872.

F. N. SHEPPARD, Exec'r.
Dec 14 1872—4t.

GOOD CYPRESS FENCING.

POINTED PICKETS.

No. 1 HEART CYPRESS SHINGLES,
No. 2 SAP " "
BOARDS, JOIST, SCANTLING, &c.,
For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

SAMUEL MERRITT. WM. J MCFEELY.

S. Merritt & Co.,

HAVE JUST OPENED

At their Store in Chestertown,

The Most Desirable Stock of

Fall and Winter CLOTHING!

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

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.
October 5, 1872.

THE

Howe Machine

COMPANY

Are now able from their increased facilities for manufacture to offer their

IMPROVED SEWING MACHINES,

ON THE MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

They are now manufacturing

SIX HUNDRED DAILY.

During the past six years they have manufactured and sold

400,000

which attests the great popularity of this unequalled machine. Until the year 1865

ELIAS HOWE, Jr.

THE ORIGINAL INVENTOR OF

SEWING MACHINES,

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 learned from the failures of other manufacturers, and the experience of a long life as a practical mechanic into the

HOWE MACHINE.

It is a noticeable fact that the

Howe Machine Co.

HAS

FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND

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.

A. M. GUDGEN,

CHESTERTOWN,

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

HOWE SEWING MACHINE.

He will spare neither pains nor expense to give his customers complete satisfaction.

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

Nov 9, 1872—tf.

Men's and Boys' Overcoats.

WE HAVE JUST OPENED A LARGE AND *SPLENDID STOCK* OF **OVERCOATS** in great variety of Styles, Color and Material.

Also, a nice stock of TALMAS, FOR GENTS,

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

Nov. 9, 1872. S. MERRITT & CO.

C. F. STAM & BRO.,

HAVE THE BEST AND CHEAPEST **SPICES** IN THIS MARKET.

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

NESTLE'S MOTHER'S MILK SUBSTITUTE—the best diet in the market for children.

C. F. STAM & BRO.

TOBACCO, Cigars, Snuff, &c., &c.
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,
SNUFF,
&c., &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES

BOUGHT for CASH BEFORE THE BOSTON FIRE!

And will be sold at prices LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

CALL and BE CONVINCED OF THE FACT.

HATS and CAPS.

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

CALL AND EXAMINE THEM.

Molasses and Syrups, Coal Oil,

VINEGAR, POWDER AND SHOT, GUN CAPS.

And a general assortment of all kinds of goods.

You will be very apt to find what you want at

SAPPINGTON'S.

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

J. B. SAPPINGTON.

Store on Cross St., opposite G. E Lambert's Carriage Factory, Chestertown.
Nov. 30, 1872.

TRY IT!

S. T. SUIT'S

PURE	PURE
PURE	PURE
PURE	PURE
BOUBBON	RYE
BOURBON	RYE
BOURBON	RYE
WHISKEY	WHISKEY
WHISKEY	WHISKEY
WHISKEY	WHISKEY

In store and for sale by

J. B SAPPINGTON,
Opposite G. E. Lambert's Coach Factory,
Nov. 30. Chestertown.

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.

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

GEO. T. MOORE,
mv4-y* WM. H. BEACHAM.

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 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.

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

JOHN F. HOWARD.
Oct. 24. Opposite the Voshell House.

WINDOW GLASS,

all sizes, for sale by
Nov. 23. C. F. STAM & BRO.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

STOVES, STOVES

Received Direct from the Manufacturer, and for sale at very small advance on First Cost!

Call and examine my Large Assortment of

HARDWARE, CUTLERY,

Tin-Ware, Japanned Ware, Woodware and Stoves.

We have the EXCELSIOR COOK HOTBLAST, SPEAR'S CALPRIFIC ANTI-DUST COOK, a splendid Coal Stove; ALL-RIGHT COOK NIAGARA, CONTINENTAL, CHAMPION COOK, and several other Cook Stoves, which we will guarantee to give entire satisfaction.

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.

MALLALIEU'S GOODS.

WE have just received a large Stock of these well known GOODS.

3-4 and 6-4 Kerseys, Flannels and CASSIMERES,

some of them unusually heavy, and are offering them at prices far less than were foreshadowed by the ruling rates of Wool during the early Summer. They are by far the most desirable Goods to be found in this market when their durability is taken into account.

T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, Nov. 2, 1872—tf.

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.

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:
JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
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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, Exec'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 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

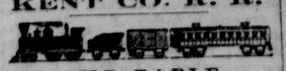
AUCTIONEER,

Will attend sales in any part of the county on reasonable terms. Address him at Millington, Md. oc5-6m.

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

SHEET MUSIC, Guitar and Violin Strings, for sale by C. F. STAM & BRO.

KENT CO. R. R.



TIME TABLE:

TO TAKE EFFECT SATURDAY, Nov. 16th.

GOING EAST.

Leave Chestertown	6.30 A. M.		
" Worton	6.48 "		
" Lynch's	6 55 "		
" Still Pond	7.02 "		
" Kennedyville	7.17 "		
" Black's	7.32 "		Q. A. & Kent
" Lambson's	7.44 "		R. R.
" Massey's	8.02 "		1.24 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.	2.56 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.)

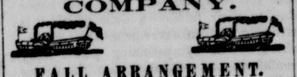
Stations marked * have no agents.

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.

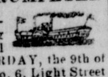
Freights received on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All freights must be prepaid at the office in Baltimore.

OFFICE—No. 7 Light St. Wharf.

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

For Sassafras River.

THE STEAMER TRUMPETER



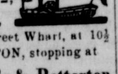
HAVING undergone thorough repair, and being now in complete order, will resume her trips on SATURDAY, the 9th of March, 1872, leaving Pier No. 6, Light Street Wharf, at 10½ o'clock, A. M.

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 heretofore.

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, Masseys.

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

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 a full assortment of BOOTS, which he has made to order, and which have given entire satisfaction for the last fifteen years.
Nov. 2, 1872.

GROCERIES.—A fine assortment of Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Buckwheat Meal, Flour of different grades, &c

JOS. E. WEER,
Feb. 24, 1872. Kennedyville, Md

BLANKETS, QUILTS, COUNTERPANES, A Large Assortment,
For sale very low