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The Kent News.

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[Special Dispatch to the Balt. Sun.]

Shocking Tragedy near Salisbury.

Murder of a School Girl by a Rejected Lover—Suicide of the Assassin.

SALISBURY, MD., March 9th, 1873 — On the 7th inst., at five o'clock, P. M., a most horrible murder was committed about five miles from this place, the particulars of which display an amount of cool premeditation and savage atrocity quite shocking to contemplate. Mary Amelia Shockley, a beautiful girl of 15 years, just blooming into lovely womanhood, was shot through the heart by Geo. W. Hall, a youth of 19 years, at the hour above mentioned, the girl dying almost instantly.

THE PARTICULARS

of this most shocking affair are as follows: Hall has it is supposed, long loved Miss Shockley, and pressed his suit with vigor, but she did not smile upon him, and he saw with mortification and chagrin that she was not likely to look upon him with favor. On the day he killed her, Miss Shockley left the district school, in which she was a pupil, in company with four small children. She had probably proceeded one hundred yards from the school house when Hall met her, carrying a gun in his hand. He addressed some language to her, and she replied in an amiable manner. Hall then asked her why she had not answered his note, written a few days before. She replied that she could not, implying that she was unwilling to do so. He told her she could have answered his note as well as others she had written to, and proceeded to say that he intended to shoot her then and there. To this threat she replied, "Pshaw, George Hall, you can't frighten me."

THE FATAL SHOT.

Hall then asked the children if Miss Shockley's brother Elijah, a youth of sixteen, was at the school, and upon receiving a negative answer ordered a little girl who was standing by the side of his victim to move away, as he intended to shoot Amelia Shockley, and then deliberately raised his gun and fired at her. The load took effect just under the shoulder-blade, and entered her heart. The unfortunate girl exclaimed, "Oh, Lord!" and fell to the ground.

FLIGHT OF THE MURDERER.

Her murderer fled through the neighboring woods. The children notified their teacher, Mr. Isaac S. Adams, of the sad affair, and that gentleman hastened to the scene of the tragedy and found Miss Shockley lying upon her side in the middle of the road with blood pouring out of a terrible wound in her side, and spirting from her nose and mouth as she gasped

IN THE AGONY OF DEATH.

He raised her head and asked her to speak to him. She tried to do so, but her strength was inadequate, and she fell back and expired without having been able to articulate a word. The body was conveyed to the residence of the deceased's parents near by, and a jury of inquest summoned. The jury rendered a verdict of death at the hands of Geo. W. Hall

The murderer was evidently incited by jealousy and despair of obtaining her affections. Miss Shockley was above Hall socially and intellectually, and, just blooming into womanhood, was displaying a grace and attractiveness that would have rendered her the belle of the county.—Being convinced that his suit was hopeless, he determined that no one else should enjoy the love that was denied him, and so cut off her young life in this cruel manner. Before her bleeding body had fallen to the ground he was in flight. The pursuit of Friday night and Saturday failed to discover him, and through ignorance of his fate the search was kept up after he had met a horrible death Saturday afternoon. He reached the railroad between Kingston and Westover. He joined a negro woman and girl who were walking along the road and announced his intention to kill himself. The woman remonstrated with him and he suffered the passenger train to go by. He left them and about an hour afterwards, between 5 and 6 o'clock he was seen by the engineer of the freight train standing near the track. As the train advanced he threw himself under it, and was crushed under the wheels. The place was between Kingston and Westover on the Eastern Shore Railroad. The body was brought to Salisbury on the ten o'clock morning train. The entire face was cut off, the skull crushed and the brains scattered. The left arm was cut off and the right crushed badly. The right foot was cut entirely off, about half of it remaining in the shoe. The bones of both legs were crushed near the thighs. The whole body was shockingly crushed and mangled, it being only recognizable by the clothing. He was first identified by the schoolmaster, Adams, and Elijah, the murdered girl's brother, who were sent for. Afterwards his father came in and identified him. The body was taken in charge by his father about half-past one and removed to his late home. A numerous crowd were gathered around the station, but there was no expression of sympathy for the poor wretch, but there were even some appearances of pleasure at his death. So closed this horrible tragedy.

OPENING OF THE NEW HOTEL, WILMINGTON, DEL.—The "Clayton House," Wilmington, Delaware, built by a banking corporation composed of the First National and the Artisans' Savings Banks of that city, located at the northeast corner of Fifth and Market streets, upon the site of the old Indian Queen Hotel, the building of which commenced in 1871 and was finished in December, 1872, was thrown open to the public on the 6th inst. The building is 210 feet deep by 64 feet front, four stories high, with Mansard roof, and cost $102,000. Besides the large and spacious parlors, reception rooms, reading and smoking rooms, there are 105 chambers, all fitted up in fine style. The house will accommodate 300 guests. Dixon & Carson, of Baltimore, were the architects of the building. Colonel H. W. Sawyer, proprietor of the Ocean House, Cape May, is the lessee. In the evening a grand banquet was given by the merchants and manufacturers of Wilmington, and a large number of guests from all parts of the country were present, and speeches and responses to sentiment made.

ARRESTED.—"The Grief-Stricken Widower," mentioned in our last issue as having swindled the Howard Bank and Mr. Bevan, of Baltimore, was arrested in New York on the 1st instant, together with three others, on the charge of check-raising in that city. Mr. Bevan went on to New York and fully identified him as the man E. Sutton or T. Easton, who had swindled him out of the money. It was then found that a requisition had been served upon him from the State of New Jersey, for criminal acts committed in that State, and Detective Pierson, after depositing an affidavit setting forth the claims of the State of Maryland upon him, resigned him into the hand of the Jersey authorities.

THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE.

A mass meeting of the friends of temperance was held at the Masonic Temple, in Baltimore, on Sunday afternoon last, and Hon. Henry Wilson, Vice-President of the United States, was among the speakers. He said that temperance was the greatest cause now before the nation, indeed, before the world. Holy Writ says that man was made in the image of the divine master. History teaches that he has been cursed by appetites and passions, in which drunkenness is without a rival; soldiers, statesmen, philosophers, scholars, all have been blasted by drunkenness in all ages. It is the curse of this land of light and knowledge. A few years ago we had another evil, but that passed away in the fire and blood of a great civil war. Even now the nation is possessed of another withering disease which must engage our attention, namely, that of intemperance. I have, he said, no experiences in my case. Forty-two years ago, in my native State, I put my name to the temperance pledge, and it stands there yet. [Applause.] I have worked on a farm when a boy, and have found on the farm and in the workshop, that the man who does not drink works better and stands more than the man who does drink. I have been in various public and private positions; I have been for nearly nineteen years in the United States Senate, and there and everywhere else I have found that the man who does not use intoxicating liquors surpasses the man that does.

In the night session of Congress I have found that those who go to sleep first, those who lie under the benches in the coat-room, those who have to be called every time the ayes and nays are called, and those who take the most to sustain them, are the first to let down. [Laughter and applause.] I am surprised and gratified at this meeting, and I suppose that the most of you believe that God gave us the magnificent beauty of this world, and that this life is a preparation for another.

If we are what we profess, what do we want to advance the cause of temperance? I will tell you. We have nearly 70,000 ministers and 9,000,000 church members in this country, and if we can put these against the sale of liquor, we can illuminate the world.

I am not only a temperance man, but I am an old abolitionist, [laughter,] and I believe if all the Christian churches had lived up to their professions slavery would have been abolished peacefully long ago, without four years of bloody civil war.—But they did not, and God smote his people North and South.

If we would lessen this evil, it is not necessary for us to consider whether prohibition or any other means is better, but the thing is for us to do the work about us, and to help our neighbor. I see many young men here before me. The most beautiful thing I know is to see the young array themselves on the side of right. Since the civil war there have been more young men who have yielded to strong drink than ever before. What the workingmen of this country need more than anything else is temperance. Drinking is the great curse of the workingmen of this country. The human will cannot entirely tame the war horse of passion, and help is needed to keep us from its influence. Such help is prohibition. Write your names on the temperance pledge larger than John Hancock wrote his on the Declaration of Independence. Every man and woman, whether black or white, is our brother and sister, and it is our duty to help them.

I come from a race of men who drank, and I believe that drunkenness is in a great measure hereditary. Yet I would as soon drink a cup of wine before my family or before a fellow man as I would a cup of poison. Whatever my faults I thank God that no man in my country ever staggered to a drunkard's grave saying, "Henry Wilson gave me my first drink." [Applause.] Fathers should think when they drink that they are bequeathing a heritage to their posterity. My friends told me when I went to Washington that I should have to drink, yet I did not, and though I was laughed at at first, yet I soon found that the man who laughed at me most respected me most.

In the late campaign I traveled nearly 18,000 miles, and during that experience, I found that on both sides the hardest workers, although they might drink when at leisure, never drank when they had anything to do. And even prize fighters, though not very elevated men, [laughter,] never drink. And those who "jump a gate, jump high, dive deep and come out dry" [laughter,] are the men who don't drink. The truth is, gentlemen, wine is a mocker. I know a little about fashion in Washington. [Laughter.] I see beautiful ladies and young men gathered at parties drinking wine there, but we have a better fashion, which is to keep our heads clear, and to do the good work that God has set for us. I am particularly glad to see the good work going on so bravely in Baltimore. Baltimore is a great city, going to be one of the greatest in this country, as it is fitted to be by its location and opportunities. Now is the time for earnest work on the side of God and humanity.

THE ICE IN THE SUSQUEHANNA.—A Perryville despatch to the Philadelphia *Public Ledger* says:

The Susquehanna river at this point was closed with ice on the 28th of November, 1872, and has so remained up to the present time, a period of one hundred days, and as late as last Thursday good ice was cut from the river, above the railroad bridge, ten inches thick. At Port Deposit there has been no change except the settling of the ice in the river by the falling of the water. Along the shore it presents almost the same rugged appearance as it did when the freshet occurred late in January. So compact and solid is this piled up ice that the Baltimore Central Railroad Company have only been able to clear the track of their road the distance of about three hundred yards below Rock Run, and this only after incessant digging with picks and shovels. A force of men is still employed, and it is expected, if the present weather continues, to accomplish the entire work in a few days, when the trains will again connect with those of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad. All fears of damages from the ice gorge at Port Deposit have not abated. It is known that the snow still covers the ground to a considerable depth up the river, and if this is subjected to a hot sun a freshet is inevitable, even if no rain should fall. Every rise in the river at Port Deposit so far has flooded the streets and many of the houses because of the ice having settled upon the bottom of the river, and it is thought that the ice still obstructs the channel almost entirely, because what little water there is coming down seems to find an outlet by entering the canal at Lapidum, and then passing into the river over a mile below that point. If this be the fact, there is still great danger from any sudden rise of water. Business, however, in Port Deposit is reviving, and shipments of lumber and of stone are being made daily by railroad.

BRIGHAM YOUNG recently issued invitations to the one hundred an seventeenth christening in his family.

SCHUYLER COLFAX arrived at South Bend, Ind., on Saturday. He proceeded in a carriage to the Court House, followed by an escort "consisting of carriages and wagons as far as the eye could reach." After an address of welcome by Mayor Miller, Mr. Colfax made a lengthy speech in answer to the charges against him in connection with the Credit Mobilier business. At the conclusion of his speech Colonel Humphreys presented him with a letter having 1500 signatures attached, expressing the signers' confidence in the ex-Vice-President. A resolution to the same effect was also unanimously adopted by those present.

THE MILLERITES are determined to bring the affairs of this mundane sphere to an end; they have accordingly fixed upon the first of April next, as the time of their ascension.

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.

The Word "Sozodont"

Which is fast becoming a household word, is derived from the Greek, and composed of two words, *Sozo* and *Odontes*. "Sozo" translated, means to preserve, and "Odontes" the teeth—"Sozodont" a preserver of the teeth. And it is true to its name. For beautifying and preserving the teeth, hardening and invigorating the gums, and correcting all impurities of the breath, it is without a peer in the world.

Spalding's Glue will mend everything.

J. HORTON KELLEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office on Main Street, adjoining the Bank.
Particular attention given to the collection of Claims. f8-6.

WM. M. SLAY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Careful attention will be paid to any legal business of Kent and neighboring counties which may be entrusted to him jan6-y.

C. T. WESTCOTT,
Attorney and Counselor at Law
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Special attention given to the collection of claims in the counties of Kent, Cecil, Queen Anne's and Caroline. ag12y.

J. M. BARR,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office near Hall's Hotel,
fe1-6. CHESTERTOWN.

GROVER & BAKER'S
HIGHEST PREMIUM
SEWING MACHINES,
For sale on reasonable terms, by
N. G. WESTCOTT,
mh16 tf. Chestertown.

CLOSING OUT!
S. MERRITT & CO.
Are now closing out their Remaining Stock of
WINTER GOODS
AT
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
Especial attention is called to their
OVER COATS, and WINTER CAPS,
As they are being offered exceedingly low.
CHESTERTOWN, Feb. 22, 1873.

MILL NOTICE.
THE subscriber having rented the
MILL AT SMITHVILLE,
is now prepared to accommodate all that may be pleased to favor him with a trial. He is an experienced miller and has plenty of water, and feels confident of giving general satisfaction. I will CHOP CORN for one-tenth, and will also keep on hand the BEST BRANDS of FLOUR, MEAL and FEED, either at the Mill or by wagon.
PHILIP H. MOORE,
Feb. 22—3m* Parsons' Mill.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned takes this method of informing his friends and the public generally that he has rented the
Wheelwright Shop at Kennedyville,
and is prepared to furnish to order new
Wagons, Carts, Plows, Cultivators,
Harrows, &c., as cheap as can be bought elsewhere. All kinds of REPAIRING in my line done with neatness and dispatch.
JOHN M. PENNINGTON.
dec14-3m. Kennedyville.

FLOUR.
CHOICE BRANDS OF FLOUR
FOR SALE BY
JOHN R. DORSEY,
Flour and Commission Merchant,
59 S. CALVERT ST., and
59 CHEAPSIDE, BALTIMORE.
Consignments of Grain solicited.
REFERENCES:—Rev. James H. Lightbourn; Messrs. Jas. Corner & Sons, Commission Merchants; Chas. R. Coleman, Esq., Cashier Nat. Mechanics' Bank; Jas. L. Dorsey, Esq., Flour Broker fe22-6m*

A RARE BARGAIN!
The undersigned, wishing to discontinue business, will sell upon
REASONABLE and EASY TERMS
THEIR STOCK OF GOODS,
Consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.
This place is situated immediately on the Kent County Railroad, in a fine business locality. Adjoining the store is a Dwelling House suitable for a man with family.
COMEGYS & BRO.,
Feb. 22. 1873-tf. Kennedyville.

AGENTS WANTED!
WE ARE IN WANT OF ONE OR TWO
ENERGETIC MEN,
TO SELL
HOWE SEWING MACHINES
On the Eastern Shore.
We offer the most Liberal Inducements to men of the right stamp.
Any one desiring to make money and willing to work for it will do well to address
THE HOWE MACHINE CO.,
38 N. Charles St., Baltimore.
Feb. 22, 1873—3t.

For Sassafras River.
THE STEAMER TRUMPETER
NOW being in complete order, will resume her trips on SATURDAY, the 1st of March, leaving PIER No. 5, LIGHT ST.,
EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 10½ A. M.,
FOR GEORGETOWN,
arriving in Georgetown at 4, P. M.
RETURNING, will leave Georgetown at 8, A. M., the alternate days, arriving in Baltimore at 2, P. M., touching at
Buck Neck, Barnard's, Betterton, Turner's Creek, Cassiday's, Shallcross' and Fredericktown,
GOING AND RETURNING
We sincerely trust that the friendly relations hitherto existing between the Steamer TRUMPETER, her patrons and the public generally, may continue. For the fulfilment of which we will ever be found doing our very best.
WM. CUNDIFF, Master.
March 1, 1873—tf

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
On and after SATURDAY, February 15, 1873,
The Steamer GEO. LAW
Will leave Pier 7, Lightst. Wharf, Baltimore, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7, A. M., for Kent Island, Queenstown, Grey's Inn Creek, 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—Pier No. 7 Light St. Wharf.
R. A. BRAINARD, Agent
Chester River Steamboat Company
Feb. 22. 1873—tf.

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 R. R.
" Lambson's	7.44 "	
" 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.	2.50 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.

G. W. SHALLCROSS,
Produce Commission Merchant,
DEALER IN
BERRIES, EGGS, POULTRY, GAME,
Green and Dried FRUITS,
29 to 32 Delaware Avenue Market
PHILADELPHIA.
Consignments solicited. Highest prices obtained and prompt returns guaranteed
Jan. 4, 1873—tf.

J. C. SLAUGHTER & CO.,
PRODUCE
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
228 Washington Street,
Bet. Barclay & Robinson Sts.,
NEW YORK.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
JOHN W. CARROLL,
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public that he has taken the Store Room formerly occupied by Mr. A. M. Russell, and intends to keep a
First Class Grocery
AND
PROVISION STORE.
Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Flour, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Salt Fish, Molasses, Vinegar, Soaps, Buckets, Brooms, Coal Oil,
TOBACCO, SEGARS and SNUFF,
VEGETABLES of all kinds.
Also, NOTIONS of various kinds. Candies, Nuts and other articles too numerous to mention, all of which will be sold low for cash.
All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods, or at cash prices.
Store opposite M. E. Church, Chestertown.
nov16-y J. W. CARROLL.

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
JOSEPH SHRIVER,
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 16th day of September, 1873 otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.
Given under my hand and seal this 25th day of February, 1873.
BARTUS TREW, Exec'r.
March 1 1873—4t.

TAX NOTICE!
ALL PERSONS indebted to me for Taxes for 1871 are hereby notified that unless the same are paid by the TWENTIETH OF MARCH NEXT, I shall positively proceed in every case to collect by the shortest legal process.
The taxes for 1872 must also be paid at an early day, or I shall be compelled to proceed in the same manner.
I will be at Rees' Corner every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon.
M. BROWN,
feb22-4t. Coll. 5th Dist.

SPRING PLOWING.
A Large Stock of
NO SEAM SCOTCH COLLARS,
" " PLAIN "
SEAM TICK "
" HOG-SKIN "
Bridles, Ropes, Traces, Lines, &c., for sale by
Feb. 22. T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

PRINTED and Plain Initial Paper, Shell Paper, Hair Pin Paper, Pierce Rose, Linear, Silver Green, Mikado, Oriental and Linen Paper. We can furnish any tint and style of paper, and have it stamped to order in illuminated letters. C. F. STAM & BRO.

New Goods at Low Prices,
—AT—
T. W. ELIASON, JR.'S.

COLIN F. STAM. LOUIS K. STAM
C. F. Stam & Bro.
CHESTERTOWN, MD.,
DEALERS IN
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
PERFUMERY,
AND FANCY TOILET ARTICLES.
SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS,
TRUSSES,
Abdominal Supporters,
AND
Shoulder Braces.
Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Dye Stuffs,
School Books, Stationery, &c.
Physicians Prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours.
TRUSSES A SPECIALTY.
A FIT GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES!
Trusses furnished at city prices, for cash.
C. F. STAM & BRO.
STATIONERY.
French and American Tinted Note Paper, Billet, Packet, Fools-Cap, Legal-Cap, Record-Cap and Bill-Cap Paper,
For sale by C. F. STAM & BRO.
C. F. STAM & BRO.,
Have just received a large and well selected
Stock of BOOKS,
Embracing treaties on "The Trotting Horse of America," by Hiram Woodruff; "The Horse in the Field and Stable," by McClure and Harvey; "Farm Draining," "Gardening for Profit," "Grapes and Wine," "Pear Culture," by Quinn;
"WHAT I KNOW OF FARMING,"
BY HORACE GREELEY,
"The Practical Poultry Keeper," "Beecher's Receipt Book," Books of Song and Poetry, Romances and Novels by popular authors.
Do not fail to call and examine our stock. Remember, we take pleasure in displaying our Goods. C. F. STAM & BRO.
Jan. 11, 1873.

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.

NOTICE
TO CONSUMERS OF COAL.
WE have procured our supply of COAL for the Winter, and are prepared to fill all orders with dispatch—especially those accompanied with the cash.
BLACKSMITH'S COAL always on hand at the yard of J. T. TWILLEY & CO.,
nov23. Chestertown

AUCTIONEERING
THE undersigned, having associated themselves together for the purpose of Calling Sales, will attend to all such business offered to us in our District. Hoping by strict attention to that branch of business to receive all orders for auctioneering sales of all kinds.
JACOB SUTTON,
JOSEPH H. HARRIS.
Jan. 4—tf. Kennedyville.

LET HER FLUTTER!
THE undersigned, thankful for past patronage, hereby notifies his friends that he has removed to Chestertown, and still offers his services to the citizens of this and adjacent counties, as AUCTIONEER. His charges hereafter will be from $5 to $10. Persons wishing his services will please have his name inserted at foot of advertisement
jan4 3m. U. A. C. GARRETT.

OIL CLOTHS.
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS: new styles from low to best grades.
TABLE OIL CLOTHS, figured mahogany maple and root oak patterns
CARRIAGE CANVASS (plain, twilled and Duck. For sale by
Feb 8, 1873 T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

FOOD FOR THE SICK!
CORN STARCH, FARRINO RICE FLOUR TAPIOCA, SAGO SEA MOSS FAINE, for sale at
WICKES' DRUG STORE.

REMEMBER it gives us pleasure to display our goods. Call and examine them.
Nov. 23. C. F. STAM & BRO.

Lumber! Lumber!

NEW STOCK.
JOHN T. DODD & SON,
Have removed their LUMBER YARD from the old stand of Wm. Vickers 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.
ap 20. JOHN T. DODD & SON.

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 with 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
2dd JOHN WAIBEL.

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,
my4-y* WM. H. BEACHAM.

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. 14. J. H. SMITH.

THE "SINGER"
N. F. Sewing Machine!
THE following is taken from the Chicago "Tribune," of March 9th:
"The memorable fire of Chicago has given such an opportunity of showing—as it is much to be hoped may never occur again—how the citizens of that city at least regard the *different* machines claiming public attention. It is stated in the report of the SPECIAL RELIEF COMMITTEE, that the whole number of Sewing Machines for which orders have been issued to the date of this report is 2,944, on which the Committee paid the sum of $72 430 89. The number supplied by each company is as follows:

THE SINGER	2,427
Wheeler & Wilson	235
Howe	127
Grover & Baker	44
Wilcox & Gibbs	30
Florence	18
Finkle & Lyon	20
Blees	17
Ætna	11
Wilson	5
Western Empire	2
Manhattan	2
Davis	1
Elliptic	1
Gold Medal	1
American Button-Hole	2

The applicant in every case has designated the kind of Machine desired."
All desiring a DURABLE, easy running machine, would do well to examine the "Singer New Family" before purchasing elsewhere.
Sold on easy terms. Instruction free.
2t. WM. W. PARKS, Agt.

HARNESS! HARNESS!
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.
REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at the shortest notice.
JOHN F. HOWARD,
Oct. 24 Opposite the Vickers House.

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For sale low by T. W. ELIASON, JR.
Feb. 8, 1873.

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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.

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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,
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GUN CAPS,
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 for Cash or Goods.
Furs.—I will pay the *very highest Cash price* for Mink, Otter, Muskrat, Fox, Opossum, Coon, Rabbit skins, and Rags.
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Jan. 4, 1873. Chestertown.

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SHOT! SHOT! SHOT!—by the bag or pound, and Ely Gun Caps, for sale low by
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For restoring to Gray Hair its natural Vitality and Color.

A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *It soon restores faded or gray hair to its original color, with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, fallen hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed; but such as remain can be saved by this application, and stimulated into activity, so that a new growth of hair is produced. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning grey or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. The restoration of vitality it gives to the scalp arrests and prevents the formation of dandruff, which is often so uncleanly and offensive. Free from