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The Kent News.

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LOOKING FATE IN THE FACE.

Terrible Experience in Artic Seas—Life to the Heroic—Death to the Slothful.

An honest man, bravely struggling against fate, was deemed by the ancients to be a sight pleasing to the gods. It certainly is a spectacle pleasing to common mortals. Resolute action under adverse circumstances is the true test of manhood. A sturdy, decided, self-relying fellow will go through an amount of toil and hardship, a part of which would be more than sufficient to crush the slugish and faint-hearted. This has, perhaps, never been more strikingly illustrated than in the case of two Norwegian crews, a short time ago locked up in the Polar ice, and whose stories add two pathetic pages to the sad record of Artic adventures and martyrdom. The New York Times gives the following resume of the two events:

The whaler Freya had been out in the northern seas on a fishing expedition, and on its way home found itself unexpectedly ice-bound on the northern coast of Nova Zembla in September, 1872. Eleven men were on board, with a captivity of about nine months in prospect, and no more provisions than would barely carry four or five men through such a space of time.—Seven of the sailors therefore decided to leave the ship and make their way south toward the Waigatz Island, or to some Samoyede settlement. They took with them what could be spared by those who remained, a sailling boat, several boxes of matches, two guns, with some ammunition, a compass, a telescope, and a few provisions. For six weeks they traveled, now sailling through some open channel, now dragging their boat over the ice.—The two strongest carried the guns and provided the party with such game as they could kill, scarcely sufficient to keep them from starving.

The cold was extreme. Furious gales and terriffic snow storms impeded their progress. In one of these storms the two hunters were separated from their companions, who thus lost the hope of the scanty supply of fresh meat which had been their main support. They were exhausted—almost at the end of their strength and courage. Notwithstanding they kept on marching. On the sixth night one of them died. Three days after they came upon the traces of human footprints, which led them to a small Samoyede habitation. There they spent the rest of the winter, and, thanks to the generous hospitality of the Samoyedes, rallied sufficiently to set out again in spring, and safely to reach the Waigatz Islands. When they were about to resume their journey they were, to their great amazement, over taken by the two men who had been lost in the snow storm. How these two men had managed to live six months amid the Polar darkness, enduring hardships which seem to be beyond human endurance, is a thrilling story too long to be related here—something like Robinson Crusoe's under more distressing conditions.

At about the same time a few Norwegan fishing boats were shut up in the ice north of Spitzbergen. As the government had had a solid frame house built at Mittenhuk, one of the projecting points of Cape Thordsen, to be used in such cases as a house of refuge, it was hoped that the greater part of the ice-bound crews would take up their winter quarters there. In fact, seventeen sailors reached the provided shelter towards the middle of October, and found it full of provisions, clothing, fuel, &c. Had there been among them one man with an average forethough and fortitude, he might have trained his companions, and shown them how to meet the necessities of an extreme northern climate; but they ate ill-prepared unwholesome food, omitted the practice of out-door exercise and muscular exertion so necessary in those latitudes, fell into a state of moral and physical torpor, closed themselves in the house in a poisoned atmosphere, cut off from every active, life-giving principle. The consequence was that when, in last June, Capt. Mack visited Mittenhuk Station he met with the most hideous sight that could be beheld by human eyes. Death outside of the house, death within, death everywhere. Ten dead bodies were found in one room, four in another.—Three of the latter were lying in beds, the fourth was bent over a large trunk, in a reclining posture, his head resting on his right hand; one side of his face was fearfully lacerated. It is supposed that he was the last survivor of the party, and that, when he saw himself alone, with nothing but corpses around him, he went mad.

Such are, so far as our space allows us to recount them, the two narratives. On the one hand we saw an unceasing and heroic struggle, a general lack of resources in provisions, clothing, implements, and amunition; life preserved only by dint of superhuman exertions; days without rest; nights without hardly any sleep; death almost always imminent. Notwithstanding six men out of seven gallantly fight against all these odds, and finally triumph over hunger, cold, exposure, torpor and death. On the other hand, a considerable party of strong, healthy men in most comfortable quarters, became disabled through numbness and sloth, were unmindful of the most elementary dictates of common sense fell a prey to disease which easily might have been warded off, and finally perished miserably. The lesson conveyed is obvious. We need not expatiate upon it.

The cable dispatches which passed between Secretary Fish and General Sickles, concerning the resignation of the latter as minister to Spain, have been made public. It seems that the enterprising correspondent of one of the New York papers is primarily responsible for Gen. Sickles' resignation. This gentleman telegraphed a piece of news of his own manufacture, to the effect that the Government was dissatisfied with General Sickles' course at Madrid. General Sickles was advised of the publication of this dispatch, and promptly tendered his resignation. Secretary Fish answered, asking him to withdraw his offer to resign, and assuring him that there was no truth whatever in the publication which he cited as evidence that the Government wished him to retire. When the Virginius affair was settled the tender of the resignation was renewed, and it was accepted.

"A BRICK."—The British captain who ordered the Spaniards of Santiago to cease slaughtering the Virginius people, or he would bombard the town, is being recognized by sympathetic Americans. The western papers announce that the residents of Virginia City, Nevada, propose to present a silver brick to this brave officer for his manly action in the case of the Virginius. The brick will bear this inscription: "Lamberton Lorraine, you are a 'brick;' this is another—presented by Americans who love humanity and its manly defenders, Virginia City, Nevada, U. S. A., 1873." The testimonial is characteristically western.

A PROMINENT lawyer in Dover stands 6 feet 4½ inches in his stockings, and he has a student who beats him a quarter of an inch.

THE PILLORY AND POST IN PHILADELPHIA.—In the show window of a Chestnut street saloon is a novel and unique device representing frogs engaged in a pillory and whipping post scene, above which it is written "Delaware Justice in 1873." One frog is secured to the post while another is wielding the "cat," and in the pillory stand two others after the fashion of our convicted criminals. A number of persons were admiring the device, Monday, when a Wilmingtonian happened to pass, and after glancing at it a moment he thrust his head in the door to inform the proprietor of the saloon that he had the scene wrongly labelled.—"How wrong?" inquired the proprietor. "It should have been," replied the Wilmingtonian, "Delaware Justice to Philadelphia scoundrels, in 1873," and closing the door he hurried on up the street.—*Commercial.*

THE *Scientific American* publishes a full description of the proposed great tower to be erected in Philadelphia at the Centennial. As to height, anything of pious device sinks into insignificance beside it. The tower of Babel was a common affair, in all probability, and the St Peters, at Rome, St. Paul's, London, and the Pyramids of Egypt will "look like pigmies." The tower is to be one thousand feet in the air, of circular iron; one hundred and fifty feet at the base, and thirty at the top, with a spiral staircase for the use of any one who is foolish enough to attempt to walk up, and an elevator for those who are willing to risk a ride.

THE *Jewish Messenger* lashes certain members of Congress, Gen. Butler in particular, for speaking contemptuously of "Jew bankers," adding:

The Jew bankers of Europe aided our country during the war, when we might have appealed in vain to Mr. Butler and his friends to devise "ways and means." This is well known to Mr. Butler, and we recollect that his memory was refreshed on this subject at a time when he frankly expressed ignorance and requested information. He has grown older and not wiser within ten years.

WOMEN AS SCHOOL GOVERNORS.—Women are now eligible to any office of control or management under the school laws of Pennsylvania. As a majority of both the scholars and teachers in the public schools of Pennsylvania are usually of the female sex, there seems to be some fitness in this provision of the constitution. It is expected that hereafter school boards in that State will contain at least a minority of ladies.

OYSTER WAR.—The commander of the Virginia oyster police force has warned all Marylanders against dredging for oysters in Pocomoke Sound, which has from time immemorial been used in common by the citizens of both States. Trouble may grow out of this violent action on the part of Captain Browne, unless he is restrained by the authorities at Richmond.—*Cambridge Chronicle.*

A POINT WELL TAKEN!—The New York *Daily Sun* very truely and justly observes:

"Isn't it worth while to tax every poor man's tea, coffee and tobacco, in order to pay General Grant Fifty Thousand Dollars a year instead of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, the sum which he agreed to serve for?"

COME TO GRIEF.—A band of performers calling themselves the "Yosemite Valley Minstrels," undertook to give three performances in Easton last week, but had no audience, add had to suspend. Each man ran out of the town by a different road.

The sporting fraternity of Delaware City use crows in their "pigeon shooting" matches. They catch the crows at night, on Reedy Island, with gill nets, the same they use for fishing. They "stink them out" of their roosts with limberger cheese.

A TURKEY being baked at a Cincinnati hotel exploded the other day and scalded the cook's face so that he will be ugly for life.

Two Foes of Health.

Cold and damp are inimical to health, and we generally have an unwholesome combination of the two at this season. They penetrate the skin and integuments and affects the muscular, glandular and nervous organizations, producing rheumatism, neuralgia, chills and fever, and where there is a tendency to dispepsia or liver complaint, provoking an attack of indigestion or billiousness. The best advice that can be given under such circumstances is to keep the external surface of the body warmly clothed, and to keep the internal organs in vigorous working order with the most wholesome and genial of all tonics, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Gradually but constantly this famous invigorator is superseding the adulterated liquors of commerce, as a medicinal stimulant and corrective, in all parts of the country. It will be a happy day for humanity, and it will surely come, when this pure restorative shall have taken the place of raw spirits as a stimulant in all our public and private hospitals. It is not, however, merely a harmless substitute for the firery stimulants referred to. Its stimulating properties are not its chief merits, although in this regard it surpasses all the unmedicated products of the still domestic or imported. The powerful influence it exercises over the torpid and toneless stomach, the disordered liver, the constipated bowels, and the relaxed nerves, render it a positive specific in dyspepsia, liver complaint, intestinal constriction, nervous weakness, hypochondria, rheumatism and sleeplessness. All chronic complaints are aggravated by a cold, moist atmosphere, and it is therefore particularly neccessary for those who are afflicted with ailments of this nature, whatever their type may be meet this predisposing cause of sickness with a wholesome antidote. Hostetter's Bitters should be taken daily at this season by all persons laboring under chronic ailments that tend to weaken the system.

Valuable Real Estate

AT PRIVATE SALE.

I WILL sell at private sale TWO VALUABLE FARMS in the First Election District of Kent county, and a

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY

in the First Election District of Cecil County. Terms liberal. Apply to

CORNELIUS J. SCOTT,
Agent for the owners.

Galena, Sept. 27, 1873—tf.

Attention, Horsemen.

Horse Shoeing Made a Specialty.

HORSES SHOD for $1.25
" " with Steel Toes 1.60

A superior stock of Shoes and Nails on hand. Less than the above rates will be asked when orders are accompanied by the cash, at LYNCH'S. G. W. RODENHISER, (SMITH.)
d6-3m

I have on hand the Best of WINE for Sacramental purposes, with which I will be happy to accommodate my Christian friends.
H. P. READING,
nov8 3m. Kennedyville, Kent Co.

I have on hand the best stock of BOOTS and SHOES, and READY-MADE CLOTHING—Hats, Caps and Gloves.
H. P. READING,
nov8 Kennedyville, Kent co., Md.

E. R. COCHRAN of the Middletown Nursery, is a reliable gentleman to buy TREES of, and I will take orders for him.
H. P. READING,
Nov. 22—3m. Kennedyville.

We have hesitated about Breaking the Market, but there is no help for it!

WE HAVE OVER $100,000 IN

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

AND GOODS FOR MEN'S WEAR.

WE CANNOT AFFORD TO CARRY THEM

Good Times are Coming! But we cannot sell Winter Clothing in Summer time any more than People can Wear Summer Clothing in Winter Time.

AND BESIDES, WE WILL NOT ALLOW OUR STOCK TO BECOME OLD.

J. H. SMITH & CO.

Have therefore organized at MARBLE HALL an IMMENSE and ATTRACTIVE SALE. We GENTS' and BOYS' CLOTHING, and now throw it on the market to be sold immediately at

Marble Hall Buildings, N. E. Corner Baltimore and Frederick Streets.

We make up the goods in the best manner, expecting to sell at a profit, but we cannot stand for profits now.

A Plain Statement from J. H. SMITH & CO.:

We know that the flurry in the money market is only temporary. The harvests through out the country have been large, and business has been conducted, as a general thing on sound principles. It is only speculation that has brought about this state of affairs which must soon subside, but this is the season to sell our goods Books, Machines, Furniture, &c., can be sold all the year round, but our goods are made for special seasons, and so, without hesitating, J. H. SMITH & CO. adopt a war measure and put into IMMEDIATE OPERATION

A SWEEPING SALE AT NORTH EAST CORNER BALTIMORE AND FREDERICK STREETS,

That shall CLEAR OUR COUNTERS. This is good news to the millions of city and country, patronized us in good times, and we are willing try, for they will gain the PROFIT FROM OUR NECESSITY; but they have generously NITY FOR BUYERS EVER OFFERED IN to give up the profits now. We say without exaggeration, that this is the BEST OPPORTU AMERICA, *BEGINNING TO-DAY.*

And Continuing Rapidly, without Interruption, Until Further Notice, We Will Sell for Ready Money the following:

100,000 COATS, PANTS, OVER-COATS and BOYS' SUITS,

MAKING BY FAR THE LARGEST STOCK TO BE FOUND IN ANY RETAIL CLOTHING HOUSE.

We are content to lose money rather than carry stock until next season. Imperative The Store is opened at 6 45 in the morning, and remains open until 9.45 in the evening, and necessity compels us to make the best of it. Our force of salesmen will be supplemented, and best attention given to buyers, on Saturday night until 12 o'clock. Every article sold will be guaranteed as represented, or money will be refunded. find morning the best time to make selections. Parties coming together from country towns within forty miles of the city, purchasing at great bargains, the *Price of a Railroad Ticket to Return Home.*

MARBLE HALL, will receive, besides the J. H. SMITH & CO., Marble Hall, White Building, Northeast Corner of Baltimore and Frederick Sts.

3m.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!!

Ready Made Clothing *IN FINE CASSIMERE SUITS.*

Ready Made Clothing *IN SEPARATE GARMENTS:* COATS, PANTALOONS AND VESTS.

Fine Quality & Low Priced Overcoats.

We have now on hand a finer and more desirable stock of these Goods than usual, and invite an examination.

Gentlemen's Underwear, in Merino and Heavy Scotch Wool, a very full line; also, Mens' Rubber Goods in large variety, BOOTS, OFFICERS' COATS, &c., &c.

Our present stock of goods generally is large, attractive and seasonable, and we believe our prices will be found moderate.

T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, October 25, 1873.

Stoves! Stoves!

A NEW STOCK

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

At J. K. ALDRIDGE'S

Stove, Tin and Hardware Store,

CHESTERTOWN.

We call special attention to our stock of

COOK STOVES.

We have the EXCELSIOR COOK HOTBLAST, SPEAR'S CALORIFIC ANTI-DUST COOK, a splendid Coal Stove; ALL-RIGHT COOK, NIAGARA, CONTINENTAL, CHAMPION COMPLETE, WASHINGTON & PORTABLE RANGES, PARLOR COOK, &c., which we guarantee to give entire satisfaction.

HEATING STOVES.

SPEAR'S CELEBRATED ANTI-CLINKER, and SILVER MOON, and GOLDEN SUN FIRE PLACE HEATER.

Token Base-Burner, Token Reflector, Magic Light, Magnet, Auroral Light, Vulcan Egg and Crystal.

WOOD STOVES.

TUSCAN UNION AIR-TIGHT, WOODLAND and FLAME.

Shovels and Tongs, Coal Hods, Coal Sifters, Zinc andIsing-glass, and REPAIRS for all the above Stoves.

Call and examine my Large Assortment of

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, Tin-Ware, Japanned Ware, Woodenware, &c.

We have a large stock of all the above goods in store and sell at City Prices.

Store opposite the Court House.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.
Oct. 25, 1873.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE subscriber most respectfully informs the public that he has made arrangements with Dr. Thos. H. Whaland to carry on his

MILL

near Chestertown, for the present year.

His long experience in the business and his reputation as a Miller warrants him in the belief that he can give universal satisfaction.—As soon as practicable he intends to keep on hand a good supply of

CORN MEAL, WHEAT FLOUR of all grades,

HORSE FEED, &c., &c.,

which he is determined to sell at reduced prices.

He only wants to make the regular toll, and will be compelled to sell for Cash only as his capital is small and he does not intend to keep books.

He will use all means to make the Mill a public convenience as well as a source of profit. A trial is all he asks.

Most respectfully,
SAMUEL A. ANTHONY.
Nov. 15, 1873—tf.

HARNESS MAKING!

THE undersigned has commenced the above business in the upper story of his Restaurant, on Cross street, below Bordley's corner, and having employed competent workmen, is prepared TO MAKE NEW

OR REPAIR OLD HARNESS *IN THE BEST MANNER.*

An examination of his styles and prices is respectfully solicited.

JOHN ARMSTRONG,
July 13, 1872. Chestertown.

HOUSE PAINTING and GLAZING.

THE subscriber, having had considerable experience in the business, is prepared to do all kinds of House Painting and Glazing at short notice, and guarantees to give satisfaction. He will go to any part of the county. Address or call on him at Chestertown.
WM. [illegible]
ag30-6m.

KERSEYS, CASSIMERES, YARNS, And FLANNELS.

A LARGE STOCK of various qualities and widths, many of them Mallalieu's best makes, just received.

New Styles FALL PRINTS, *BLANKETS, DOMESTIC GOODS, &c., &c.,* all bought at closest cash figures, and sold upon accommodating terms.

T. S. WICKES.
September 27th.

GENTLEMEN'S Philadelphia Made Calf-Skin Boots—sewed—and a much better article than is usually kept in Country stores, for sale low, by T. S. WICKES.
September 27th.

Pure Cider Vinegar
Now on hand.
T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, Sept 27th, 1873.

Galena Tin Store.

STOVES, STOVES, STOVES!

R. E. KNIGHTON,

WOULD call the attention of the public to his new stock of goods in the STOVE and TIN line, now in store.

COOK STOVES.

In his stock of celebrated COOK STOVES is included *"FARMER," "VICTOR COOK," "CRICKET"* and *"CHARM."*

HEATING STOVES—Among them the "Mutual Friend," "Base Burner," and a number of others.

Also, WOOD STOVES of various patterns. COAL HODS, SIEVES, SHOVELS AND POKERS, &c., &c.

Also, LAMP GOODS—a fine stock of

LAMPS, CHIMNEYS, WICKS, &c.

Which we sell at the lowest prices.

A Full Stock of TINWARE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Roofing and Spouting done in the best manner at short notice.

REPAIRS for Stoves kept on hand.

By strict attention to business, and untiring efforts to please my customers, I hope to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage.

R. E. KNIGHTON,
Nov. 1—y. Galena, Kent Co

CRUMBS OF COMFORT

Are a modern stove polish, far better than any other in existence. Are better, because they give a finer gloss than any other polish.

COMFORT

Yield a brilliant silvery sheen, with less than half the labor required when other polishes are used.

CRUMBS OF COMFORT

Are a neat and cleanly article, making no dirt nor dust when used. Can be used even in the parlor without the trouble of removing furniture or carpets.

COMFORT

Has no disagreeable sulphurous or strong acid smell when prepared for use, but are pleasant and harmless.

CRUMBS OF COMFORT

Are put up in neat style and in a form more convenient for use than any other polish. In each box are 12 sticks; one stick is sufficient for any stove, thus all waste is saved.

COMFORT

Are the cheapest polish in the market, because one box at 10 cts. will polish as much surface as 25 cents worth of the old polishes.

CRUMBS OF COMFORT

Have just taken the first premium at the Indianapolis Exposition, in competition with several of the best of the old stove polishes.

COMFORT.

BUY CRUMBS OF COMFORT of your storekeeper if he has them, or will procure them for you; if not, send us one dollar, your name, and the name of your nearest express station, and we will send you ten boxes, and samples of Bartlett's Blacking and Pearl Blueing, free of cost.

CRUMBS OF COMFORT can be had of all Wholesale Grocers and Dealers in the United States, and Retail Dealers will find them the most profitable, from the fact that they are the fastest selling article of the kind in the market.

H. A. BARTLETT & CO.,
115 North Front St., Philadelphia.
143 Chambers St., New York.
43 Broad St., Boston. n22-3m.

NOTICE to COAL CONSUMERS.

THE undersigned, would respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact that he has made arrangements to furnish

GOOD COAL

to the people on and after July 12th.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY. Fully 50 per cent. can be saved by buying now.

We buy from *first hands*, and will sell at a small advance upon the cost price.

My agent, Mr. WM. H. PALMER, will receive all orders and moneys.

JAMES F. TAYLOR.
July 12, 1873—tf.

I have a TIP CHEWING TOBACCO and SEGARS which I offer to the experts of Kent county.
H. P. READING,
Nov. 8. Kennedyville, Kent co., Md.

I am selling the best Liquors in Kent county by the Package, for the money.
H. P. READING,
nov8. Kennedyville, Kent co., Md.

J. F. WILSON & CO.,

GEORGETOWN,

Have enlarged their Store House, giving them better facilities for showing their full stock of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, PAINTS, Oils and Varnishes

We take pleasure in showing our goods, and offer them at prices that will secure us quick sales. my10-y.

UP TOWN

Dry Goods Store.

THE LATEST STYLES! THE BEST GOODS!! And LOW PRICES!!

WM. H. ANTHONY

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM NEW YORK and having taken the Store formerly kept by Mrs. Barrett, has just opened a good assortment of

DRY GOODS of all kinds, NOTIONS and GROCERIES.

ALSO,

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes.

I will be pleased to see my friends and old customers. I am very thankful for past favors and hope to receive further patronage.

All kinds of Produce Wanted IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

GIVE ME A CALL, and I will do my best to please.

WM. H. ANTHONY,
"UP TOWN DRY GOODS STORE."
Chestertown, March 29, 1873.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

WILLIAM H. JONES,

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 fourteenth day of July, 1874, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under our hands this ninth day of December, 1873.

MARIETTA JONES,
ALBERT L. COREY,
Dec. 13, 1873—4t. Adm'rs.

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

CATHARINE BRADSHAW,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased' sestate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of July, 1873, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of December, 1873.

ORVILLE HORWITZ,
Dec. 20. 1873—4t. Exec'x.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

ABRAHAM ROEDER,

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 30th day of June, 1874, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under our hands and seals this 2nd day of December, 1873.

SUSAN ROEDER,
C. A. LEARY,
Dec 6, 1873—4t. Administrators.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of administration on the personal estate of C. T. A.

M. V. BOYER,

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 eighth day of June, 1874, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of November, 1873. EDGAR B. B T TON,
Nov. 15, 1873—4t. Adm'r.

I am now selling NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR in small family bags.
H. P. READING,
Nov. 8. Kennedyville, Kent Co., Md.

THE PANIC!

ALL PERSONS IN WANT OF CLOTHING, Gents' Furnishing Goods, or Hats and Caps,

Will do well to call and examine our Stock before making their purchases as we are now offering

GREAT INDUCEMENTS

For the CASH,

In order to keep up with the times.

Our stock of Over-Coats, Hats & Caps, *is very full, embracing ALL STYLES AND GRADES.*

If you want Bargains *Come soon and bring the Money.*

S. MERRITT & CO.,
Bordley's Corner, CHESTERTOWN.
Dec. 13, 1873.

MERCHANT TAILOR FROM PHILADELPHIA

THE undersigned has just returned from the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore with a Large and Assorted Stock of Goods, selected with great care. Being a practical workman himself he feels confident that he can please in style and quality of his goods.

A Fine Stock of Black Cloth,

also fine Beaver Cloth of different colors and shades. FRENCH CASSIMERE for suits of all colors. Knowing there has been a change in the times he has reduced his prices to suit, especially when he makes a suit for a gentleman or boy and *furnishes the goods.*

He can always be found at his store up town, nearly opposite Capt. Thompson's, ready to take orders from citizens of Kent or Queen Anne's county.

SCOURING, CLEANING and REPAIRING done promptly and in the best manner—almost like new. ABE SCHWARTZ.
Chestertown, Oct. 11, 1873—tf.

LUMBER.

WHITE PINE FENCING, WHITE PINE BOARDS, HEMLOCK JOISTS AND SCANTLING, E. S. PINE " " N. C. FLOORING BOARDS, SHINGLES, LATHS and PICKETS, For sale at the lowest market rates by
T. W. ELIASON, JR.

NEW GOODS!

THE subscriber has received from the city a full supply of *READY-MADE CLOTHING, Dry Goods, Notions, Confectionary,* GROCERIES, and other seasonable Goods, which he will sell Cheap for Cash or Produce. GOOD POULTRY WANTED, for which the highest price will be paid.

JOS. E. WEER,
Dec. 21. Kennedyville, Md.

Another Murderous Fall!

Fifteen Large Distillers Bursted Up Last Week!

THEIR ENTIRE STOCK was sold to me a my own price. Having bought this stock for cash, to be paid in ten days, I shall sell this liquor at such prices that everybody will stare and wonder and think where in the —— does Ben Strauss get his liquor to sell at such figures. This is your opportunity to buy your liquor at your own prices. Don't delay, but come right to BEN STRAUSS' STORE, formerly kept by L. C. Baker. I have on hand as follows:

Pure Old Rye, worth	$6	$2.50	per gal.
Bourbon Whiskey, worth	$5	$2.00	"
Buckwalder	" $4	$2.50	"
Nectar	" $3	$2.00	"
Faust	" $8	$4.00	"
Baker	" $5	$2.00	"

SWEET CIDER, BRANDIES, GIN and WINES, at all prices. Come and see before you buy elsewhere.

B. STRAUSS,
nov8. Agent for a Baltimore House.

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.

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