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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - NOV. 7, 1874

LETTER FROM MORGAN'S CREEK.

Messrs Editors:—Now that the busy season with farmers is nearly over, and we have a few spare moments, will you allow us to express a few thoughts to our farmers through your ever welcome paper. The last crop of the season being now ripe and ready to be gathered in, it is easily to be seen that Providence has not blessed us with abundant crops this year.—The wheat crop was about one-third short on an average, oats were very light, the corn crop not nearly up to an average, and potatoes an entire failure. Yet, after all, we have enough to supply our need and something to spare, for which we are thankful.

Farmers of this section of country have seeded for the coming wheat crop, and more extensive than usual, with a greater outlay for phosphates Whether this is wise or not in these times of low prices, is a question for careful consideration, especially in view of the financial troubles among farmers Would it not be better to put only half as much in grain, leaving the balance in grass with lime to improve? Could we not produce as much grain on one-half as much land well improved, at nearly one-half the expense for labor; which would reduce the demand for labor, the want of which we all feel more or less, and make labor more plentiful at more reasonable wages? Is not labor too scarce—are not wages too high? We do not fail to see it Do not the laborers get nearly all the profits? and who are the best customers at the stores of the merchants? We do not fail to see where and the way the profits go. And what shall we do? Shall we give up our houses and our beautiful lands to the merchants, bankers and brokers? Where is the remedy? Where is our relief? Is it in tilling our lands to death? Are they not rapidly on the decline? Is it in agricultural shows and horse races? Is that not a loss of time and waste of money? Is it any benefit to see a large pumpkin, fat cattle, or fast trotting horses? We fail to see it.

What then? Information gives knowledge, knowledge gives power, power creates, makes and sets in motion, tells us how to raise large vegetables, corn, wheat, fat cattle and fast trotting horses, and how to economise and to live within our income; how to produce more at less cost, how to save, how to keep our loved homes and our beautiful lands. Then we shall do each other a lasting benefit. Where should farmers go for this purpose, to exchange views, form plans, instruct, counsel, advise and help each other? For this purpose agricultural associations are intended, and it is earnestly desired that all members of farmers' clubs may become more interested, and that all farmers who are still standing aloof may see the propriety of hearty co-operation.

The report that Capt. Bacon had left our creek with his boat not to return, is untrue. He has returned with a nice little sloop, sound and dry, carrying about 2,300 bushels of grain PATRON.

Kent County Agricultural Club No. 1.

Messrs. Editors:—As anticipated, we had a large meeting on the 2d inst Only one prize essay was read, the others having been left in Chestertown; but we will have them at our next meeting. The one that was read, being the one that received the first premium, was written by "Farmer." The writer's name was not given to the Club. The essay will be offered for publication, and it is unnecessary for me to express an opinion about it. A proposition was made that all the essays shall be referred to a committee of the Club, who shall compile from them one article which shall contain the most important and valuable features of them all, with such other matter as the Club may think advisable.

Arranging a plan for measuring the prize crops of corn occupied a lare part of the session, resolutions, amendments and substitutes followed each other in rapid succession; but a measuring committee was finally appointed, with permission to those competing to call on any member of the Club to see their corn measured, provided a member of the committee cannot be conveniently obtained In the early history of the association amendments, substitutes, &c, were seldom offered, but now our members have become so prolific in these things that it is hardly safe to offer the simplest proposition if time is at all limited. The sessions are so short and our membership so large that it becomes all to condense as much as possible, and avoid useless objections and side issues.

A resolution was adopted, almost unanimously, providing for a committee of three, whose duty it shall be to ascertain and report at the next meeting if the Kent County Railroad can be leased, and if so on what conditions, for what time and at what cost. The committee was appointed, and in case their report is favorable, it may be that the association will lease the road. This proposition is somewhat startling at first sight, but a little reflection will show the eminent propriety of the act. The Club is the only corp rate body in the county claiming or competent to represent the agricultural interests. Managed by a board of directors chosen from the most efficient and capable members of the association, with fares and freights down to the very lowest point, with a distinct and explicit understanding that every effort should be made to accommodate and promote the farmers interest each individual farmer would become a personal and effective friend to the road The farming interest is the paramount interest in Kent, and should be the controlling interest; and the support of the road, let it be in whose hands it may, must come, directly or indirectly, from farmers, and if success is attaina le managed by farmers for the advantage of farmers will attain it. Some unfledged "solon" may say, better follow your plows, cultivate your corn and potatoes, and leave projects requiring brain power, administrative and executive abilities, to men whose training and profession qualify them for such positions Without stopping to reply to such remarks, I would say, if you want a man of executive ability, sterling integrity, of wise forethought, efficient management and incorruptible, you will find him, if at all, to be one trained of the exigencies of agriculture, schooled to think correctly and to trust his own conclusions by the stern necessities of his occupation. But is the Club competent? If one man without any pecuniary or social interest in the county, as far as I can ascertain a stranger to our citizens, to our wants and to our capabilities, is competent, surely a corporate association of over one hundred members, all farmers and many of them prominent farmers, all citizens, and representing a real and personal interest in the county of probably seven or eight hundred thousand dollars, should be competent. What has the road done in the past or is doing now for our county welfare, costing, I am informed, over $900,000, and *bankrupt*. The interest of this immense sum at eight per cent. would pay all our taxes of every kind, even under the present tremendous assesment and levy; but more of this another time.

The regular question, "How to make our agricultural exhibitions produce the best results and do the most good," was postponed to the next meeting, November 9th. PARTICEPS.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO GOLD CASE.—The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun*, writing on Monday, says:

The celebrated gold case of the State of Maryland vs. the Baltimore and Ohio railroad came up in the Supreme Court today. The point at issue, as is well known, is whether the company is bound to pay in gold the interest on the three million stock subscription or loan made to it by the State in 1836. The Superior Court of Baltimore city decided in favor of the State, and the Court of Appeals reversed that decision in favor of the company. The case was brought before the Supreme Court on a writ of error. The Hon. Reverdy Johnson and Mr. J. H B. Latrobe were in court to-day as counsel for the company, and I. Nevett Steele, Esq., and Mr. Severn T. Wallis as counsel for the State. Attorney General Syester and ex-Gov. Philip F. Thomas, who were also of counsel for the State, and Charles J. M. Gwinn, Esq., of counsel for the company, do not appear, as the rule of the Supreme Court is to limit argument of counsel to two on a side. Mr. Gwinn, however, filed a separate brief. The case was called today at two o'clock, and Mr. Wallis opened in a lengthy argument on behalf of the State The case will occupy all of tomorrow, and Mr. Johnson will make then the principal argument in behalf of the company. The decision of the court will not be announced for probably several weeks, but the general impression in legal circles is that whenever announced it will be adverse to the State. The decision of the court in the legal tender cases was such that it is believed it would practically reverse that decision if the company is not sustained in its position. The amount at stake reaches several hundred thousand dollars.

AUDACIOUS ROGUERY.—Within the last week New York, Boston and Baltimore have each furnished instances of clever scoundrelism. The New York case is that of a man who had a sort of clerical bearing and address, who presented himself at the office of one of the Boston steamboat lines announced himself as "a committee of one," appointed by the Episcopal Congress to make a contract for the conveyance of six hundred members of that body on a visit to the "Hub" The contract price agreed upon was $1,800; of this amount the "committee of one" was to retain $300 as a commission. The latter gave the steamboat man a handsomely engraved check for $1,800, and received $300 in return in bank bills. The steamboat folks did not discover that they had been swindled until they had kept their "floating palace" one hour behind time, awaiting the arrival of the "six hundred delegates."

The Boston case was that of two cool-headed chaps who went to one of the school-houses in that city where a large number of men were employed making extensive repairs. They brought with them a horse and wagon, in which was a number of ladders, and forthwith commenced removing the copper lightning rods from the building. They labored for several hours and then carted away a ton, more or less, of refined copper and made good their escape.

The Baltimore case was that of the recent sale of the "stock and fixtures" of a store on Postoffice avenue, the details of which were published in the *Sun*. The confiding purchaser paid $500, for which he got a load of pine blocks, nicely enclosed in fancy store boxes.

RECIPE FOR HEADACHE.—Take Hopkins' Antalgic Liniment, procurable at a Drug store shake the bottle well—rub the part affected until it burns acutely, then saturate a piece of brown paper with the liquid, and apply it with a flannel bandage. This remedy will cure the worst case of nervous *headache* in a few minutes. The same treatment affords immediate relief in case of *neuralgia, rheumatism* or *gout*. It is the best remedy for neuralgia now known. Numerous very bad cases of neuralgia and rheumatism have been cured by this recipe by two or three rubbings.

A Substitute for Quinine.

For years, quinine was regarded as the only specific for malarious diseases, and immense quantities of the drug were annually consumed throughout our western country, more particularly along the river bottoms and adjoining low lands.

With the fall months malaria, in all its varied forms, stalks like an epidemic through the land, and whole districts are prostrated with chills and fever, the entire population shaking with ague. Heretofore, quinine was regularly resorted to; but, while it frequently failed to effect a cure, it invariably deranged the stomach, producing nausea, vertigo and fugitive pains in the head to such an extent that months elapsed ere the system recovered from its effects. These objections to its use were so marked, that the introduction of Mishler's Herb Bitters was hailed as a triumph in medicine. Infinitely more certain in its beneficial effects than quinine, it possessed none of the demerits of that drug. Instead of nauseating, it tones and invigorates the stomach, and while speedily expelling the noxious humors, increases the appetite and facilitates digestion, thus rendering the system stronger and better fitted to resist the attacks of disease. In fact, a judicious use of Mishler's Herb Bitters at this season of the year, will prevent the recurrence of this disease, even in those who have never passed an autumn without it. An experience of twenty years proves it to be the greatest ANTI-PERIODIC known to medical science.

There are, perhaps, no diseases so subject to climatic changes as affections of the Kidneys. Hundreds of our farmers, mechanics, and laboring men, strong and hardy in all other respects, suffer continual inconvenience, and occasionally excruciating pains in the back and across the loins; experience a frequent desire to pass water, pain during its passage, and frequent stoppages in its flow. These are manifestations resulting from some strain or heavy lift (perhaps years ago), and aggravated by every change in the weather. Every slight cold flies direct to this one weak spot, and unless promptly attended to the disease becomes chronic, and the once strong man a miserable wreck. Mishler's Herb Bitters is the *only certain* remedy for this class of diseases. It has a peculiar tendency to the kidneys, stimulates them to healthy action, and removing the cause, prevents the formation of brick-dust deposits, which, if permitted to continue, will by coalesion form gravel stone, necessitating a painful operation for its removal. Many of the ingredients entering into its composition, are universally recognized as specifics for all complaints of the urinary organs. In Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, all disorders of the Bowels, and affections of the Throat and Lungs, it is equally certain and efficacious; while, as a remedy for the complaints peculiar to the femal, sex, it has no equal. LADIES, old and younge married and single, in every condition of life, will find this GREAT FEMALE REMEDY *prompt safe certain and reliable*. The pale, sallow complexion is replaced by a blooming, healthful countenance, and its *occasional use* enables Nature to perform her functions REGULARLY AND WITHOUT INCONVENIENCE. Sold only in bottles by all Druggists and general dealers.

FOR RENT.
At Harmony, for the ensuing year, TWO DWELLING HOUSES and STORE HOUSE. One of the Dwelling Houses and Store House attached. Apply to WILLIAM ARCHIBALD, on the premises, at Harmony, Kent county, Md Oct 23—3t*

FOR RENT,
For the year 1875.
The STORE HOUSE and DWELLING near Grey's Inn Wharf, now occupied by T. A. Hudson, together with Stable, Carriage and Corn House, and five acres of Land in a fine state of cultivation, and pump of excellent water. This is one of the best business stands in the county. Apply to
MORRIS ASCHER,
oc24-tf. No. 17 N. Frederick st., Balt.

SUPERIOR TEAS,
Green, Black and Japan, for sale by
T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

[From the Baltimore Sun, Oct 30.]

DEATH OF RINEHEART THE SCULPTOR.

PARTICULARS OF HIS LAST ILLNESS—SKETCH OF HIS CAREER AND WORKS.

Early yesterday morning a cable dispatch was received from a personal friend, confirmed subsequently by a dispatch from the American counsel general at Rome, announcing the death of Wm. H. Rineheart, the eminent Maryland sculptor who died on Wednesday evening in Rome, of consumption, in the 48th year of his age. This sad intelligence was not unlooked for, in view of previous unfavorable reports of Mr. Rineheart's critical condition, and the hopelessness entertained by his friends of any chance of recovery.

Up to June last there was no knowledge among Mr. Rineheart's friends in Baltimore but that his health was as good as usual. At that time he wrote from Rome announcing his purpose, in view of the large orders with which he had been favored for artworks, that he designed remaining in that city during the summer, notwithstanding its unhealthiness at that season, for the purpose of furthering as rapidly as possible the execution of his commissions. He was not heard from again until sometime subsequently, when, to the suprise of his friends, they learned he was sojourning at Sodon, a watering place in Switzerland, for the benefit of his health, his physician having commanded him to desist from labor and take recreation. His letters from Sodon, while not cheerful, indicated no serious apprehensions on his part, and he finally reported himself as feeling better, and announced his purpose to return to Rome in October, which it appears he did. The first heard of him at Rome was that he was seriously ill, his lungs being affected, and not likely to recover. The subsequent advices were to the same effect, until the recipt yesterday of a cable dispatch announcing Mr. Rineheart's death on the previous evening.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

Mr. Rineheart's will, which he had executed when in Baltimore in 1873, and left in this city, was opened after the receipt of the cable advices of his death from the American consul general at Rome. This was necessary, in order to advise the consul general in Italy as to the disposition of the remains, which by the will it is provided shall be brought to Baltimore and deposited, as the deceased expressed it, among his friends in Greenmount Cemetary. Directions were telegraphed accordingly to Rome to prepare the body for transportation. Mr Rineheart's estate is estimated at from $50,000 to $60,000. Mr. Rineheart was unmarried, and his father and mother have been dead some years.

RINEHEART'S LIFE AND CAREER.

As near as can be ascertained Rineheart was born in 1826, and was thus 48 years of age at his death. His father was a a well-to-do farmer of German descent living near Westminster, Carroll county, Maryland, and has five surviving brothers. Young Rineheart, like his brothers, received the rudiments of an English education at a school in Westminster, and when a mere boy evinced a great interest in the workings of the marble quarries that abounded in the vicinity, and in this particular he found opportunity for active experience, for his father had a quarry and stonecutting yard on his farm.

The monotony of the farm labor did not suit young Rineheart's temperament, and when sixteen years of age he gained his father's permission to come to Baltimore and learn a trade. Young Rineheart came to Baltimore with a small amount of money in his pocket, and presented himself at the store of Andrew Gregg, commission merchant on Franklin street, who had frequently received consignments of grain and produce from his father. He told Mr. Gregg that he desired to enter apprenticeship at some useful trade, and that gentleman immediately took him around the corner to the marble-yard and stonecutting establishment of Baughman & Bevan, then on North Howard street. He was engaged as an apprentice by that firm, and very soon proved himself a good worker and an industrious, sober young man.

The firm about a few months after his arrival, dissolved partnership, Mr. Bevan going into business alone in another section of the city, and, according to previous arrangement, Rineheart remaining with Mr. Baughman, who took a great liking to him, and encouraged him in many ways.

At this time the stone-cutting trade had not reached the perfection of the present day in Baltimore. There was no steam saw and rubbers, and there was not the same improvements in, or in fact demand for, elaborately carved monuments and ornamental tables. Not only did Rineheart make all the fancy mantels, but also the ornamental work on monuments, urns, &c., and was accounted at that time a remarkable carver.

When twenty-three years of age he was made foreman of Mr. Baughman's establishment, and gave great satisfaction to his employer, who held him in high regard. It was while in the employ of Mr. Baughman as foreman that Rineheart, having gained some reputation by several casts and finished statues he had made, in 1855 left Baltimore for Italy, to cultivate his art With a full knowledge of practical marble working, and a mind hungry for further developement of the ideal, Rineheart prosecuted his studies with vigor at Florence, where he went to reside. He worked, in common with other newly beginning artists, on trial for wages. He returned to Baltimore in 1857, bringing with him two beautiful basso relievos of "Night" and "Morning," which were purchased by Augustus J. Albert, who yet retains them in his possession.

Soon after his return to Baltimore he established a studo in Carroll Hall, and received several orders. In 1858, partly because of the great difficulty of modles here, he returned to Italy and made Rome his residence, where, with the exception of two short trips to Baltimore in 1866 and one in 1872-'3, and an occasional sojourn in the north of Europe, he has since resided up to the time of his death His associations in Rome, both with Americans and foreigners, were of the most pleasing kind, and he made friends on every hand as he went.

THE TANEY STATUE.

Probably the greatest event in the sculptor's life was the occassion of the unveiling of the heroic satute in bronze, erected by the State of Maryland in front of the Statehouse at Annapolis, in honor of the late Chief Justice Roger B. Taney, December 10, 1873, on which occasion addresses were delivered before a brilliant assemblage in the Senate chamber by S. T. Wallis and Governor Whyte. On this occasion there were assembled leading representatives of the bench and bar of Maryland, officers of the Naval Academy, in full uniform, headed by Rear Admiral Worden; prominent citizens of Baltimore, and many ladies.

Mr. Wallis, in his address, aluded to the fact that the appropriation made by the State had not been near sufficient compensation to the artist for such a work as the statue, and recognized his liberality in accepting the commission.

"The figure," he said had been "treated by the artist in the spirit of that noble and absolute simplicity which is the type of the highest order of greatness, and is therefore its grandest, though its most difficult expression in art."

THE CLYTIE STATUE AND OTHER WORKS.

In the autumn of 1875 the statue of Clytie, which is Rineheart's masterpiece in marble, was exhibited in Baltimore and purchased by Mr. John W. McCoy, and placed in the Peabody Institute as a gift for all time to the citizens of Baltimore. This statue ranks among the first works of modern art, and is one of the chief ornaments of the city. Among the other best known works of the sculptor are the bronze door of the capital at Washington, begun by Crawford, and completed after four years of labor in Rome by Rineheart. When this work was completed he came with it to Washington, where he made the statuettes on the clock in the hall of the House of Representatives, a statue for the fountain in the general postoffice, a reclining figure of Faith.

During the later years of his life his works, of this kind have been too numerous to specify. It is sufficient to recall that within the past few months he sent from his studo at Rome a number of busts of prominent citizens of Baltimore and elsewhere, for which he had fashioned the modles during his last visit here in 1873. Among these are the busts of S. Teackle Wallis, John W. Garrett, Thos. A. Scott, of Pennsylvania, his wife and sister; Mr. Ridgely, of Hampton, and children; Mr. Henry J. Johnston, wife and children, and Miss Walters. Probably the latest works of this kind receiving his finishing touches and forwarded to Baltimore within the past few weeks are the busts of W. W. Corcoran, of Washington, A. S. Abell and Dr. Whitridge, of Baltimore.

It was known that Mr. Rineheart, prior to his death, had orders in the line of his profession sufficient to occupy him four years in the execution.

The Season of Intermittents.

All miasmatic complaints, in other words, all disorders generated by unwholesome exhalations from the earth or water, are prevalent at this season. In every section subject to the visitation of fever and ague or other forms of intermittent disease, the causes which produce these maladies are now actively at work. This, therefore, is a period of the year when the inhabitants of such districts should prepare their systems to meet the unwholesome condition of the atmosphere, by a course of tonic and alterative treatment. Foremost among the invigorants, recommended by time and experience, as a means of fortifying the system against all endemic and epidemic maladies, stands Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.—Whoever have traveled in the West or South knows full well the esteem in which this incomparable preventive and restorative is held throughout those regions. It is literally a domestic staple in the swampy and mephitic localities which lie on the borders of many of our large rivers and in the neighborhood of our southern bayous and lagoons. Now is the time when the inhabitants of all malarious districts should put their systems and constitutions in good defensive trim by a course of this powerful vegetable antidote. By this means the feeblest resident of an unhealthy soil may escape the sickness, which without the aid of this potent ally of nature, will be apt to overtake the strongest. Chills and fever, bilious remittents, constipation, rheumatism, dyspepsia and many other complaints are frequently brought on by the caprices af temperature and alterations of dry, cold and excessive moisture common in our climate at the commencement of spring. Let all who desire to avoid these distressing ailments take the Bitters as a safeguard.

DOWN-TOWN
Clothing and Variety Store

JOHN K. WILLIS,

IS prepared to accommodate the public at Bacchus' old stand, corner High and Queen Streets, with

CLOTHING AT CITY PRICES!

Coats from $1 up; Under shirts and Drawers from 50 cts. up; Neck Ties 3c, 5c, 10 and 15c. Straw Hats 18 to 20 cts., and other goods in proportion.

Flour, Meal and Feed of all kinds.

BACON, DRIED BEEF, SAUSAGE, FISH, all at the very lowest prices.

Groceries, such as Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Syrups, &c., &c., a full supply, which require only to be seen to secure sales.

Notions.—A large variety of goods in this line, to which special attention is paid.

Give me a call.
JOHN K. WILLIS.

For Rent, 5 GOOD DWELLING HOUSES on Queen Street, Chestertown, and several smaller ones in other sections of the town.
jy18-tf. JOHN K. WILLIS

Ratification Notice.

C. W. Warren, Collector,
versus
Thomas Wilson, Colored.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County. Petition for Confirmation of Sale.

THE Report of sale and proceedings in the above case, having been examined, and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of law in relation thereto having been complied with, it is thereupon, this 22d day of October, 1874, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, *Ordered*, that the sale made and reported by C W. Warren, Collector, in this case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary thereof on or before the 22nd day of December next; Provided, a copy of this order be published in some newspaper printed in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks prior to the 22d day of November next.

FREDERICK STUMP,
JOHN M. ROBINSON,
JOSEPH A. WICKES,
True copy,—Test:
D. C. BLACKISTON, Clerk.
October 31, 1874—4t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

ELIZA SNYDER,

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 11th day of May, 1875. otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 13th day of October, 1874.

JAMES A. ROSEBERRY,
Oct. 17, 1874—4t. Adm'r C. T. A

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

ISAAC PEARCE, Colored,

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 11th day of May, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 13th day of October, 1874.

H. W. VICKERS, Adm'r.
Oct 17, 1874—4t.

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. R. WEER,
Dec. 21. Kennedyville, Md

Removal--New Goods.

MRS. A. M. SMITH,

HAS removed to the store room, up town, lately occupied by B. Strauss, adjoining S. S. Usilton's and has now in store and will keep constantly on hand a general variety of

GROCERIES,

CONFECTIONERY and NOTIONS,

Consisting in part of

SUGAR, COFFEE, TEA, FLOUR BACON, LARD, BUTTER,

SALT FISH, VINEGAR, MOLASSES, SOAP, BUCKETS, BROOMS,

Tobacco and Segars, Snuff, Pipes,

COAL OIL, LAMPS and CHIMNEYS,

Notions, Nuts and Candies

of various kinds, and other articles too numerous to mention, all of which will be sold at the very lowest cash prices.

ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods.

jan3y. MRS. A. M. SMITH

Come to the Old Stand
—OF—
SHAFER'S,
At KENNEDYVILLE,

AND GET YOUR

WHEELWRIGHTING
And BLACKSMITHING

done. I have ready made and keep on hand

Plows,
Harrows,
Cultivators,
Farm Wagons

PEACH WAGONS, DEARBORNS, PEACH DEARBORNS, CARTS, &c., &c.

And I also have on hand a large and very superior lot of ALL STEEL CULTIVATOR TEETH, and of a new and best pattern out. Farmers would do well to get them.

We do all kinds of work that is generally done in a country shop.

HORSE SHOEING, Mowers and Reapers and all kinds of Repairing a specialty.

Farmers will please send their machines out early.

We give our personal attention to our work and therefore guarantee good work.

TILGHMAN SHAFER,
May 2, 1874 KENNEDYVILLE.

"THE SINGER"
Still Triumphant!

THE SINGER COMPANY
SOLD IN 1873
113,254

More Machines than any other Comp'y!

AND ABOUT

ONE THIRD of ALL the MACHINES IN THE UNITED STATES!

The above is taken from sworn returns made to the owners of the different Sewing Machine Patents.

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"If the number sold of any one machine be a criterion of its merit, The Singer carries off the palm.—*N. Y. Daily Press.*

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FOR SALE BY
WILLARD MELVIN, Agent,
CHESTERTOWN, KENT CO., MD
Enquire at C. F. Stam & Bro.'s.
May 30, 1874—tf.

NEW GOODS.
USEFUL! PRETTY! CHEAP!

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. 20. J. H. SMITH.

Can Wax, Corks, Green Ginger,

DRY Race Ginger, Bleached Jamaica Ginger, Strictly Pure Ground Race Ginger, and Strictly Pure Ground Jamaica Ginger. Cloves, Mace, Cinnamon, Nutmegs, Allspice, Strictly Pure English Mustard, White & Black Mustard Seed, Celery Seed, Thurmseric, and all kinds of Spices for sale at City Prices by
Sept. 5. C. F. STAM & BRO.

A Large Stock of NEW GOODS
JUST RECEIVED,
BY
T. W. Eliason, Jr.
Chestertown, Sept. 5, 1874.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
Drugs and Medicines,
In which I cannot be undersold.
A DISCOUNT of 10 per cent allowed on
Patent Medicines.
WHITE LEAD, PAINTS, OIL, VARNISH, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, GLASS, &c.
JOS E. WEER,
May 18 187,2. Kennedyville, Md.

KERSEYS! KERSEYS!
A LARGE STOCK ON HAND OF
MALLALIEU'S STANDARD MAKE.
Just received by T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, October 3, 1874

COAL OIL,
15, 110° Fire Test.
15 cts. per gal.
At G. W. SUTTON'S, Galena, Md.
Aug. 29, 1874.

TWELVE SMALL HOUSES
FOR SALE.
Rented for the present year at $50 each. For terms, &c., apply to THOS. S. BORDLEY, Attorney for JOHN BORDLEY, Chestertown.
April 4, 1874—tf.

Notice to Farmers.

WE have just received an assortment of PLOWS, CASTINGS, TRACES and LINES, which we are selling at city prices.
MOORE & BEACHAM,
mh15-tf. Buck Neck.

Fall and Winter
CRUSADE!

SAMUEL MERRITT. WM. J. MCFEELY.

S. MERRITT & CO.,

ARE NOW EXHIBITING at the OLD STAND, on Bordley's Corner, in Chestertown, their LARGE STOCK of

FALL & WINTER CLOTHING,

For MEN and BOYS

TOGETHER WITH THEIR USUAL COMPLETE VARIETY OF

Gents' Furnishing Goods!

Also, THE LARGEST STOCK OF
HATS and CAPS
Ever Offered to this Community,
BOTH IN WOOL AND FUR.

All our goods have been purchased with the greatest care to please our customers, and we have no hesitation in saying to the public that they will find it to their advantage to call and look before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell as low as the lowest.

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BORDLEY'S CORNER,
CHESTERTOWN.
October 3, 1874.

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CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND,

APOTHECARIES, BOOKSELLERS,
AND
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Paints,
Oils,
Glass,
Varnishes,
Dye Stuffs,
and Paint Brushes.

SOLE AGENTS FOR KENT COUNTY FOR

BRADLEY'S
PATENT ENAMEL PAINT,

The Cheapest, Most Durable and Brilliant Paint in the Market. It is acknowledged by all who have used it to be the best.

GLINE'S
Slate Roofing Paint,

in any quantity. French's Tip Top Iron Paint for Roofs, French, Richard's & Co.'s Tip Top and John W. Masury & Co's Strictly Pure and Pure Colors for Coach Makers' and Painters' use. John T. Lewis & Bro.'s Strictly Pure White Lead.

LUBRICATING OILS a Specialty!

Whale, Neat's Foot, Lard, Sperm, Engine and West Virginia. We buy for Cash, and Sell for Cash at City Prices.

Do not fail to Call and Examine our Prices before purchasing elsewhere.
C. F. STAM & BRO.
Chestertown, Sept. 5, 1872.

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

WANTED.—Bacon, Butter, Eggs, Lard, Rags, and everything marketable, at SUTTON'S, Galena.

50 Pro Made!

He buys his LIQUORS at STRAUSS'.

I have and keep constantly on hand French Cognac Brandy 200 bbl.

Brandy and Whiskey for medicinal purposes from 75c to 1 50 a pint.

		PIST.	GAL.
Oreand Whiskey	- -	$1 25 to 8 00	
W. Faust "	- -	1 00 to 7 00	
Bortuer "	- -	75 to 5 00	
Barkwalder "	- -	50 to 3 75	
Nector "	- -	40 to 3 00	
Baker "	- -	35 to 2 75	
O. K. "	- -	35 to 2 75	
D. Faust "	- -	30 to 2 00	
Jockey Club "	- -	25 to 1 75	
Cincinnatti "	- -	25 to 1 50	
Parker "	- -	20 to 1 25	
Otard BRANDY	- -	1 00 to 7 00	
Washington "	- -	60 to 5 00	
Hennessey "	- -	40 to 2 50	
Old W. Brandy	- -	30 to 2 00	
Eagle "	- -	25 to 1 50	
Peach "	- -	50 to 3 50	
Apple Jack "	- -	50 to 3 50	
Ginger "	- -	30 to 2 00	
W. Rum "	-	25, 40, 50, 1 50, 3 50	

GINS from 20, 25, 40, 50. 1 50 to 3 50
D. Kimmel Whiskey 30. 50, 1 75 and 3 50

STOCK OF WINES.

Rein Wine Deldesheimer 100 per Cdl
" " Loubenheimer 85 "
Catawba Wine 1 00 to 3 00 per gal.
Port " 40 to 50 pint, 2 50 to 3 50 gal.
Madera " 50 per pint, 3 50 per gal.
Sherry " 40, 50 " 3 00 "
Malaga " 30 " 2 00 "
Blackberry Wine and Brandy 30 and 2 00
Hoffman's Chill Bitters, recommended by many gentlemen in Chestertown.

All kinds of Produce and Wood taken in trade. Rags and Furs for cash.

Tobacco, Segars and Pipes.

Great varieties, by
Oct. 31. B. STRAUSS, Agt.

SPRINGS WILL NOT RUST.

Pads Impervious.

The best and most effectual Truss known for the cure and relief of

Hernia or Rupture.

This Truss has received the sanction of the most eminent Physicians and Surgeons of this country; who do not hesitate to recommend it to those afflicted with Hernia as being superior to all others.

It is the only Truss that will retain the bowels with any certainty, and the wearer can feel assured that he is using a remedy that will be at all times safe and effectual in its operations. Of this we guarantee entire satisfaction to all who may come under our treatment.

LADIES' SILK ELASTIC ABDOMINAL BELTS for Corpulency, falling of the Womb, and as a support to the Back and Abdominal Muscles. Anklets, Knee Caps and Stockings for Varicose Veins, Ulcers and Weak Joints.

SHOULDER BRACES

for Ladies, Gents and Children, for the cure of stooping of the Shoulders and as a Chest Expander.

PILE INSTRUMENTS, the most superior article in use—light, easily adjusted and effectual. Instruments for all Physical Deformities, Curvature of the Spine, Bow Legs, Club Feet, &c., &c.

Ladies' Apartments with Lady Attendants.

Agent for Clement's

Celebrated Artificial Limbs.

Agent for Crandall's Patent Rubber-tipped CRUTCHES

Agent for Dr. Babcock's Silver Uterine Supporter.

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All of the above scientifically applied and satisfaction given.

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BICKFORD & HUFFMAN
GRAIN DRILL.

HINES & BURCHINAL
Agents for Kent and Queen Anne's Co.'s
FOR THE ABOVE DRILL, HAVE ON EXHIBITION at their Ware House, next to the Kent National Bank, one of

The Improved Drills for 1874.

This Drill has stood the test for several years as CHAMPION OF GRAIN DRILLS. THE ONLY GRAIN DRILL which throws out of gear by the Automatic action of the TUBE LIFTER, and covers all the seed distributed.

TUBE SHIFTER, to enable the farmer to change the Tubes from a straight to a zig-zag, without raising the Tubes or stopping team.

THE IMPROVED
Fertilizer or Guano ATTACHMENT
For 1874,
SURPASSES ANYTHING IN THE MARKET.

Sows Guano, Super Phosphate, Bone Dust, Lime, Ashes, Salt, Plaster, or any Fertilizer, DRY OR DAMP, in desired quantities per acre. Never fails to perform.

The complaint about Drills not sowing Damp Fertilizers ceases with this Drill, as it has been obviated by the above Guano Attachment.

HINES & BURCHINAL sold Two Car loads last Fall of the New Style, and they gave perfect satisfaction, as the following Certificates will show:

NEAR CHESTERTOWN, KENT CO., MD., July 8th, 1873.

To Messrs. Hines & Burchinal, General Agents for the sale of Agricultural Implements, Chestertown:—Gentlemen: I have the highest appreciation of the merits of Bickford & Huffman's Eight Tooth Wheat and Guano Drill. The arrangement, for simplicity and good execution, I have never seen equalled in the workmanship of any similar Agricultural Implement. The Guano Attachment of this Drill is a *very gem* of excellence, and must soon establish its utility and superiority beyond cavil. In short, this is the best "Combination" Drill with which I am acquainted, and therefore, in recommending it to the consideration of Farmers generally affords me not a little pleasure.

JOSHUA COPPER, Farmer.

CHESTERTOWN, Kent Co., Md., July 9th, 1873.

MESSRS. HINES & BURCHINAL—*Dear Sirs:* The Latest Improved Bickford & Huffman Drill I purchased of you last Fall gives me perfect satisfaction, in both seeding of Wheat and Fertilizers, sowing them both regular, and it is my impression it far surpasses any Drill I ever saw, and I would cheerfully recommend it to the Farmers of