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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - DEC. 5, 1874

THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT.—Mr. Jewell, our present Postmaster General and late Minister to St. Petersburg, has been making a speech at Boston in which he gave a very interesting account of the Russian Government, as he saw it in his capacity of Minister, and he likened the one-man power of that Government to the public opinion of this country, which he said could be made equally effectual if every one would make it his especial business to detect and punish crime as effectually as they do under the rule of one man only responsible to himself. In all the time he had been in Russia he had never heard of a defalcation by a public officer.

In his opinion, we had in this country too many lawyers. There they had less of them, and criminals were indicted and tried and the culprit had begun his punishment within the space of one week. It was the certainty of punishment that gave a wholesale dread of becoming amenable to the laws. The expenses of the Government of 80,000,000 of people were not half the amount of that spent in governing the 40,000,000 of Americans. He gave an interesting account of Russian currency and the mode of banking, giving also the amount of the debt of the great Empire, which he placed at $200,000,000 only, while all paper was held equal to specie. Banks were also used there as places of State deposit, and all the certificates of Russian indebtedness could be found in the vaults of the Imperial Bank of St. Petersburg, being held entirely by a few old families. The Czar spends annually about 8,000,000 roubles. A few nobles live as high as 1,000,000, and many others subsist on 500,000.

From this he passed to a most interesting account of railroads in the Russian Empire. The Government allows individuals to construct them, guaranteeing five per cent., and if the income falls short the money is taken from the public treasury to make up the deficit to stockholders. A very large number of railroads are owned and run by the Government, and so directly accountable are the officers that no such things as defalcations are dreamed of. In no city was life and limb as safe as in St. Petersburg. It is well sewered and has a most efficient police, and all this is done by one man, directly responsible to the one man power. The salary of this most efficient man, who is at the same moment mayor, alderman, council, street commissioner and all minor officers combined, is 500,000 roubles, enough to permit him to live respectably.

FATHERLY LEGISLATION.—There seems to be no limit to the expansive power of New England brains, and that expansion has produced many wonderful results, such as sewing machines and wooden hams. But there ought to be a limit to it, and we think that limit has been somewhat overstepped by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society when it gravely proposes the passage of a law to establish a State inspection of orchards, and "to give protection to all orchards that are neglected by their owners." As it is not stated that there is any lack of apple-jack and peach brandy in that State, this sudden tenderness for neighbors' peaches and apples can be nothing more than an expansion of the very liberal ideas that normally afflict some of the people of that Commonwealth, unless it be an outcrop of that phase of Butlerism which usually exhibits tender regard for a neighbor's goods and chattels. But as it is only a step from the orchard to the grain field or the farmhouse, there should also be "protection to the grain fields that are neglected by their owners," and a regulation of the quality and quantity of dinner in the farm-house.

INVISIBLE WRITING.—If it be absolutely necessary to use secrecy in the matter of correspondence, use rich new milk, with a clear quill on white paper; it leaves no mark whatever, and the writing may afterward be read by dusting over it pulverized charcoal or any black powder, or the letters will appear in deep yellow by scorching the paper before a hot fire. A writing executed with a weak solution of acetate of lead will turn black in the fumes of sulphuretted hydrogen. The real invisible ink (sold by many druggists and stationers) is made of a dilute solution of chloride of copper; this is visible only while the paper is heated, when the writing appears a beautiful yellow, fading the moment the heat is withdrawn.

THE SUPPLY OF HORSES.—Kentucky long had superiority in furnishing race and saddle horses; and in the East several States have filed conflicting claims of excellence. Now Kansas has entered upon the business of stock raising upon a grand scale. Recently sixty-three horses, including some yearlings, were sent East from Lawrence, and sold for an average of $440 each, bringing $28,000 gross, at prices ranging from $140 upward. There are a half a dozen breeders in the State, whose farms are large and their stock good, and in addition to these great establishments are many less. The climate, price of land, cost of labor and other circumstances, favor this Western endeavor, and the East and the country will gladly patronize an undertaking of even greater public than private advantage.

A WHEELBARROW RIDE ON AN ELECTION BET.—Edward Graham and John Bouldin, residents of East Baltimore, made a bet on the late New York State election, the loser to roll the winner in a wheelbarrow on Canton avenue, from Eden to Chester street. Bouldin lost, having bet the republicans would carry the State, and performed the task imposed on the loser on Wednesday afternoon. A considerable crowd was collected on the street by the spectacle. The wheelbarrow was decked with national flags, and Graham, who is rather a large man, sat in it smoking a cigar, while Bouldin, a much smaller man, wheeled the barrow and its load over the prescribed course. The affair was conducted with good humor on both sides.—*Sun.*

LAST month a party of Spanish soldiers deserted from their posts in Cuba, seized a vessel and attempted to escape to Key West. They were recaptured through the treachery of the captain of the vessel, and on the 11th instant eleven of the unfortunate men were shot to death.

FEW are aware of the importance of checking a cough or common cold in its first stage. That which in the beginning would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected, soon preys upon the Lungs. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup affords instant relief. Price, 25 cents.

Dr. Boschee's German Syrup,

Cough no more! How much joy there is in every household to know that they can at last procure a remedy for any case of coughs, severe colds settled on the breast, Consumption or any disease of the Throat and Lungs, that is certain to cure. It is a satisfaction to know that a person is safe from the dangers of this disease—all you need do, is to go to your Druggist, C. F. Stam & Bro., and get a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup; two or three doses will relieve you at once. If you doubt what we say in print get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try it, or a regular size for 75cts.

KICKED OUT.

Perry Smith and Ed Murphy occupied a small cabin in Radusbury, Montana, and slept in different beds; Percy's bed was so situated that he could get into either side—that is to say, it was placed in the center of the cabin, which Percy found very convenient on certain occasions. One night Percy and Ed had been in Captain Sparristrom's saloon, and on returning, which they did at early morning, both were considerably elevated. However, they walked up to the cabin with an air which seemed to say not so very darned drunk, after all, and sought long and patiently for matches and candle. After knocking the pitcher off the table, and smashing some cups, they finally gave up the search, and went to bed—yes, yes, that is the word, but, owing to the darkness and the confusion of their senses, they made a slight mistake. In short, Percy's bed had the honor of receiving the two friends, Ed getting in on one side, and his companion on the other.

"I say, Percy," cried Ed, touching somebody's calf, "there is a fellow in my bed."

"Wonderful coincidence," exclaimed Percy, feeling a strange elbow in the region of his ribs; "there is somebody in my bed, too."

"Is there, though?" said Ed; "let's kick them out."

"Agreed," said Percy.

And accordingly the friends began to kick. In about a minute Ed was sprawled on the floor, and Percy was left in possession of the bed. For a moment after the fall all was silent.

"I say, Ed," cried Percy.

"What?" said Ed. sulkily.

"I have kicked my fellow out."

"You are luckier than I am then;" said Ed, "for mine has kicked me clean out on the floor."

A PUZZLED AND INDIGNANT WITNESS.—A paper in Pittsfield, Mass., relates the following: "They were trying a 'horse case' in court the other day and the lawyer was questioning a witness in reference to the animal's habits and disposition. 'Have you ever driven her?' was asked. 'I have,' was the reply. 'Was there any one with you at the time?' was the next question. 'There was a lady with me,' the witness answered, and he blushed a little. 'Was she a good driver?' was the next question, the lawyer referring to the animal, but the witness understood that he meant the lady. 'She was,' he replied. 'Was she gentle and kind?' asked the legal limb, and the reply was in the affirmative, though the witness, still thinking of the lady, looked a little surprised. 'She didn't kick?' was the next interrogation, and a decisive 'No' was the answer. 'She didn't rear up or kick over the traces, or put her hind feet through the dashboard, or try to run away, or act ugly, or'—the witness was boiling over with indignation by this time, and interrupted the lawyer with, 'Do you mean the horse or the lady?' 'I mean the mare we're talking about,' thundered the counsel. 'Oh!' was the response, 'I thought you meant the gal.' And with this explanation the pursuit of justice was resumed.

How he Explained it to Her.

A few day ago an old lady from the Western part of Wayne county, Michigan, was selling some butter to a grocer in Detroit, when she overheard some person mention the Beecher scandal.

"What is that thing anyhow?" asked the old lady. "It's been in the papers, but my eyes are poor, and I haven't felt like reading."

"Well, it's just this," replied the grocer, as he scraped out the crock; "you see, Beecher hired Mrs. Tilton to knit him twelve pair of socks; and when she got 'em done he tried to pass a counterfeit bill on her.

"Is that so?" exclaimed the aged dame; "well, I don't blame the papers a single bit for showing him up—he's worse than a vagabond!"

"As my wife at the window one beautiful day stood watching a man with a monkey, a cart came along with a broth of a boy who was driving a stout little donkey. To my wife then I spoke, by way of a joke, 'There's a relation of your's in that carriage.' To which she replied, when the donkey she spied, 'Ah yes! a relation by marriage."

JUST RECEIVED

A LARGE STOCK OF

Boots, Shoes, Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

Which we are selling CHEAP FOR CASH.

☞ We have heavy demands upon us for money at this time, and persons indebted are earnestly requested to call and make immediate payment.

Oct. 10—2m. WM. W. PARKS.

BOOTS and SHOES.

ALL KINDS, ALL PRICES.

A Stock that cannot be surpassed in the county—both City made and Eastern Goods, and will be sold at prices as close as the closest.

oc24-2m. WM. W. PARKS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

JOHN T. DODD,

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 23rd day of June, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of November, 1874.

MARY J. DODD, Exec'x.

Nov. 21, 1874—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

ROSETTA McINTYRE,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 23rd day of June, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in the said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 17th day of November, 1874.

FREDUS VANSANT, Exec'r.

Nov. 21, 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. E. WEER,

Dec. 21. Kennedyville, Md

KERSEYS! KERSEYS!

A LARGE STOCK ON HAND OF

MALLALIEU'S STANDARD MAKE,

Just received by **T. S. WICKES.**

Chestertown, October 3, 1874.

NEW

Clothing Store!

IN CHESTERTOWN.

CHAS. ROLPH & Co.,

Have taken the CORNER STORE ROOM in the Burchinal Building, and opened a

Large and Splendid Assortment of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

AND

Gents' FURNISHING GOODS

Which as regards VARIETY and Style is not surpassed outside of City Establishments.

☞ Suits made to order. ☜

A Fine Assortment of

HATS and CAPS

OF THE LATEST STYLES, also in store.

☞ These goods will all be sold at the very LOWEST PRICES.

CHARLES ROLPH & CO.

Chestertown, Oct. 3, 1874.

KEARNEY'S

FLUID EXTRACT

BUCHU!

THE ONLY REMEDY KNOWN FOR

BRIGHT'S DISEASE,

And a POSITIVE REMEDY for

GOUT, GRAVEL, STRICTURES, DIABETES, DYSPEPSIA, NERVOUS DEBILITY, DROPSY,

Non-retention or Incontinence of Urine, Irritation, Inflamation or Ulceration of the

BLADDER AND KIDNEYS,

SPERMATORRHŒA,

Leucorrhœa or Whites, Diseases of the Prostrate Gland, Stone in the Bladder, Coculus Gravel or Brickdust Deposit and Mucus or Milky Discharges.

KEARNEY'S

EXTRACT BUCHU,

Permanently Cures all Diseases of the BLADDER, KIDNEYS, AND DROPSICAL SWELLINGS,

Existing in Men, Women and Children,

☞ NO MATTER WHAT THE AGE!

Prof. Steele says: "One bottle of Kearney's Fluid Extract Buchu is worth more than all other Buchus combined."

Price, One Dollar per bottle, or Six Bottles for Five Dollars.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

Depot, 104 Duane St., New York.

A Physician in attendance to answer correspondence and give advice gratis.

☞ Send Stamp for Pamphlets, free. ☜

—TO THE—

NERVOUS AND DEBILITATED OF BOTH SEXES.

No Charge for Advice and Consultation.

Dr. J. B. Dyott, graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, author of several valuable works, can be consulted on all diseases of the Sexual or urinary organs (which he has made an especial study) either in male or female, no matter from what cause originating or of how long standing. A practice of 30 years enables him to treat diseases with success. Cures guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Those at a distance can forward letter describing symptoms and enclosing stamp to prepay postage.

Send for the *Guide to Health.* Price 10c.

J. B. DYOTT, M. D.,

Physician and Surgeon, 104 Duane St., N. Y.

Feb. 7, 1874—y.

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. Ankleta, 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.

Agent for Dr. Wadsworth's Stem Pessary.

All of the above scientifically applied and satisfaction given.

Orders per mail promptly attended to.

S. MARSH,

No. 92 W. Baltimore Street,

Jan10-y. BALTIMORE, MD.

Farmers, Look to Your Interest!

EXAMINE YOUR

Wheat and Phosphate Drills,

And have them put in order.

We intend to do all REPAIRING in that line, as well as all other kinds that go in with WHEELWRIGHTING AND BLACKSMITHING. Send your Drills early, so we can have them ready for you.

☞ Our personal attention is always given to our work.

TILGHMAN SHAFER,

aug8. Kennedyville.

"GOLDEN BELLE OF DURHAM," Smoking Tobacco—Something new. Try it. For sale only by H. A. SPARKS

CIGARS—Only $2.25 per hundred for a good Cigar, at H. A. SPARKS'.

Good Business Opportunity.

The HOWE Machine Co.

Are organizing their AGENCY DEPARTMENT, and can offer better terms than ever before given to reliable, energetic men to sell their

NEW LIGHT-RUNNING

Sewing Machines

ON THE

EASTERN SHORE.

Apply or address

No. 38 NORTH CHARLES STREET

BALTIMORE, MD.

N. B.—Applicants for country territory must be able to furnish horse and harness.

A SMALL PAYMENT

at first, and the balance in easy monthly payments, are the terms of the NEW ELIAS HOWE SEWING MACHINE, in every respect the best and most perfect machine in use. No man has any excuse for not presenting his wife, mother or sister one of these Superior Machines. The price is low and he can have his own time to pay for it. When one considers the low price at which it is sold, and the fact that it has demonstrated its superiority over all other machines by surpassing them in elegant work, and above all, the terms on which it is sold, the wonder is that there is not a HOWE SEWING MACHINE in every home in the State.

The Southern people should bear in mind that the HOWE is not sold at an advance of fifteen dollars over New York prices as is the case with some competitors.

A. M. GUDGEN,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

OFFERS THE

NEW IMPROVED

"HOWE" Sewing Machine,

ON VERY EASY TERMS.

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

Oct. 3, 1874.

UP TOWN

Bread & Cake Bakery

MRS. GRUBER

RETURNS her thanks for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to her, and pledges herself to spare no effort to merit a continuance of public favor.

As heretofore, I am prepared to furnish

BREAD, RUSK, PIES,

Buns, Biscuit, &c.

FRESH FROM THE BAKERY,

TOGETHER WITH

CAKE OF ALL KINDS,

POUND CAKE, SPONGE CAKE, FRUIT CAKE, JUMBLES, SUGAR CAKE, JELLY CAKE, LEMON CAKE, &c., of the best quality, and at the lowest prices.

Having had large experience, and in my employ a first-class Baker, I am satisfied of my ability to give satisfaction.

DOROTHEA GRUBER.

Chestertown, Jan. 17, 1874.

The People's Harness Store

FARMERS

And HORSEMEN

LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST!

You can be supplied with everything in my line of business at

The People's Harness Store,

AT CITY PRICES.

We have now on hand a

FINE STOCK of NEW HARNESS,

which we are selling at the very lowest figures and which can be relied upon. Good stock o

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

to be found in the county. My stock consists, not merely of a few articles, but an assortment of everything connected with this business.

☞ Give us a call, and we'll do our best to please you, not only in price, but also in the quality of our goods.

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

JOHN F. HOWARD,

Opposite the Voshell House, Chestertown

Jan. 24, 1874.

To the Public Generally.

WANTED *EVERYBODY TO KNOW*

That the LITTLE STORE of

THOMPSON, UpTown,

Is still open to the public, and to convince you that such is the fact, we invite one and all to call and examine his stock of goods. We have a choice lot of

Coffees,	Sugars,	Hams,	Bacon,
Teas,	Spices,	Lard,	Flour,
	Syrup,		Meal,

NOTIONS—such as, Ladies', Gents' and Children's Hose, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Pocket Books, Blank Books, Spelling Books, Pens, Ink, Paper, &c.

Hardware, Glassware, Crockery-ware, Tin-ware, &c., Lime and Hair.

Cream and Tonic Beer, Tobacco and Cigars a specialty, both chewing and smoking.

In fact a little of everything generally kept a Grocery, Notion and Provision Store, all which will be sold very cheap for the cash.

All we ask is an examination of our and prices to sell them.

All kinds Country Produce wanted.

Je 20,'74. WM. C. A. THOMPSON.

DR. WILHOFT'S "ANTI-PERIODIC," sure cure for Chills and Fevers, has been used with success in this community the present season and last Fall also.

For sale by J. H. SIMPERS.

Stoves, Stoves, Stoves!

A Very Large Assortment Received Direct from the Manufacturers, and for sale at Small Profits.

CALL AND EXAMINE

Excelsior Hot Blast, Calorific, Niagara, Continental, All Right Cook, Champion Complete, Washington Range, Franklin & Penn City Ranges.

GOLDEN SUN, a Splendid Fire-place heater, SILVER PALACE, GEM, and DIAMOND HEATERS.

Hot-Base Anti-Clinker, Silver Moon, Magic Light Base Burner, Magnet, Token, Comet, Brilliant and Crystal Light, Vulcan Egg Crystal, Union Air Tight, Tuscan, Woodland, Flame, &c., &c.

NOVELTY PARLOR COOK.

Coal Hods, Shovels, Pokers, and Coal Seives.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

SPORTSMEN LOOK SHARP!

Single and double barrel Guns, Revolvers, Shot Pouches, Powder Flasks, Game Bags, Gun Washers, Shot by the bag or pound, Caps, Wads, Chargers, Tubes, Cartridges, &c.

For sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE

Table and Pocket Cutlery,

A Splendid Assortment,

Scissors, Builders' Hardware, Tools, Horse Brushes, &c.

For sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Improved Cucumber-wood Pumps

Coupling Pipe and Extra Bands, Valves, Buckets, Nozzle Braces, Iron Nozzles, and Drop Valve, for sale by

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Chestertown, Oct. 10, 1874.

New Store near Rock Hall.

THE undersigned having taken the Store near Rock Hall, formerly occupied by M. Ascher, will keep on hand a varied stock of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

CONFECTIONERY, NOTIONS, TOBBACCO, SEGARS, &c.

Also, FRESH MEATS of all kinds,

Salt Meats, Corned Beef, Fish, &c.,

all of which will be sold at the lowest prices.

☞ We have also in store a good line of goods for LADIES' WEAR, and intend to make

MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS

a specialty, having secured the services of competent ladies to conduct this department.

☞ We shall spare no pains to please all who favor us with their patronage, and hope that the surrounding community, finding that goods may be had *at home* as cheap as elsewhere, will give us a liberal support.

THOS. A. HUDSON,

jan17 y. Rock Hall.

1874.

CHEAPER THAN EVER.

1874.

J. B. Sappington,

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS,

And GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

We keep constantly on hand a general assortment of Goods, and sell them as low as "any other man."

We invite an examination of our BROWN AND BLEACHED MUSLINS, which we are confident cannot be surpassed for good quality and cheapness.

A good assortment of

SUGARS,
COFFEE,
TEAS,
FLOUR,
LARD,
MOLASSES,
VINEGAR,
COAL OIL,
&c., &c.

Men's and Boys' Heavy Boots and Shoes, very low.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, Hosiery, Gloves, &c.

Men's Undershirts, Drawers, Pants, Vests, Hats and Caps.

TOBACCO and SEGARS, all qualities and prices.

Stone Milk Pans, Stone Jars, Baking Paniers, Cups, Saucers, Plates, Bowls, Tumblers, &c. Washing and Toilet Soaps of different kinds, Powder, Shot, and Gun Caps.

☞ Thanking our customers for the very liberal patronage we have received during the past five years, we respectfully solicit their continued favors, promising at all times to do our best for their interest and accommodation. We are selling goods at low prices.

COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods at best market prices The highest price paid CASH for Muskrat, Rabbit, Mink, Otter and Coon Hides.

☞ Store on Cross Street, opposite Geo. E. Lambert's Carriage factory.

J. B. SAPPINGTON.

Chestertown, Jan. 10, 1874.

DRILLS! DRILLS!

AND

CORN HOES!

FARMERS, send your Drills in early to get them repaired. We keep all parts and pieces belonging to the Bickford & Huffman Drill—Wheels, Brushes, Points, Spouts and Funnels. We put in New Zinc Bottom's, and all the Fixtures in the Guano Department. We also repair all other kind of Drills now in use.

We would also call your attention to our Light and Durable

Cast Steel Hoes,

for Cutting off Corn, as they are superior to all other implements for cutting Short Stubbles, so the stubble will not be in the way of Drilling or Resping the Wheat.

We have REDUCED our DRILL WORK and PRICE of our HOES.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

P. S.—Harvest is over and we need a little MONEY. All work and no pay will neither buy iron or make us gay.

September 5, 1874. C. & L.

AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Chartered in 1850. Capital Stock $500,000

Cash Assets Jan. 1, 1865 $1,000,000.

ALEXANDER WHILLDEN, of Pa., President

JOHN C. SIMS Actuary.

JOHN S. WILSON, Sec'y and Treas'r.

B. F. HOUSTON, M. D.,

Medical Examiner in Kent County.

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JOHN W. HINES, Agent,

March 4—y. Chestertown, Md.

CONFECTIONERY.—Always a fresh stock of choice goods in this line, which I am selling low. Call and see me before you buy. Remember the place; H. A. SPARKS, between stores of T. W. Eliason, Jr., and E. T. Willis.

N. B.—Cigars a speciality.

CIGARS—by the 100 or 1000 at city prices at SPARKS'.

BALTIMORE.

JESSE WILSON. R. HARRY WILSON

J. WILSON & SON,

Commission Merchants,

For the Sale of all kinds of *Country Produce, Grain, Peaches, Apples Canned Goods. Vegetables, Poultry, Butter, Eggs, Fish, &c.*

Corner of Light and Camden Sts., BALTIMORE.

WM. TOMLINSON. WM. T. TOMLINSON

WM. TOMLINSON & CO.,

Commission Merchants

For the sale of Grain, Live Stock, and Country Produce generally,

No. 80 Light St. Wharf, Baltimore.

☞ Orders for Groceries, Seeds, Fertilizers, Farm Implements, and other merchandise, will be promptly filled.

Consignments respectfully solicited. ja15

RASIN & CO.,

Grain & Flour Commission Merchants,

No. 73 SOUTH ST.,

Opposite the Corn and Flour Exchange, BALTIMORE, MD.

☞ We olicit a share of the grain business.

Apr. 27—y.

GREENWOOD & RUTTER,

Commission Merchants,

No. 79 SOUTH STREET, BALTIMORE, MD.

Particular attention given to the sale of Grain and Produce. Consignments are respectfully solicited. y

JAS. WARDEN. JAS. A. MERRITT.

WARDEN & MERRITT,

Commission Merchants

FOR THE SALE OF

Grain, Flour & Country Produce,

72 SOUTH STREET, BALTIMORE, MD.

PETER WEIKEL,

Merchant Tailor,

UNDER CARROLTON HOTEL,

Light Street, BALTIMORE.

It will afford us pleasure to have the public call and examine our goods.

Our Staple CLOTHS, DOESKINS and SUITINGS are superior, and our FANCY CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c., are of the latest novelties in design and style.

OUR SYSTEM OF CUTTING is by actual measurement, and the fit of all Garments is guaranteed. Prices moderate. Terms cash.

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B. F. PARLETT & CO.,

92 *Lombard st., near South,* BALTIMORE,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Manufactured and Leaf Tobacco,

imported HAVANA and GERMAN CIGARS and manufacturers of fine Havana, Principe and other Cigars y

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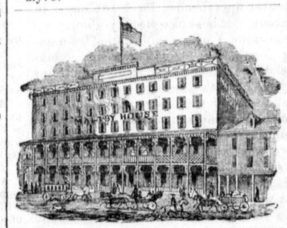

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