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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - MARCH 6, 1875

WAY-SIDE SERVICE.

If I am poor, and pinched with cold,
And Famine steals within my door,
My raiment scant, and thin, and cold,
And you are prospered more and more,
Wait not to ask my name and creed
Before you help, or pass me by:
To-day perform the gracious deed—
I'll scarcely need you when I die.

If I am met by thieves to-day,
And wounded sore, and left to die,
And you should find me by the way,
Attracted by my suffering cry;
Then come and prove yourself a man,
And, though the Levite passes by,
Be thou the good Samaritan—
I'll scarcely need you when I die.

If I have strayed from Virtue's path,
And entered in the door of sin;
In very truth a child of wrath,
Defiled in every thought within,
And you should see from whence I fell;
Oh! help me then to turn and fly!
Or pull me from the way to hell—
I'll scarcely need you when I die.

If I, in some sad hour of life,
Go toiling up Grief's heavy grade,
Worn out with fear, and toil, and strife,
In steps the lowly master made,
And you should meet me on my road,
As fainting 'neath my cross I lie,
Come, then, and help me bear my load—
I'll scarcely need you when I die.

If time is passing, as we say,
And no to-morrow a sun may rise,
And you can help a soul to-day
To look to God for fresh supplies:
If you the cooling draught can give
To thirsty pilgrims passing by;
Bestow your blessing while they live—
They'll scarcely need you when they die.

DRIVEN TO CANNIBALISM.

WRECKED SEAMEN TWENTY-THREE DAYS IN AN OPEN BOAT—DRAWING LOTS.

We have received intelligence from Batavia regarding the sufferings of some of the survivors from the British ship Euxine, bound from Shields to Aden, which caught fire and was abandoned in the South Atlantic. On the 12th of June last the iron ship Euxine sailed with a cargo of coal and a crew of thirty-two men and excellent provisions. Everything went well until the 3d of August, when a storm tossed the vessel about so violently that the cargo was shifted to the starboard side, one man was washed overboard and considerable damage was done. All endeavors to right her were fruitless, and after large quantities of coal had been thrown overboard, traces of fire were discovered. Although every hatch and opening was closed as tightly as possible, the flames made such headway that on the 8th of the same month the captain decided to abandon his ship. They left in three boats—the captain and thirteen men in the long boat, the first mate and eight others in the second, and the second mate and seven seamen in the third.

It was known that St. Helena was 850 miles distant, and it was determined to make for the island. During the first night the boat commanded by the second mate lost sight of the others, and at dawn was alone upon the wide ocean. The little vessel was upon the lifeboat principle, about thirty feet long, her sidesbeing protected with a bulwark of sail cloth. She had ten air-tight cases, two masts, besides a foreboom, and carried a set of sails and necessary cordage. The provisions comprised two cases biscuits, a ham, a cheese, twelve tins of meat, and two small casks of drinking water.

The rations were diminished to half a biscuit and a glass of water once a day, and thus the 24th of August approached with no sign of rescue or land. On this date a stiff breeze sprung up as darkness drew on, and at midnight while one De Jager was at the helm and the rest were asleep, the boat capsized and its occupants suddenly found themselves struggling for their lives. How the accident occurred is not known, but it is surmised that De-Jager placed his charge against the wind, as it is certain that he had already threatened to "knock a hole in the craft to put an end to the misery of all." Any way he "put an end" to himself and another, named Reynolds, both sinking notwithstanding help rendered by their fortunate comrades, who had found safety on the upturned keel. In the morning the boat was righted, but all the food was gone.—In order to prevent capsizing in future the masts were cut down and only the small sail set, so that the boat might be steered right before the wind. Hunger and thirst characterized the day—a Sunday—and twenty-four hours later it was agreed that lots should be cast to see which of the number should be sacrificed for the benefit of the remainder.

Early on the same day one Muller, after drinking large quantities of salt water, declared that he offered his body as food for the others, and entreated them to kill him. We now quote from the affidavit of James Archer, second made:

"After a time Manus Schurt proposed that they should cast lots who should fall a sacrifice for keeping the others alive.—To this we all consented. Having no other means to make a lottery, we hit upon using small sticks of different sizes, deciding that the one who drew the smallest should be the victim. After having made the sticks ready, I held them in my hands while the others drew. On comparing them together I found that the Italian, Francis Shufus, held the smallest stick. Having also agreed that the lottery should be thrice repeated, and that when it should then prove that either two or three of us had drawn the shortest stick, these should cast lots among themselves, so that the victim might be singled out, we found that the same man had for a second time picked out the same object."

Francis Shufus, when his turn came for the third drawing, hesitated to join, and would not draw, upon which the man Sandstrom proposed he would do it for him. This he did, and the shortest stick was found in Sandstrom's hand. Shufus bore it with the greatest calmness, and showed the utmost resignation. He was left alone for some two hours, while he now and then eagerly looked around the horizon to see whether a sail could be perceived or any help would come. We stood upon the thwarts. Shufus prepared himself to meet his fate by praying and speaking in Italian He gave us no parting message to be sent to his friends, most probably as he knew no more English than to say "yes" and "no." His bearing was that of a man whose mind was made up. Seeing we were past help, and fearing that our hunger and thirst had grown beyond endurance, we saw ourselves driven to sacrifice Shufus.

He laid down, but before that August Muller had offered to take his place and die for him. This Shufus refused, and, laying himself down in the bottom of the boat, gave himself up to be tied. Then one man held an empty tin, so as to catch the blood. Muller, on saying that now some one must die for the others, passed the knife around the man's throat. He did not struggle or scream. The blood was drank by us all. The liver and heart we cut in small pieces and ate them mixed with blood and salt water. At the last moments of Shufus I was at the helm.—The head and feet were thrown away, and the balance put into one of the air-tight tins of our boat, which we had opened.

We continued on our way. It might have been 2 o'clock in the afternoon when the man Shufus died. Some three hours afterward a ship was seen, which, perceiving the boat, made for us, and relieved us. The names of the five unfortunate waifs were James Archer, August Muller, Victor Sandstorm, Manus Shurt, and Alexander Vermeulen, who had been for 23 days at sea in an open boat, and sailed fully 2,000 miles.—*Friend of India.*

How to Quiet Horses.

According to a discovery made by Professor Shiff, of Florence—a discovery which has been pushed beyond him by many others—it was found that it was quite enough to touch the nostrils of a horse, simply passing the finger along the sides of his nose, to stop the activity of the heart and respiration, and stop the consciousness in a measure. He did not find, but left for another to find it, that interchange between tissues and blood is also stopped. It is well known now that most of these men who succeed in quieting violent horses, put their fingers to that part, and sometimes inside the noses. Merely touching those parts may produce some effect; pressing hard upon them has far more effect. It is not necessary that the application be made there, as a pressure of the lip may produce the same thing. In some animals, rabbits and guinea pigs, if we pass needles into their and heart, so as to judge of respiration and circulation, we find that the needles stop altogether as we press the lips or part of the cheek. It is not that the poor creature is frightened, as when he have deprived them partly or almost altogether of their consciousness by the use of chloroform, the same phenomena occurs. There is a very curious fact mentioned by Catlin, who traveled in the West, and wrote two volumes on the Indians.—He states that the calves of the buffalo, if they are caught, and the air from a man's lungs is strongly breathed into their nostrils, will become so fascinated by that peculiar influence that they will run after the horse of the hunter, and follow him five or six miles. It is said, and Mr. Catlin affirms it, that in Texas or other parts of the country where there are wild horses taken with the lasso, if the hunter succeeds in taking hold of their nostrils, and forcibly expels air from his lungs into the nostrils of the horse he will follow him anywhere and become perfectly tame. These facts deserve to be studied. I have heard that when Mr. Rarey acted so powerfully on violent horses, both in this country and in Europe, he had something to do with their nostrils also. What he did however he kept in a great measure secret. That part of the system at any rate, has a great deal to do in diminishing the activity of the principal organs. It is very natural, therefore, that such a power should be acquired by one who has done such a thing to an animal as intelligent as the horse.

DEBTS OF THE WORLD.—The following are the best estimates which can be formed of the principal National debts at the present time:

France - - - -	£900,000,000
Great Britain - -	780,000,000
United States - -	440,000,000
Italy - - - - -	390,000,000
Spain - - - - -	375,000,000
Austria - - - -	350,000,000
Russia - - - - -	340,000,000
German Empire - -	200,000,000
Turkey - - - -	135,000,000
India - - - - -	130,000,000

The rate of interest which these countries pay on loans, judging from quotations on the Stock Exchange, is as follows:—England, 3½ per cent.; India, 5 per cent.; Holland, 4½ per cent.; Canada, 4½ per ct.; United States, 4⅔ per cent.; France 5 per cent.; Russia 5 per cent.; Brazil 5 per ct.; Italy 6 per cent.; Portugal 6 per cent.; Hungary 7½ per cent.; Egypt 8 per cent.; Turkey 10 per cent.; Peru 10 per cent.; Spain 15 per cent.; Mexico 18 per cent.

A SKATERS' game of base ball on the Hudson river, was interrupted, on Saturday, by the parting of the floe, the pitcher, the second base, and the field going one way, and the catcher and the first and third base the other. It is the only instance on record where a game of base ball was turned into a prayer meeting.

IT is reported at Washington that William Horatio Barnes manufactures the lives of Congressmen and inserts their beautiful countenances in his book at the regular fee of $150, paid in advance. A good many Congressmen secure immortality by the payment of this small sum. But Barnes works very cheaply.

SLEEPLESS PEOPLE—and there are many in America—should court the sun. The very worst soporific is laudanum, and the very best is sunshine. Therefore it is very plain that poor sleepers should pass as many hours of the day in sunshine, and as few as possible in the shade.

ACTION of any kind is as opposed to sentimentality as fire to water; and a few years of labor or study, even a few months or weeks, will bring a young head into the right track. Put your sentimental daughters to work.

THE English propose to move street cars by clock-work. The cars are to be of the lightest possible constructions, and are to be fitted with Sheffield springs, having a force of nine hundred pounds each and wound up by stationary engines.

DR. GUTTCKIT recommends rubbing warts, night and morning, with a moistened piece of murate of amonia. They soften and dwindle away, leaving no such white mark as follow their dispersion with lunar caustic.

AN Iowa lady concludes an anti-saffrage lecture as follows, "You may look at this matter in whatever light you will, but simmer it down and it is but a quarrel with the Almighty that we are not all men."

To be covetous of applause discovers a slender merit, and self-conceit is the ordinary attendant of ignorance.

No wonder the people have confidance, when the best physicians are prescribing Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in all cases of Cough, Cold, etc.

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 these diseases—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 75 cents.

FOR SALE,
A NEW LETTER C HOWE SEWING MACHINE,
Suitable for manufacturing, Tailoring and all kinds of Leather work. Shoemakers, or others, in want of such a machine can get a bargain in this. It has never been used and will be sold at much less than manufacturers' price on reasonable credit. Apply at Kent News office. jan9-tf.

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Lumber Dealers,

OFFICE:
132 LIGHT STREET WHARF
BALTIMORE,

YARDS { 104 and 132 Light St. Wharf. 132 S. Charles Street. Cor. York and Johnson Sts.,

OFFER ALL VARIETIES OF

BUILDING LUMBER,

SHINGLES, FENCING, DOORS, SASH, BRICKS, OAK, ASH, WALNUT,

At the Lowest Rates, in lots to Suit.
June 28, 1873.

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.

Winter Goods!
WE BEG LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE that we have LATELY ADDED to the Stock of Goods already on hand, in LARGE PURCHASES OF
HEAVY STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Ready-made Clothing
SHOES, HATS,
And in other lies of goods usually kept by us.
These purchases have all been made at close *cash* figures, and in the present depressed condition of the market, enabling us to offer them upon terms which cannot fail to give satisfaction to the buyer.
We think we have seldom before had a larger and better assorted Stock of Goods than now, and we invite an inspection from our customers, and all others needing supplies to meet the demands of the season.
T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown.

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

ALEXANDER WILSON,

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 2d day of September, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 2nd day of February, 1875.

WILLIAM J. WILSON, Executor.
Feb. 6, 1875—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent Co., letters of administration on the personal estate of

GEORGE W. GREENWOOD,

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 26th day of August, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 26th day of January, 1875.

H. W. VICKERS, Adm'r.
Jan. 30, 1875—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

WILLIAM WICKES,

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 26th day of August, 1875, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 26th day of January, 1875.

S. A. J. WICKES, Adm'r.
Jan. 30, 1875—4t.

PUMPS! PUMPS!
SAMUEL GORMAN,
Practical Pump Maker, Well Digger and Repairer,
Near the Iron Foundry, CHESTERTOWN.
All work done in a mechanical manner and at prices that defy competition. Repairs for all kinds of Pumps kept constantly on hand or made to order. jan16-3t*

LAW CARDS.

C. T. WESTCOTT,
Attorney and Counselor at Law
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Special attention given to the collection of claims in the counties of Kent, Cecil, Queen Anne's and Caroline. ag12-y.

HINES & SMITH,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,
CHESTERTOWN.
New Office on Court Street, opposite Court House.
Having associated ourselves for the practice of our profession, we will give prompt and careful attention to all law and Chancery business placed in our hands.
Mr. HINES, though connected with other duties, will give special attention to the business of the firm. JESSE K. HINES,
oc3-tf. MARION deK. SMITH.

D. J. BLACKISTON,
Attorney at Law
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Will give prompt attention to any business entrusted to his care. Collections promptly made and real estate bought and sold. ally.

MEDICAL CARDS.

Medical Notice.
DR. GEO. T. PERKINS,
A Graduate of the University of Maryland,
Has opened an office on Water Street, Chestertown, near the Bridge. Office hours from 9½, A. M. to 12, M., and from 2 to 6, P. M., where he may be found except when professionally engaged. After 6, P. M., will be found at his father's residence. ap11-tf.

Medical Notice.
THE undersigned most respectfully informs their friends and the public that from the first day of April, 1874, they will associate themselves in a co-partnership for the better prosecution of their profession, and for the better accommodation of the public, under the name of "A. H. WHALAND & SON," pledging themselves to the discharge of their duties to the best of their abilities.
They may be found at all times (if not professionally engaged,) at their residence near Chestertown.
THOMAS H. WHALAND, M. D.,
CHAS. W. WHALAND, M. D.
March 28, 1874—tf.

JOHN G. ROBINSON,
WITH
Sanders & Stayman,
GENERAL AGENTS
FOR THE
CELEBRATED
ESTEY ORGAN,
AND FOR
THE RENOWNED and MATCHLESS
"WEBER," "BRADBURY," AND "HAINES"
PIANOS,
15 N. Charles Street, Baltimore.
PIANOS and ORGANS Tuned and Repaired. j9-6m.

1875. January 1st. 1875.
ONE OF THE LARGEST
And BEST ASSORTED STOCKS of GOODS
TO BE FOUND ANYWHERE WITHIN THE COUNTY LIMITS, WE HAVE NOW IN STORE—
Selected with care at close cash figures—and are offering them upon liberal terms to responsible parties.
T. S. WICKES.

STEWART'S BEST CAST STEEL AXES, for sale by T. S. WICKES.

THE GREAT NEURALGIA CURE.
HOPKINS'
ANTALGIC LINIMENT,
After a test of Twenty years, is confidently offered to the public as the most powerful external remedy which has ever been discovered for the cure of *NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, TOOTHACHE, NERVOUS HEADACHE, STIFF NECK, LUMBAGO, SORE THROAT BRONCHITIS,* and all pains of the joints and limbs.
Hundreds who have used it give it the strongest endorsement.
FACTS to be Remembered:
ANTALGIC LINIMENT positively cures Neuralgia.
ANTALGIC LINIMENT cures the worst cases of Rheumatism.
ANTALGIC LINIMENT instantly cures Toothache.
ANTALGIC LIMIMENT never fails to cure Gout.
ANTALGIC LINIMENT instantly relieves Headache.
ANTALGIC LINIMENT cures the Face-ache.
ANTALGIC LINIMENT is unequalled for the immediate relief of all kinds of pains. It does not blister, nor discolor the skin.
SOLD EVERYWHERE.
T. K. ROBSON, PROPRIETOR, Easton, Md
For sale by C. F. STAM & BRO., Chestertown. sep19-6m.

MERCHANT TAILOR
FROM
PHILADELPHIA.
1874. Fall and Winter. 1874.
ABE SCHWARTZ,
RESPECTFULLY invites his friends and the public to call and examine his
New Fall Goods and Styles
RECEIVING DAILY from the Eastern markets.
Fine Goods a Specialty
BLACK CLOTHS of the finest grades; and in ENGLISH and FRENCH CASSIMERES we have styles that must please the most fastidious.
OVERCOATS of ALL STYLES,
For Fall and Winter.
Feeling confident that we fully understand the needs and wants of this community, and that we are now prepared to meet its demands both in styles and prices, we again solicit an examination before purchasing elsewhere.
We guarantee a fit in every case.
Oct. 17, 1874. ABE SCHWARTZ.

SPECIAL NOTICE!
IN consequence of the death of the senior member, the firm of JOHN T. DODD & SON is dissolved. All persons indebted are earnestly requested to call and make **immediate settlement,** as it would be exceedingly unpleasant for me to sue any one. We have a large amount of money to raise and the business must be settled.
Thanking all persons for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, I hope by the strictest attention to business to retain the same.
JOHN N. DODD,
Successor to John T. Dodd & Son.
Chesterlown, Nov. 14, 1874—tf.

BALTIMORE.

JESSE WILSON. 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,
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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.
oc26. P. WEIKEL.

B. F. PARLETT & CO.,
92 Lombard st., near South, BALTIMORE,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Manufactured and Leaf Tobacco,
mported HAVANA and GERMAN CIGARS nd manufacturers of fine Havana, Principe nd other Cigars y

THOMAS H. HANSON,
Furniture, Chair & Desk
MANUFACTURER,
WHOLESALE AND RERAIL,
No. 11 South Calvert St.,
Corner German St., BALTIMORE.
Keeps constantly on hand, of his own Manufacture, Furniture and Chairs of all kinds, wholesale and retail, Parlor and Chamber Sets, Mattrasses, Looking Glasses, &c., at prics that cannot fail to please.

CHEAPEST HOUSE IN BALTIMORE!
MORTON D. BANKS,
(Successor to D. Banks,)
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Furniture, Chair and Mattrass MANUFACTURER.
WAREROOMS—No. 59 South Street.
FACTORY—No. 396 E. Baltimore Street.
GIVE ME A TRIAL.

PHILADELPHIA.

G. W. SHALLCROSS,
Commission Dealer
—IN—
BERRIES, PEAS, PEACHES,
AND ALL KINDS OF
COUNTRY PRODUCE,
1 and 2 North Del. Avenue Market
(Above Vine St.)
PHILADELPHIA.
Consignments solicited. o18.

CHAS. RICHARDS. W. W. RICHARDS.
RICHARDS & BRO.,
Produce Commission Dealers
—IN—
Poultry, Eggs, Berries, Peaches
LIVE STOCK, and ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE,
Stand No. 4: Pier 7,
North Del. Avenue above Vine Street,
PHILADELPHIA.
Consignments respectfully solicited. april-6m*

WM. H. ELDRIDGE & CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Brandies, Wines, Gins, &c.
Pure Monongahela, Rye and Bourbon
WHISKIES.
No. 21 South Front St., Philadelphia. oc4y.

FRESH ARRIVAL!
MORE NEW GOODS received per Steamer Geo. Law, last night. Almost every kind and style purchased at GREAT FALL OF PANIC PRICES.
Come one! Come all! and see for yourself SUGAR—Ten Pounds for One Dollar!
A large quantity of Sugar-cured Hams, Bacon Sides and Shoulders, very cheap.
P. S.—Call and give our READY-MADE CLOTHING a look.
E. B. USILTON, Agent.

NEW BARBER SHOP!
THE undersigned has opened a BARBER SHOP in the Shed Room attached to the Masonic Hall building in Chestertown. It is neatly fitted up, with New Chairs, and everything nice and clean. Gentlemen fond of a good shave can get it here.
HAIR CUTTING done in the latest style and neatest manner.
sep12-tf. R. M. WOOLFORD.

New Barber Shop.
The undersigned has opened the Barber shop under the Voshell House, formerly occupied by P. H. Reed. It is newly furnished and fitted up, and will be conducted as a First Class Barber Shop. S. J. BLUNT,
Sept. 26, 1874—tf. Proprietor.

NOW IS THE TIME.
To avoid carrrying them over to another season, we will sell the balance of our Stock of Men's and Boy's Long Boots at WHOLESALE COST PRICES. The Goods are such as we can recommend, and those wishing REAL and ACTUAL bargains are invited to call at
J. B. SAPPINGTON'S,
January 2, 1875. Chestertown.

GENTLEMEN—Call and examine our Stoc of FINE BOOTS, at
Dec. 19. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

COLIN F. STAM. LOUIS K. STAM.
C. F. Stam & Bro.
Cor. High and Court Sts.,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND,
APOTHECARIES, BOOKSELLERS, AND STATIONERS.
AND DEALERS IN
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.

Fall and Winter
CRUSADE!
1875. 1875.
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.
S. MERRITT & CO.
BORDLEY'S CORNER,
CHESTERTOWN.
October 3, 1874.

BOOTS.
MEN'S, BOY'S AND YOUTH'S LONG BOOTS.
T. W. ELIASON, JR., has received a *LARGE STOCK* OF THE ABOVE GOODS,
Direct from the Manufacturers,
Made in the best manner and of the Best Material.
THESE GOODS HAVE JUSTLY the REPUTATION of being FULLY EQUAL to any on the market, and parties who once use them seldom fail to buy them again.
Call and examine my stock before buying.
T. W. ELIASON, JR.
Oct. 17, 1874

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