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The Kent News.

ATURDAY - - - - FEB 19, 1876

LETTER FROM LYNCH'S.

Messrs. Editors:—We dip our pen in ink again, although the disposition of some to carp makes us feel a little deficient in courage necessary to a correspondent. There is a redundance of cheap gossip, which despite the embargo the mud has laid upon locomotion, finds way to get around, and is gorged by those having an appetite for such The 14th was a real feast to this unfortunate class of beings, as they embraced it, we are told, in sending through Uncle Sam's mail bags what was doubtless a true reflex of their own vulgar selves behind the door; for soiled hands hesitate not to throw dirt.

A desire to contribute to the pleasure of the young people seems to be more general than usual, and if the wooers do not win, it certainly will not be the fault of the old fogies. Those of staid habits, that do not altogether approve the "hop," have encouraged the sociable.

The young ladies around are showing considerable leap-year eccentricity in trying various tricks to induce

"Luna, ever woman's friend,
To them her goodness condescend;
Let them by night in visions see
Emblems of their destiny.
Shoes are placed while repeating:
'I place my shoes in the form of a T,
Hoping this night my true love to see;
The color of his eyes, the color of his hair;
The color of the clothes that he shall wear,
The night he is wedded to me.'"

Nine stars nine nights in succession have been counted, gray horses also; and some have tried putting all the letters of the alphabet in tumblers of water to stand over night With a dreadful long face one said, after trying this trick, "S——, we'll never get a husband, for not one blessed letter turned up"

G. R. Beck is teaching the Union folks how to sing.

The slough of despond, by the residence of Squire Neal, has turned over sleighs, broke carriages, &c, and yet the supervisor of that road is happy.

James and Eddie Roseberry buried their only child on Saturday last. Geo. Crew recently lost one of his children.

Renard, on mischief intent, was recently caught in a steel trap by Moses Kennard, and dispatched. SENTINEL

THIRD DISTRICT.

Messrs. Editors:—In looking over your very valuable paper, and seeing so many epistles from different parts of the county (particularly from dear old Worton,) I think it will not be amiss in me in trying to pen you a few lines.

This has been a remarkably mild winter, so much so that some have expressed a fear that the peach buds would bloom and be killed by the late frost; but this seems to be confined to a few, as the predictions of last winter proved to be so entirely false, that they (the people) are now more careful how they talk. Wheat is looking very well all over the county, considering the lateness it was sown.—Corn still remains very low, and many around here are shipping by the cars, thinking it better to take a cent or two less than to ship to Baltimore. Petitions are in circulation to have all the grain that is sent to Baltimore weighed by the State agent, whereas only that shipped by boat is weighed by him now; but I think it would be far better to abolish the State weigher altogether, and let each farmer have his own grain weighed.

"Algebra," in his last communication, spoke of the young farmers of Worton that *he* thought so much in need of a ——. "Judge not that ye be not judged"

With your permission, Messrs. Editors, I would like to say a word or two with reference to the Grange. Since the organization of this society in this county it has rapidly increased until its membership now outnumbers any other secret society in the county. Some object to it, but in my opinion the social features of the order is sufficient to make any one wish to become a member, beside the pecuniary and other advantages to be derived from it. Some object to it on account of the expense; but it is certainly the cheapest secret society in existence—unless it be going to see the girls, and that is often very expensive. A word to Grangers: One of our duties, fellow Grangers, is to visit sister Granges; then let us go in the proper spirit. Go to find beauties, and not faults; go to improve ourselves, and give them the benefit of our knowledge. Help them, if we are able, in any capacity we can, and in this way we will be a benefit to the order and of use to our race It is no sign of a good mathematician when you see a man full of catch questions, that don't amount to anything when solved; nor is it a sign of a good Patron that he be finding fault with everything and everybody, from the highest to the lowest. Such a man "heed not, and persevere" That we have enemies outside no one doubts; and this very fact should cause us to work the harder We are fighting monopolies that have been grinding us down for ages, while they have been living in luxury and extravagance off of their ill-gotten gains. It is my opinion that the time is not far distant when the farmers will have the privilege that other trades and professions now have—of regulating their own per cent. of profits on their own productions.

GRANGER.

SUDDEN DEATH OF HON REVERDY JOHNSON.—On Thursday evening, 10th inst, Hon Reverdy Johnson was found dead in the yard of the Governor's mansion, at Annapolis. He had dined at 5 30 with Gov. Carroll and a number of personal friends, when, it is supposed, Mr. Johnson left the parlor and went out of the mansion, and being seized with vertigo, fell against the granite base of the house, fracturing his skull, breaking a finger of his left hand, and otherwise bruising his face slightly. The sad affair will cast a gloom over not only this country but in Europe, where his eminent talents were so well known. He was in the 81st year of his age. His valuable life was closely connected with the history of this country for more than sixty years past.

LAST week Hon. Reverdy Johnson wrote a very sensible communication to the Baltimore *Sun*, which was published over the signature of "A member of the Baltimore bar," in which the writer took the ground that the "Reform" members of the First Branch of the City Council, who refused to go into joint convention to act upon the Mayor's appointment, could be proceeded against by mandamus. The *American* replied to the communication, and termed the writer "pretentious," &c., and belittling the article by all the words at its command. The next day the *Sun* retorted in a most withering manner, by giving the name of the writer of it. That was a terrible cut of the *Sun*, in view of the fulsome adulations which the *American* sometime since heaped upon Mr. Johnson when he offered to plead for the Messrs. Fulton the cause of Gov. Groome and Col. Woolford against the *American* for slander. The *Sun* ought not to pull the *American's* hair in that style, it hurts.

THE LATE REVERDY JOHNSON.

From an interesting sketch of Mr. Johnson's life published in the Washington *Republican*, we extract the following:

"It was in 1863 that Reverdy Johnson first met with an accident that resulted in a partial loss of his eyesight. Mr Stanley, a member of Congress from North Carolina, was challenged to fight a duel by Henry A. Wise, of Virginia. Mr. Stanley went to Mr. Johnson's house in Baltimore to prepare for the encounter, and he secured his services in preliminary practice with the pistol He was nettled by Mr. Stanley's lack of skill, and taking a pistol fired at a locust tree some ten feet distant, but the ball rebounded and struck him in his left eye, and he lost it entirely.

"It has been a habit of Mr. Johnson's life to rise at 7, often at 6, to dine at 3, and then to take a short nap, after which he worked until 12 and 1 at night. Since he lost his sight he has retired from 9 to 10 and got up at daybreak. After breakfast an attendant has read him the newspapers, and he has been as well informed on all current topics as though he had the use of his eyes. He was a member of the Episcopal Church, and, at home, he attended church twice every Sunday.—Whether at home, at the bar, in the councils of the nation, representing his country abroad, he has always been an exemplar of virtue, a model for the young, a true Christian, and a man commanding respect.

"It is the work of time and patient study to write the life of Reverdy Johnson, to make just and true comparisons, and to arrive at a true estimate of his great character. He always had a reason, in law and justice, for whatever he said and for whatever act he performed. Even in supporting the government as a Senator he could not break away from his notions as to the limits of constitutional authority. All his debates in the Senate are commemorative of a zeal to keep all parties and sections within the lines of what he thought to be law, but he was never wanting in patriotism"

The New York *Herald* also published a carfully prepared sketch of Mr. Johnson's long and eventful life, from which the annexed extract is taken:

"While in the Senate he frequently dropped the robe of a Senator and assumed the character of an advocate It was no marvel for him to walk out of the Senate chamber after a sharp debate on some leading national question, and, crossing the corridor of the capitol, enter the United States Supreme Court, and there enter on the argument of an intricate case, in which the legal technicalities were both intricate and elaborate. On one of these occasions Mr Johnson actually left the Senate chamber during the progress of the constitutional amendments, and after arguing his share of a case before the Supreme Court he returned to the chamber and renewed the discussion of the amendments with more vim and earnestness than had been displayed during his temporary absence. In all of these notable efforts Mr Johnson followed his usual course, and while aiding his own side of the Senate, presented at the same time a cogent line of argument that did much to set the measures in their true light, and enable the country to gain all that was good in them."

A BOLD SPEECH FROM A COLORED SENATOR—*A Strong Protest Against Billings's Confirmation*—The speech of Hon R. K. Bruck, colored, of Mississippi, in the executive session of the United States Senate, on Thursday, in opposition to the confirmation of E C. Billings as United States district judge of Louisiana, is thus reported in the New York Sun:

"He held that peace and good order in the South is to be secured only by non-interference with State affairs by the administration at Washington, and from this standpoint he opposed Billings's confirmation. He declared that he came here as the representative of all the people of Mississippi, white as well as black, and he was deeply concerned for their welfare, which could only be secured by the restoration of order and the inauguration of a feeling of good will between the blacks and whites. This could only be brought about by the people themselves, and he wanted them to be let alone. If they were let alone and strife was not stirred up by Federal interference, all difficulties would soon be settled, and the blacks and whites would live together in perfect harmony. Their interests were identical. His fortunes were cast with them All his interests were in Mississippi, and he wanted peace and prosperity restored to her borders, and to accomplish this object he was not only willing to make great personal sacrifices, but he would sink all party considerations. His State and his people were affected by the condition of affairs in Louisiana, as were the people of every Southern State. If there was a new reign of terror inaugurated in Louisiana it would put off indefinitely the era of peace and good will in the South. To send Billings there as a U. S. judge was to cause turmoil and confusion. Billings was recognized as the real author of all the wrong that had been heaped upon the people of that State, and he (Mr. Bruce) could never consent to his confirmation. The copartnership was well known—Durell, the judge; Norton, the universal receiver in bankruptcy, and Billings, the attorney of Norton, and the *fidus Achates* of the judge, Jim Casey, and Marshall Packard were the blowers and strikers for the combination, and reaped their reward also. It was simply a question of brother-in-law, or some other member of the royal family being provided for. He (Mr Bruce) did not believe in sacrificing the interests of a great State and perpetuating confusion, turmoil and bloodshed for the benefit of a brother-in-law or any other relative of the President. If he couldn't have the friendship of the powers that be without surrendering his manhood, he didn't want it."

THE appropriation of $1,500,000 to the Centennial, by Congress, is regarded as the most liberal and useful contribution, yet received, as it makes no provision as to how the funds shall be used, but is for the miscellaneous uses of the exhibition, and is therefore thoroughly available.—The Philadelphia *Record* says:—"Our State Legislature has given $1,000,000, but it was entirely restricted in its use; our councils have given in all about $1,500,000, but the greater part of this also has been limited in its application. The gift of Congress is entirely free to be used as the managers may see fit, and can be distributed to a dozen different objects. If to this we add what the government has given for special buildings, etc, we find its total contributions to the exposition thus far upwards of $2,000,000; and hence it is by far the largest single contributor, as it ought to be."

COAL HODS, Shovels, Pokers, Coal Seives, Zinc, Mica, Elbows and Pipe, on hand and for sale at reduced prices, by
Nov. 20. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

CALL and look at our stock of SUGARS, Teas, Green and roasted Coffees, Syrup, Molasses, etc., at prices to please.
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NECK WEAR—Neck Ties, Windsor Scarfs, Bows of all colors, and Collars, both in linen and paper, of the best styles and quality at S. MERRITT & CO.'S,
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A NOVEL REVENUE BILL.—As a means of raising the State revenues, Mr. Williams, a prominent Richmond lawyer, and a member of the Virginia House of Delegates, has introduced a bill in that body proposing to tax persons who drink, chew, smoke or take snuff two dollars per year, and those who indulge in profane language five dollars per year. It is proposed to make each male inhabitant take oath whether he indulges in any of the things. If he swears yea he is to be taxed. If he swears nay he is to be exempt. Ladies, not being mentioned, are presumed to be exempt also. Such a law vigorously enforced would probably result in the raising of means with which not only to pay the current expenses of the State government, but enable the Old Dominion to pay off her public debt.

THE issue between Bowen and Beecher is now as squarely joined as one could wish. Bowen pronounces Beecher a hypocrite and an adulterer, and Beecher declares Bowen a slanderer and a liar.—They are both down to the bed-rock of hard words, and now let us have the facts, if anybody has them.

PHILADELPHIA people, reports the *Item*, are beginning to find out now just how many relatives they possess in various parts of the country, and are astounded by their number.

Valuable to Every Home.

We shall do our readers a favor by calling their special attention to the value, the usefulness, and we may say the direct *profit* of supplying themselves the present year, with one of the *cheapest*, as well as the most valuable Journals issued in this country. It costs hardly half a cent a day, a sum easily saved, while in practical hints and suggestions it will be most likely to bring back that amount many times over. The 500 to 600 beautiful, instructive Engravings are alone worth many times the cost of the paper. We refer to the *American Agriculturist*, so called because started 35 years ago as a Rural Journal, but now enlarged and improved to suit the wants of every family in Country, Village and City. It is packed full of good things, useful, reliable and instructive. Each number contains 44 large (double octavo) pages, beautifully printed. It has much for instructing and pleasing Housekeepers and Children, and Farmers, Mechanics, Merchants—indeed all classes. Its House plans and improvements, with engravings and particulars as to cost, and the common-sense directions, are worth more than many costly architectural works. Its constant, persistent, fearless exposure of Humbugs and swindling schemes, is of great value to the whole country and to every individual. In short, it is full of good things for everybody, and we advise every body to take it this year. It will be specially valuable in this Centennial year. Its circulation, which is a hundred fold greater than the majority of other journals, enables the publishers to supply the *American Agriculturist* at the very low rate of $1.60 a year, post paid, or four copies for $5.40. Take our advice and send for it to the publishers, viz: Messrs. Orange Judd Company, 245 Broadway, New York City. Any subscriber to the *Kent News* can obtain the *Agriculturist* through us at club rates. Subscribe at once.

KENNARD'S POINT, Oct. 18, '75

To all Whom it may Concern:

Fishing, hunting and trespassing on the shores and farm of Kennard's Point, Kent co., Md., laying between the waters of Still Pond Creek and Churn Creek, fronting Chesapeake Bay, is hereby forbidden. All those trespassing on said shores and farm shall be dealt with according to law.

Dec 25-3m* CHAS. W. GEEKIE.

WANTED
75,000 BUSHELS OF
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Cash paid on delivery in Cars at Chestertown Station. F. M. ALDRIDGE.
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I have Harness for $11
THAT CAN'T BE BEAT.

COPPER has arrived from the city with every thing that is kept in a Harness Shop He has got all kinds of COLLARS that he is selling very cheap for the cash.

Plow Bridles, Carriage Bridles,
Riding Bridles, Halters,
Martingales, round and flat,
Reines, double & single,
Whips, Carriage Saddles, Cart Saddles and Breching, Breast Straps,

Don't forget the stand, one door below Burchinal's Corner, adjoining the stand formerly kept by J. M. Vandyke.

REPAIRING done 25 cts. less in a dollar than ever has been done before. Let the Farmers of Kent remember that COPPER is the cause of harness work being done so cheap. Do not forget that Copper makes harness by hand for $18, and guarantees them to give satisfaction. Give me a call and be convinced of the fact.

W. W. COPPER,
Bushinal Building, Cross St.,
Jan. 22, 1876—tf. Chestertown, Md.

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From $10 to $35 PER SET,
NOW ON HAND.

New Plow Bridles,
90 CENTS to $2.25. NEW PLOUGH AND DRAUGHT COLLARS $1.10 to $2.15.
All kinds of STRAP WORK for Harness.
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Whips, Bitts, Horse Boots, Bone Rattlers, Back Bands, Riding Bridles, Martingales, Cruppers, Single and Double Reins, and a full assortment of everything connected with the business at CITY PRICES, at
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It is situated in the immediate vicinity of the principal places of amusement, and the Wholesale Dry Goods, Boot and Shoe, Hat and Cap and Clothing Houses.
For comfort, convenience and cleanliness, the Central Hotel is unsurpassed.
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GILLING THREAD, Gearing Twine, Gill Net Rope and Seine Twine, all numbers, for sale low at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

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ARE NOW PREPARED TO EXHIBIT AT THE OLD STAND
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A Large and Beautiful Stock of
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JUST RECEIVED.
Also, THE LARGEST STOCK OF
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EVER BEFORE OFFERED BY THEM.
Our ordered work department is very complete, having a large and fine assortment of CLOTHS and CASSIMERES to select from. Our work is done in the best style and Fits in all cases guaranteed.

A FEW REASONS
Why you should buy your Clothing of
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1.—Our stock is the *Largest* and *Best* on the Shore.
2.—Our experience in the business gives us great advantage in buying.
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5.—We hold ourselves responsible to give entire satisfaction in every sale.
6.—We are not tied down to buy our stock from one house, but buy where we can do the best and pay as we go.
7.—We sell for the cash and are satisfied with small profits.
You should spend your money at home, and with those who will deal justly with you.
S. MERRITT & CO.
BORDLEY'S CORNER,
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Oct. 2, 1875.

New Styles—Latest Fashions!
MERCHANT TAILOR
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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.
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. 16, 1875. ABE SCHWARTZ.

Cabinet Making and Undertaking.
The undersigned most respectfully informs the citizens of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties, that he is prepared to manufacture
FURNITURE
of every description and of the latest designs and finish. He has laid in a lot of the best material for the
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E. C. REICHE, AGENT,
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Oct. 16—tf.

Lime! Lime! Lime!
Shells! Shells! Shells!
30,000 BUSH. OF EACH FOR SALE.
The undersigned is prepared to furnish Lime and Shells to the citizens of Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil counties, and I will land the same on the Chester and Sassafras rivers, or any of their creeks where there is a depth of five feet of water, of the best quality and at the lowest prices. WILLIAM PERKINS,
Rising Sun Saloon.
Chestertown, Oct. 23—tf.

Dividend Notice.

ESTATE OF JNO. D. WALRAVEN.

On application ordered, that T. C. Parsons, administrator of John D. Walraven, late of Kent county, deceased, give notice by advertisement, that a dividend on the personal estate of said deceased will be made in this Court on TUESDAY, Feb. 15th, 1876. Test: WM. STEVENS, Register of Wills.

NOTICE.—All creditors of Jno. D. Walraven are hereby notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Register of Wills, on or before Tuesday, the 15th of February, 1876, or they will be excluded from the dividend in the personal estate.

T. C. PARSONS,
Jan. 29, 1876—3t. Adm'r.

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

SAMUEL C. GLEAVES,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of September, 1876, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 1st day of February, 1876.

WILLIAM M. SLAY,
Feb. 5, 1875—4t. Adm'r.

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

SARAH S. BROWN,

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 21st day of July, 1876, otherwise they may by law be excluded from the benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of December, 1875.

BARTUS TREW,
Dec. 25, 1875—4t. Executor.

YOU can find a little of any and everything at THOMPSON'S, Up Town.

NOTICE.

FINDING it impossible to continue the practice of Medicine in this county under the present mode of doing business, and not wishing to take my patrons by surprise, I take this plan to notify them that, after this date, I shall be compelled to issue my accounts half-yearly, at least until I pay my indebtedness; and if not settled satisfactorily in thirty days after presentation, to place them in the hands of a collector for settlement. I have been driven to this by the many losses I have sustained by allowing accounts to remain over from year to year for thirty years or more; and it is also a duty I owe to my creditors, my family and friends. Being dunned for money which I am unable to pay renders me unfit and unable to discharge my professional duty, as I am unable to procure the proper instruments necessary in so extensive a practice. I hope I shall not offend any of my old friends or deter any one from employing me, but I am determined to adhere to this plan until farther notice. Wishing all a happy New Year, I remain
jan2-tf. T. H. WHALAND.

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TO OBTAIN THE
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FISH and GAME,
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MRS. C. R. FIDDIS calls the attention of her lady friends and the public generally, to a GREAT REDUCTION in the price of her goods. Being desirous of CLOSING OUT all her stock suited to the season *during the season*, she is selling some goods even LESS THAN COST.
WHITE GOODS and Figg'd Pique, worth 25 cts., now selling for 20.
Also, great reduction in
Fine Dress Goods,
Muslins, Prints, Flannels, &c.,&c.,
In the Dry Goods line, and
The Latest Styles in Millinery Goods
HATS, BONNETS, RIBBONS, LACES, RUFFLING, &c.
Silks, Thread, Cotton, Needles, Pins, Hosiery, Sewing Machine Silk, Cotton and Needles, and many other articles of use and ornament, too numerous to name.
Those in want of anything in my line are invited to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere. My goods will be found as good and cheap as any in the county.
Strict attention paid to STAMPING for embroidery and braiding.
Oct. 9, 1875. C. R. FIDDIS.

Fall & Winter Millinery!
LATEST STYLES!
LOWEST PRICES!
Mrs. H. Usilton & Miss Mollie Willis
Have just opened their new stock of
FALL & WINTER
MILLINERY
And FANCY GOODS,
of the latest and most fashionable styles, for FALL and Winter wear. HATS, BONNETS, Laces, Ribbons, Trimmings, Neck Ties, Belts, Ruffles, Feathers, Flowers and Ornaments.
Mrs. Usilton is a practical Milliner, having served a regular apprenticeship at the business and conducted it herself in former years.
STAMPING done in the neatest and most durable manner.
The Ladies are invited to call and examine their goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Oct. 16, 1875—tf.

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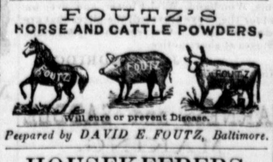
HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS,



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FRESH GROUND BUCKWHEAT, by the bag, pound or hundred weight; also nice Hominy, Beans, and Dried Fruit, for sale at reasonable prices, by J. B SAPPINGTON.

DON'T FAIL to look at our stock of Calicoes, Muslins, Flannels, Kersey and Tickings. They are good as the best, and prices low as the lowest. Call and be convinced.
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A FRESH SUPPLY of GAMBRILL'S FAMILY and EXTRA FLOUR, received this week, and for sale 25 cts. a barrel less than city prices. Good Flour $6.50 a bbl, at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

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. 9, 1875.

OUR Prices are as low, for cash, as can be found. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

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.

C. H. J. SPARKS'
Cheap Cash Store,
LOCUST GROVE, KENT CO.
He is now offering to the public a full line of
Dry Goods, Notions,
HATS, CAPS,
BOOTS, SHOES,
Wood and Willow-ware, Queensware and
GROCERIES.
READY-MADE CLOTHING
always on hand or ordered at short notice.
Cassimeres, Kerseys, Cottonades, Jeans, Linens, &c.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Under Clothing of all kinds, and Hose from 10 cents to 50 cents per pair. The GROCERY department is complete, such as Sugars, Coffees and Teas, Meats, Lard, Fish, Flour, Molasses, Syrups, Spices, *at bottom Cash prices.*
These goods were bought for cash, which enables me to buy low, and I intend to sell for Cash or country produce at a very small profit.
Call, examine for yourself, and be convinced that SPARKS, of Locust Grove, sells goods as cheap as any one in the county.
Nov. 6, 1875—tf.

FARMERS! FARMERS!
LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST!
PRICES REDUCED!
I AM happy to inform the public that I have returned to my residence with improved health, and will give personal attention to business.
BLACKSMITHING
AND WHEELWRIGHTING
of all kinds, completed at short notice, with the best material. Especial attention given to Machines of all kinds. Please send them in early. My ability as a mechanic is well known. I respectfully solicit your patronage in future, and am thankful for past favors.
CULTIVATOR TEETH, of the latest pattern, for sale at prices to suit. Full attention given to Horse Shoeing.
If you desire good, cheap work call and see me. I guarantee all my work.
J. A. SCHWERER.
Fairlee, Kent Co., May 15.

READ, REFLECT
and REMEMBER
That ECONOMY is WEALTH,
AND THAT
TIME TRIES ALL THINGS, AND HAS PROVEN THAT
THOMPSON'S is the CHEAP STORE
Where you can find a little of everything generally kept in a
Grocery, Notion and Provision Store
From a rel of Flour or Lime to a Pin or Needle. He has on hand and for sale a
Full stock of GROCERIES,
HARDWARE, CROCKERYWARE and TINWARE. TOBACCO and CIGARS a Specialty. Read's Grand Duchess Cologne and Toilet Soaps
FLOUR.—Patapsco Extra and Snow Hill Family Flour (warranted), bought direct from manufacturers and shipped to me with but little expense, and for sale at city prices.
LIME.—By the bushel or barrel, and HAIR, all for sale at the very lowest prices for the CASH ONLY.
WANTED—All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, RAGS, FUR, &c., for the cash or in exchange for goods.
WM. C. A. THOMPSON,
Jan. 9 1875. Up Town.

CRAMPTON'S IMPERIAL SOAP
IS THE "BEST."
This Soap is manufactured from pure materials, and as it contains a large percentage of Vegetable Oil, is warranted fully equal to the best imported Castile Soap, and at the same time possesses all the washing and cleansing properties of the celebrated German & French Laundry Soaps. It is therefore recommended for use in the Laundry, Kitchen, and Bathroom, and for general household purposes; also, for Printers, Painters, Engineers and Machinists, as it will remove stains of Grease Ink, Tar, Oil, Paint, etc., from the hands.
Manufactured only by
CRAMPTON BROTHERS,
2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 Rutgers Place, and 33 and 35 Jefferson street, New York.
For sale by PARISH BROTHERS, 99 West Lombard st., Baltimore, Md., and Grocers generally. n27-6m.

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The Undertaking and Cabinet Making
BUSINESS,
will still be continued at the old stand, where COFFINS and PATENT BURIAL CASES of the finest styles and finish will be furnished at the shortest notice.
All kinds of FURNITURE neatly repaired.
Orders for burynigs should be sent in as early as possible after death, as much time is required for preparation in many cases.
The undersigned may as heretofore always be found at the shop, and will use his every exertion to accommodate and please.
T. B. SUTTON.
Kennedyville, Feb. 20.

LAMPS! LAMPS!
At ANDERSON'S DRUG STORE, Middletown, Del., where is a large new and varied assortment of Lamps of the latest pattern. Go and make your selection. Hand Lamps, Table Lamps, Bracket Lamps, Lamps with marble and bronze stands, very elegant. Also, Lamp Chimneys of every description. A pleasure to show goods. sep18-tf.

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Nov. 20. J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

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OF BALTIMORE,
For the WINTER of 1875-6.
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We refer, with satisfaction, both purchasers and shippers to our excellent facilities for the prompt shipment of goods to any point desired.

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BROOKER & LEWIS, 182 W. Baltimore st. Daily at 10, a. m., and 7, p. m., of Furniture, Oil Paintings, Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Jewelry, Watches, etc.
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