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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - JUNE 2, 1877

THE TOWN ELECTION.

Messrs. Editors:—The election for Commissioners of Chestertown, for several years past, seems to have degenerated into a mere contest for the office of Bailiff. A candidate gets up a ticket, and if the persons on it are not pledged to his support, they at least feel under obligation—having been elected by his friends—to vote for him for the office. In proof of this assertion, it is only necessary to cite the fact that in no instance has a contrary effect resulted. This course is altogether wrong, and should be discountenanced by every good citizen. The tendency is invariably to bring to the polls a large class of persons who feel no interest in the peace, prosperity or improvement of the town, and the most of whom do not know for whom they are voting—for commissioners! The last annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the board, I am informed, was published in a little sheet called the *Conference Advocate*, a paper purporting to be published "especially" in the interest of two Colored Conferences; which report, it is safe to say, has not been seen by a score of the white taxpayers of the town, and the most of whom do not know that any report at all has been published. It is no more than right that people who pay the taxes should know for what purpose their money is expended, and the statement should be presented in such form as to command their attention.

I write, Messrs. Editors, in the interest of no party and of no candidate, either present or prospective, for the office of bailiff or any other position, but simply for the public good. If this thing is persisted in—and under the present system I see no means of preventing its recurrence—it will be the duty of the people to devise an effectual method, which can easily be done, to obviate the evil.

A CITIZEN.

Locust Grove and Vicinity.

Messrs. Editors:—In looking over your paper I find that your correspondents from different localities in our county have become quite numerous, and their letters are not only interesting, but many of them are very instructive and beneficial to a large class of our citizens.

The prospect for a large crop of wheat through this section of the country was never better, and the prospect for paying prices are very flattering also. The peach crop generally promises to be a fair one, but by no means a big crop. Corn is backward but looks well, after taking the weather into consideration. Potatoes and other vegetables are growing very slow, on account of cold, dry waether. Potatoe bugs are as numerous as ever, and they are not content with the destruction of the patatos, but have attacked the tomatos and other plants. When will their ravages cease?

A number of our farmers contemplate building peach dryers, with the capacity of about 300 bushels every 24 hours, by which means they will be able to use up their culling peaches, thereby expecting to realize a paying profit. The drying house complete will cost about $250.

The Episcopal Methodists expect to build a church in our village the coming fall or spring. The Episcopalians are going to rebuild the old Shrewsberry church. Both denominations hold service in our village, and the attendance upon such occasions is generally very satisfactory and encouraging. May success attend their efforts.

We had an exhibition of the Turko-Russian war spirit a few days ago. A citizen of Chesterville or vicinity paid us a visit, and after associating too freely with King Alcohol, the King persuaded him to believe that his pugilistic powers were ver ygreat; so, acting in accordance with his belief, he concluded to pummel one of our old and much respected citizens—Uncle Zeke. But he was doomed to disappointment, for the last I saw of it Uncle Zeke was on top using his south paw with good effect; after which the Chestervillian retreated in good order, no doubt a weaker and wiser man. We should do unto others as we would have them to do unto us.

Widowers are very numerous, and the most of them right good-looking fellows. They seem to be afraid to inquire of the ladies if they will marry, fearing they might say yes—or *no*.

ADVOCATE.

Letter from Lynch's.

Messrs. Editors:—Up in the nineties! Whew! Some of the more choleric have declared their purpose to go into the threshing business. It does not always pay to abuse a man just because you feel like it, neither is it evidence of true valor. It takes much more courage to take abuse and be called a variety of names by an unbridled tongue than to fight its owner.

June and strawberries are here, and so are potato bugs and tramps. Curses and blessings go together in this world. Every tramp should be required to work an hour or so before being fed.

The most helpful and sensible sermon we have heard for some time was delivered at Betterton on Sunday last by the pastor of Still Pond charge. Pastor Newman is a willing Sunday School worker, a preacher of no mean capacities, a Christian gentleman of fine social qualities, and we predict for him a pleasant and profitable stay in Still Pond. The world needs more love and sympathy and less big preaching.

Corn is coming up well. Wheat looks well. Phosphate men will get most of the wheat money, and a good bit of the corn.

The new road to Price's Corner has been put in good order.

When on board the steamer Trumpeter one is forced to feel that he is in a well regulated and very sociable family.—Many merchants and business men of Baltimore say times are still tight, but speak hopeful of the near future.

We see a good number of drummers around, and among them the pleasant face of our old time friend, H. W. E., of Philadelphia, who has gone into the commission business Prosperity attend him.

SENTINEL.

BEN BUTLER GOING WEST.—General Butler always has a surprise of some kind in store for the public, and now is "going west." It is said that he intends emigrating to Colorado, turn sheep farmer and come to Congress as senator of the centennial State. It will be remembered that the Supreme Court recently awarded to Colonel Craig the patent or title of an extensive tract of land in Colorado which had long been in dispute. The story runs that General Butler has purchased from Colonel Craig 73,000 acres of this estate, and that as soon as he can arrange some of his private business he intends to settle upon it and engage in cattle raising.

IS HAS taken Senator Morton a long time to discover that only force could keep life in the carpet-bag governments. In this he has taken up his position on solid democratic ground.

Sunday School Institute.

The Northern District of the Presbytery of New Castle will hold a Sunday School Institute in the Presbyterian Church, in Kennedyville, beginning on Tuesday, June 5th, at 3 o'clock P. M., and to continue two days. Interesting speakers are expected, and the friends and workers in the Sunday School generally throughout the county are invited to be present and participate in the discussions. The following programme has been agreed upon:

Tuesday, 3 P. M.—Address of Welcome, Rev. E. W. Gaylord. Duties of the Superintendent, J. T. Foulk.

Tuesday, 7½ P. M.—Care and Culture of Converted Children, Rev. T. J. Aiken. How to Create and Cultivate a Missionary Spirit, Mr. E. D. Cleaver.

Wednesday, 9. A. M.—Enrollment of delegates; reading minutes; treasurer's report; reports from schools. How to Teach a Bible Lesson, Rev. George J. Porter. How to use the Westminster Lessons, Rev. Henry Rumer.

Wednesday, 2½ P. M.—Children's Meeting, Singing and Addresses.

Wednesday, 7½ P. M.—How to extend the Sunday School Work in our Presbytery, J. Howard Nixon, D. D. Temperance in the Sunday School, general discussion.

SOMEBODY has made the astonishing discovery that the extra session of Congress was postponed because the President heard that there was a scheme on foot to declare Tilden President. Any man with an ounce of brains will set that down as bosh. The House declared that Tilden was elected, and it would count for no more to declare it again. Mr. Tiden says he has no idea of further pushing his claim. The whole thing is an idle story concocted to take the place of news, which is scarce in Washington.

CHAMBERLAIN refuses to be comforted. He is not reconciled to the change in public sentiment which swept him out of South Carolina. He writes to a New York paper that he is "not a supporter of the President's southern policy," and that his views concerning that policy have not been changed since he "relinquished the office of governor of S. Carolina." Chamberlain, Ben Wade, Z. Chandler and J. Blaine will have to set up a little party on their own account. They might draw Packard into it.

GENERAL MILES has had a little brush with the Indians, in which the latter got very decidedly the worst of it. Before autumn, in all probability, we shall hear of these hostiles making an honorable peace with the Great Father and flocking into the agencies to get a change of clothing and a fresh supply of whiskey and tobacco. It is one of the beauties of our Indian policy that when the enemy is reduced to extremities he can always put himself in trim again at Uncle Sam's expense.

IF the figures of the agricultural department are authentic, the ravages of diseases among swine during the past year should command serious consideration and, if possible, scientific investigation. The loss of $20,000,000 in a single year through this cause is an event which ought not to be passed by as a necessary hazard of stock-raising.

BALTIMORE CITY POLITICS.—The new Democratic City Convention has appointed the following dates for the primary elections of members of the nominating conventions: Mayoralty, June 20; Legislature, June 27; Sheriff and City Surveyor, September 10. City Council candidates are to be nominated Sept. 13.

STATE ELECTIONS.—Ten States will hold elections before Congress meets, namely: Oregon in June, North Carolina and Alabama in August; Arkansas, California, Vermont and Maine in September, and Ve[illegible]rginia, Ohio and Indiana in October.

FLETCHER HARPER, of New York, senior member of the firm of Harper Bros., died Tuesday morning of gastric fever, in the 72d year of his age. He was the last of the four brothers who for forty years composed the well-known firm of Harper & Brothers, publishers.

RUSSIA is a land of striking contrasts, where a brilliant capital stands in a waste, palaces are elbowed by huts, a railroad runs 400 miles without approaching a town, and coarseness co-exists with excess of refinement. Thus says Count Moltke in his recently published letters.

GOV. HENDRICKS, of Indiana, will be in New York on the 12th of June, with Mrs. Hendrick, and has taken passage for England in the Scytha, for the 13th. The *Express* hopes New York will give him a reception worthy of his patriotism and his eminent public services.

MR. GOOLIE STEPHENS, a fisherman of large experience, tells the Federalsburg *Courier* that our rivers could be replenished with fish by prohibiting seines hauling after June 1.

A GENTLEMAN of Broad Creek Neck had nine summonses served on him by a deputy sheriff one day last week, to appear as a witness in as many different cases, in the Circuit Court at Easton. A few such men would make a fortune for a sheriff.

A HIGH PRICED DOG.—Last week Mr. Orson D. Foulk, of Town Point, Cecil county, shipped an Irish setter dog to a gentleman in New Albany, Indiana, for which he received $200.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

From WARDEN, MERRITT & Co's Report.
Baltimore, May 31, 1877.

CORN—Southern White	$61@00
" Yellow	59@59½
WHEAT—Red, fair to good	1.70@1.80
Amber	1.90@1.92
White	1.75@1.80
OATS—Fair to good	42@45
Prime	48@50
RYE—Good to prime	75@80
BACON—Shoulders, packed	6¼@00
C. R. Sides "	9@00
Hams, sugar-cured	12@13
LARD—Refined, tierces	10¼@10¾

Delays are Dangerous.—If this axiom is true respecting the ordinary affairs of life, still more obviously so as regards the exigencies o approaching disease. Unquestionably! Yet how many neglect to practically recognize this plain truth when health is in the balance. Of the many premonitory symptoms of disease a hacking cough is the most prophetic of peril. Arrest it at the outset with Dr. WISHART'S PINE TREE TAR CORDIAL, and so avoid Consumption. Bronchitis, Inflammation of the Lungs, Coughs, Colds, and, indeed, all Affections of the Respiratory Organs, are entirely cured by this sovereign remedy, which also eradicates Dyspepsia, Piles, Gravel, Nervous Debility, Torpidity of the Liver, Urinary Difficulties, Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Scrofulous Affections, and the infirmities peculiar to the gentler sex. This Cordial derives its virtues from the vegetable kingdom, and is infinitely to be preferred, both on account of its superior efficacy and freedom from nauseous and injurious properties to the officinal drugs so often administered with no other effect than to offend the palate and disorder the stomach. The *Pine Tree Cordial* can always be relied on to do what is claimed for it. Sold by all Druggists. Principal Depot, 916 Filbert street, Philadelphia. mr24-3m.

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my5-2m.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of two writs of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and to me directed, one at the suit of W. F. Massey, use of Anne P. Massey, use of Ernest Hoen, and one at the suit of Anne P. Massey, use of Ernest Horn, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of George Hudson, W. F. Massey and Sarah E. M. P. Massey, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said George Hudson, W. F. Massey and Sarah E. M. F. Massey, of, in and to the following property, to wit:

All that Lot of Land

situate, lying and being in Chestertown, Kent county, Md., being a part of all that Parcel of Land conveyed to Geo. Hudson by Eben F. Perkins and wife and Wilbur F. Massey and wife, by deed dated the 15th of June, 1872, which the said Eben F. Perkins purchased of George W. T. Perkins and Caroline C. Perkins, his wife, by deed dated the 22d of July, 1869, duly acknowledged and recorded among the Land Records for Kent county, being also

A Part of all that Town Lot commonly known as "HARRIS GREEN,"

beginning on the northeast side of a Lot of Land heretofore laid off by the said E. F. Perkins as a public street and known as Riverside Terrace, at the end of the second line of the lands heretofore sold to said W. F. Massey, and running thence with Riverside Terrace northwest thirty feet to the lands of William J. Vannort, and thence with Vannort's lands to the lands of the heirs of the late Mr. Edward Ringgold as at present held by them, thence with said lands to the land of the said W. F. Massey and thence with said Masseys land to the beginning; together with all the Improvements, consisting of a

TWO-STORY

Frame Dwelling,

Nearly new, and Out-Buildings.

Also, all that Piece or Parcel of LAND

situated in Chestertown, being parts of Lots numbers 18 and 19 on the original plot of Chestertown, and which was conveyed to Wilbur F. Massey by E. F. Perkins and wife by deed of Aug. 7, 1869, and contained within the following metes and bounds:

Beginning in Chester river at the North Easternmost corner of lot No. 19, and running thence with Front st. 168 ft., thence at right angles with Front street, 140 ft.; thence parallel with Front street to the land belonging to Washington College, now leased to the Ringgold heirs, and thence to the beginning, being a part of all that Parcel of Land which was conveyed to the said Eben F. Perkins by G. W. T. Perkins and wife, by deed bearing date July 22, 1869, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded.

And I hereby give notice, that on

TUESDAY, June 5th, 1877,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,

at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, I will sell the said property so seized and taken in execution to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy said writs, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

PHILIP MEDDERS, Sheriff.

May 12, 1877—ts.

Read and Remember!

To the Farmers and Horse Jockies of Kent and Adjoining Counties.

I WOULD have you to know that I am Still on Burchinal's Corner, in the

Harness Business.

and am selling Goods in my Line Cheaper than Ever.

To the Horse Jockeys I would say that I have the man to work for me that formerly worked at Middletown, and made the Harness that were exhibited and took the First Premium at the Delaware State Fair. Many who looked at them said they could not be beat, and I am prepared to make the same kind, as I have the man to put them up.

LIGHT TROTTING HARNESS made to order.

TRACK HARNESS and everything that can be made in a Harness Shop, made in the Latest Styles, and of the Best Moffett Leather.

I have COLLARS, BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, HORSE BOOTS, REINS, Round and Flat.

and Everything that is generally kept in Harness Shops, Cheaper than can be purchased elsewhere.

REPAIRING done very cheap.

WM. W. COPPER.

May 12, 1877—y.

TURKEY & RUSSIA

And the rest of Mankind are invited to call at the

FAIRLEE

Wheelwright and Blacksmith Shops,

where on the most moderate terms, and with promptitude and fidelity, new work will be finished and old repaired.

Bring on your Wagons, Carts, Plows, Reapers, Mowers, Threshers and Wheelbarrows, and have the work well done.

CASTINGS, SHOES, and Shoeing for the Track.

JAMES W. FOGWELL,
may26-tf. Fairlee, Kent co., Md.

MRS. RACHEL WRIGHT,

152 LOMBARD ST., BALTIMORE,

Will accommodate TRANSIENT BOARDERS for $1.25 per day or $7 per week.

March 24—3m.*

J. B. SAPPINGTON

Is the Man that sells

GOOD CHEAP TOBACCO, SNUFF, and CIGARS.

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THE CLIMAX

IRON FRAME

CULTIVATOR

Invented and Manufactured by

Chapman & Lambert

CHESTERTOWN.

THESE celebrated and highly popular Cultivators are now being manufactured by the above firm, and are guaranteed *not to choke in grass or corn stubs*. The attention of farmers generally is invited to the following recommendations:

Near Hynson's Chapel, Apr. 28, 1877.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Dear Sirs: The Climax Iron Frame Cultivator that I bought of you last year gave entire satisfaction and will not choke. You will please make me another one. I would not take $25 for the one you made me if I could not get another like it.

Respectfully, &c., A. J. HYNSON.

Near Chestertown, Apr. 28, 1877.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Sirs: The Climax Iron Cultivator which I purchased from you last fall gave me entire satisfaction, and I shall want another. I broke up my corn ground for wheat with it and used no plow. I have never seen its equal and it is everything you claim for it.

Yours, &c., WM. MORRIS.

Near Fairlee, April 30, 1877.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Sirs: Your newly invented Cultivator is a big thing for farmers, and I advise all in want of Cultivators to give them a trial. Last fall I put my corn ground in order for wheat with it, and it never choked once. You will please make me another.

Yours, &c., B. F. JOINER.

Rich Neck, near Rolph's Wharf, April 30, 1877.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Dear Sirs: The newly invented Iron Frame Cultivator I bought of you gave entire satisfaction, and I think they are the very thing for farmers. Your Steel Cultivator Teeth, that I have been using for years, have no equal, and I can recommend them to all farmers.

Yours, &c., THOS. J. TUCKER.

We also refer to the following well-known farmers who have used our new Cultivator:

ROBERT NICHOLSON,
ROBERT G. NICHOLSON,
JOHN. T. SKIRVEN,
WILLIAM FORD,
I. R. LEVERTON,
GEO. W. SMITH, Queen Anne's.
AARON WELCH, " "
and others.

N. B.—We have now on hand Two Hundred sets of the Best STEEL CULTIVATOR TEETH. Every tooth is carefully tempered. For sale as low as $2.50 per Set. Also, recollect that we do all kinds of Blacksmithing and Wheelwrighting, and repair Machinery. A full lot of Plows and Harrows on hand, at old time prices.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

May 5, 1877—tf.

THE VOSHELL HOUSE

IN CHESTERTOWN,

HAS again come into the possession and management of the undersigned, who will take pleasure in contributing to the comfort and convenience of those who may patronize the House. Especial attention will be given to all, whether permanent Boarders or transient Customers.

The subscriber has had varied and extensive experience in country and city, in conducting a Hotel, which will enable him to secure the approval of every one who may give him a call. The Bedding and Chambers will be specially attended to, and the Table will be equally so. Good order will at all times be preserved, and the Parlors will be kept open for the accommodation of guests.

There is probably no better conveniences for Horses and Carriages on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. The public are invited to make him a call.

m5-tf. JOHN C. VOSHELL.

NO MORE WARM LAGER!

HAVING just put in, at a heavy expense, a *PATENT BEER PUMP & FREEZER* with the Latest Improvements, I am now prepared to furnish my many customers and the public generally, with the BEST LAGER, COLD AND FRESH, at Five Cts. a Glass. Intending to make Lager Beer a Specialty during the warm weather, I flatter myself that I can give a gentleman as good a glass of Beer as he can get in any city.

BOTTLED BEER for Family use.

MY RESTAURANT will be furnished with the best Wines and Liquors of all kinds, and the EATING DEPARTMENT with all the Delicacies of the Season. All kinds of Liquor by the Pint, Quart or Gallon.

D. A. BENJAMIN,
Proprietor Rockwell House.

May 12, 1877—4t.

LUMBER!

WE INFORM the public that we have made *special arrangements* by which we can furnish

LUMBER

AT EVEN LOWER FIGURES THAN EVER,

and deliver, in lets, free of freight, to points of navigation on this side of the county. Call and see us.

TURNER BROTHERS,
apr21-3m. Betterton.

BOLTON & SONS,

DEALERS IN

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Lanterns, Lamp Goods,

PITCH, TAR, OAKUM, KEROSENE, SIGNAL and MACHINERY OILS, GASOLINE, &c.

No. 92 W. PRATT ST.,

NEAR COMMERCE ST. BALTIMORE.

March 31, 1877—3m.

S. Frank. Smith

IS OPENING THIS MORNING A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

FURNITURE,

Such as TABLES, CHAIRS, BEDS, STANDS, LOUNGES, EXTENSION TABLES, Together with Children's Cribs, Small Chairs, Basket Chairs, Carriages for Children. A nice lot of Picture Frames.—Picture Frames made to order, of all Sizes; glass put in old frames.

A GOOD TRUNK for $2.00, together with a general Variety Store. Call and see. Store above the Voshell House.

S. FRANK. SMITH.

May 19, 1877—3t.

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CLOTHING!

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Spring and Summer.

Special Price List for the Season—Read this carefully:

ROLPH & Co.	Men's Suits this season, Last season,	$5.50 7.00
ROLPH & CO.	Men's suits this season, Last season,	7.50 10.50
ROLPH & CO.	Men's suits this season, Last season,	9.00 12.00
ROLPH & CO.	Men's suits this season, Last season,	10.00 13.00
ROLPH & CO	Men's suits this season, Last season,	12.00 15.00
ROLPH & CO.	Men's suits this season; Last season,	18.00 26.00
ROLPH & CO.	Boy's suits this season, Last season,	4.50 6.00
ROLPH & CO.	Boy's suits this season, Last season,	6.50 9.00
ROLPH & CO.	Dress Pants $2.00, $2.25, $2.50 $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00 $5.50 and $6.00.	
ROLPH & CO.	Work Pants 75, 87, $1.00, $1.25 $1.50 and $2.00.	

Good Goods and Low Prices.

We also have a Fine Stock of

GENTS' UNDERWEAR.

Wool, Fur, and Straw HATS.

Wool and Fur Hats from 50 cts. to $3.50. Straw Hats from 15c to $3.00.

WHITE SHIRTS,

50c., 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00.

WORKING SHIRTS 38c., 50c., 75c., $1.00

COME AND LOOK AT OUR

GIGANTIC STOCK

AND

EXTREME LOW PRICES!

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BORDLEY CORNER,
May 12—tf. CHESTERTOWN.

1877 SPRING. 1877

ABE SCHWARTZ,

Merchant Tailor,

FROM PHILADELPHIA.

Respectfully invites his friends and the public to call and examine his

SPRING GOODS!

And STYLES,

Receiving daily from 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.

Also, READY-MADE CLOTHING,

CLOTHS and Cassimeres by the yard or in quantities to suit, at the lowest prices.

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

of the BEST QUALITY for sale at low prices.

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.

April 21, 1877. ABE SCHWARTZ.

NEW GOODS! LOW PRICES!

W. W. PARKS & SONS

Would invite the Public's attention to the fact that they have again received an invoice of NEW GOODS. They are now prepared to furnish their trade with

SEASONABLE GOODS

At the CLOSEST FIGURES.

OUR STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

Embracing Prints, (choice styles) Muslins, Bleached and Unbleached, (from 4 to 10-4) Dress Goods (embracing Cashmeres) Black and Colored—Black from 45 cents and upwards—Cassimeres, Cottonades, &c., is large.

OUR STOCK OF GROCERIES is good, and we would invite the attention of those who are in the habit of sending to the city for the same. We give an inducement to purchasers who buy such largely. We think we can furnish FLOUR by the Barrel, COFFEE by the 25 or 50 lbs., and MOLASSES by the Barrel, about as cheap as they can be bought in the city, *including expense of getting.*

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is Large and we feel confident that purchasers will do well to examine the same before purchasing. A good Stock of HATS recently purchased, too.

OUR STOCK of CARPETINGS, embracing Cottage, Ingrain, Cotton and Wool, we would invite particularly the attention of buyers to. They are the cheapest in the county.

OUR STOCK of OIL CLOTHS (Floor) is Large. All widths, from 4-4 to 8-4. Also, MATTINGS, both White and Checkered.

WE ARE ALSO PREPARED to furnish Farmers with SALTED FISH by the Barrel, at City Prices.

In fact we would call attention to everything in our line, such as Glassware, Queensware, Lamps, &c. Trunks, Valises, Bridles and Collars, Whitewash Brushes, Brooms, Buckets, Tubs, &c.

COME ONE, COME ALL! If you haven't the money bring your Trade. We take anything that has a marketable value in exchange for Goods.

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For which the Highest Cash Price will be paid.

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N. B.—We make a specialty of TOBACCO, and have it from 55 cts. per lb and upward. may19.

NOW is the time to buy your PLOW TRACES, PLOW LINES, COLLARS, HAMES, CASTINGS, PLOWS, GARDEN SEEDS, FORKS, SHOVELS, &c., which may be had at HINES & CO.'S, Next door Kent National Bank.

Feb. 24, 1877—tf.

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MASSEYS, MD.,

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FERTILIZERS,

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MACHINERY,

HARDWARE, &c., &c.

We can supply the Trade with the FAR FAMED

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The Champion of Twenty Harvests.

Also, the Celebrated TAYLOR HORSE RAKE, and

THE "KING OF RAKES."

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PLOWS, HARROWS CULTIVATORS,

&c., &c., &c.

We have at all times a good supply of STANDARD PHOSPHATES, including

Woodside & Griffith's "Baltimore Bone Pacific Guano,"

Whann's Raw Bone Phosphates,

National Soluble Bone and Sun Guano.

The Delaware Berry Crate and Basket,

50,000 PEACH BASKETS & CRATES For Sale.

Also, CRATE MATERIAL by the CAR LOAD.

The highest market price paid for WHEAT, CORN and OATS, delivered at any station on Railroad or Water.

BEAN & FOARD,
Masseys, Md.

May 12, 1877.

TO FARMERS!

WHEAT. CORN. OATS.

100,000 BUSH. CORN WANTED,

for which the highest market price will be paid upon delivery in the cars.

The undersigned also deals in

SCHUYLKILL,
CHESTER VALLEY
WRIGHTSVILLE
and NORTH RIVER

LIME.

Schuylkill, Lehigh and Bituminous

COAL.

Cash Paid for Country Produce, Fish, Oysters, &c. Poultry must be dressed dry picked for Philadelphia and New York markets.

I give personal attention to the above business, and am determined to spare no effort to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor me with their patronage.

OFFICE with Hubbard Bros., manufacturers of Hubbard's Standard Bone Super-Phosphate, Chestertown.

oc21-6m. B. F. FLEMING.

GALENA MACHINE SHOPS!

Wm. A. Hyland & Co.

WE beg leave to call the attention of the Farmers of Kent and the adjoining counties to our new

COMPETITOR REAPER,

and the many IMPROVEMENTS we have made this year. Our Self-Oiling PITMAN BOX, which will run two hours without stopping to oil; also, case hardened Journals, which we think is a great advantage, preventing the wearing of the Journals, a trouble that all other machines have to contend with. We are now using a Guard with concaved centre, which will PREVENT CHOKING and always present a Sharp Cutting Edge, a thing that must present itself to the farmer at once. Also, a Knife with Steel Back, thereby adding Strength, Lightness and Elasticity; and our PATENT STEEL WIRE DROP, that overcomes all objections to a Dropper, working as well in light as heavy grain, a thing that has been long needed and found at last by us.

We make the Reapers of two sizes, for two and four horses. The four-horse Reaper cuts a Swath of six feet, and will cut from twenty-five to thirty acres of grain per day, and will not work the horses as hard as ordinary farm work. The five foot machine is intended for two horses, and is handled very easily. Farmers, call and see, or write to us and learn what we have for sale.

They are the proprietors of a Corn Sheller with Fan attachment, which with their one and two horse power, will shell and clean seventy-five bushels in one hour, of which fact good reference can be given.

REPAIRING

they do neatly, and all their work is done at reasonable prices, and say to all, encourage home manufacture, or at all events give them a trial.

THE CRAWFORD MOWER

so justly celebrated for its light draft, and good work done by it, they also keep for sale.

Also, the Celebrated Taylor Rake

WE GUARANTEE every Machine that leaves our Works.

WM. A. HYLAND & CO.

We are also selling the Celebrated

Hubbard Self-Raking Reaper

AND MOWER COMBINED.

Farmers will please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

May 19, 1877—tf.

THE SPLENDID STEAMER

Sarah K. Taggart

Will start on her New Route on SATURDAY, the 19th instant, leaving BUCK NECK LANDING at 7.30 A. M., and TOLCHESTER BEACH WHARF at 8.30 A. M.,

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays

FOR BALTIMORE!

RETURNING THE SAME DAYS from Pier 9 Light St. Wharf, at 3 o'cl'k P. M.

FREIGHTS carefully handled and received up to hour of leaving.

A STAGE will leave Chestertown at 6, A. M., connecting with the boat at Buck Neck.

We respectfully solicit the patronage of all. T. D. CROSBY,
may19-tf. Captain.

For Chester River

On and after MONDAY, Apr. 30, 1877, the

Steamer GEO. LAW,

Will leave CHESTERTOWN every Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Baltimore, at 7 A. M.: ROLPH'S 7¼; BOOKER'S 7¾, QUAKER NECK 8, GREY'S INN 8¾, QUEENSTOWN 9¼, KENT ISLAND 10¼, arriving in Baltimore 12¾.

Returning LEAVE Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10, A. M., making the above stops.

All Freights prepaid at office in Baltimore. *Freights taken at Reduced Rates.*

H. A. ALBERT, Sec'y
Chester River Steamboat Company.
OFFICE—Pier No. 7 Light St. Wharf.
April 28 1877—tf.

For Sassafras River.

The Steamer TRUMPETER.

Will leave Georgetown at 7½ o'clock A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving in Baltimore at 2 o'clock P. M.

Returning will leave Baltimore at 10½ A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for all landings on Sassafras River, and BUCK NECK. The Stage from Chestertown will make close connection as usual.

The TRUMPETER is in fine condition and no effort will be spared that will contribute to the comfort and pleasure of passengers

A. L. COLMARY, Master.
WM. BEACHAM, Agt. at Buck Neck.
March 3, 1877—tf.

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WIND ENGINE.

The Greatest Invention of the Nineteenth Century.

WIND, an untiring servant, that labors day and night, without food, fuel, clothing, rest, wages, or instructions.

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FOR SALE, THE

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A large and desirable stock of General Merchandise kept constantly on hand; accessions of New Goods frequently made during the season.

Prices close, and in full sympathy with the tightness of the times.

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SHIP nothing but your BEST, and dry your Cullings.

I WOULD respectfully call the attention of Fruit Growers to my

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My Evaporator has 2,000 square feet of drying surface, and will dry from 200 to 300 baskets of peaches per day, at a cost not exceeding 1½ cents per pound for preparing and drying the fruit. Fruit dried by this process commands double the price of Sun dried fruit. I have samples of fruit dried by this dryer last year, which can be seen, with a model of the dryer, by calling on me. For further particulars address

J. C. SLAUGHTER,
apr14-tf. Crumpton, Md.

ROAD NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned, citizens of the Third Election District of Kent county, Md., hereby give notice that Thirty days from date, we intend petitioning the Commissioners of said county to appoint a Board of Examiners, for the purpose of determining whether the public good and convenience require the widening of the Public Road from Worton Heights to Buck Neck Wharf.

W. W. STEPHENS,
T. C. PARSONS,
R. NICHOLSON,
ISAAC PARSONS,
May 12—5t. and others.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

HENRIETTA E. WILLSON,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 22d day of December, 1877; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 22d day of May, 1877.

JAMES B. WILLSON,
May 26, 1877—4t. Executor.

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 in Kent county, Maryland, of

THOMAS N. TAYMAN,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 15th of December, 1877, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of May, 1877. GEO. W. JACOBY,
May 19—4t. Administrator

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Successor to C. F. Stam & Bro.

Begs leave to inform the public that he will continue the

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Whale, West Virginia, Engine, Prime Lard, and Castor Oil, the best of all Lubricators,

ALL AT A VERY LOW FIGURE.

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Special attention is called to his stock of STATIONERY, embracing the finest quality of French, English and American Note, Cap and Letter Papers. Also, a great variety of Envelopes and Blank Books.

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Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymn Books and Standard Works of Literature and Fiction. Also, general depot for SCHOOL BOOKS used in Kent co. and elsewhere.

WALL PAPER.

A large stock of very fine Wall Paper of new Spring styles, will be shown to customers with great pleasure.

Special Notice.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS will be prepared under the personal supervision of the Proprietor, and to this part of the business the strictest attention will be given.

COLIN F. STAM,
May 5, 1877. *CHESTERTOWN.*

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Bone Super-Phosphate,

Again before the Public at $35 Cash per Ton of 2000 lbs. at the Factory.

Farmers, Read

For yourselves and be CONVINCED that those who pay CASH for our Phosphate on delivery, or in 30 days from date of bill, will find that money is worth to them much more than legal interest, showing a decided advantage both to the

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—the latter working upon a small margin above the actual cost per Ton.

The satisfactory results that have been so universally given to our customers can only be attributed to the large percentage of actual Fertilizer, essentially BONE, employed in its manufacture, of which

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The BEST MANURE for All Crops.

FARMERS will also derive great benefit from its use to PREVENT FRENCHING IN CORN, and the annoyance of INSECT, relative to which we refer you below to names of a few Farmers and others who used our goods last Spring upon Corn and other crops with PROFIT and satisfaction.