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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - APRIL 13, 1878.

PENSIONERS OF THE WAR OF 1812.—Persons entitled to State pensions under the law of Maryland giving $80 a year to the survivors of the war of 1812 are now receiving the last quarterly payment, the recent Legislature having withdrawn the appropriation for that purpose. The State has paid these pensioners for 13 years, since which time the numbers have been greatly decreased by death. The cost to the State last year was thirty-four thousand dollars. The United States government gives $96 a year to pensioners of the war of 1812. Formerly those who were in service for 60 days and over where entitled to the pension, but under the act of March 9, 1878, all survivors who served 14 days, or were in a battle, and surviving widows of such come within its provisions. This act has largely increased the number who will receive the government pension. The United States pension laws cover all cases provided for by the repealed State law, and are even broader. Persons could not receive both the United States and State pensions.

A BRUTAL MURDER IN WILMINGTON, DEL.—William Thomas, a blacksmith, living at "Browntown," in the Western part of Wilmington, Del., killed his wife on Friday night of last week by cutting her throat with a razor, and then attempted to kill himself, cutting a bad gash in his throat, severing his windpipe, but it is thought he will recover. He was a good workman, in good circumstances, a steady man when sober, but apt to be quarrelsome when drunk. He had been on a spree for two or three days, and was supposed to be frenzied with liquor. The murder was committed in her bedroom. She had three children. The oldest, a girl of thirteen, ran for help, but before it arrived the deed was done. Thomas had been arrested several times for abusing his wife. He charged her with intimacy with another man in the course of the quarrel, but there is said to be no ground for such charge.

FULFILLING A COMPACT.—Peter Wilhelm, of Saulsbury, Somerset, county, Md., whose munificent bequest to Franklin and Marshall Colleges, Pa., was reported a short time ago, was one of the six of his family who agreed to abjure matrimony because of the dissatisfaction created by the previous marriage of two elder sisters. The compact was fully kept, and five of the parties to it have passed away. None of them were educated, and it is said the keen sense of personal deficiency in this respect and the desire to do something for the cause of education prompted the liberal endowment above referred to. It is reported that the surviving sister will execute the provisions of the will, which the law of the State in regard to charitable bequests invalidates because of the death of the testator in less than one month from the date of the will.

AMERICAN ENTERPRISE IN ENGLAND.—In May next Jarrett & Palmer, the New York managers, sail for London, where they will produce the drama of Uncle Tom's Cabin. They will take with them a full dramatic company and one hundred and twenty-five colored people—men, women and children. They contemplate remaining abroad at least an entire season. The cost of transportation of this conpany will reach beyond $5,000. The scenery, properties, and all the stage adjuncts will be taken over from New York.

AT Harrisburg, Ky., Isaiah Gabbart was shot Sunday in the public square by Henry Noel and died Monday of his wounds. The combat took place in the presence of many citizens, and had its origin in an election row. The men met, and advancing towards one another fired every chamber of their respective revolvers, then clinched and fought it out by using their pistols as clubs. When separated it was ascertained that Gabbart had been mortally wounded. Dying he exonerated Noel.

IN the Pantucket Opera House at Providence, Rhode Island, on Friday night of last week, one woman shot at an apple on another woman's head, and, missing the object, sent the ball through the head of the latter, causing almost instant death. This fearful tragedy should be sufficient to put an end to the dangerous practice of shooting at and splitting apples placed on the heads of persons who are willing to risk their lives for the applause of an irrational crowd of spectators.

FUN AT A WEDDING.—We remember attending a wedding where the bride's refinement was tuned to so high a pitch that when the minister propounded the usual question, "will you take this man to be your husband?" etc., she meekly replied: "*If you please.*" Only two months later, upon being asked whether she was happy, the answer came: "You bet I am." Such are the sad changes brought on by married life! Who has not known the young bride, so delicate, so frail and angelic that she was hardly able to 'lift' her eyebrows, but who, in the brief period of one year, had acquired the power and art of propelling a ten pound flat-iron towards her husband's head with a velocity and accuracy only equaled by his skill in dodging it. For just such 'mishaps' as are caused by flat-irons, as well as all bodily pains and accidents, and for Rheumatism, Keller's Roman Liniment is the most wonderful relief and restorative on the face of the earth. Chief Engineer Cronin, Louis P. Lowe, J. T. Greaves, as well as many other officers of the Washington Fire and also Police Department, recommend and endorse it as the best they have ever used or known.

Trees, Trees, Trees!

AND PLANTS!

MY stock of Peach is all sold except about 4,000 Early Beatrice, Early Louise, Early Rivers and Early Truths; which I will sell low, to close out, as the ground must be cleared.

APPLE.

I have a choice stock of Apple of the most approved varieties, for this section.

PEAR.

Also, about 600 Standard Bartlett Pear of my own grafting. And 2,000 Dwarf and Standard Pear, of selected varieties from a reliable New York Nursery.

ALSO,

10,000 Wilson Early Blackberry

25,000 Doolittle Black Cap, and 10,000 Brandywine Raspberry Plants.

☞Be kind enough to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I think I can make it to your interest to deal with me.

N. BARNARD,
Mar. 2, 1878—8t. STILL POND, MD.

A LARGE LINE OF FLOOR AND TABLE *OIL CLOTHS* At Reduced Rates, at
fe23. T. W. ELIASON, JR'S.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, at MING'S.

EX-DOORKEEPER POLK is out in a letter in which he says he is tired of hearing it said that he was too good-hearted. He says: "My trouble was just the opposite. I was compelled to say no to too many members, who think their return to Congress depends upon their having influence in Washington to get places for their constituents."

A LARGE gold brick was cast at Helena, Montana, Monday, from the product of the Penobscot mine, and is valued at over $50,000. The mine is located about 18 miles from Silver City, Mont. The brick is the product of 250 tons of ore, and cost of production $4,000.

"WHEN I left the Democratic party," says General Benjamin Butler, "it was an honorable association of brave men." "Is that why you left it, Benjamin?" asks the Boston *Herald*; "Was the company uncongenial?"

IF General Butler ever becomes crippled, and poor, and honest in the service of his country, let us hope his party will not neglect to make him doorkeeper of the House. He has his eye on it already. —*Baltimore Gazette.*

A PALPABLE HIT.—In ordering the discharge of Returning Board Anderson Chief Justice Manning, of Louisiana said: "Judges may abhor a malefactor and yet refuse to condemn him contrary to law."

GOVERNOR HAMPTON has just received from the people of Anderson county, in his state, a birthday gift of a beautiful black Kentucky horse, he having a particular liking for black horses.

THE law enacted by the Iowa Legislature, restoring capital punishment, leaves it optional with the jury to decide whether a murderer shall be hanged or imprisoned for life.

SAYS the Washington *Post*: "This is a great country. When a ship is launched Congress adjourns, and when a man takes a little drink in Virginia they ring a bell."

THE Earl of Leitrim, lately murdered by his tenants, was the largest land owner in Ireland. He owned nearly 100,000 acres of land and several villages.

THE Bank of Smyrna, Delaware, has been converted into a national association, known as the National Bank of Smyrna.

THE Cambridge *News* announces that Henry Ward Beecher is to lecture in Cambridge shortly.

FOUR of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence are still living.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

Baltimore, April 10, 1878.

CORN—Southern White	51@52
" Yellow	52@52
WHEAT—Red	1.33@1.35
Amber	1.25@1.30
White	1.20@1.28
OATS—Fair to good	32@32
Prime	33@34
RYE—Good to prime	62@64
BACON—Shoulders, packed	4½@4¾
C. R. Sides "	6¼@6½
Hams, sugar-cured	9½@10½
LARD—Refined tierces	8@8

CLOSING OUT SALE

OF

Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes,

OUR

ENTIRE STOCK

MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD BY

May 1st!

☞CALL AT ONCE and make your purchases. Your LAST CHANCE for Cheap Goods.

Will positively sell our entire stock

At and Below Cost.

Among the Cheap Goods are to be found:

Finest Light Spring Shades of ALPACAS 15c.; Price elsewhere 25c.

Figured DRESS GOODS, new Spring shades, 20c.; price elsewhere 30c.

BED SPREADS from 50c. up.

MUSLINS at all prices, cheaper than ever.

TOWELS 5c.

TABLE LINEN 25c.

☞☞SHOES

Fifty per cent. lower than any Store in Town,

And a thousand other articles to be sold positively

AT AND BELOW COST.

We intend vacating store May 1st.

JOSEPH ROSE,
BORDLEY'S CORNER, No. 1,
Adjoining Clothing Store of T. S. Bordley.
March 23, 1878.

CHURCH HILL MILL.

FLOUR, MEAL, FEED.

HAVING leased the Church Hill Mill I am prepared to make FLOUR of finest quality, and will furnish it in large or small quantities to persons in Chestertown or neighborhood.

Also, MEAL, CHOP STUFF and all kinds Mill Feed, at lowest prices.

All orders promptly filled.
j9y. GEO. B. KRALL.

LADIES, Misses and Children's Shoes, at very low prices, at
n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

CYPRESS FENCING, a superior lot for sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS

PASSED BY THE

Gen'l Assembly of Maryland

At the January Session, 1878.

Published in compliance with an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at January Session 1870, chapter 274, which requires that all Public Local Laws shall be published for three consecutive weeks in such newspapers published in the county wherein the law is made to take effect as the County Commissioners of said county shall direct.

PUBLIC LOCAL LAW

OPERATIVE IN KENT COUNTY.

LOCAL OPTION.

CHAPTER 161.

Entitled an Act to enable the qualified voters of Kent county to determine by ballot whether spirituous or fermented Liquors, or Alcoholic Bitters shall be sold in said county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the question of whether or not any person or persons, or any house may be licensed in Kent County in this State, by whom or in which spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters shall be sold, shall be submitted to the registered voters of said county at the Congressional Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1878; and that ballots for or against such sale shall have printed on them, or written on them the words, "For the sale of Spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic Bitters," or "Against the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic Bitters," and that the ballots so cast shall be deposited in a box provided for that purpose, and carefully counted by the Judges of said Congressional election, and that the said Judges shall make a return of such vote to the Judges of the Circuit Court of said county, and if it should appear that a majority of the votes cast at said election are against the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic Bitters then the said Judges of the Circuit Court for said county shall make a proclamation of the result of such election.

SECTION 2. *And be it enacted*, That if it shall be found by said returns of Judges of election and proclamation of the Judges of the Circuit Court of said county that a majority of the votes in said county has been cast against the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors and alcoholic bitters, that then it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, or body corporate to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters in said County from and after the first day of May, Eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

SECTION 3. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons, or body corporate, shall be guilty of a violation of this Act in selling spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic Bitters, in said county, he, she, or they, on conviction thereof, shall be fined by the Circuit Court where such conviction is had, in the sum of not more than three hundred dollars nor less than fifty dollars for every such offence in the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 4. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect as to the time of holding the election to take the sense of the voters of said county from and after the date of its passage. And as for the time when the operations of said Act as to the time when the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic Bitters shall or shall not be sold, from and after the first day of May, Eighteen hundred and Seventy-nine.

FETTER S. HOBLITZELL,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

EDWARD LLOYD,
President of the Senate.

Approved this First day of April, Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight. {SEAL.}

JOHN LEE CARROLL,
Governor of Maryland.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of Assembly passed January Session, 1878.

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary of the Senate.

M. Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk of the House Delegates.

MARYLAND, SCT:

I, James S. Franklin, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, of which it purports to be a copy as taken from the original law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland.

{SEAL.} IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I set my hand as Clerk and affix the seal of the said Court of Appeals this 1st day of April, 1878.

JAMES S. FRANKLIN,
Clerk Court of Appeals of Maryland.
April 13, 1878.

YOU CAN GET YOUR

PLOWS and CASTINGS

AS CHEAP AS ANYWHERE ON THE SHORE OF

Chapman & Lambert

At their Old Stand on Cross Street,

Who are prepared to do all kinds of work in their line, of the best seasoned material and at low prices: such as

PLOWS and PLOW CASTINGS

of all kinds;

WAGONS, CARTS, DEARBORNS, DRAYS, HARROWS of all kinds, and Wooden Frame Cultivators.

We also have on hand a large lot of our Celebrated IRON FRAME

CLIMAX CULTIVATORS,

which took the first premium at the Middletown Fair, and are highly recommended by numerous Farmers who have used them. Also,

Cultivator TEETH

of Three Different Styles, of the BEST STEEL.

☞Particular attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

☞All kinds of REPAIRING done to Carriages and Machines.

We intend to do work as cheap as it can be done at any other place, and in workmanlike manner.

It would be to the advantage of persons to call and examine our stock of Lumber before ordering work elsewhere.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT
March 2, 1878.

☞ For CORN use ☜

RASIN'S

Dissolved Bone Phosphate!

Containing all the Fertilizing elements necessary to the growth of that Crop.

Manufactured by R. W. L. RASIN & CO.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

For sale by THOMAS DeC. RUTH, JR.,
(*Office near Steamboat Wharf.*) CHESTERTOWN, MD.
mh30-5t.

☞The firm of BURNS & SLOAN dissolved Feb. 18, 1878, by mutual consent. The Books of the late firm will be found at the office of GEO. F. SLOAN & BRO., who are fully authorized to settle the same.

GEO. F. SLOAN & BRO.,

132 Light Street Wharf, BALTIMORE,

(*BURNS & SLOAN'S OLD STAND,*)

LUMBER, Sash, Doors, Brick,

&c., &c.

LOW PRICES!

If you need any of the above please write for Prices.

Business Change

THE subscriber respectfully announces to his friends and the public that he has succeeded

MR. T. B. HYNSON

in the Merchandising Business in Chestertown, and will hereafter conduct it at the Old Stand on his own account.

He has Opened this Week

A general assortment of

NEW GOODS,

and the stock will be fully maintained in about the same line as heretofore.

Having been employed in the store for more than seventeen years past, he flatters himself that he possesses a general knowledge of the business, which will be conducted with strict regard to the wants of the trade and to the satisfaction of his customers.

Purchasers are requested to examine his goods and prices. Every article will be sold at the

VERY LOWEST FIGURES.

☞Butter, Eggs and Lard taken in exchange for goods.

A. J. CAHALL.

A CARD.—Having disposed of my Store Goods to Mr. A. J. CAHALL, who has been in my employ for more than 17 years past, I take great pleasure in recommending him to the public as in every respect worthy of their confidence and patronage.

Thankful for the generous patronage extended to me for so many years, I trust that the same may be continued to my successor. T. B. HYNSON.

Chestertown, Sep. 15, 1877.

New Stock!

GREAT INDUCEMENTS!

PARKS BROS.,

5,000 YDS. Choice style CALICO, from 6¼c. up!
1,000 yds. best br. CANTON FLANNEL from 8c. up.
1,000 " wool & cot. white and col'd Flannels, from 16c. up.
2,000 " Cassimeres and Kerseys, wool and cotton, from 25c. up.
2,000 " Bleach'd and unbleach'd Muslins, from 6¼. up.
500 " Blk and col'd Cashmers, 45c. up.
30 or 40 doz. Gents' Undershirts, 35c. up.
1,000 lbs. TOBACCO, offered at close profits.

In fact, our ENTIRE STOCK

of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Queensware, Woodenware, Tinware, Oil Cloths, Carpetings, Flour, Meats, Syrups, &c.

are being offered at such prices as will compare favorable with the closest City Prices!

We are very thankful for past favors, and ask only an examination of our stock and prices in order to convince any in need of goods that we can make it to their interest to give us a share of patronage.

N. B.

We most particularly call attention to our 75c. Tobacco, our 50c. Tea, our 12½c. Canton Flannel, (which is the cheapest, we think, in town,) our Cotton Batting at 12½c. per lb. full weight; our 75c. and $1 Black Cashmere. Apr. 6, 1878.

SELLING OUT

FOR A

Change in Business!

AS I am determined to change my business I will CLOSE OUT my Stock on hand

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST!

I have a full line of fashionable goods of various grades, consisting of

CLOTHING,

COATS, PANTS, and VESTS, at prices so low that only an examination is needed to effect sales.

Also, Cassimers and Cloths,

of all grades, and a large stock of

HATS and CAPS,

AND

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Suspenders, Gloves, Collars, Neck Ties, Notions, &c.

Fine WHITE SHIRTS, all linen bosom and cuffs, from 75c. up.

Come one! Come All!

and be convinced and get $10.00 worth of goods for $5.00.

A. SCHWARTZ,
Opposite the Voshell House,
Mar. 2, 1878. CHESTERTOWN

GOLD AND SILVER WIRE PICTURE CORD, Porcelain Head Picture Nails, Screw Eyes, and Brass Screw Rings.
feb16. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

BROWN and Bleached ☞MUSLINS,☜ 6, 8, 10 and 12½ cts. Call and examine the quality, at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

LOOK! LOOK!

Clothing!

CLOTHING

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS and CAPS

AND

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

J. Frank Connelly

(Successor to C. Rolph & Co.)

WE HAVE ADDED THIS WEEK to the already full stock of goods lately purchased of Chas. Rolph & Co., a new and well selected Stock of

Men's and Boys'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Heavy and Fine.

Also, LADIES' Button and Morocco BOOTS, Ladies', Misses' and Children's GUMS, which will be sold at small advance for cash.

OUR LINE OF

HATS and CAPS

Is Complete!

Including ALL THE LATE STYLES!

Our line of FURNISHING GOODS are selected to meet the wants of our trade.

☞Our entire stock for the most part is new and fresh, and all of which we are selling at reasonable profits.

☞My friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to call.

Remember the Place:

Opposite C. F. Stam's Drug Store.

J. FRANK CONNELLY,
Jan. 12, 1878. CHESTERTOWN.

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 anything 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.

FARMERS

CALL and purchase one of our Original Packages of CARRIAGE BOLTS. One hundred Bolts for the small sum of Two Dollars.

½ in.; 5-16 and ⅜ inch in diameter, 2 inches to 6 inches long inclusive, at
feb16. J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

BOOTS and SHOES, at reduced pric'S at J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.,

SHERIFF'S

LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and Others.

ALL PERSONS AND BODIES CORPORATE or politic in Kent county, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Laws of Maryland, are HEREBY WARNED TO OBTAIN A LICENSE OR RENEW THE SAME ON OR BEFORE THE

First Day of May, 1878,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

LIQUOR LICENSE.

ALL APPLICATIONS for Liquor License must be made to the Grand Jury at the April Term of the Circuit Court for Kent county, which begins on the third Monday, (15th day) of that month, and recommended by that body to the Clerk of the Circuit Court before License can be obtained.

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows: If the applicants stock in trade does not exceed $1,000 - - $12 60
Over $1,000 and not over $1,500 - 15 60
" 1,500 " 2,500 - 18 60
" 2,500 " 4,000 - 22 60
" 4,000 " 6,000 - 30 60
" 6,000 " 8,000 - 40 60
" 8,000 " 10,000 - 50 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting license applies through an agent. If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Venders of Cakes and venders of Beer and Cider, who are makers of such beer and cider (Lager Beer excepted) are not required to take out License.

ORDINARIES & TAVERN KEEPERS

The Licenses to Ordinaries and Tavern Keepers to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer in quantities less than a pint, at any one time, are as follows:

The said applicant, after being recommended by the Grand Jury as above stated, is to make oath before the Clerk as to the rate of rent or annual value of the house at or in which the business to be authorized by the license may be done, or intended to be done.

If the rental or annual value is not
Over $100 - - - - - $25 00
" 100 and not over $200 - 40 60
" 200 " 300 - 55 60
" 300 " 400 - 60 60
" 400 " 500 - 70 60
" 500 " 750 - 90 60
" 750 " 1,000 - 100 60

RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS OR FERMENTED LIQUORS OR LAGER BEER.

The amount of License to be paid by retailers of spirituous and fermented liquors or lager beer are as follows:

If the value of the stock in trade be
$500 or less - - - - $18 60
Over $500 - - - - 35 60
From $1,000 to $2,000 - - 50 60
" 2,000 to 4,000 - - 75 60
" 4,000 to 6,000 - - 100 60

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

The License to be paid by the keepers of Oyster and Eating Houses is $50.60 throughout the State.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their licenses on or before the first of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows in the county:

To travel on foot - - - $41 00
With one horse and wagon - 51 00
With two horses and wagon - 71 00

FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:

To travel on foot - - - $61 00
With one horse and wagon - 101 00
With two horses and Wagon - 151 00

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of a partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than a hundred dollars, recoverable before a Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, banknotes, or other obligation, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:

Exchange Broker - - - $100 60
Stock Broker - - - - 75 60
Bill Broker - - - - 50 60

LICENSE TO OWNERS OF KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

The owner or keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing such Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid for said license be less than ten dollars; and that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing or standing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid as stipulated above, one-half to the State and the other half to the informer.

CHAS. H. DAVIS, Sheriff
March 30—1m. of Kent Co.

NEW SHOPS!

Wheelwrighting and Blacksmithing

HENRY S. DEFORD,

HAVING erected convenient buildings on Cannon st., near the M. P. Church, Chestertown, and having employed competent workmen, is prepared to do

WHEELWRIGHTING

And BLACKSMITHING,

of all kinds, at short notice. Particular attention given to REPAIRING.

HORSE-SHOEING a Specialty.

☞My constant personal attention will be given, and no effort spared to render perfect satisfaction, both in work and charges, to all who favor me with their patronage. A trial solicited.

d1-tf. H. S. DEFORD.

MEN'S BOOTS, extra quality, and very cheap. Call and see them, at
n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

A GRAND

EXHIBITION

OF

CLOTHING

At Bordley's Brick Corner!

T. S. BORDLEY

HAS JUST OPENED

The Finest Assortment of Clothing

Ever Offered to the Public at

Bordley's Brick Corner

CHESTERTOWN,

Where they will be sold AT PRICES SO LOW AS TO BE WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL.

I am compelled to turn my large stock into money in order to purchase Spring Clothing.

☞It will therefore be to your interest to CALL AT MY STORE before purchasing elsewhere.

OUR STOCK OF

Furnishing Goods

Is in EVERY WAY COMPLETE.

I AM SELLING

The "Eclipse" Linen-bosom SHIRTS

For $1.00!

☞Remember THESE GOODS MUST BE SOLD.

T. S. BORDLEY,
BORDLEY'S CORNER,
Adjoining Dry Goods store of J. Rose
Jan. 12, 1878.

Boots! Shoes!

GRAND BARGAINS

For the FALL of 1877

AT THE CHESTERTOWN BOOT & SHOE STORE.

J. H. THOMPSON,

At the OLD STAND in the Masonic Hall Building, under KENT NEWS Office.

We are engaged exclusively in the BOOT AND SHOE business; we give it our whole attention, and consequently our goods may be relied upon for DURABILITY, BEAUTY OF STYLE, EXCELLENT FINISH, And LOW PRICES!

Every Style, Quality and Price!

COME ONE! COME ALL! and BUY AT THE LOWEST PRICES!

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Feb. 2, 1878.

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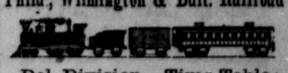

Del. Division—Time Table:

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after MONDAY, Nov. 26, 1877, Sundays excepted, Trains will leave as follows:

SOUTHWARD. Passenger.				NORTHWARD. Passenger.		
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
7 00	3 00	10 00	Baltimore	11 35	3 35	7 55
8 00	5 15	11 45	Philadelp'a	10 05	1 45	6 55
9 30	6 30	1 15	Wilmington	8 50	12 10	4 45
9 38			Del. Junc.	8 43		
9 50	6 48	1 35	New Castle.	8 32	11 50	4 24
9 52	6 50		State Road.	8 24	11 54	4 13
10 01	6 59		Bear	8 21	11 39	4 10
10 04	7 02		Rodney	8 13	11 30	4 00
10 12	7 10	1 56	Kirkwood	8 11	11 28	3 58
10 22	7 20	2 06	Mt. Pleasant	8 02	11 17	3 46
10 40	7 38	2 23	Middletown	7 54	11 07	3 36
10 48	7 47	2 32	Townsend	7 37	10 49	3 19
10 54	7 52	2 37	Blackbird	7 31	10 39	3 12
11 03	8 00	2 44	GreenSpring	7 24	10 31	3 02
11 11	8 06	2 55	Clayton	7 19	10 26	2 55
11 27	8 26	3 10	Smyrna	7 00	10 10	2 45
11 17	8 11	3 00	Brenford	7 12	10 15	2 40
11 24	8 18	3 07	Moorton	7 05	10 08	2 30
11 35	8 29	3 19	Dover	6 53	9 58	2 15
11 42	8 35	3 26	Wyoming	6 45	9 49	2 03
11 50		3 34	Woodside		9 40	1 51
11 55		3 39	Canterberry		9 35	1 45
12 00		3 44	Felton		9 30	1 39
12 14		3 59	Harrington.		9 19	1 24
12 21		4 06	Farmington		9 07	1 11
12 31		4 17	Greenwood.		8 58	12 59
12 45		4 27	Bridgeville.		8 48	12 48
1 05		4 43	Seaford		8 32	12 30
1 20		4 57	Laurel		8 16	12 10
1 32		5 10	Delmar		8 05	11 55

CONNECTIONS.—At Townsend, with Q. A. & Kent road. At Clayton, with Md. & Del. R. R. At Harrington, with Junc. & Breakwater. At Seaford, with Dorchester and Del. At Delmar, with Eastern Shore Railroad, and Wicomico and Pocomoke and Worcester and Somerset Railroad.

d8-tf. H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

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MACHINE SHOPS!

PLOWS, CASTINGS, &c.

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.

☞*WE GUARANTEE every Machine that leaves our Works.*

Plows, Plow Castings,

HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, and Cultivator TEETH,

can now be had at the old Foundry, in Chestertown. Our Castings are the best we have ever offered.

We give strict attention to all business and guarantee promptness in the execution of all orders.

☞Farmers will please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

WM. A. HYLAND & CO.
Feb. 23, 1878—tf.

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VARIETY STORE,

—1878—

HAS COMMENCED the NEW YEAR with one of THE FINEST STOCKS OF GOODS IN KENT CO., consisting in part of the following articles:

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds.

Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Nuts, Crackers, Cakes, Pickles, Saucers, Chow-Chow, Jellies, French Mustard, Cox's Gelatine, Baker's Chocolate, Cocoa, Extracts, Spices, &c. Blacking, CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

Glassware, Glassware, Glassware.

LAMPS from 25 cts. to $5. Chimneys Shades, Tumblers, Goblets, Dishes, Fruit Stands, Pitchers, Molasses Cans, Glass Sets only 90c. and *Cigars and Tobacco.*

NOTIONS! NOTIONS!

COMBS, BRUSHES, POCKET BOOKS, Razors, Scissors, Toilet Soaps, Shaving Brushes, Read's Grand Duchess COLOGNE, Shoe Brushes, and CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

Jewelry, Jewelry, Jewelry!

A full Stock constantly on hand.

CLOCKS! CLOCKS! CLOCKS! Every Clock warranted for 12 months. SPECTACLES! SPECTACLES! for old or young.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

We pay particular attention to this part of our business and keep the very best goods in the market. Try our new 5 cent Cigar (Miller's Golden Eagle); also, our 75c. Tobacco. Gravely's Best always on hand. Blackwell's Durham and Westward Ho Smoking Tobacco.

☞COME IN and see us, price our goods, examine them carefully, and you will be convinced that what we advertise is true. SPARKS'

jan26-tf. VARIETY STORE.

New Store and New Goods

JAMES A. SHAW

HAS fitted up the store room on Court Street, adjoining the shoe shop, and just returned from the city with a large stock of Goods. Among the numerous varieties we name:

FURNITURE, Shoe Findings Groceries, Confectionery,

FLOUR by the lb. or bbl.; TOBACCO, CIGARS, &c., &c.

The upper story of the building will be used exclusively as

Furniture Ware-rooms

and my stock will include a general variety of everything in this line, which I can and will sell as cheap as the same kinds can be purchased in the city.

My purchases have been made for cash exclusively, and I am determined to sell goods as low as anybody else, as I expect thus to successfully compete with others and secure patronage.

☞My friends and the public are solicited to call and see if we don't know how to keep a store!

JAMES A. SHAW,
Dec. 15—y. Court Street.

STOP and look at the DRY GOODS and NOTIONS
nov34. *Thompson's*, Up town.