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# The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - APRIL 27, 1878.


TWEED's final success in this world was in putting away all his once immense fortune beyond the reach of the law. The prosecutions against him cost a good deal of money, but they netted nothing to the public treasury. Of course he left no will, as the law would have promptly seized upon his devises. But he put very valuable property in safety in 1871. The bulk of it, which he turned over to his son, was estimated at $2,000,000, though under sale it realized only $806,000. His yacht, stocks, mortgages and jewelry brought $650,000. The manner in which his eminent counsel robbed him was something wonderful. He had seventeen lawyers employed at one time or another after his troubles fell upon him, and they got $445,000. He paid $147,500 as hush money, and his escape to Cuba and Spain cost $60,000. The remainder was used up so effectually that it is very probably true, as he said, he was nearly insolvent when he concluded to make a confession of his misdoing. What is left of his estate his family have, and about the only benefit he derived from his lawyers was that they showed him how to secure a few hundred thousand to his wife and children so effectually that no judicial process can wrest it from them.

INGERSOLL'S LECTURES.—In an article on Col. Ingersoll's lectures in Baltimore the *Sun* says:

"On the whole we do not think he did much harm by his lectures in Baltimore. If he set his hearers to thinking, and incited them to examine more fully into the truth of these revelations without which men feel morally at a loss, and with which he himself at times only too rudely dealt, he may have accomplished more good than he was aware of, in confirming Christians in their religious convictions. At all events we in Baltimore are a liberal community, and are tolerant even of such lecturers as Col. Ingersoll. People should not, however, too freely indulge themselves with the familiarity of irreverence concerning things that have long since proved to be "that which is good"—good for the individual soul and for mankind generally."

A POPULAR lecturer states that mishaps are like knives, "they either serve us or cut us as we grasp them by the handle or blade." No such gratifying relief, or as certain and prompt cure for such mishaps as are caused by knives—as well as for accidents and pains of all kinds, can be had from anything ever before known to medical science as from Keller's Roman Liniment—the most reliable and cheapest healer and pain extractor yet discovered. George A. Bartlette, Esq., of the U. S. Treasury Department, says: "It is superior to anything of the kind extant, and will hereafter be a fixed institution in my family.

WHAT TILTON SAYS ABOUT HIS WIFE'S CARD.—Mrs. Tilton's card was a surprise to me, and I had no agency in the matter. She has made no overtures to me for a family reunion, nor have I made any to her, nor have our daughters ever made such overtures to either of their parents. What Mrs. Tilton's future plans are I do not know. Whether she is to live in Brooklyn I do not know. The story that Mrs. Tilton is to accompany me to Europe, or that there is to be a reunion of the family on my return, is a fabrication.

THE BEST TEN MILES ON RECORD.—A ten mile trot took place on the 23d ult. over the Oakland Park Course, near San Francisco, Cal., between the two well-known horses, Jack Stewart and Comptroller, in harness, for $1,000 a side, which the latter won in the best time ever made for the distance—27.27½—the best time previous being 28.20½, to wagon, by Jack Stewart, at Boston in June, 1868, and 28.08½, by Prince, in harness, over the Union Course, Long Island, in November, 1853.

THE Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company intend opening near Gunpowder river, about seventeen miles from Baltimore a Summer excursion park and resort, which will add fishing and hunting to its attractions. A switch will be laid at the point designated, so that trains can run directly to the grounds. The woods on the grounds are dense enough to afford a comfortable shade in the heat of Summer.—*Elkton Democrat.*

A TOUGH COW STORY.—A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., states that on Saturday, at Taylorstown, Washington county, Pa., a few miles from the former city, a cow owned by Robert Hall, a farmer, gave birth to fifty calves, ranging in size from rats to opossoms. The cow died shortly after giving birth to the calves.

BALLOONING ON HORSEBACK. — John Wise, the æronaut, is in St. Louis, where he will make several balloon trips. In one the balloon is to be exploded, in another the professor will go up on horseback, and in the third there will be a horse and carriage, with seats for a family.

THE colored voters of Rhode Island refused to vote at the recent State election *because the Legislature had voted not to legalize the intermarriage of the whites and blacks*; and because the election of a Republican Governor was to be taken as an endorsement of President Hayes.

GEORGE E. HADDAWAY, Esq., of the St. Michaels *Comet*, is about to visit the West Indies for his health. He will go in Capt. George W. Tyler's schooner, the Harriet E. Ford, which leaves St. Michaels next week for the West Indies after fruit.

WILLIAM ORTON, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, died in New York Monday morning of apoplexy.

## *BALTIMORE MARKET.*

Baltimore, April 24, 1878.

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| CORN—Southern White | 53@53½ |
| " Yellow | 52@53½ |
| WHEAT—Red | 1.23@1.35 |
| Amber | 1.25@1.36 |
| White | 1.20@1.28 |
| OATS—Fair to good | 32@34 |
| Prime | 35@36 |
| RYE—Good to prime | 64@65 |
| BACON—Shoulders, packed | 4¾@4¾ |
| C. R. Sides " | 6@6 |
| Hams, sugar-cured | 9¼@10¼ |
| LARD—Refined tierces | 8@8 |


FOR SMALL and HILLY FARES

*The Right Machine in the Right Place,*

is the

**McCORMICK ADVANCE DROPPER**

a Combined Dropper and Mower, fully guaranteed in every respect. 3t.

**FOR SALE.**

MY HOUSE AND LOT, in Galena.

For terms, &c., apply to C. T. WESTCOTT, Att'y at Law, Chestertown, Md.
apr6-4t. WM. K. SUTTON.

**$50,000 TO LOAN** in sums to suit, on good farms in Kent county.
THOS. HILL,
Fayette and St. Paul St.,
mh30m. Baltimore, Md.

**PURE CIDER VINEGAR,** at MING'S.


# 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.*

### CHANGE of VOTING PLACE

CHAPTER 220.

AN ACT changing the place of voting in the Third Election District of Kent County, Maryland, from "Worton Heights," or "Hanesville" to Smithville in said Election District.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the place of voting in the Third Election District of Kent County, Maryland, be and is hereby changed from "Worton Heights," or "Hanesville" to Smithville in said Election District.

SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

FETTER S. HOBLITZELL,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.
EDWARD LLOYD,
President of the Senate.

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

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary of Senate.
M. Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk of House of Delegates.

Approved this First day of April, Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight. {SEAL.}
JOHN LEE CARROLL,
Governor of Maryland.

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 27, 1878—3t.


## Spring and Summer!

**1878.**

## Important Announcement!

*"PRO BONO PUBLICO."*

## J. FRANK CONNELLY

Having just returned from the "Monumental City," is able to offer to the citizens of Kent and adjoining counties the

FINEST, BEST and CHEAPEST STOCK OF

## CLOTHING

ever before on exhibition, and at prices that are surprising.

We are selling

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| BOYS' SUITS worth | $7.00 | at $5.50 |
| YOUTHS' " | $14.00 | $11.00 |
| MEN'S " | $10.00 | $8.00 |

*Gents' Furnishing Goods.*

We flatter ourselves to say that we have the finest and best selected stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods ever before offered to the public.

We are selling the celebrated CROWN SHIRT at $1.25.

## BOOTS and SHOES.

We have added to our stock of Clothing a fine stock of BOOTS AND SHOES for Spring and Summer wear.

Don't fail to visit our establishment before purchasing, as an examination of our stock will convince that what we say is not to be doubted, as we are determined not to be undersold.

No trouble to show goods.

Most respectfully,

**J. FRANK CONNELLY,**
Apr. 20, 1878. CHESTERTOWN.


## Commissions Received.

*NOTICE TO NEWLY APPOINTED OFFICERS.*

THE COMMISSIONS for JUSTICES OF THE PEACE and other local officers, recently appointed for Kent county, whose term of office will commence on the FIRST DAY OF MAY proximo, were received at the Clerk's Office, Chestertown, on the

**15th of April, 1878.**

Said appointees are hereby notified

TO QUALIFY WITHIN THIRTY DAYS,

from the said date, otherwise their places will be vacated, as provided by law.

D. C. BLACKISTON,
Clerk Circuit Court for Kent Co.
April 20, 1878—2t.


*STANDARD! DURABLE!*

**STYLISH and CHEAP!**

The NEW and IMMENSE STOCK

OF

## SPRING CLOTHING

JUST OPENED AT THE

LEADING ONE PRICE CASH

*CLOTHING HOUSE,*

**230 W. Pratt Street,**

NEAR HANOVER.

## Chas. N. Oehm & Son,

*PROPRIETORS,*

**BALTIMORE, MD.**

**Also, SUITS TO ORDER**

$15 to $40.

PANTS TO ORDER, $3.50 to $12.

A Saving of ONE-THIRD from former Prices!

A MAGNIFICENT Line of FOREIGN & DOMESTIC GOODS to Select from.

March 30, 1878—6m.

## KENNEDYVILLE SHOPS.

**SHAFER & MEDDERS.**

BLACKSMITHING and WHEELWRIGHTING. All kinds of Machinery Repaired. Mowers, Reapers and Farming Utensils a specialty.

We are now prepared to do all kinds work in our line. Make to order

FARM WAGONS,
PEACH DEARBORNS,
CARTS, TRUCKS,

*Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, &c., &c.*

Cultivator Teeth of two different styles, best steel.

Particular attention given to HORSE SHOEING.

We keep on hand a large stock of the best and well seasoned material, thereby guaranteeing satisfaction. We hope to receive a good share of patronage.

We are also agents for Buckeye Mower & Reaper; Monitor and Eclipse Engines and Sweepstake Thresher & Horse Rakes.

Send your Reapers and Machines out early for repairs.

SHAFER & MEDDERS,
April 13. KENNEDYVILLE.

*NOTICE*

## U. S. Internal Revenue

**SPECIAL TAXES.**

UNDER the Revised Statutes of the United States, Sections 3232, 3237, 3238, and 3239, every person engaged in any business, avocation or employment, which renders him liable to a special tax, is required to *procure and place and keep conspicuously in his establishment or place of business* a STAMP denoting the payment of said special tax for the special-tax year beginning May 1, 1878. Section 3244, Revised Statutes, designates who are liable to special tax. A return, as prescribed on Form 11, is also *required by law* of every person liable to special tax as above.

*Severe penalties* are prescribed for non-compliance with the foregoing requirements, or for continuing in business after April 30, 1878, without payment of tax.

For Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, Accomac & Northampton, application should be made to L. A. C. GERRY, Dep. Coll. Internal Revenue at Port Deposit, Md. Office at Wooters' Drug Store, Centreville, Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday, May 7 and 8. At Court House, CHESTERTOWN, Friday & Saturday, May 10 & 11.

JAMES McINTIRE,
apr6-4t. *Collector.*

## Wilmington Color Works.

ESTABLISHED 1847

*JAMES BRADFORD,*

MANUFACTURER OF

**Pure Colors, White Lead, Zinc,**

Paints, Poco Brown and Putty,

*Bradford's Ready Mixed Cottage Colors,*

OILS, VARNISH and TURPENTINE,

WINDOW GLASS, &c., &c.

**No. 6 & 8 EAST THIRD STREET,**
mh16-y. *WILMINGTON, DEL.*


## FINAL NOTICE.

TAX-PAYERS OF THE SECOND DISTRICT indebted to me for 1876 or 1877 are notified that I am compelled to close my books at once, and all Taxes not settled by the first day of June next will be collected in the shortest manner by due process of law.

F. H. BOULDEN,
apr13-7t. Coll. 2d Dist.


**A CARD To the Public.**

I am now at the Agricul'l Fair Grounds and have commenced my Spring TRAINING. All those wishing their horses worked will please give me a call. Thankful for the very liberal patronage in the past, I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

a6-2m. JAS. M. STARTT.

## ROWLAND & WAY,

## Lumber Dealers,

*PORT DEPOSIT, MD.,*

Respectfully invite the attention of Builders, Farmers and others in want of Lumber, to an examination of their stock.

They have a full and varied assortment of

WHITE PINE PLANK, BOARDS and FENCING.

HEMLOCK PLANK, BOARDS and FENCING.

JOISTS, SCANTLING & BILL STUFF.

WHITE AND YELLOW PINE AND HEMLOCK FLOORING,

½ and ¾ INCH WHITE PINE SIDING.

WHITE PINE AND CYPRESS GERMAN SIDING.

DRESSED WHITE PINE LUMBER FOR FINISHING.

White Pine and Cypress SHINGLES.

White Pine and Hemlock PICKETS, LATHS, &c., &c.

All of which they propose to sell at prices corresponding with the present depression, as their advantages for securing Lumber at the most favorable rates are not excelled by any.

**ROWLAND & WAY,**
mh30-3m. **PORT DEPOSIT, MD.**

## NEW GOODS!

THE subscriber has just returned from the city with a

*FULL LINE of NEW GOODS,*

which he offers at bottom prices for cash or trade. Call at the

**POST OFFICE in KENNEDYVILLE,**

and satisfy yourselves that goods are Cheaper than ever.

April 13, 1878. JOS. E. WEER.

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, Boots and Shoes, cheap, at the Post Office.
Kennedyville, Md. *Jos. E. Weer.*

A FRESH STOCK of Groceries, Confectionery, Fruits, &c., for sale by
April 13, 1878. *Jos. E. Weer.*

LANDRETH'S and Ferry's Garden Seeds for sale by *Jos. E. Weer.*

DRUGS, Medicine, Paints, Glass, Putty, Oil, &c., for sale by
April 13. *Jos. E. Weer.*

PHYSICIANS' Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours, and at lowest rates, by *Jos. E. Weer.*

THE ALLEN Cultivators, Teeth and Plates for do., by *Jos. E. Weer,*
April 13, 1878. Kennedyville, Md.

BUILDING HARDWARE, very low; also, Shovels, Forks, Spades, at very reduced prices, by *Jos. E. Weer.*

BROOMS, Brushes, Buckets and Tubs, Plow Traces, Lines, &c., for sale by
April 13. *Jos. E. Weer.*

TOBACCO, CIGARS, SNUFF, &c., for sale by *Jos. E. Weer.*

BRIDLES, Collars, Halters, Hitching Straps, Back Bands, & Hame Straps, for sale by *Jos. E. Weer.*

CUCUMBER PUMPS furnished to order by *Jos. E. Weer,*
April 13, 1878. Kennedyville.

**NOTICE.**

I hereby give notice to the public that I am now prepared for TRAINING HORSES. Having had six years experience, feel confident that I can give satisfaction.

WILLIAM T. LANE,
a6-3t* Kennedyville.

## 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.

## SEED! SEED!

**GREAT REDUCTION in the PRICE**

OF

***GARDEN SEED!***

All of LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED IN TEN CENT PAPERS

**At FIVE cents each!**

BEANS.—Early Brown, Early Valentine, Mohawk, Large Lima, White Wax.

CABBAGE—Early York, Jersey Wakefield, French Oxheart, Flat Dutch, Drumhead and Savoy.

CELERY—Large Solid White.

CORN—Extra early Adams, Evergreen Sugar, and Early Sweet.

CUCUMBER—Early Frame, White Spine and Long Green.

EGG PLANT—Large Early and Black Pekin.

LETTUCE—Silesian, Early Cabbage, Royal Cabbage and the celebrated HANSON, originated by Col. Hanson of this town.

WATERMELON—Mountain Sweet, Ice Cream, and Black Spanish.

PARSNIP—Fine Sugar or Hollow Crown.

**PEAS**—Extra Early or Dwarf Blue, Imperial, Black eye, Marrow, Tom Thumb, Champion of England, and McLane's Little Gem, by the pint, peck and bushel.

RADISHES—Early Scarlet, French Breakfast, Lady Finger and White Olive.

TOMATOES—Extra early, Cluster, Large Red, Trophy, Tilden and Feejee.

**Potatoes! Potatoes!**

Maine Early Rose, Kent Early Rose and Sweet Potatoes.

**Osage Orange Seed**

Fresh and genuine, by the lb. or bushel.

**NOTICE.**

All these seed have been selected with the greatest care, and we are confident they will give entire satisfaction.

In consequence of the hard times we are selling them at

**GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.**

Call and examine our stock.

**COLIN F. STAM,**
**DRUGGIST,**
March 16, 1878. *CHESTERTOWN.*

THE TIME to Buy BOOTS and SHOES: *NOW.*
The PLACE to buy:
*JOS. H. THOMPSON'S,*
under Kent News office.

I am engaged exclusively in the Boot and Shoe business, and Ladies and others in want of nice goods and lowest prices will find it to their interest to call and see me before purchasing elsewhere.

JOS. H. THOMPSON,
mh23. Boot and Shoe store.

A COMPLETE Stock of *Groceries, Tobacco and Flour*, wholesale and retail. Cheapest in Kent county. Call and we will convince you of the fact.

n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON.

WHITEWASH BRUSHES, all sizes and prices, for sale cheap.
mar2. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

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.


## 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

We are now taking orders for CYPRESS FENCING to be delivered, direct from the Mills, in March. We will figure lower now than we will after the vessel has landed her cargo. TURNER BROTHERS.
Feb. 2, 1878.

WHITE AND RED FLANNELS, 15, 20, 25 and 30 cts; Canton, 8, 10, 12 and 15 cts. Best in town for the price. Come and see at
n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

FRESH HOMINY and New York Buckwheat, at
n24 Thompson's, Up Town.

**SPARKS'**

## 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.

## 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!

We mean business and are DETERMINED TO SELL.

If you want LADIES' FINE LASTING GAITERS & BALMORALS, Glove Kid Button Balmorals, French Leather and Morocco Balmorals, High-cut Morocco Boots and all other styles of LADIES' WEAR, at

$1.50 to $2.50

Worth much more than these figures,

at JOS. H. THOMPSON'S.

If you want a tip-top hand-made Boot, best material, and very dressy, for $6.50, worth $8.00, go to

JOS. H. THOMPSON'S.

If you want BOYS' and YOUTH'S WEAR, from the heaviest to the finest, of very variety, style, and finish, at from 5 to 50 per cent. lower than can be bought elsewhere, go to J. H. THOMPSON'S.

CHILDRENS' SHOES.—I am making a specialty of this department. Every style, size and quality we aim to keep in store or will have manufactured to order. We procure these goods with special reference to comfort and durability.

Call and see. JOS. H. THOMPSON.

If you want a heavy FALL SHOE, high cut and of prime material, go to

JOS. H. THOMPSON.

GO TO

**J. H. THOMPSON'S,**

In the Masonic Hall Building, under the "KENT NEWS" office
Chestertown, Sept. 29, 1877.

## THOS. W. WICKES,

*JUST RECEIVED*

**SEEDS**

From Jerome B. Rice, Cambridge Valley Seed Gardens, N. Y., consisting of

**Tomatoes, Cabbage, Celery, Peppers,**

CAULIFLOWER, and the new variety of

## HANSON LETTUCE

the best in the world; the heads are very large size, deliciously sweet, tender and crisp, even to the outer leaves; color green outside and white within; free from any bitter or unpleasant taste; not recommended for forcing, but has no superior for family use.

*EARLY ROSE SEED POTATOES.*

## Isn't it Strange?

That those who exhibit sound sense in most affairs of life, frequently purchase seeds from questionable sources, when they can obtain RICE'S at the same price from

THOS. W. WICKES.
March 9, 1878—2m.

A LARGE LINE OF FLOOR AND TABLE *OIL CLOTHS* At Reduced Rates, at
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YOU can buy nice Brown SUGAR at 10c. per lb. at *Thompson's*, up town.

## Chester River Steamboat Company.

On and after April 2d, the new

**Iron Steamer B. S. FORD**

Will leave Balt. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10, A. M., for Chestertown, stopping at Kent Island, Queenstown, Quaker Neck, Booker's & Rolph's.

Returning, leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 A.M., making the above stops.

Will stop at Grey's Inn going to Baltimore on Mondays and returning on Saturdays.

**Steamer GEO. LAW**

will leave Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, for Crumpton, at 10, A. M., stopping at Kent Island, Queenstown, Grey's Inn Creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's and Chestertown.

Returning, leave Crumpton every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 A. M., making the above stops.

mh30. H. A. ALBERT, Sec'y.

**For Sassafras River!**

**The Steamer TRUMPETER**

Will resume her trips Thursday, Feb. 28, leaving 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.
Feb. 23, 1878—tf.


## Phila. Wilmington & Balt. Railroad

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

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.

## Kent Co., Smyrna & Del. Bay R. R.

**Spring Arrangement.**

*Connecting with Delaware R. R. at Clayton.*

On and after Monday, April 15, until further notice, trains will run as follows:

| GOING NORTH. | | | GOING SOUTH. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Mon., Tues. Thurs. & Fridays. | Wed. & Sat'y | | Mon., Tues Thurs. & Fridays | Wed. & Sat'y |
| LEAVE | A M | A M | LEAVE | A M | A M |
| Chestertown | 8 00 | 5 15 | New York | 8 55 | 4 00 |
| *Worton | 8 20 | 5 30 | Baltimore | 10 00 | 7 00 |
| Lynch's | 8 30 | 5 40 | Philadelphia | 11 45 | 8 00 |
| Still Pond | 8 35 | 5 45 | Wilmington | 1 15 | 9 30 |
| Kennedyville | 8 50 | 6 00 | Middletown | 2 23 | 10 40 |
| *Blacks | 9 00 | 6 10 | arrClayton | 2 55 | 11 11 |
| Lambson | 9 10 | 6 20 | leave " | 3 00 | 11 30 |
| Masseys | 9 30 | 6 35 | ar*Binghams | 3 15 | 11 45 |
| *Delanys | 9 45 | 6 50 | *Delanys | 3 25 | 11 55 |
| *Bingham | 9 55 | 7 00 | Masseys | 3 40 | 12 10 |
| arrClayton | 10 10 | 7 10 | Lambson | 3 55 | 12 25 |
| leave " | 10 26 | 7 19 | *Blacks | 4 05 | 12 35 |
| arrMiddlet'n | 11 07 | 7 54 | Kennedyville | 4 15 | 12 45 |
| Wilmington | 12 10 | 8 50 | Still Pond | 4 25 | 12 55 |
| Philadelphia | 1 45 | 10 05 | Lynchs | 4 35 | 1 05 |
| Baltimore | 3 35 | 11 35 | *Worton | 4 40 | 1 10 |
| New York | 5 10 | 2 05 | arrChestert'n | 5 15 | 1 30 |

Stations thus * marked have no agents.

Passengers on morning train to and from Baltimore change cars at Wilming'n. Morning train makes close connection at Clayton with trains on the Delaware Railroad both North and South.

Trains run on Phila. time, which is 5 minutes faster than Balt. time.

Freight for Black's and Worton must be prepaid.

Round-trip tickets to Baltimore from all points on Kent Road $5, good 4 days.

Freights carried at low rates to all points. Special attention paid to shipment of Live Stock to all markets.

Wheat and Corn carried at extremely low rates to Baltimore and Philad'a, from all points on the road.

FRED. GERKER,
April 13—tf. Lessee.


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GRAIN Raisers will not Submit to the enormous wastage of Grain & the inferior work done by the other machines, when once posted on the difference.

THE ENTIRE Threshing Expenses (and often 2 to 5 Times that amount) can be made by the Extra Grain SAVED by these Improved Machines.

NO Revolving Shafts Inside the Separator. Entirely free from Rasters, Pickers, Raddles, and all such time-wasting and grain-wasting complications. Perfectly adapted to all Kinds and Conditions of Grain, Wet or Dry, Long or Short, Headed or Bound.

NOT only Vastly Superior for Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, and like Grains, but the only successful Thresher in Flax, Timothy, Millet, Clover, and like Seeds. Requires no "attachments" or "retrofitting" to change from Grain to Seeds.

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