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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - - MAY 25, 1878.

WHAT THE GOVERNORS SAY.—The Governors have been interviewed on the Potter resolution. Gov. Robinson, of New York, thinks the investigation will tend to a more settled feeling of security instead of disturbing business. Gov. Matthews of West Virginia believes there is nothing to be gained by Potter's movement. Gov. Hampton says it will do more to make Grant President in 1880 than every other agency combined. Gov. Houston, of Alabama, thinks the Potter resolution wise and sensible and for the best interests of the entire country. Gov. Cochran, of Delaware, believes the honor of the nation demands a full and fair investigation. Gov. Drew, of Florida, wants a rigid investigation to vindicate the State. Gov. Porter, of Tennessee, says the idea that a revolution will be inaugurated is absurd. The country wants the truth. Gov. Irwin, of California, thought no fears of disturbing Hayes should be allowed to interfere with a full investigation.

Four Republican Governors have been interviewed on the Potter resolution. Gov. Rice, of Massachusetts, thinks it revolutionary, and expresses fears of communism: Gov. Conner, of Maine, disapproves of it unqualifiedly, and believes it will hurt business; Gov. Prescott, of New Hampshire, would only say that he believed any movement to oust Hayes would fail, while Gov. Fairbanks, of Vermont, refused to say anything.

AN IRATE ELEPHANT.—Attached to John Robinson's circus, that visited Frostburg Monday, is a vicious elephant, weighing 8,600 pounds, that has already killed two colored men, his keepers. Going through the tollgate west of Frostburg, Tuesday morning, the elephant was slightly refractory, and was prodded by his keeper, a stalwart colored man from South Carolina. At a watering-trough, some distance further on, he again became troublesome, and his keeper, who was walking beside him, again punched him with the goad, whereupon the elephant turned, and, with an angry snort, with his trunk lifted the keeper and dashed him lengthwise, and with the greatest precision, into the watering-trough. The man was only ducked and slightly bruised.—*Cumberland (Md.) News.*

WANDERING ULYSSES has written a letter to a friend in Washington, probably Boss Shepherd, saying that he may prolong his stay another year, and professing renewed admiration for his native land. He thinks he has done his share in the public service, seeks no new responsibilities of a public character, and will decline them persistently. This looks as if the "old man" had lately been in receipt of some intelligence from this side the water in regard to his prospects in 1880.

MR. J. F. MANCHA, real estate agent at Easton, has organized an excursion for land buyers from Canada, to leave Port Hope, Ontario, on the 4th of June, for Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland, at the low price of $15.50 for the round trip. Mancha is a live man and pushes his business so as to make something out of it.

A TERRIBLE STORM.—Reports from Illinois show that the storm last week was very destructive of human life. At Petersburg four persons were killed by lightning, while near Lincoln, two women and a girl were struck dead. In other places live stock were injured, buildings shattered, bridges washed away, and crops cut to the ground by hail.

ACCIDENT TO A WASHINGTON FIREMAN. Washington, D. C.—I have recently been cured of a severely painful leg, broken some years since, and which became of late very painful. Two applications of Keller's Roman Liniment effected a speedy and thorough cure. JOHN D. ANGELL, *of No. 5 Engine.*

THE Annual Conference of the African M. E. Church which assembled in Baltimore some days since, in regular session, adopted a resolution declaring that the African exodus movement was against the interests of the race and a delusion and a snare. Emigration meets with but little favor among colored people.

AN ODD WAGER.—R. Lyman Potter, of Albany, N. Y., recently made a wager for a purse of $1,000 to walk with a wheelbarrow to San Francisco by the 10th of next December. He walked from Toledo, Ohio, to Fort Wayne, Indiana, ninety-four miles, in three and a-half days, last week.

A QUARREL took place on Friday last in Somerset county between two brothers, Luther and Jas. Walston, during a game of base ball, which resulted in Luther firing upon his brother with a pistol, the ball taking effect in the right shoulder, inflicting a wound which is regarded as very serious.

THE members of the M. E. Church on Kent Island are so kindly disposed towards their new pastor, Rev. G. W. Burke, that it is reported he has found it necessary to expend only one dollar since conference. Kent Island is an excellent place for a good preacher to LIVE.

OMAHA has organized a vigilance committee to protect it from thieves and tramps. They have invested in a handsome supply of hemp and rope, and declare they are ready for business. The country would be benefitted by working their tramps toward Omaha.

STEPHEN GIRARD'S 128th birthday was celebrated by the students at Girard College, Philadelphia, Tuesday, with appropriate ceremonies, the most imposing of which was the annual collation.

JOHN BRIGHT said in a recent speech that one-third of the whole land of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, being no less than 23,000,000 acres, belongs to 985 men.

AN American Quakeress, Mrs. Cowgill, now visiting in England, sung a Moody and Sankey hymn in a Friends' meeting-house in London, where singing had not been heard for two centuries.

THE WHEAT CROP.—Our farmers complain of injury to the wheat crop by rust and report that it will fall far short of last year's yield.—*Centreville Record.*

GREAT numbers of Roman Catholic priests in Germany are taking unto themselves wives, the law of the Empire giving protection to such unions.

THE Cambridge *Era* thinks that Col. Thomas S. Hodson of Somerset will be the Republican candidate for Congress for this district.

THERE are thirteen distinct denominations of Methodists in the United States, aggregating a membership of 3,315,000.

THE famine in China is pressing upon 15,000,000 people, while fully 60,000,000 are suffering more or less distress.

JOSEPH K. COOK, residing near Centreville, died of paralysis on the 17th instant, aged about 75 years.

THERE is to be an excursion of Congressmen to Paris should Congress adjourn in time.

CARDINAL MCCLOSKEY arrived at New York on Tuesday by the steamer Periere.

LARGE AND EARLY POTATOES.—C. F. Holland, Esq., sent to this office on Friday a sample of the Alpha Irish Potato measuring seven inches in diameter, also samples of the Victor, measuring six inches. R. R. Morgan also brought samples of the Beauty of Hebron, measuring 7 inches and Early Rose measuring 8 inches. The Alpha, Victor and Beauty of Hebron were raised from samples furnished by the Agricultural Department, at Washington. The Beauty of Hebron, Mr. Morgan states to be remarkably prolific, bearing 20 to 25 potatoes to the stalk, more than doubling the Early Rose, planted at the same time and in the same soil.—*Salisbury Shoreman.*

AT the late session of the Maryland Legislature an act was passed, prohibiting, under heavy penalties, the capture of any Diamond Back Terrapins, or the destruction of their eggs between the first day of April and the first day of November, of any year. The law is a very stringent one.

THE Snow Hill *Messenger* refers to a young lady in that town who went to church on a recent Sunday morning with a new Spring bonnet on, and the result was, she had two proposals of marriage before 10 o'clock that night.

FIFTY thousand children took part in the parade of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Sunday School Union Wednesday.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

Baltimore, May 22, 1878.

CORN—Southern White	50@52
" Yellow	48@50
WHEAT—Red	1.10@1.25
Amber	1.20@1.30
White	1.20@1.25
OATS—Fair to good	32@35
Prime	35@36½
RYE—Good to prime	62@63
BACON—Shoulders, packed	4½@4¾
C. R. Sides "	5@6
Hams, sugar-cured	9@10½
LARD—Refined tierces	7½@7¾

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the Estate of the late Richard Smyth, by note or otherwise, now due, are requested to make immediate payment.
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
GEORGE S. DIEHL,
may11-2t. Executors.

CALL at CHAPMAN & LAMBERT'S and examine their **CULTIVATOR TEETH,** of three different styles. Iron and Wood Frame Cultivators, all made of best material, and for sale as cheap as any other parties. May 4.

WALL PAPER!

C. F. STAM has in stock a large supply of WALL PAPER of many designs and patterns, which he is now enabled to sell at city prices.

☞ An examination of his stock is solicited. May 18.

TO THE FARMERS

and all others in want of a good Grain and Grass Scythe.
The Genuine English Waldron GRAIN AND GRASS SCYTHE, the Clipper Grain and Grass Scythe, Grass Hooks, Bush Scythes, Bill Hooks, Snaths, Scythe Stones, Coe's Genuine Wrenches, &c.—Call and examine the above goods and very low prices, at
May 11. J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

PLANTS! PLANTS!

I have now ready for planting out thousands of Sweet Potato Plants, late Cabbage Plants and Tomato Plants; also other vegetable Plants in their season, all of the best sorts and at reduced prices.

☞ My Spring plants are started under glass to procure a healthy stock clear of disease and insect, and all are properly hardened for their season's planting.

Also a large collection of FLOWERING PLANTS at low prices.
WM. KIRBY, Florist,
m4-3t* Chestertown.

Lubricating Oils,

EXPRESSLY FOR FARMERS.
Engine, Castor, Lard, Whale and West Virginia, all of the best quality, and at reduced prices, for sale by
C. F. STAM, DRUGGIST.
May 18, 1878.

NOTICE TO FARMERS!

THE undersigned would respectfully call the attention of the Farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties to the fact that he is ready to fill their orders for

Reapers, Mowers
WHEAT RAKES,
SCYTHE AND CRADLES,
MOWING SCYTHES,
ADAMANT PLOWS,
NEW YORK CULTIVATORS
and CULTIVATOR TEETH.
RANDALL HARROWS
and CORN WORKERS.
REAPER EXTRAS,
PLOW CASTINGS,
LIME, by the Barrel,
SEED POTATOES.

☞ Sole Agent for
Lister's STANDARD PHOSPHATE
for Kent county.
JOHN W. HINES.
May 18, 1878—tf.

BASS & CO.'S
GENUINE
ENGLISH PALE ALE
AND
Burke's Irish Brown Stout,
Recommended by medical men to infirm persons during summer weather. A fresh supply just received per Steamer "Circassian."

Apollinaris Seltzer,
A NATURAL MINERAL WATER,
from Springs in Germany, and highly rated as an aperient. Put up in Stone Jugs and original Hampers, just received by
T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, May 7, 1878.

NOW IS THE TIME TO
PAINT!

FOR PAINTS
Are CHEAPER THAN EVER
at
C. F. Stam's Drug Store,
Linseed Oil is down, Turpentine is falling; White Lead exceedingly low; all colors have been reduced, and Varnishes are so low that every one can make old Furniture look new.
Special inducements offered to Wheelwrights & others making large purchases.
May 18, 1878. C. F. STAM.

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.

The Sterling Reputation!

THAT MARKED SUCH A SUCCESSFUL CAREER FOR THIS HOUSE

FROM THE DAY IT OPENED BUSINESS

FOR

Fine and Perfect Fitting Clothing

THE SAME KIND CAN NOW BE HAD

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

That MEN and BOYS may rely on.

A cordial invitation to all.

NEW YORK LEADING
ONE PRICE CASH
CLOTHING HOUSE.
No. 184 West Baltimore Street,
(*Opposite Light,*) **BALTIMORE.**
BRANCH OF 503 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
SAMPLES sent on application. mh30-3m

SAMUEL BURNS & CO.,

(Late of BURNS & SLOAN, dissolved,)
104 LIGHT ST. WHARF,
BALTIMORE.
Building, Cabinet and Wheelwright
LUMBER,
SASH, DOORS, FELLOES, BRICKS, &c.,
REDUCED PRICES.

Buy your LUMBER

OF

E. E. Jackson & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Lumber Dealers and Manufacturers,
Office and Yards: 18 West Falls Avenue,
Near Pratt St. Bridge, BALTIMORE, MD.

☞ We have all the concentrated facilities, conveniences, capital, and experience for the conversion of our own Timber into Lumber and supplying through first hands from the stump.

MILLS: { SUFFOLK, VA. / SALISBURY, MD.

☞ *SEE OUR LUMBER and learn OUR PRICES before buying elsewhere.*

May 4, 1878—6m.

☞ 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.

INCORPORATED 1847.
KENT COUNTY MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.,
DOVER, DEL.,
Insures Property Generally Against Loss by Fire.
INSURERS in THIS COMPANY only pay the ACTUAL COST of the insurance—the balance being placed to their credit and interest allowed them. Since its organization this Company has returned to its members, in Dividends, $68,981.22, and has standing to the credit of its members $84,241.90, protecting their respective deposit notes during membership and payable to them on withdrawal from the Company. ☞ Before insuring elsewhere, call on or address the following
AGENTS:
J. M. VANDYKE, Chestestown, Kent co.
J. P. MANLOVE, Greensboro', Caroline "
J. B. FLETCHER, Preston, " "
JAS. CANNON, Salisbury, Wicomico "
CHAS. COLLINS, Berlin, Worcester "
W. S. DICKINSON, Pocomoke city "
Or address the Company,
GEO. W. CUMMINS, PRESIDENT.
WM. DENNEY, JR., SECR'Y.
May 4, 1878—8m.

BLACK DRESS SILKS at $1 and $1.25 per yard.
Nov. 10. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

A FULL LINE OF Green, Black and Mixed Teas. at T. W. ELIASON, JR'S.

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.*

Kalsomine! Kalsomine!

Attention Housekeepers!

USE JOHNSON'S Dry Sized KALSOMINE In Place of Whitewash!
It imparts a delicate tint to the walls, looks prettier, and will last longer than any other wash. It is very easily applied and can be made ready for use in 5 minutes. Sample cards, showing colors, free to all. Apply to
C. F. STAM, DRUGGIST.
May 18, 1878.

To the People of KENT,

And adjoining Counties.

J. ROSE,

Has concluded to CONTINUE the DRY GOODS BUSINESS in Chestertown, and has JUST RECEIVED

THE LARGEST STOCK OF
FOREIGN
And DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS, BOOTS & SHOES, &c.,
Ever Offered to the Public.

We bought the above stock to sell, and will offer better inducements than any other house on this Shore.

We are very thankful for past favors, and hope by strict attention to business to merit an increase of patronage.

☞ **No trouble to Show Goods!**

Will be pleased to have you call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

☞ These goods we bought
DIRECT FROM MANUFACTURERS
AT
THE LOWEST PRICES,
And will be sold at very Reduced Rates.

Your ob'dt serv't,
JOS. ROSE,
BORDLEY'S CORNER, No. 1,
Adjoining Cheap Clothing Store of
May 18. *T. S. Bordley.*

Planters will Please Note the Ingredients of
No. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO,
For Sale by the undersigned, which make it suitable to all crops, viz:

GUARANTEED

Ammonia,	6 per cent.
Bone Phosphate Lime,	34 "
Potash,	3 "

VOSS BROTHERS,
42 Second Street,
my18-4t. BALTIMORE, MD.

Examiners' Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned, examiners appointed by the Hon. Board of County Commissioners for Kent county to examine and determine the expediency of

BUILDING A BRIDGE

over the branch of Morgan's Creek that crosses the Public road near Urieville Mill, in the Second Election District, and to locate the same,—will meet at the place designated, on

THURSDAY, the 16th inst.,

to discharge the duties under their commission.
ROBERT NICHOLSON,
ROBERT S. GRIFFITH,
BENJ. F. BECK,
May 4, 1878—2t. Examiners.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of
ALETHEA C. GLENN,
late of Kent county, Md., dec'd.
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 26th of November, 1878, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.
Given under my hand this 30th day of April, 1878.
JOHN E. ASHLEY,
May 4, 1878—4t. Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of
ELIZABETH HURTT,
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 17th day of December, 1878; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of May, 1878.
THOMAS A. JACOBS,
May 18, 1878—4t. Adm'r.

Turner Brothers,

Still Pond P. O., Kent County, Maryland,
LUMBER AND PEACH CRATE MANUFACTURERS,
and dealers in all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, AGRICULTURAL SUPPLIES, COAL, SALT, FLOUR and GRAIN.

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.

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.**

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.

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.

FOR SALE
AT
C. F. Stam's Book Store
The SEA SIDE and LAKE SIDE LIBRARIES,
including the best literature of the day, at prices within the reach of every one.
Also for sale a fine stock of
STANDARD BOOKS
And FINE STATIONERY,
French, English and American Writing Papers and Envelopes, at very low prices.
May 18. C. F. STAM.

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 ars 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.

PROPOSALS
FOR
Building a New Bridge.

UNDER a joint resolution of the Kent and Queen Anne's Boards of County Commissioners, passed April 25, 1878, proposals will be received until the 28th inst. TO FURNISH MATERIALS AND BUILD A BRIDGE over Andover Stream, at Andover Mills, known as Turner's Mills, above Millington; specifications and dimensions as follows:
90 ft. length, 14 ft. width; height 7 ft. from top M. sill to bottom of cap sills to be built on 7 mud sills, 12x14 in. each, for foundation, supported by 21 posts eight inches square, mortised into mud sills; and 7 cap sills 8x8 to be mortised on top of posts; 30 sleepers each 16 ft. long, 6x8 in., 5 to a span; flooring plank 14 ft. long and 2 in. thick. Four wings, 16 ft. long, of 2 in. plank, and abutments of two inch plank, with a rail on each side of bridge 4x4 in., and also a substantial strip between rail and flooring.
Material to be good white oak, and thoroughly spiked together, and the entire work done in the most substantial manner.
Proposals will state price, and time required to finish Bridge, and if accepted the Commissioners will require security for the faithful performance of contract, to be approved by the Board.
By order,
T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk
To Co. Commissioners Kent co.
May 4, 1878—tf.

PLOW CASTINGS

OF all the approved and desirable patterns, MINOR & HORTON, HECKENDORN, CONCAVE and WILEY, besides other makes; a large stock now being received by
THOMAS S. WICKES.
April 17, 1878.

Plow Bridles, A. L. Scotch Collars,
And other PLOW GEARING,
of superior grades, and cheap, for sale by
April 17, 1878. T. S. WICKES.

HE-NO TEA!
A mixed Tea of really fine quality, and for sale at an extremely low figure considering its value.
THOMAS S. WICKES.
Chestertown, April 17, 1878.

Look! before you Leap!

YOU CAN BUY **LIME** at 15c. pk.; 50c. bus., or $1.50 bbl.
And GOOD TOBACCO at 60 and 75c. a pound.
SEGARS at 2, 2½, 2 and 5c.
at THOMPSON'S,
Up Town.

FINE SUGAR-CURED HAMS
And **Broiling Beef,** at
THOMPSON'S,
Up Town.
A Full Stcok of
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,
BOOTS and SHOES,
GROCERIES,
TIN-WARE,
Crockery-ware, &c., which we are offering at close figures. THOMPSON,
May 4. Up Town.

SURVEYING.

THE undersigned offers his services as
LAND SURVEYOR
to the citizens of Kent and Queen Anne's counties. Special attention given to laying out and dividing land and drawing plots. Orders left with C. H. BAKER, Atty'y at Law, Chestertown, Md., will be promptly attended to. May be seen in Chestertown Saturday afternoons.
Or address COMEGYS BROWN,
apr13. Chestertown, Md.

Meats! Meats! Meats!

BEST BRANDS OF SUGAR-CURED HAMS, Sugar-Cured Shoulders, Sugar-Cured Broiling Beef, Side and Shoulder Bacon, by the Hundred Pounds, at City Prices. Mackerel and Herring by the Barrel.
☞ Buy your FLOUR at
June16. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

LAW CARDS.

GEORGE A. HANSON,
Attorney at Law,
HAS RESUMED his Profession, and offers his services to the public.
Office in 'Transcript Building,' facing the Court House, Chestertown, Md. y.

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

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

Medical.

W. Frank Hines, M. D.
OFFICE ON COURT ST.,
Near C. F. Stam's Drug Store.
May be found at office when not professionally engaged. my4-3m.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

Phila. Wilmington & Balt. Railroad

Del. Division—Time Table
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after MONDAY, May 13, 1878, Sundays excepted, Trains will leave as follows:

NORTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Delmar	.....	8 30	12 15
Laurel	.....	8 41	12 26
SEAFORD	.....	8 55	12 41
Bridgeville	.....	9 10	12 57
Greenwood	.....	9 19	1 07
Farmington	.....	9 28	1 17
Harrington	.....	9 40	1 29
Felton	.....	9 52	1 40
Canterbury	.....	9 58	1 45
Woodside	.....	10 04	1 50
Wyoming	6 45	10 12	1 59
DOVER	6 53	10 20	2 08
Moorton	7 05	10 29	2 19
Brenford	7 12	10 36	2 26
SMYRNA	7 00	10 25	2 20
Clayton	7 19	10 45	2 37
Green Spring	7 24	10 51	2 42
Blackbird	7 31	10 57	2 50
Townsend	7 37	11 02	2 59
MIDDLETOWN	7 54	11 20	3 16
Mt. Pleasant	8 02	11 29	3 26
Kirkwood	8 11	11 38	3 37
Rodney	8 13	11 40	3 39
Bear	8 21	11 47	3 49
State Road	8 24	11 50	3 52
New Castle	8 32	11 57	4 01
Delaware Junction	8 43	12 08	4 13
WILMINGTON arrive	8 50	12 15	4 20
PHILADELPHIA "	10 08	1 45	5 45
BALTIMORE "	11 35	3 35	7 55
SOUTH.	**A. M.**	**A. M.**	**P. M.**
PHILADELPHIA	8 00	11 45	5 15
BALTIMORE	7 00	10 00	3 00
WILMINGTON	9 30	1 05	6 30
Delaware Junction	9 38	1 12	6 38
New Castle	9 50	1 22	6 48
State Road	9 52	1 24	6 50
Bear	10 01	1 32	6 59
Rodney	10 04	1 35	7 02
Kirkwood	10 12	1 41	7 10
Mt. Pleasant	10 22	1 50	7 20
MIDDLETOWN	10 40	2 08	7 38
Townsend	10 49	2 16	7 47
Blackbird	10 57	2 20	7 52
Green Spring	11 04	2 26	8 00
Clayton	11 11	2 37	8 06
SMYRNA (arrive)	11 27	2 55	8 26
Brenford	11 17	2 41	8 11
Moorton	11 24	2 47	8 18
DOVER	11 35	2 58	8 29
Wyoming	11 42	3 04	8 35
Woodside	11 50	3 10	
Canterbury	11 55	3 14	
Felton	12 00	3 19	
Harrington	12 14	3 31	
Farmington	12 21	3 37	
Greenwood	12 31	3 47	
Bridgeville	12 41	3 56	
SEAFORD	1 00	4 10	
Laurel	1 13	4 23	
Delmar	1 25	4 35	

CONNECTIONS.—At Townsend, with Q. A. & Kent road. At Clayton, with Md. & Del. Railroad and Kent Co. Railroad.
May18-tf. H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

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

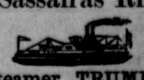
Summer Arrangement.
Connecting with Delaware R. R. at Clayton.

On and after Monday, May 13, 1878, until further notice, trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
	Passenger No. 1, Daily.		*Pass. No. 2, daily except Saturdays.*	*No. 2 Sat'y only.*
LEAVE	A M	LEAVE	A M	A M
Chestertown	8 30	New York	8 55	4 00
*Worton	8 45	Baltimore	10 00	7 00
Lynch's	8 55	Philadelphia	11 45	8 00
Still Pond	9 00	Wilmington	1 05	9 50
Kennedyville	9 15	Middletown	2 08	10 40
*Blacks	9 25	arr Clayton	2 37	11 11
Lambson	9 35	leave "	2 40	11 15
Masseys	9 50	ar*Binghams	2 50	11 25
*Delanys	10 05	*Delanys	3 05	11 35
*Bingham	10 15	Masseys	3 20	11 50
arr Clayton	10 30	Lambson	3 35	12 05
leave "	10 45	*Blacks	3 45	12 15
arr Middlet'n	11 10	Kennedyville	3 55	12 30
Wilmington	12 15	Still Pond	4 05	12 40
Philadelphia	1 45	Lynchs	4 15	12 50
Baltimore	3 35	*Worton	4 25	1 00
New York	5 10	arr Chestert'n	4 45	1 15

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents.
Freight for Black's and Worton must be prepaid.
The morning train makes close connections at Clayton with trains on Delaware Railroad going both North and South.
Passengers on morning train to and from Baltimore change cars at Wilming'n.
FREIGHT carried at extremely low rates to all points, and must be at Stations 30 minutes before starting time, in order to insure despatch.
☞ Trains run on Phila. time, which is 5 minutes faster than Balt. time.
Excursion Tickets issued from all Stations (good for two days) for Wilmington and Philadelphia, at reduced rates.
Round-trip tickets to Baltimore from all points on Kent Road $5, good 4 days.
FRED. GERKER,
May 11—tf. Lessee.

For Sassafras River!



The Steamer TRUMPETER
On and after Monday, 27, 1878,
Will leave Georgetown at 7 o'cl'k A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Buck Neck at 10 A. M., Tolchester Beach 11½ A. M., arriving in Balto. at 1 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
May 18—tf. WM. CUNDIFF.

Chester River Steamboat Company.

On and after April 20, 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.
mh30. H. A. ALBERT, Sec'y.