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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - SEPT. 7, 1878.

How to Make Cuttings Grow.

It has been ascertained that a cutting will develop roots much sooner in moist sand than rich soil. But the sand cannot maintain its growth for any length of time. To prepare pots for raising cuttings they should be filled nearly to the brim with rich garden loam—dark and porous, not clayey and soggy; then pour in one inch in depth of scouring sand; sea sand will do as well as the yellow sand. Wet this thoroughly and place the cuttings, from which all but the three or four upper leaves have been removed, close to the side of the pot; the contact of the ware against the stem of the cutting promotes its growth. Press the wet sand firmly around the tiny stem. A great deal of your chance for success in raising slips and cuttings depends upon this. Plant as many cuttings as the pot will hold, from six to a dozen, according to the size of your pot; when they are firmly set in the sand, two or three can be inserted in the middle of the pot. Set them away in a dark, warm place for twenty-four or thirty-six hours. Thus cuttings will grow quickly in a hot-bed, because the temperature is not dry. Their growth depends a great deal upon light, heat and moisture. If a bud is close at the base of the cutting it will strike the root more easily—is not so apt to decay. The roots shoot from the bud, and the lower down it is the surer your success. When the leaves drop the plant is commencing to grow; if they wither on the stem it has begun to decay. By following these directions no one can fail to grow all kinds of house-plants. Roses and all the rarest flowers of the greenhouses are propagated in this manner.—Many cuttings damp off from the soil being too moist.

MR. JOHN M. LANGSTON, our colored Minister to Hayti, has arrived at New York with a story which will create something of a sensation in this country. He says that on the 4th day of July last a dinner given by him was attended by the President of Hayti, Mr. Boirondecanal, Major Robert Stewart, English Minister to the Haytian Republic, and other prominent personages. Mr. Langston toasted President Boirondecanal and spoke well of the young republic over which he rules and President Boirondecanal proposed a toast to "Mr. Hayes, the acting President of the United States," at the same time paying a beautiful tribute to this Government and our institutions. Mr. Langston had a copy of the toast and accompanying remarks of the President written in French. Mr. Hayes is twice alluded to in them as "the acting President." This is outrageous. While it may be proper enough for people in this country to speak of Mr. Hayes as a fraud and an acting President, we do not think that the French negroes of Hayti should be permitted to revile him. Out of respect for the office made sacred by G. Washington, we should put a stop to this and we move that Admiral Richard W. Thompson be sent with his navy to Port-au-Prince to demand an apology. We could probably whip Hayti in a pinch and a war with Hayti would be fully as popular as a war with Mexico.—*Balto. Gaz.*

SINGULAR CASE OF SUICIDE.—On Sunday morning last, near Cleveland, Ohio, Miss Hattie Gray, daughter of Morgan Gray, a respectable farmer, asked her father's consent to her marriage with the hired man, saying that she loved him better than any one else in the world. Her father utterly refused his consent, saying that the man, Richens by name, had no visible means of support. With this the father went about his work. He had not proceeded far with the milking of the cows when he heard a pistol shot, and ran to the house with the hired man. They passed through several rooms in search of Hattie, but did not find any trace of her until the man's bed-room was reached, and there her lifeless form was found stretched upon the floor. It seems that upon her father's departure for the barn she had gone to her lover's bed-room and taken his revolver from a bureau drawer and shot herself through the heart. Richens says that on a holiday ride, a few days ago, he asked her to be his wife, and, after saying that she feared they could not live happily together, she consented, but at the same time said he might attend her funeral before her wedding.

MOVEMENT AMONG SOUTHERN COLORED PEOPLE.—There is, remarks an exchange, quite a general movement among the colored people in several of the Southern States to organize colonies of emigrants to settle on government or railway lands in the West, and there can be no doubt that such colonies will flourish in these new fields of agricultural industry. This is a better way of providing for these people than sending them back to Africa, and we are glad to see that the white people of the South are aiding the movement. It will work a temporary loss to the South, but the places left by the negroes may in time be filled up with thrifty white people under the lead of the various emigration societies that have lately been organized. One of these operating in Virginia has succeeded in planting a large, prosperous and happy colony of English people in a region that was almost deserted for a century before. This triumph can be repeated in every State in the Union if we only let the world know that people can earn a living in any part of the United States.

A HISTORIC BALE OF COTTON.—The Memphis (Tenn.) bale of cotton which received the grand testimonial prize as the best bale of cotton at the Paris exhibition, has had a somewhat remarkable history. At an exhibition at Memphis it received the grand prize of $1,000, another first prize at the centennial, a third at Liverpool, still another at a national fair on the continent of Europe, and now this award at Paris. The value attached to it by its owner has been so great that in transportation abroad it has been in charge of a special messenger. It was finally bought by the largest spinner of lace goods in Paris to be kept as a souvenir. At the Philadelphia exhibition the Fiji islanders carried away the prize for long staple cotton, but at Paris this year they gracefully yielded to Memphis.

"You can't do that again," as the pig said when the boy cut off his tail.

An Undeniable Truth.

You deserve to suffer, and if you lead a miserable, unsatisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is but one excuse for you,—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's August Flower will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sales now reach every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

THE following statement is published in our reliable contemporary, the Washington *Post*; otherwise it would be almost incredible:

"Last Monday morning, at the Police Court, there were thirty-six prisoners crowded into one of the small cells, which are not large enough for more than one person. The distress of the poor unfortunates confined in this dungeon was excessive in the extreme, and in their agony for fresh air they fought each other for a place beside the grating, as the suffocated Englishman in the black hole of Calcutta fought for a place by the only window in that den. One of the prisoners fell in a fit, and the officials were appealed to for water, or to take the sick man out into the passageway, but the appeals were brutally disregarded."

This incident, which would disgrace the savage jailers of a Chinese dungeon, is reported as having occurred in the capital of the United States, under the nose of the Fraudulent President.

BALTIMORE county, Md., boasts of the oldest man in the country. He is a colored man, William Scott by name, and claims to be 149 years old. He is a local preacher of the Methodist Episcopal church, and says he was present at the first conference of that church ever held in this country, at Baltimore. He claims to have known the mother of George Washington before the immortal George was born. This beats Washington's body servant all to nothing.

WHAT THE SAGES SAY.—"Paper money," says Franklin, "well founded, has great advantage over gold and silver, being more light for handling large sums, and not likely to have its volume reduced by demands for exportation. No method has hitherto been formed to establish a medium of trade equal in all its advantages to government notes, (bills of credit) made a legal tender."

ON the subject of the basin nuisance, Mayor Latrobe of Baltimore, adopts the suggestion of a commission of experts, that is, that the city council shall summon several of the ablest engineers of the country, who shall thoroughly investigate the subject and unite upon a plan of relief from the nauseous stench of the city's basin.

THE New Orleans *Times* tells of a steamboat captain in that city who is somewhat alarmed about the yellow fever. He says he had it in 1853, but he only weighed 125 lbs. then. Now he weighs 253, consequently there are 128 lbs. of him that never had it. His friends are endeavoring to reassure him.

HEALTH is an inestimable jewel. The cough that deprives you of it may take your life too. One bottle of *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will avert the evil, and save you from consumption. Will you weigh life against a half-dollar? Sold by all Druggists. Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. sep 7-4t.

A PALPABLE HIT.—The Boston *Post* says: "Butler says he never expects to have a monument. But isn't he building his own monument as enduring as brass can make it?" Score one for the *Post*.

MR. KEARNEY having remarked, "I have picked up all I know," the New Haven *Register* suspects he has always lived where there was poor picking.

IF your constitution is broken down, or you find it necessary to purify and cleanse the blood, use Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture.

THE Elkton Methodists claim to have the oldest Sunday school Superintendent in the work. He has held his office 44 consecutive years.

Oliver Cromwell, one of England's most illustrious sons, died from Intermittent Fever, and this distressing disease was at that time the means by which some of the greatest persons perished.

Since the discovery of *Quinine* and its employment in the treatment of Fever and Ague the fatality has been reduced to a very low point.

Arsenic was also employed with some success, but these remedies are injurious to the constitution of the patient, so much so that scientific men have been for years endeavoring to discover a remedy that did not possess the *injurious* qualities of Quinine or Arsenic. Many remedies have been put forth claiming to possess no injurious materials, but have only proved to be impositions and frauds. This useful and humane discovery has at last been made in the form of BRITTON'S AGUE PILLS. These pills do not contain Quinine or Arsenic in any form, yet are capable of neutralizing the malarial poison in the system, and effect a cure without subjecting the patient to the unpleasant and hurtful effects of Quinine and Arsenic. BRITTON'S PILLS may be taken under any circumstances without the slightest danger to the patient. Where the directions are followed a cure is certain. Price 25c. For sale by all dealers. F. M. GOODING Proprietor. *Millington Md.*

PRICE REDUCED!

And Greater Reduction to Cash Buyers of

LISTER'S STANDARD PHOSPHATE,

Is offered by the undersigned to those who may favor him with their orders for Phosphate for this Fall's

WHEAT SEEDING

For the character of LISTER'S PHOSPHATE would refer to the following named gentlemen who use it extensively:

R. Hynson,	*P. Hendrickson,*
G. W. T. Perkins,	*J. S. Newman,*
John Brice,	*J. R. Jones,*
Jos. E. Gilpin,	*J. P. Hendrickson,*
W. H. Coleman,	*Sam'l Cooper,*
Tilden Brice,	*H. E. Cooper,*
V. Hendrickson,	*W. W. Cosden,*
Sam'l Burgess,	*Sam'l Taylor.*

☞Send in your orders early for the

"Farmers' Favorite,"

The BICKFORD & HUFFMAN DRILL

Recollect we could not supply the demand last fall because we did not get your orders in time to do so.

☞Don't fail to get a

RANDALL HARROW,

to put your fallow ground in order with. For what they will do ask

V. Hendrickson, Jas. Shuster,
J. A. Groves, J. W. Fowler,
E. M. Wilkins, Samuel Todd,

and many others.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN W. HINES,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Aug. 8—8t.

FERTILIZERS

FOR THE

Fall Season of 1878.

THE

Maryland Fertilizing Co.

IN

Five Different Grades,

At Prices to suit the times.

We can confidently recommend this well known Standard article to the attention of Farmers from numerous testimonials from some of the best Farmers of Maryland, as well as from personal knowledge of its beneficial results. All wea sk is a trial and you will not regret it.

T. W. WICKES and S. H. BLACKISTON, agents, Chestertown; offices at Wickes' Drug Store and Clerk's office.

Aug. 10, 1878—tf.

A CHOICE line of TOBACCO and CIGARS, by J. H. STAFFORD, JR.

J. C. H. SPARKS. G. T. NEAL.

C. H. J. SPARKS & CO.,

LOCUST GROVE,

ARE now receiving NEW GOODS from Baltimore and Phila. daily, and intend to sell them as CHEAP AS THEY CAN BE HAD IN THE COUNTY for cash or thirty days.

You will find our stock complete of

Dry Goods, Groceries,

NOTIONS,

READY MADE CLOTHING,

Suits for $5!

HATS and CAPS.

We also have a fine assortment of GENTS'

BOOTS and SHOES,

WHICH WE ARE SELLING CHEAP.

The Ladies will do well to call and examine our new stock of SHOES, SLIPPERS, &c., which we had made to order, and will sell at low figures.

☞You will find our stock complete of all goods generally kept in a first class country store. Call and examine our stock and prices. *We intend to sell.*

C. H, J. SPARKS & CO.

NOTICE.—All persons who have not paid their bills up to the change in our business (July 1st, 1878) may look for me in a few days, as all accounts must be settled up to that time, either by money or note, 30 days.

C. H. J. SPARKS,
July 20, 1878—3m. *Locust Grove.*

Our Motto:

One Price Strictly! Fair Profits Only!

WITH the above motto we do business, therefore consumers will find it to their interest to deal with us. For the benefit of those that do not know our prices a few are enumerated:

BEST CHEESE only 15c., regular price 20a25c.
2 Cakes good Washing Soap for 5c.
2 Boxes Coffee Essence for 5c.
Rumford's Yeast Powder, 2 bottles 25c.
Corned Shad, Mackerel and Herring at low prices.
Chipped or Broiling Beef 19c. per lb.
Good White Sugar only 11c. "
" Brown " " 9c. "
Coffees at greatly reduced prices.
An excellent Tea for 37½c. per lb.

BUTTER

Kept at all times—It is our Specialty.

VEGETABLES, FRUIT, POULTRY, EGGS, &c., &c.

☞*Country Produce solicited,* for which the highest prices will be paid in cash or trade. Goods delivered to all parts of the town. Send your orders, we will deliver them.

☞Store on High St., nearly opposite the Voshell House.

C. W. KENNARD.

July 27.

Hudgins' Bakery

AND

CANDY MANUFACTORY.

HAVING completed and moved into our new establishment, we are prepared and intend to sell goods at prices that will convince all of the advantage of buying from *first hands*. While we do not claim to be the only confectioner in town we do claim to be able to sell cheaper than those who purchase from jobbers. Manufacturing our own goods enables us to sell 25 per cent. less than second hands.

We have always on hand

Fresh Foreign Fruits

in their season, such as: Raisins, Lemons, Currants, Dates, Prunes, Walnuts, Almonds, Bananas, Pine Apples, Figs, Oranges, &c., and our motto is: "*Fresh Fruit, Small Profit.*"

French and Common Candy,

Taffee of all kinds, made fresh every day, at city prices.

OUR NEW BAKERY

is in full operation and we are manufacturing daily: Bread, Rusk, Pies, Biscuit, Buns, Rolls, &c.

CAKE.—Pound, Sponge, and Fruit Cake; Ginger, Spice, Sugar & Scotch Cake.

We are agents for Kibler & Medlar's celebrated CRACKERS.

Soda, Water, Butter and Cream Crackers.

Always on hand **TOYS! TOYS!** of all descriptions. Toy Wagons, Balls, Accordians, Jewelry and Notions.

☞Thankful for the most liberal support we have already received we hope by strict attention to business, and cheap prices to merit a continuance of same.

W. HUDGINS,
NEW BAKERY, Cross Street.

☞Try our delicious Centennial Rolls, fresh every day. jel5.

WANTED

Every One to Know

That you can buy Goods, such as

DRY GOODS,

Men's and Boys', Misses' and Children's SHOES,
NOTIONS, GROCERIES,
Crockeryware, PROVISIONS,
Glassware, Queensware,
Tinware, Willowware,
TOBACCO, CIGARS and SNUFF,
CONFECTIONERY,

and in fact a little of everything at

ELLIOTT'S,
Up Town.

☞Produce of all kinds wanted. Cash paid for Old Iron, Brass, Bones, Copper, Rags, &c., at ELLIOTT'S, Up Town.
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Have You Seen It?

If not don't delay any longer, but go right straight to

MRS. E. N. MELVIN'S

Picture and Frame Store, and your eyes will sparkle with delight at the beautiful Pictures and Cheap Frames.

LANDSCAPES,
WATER VIEWS,
MOUNTAIN SCENERY,
SCRAP PICTURES,

and a magnificent Chromo of the SAINTLY BEATRICE.

☞Splints for Frames, Wall Pockets, Brackets and Picture Card in abundance, and all so cheap you will be astonished.

☞Give her a call.

MRS. E. N. MELVIN,
May 4. opposite the Bank.

LADIES! LADIES!

A Superior Wall Wash:

KALSOMINE,

at T. W. WICKES'
jel-tf. Drug Store.

Best Machine Oil,

CIDER VINEGAR, **Oat Meal,** LIME, W. W. BRUSHES, For sale at **MING'S.**
May 18, 1878—tf.

FARMERS

And Gardeners

GO FOR THE BUGS!

Potomac Paris Green 25c. lb.

T. W. WICKES'
jel. Pharmacy.

BLACKWELL'S Pure Durham TOBACCO, For sale by JAS. A. SHAW.

THE ONLY PLACE

In Chestertown,

WHERE you can always find a FULL STOCK of

Choice Confectionery

and Foreign FRUITS, such as Oranges, Lemons, Rasins, Currants, Citron, and other Fruits in season, is at

SPARKS'.

CRACKERS, always fresh; Cream, Soda, Oyster, Nic Nack and Mushroon.

Buy your *Flavoring Extracts,* Chocolate, Corn Starch, Cocoa, Gelatine, Chow-Chow, Pickles, Sauces, Jellies, Ground Spices, &c., at SPARKS'.

The cheapest place to buy your Lamps and all other Glassware, is at SPARKS'.

Combs and Brushes, Toilet Soap, Pocket Books, Razors, Silver Thimbles, Spectacles, Eye Glasses, and many other articles, cheap at SPARKS'.

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.—We wish to close out our stock of Jewelry and are selling much lower than the same goods can be bought elsewhere.

Come and see, at SPARKS'.

TOBACCO! TOBACCO!—Good Tobacco 60 and 75c. per lb., at SPARKS'. Graveley's best always on hand.

The *Golden Eagle* and all other 5c. Cigars have been laid in the shade by the REGINA,

Sold only by SPARKS.

When you look all over town and can't find what you want, call on SPARKS, and you will be apt to find it, and cheap too.

Pine Apples and Bananas, at SPARKS'
June 8. opposite Court House.

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

BREAD! BREAD!

Ice Cream! Ice Cream!

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

MRS. D. A. BENJAMIN has opened a BAKERY in connection with her Cream and Oyster Saloon on Queen St., and is prepared to furnish families with all kinds of BREAD and CAKES at the lowest price, such as

LOAVES, RUSK, BUNS, BISCUIT, SPONGE, &c.

POUND, GINGER and SUGAR CAKE and in fact almost everything found at a first class Bakery.

Don't forget to buy your ICE-CREAM at her saloon, as she always keeps good fresh, pure Cream.

☞When you want a good Beef-Steak, cooked in the best restaurant style give her a call, as she has always on hand the best the market affords kept on ice ready for use.

Oysters in every style.

☞By giving personal attention to my Restaurant and Bakery I hope to merit a share of patronage. Thanking the public for past favors, I am, resp'y,

MRS. D. A. BENJAMIN.
Aug. 3, 1878—tf.

THE OLD BAKERY UP TOWN.

MRS. D. GRUBER,

At the Old Stand, Up Town, is prepared as heretofore to furnish

BREAD,
RUSK,
PIES,
BUNS,
BISCUIT,
&c., &c.,

Fresh from the Bakery, together with

CAKE OF ALL KINDS,

POUND CAKE, SPONGE CAKE,
FRUIT CAKE, SUGAR CAKE,
JUMBLES, JELLY CAKE,
LEMON CAKE, &c.,

all of the best quality and at lowest prices.

☞Having had large experience in the business, and in my employ a first-class Baker, I am satisfied of my ability to give satisfaction to my customers.

☞I take this opportunity to return my sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, and pledge myself to renewed efforts to merit a continuance of public favor.

DOROTHEA GRUBER.
Chestertown, Jan. 1, 1878.

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.

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.

Boots and Shoes.

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

July 6. JOS. H. THOMPSON.

LUMBER.

A LARGE STOCK at LOW PRICES, at T. W. ELIASON, JR'S.
June 22, 1878.

LUMBER.

You can buy SCANTLING, JOISTS, and BILL STUFF, of good VA. PINE, from **13 to $14** per thousand feet, of

June 1. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

4 CENTS a pound for Patapsco Family Flour. Good Family Flour at 3½ cts. a pound at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

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.

A TALK WITH

FRUIT GROWERS.

I HAVE now growing on my farm a fine Seedling PEACH NURSERY, (from the seed of the Smock,) of

Over 200,000 TREES.

Being from Smock Seed, and growing on land that never grew trees before, they must prove especially hardy and prolific. I shall bud 50,000 (commencing June 15,) for this fall's planting; such trees will run from 3 to 4 feet in height. I shall bud the balance for planting the following Fall.

As most all planters have preference for special varieties, I propose to take orders before budding is done; customers furnishing their own buds if they prefer, so that all may be accommodated.

Do not fail to give this matter proper consideration, and send in your orders early; by so doing you can secure just the varieties you want. But if delayed till you are ready to plant, Nurserymen may not have the kinds you prefer.

I will give instructions how to forward buds upon inquiry.

I have a general assortment of

ALL KINDS OF

NURSERY STOCK.

Twenty years' experience as an extensive Fruit grower and Nurseryman, certainly entitles me to a reasonable share of patronage on this Peninsula.

N. BARNARD,
Still Pond, Kent county, Md.
June 8.—6m.

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.

Summer Goods.

DRESS LINENS,
TRIMMINGS TO MATCH.
LAWN, PERCALES,
CRETONNES, POPLINS,
Pretty assortment of CALICOES.

Cassimeres and Cottonades
for Men and Boys' wear.

SHOES! SHOES!

SHOES OF ALL KINDS at lower prices than ever.

White and Check Matting,
Floor, Table and Stair OIL CLOTHS.

STRAW HATS
for Men and Boys, at low prices.

PARASOLS! PARASOLS! CHEAP.
NOTIONS in great variety.

NEW GOODS received THIS WEEK.

☞We are selling goods at the VERY LOWEST PRICES.

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.
June 8, 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 Stock 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.

HOLMAN'S

AGUE and LIVER PAD,

a never failing cure for Fever and Ague, Dumb Ague, Remittent and Intermittent Fever, Indigestion, Sick Headache and liver cough; often used for Consumption.

For sale at THOS. W. WICKES' Pharmacy.
June 1—tf.

ATTENTION is called to our stock of Produce, Provisions and Groceries. Prices as low as can be sold in the town. See adv. in another column;
jy27. C. W. KENNARD.

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.

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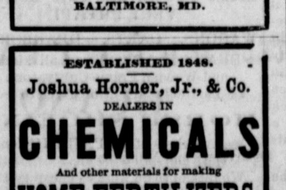

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