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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - APRIL 5, 1879.

SHEEP are dying at a fearful rate in Georgia from distemper. One owner has lost 600 out of a flock of 1,200.

THE Havre de Grace *Republican* says a poor man at Quaker Bottom found a $500 government bond in an old stone jar.

THE Norfolk steamers are bringing to Baltimore large quantities of early vegetables, including kale, spinach, peas, etc.

J. F. PENNINGTON will, during the coming season, publish a weekly paper at Ocean City, to be called the *Ocean City Chronicle*.

THE Indianapolis *Sentinel* says that the State of Kansas annually produces about as much Republican rascality to the acre as it does corn.

A SCHOONER took 16,000 bushels of oysters from the Choptank last week to be planted in Princes' bay, New York. Four cents a bushel was paid for them.

A NUMBER of marine disasters along the coast are reported as having occurred during the heavy gales of Sunday night and Monday, but there has been no loss of life so far as is known.

THERE are now in the Senate only five members who voted in the impeachment trial of President Johnson eleven years ago, and all the present democratic members have been elected since then.

RHODE ISLAND held an election Wednesday. We may remark that the State went Republican. Chicago, however, went Democratic on Tuesday and Chicago is much larger and far more important than Rhode Island.

THE Richmond (Vt.) State says: "The time is rapidily coming, if it has not come already, when a great majority even of our Southern families will have to learn the hard lesson of doing their own housework." Sooner the better.

THE New York Supreme Court has rendered a decision that the St. Cloud Hotel is liable to General W. S. Hancock for the $4,000 worth of jewelry stolen from his room whilst he and his family were boarding in that hotel.

HON. WM. J. ALBERT, lately a member of Congress from the Fifth Maryland district, died on Saturday night, at his residence, in Baltimore, in the 63d year of his age. Mr. Albert was at one time a leading merchant of Baltimore.

THE New York *Sun* argues that there is nothing wrong in attaching to the army bill the political riders, as they simply provide that a portion of the money appropriated for the army shall not be spent in keeping troops at the polls.

THE receipts of grain at the Baltimore elevators on Tuesday aggregated 116,025 bushels of wheat and 213,750 bushels of corn, being the largest that have ever been known to the history of the trade in that city for any one day.

DR. MENKLE comes to the front and states to a reporter of the *Gazette* that the Democrats in Congress will stand together until doomsday, before they will give up their demand to have the infamous election laws abolished. So they should.

THE Westminster *Advocate* publishes a list of 121 persons living in that city and within a radius of five miles, whose ages range from 70 to 95 years; also the names of 31 persons residing in New Windsor and vicinity whose ages range from 70 to 92 years.

MR. TILDEN is reported to have sold out his stock in the New York elevated railroads, and to have made three or four million dollars by the transaction. But he loses fifty thousand dollars a year in the way of salary, one R. B. Hayes appropriating the same to his own use.

MR. WELSH, our Minister at London, transmits to the Department of State a copy of a letter from the Foreign Secretary of the Royal Astronomical Society, announcing that the council of the society have awarded their gold medal to Prof. Asaph Hall, of the Naval Observatory, Washington, for his discovery of the satellites of Mars.

THE case of Mrs. Mary S. Oliver against Hon. Simon Cameron to recover damages claimed to be $50,000 for an alleged breach of promise of marriage, came to an end at Washington Tuesday, after a trial of thirteen days, by a verdict for the defendant. Mrs. Oliver, on hearing the verdict, wept copiously and said, "I am not done with old Cameron yet."

A COSTLY HOBBY.—A Philadelphia druggist has a collection of old coins and autograph which is said to be worth $75,000. He has been thirty years making it. Just now he is engaged in collecting a series of the signatures of wives of the Presidents, and his latest acquisition is the autograph of Rachel Jackson, which is believed to be the only one extant.

WESTERN SWAINS have commenced to advertise for wives in the Wilmington papers. Delaware expects to be able to supply the West with peaches this summer, but it might as well be understood first as last that she can't fit the whole country out in wives. Let them try Connecticut; the women are taking coachmen up there at a hundred cents on the dollar. —*Middletown Transcript.*

A YOUNG lady of quality and high degree, in New York city, has matched Governor Hubbard's daughter by allying herself in marriage to an humble street-car driver. The average car driver in New York is not as accomplished and refined as the average New England coachman, but he has great powers of physical endurance and this is something that should not be lost sight of in a runaway match.

THE RUSSIAN PLAGUE A HUGE SCARE.—A correspondent of the New York *Tribune* writes from Saratov, Russia, whither he went in search of the plague, suspecting that the ravages were greatly exaggerated, that he has been unable to hear of any sickness in the city or find the graves of the thousands who were reported to have died of the epidemic. Of the 45,000 inhabitants in the province of Astrakan but 340 were victims of the plague, and on March 3, the date of his letter, no case had been reported for sixteen days.

MR. JEFFERSON DAVIS has been interviewed and—by a Boston reporter. He declares that so far as he is concerned the results of the war are accepted in entire good faith, and that in his opinion the abolition of slavery was, in spite of the misery and desolation it involved, a good thing, ultimately for the South. He thinks there may be, and doubtless are, individual cases of bull-dozing at the South, but in the main the feeling of the Southern people towards the negroes is one of kindness and good will. In conclusion Mr. Davis said:

"You may assure your people that I have no unkindness in my heart to them or any of the people of the North I am not the devil they have painted me. I have neither horns or hoofs, and if they knew me they would find I am very much like one of themselves."

The *worst fact* that a Boston newspaper can be found willing to represent Mr. Davis correctly is in itself a most favorable sign.

THE Wallace Committee, by probing the transactions of Mr. George C. Gorham, the gentleman who summarily retired from the office of Secretary of the Senate the other day, has put an end effectually to the Republican pretense of Civil Service Reform. As Secretary of the National Republican Committee last year Gorham collected $106,000. Of this sum $93,000 was systematically twisted out of office-holders. He sent money into nineteen "close" or "doubtful" Congressional districts of the South and fifty-eight districts in the North. His suscription book which was circulated in the Treasery Department among the clerks was headed by John Sherman. In the Postoffice Department the Second Asst. P. M. G. took the lead, while Commissioner Le Dook headed the charge in the Cabbage-seed Department.

FIFTY-CENT STEAMBOAT FARES.—The agreement to advance passenger and freight rates by the rival lines of steamboats between Baltimore and the Choptank river is understood to have fallen through, and fifty-cent fares are likely to continue. The pressure of the travelling public for low rates has been to great to withstand. Eastern Shore merchants, who have suffered by the sharp competition, sent committees to Baltimore last week, and they went home under the impression that the advance would take place April 8, but it is said the pressure by farmers, who wish cheap fares so as to enable them to come to Baltimore and purchase here, was too strong for the local traders.—*Balto. Gazette.*

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Francis M. Hall, Esq., residing near Church Hill, met with a painful accident, which may prove quite serious, on last Monday about 8½ p. m., in the lower part of Church Hill. It seems that Mr. Hall was riding on horseback, on his way home, his horse stumbled and fell at the place named, throwing him to the ground with such violence that he was unable to move or call out for assistance. He was found in the centre of the street about the hour named above, opposite the M. E. Church, barely conscious and not able to narrate what had happened. The extent of his injuries cannot yet be ascertained as they are internal. Drs. Green and Tucker were called to see him.—*Record.*

POLITICAL PROSECUTIONS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.—At a meeting of the bar of Columbia, S. C., last week, resolutions were adopted to the effect that whereas at the approaching trials of citizens accused of political offenses it was the purpose of the government to enforce the "test oath" in selecting jurors, which would practically exclude all the whole body of the white citizens of the State—a course which could be dictated only by a vindictive determination to secure convictions, irrespective of guilt, for partisan political purposes—the bar of Columbia freely offers the professional services of its members to defend any of their fellow citizens who are thus sought to be made the victims of political tyranny.

BILL HOWARD, negro, who cruelly and most horribly outraged a twelve-year-old daughter of George Pond, living near Fort Scott, Kansas, was taken from jail in that place by some thirty masked men, supported by a mob 1,000 strong, dragged by the neck with a rope a distance of five blocks, and hanged to a lamp-post. After he had hung fifteen minutes there were shouts from the infuriated mob of "Burn him!" He was taken down, dragged into the public square, and burned to a crisp in a fire made of dry goods boxes and coal oil, amid demonstrations that rivaled pandemonium.

GEN. GARFIELD continues to deny that he is or will consent to be a candidate for Governor of Ohio, but the work of nominating him goes on just the same. The General's preeminent fitness for any position is the cause of the trouble.—*New York Tribune.*

There is no doubt about it. Gen. Garfield is preeminently fitted for any position in life, from preaching the Gospel to "sitting-up" ward politics, but it is as an attorney for a Washington Paving ring, picking up $5,000 for doing nothing, that he shines like a tin weathercock on a barn.—*Balto. Gazette.*

A GREENBACK meeting at Lexington, Kentucky, last Monday, projected a hot shot at "Brick" Pomeroy in the form of the following resolution: "We most emphatically declare ourselves opposed to anything emanating from M. M. Pomeroy, whom we regard as the grandest political humbug of our age; a man that would sink any party that he may become connected with."

CHEAP TROTTERS.—The Kellogg combination sale of trotters, which closed in New York last week, was not a success. One hundred and thirty-eight horses were sold for less than $38,000, or an average of $275, against an average of $435 at last year's sale.

Baltimore Grain Market.

Baltimore, April 3, 1879

CORN—Southern White	43@46
" Yellow	42@43
WHEAT—Red	1.05@1.11
Amber	1.12@1.15
White	1.10@1.14
OATS—Fair to good	30@31
Prime	32@33
RYE—Good to prime	56@58

TO the LADIES!

AFTER much solicitation I have concluded to resume the HAIR business here, formerly carried on extensively in Milford, Del. Combings beautifully made up into Switches, Puffs and Curls, at short notice, at 35c. per oz. Also, a large assortment of ready made Hair Goods constantly on hand.

Orders by mail directed to Mrs. E. C. PHELPS, Galena, will receive prompt attention. MRS. E. C. PHELPS.

Galena, Md., March 8—tf.

Plows! Plows! Plows!

Made of the best Smyrna Castings!

You can buy them Cheaper than the Cheapest. Also, CASTINGS good and smooth, as low as the lowest.

☞ Just come or send to us. We will "astonish the natives" in WAGONS and CARTS.

Also, all kinds REPAIRS and TWIN HARROWS at same astonishing prices.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

Mar. 8, 1879.

JUST OPENED a very fine lot of HAMBURG EDGINGS.

Ladies' and Gents' SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's HOSIERY, all grades & prices.

We are offering the above at the very lowest prices.

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.,
March 8. Chestertown.

A CARD.

TO THE VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY:

I announce myself as a candidate for the House of Delegates from Kent Co., at the solicitation of my Democratic friends, and if nominated and elected will adhere to the principles of the Democratic party and my constituents.

BENJAMIN B. WROTH.

Chestertown, March 4, 1879—tf.

SHERIFF'S LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and others.

ALL PERSONS and Bodies Corporate or Politic in Kent county, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license or renew the same on or before the

First day of May, 1879,

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

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

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows:

If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed		$1,000	$12 60
Over 1,000	and not over	$1,500	15 60
" 1,500	"	2,500	18 60
" 2,500	"	4,000	22 60
" 4,000	"	6,000	30 60
" 6,000	"	8,000	40 60
" 8,000	"	10,000	50 60
" 10,000	"	15,000	80 60
" 15,000	"	20,000	30 60
" 20,000	"	30,000	100 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent County, to wit:

On this —— day of ——, 1879, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared —— ——, and declared that he intends to apply for a trader's license under the second section of the act of January session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and make oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership;) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade,) that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $——

Sworn before —— ——

If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

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

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

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

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

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

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

BILLIARD TABLES.

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

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

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

To travel on foot	$41 00
With one horse and wagon	51 00
With 2 horses and wagon	71 00
FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:	
To travel on foot	$61 00
With one horse and wagon	101 00
With 2 horses and wagon	151 00

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

BROKERS.

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

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

The following Act—chapter 448, page 863—entitled "An Act to add to the 10th section of article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub-section, requiring a license to enable any person to act as Real Estate Brokers," provides—

That "any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars, may obtain a license for carrying on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual copartnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate broker without a license, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon other Brokers by section seventeen of this Article."

LICENSE TO OWNERS or KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

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

CHAS. H. DAVIS, Sheriff
April 5. of Kent Co.

Black Residuum

This article has been used by a large number of Farmers in Kent county, on Corn, in heavy clay lands, with uniform success. The verdict of those who have used it is that

It secures a crop of Corn on such lands;

It is the Cheapest Goods on the market;

It is the most economical goods used;

No other goods approximates it in the profit derived from its use, giving sometimes three-fold as much Corn as could be raised without it;

It prevents insect from troubling Corn.

Please read the following letters as to its merits:

Chestertown, Feb. 11, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—Dear Sir:

I used your Black Residuum, mixed with super phosphates, on corn last spring. I was very much pleased with the result; was troubled scarcely at all with insect, and my corn crop was largely increased. I am satisfied that its use paid me handsomely.

Resp'y, J. P. NICHOLSON.

Chestertown, Feb. 11, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.:

Dear Sir:—I used on my corn the Black Residuum I purchased of you last spring. It gave me entire satisfaction, *and have never used any goods that approximates it in the profit derived from its use.* I used several other goods costing me considerably more money, but your Black Residuum gave me a much better crop than either of the others.

BARTUS TREW.

Chestertown, Feb. 27, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.:

Dear Sir:—I used your Black Residuum, mixed with a super phosphate on my corn planted on R. Hynson, Esq's farm, in Quaker Neck. I could see its effects to the rove. It gave me a good crop of corn, and I am satisfied that it paid me well. Have never used any goods on corn that was as profitable to me.

Resp'y, DAVID F. MILLS.

Chestertown, Feb. 21, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.:

Dear Sir:—I have used your Black Residuum for several seasons, on lands that usually french corn. No corn frenched where I applied it. It gave me twice as much corn as I would have raised without its use. I do not know of anything that begins to approach it in value, on such lands for corn. I mixed it with a super phosphate,

Respectfully yours,
WM. T. NICHOLSON.

Chestertown, Feb. 19, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.:

Dear Sir:—I was very much pleased with the Black Residuum and super phosphate that I purchased of you last spring. I used them on part of my field which usually had been in the habit of frenching. I could perceive no signs of frenching where I applied it, and regretted very much that I did not use it on my entire field. It paid me handsomely, much better than another goods used, well known in the county, which cost me considerably more money.

Resp'y, JOS. RASIN.

Chestertown, March 15, 1879.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.:

Dear Sir:—I can confidently recommend your Black Residuum for corn on lands that usually french. I have used it for several years and have seen the results of its use in a number of cases, and have never known a hill of corn to french where it was applied. Its low price renders its use very profitable, more so than any goods I have used.

Respectfully yours,
SAMUEL BECK.

Millington, Md., Feb. 14, 79.

T. W. Eliason, Esq.,—Sir:

Your letter received. In regard to the relative merits of your Phosphate tried by me on corn, I will say to you that I used it on timothy sod, a piece of land that had been mowed for three years. I gave it a fair trial alongside of ——; also, ——, of your town. My opinion of the action of the three phosphates is in favor of yours; the corn started off faster, made a better growth all the time, and also had a better color, it being a very black green. My son, H. C. Hendrickson, who superintended dropping the three phosphates, was particular in applying it, and he could show me the very row where yours was used without looking for the stake that marked it; also, when the corn was fit to husk, my opinion was that where yours was used it was eared best. The fact is, it made more corn and more fodder than where the other two were used. In applying, I mixed the Residuum and the phosphate thoroughly together. The quantity used was a handful to three hills of about 200 lbs. to the acre. I consider it a good article for corn.

Resp'y, yours, P. HENDRICKSON.

The following is a list of the names of a few of the many gentlemen who have used it, and to them I beg to refer for further information as to its merit and value:

R. Hynson, Esq.	Jas. Beck, of Geo.,
Andrew Woodall,	John T. Skirven,
Wm. W. Stephens,	Lewin Usilton,
Rob't Nicholson,	John W. Corey,
Joseph Rasin,	S. Vannort,
T. A. Strong,	Isaac Parsons,
Geo. R. Beck,	John Brice,
Wm. Ford,	Geo. S. Diehl,
P. Hendrickson,	R. J. Lusby,
Thomas Fowler,	W. G. Trew.
James Shuster.	

☞ PRICE $14.50 PER TON. ☜

T. W. ELIASON, JR.,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Mar. 22, 1879—5t.

GALENA

MACHINE SHOPS!

ATTENTION FARMERS!

WM. A. HYLAND & CO.,

Have now completed their arrangements to meet the demand of farmers for implements, &c., for the present and approaching season. Our stock of material is large and of the best character, while our workmen are excelled by none.

We call special attention to our

IMPROVED

CONCAVE PLOW,

We have overcome the objection heretofore exisiting against the groove; and are selling our Plows at prices to suit the purchaser. Also,

PLOW CASTINGS,

HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, and Cultivator Teeth, can now be had at Galena or the Foundry in Chestertown. Our Castings are the best we have ever offered.

Early orders are respectfully solicited.

WM. A. HYLAND & CO.,
Mar. 8. GALENA.

Examine our

Stock CYPRESS FENCING BOARDS, CYPRESS WHITE PINE and YELLOW PINE Paling RAILS, and White Pine PICKETS, before purchasing elsewhere.

TURNER BROS.

Still Pond P. O., March 8, 1879.

Milling! Milling!

THE subscriber most respectfully informs his old customers and the public in general that he has made arrangement with Dr. T. H. Wha land to run his Mill for the present year, and will use his best endeavors to give entire satisfaction, The Mill has undergone a very

Thorough Repair,

and has just finished a NEW BOLTING CLOTH as large as any on the Eastern Shore. This will enable him to do double the amount of work done heretofore, and in a very superior manner.

He hopes by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

GRAHAM FLOUR a specialty.

J. H. SAPPINGTON.

Feb. 22, 1879—tf.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

BALTIMORE, March 19th, 1878.

The Co-Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of J. J. TURNER & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either will sign in liquidation.

J. J. TURNER,
J. Q. A. HOLLOWAY.

To Tobacco Planters and Corn Growers

The undersigned PIONEER in the manufacture of FERTILIZERS in this city, and engaged, since 1858, first as a member of the firm of J. J. & F. TURNER, BY WHOM the formulas and processes of manufacture of

"Excelsior" and "Ammoniated Phosphate,"

Were *originated*, and since 1864 a member of the late firm of J. J. TURNER & CO., relying upon his experience and personal reputation, hitherto acquired in the uniform excellence of these Fertilizers as manufactured by him, offers them *in his own name* to the agricultural public.

Having secured the *Works of the old firm*, 111 **McElderry's Wharf,** with the complete machinery, *specially constructed for their uniform manipulation*, he will continue the manufacture of

"Excelsior" and Ammoniated Phosphate,

On his own account, with his office adjoining the works, where he will be pleased to see his friends and patrons, assuring them that the Fertilizers manufactured BY HIM shall be of the *same uniform and high standard quality* as sold by the *old firms* since their introduction.

J. Q. A. HOLLOWAY,

ORIGINATOR and MANUFACTURER of

The above are the most concentrated, universal and durable FERTILIZERS ever offered to the Farmer—combining all the stimulating qualities of Peruvian Guano and the ever durable fertilizing properties of Bones, in fine, dry powder, prepared expressly for drilling, and it is the opinion of many close-calculating farmers, after over twenty years' experience in testing the "EXCELSIOR," manufactured by me, side by side with other popular Fertilizers, that an application of 100 pounds is equal to 200 pounds of any other Fertilizer or Guano ever offered for sale, therefore fully 50 per cent. cheaper. By strictly adhering to my Original Formulas, using only the most concentrated materials, and *superintending in person their manufacture—as for the past twenty years—*

Uniform Quality is Guaranteed.

☞ Farmers to secure the GENUINE EXCELSIOR AND PHOSPHATE prepared according to *my original formulas* established in 1858, should see that every Bag is branded as above, with the *Analysis* and *my name in Red Letters.*

Excelsior $46 per Ton. Phosphate $40 per Ton.

J. Q. A. HOLLOWAY,
Originator and Manufacturer,
107 McElderry's Wharf, Baltimore, Md.

☞ For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR., Chestertown, Md. mr22-3m.

KENT COUNTY

Commissioners' Notice.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF KENT COUNTY will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,

The 18th of March, 1879,

at 10 o'clock A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour

EVERY TUESDAY,

Until the THIRD day of JUNE next.

All persons who have SOLD or TRANSFERRED any ASSESSABLE PROPERTY since the late general assessment are particularly requested to attend at an early day and have their assessments adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 13th of May next,

NO ALTERATION will be made in the assessments during the year.

COLLECTORS,

(One from each Election District,) and also, a

Standard Keeper,

will be appointed on

TUESDAY, the 15th of April next.

☞ All persons having ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE COUNTY are requested to present the same on or before

TUESDAY, the 3rd day of June next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the Levy for this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a fair and clear manner and itemized—to be rendered under oath.

All Applications for PENSIONS

must be made in writing, stating condition and circumstances of applicant, and signed by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

By order of Board,
T. WATERS RUSSELL,
Clerk to Co. Comm. for Kent Co.

Mar. 8, 1879—tm.

J. L. GILL'S NEW SHOE STORE!

JUST OPENED opp. the Voshell House room lately occupied by A. Schwartz.

We propose to keep a

First Class Ladies' Shoe Store,

and have now in store a fine line of FRENCH KID SHOES for Ladies; Same, with CLOTH TOP, for Ladies, Misses and Children; PEB., OIL GOAT, GRAIN, OIL PEB., &c. Also, in stock a beautiful and complete assortment of goods

Made to my own order

and especially adapted to fine tastes and the needs of this vicinity. In this department will be found the most desirable styles for Ladies', Misses' and Children's wear, and prices very low.

A first-class stock of Common SHOES cheap and good as can be had in the city.

☞ Please call and see.

n9-tf. J. L. GILL.

C. H. J. SPARKS,

DEALER IN

GRAIN and COAL,

LOCUST GROVE, MD.

HIGHEST price paid for **CORN,** and *COAL furnished* At the very Lowest Prices, at BLACK'S STATION, on the Kent Co. R. R.

n23-tf.

NOTICE! We have purchased our stock of *FALL & WINTER BOOTS,* at lowest cash prices, and are prepared to offer inducements to buyers. We guarantee every pair of our best Boots. Call and see them at

aug24. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

NEW lot of CALICOES at 5, 6 and 8c. Canton Flannels 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12½c.

n16. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.S.

1879 February. 1879

CLOSING OUT WINTER GOODS

"The Green Front Store"

IS THE PLACE TO BUY CHEAP GOODS!

All Goods marked down this Month.

BOOTS AT COST.

SHOES VERY LOW and good.

KERSEYS, FLANNELS, &c., Prices Reduced.

Now is the time to secure

REAL BARGAINS,

as we are closing out our Winter Stock preparatory to Spring Trade.

We would call your attention to our *CARPET DEPARTMENT.*

Carpets! Carpets!

BRUSSELS from 85c. yd. up.

Three-plys and Ingrains in every style and price. Rugs from $1 up.

Linoleum and Lignums for Halls, Offices &c. Coco, Napier and Straw Mattings, in all prices and patterns.

☞ There is no further need of going to the city to purchase your Carpets, as we are prepared and pledge to give you city prices and a large stock to select from.

J. STAFFORD, JR.

Feb. 22, 1878.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

Gold at Par!

MY WHOLE STOCK AT *WHEAT AND CORN PRICES!*

Great reductions have been made for this Spring's trade. I can suit all, and guarantee satisfaction. After 14 years' experience in the harness business I feel that I can and will give satisfaction in all dealings.

Call and examine my stock of COLLARS, BRIDLES, HALTERS, HARNESS, SADDLES, WHIPS, BITTS, TRUNKS, and a full stock of everything in my line. Be sure and call at

J. F. HOWARD'S, Court St.,

next door to C. F. Stam's drug store, if you want anything in the Harness line. I can accommodate you at lowest prices.

☞ REPAIRING ☜ of all kinds, done at the shortest notice and at reduced prices.

JOHN F. HOWARD,
March 1. Court Street.

WANTED

TO BUY OR FREIGHT

50,000 or more Bushels of GRAIN!

We are daily in communication with the Baltimore market, and are before the farmers competing with any and all buyers for the PURCHASE OF GRAIN, offering the highest market price—less charges for handling—and paying for same when delivered at our Granary or on board vessel. *We are still soliciting Freights of Grain and General Merchandise.* Charges moderate. Prompt and personal attention given to any business entrusted to our care. Mr. WM. H. PALMER is still at the Wharf, where he or I can always be found to attend to any business in our line. Give us a trial.

n23-tf. J. E. TAYLOR.

BOATING, FREIGHTING.

To the FARMERS

And PUBLIC GENERALLY.

I take this method to inform you that I am in the market BUYING ALL KINDS OF GRAIN, for which I will pay the very highest cash price the market will afford, delivered at my warehouse or on the public landings.

All Grain FREIGHTED at 4c. per bushel, and all other Freights carefully handled & carried at extremely low rates. Give us a call. Resp'y,

oc26. CAPT. JAS. H THOMPSON.

Repairing and Cleaning Furniture.

THE undersigned is prepared to repair, clean, varnish, and put in excellent condition all kinds of Furniture. Work done promptly, thoroughly, and at very low prices. JOHN N. DODD, Undertaker.

Chestertown, Jan. 18—tf.

New Goods, Just Received!

R. F. PARKS,

Chestertown, Kent Co., Md.,

HAS on sale at his store (the Brick Building adjoining the Bank, old stand of W. W. Parks & Sons,) a well selected stock of

Domestic Goods,

SUCH AS

PRINTS, MUSLINS,

&c., &c.

My stock of CALICO is very pretty; indeed even our 5 ct. Prints are DURABLE and CHEAP.

Stock of MUSLINS ranging from 3-4 to 10-4 wide is replete.

WAMSUTTA N. B, No. 2 at 11c.; quite a bargain.

Would also call the trade's attention to his Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES!

which in order to reduce stock will sell regardless of cost for Cash.

ALL WINTER GOODS and REMNANTS *closed at a Sacrifice.*

Attention also is called to my stock of

GROCERIES,

which is replete and AS LOW AS THE LOWEST for same grade.

Coffees at "hard pan" prices.

Sugars from 7c. up.

Syrups from 25c. up. New Crop New Orleans, a fine article for sale cheap.

Tobacco from 60c. up.

Our 60c. Tobacco can't be beat.

In fact all goods are to be sold as low as the lowest for same quality.

I desire the public to call and examine stock and prices before purchasing.

☞ *FUR and all kinds Produce* ☜ wanted in exchange for goods or cash.

Respectfully,
R. F. PARKS.

N. B.—CLOVER SEED furnished to farmers at a small advance for cash.

Feb. 8, 1879.

LONDON

Horse and Cattle FOOD!

IS GUARANTEED

To renew Youth,
To prevent Disease,
To produce Flesh,
To prevent and cure Colic,
To prevent Heaves and Broken Wind,
To cure Coughs and Colds,
To cure Epizootic and Influenza,
To cure Glanders,
To kill Botts and Worms,
To loosen the Hide,
To lay the Hair,
To clean the Blood,

If used according to directions.

Put up in boxes and for sale by

C. F. STAM,
Chestertown, Agent.

Copy of Original Testimonials.

Baltimore, Jan. 31, 1879.

MR. J. S. KNAPP—Sir: I have made a thorought est of the London Food and recommend it to the public as a good Improvement Food for Horses. I will use it in preference to any condition powders I know of. [They have 300 horses.]

Respectfully, R. PRICE,
Sup't Citizens Line Street R. R.

Carrollton, Carroll Co., Md., Feb. 11, 1879.

JOHN S. KNAPP—Sir: Having used the London Horse and Cattle Food on both my horses and cows, I cheerfully recommend it to the public as a good condition food for the horse and a profitable condiment for cattle, as it will cause cows to give more milk and make at least 25 per cent. more butter than any condition powders I ever used. Hoping this will induce my friends to try it, after which I am convinced they will bear the same testimony as to its merits as I do.

Yours, respectfully,
mh8-tf. JACOB M. HOFF.

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Parisian, Vienna & London Novelties.

CARD CASES, DRESSING CASES, POCKET NECESSARIES, etc.

T. W. WICKES' DRUG STORE

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SOMETHING NEW!

I HAVE determined to establish at my Store, a

News Depot,

where may be found ALL THE LEADING PERIODICALS OF THE DAY, viz: Harper's Monthly, Scribner's Monthly, St. Nicholas, Atlantic Monthly, New York Nation, North American Review, Waverly Magazine, Baltimore Saturday Night, New York Weekly, New York Ledger, &c.,

COLIN F. STAM,
Jan. 4, 1879. DRUGGIST.

New Coal and Wood Yard!

H. M. THOMAS,

HAS opened a COAL & WOOD YARD on Cannon St., adjoining Lambert's Carriage Factory, and has now on hand a fine stock of COAL of the different varieties, and OAK and PINE WOOD, all of which he will sell at lowest prices.

NEW SCALES guaranteed correct.

HAY, BLADES, &c., weighed carefully. Terms moderate.

n16-tf. H. M. THOMAS.

Up-Town Grocery.

JAMES WOOD, at his up-town Family Grocery, makes a specialty of FLOUR, MEAL and FEED STUFF. Families will find a variety of such goods as are requisite to the wants of the household; also Tobacco, Cigars, &c.

☞ "Quick Sales and Small Profits" my motto. Give me a call.

febl-t* JAMES WOOD.

LORD BALTIMORE SUGAR CURED HAMS Enterprise Roasted COFFEE, as low as they can be bought anywhere in town. WHEATLEY BROS.

March 1, 1879.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

Chester River Steamboat Company.

The Steamer B. S. FORD

Will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn Creek, Queenstown & Kent Island.

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

feb8. B. S. FORD, Pres't.

The Steamer Chester

On March 1, 1879, will resume the route on

Sassafras River,

touching at Tolchester, Buck Neck, and all the Landings on Sassafras River.

Leaves Baltimore 10½ a.m., for Georgetown and all the above landings.

Leaves Georgetown 7½ for Baltimore.
" Buck Neck at 10 " "
" Tolchester at 10½ " "

The TRUMPETER, which is having a new boiler put in and thoroughly overhauled, will be fitted up with a handsome upper saloon and many other improvements, and will be ready for the route about the first of May.

WM. CUNDIFF, Master.

March 1, 1879.

Phila. Wilmington & Balt. Railroad

Del. Division—Time Table

FALL ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after MONDAY, Sep. 23, 1878, Sundays excepted, Trains will leave as follows:

NORTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Delmar	.....	8 30	2 20
Laurel	.....	8 41	2 36
SEAFORD	.....	8 54	2 53
Bridgeville