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The Kent News.

SATURDAY.....FEB. 14, 1880.

MANLY SENTIMENTS.— *The Duello in Virginia.*—Mr. W. C. Elam, editor of the Richmond *Whig*, and Hon. C. W. Button, of the Lynchburg *Virginian*, have had a correspondence on the subject of an editorial in the latter which Mr. Elam assumed to have reference to him, the language in the Virginian describing some one in the Whig office as "a hired scribbler."—Mr. Button declined on demand to say other than that "the allusion cited from the Virginian was intended for the author of the insulting article in the Whig, presumed to be yourself." Mr. Elam then made some tentative efforts to bring the matter, after the old and now almost obsolete style of so-called chivalry, to the arbitrament of arms. Mr. Button, with a firmness which should serve as an example hereafter, declined either to retract or to fight, but at the conclusion of the correspondence notified Mr. Elam, through the latter's friend, that if he wanted to meet him he would find him (Mr. Button) in his office, where, if Elam contemplated an attack, he would be ready to receive him. Mr. Button put his refusal to retract upon the ground that if Elam was not the author of the insulting article in the Whig, then the Virginian's language did not apply to him, and if he was the author it was to stand, while his refusal to fight a duel was on conscientious grounds; but at the same time he declared his readiness to defend himself if attacked. The manly tone of Mr. Button's final letter is indicated in the following extract:

"I do not propose, in any contingency, to follow you out of this State on a hostile errand, in violation of the laws of God and my country; nor do I care to add to the number of fools whose quarrels are, through such intervention as you propose, 'amicably and honorably adjusted.' I will further tell you, what, it seems to me, you should have known, that, as a Christian man, I am opposed to duelling; do not accept the so-called 'Code of Honor,' and hereby declare that no power on earth could induce me to do violence to my conscience in this regard. I do not wish to shoot at and kill you, nor do I intend to be a victim to a wicked and barbarous practice that my soul abhors. Besides, I think that my life is worth more than yours, for I am devoting the remnant of it that remains to the inculcation of private morality and upright principles of public policy, from which I shall not be deterred by the fear of man. And now, if it be any satisfaction to you to say that I refuse to accept an invitation to the field, you are full liberty to say so, for such is the fact."

This seems to have ended the controversy, except that Mr. Elam sent another letter, which Mr. Button would not receive unless it should contain a disclaimer of the authorship of the article to which his was a retort, and which Mr. Elam's friend admitted it did not. Mr. Elam, with his friend, appears to have passed the office of the Virginian twice subsequently and then took the cars for Richmond.

The question now is, who was the coward in the affair? Certainly not Mr. Button. If either, we should answer, Elam; as in certain portions of the South it requires more courage to decline a challenge than to fight a duel. The conduct of Mr. Button throughout could not have been more in keeping with his high character as a citizen and a Christian gentleman, and it will receive the approbation of all right-minded people. No man in Virginia is held in higher esteem for exalted virtues, by a numerous acquaintance, than is C. W. Button, of the Lynchburg *Virginian*; he is a man of marked ability and unflinching courage, and, while his life has been marked by noble deeds, the sentiments expressed in the above extract—backed by his conduct—will be recorded one of the brightest pages in his history.

Pennsylvania and Grant.

The Philadelphia *Telegraph* and other papers of that city declare that Grant is not the choice of one-third of the Republicans of Pennsylvania, and that the convention instructed the delegates to the national convention to vote for him simply at the dictum of Senator Cameron. The *Telegraph* says:

A greater mockery could not be indulged in than that of tendering to Gen. Grant the vote of Pennsylvania by virtue of the resolution which the majority of the convention adopted. They did not in any manner represent the Republican voters of Pennsylvania, not even a majority of them, not even themselves, their own wishes or feelings. They represented wholly and solely the determination of Mr. Cameron, to which was and is opposed the general will of the people. It could not make any difference the day after the election for the leaders of the ruined Republican party, if they should succeed in forcing the nomination of Gen. Grant, to say that the opposition to the third term arose from innorance, or bigotry. Before the ruin is invited or participated, let the so-called leaders simply recognize that the third term exists; that it cannot be argued or forced away; that it affords the enemy a most powerful element of contention, of which they will avail themselves; and that it will prove a most potent cause of disintegration of the party itself, alienating tens of thousands of voters, who, if an unobstructionable candidate were nominated, would give their votes to the Republican ticket. No party has ever yet left out the people with success, and yet this movement of Mr. Cameron's not only refuses to recognize the people, but makes his simple dictum absolute. He assumes, in contravention of the fullest and freest expression of the common will, to assert his own will. It is unquestionable that Gen. Grant would, if elected, be a more useful President to Mr. Cameron than any other candidate that could be selected; and in the mad folly of a success which has been obtained in every instance by the Chiefs of Lochiel through the debauchery of Legislatures, he believes that he canot be defeated in his schemes of personal gain and ambition. No Cameron ever was elected to an office in Pennsylvania by a vote of the people, no Cameron could be, and the candidate who has a Cameron for a leader enters the contest half-defeated by his leader's unpopularity.

FLOGGING IN DELAWARE.—Five prisoners, all of them convicted of petty offenses at the February term of court, were publically whipped in the jail yard at New Castle, Delaware, Saturday last, in the presence of about 200 spectators. Two of them were white and the rest col'd men.

GOVERNOR GEAR, of Iowa, in his inaugural said:—"It may be confidently expected that the federal census of 1880 will place Iowa as the sixth State in the Union in population, the first in the production of corn and pork, and not lower than second in the growth of wheat.

IN December, 1875, the House of Representatives passed this resolution without debate:

"That, in the opinion of the House, the precedent established by Washington and other Presidents of the United States, in retiring from the Presidential office after their second term, has become by universal concurrence a part of our republican system of government, and that any departure from this time-honored custom would be unwise, unpatriotic, and fraught with peril to our free institutions."

Out of the two hundred and fifty-one members of the House, says the *Savanah News*, who put themselves on record on this resolution—and that number included nearly all present at the time—only eighteen dared to vote against it. The pitiful minority was made up of men like Jere Haralson, of Alabama, Page, of California and the convict negro Smalls.

ADOLPH E. BORIE, ex-Secretary of the Navy, died at his residence in Philadelphia, on the 5th instant, aged 71 years.

GOVERNOR HAMILTON is the fortieth Chief Executive who has been formally inducted into office in the present Senate chamber.

IT is said the advance in the price of paper will cost the New York *Sun* $75,000 more this year than last. A dividend-eating sum that.

HAS one State, in releasing a scoundrel from prison on condition that he leave the State where confined, a right to inflict that scoundrel upon some other State? Yet it is frequently done. Can any Governor legally annex any such condition to a pardon?

$15. THE BEST $15

SETS OF TEETH.

GOLD FILLING, $2.00.
SILVER FILLING, $1.00.
No extra charge for extracting Teeth with Gas.
MARYLAND DENTAL ASSOCIATION, Dr. S. E. Brown, Operator, No. 61 Lexington. St., 3d door west of Charles, Balto.
REFERENCES—J. P. DeCorse, Esq., Dr. Whaland, C. H. Baker, Esq. an4-y.

Freighting.

THE undersigned has made special arrangements for receiving and caring for goods in Baltimore. Receiving every Wednesday and Thursday at the foot of Commerce St.; an agent will attend when the boats are away.
FREIGHT on all Grains 4c. per bushel by weight.
GOODS, &c., PURCHASED at wholesale prices when the cash is advanced.—*Not responsible for orders when the money does not accompany them.*
Contractors, and others, buying in Baltimore, would save money to consult us.

FOR SALE:
20,000 Bushels Fresh Burnt
SHELL LIME,
ready for delivery any where on Chester River or its tributaries, where there is a depth of five feet of water.
Personal and strict attention given to all orders. Thankful for past favors.
JAMES H. THOMPSON,
fe7-tf. CHESTERTOWN.

READ!
AND REMEMBER:
That you can buy Goods as Cheap at
J. A. PERKINS'
AS ANY PLACE IN TOWN.
See our prices:

Yellow Sugars	from 7 to 9c.
White "	" 11 to 12½.
Coffee	" 12½ to 22.
Teas	" 50 to 80c.

FLOUR

By the Barrel	$6.25 to $9.50
" Bag	80 to $1.30
" Pound	2½ to c.
BUCKWHEAT, by the bag	$1.00
TOBACCO	45c. to $1.00
Home-made Mince Meat	12½c.
" " Sausage	12c.
Crackers	10 to 12c.
CIGARS—the best in town	2 for 5c.

We keep on hand at all times a stock of first-class VEGETABLES and MEATS.
Any patronage thankfully received.—Give us a call and see if we do not debusiness conscientiously.
J. A. PERKINS,
Opposite the new M. E. Church.
Country Produce wanted. jn10.

Don't Read This!
A Secret for Husbands,
As well as their wives;
Protect well your pockets,
'Twill prolong sure your lives.
CHAS. T. DILL. WM. T. MILLER.
DILL & MILLER
Having secured the shops on PRINCESS STREET, IN CHESTERTOWN formerly occupied by Mr. Daniel P Cox, have formed a copartnership, and are now prepared to fill orders and execute in the most careful and skillful manner all
Blacksmithing & Wheelwright Work
that may be entrusted to them.
Mr. DILL, having perfected himself in all styles of iron and steel work, at the Tasker Iron Works in Delaware, and worked the trade successfully for over three years with Messrs. Chapman & Lambert in Chestertown, will devote his best skill and experience to the interest of those who patronize the firm, and Mr. MILLER having several years' experience in the trade will at all times be found ready to lend his aid to the satisfactory completion of all work given them to do.
An efficient wheelwright has been secured and arrangements made to have all styles of Painting and Trimming done at the shops.
We respectfully ask a share of the trade in our line.
Charges low and reasonable
Jan. 10, 1880. DILL & MILLER.

We have just completed laying in our WINTER STOCK of
LUMBER,
and will be pleased to show the said Lumber to those wanting any.
SPECIAL and LOWER FIGURE given NOW for Spring delivery in lots along the shore from Crumpton to Wilson's Point.
TURNER BROTHERS.
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PAPER HANGINGS.
HOWELL & BROTHERS,
Being the only manufacturers of
Wall Papers
South of Philadelphia, can offer great inducements to country purchasers, both in regard to assortment and price.
Persons not caring to come to Baltimore, can have samples sent by mail.
Our WINDOW SHADE Department is stocked with Window Shades of all descriptions, at lowest prices.
Country Merchants will find it advantageous to buy direct from the manufacturers.
HOWELL & BROTHERS,
200 Baltimore St., opp. Hanover,
jan24-3m. Baltimore, Md.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.
BY virtue of authority conferred upon me as Collector of Taxes by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Samuel Doman, col'd, in and to
A HOUSE
AND LOT OF GROUND
on the road from Mann's Corner to Delaney's, in the First Election District of Kent county, adjoining the lands of John Crossley, and others.
And I hereby give notice, that on
Tuesday, March 2nd, 1880
at 1½ P.M., at the Court House in Chestertown, I will sell said property for cash to pay taxes due from said Samuel Doman: Taxes due for 1879.....$4.46
together with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
R. F. MOFFETT,
Feb. 7—ts.[5.00] Coll. 1st Dist.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.
BY VIRTUE of authority conferred upon me as Collector by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Geo. Oldham Massey, and any and every other person or persons holding claim to said property, of, in and to
All that FARM or TRACT of LAND
Known as THE WM. BOYER FARM
situated on the road from Chesterville to Millington, about one mile from the former place, in the First Election District, now occupied by John N. Edwards, and
Containing about 120 Acres.
The above named property was sold some time since to a Mr. Strahan, and is now controlled by him. The said Strahan having refused to pay the taxes due, I shall on
Tuesday, March 2d, 1880,
at the Court House, in Chestertown, at 11½ o'clock A. M., proceed to sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the taxes due for 1879.....$22.83
together with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
R. F. MOFFETT,
feb7-ts.[6.25] Coll. 1st Dist.

Collector's Sale.
BY VIRTUE of authority conferred upon me as Collector by Act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of James Boyer, colored, of, in and to
A HOUSE
AND LOT OF LAND,
near Chesterville, in the First Election District of Kent county, adjoining Geo. Matthews, col'd, and others.
And I hereby give notice, that on
Tuesday, March 2d, 1880,
at 12½ o'clock P. M., at the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell the said property for cash to pay the taxes due from said James Boyer, col'rd:
State and County taxes for 1879..... $2.43
together with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
R. F. MOFFETT,
Feb. 7—ts.[5.00] Coll. 1st Dist.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.
BY virtue of authority conferred by act of Assembly, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of Thomas Ashley, col'rd, of, in and to all that
DWELLING HOUSE
And LOT OF LAND
in Riley's Neck, in the First Election District of Kent county.
And I hereby give notice, that on
Tuesday, March 2d, 1880,
at the Court House door in Chestertown, at twelve o'clock M., I will sell the said property for cash to pay the taxes due from said Thomas Ashley:
For the year 1879.....$1.94
together with interest and cost due and to become due thereon.
R. F. MOFFETT,
Feb7-ts.[5.00] Coll. 1st Dist.

NEW STORE!
NEW GOODS!
E. W. F. SIMPERS
Opposite C. F. Stam's Drug Store,
DEALER IN
DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS,
QUEENSWARE,
GROCERIES:—Coffees, Teas, Sugar, Rice, Molasses, Syrup, Chocolate, Vinegar, Cheese.
CANNED PEACHES, TOMATOES, CORN, COAL OIL.
FLOUR—by the bbl., bag or pound.
MEATS:
HAMS, SHOULDERS, DRIED BEEF.
Tobacco and Segars,
My goods were bought at CASH prices, and will be sold at small advance. A call solicited.
E. W. F. SIMPERS,
Jan. 31, 1880. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

TO THE FARMERS
OF KENT,
AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.
We have ENLARGED
Our Shops in Chestertown
in order to accommodate the public with good work and at low figures. We have associated with us
MR. THOMAS A. SAPPINGTON,
whom we consider one of the best machinists and mechanics in the State. He has worked in our Shops for four years; he also worked in the Champion works for four years at Springfield, Ohio, which gives him a knowledge of the business he undertakes, and persons may rely upon whatever he says in business.
Feeling thankful for past patronage we respectfully ask for a continuance of the same, as we shall endeavor to make it the interest of farmers to patronize us.
j31-tf. W. A. HYLAND & CO.

NOTICE.
WE take pleasure in informing our customers and the public that we have made arrangements for building an addition to our present Factory, for the purpose of putting in new and improved machinery which has already been ordered. These improvements will be completed at an early date, and we will thereby be much better prepared for manipulating and supplying the increasing demand for our "STANDARD."
Thanking our many friends for past favors, we solicit their future valued orders. Respectfully,
T. R. HUBBARD & SON,
jan24-4t. CHESTERTOWN.

SILVER PLATED WARE
A large stock constantly kept on hand by C. F. STAM, DRUGGIST.

BARGAINS!!
—IN—
WINTER GOODS.
J. H. SIMPERS,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.,
Is now offering a large and carefully selected stock of WINTER GOODS, at the
Lowest Cash Prices!
DRY GOODS—Dress Goods in various styles; Dress Ginghams, Calicoes, Muslins, Red, White and Grey Flannels, Canton Flannels, Cassimeres, Kerseys; bl'k, Navy Blue, Seal Brown, and Grey Waterproof, &c.
NOTIONS.—Gents' Ladies', Misses' & Children's Hosiery, Gloves, Hdk'fs, Collars, Shawls in variety, Skirts and Clouds, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Vests, Gents' Underwear, &c.
Boots and Shoes!
Boots and Shoes!
Men's Heavy Boots, all prices.
Boys' Heavy Boots, all prices.
Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, in great variety, all at low prices.
HATS and CAPS
For MEN AND BOYS,
of the Latest Styles.
Ingrain, Rag and Hemp CARPETS.
Floor, Table and Step OIL CLOTHS, at low prices.
Queensware and Woodenware,
Groceries, Sugars, Coffee, Syrup, Soap, &c.
Tobacco and Segars,
Stock large—Prices the Lowest.
A call solicited.
Jan. 10, 1880. J. H. SIMPERS.

Important Notice!
No More SICK HORSES or CATTLE.
The introduction of the
English Condition Powders,
In our American market, exempt from duty, freight, &c., has proved to the thousands who are daily using them that they have been a long felt want.
For the past half century they have grown in public favor and general use in all quarters of the Globe, until their name and fame is world-wide.
There is not an ailment (known in Veterinary practice) of the Horse, Cow, Sheep or Pig, but yield to their miraculous influence.
Their rare balsamic properties are conveyed to every part of the brute creation, and immediate relief is given.
They heal Internal Ulcerations, banish all derangements, and give the stomach proper tone.
No Stock-owner need despair a cure, whilst this *never-failing remedy* can be obtained; and the reputation they bear from all quarters of the *Globe* is fully borne out by the success they have attained—corroborated by testimonials of all classes and countries.
They have cured Thousands of Cases conceded Incurable.
The many ailments of each class of animals and their various forms are too extended to discuss. But we *guarantee* in each case a tenfold remuneration for the small investment that places them within reach of the most humble who often have to rely on their stock for support.
The majority are more directly interested in Horses, and to them we say one trial will convince you that they work wonders; and no matter how doubtful the case is, you will invariably be benefitted, & your animals made & kept healthy by their use.
English Condition Powders
are a *certain* and *speedy remedy*, no matter what the disease is, or how complicated. They are not a temporary, but have *invariably* proved to be a *radical cure.*
They *restore health* and *produce flesh, milk and butter.* They aid digestion and assimilation, and thoroughly renovate the system, and will be found invaluable and remunerative to every stock-owner.
TO CONSUMERS.—They are only one-third the price of all others, and are as superior in quality as quantity.
The following TESTIMONIALS speak of their merits:
Baltimore, June 17, 1879.
Mr. P. Warren—Sir: We have been handling your English Condition Powders for some time past, and find that their merits as compared with similar compounds, meet a want seldom (if at all) found in goods of a similar class. With Patrons of Husbandry they are growing into favor rapidly. Signed: H. O. DEVRIES,
Ag't Maryland State Grange.
Ashland House, 24th St. & 4th Avenue, *New York City*, Mar. 10, 1879.
I have used the English Condition Powders and can recommend them to the turf profession as being pure and similar to the imported, and would use no other.—For purity and quality they are *unequalled* and invaluable to horsemen.
Signed, HARRY HARTMAN,
Late manager Budd Doble's Turf Stock.
Baltimore, Md., Aug. 6, 1879.
P. Warren, Esq.—Sir: The English Condition Powders are conceded by all my patrons to be the *purest, cheapest* and *best* on the market; and have worked wonders where used. I sell five times as many of *them* as all others combined.
Resp'y, &c., THOS. J. STACK,
Feed & Grain dealer, 112 Linden ave.
Baltimore, Md., Aug. 11, 1879.
Mr. P. Warren—I used one pound box of your English Condition Powders on a mare which was so poor and weak she had to be raised when she laid down. She is now in perfect health and good flesh, and I credit it all to the Powders.
GEO. R. HEBBELL,
Penna. ave. and Clifton st.
AND THOUSANDS OF OTHERS.
Full directions accompany each box.
Sold in Drug, Feed and General Stores, at the very low price of One Pound box 25 cts.; Three Pound box 50c.; Six Pound box 99 cts.
Sold wholesale in Baltimore by wholesale Druggists; THOS. A. AGNEW & CO., wholesale grocers, Pratt and Eutaw sts.; the MARYLAND GRANGE AGENCY, 83 S. Charles St., and by
The English Manufacturing Co.,
9 S. Holliday St., Baltimore, Md.,
Sole Manufacturers for the U. S.
WANTED—One Agent for each county. Liberal advertising furnished free, and commission on all sales. n8y.

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A FULL STOCK OF
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS & SHOES,
NOTIONS,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
—AT—
THOMPSON'S,
UP TOWN.
Jan. 17, 1880.

Look to your Interest!
JUST RECEIVED
LARGE ASSORTMENT
OF
FURNITURE,
Which all who wish to purchase would do well to examine, at
J. A. SHAW'S,
COURT STREET,
Dec. 10, 1879. CHESTERTOWN.

C. A. GAMBRILL'S
Brands of FLOUR,
by the lb., bag, or barrel, at
THOMPSON'S, Up town.

GEO. E. LEARY. ELMER E. LEARY.
GEO. E. LEARY & SON.
Lumber! Lumber!
At LEARY'S FACTORY,
GREY'S INN.
A LARGE STOCK of WHITE PINE, VA. PINE, N. C. PINE, Va. White Oak, ASH and CYPRESS of all qualities and dimensions to suit the trade.
Also,
SHINGLES, LATHS and PALES.
The above mentioned Lumber has been purchased direct from the Mills in the North and South, without the usual expenses of wharfage, inspection, commission, hauling and refreighting, which expenses we will divide with our customers. Or, will deliver wholesale at any point in the river at 5 per ct.
Remanufacturing.
We have just perfected machinery to remanufacture the above Lumber into FLOORING,
Rustic or German SIDING,
Window and Door FRAMES,
CART FELLOES,
SLATS, STANDARDS,
PLOW BEAMS,
and RAILS
or in any desirable shape to suit.
Virgin or Shingle Cypress for FENCING a specialty.
GRAIN ground for feed Wednesdays.
We solicit inspection and will give prompt attention to all orders.
GEO. E. LEARY & SON,
GREY'S INN.
P. S.—As we are constantly employed at the Factory and have not the time nor desire to dun, those indebted to us will please call and settle at once.
G. E. LEARY & SON.
Jan. 3, 1880.

12 Years' Experience!
IT WILL BE TO YOUR INTEREST TO CALL AT
GEO. E. LAMBERT'S
THREE STORY
E. SHORE CARRIAGE FACTORY
Opposite M. P. Church, CHESTERTOWN,
Where can be seen the latest styles Carriages, such as the Brewster Side Bar and Spring Buggy, Jenny Lynns, Jump Seats, Plain Rockaways, Sash-door Rockaways, all of his own make, of the best material, and by workmen who have certificates from the first class factories of the country.
We keep on hand a large lot of material of the best quality, bought at lowest margin, together with a large force of workmen, and we can turn out jobs at short notice, all of which are guaranteed for 18 months. Our Carriages took *first premiums* at the Kent Co. Fair three years in succession while other Factories were in competition.
We trade our new work for second-hand, or for wheat, corn, horses, cattle or country produce, to accommodate.
REPAIRING done at short notice and guaranteed.
Specialty:—We would call attention to our *light running Express Wagons, Dearborns, &c.*
Grateful to our patrons for past favors and promise of future support, we have determined to enlarge our business, and shall employ a force sufficient to buil 50 to 100 Carriages, besides the large amount of repairing we have to do.
jy3. GEO. E. LAMBERT.

1880.
Established 1868.
J. B. SAPPINGTON
CROSS STREET,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
And dealer in Fancy Brands FAMILY, EXTRA and SUPER FLOUR.
Please remember we have an *experience of Twelve Years*, and guarantee to please all who favor us with their patronage.
Call and examine our prices and terms.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
J. B. SAPPINGTON,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Jan. 3, 1880.

FRUIT TREES
And FLOWERS.
W. S. STEPHENS & CO.,
Agents for the
FREDERICK NURSERIES
Are now in Kent canvassing for orders. They call special attention to their
RUSSIAN APPLES
which are suited to this latitude, viz: The Duchess of Oldenburg, Tetofsky, Pewaukee, Late Russian, Magog and Peter the Great. These have proved to be adapted to our trying climate; they are as hardy as an oak, and come into bearing the second year after transplanting.
They belong to a different class, and are very desirable because they add five more to the very short list of extra hardy fruits.
We would also call attention to the
"Bower's Early Peach."
This Peach originated in Woodsboro', Frederick county, Maryland, and is a free stone of large size, some of the specimens measuring ten inches in circumference. It is light fleshed with a beautiful dark red cheek and of excellent quality.
Thos. Meehan, of the *Gardeners' Monthly*, says: "It is a great pleasure to see so large a size with so early a fruit. The flavor was exquisite. So far as it is possible to judge we should say this is a long way in advance of our best early kind."
We have also a fine collection of
HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES,
Bourbon Roses, Tea Roses.
Clinging Roses, Moss Roses,
China or Bengal Roses,
DECIDUOUS AND ORNAMENTAL TREES.
These Nurseries are best known for reliability in the neighborhood where located, and we are prepared to give references of some of the most prominent citizens of this State. Purchasers may confidently rely upon all orders filled being as represented.
Packing and shipping in the best possible manner. Address
W. S. STEPHENS & CO.,
jan17m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

BUY YOUR
LUMBER
SHINGLES, LATHS,
SASH, DOORS, BRICKS, &C.,
AT LOW PRICES, FROM
SAMUEL BURNS & CO.,
104 LIGHT ST. WHARF,
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FOR
ALL KINDS OF
LUMBER,
SHINGLES, LATHS, &c.
GO TO
E. E. Jackson & Co.,
18 West Falls Avenue, near Pratt St. Bridge,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Nov. 22, 1879.

SHINGLES!
FULL STOCK! CHEAP!
LUMBER! LUMBER!
PLEASE WRITE FOR PRICES.
GEO. F. SLOAN & BRO.,
(LATE OF BURNS & SLOAN,)
132 Light Street Wharf, Baltimore.

"REFORM"
In the 2nd Election District.
PROMPT collections and speedy disbursements is the plank of the Reform platform upon which I stand. All Taxes not paid on or before
The First of January next,
will be collected according to law without reference to No. 0's, 1's or 2's.
Suffice it to say, I am going to close this matter up, and all who do not settle by that time will be advertised forthwith.
Will be in Chestertown every Tuesday. Kennedyville Saturday afternoons.
Residence—G. W. Davis'. P. O. address, Still Pond.
n153m. W. S. BUSICK.

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.

CHESTERTOWN
Coal and Wood Yard.
H. M. THOMAS,
AT his COAL & WOOD YARD, on Cannon Sreet, adjoining Lambert's Carriage Factory, keeps always 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.
jan3. H. M. THOMAS.

REQUEST.
Those who are indebted to me would do me *quite a kindness* by paying at least a portion of the amount. It is the only way I have to pay my own debts.
oct25-tf. THOS. H. WHALAND.

JUST RECEIVED,
Mattrasses, Bedsteads,
Chairs, Lounges, Bureaus.
BOOTS AND SHOES in great variety.
Ladies' hand-made Gaiters of excellent quality and latest style.
For sale at
JAMES A. SHAW'S,
Oct. 11, 1879. Court Street.

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.

Choicest PERFUMES
AND COLOGNES,
for sale by C. F. STAM,
jan10. DRUGGIST.

HEADQUARTERS
for LIME, HAIR,
and Whitewash BRUSHES, at
THOMPSON'S, Up town.

CHESTER RIVER
STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

FALL ARRANGEMENT.
On and after Sept. 17, 1879,
The Steamer B. S. FORD
Will leave Chestertown for Balt. every Monday, Wednesday & Friday, at 8 a. m., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island. Returning, leave Baltimore at 10 a. m., every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, making all the above stops.
GEO. WARFIELD,
Pres't Chester River Steamboat Co.

Phila. Wilmington & Balt. Railroad.

Del. Division—Time Table

ON and after MONDAY, Nov. 10, 1879, Sundays excepted, Trains will leave as follows:

NORTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Delmar	.....	8 25	2 55
Laurel	.....	8 36	3 08
SEAFORD	.....	8 47	3 21
Bridgeville	.....	9 00	3 36
Greenwood	.....	9 08	3 46
Farmington	.....	9 15	3 55
Harrington	6 20	9 25	4 07
Felton	6 32	9 36	4 19
Canterbury	6 37	9 40	4 24
Woodside	6 42	9 44	4 29
Wyoming	6 49	9 51	4 37
DOVER	6 56	9 58	4 45
Moorton	7 06	10 07	4 56
Brenford	7 13	10 14	5 03
SMYRNA	7 00	10 00	4 55
Clayton	7 19	10 22	5 09
Green Spring	7 24	10 27	5 14
Blackbird	7 32	10 34	5 22
Townsend	7 37	10 39	5 28
MIDDLETOWN	7 55	10 56	5 45
Mt. Pleasant	8 03	11 04	5 54
Kirkwood	8 12	11 13	6 04
Rodney	8 14	11 15	6 06
Bear	8 22	11 23	6 14
State Road	8 25	11 26	6 17
New Castle	8 33	11 33	6 25
Delaware Junction	8 43	11 43	.....
WILMINGTON arrive	8 50	11 50	6 45
PHILADELPHIA "	9 50	1 15	8 25
BALTIMORE "	11 35	3 35	9 25
SOUTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
BALTIMORE	7 05	9 45	3 05
PHILADELPHIA	8 00	11 45	5 15
WILMINGTON	9 15	1 10	6 30
Delaware Junction	9 23	.....	6 38
New Castle	9 33	1 25	6 50
State Road	9 35	1 27	6 52
Bear	9 43	1 35	7 00
Rodney	9 46	1 38	7 03
Kirkwood	9 52	1 44	7 10
Mt. Pleasant	10 01	1 54	7 20
MIDDLETOWN	10 18	2 11	7 38
Townsend	10 27	2 19	7 47
Blackbird	10 34	2 23	7 52
Green Spring	10 41	2 30	8 00
Clayton	10 47	2 35	8 06
SMYRNA (arrive)	11 00	2 50	8 20
Brenford	10 52	2 40	8 11
Moorton	11 00	2 47	8 19
DOVER	11 12	2 59	8 31
Wyoming	11 19	3 05	8 37
Woodside	11 27	3 11	8 45
Canterbury	11 32	3 15	8 50
Felton	11 37	3 20	8 55
Harrington	11 51	3 31	9 05
Farmington	11 59	3 38	.....
Greenwood	12 08	3 46	.....
Bridgeville	12 18	3 55	.....
SEAFORD	12 37	4 10	.....
Laurel	12 51	4 23	.....
Delmar	1 05	4 35	.....

CONNECTIONS.—At Townsend, with Q. A. & Kent road. At Clayton, with Md. & Del. Railroad and Kent Co. Railroad.
n15-tf. H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

Kent Co., Smyrna & Del. Bay R. R
Connecting with Delaware R. R. at Clayton.
On and after Monday, Nov. 10, 1879, until further notice, trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH. LEAVE	A M Passenger No. 1. Daily.	P M. Mixed, No. 3. Thr'dy.
Chestertown	8 15	3 00
Worton	8 30	3 15
Lynch's	8 40	3 25
Still Pond	8 45	3 30
Kennedyville	9 00	3 45
Blacks	9 10	4 00
Lambson	9 20	4 10
Masseys	9 35	4 25
*Delanys	9 50	4 40
*Bingham	10 00	4 50
arr Clayton	10 22	5 00
leave "	10 22	5 09
" Middlet'n	10 56	5 45
" Wilmington	11 50 a m	6 00
arr Philadelphia	1 15	8 25
Baltimore	3 35	9 25
New York	4 45	3 45

GOING SOUTH. LEAVE	Passenger No. 2. Daily ex. Th'y A M	Mixed No. 4. A M.	Pass'gr No. 5. Th'sdy. P M.
New York	8 15	4 20	1 00
Baltimore	9 45	7 15	3 05
Philadelphia	11 45	8 00	5 15
Wilmington	1 10 p m	9 15	6 30
Middletown	2 11	10 21	7 38
arrClayton	2 35	10 57	8 22
leave "	2 45	11 00	8 30
arr*Binghams	3 00	11 15	8 45
*Delanys	3 10	11 25	8 00
Masseys	3 25	11 40	9 45
Lambson	3 40	11 55	9 00
Blacks	3 50	12 05 p m	9 10
Kennedyville	4 00	12 15	9 20
Still Pond	4 10	12 24	9 30
Lynchs	4 15	12 34	9 35
Worton	4 25	12 44	9 40
arrChestertown	4 40	1 00	9 55

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents.
Freight for Delaney and Bingham's must be prepaid.
The morning trains make connection at Clayton with the Delaware Railroad going North and South.
Passengers on morning train to and from Baltimore change cars at Wilmington or Delaware Junction.
Trains run on Phila. time, which is 5 minutes faster than Balt. time.
Round-trip tickets to Baltimore from al points on Kent Road $5, good 4 days.
Nov. 8—tf. FRED. GERKER, Lessee.

BARBER SHOP.
WOOLFORD & McCOY in the room adjoining the express office near C. F. Stam's drug store.
If you want a good, clean, easy shave, go to WOOLFORD & McCOY'S.
If you want your hair neatly cut, go to WOODFORD & McCOY'S.
Gentlemen, give us a trial, and we will guarantee you satisfaction.
March 1, 1879—tf.

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We are grateful for past favors, and we respectfully solicit a continuance of public patronage.
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