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Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN:

SATURDAY MORNING.....MARCH 18, 1882.

THE health of Gov. Hamilton has improved, and he has examined and signed a number of bills during the week.

IT is estimated that Collector Webster has received 5,000 applications for positions and there are less than 200 offices within his appointing power.

A BILL has been introduced in Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to place on the pension roll the names of the surviving officers and enlisted men who served in the war with Mexico and in the Indian war of 1836. This is a rather late move, but these men are just as much entitled to pensions as those who served in the last war.

THE lumber yards of Messrs. George F. Sloan & Bro. and Messrs. Wm. S. Taylor & Co., on Light street wharf, Baltimore, were burned out last Sunday night. Both firms had a large stock of lumber on hand, but being regular advertisers in this paper, it is but natural that we should express gratification at the announcement that they were fully insured. No doubt they will resume at an early day.

THE Maryland Court of Appeals decides an estate is not properly chargeable with the expense of a "funeral dinner." The court holds that "such entertainments are not the ordinary, and certainly not the necessary, incidents of funerals; nor are they within the contemplation of the law which provides for the allowance of reasonable funeral expenses, having reference to the condition and circumstances of the deceased."

PROF. JAS. R. WEBSTER, of Baltimore City College, died Wednesday afternoon, after a few days' illness, at his home in that city. He was in the 57th year of his age. He was paralyzed Sunday morning, and from that time was conscious only at brief intervals. Prof. Webster was a brother of Rev. Augustus Webster, pastor emeritus of St. John's Independent Methodist Church, and a cousin of Col. Edwin H. Webster, collector of the port.

MR. PATTISON, the comptroller of the treasury of the city of Philadelphia, is prominently named as the next democratic candidate for governor of Pennsylvania. He has the earnest and influential support of Hon. Samuel J. Randall, who says, not only that Mr. Pattison can be elected, but that with him, in the executive chair, the State would certainly go democratic at the next presidential election.

HON. ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS, upon retiring from Congress at the conclusion of the present term, inteads to carefully review his history of the United States, now in press, and to devote himself to his private interests at home. He has declined to allow his name to be used in the gubernatorial canvass, although solicited to do so by Gov. Colquitt, Gen. Gordon and other prominent Georgia democrats.

INDICTMENTS have been found by a Washington grand jury against Brady, Dorsey and other star route conspirators. This action is loudly claimed by Col. Bliss as a great vindication of the administration of justice in the District of Columbia, touching which we will be better able to speak when the indicted parties are tried and properly punished. It seems to be the popular belief that the vindication of justice aforesaid will about exhaust itself with the finding of the grand jury.

THE census bureau has issued a quarto volume of 667 pages on public indebtedness, from which it is learned that France leads the nations of the world in the amount of her debt, which is given as $3,820,982,399. Great Britain comes next with a burden of $3,766,671,000. Russia, Spain, Italy and the United States follow in the order named, our own debt being set down at $2,120,415,371. In 1860 our debt was but $64,842,288—a mere bagatelle, which if it were true of today, could be wiped out in less than six months.

A CASE of considerable interest is now before the Supreme Court of the United States from the State of Virginia. It seems that Wm. P. Farish, of Virginia, purchased a number of slaves from George Rives, of the same State, in 1863, paying him a portion of the purchase money and giving bond for the residue. The defendant now claims that it was a Confederate contract, if a contract at all; and further, that under Lincoln's emancipation the negroes were free at the time of their sale. The case is an interesting one, and is attracting considerable attention.

A SEVERE EARTHQUAKE.—Costa Rica is traversed by a volcanic range giving rise to frequent earthquakes; a very severe one in 1841 destroyed the town of Cartago. It has, according to recent intelligence from Panama, been again badly shaken up, and four towns, Alajuela, San Ramon, Gracia and Heredia, are reported destroyed. Alajuela, the capital of the province of the same name, has lost several thousands out of a total population of 6,000. Heredia has a population of 9,000, but the extent of the loss of life in that city is not stated. San Ramen and Gracia are towns of small size.

UNITED STATES notes, silver certificates, and fractional notes equaling or exceeding three-fifths of their original proportions, will hereafter be redeemable at their full face value. Fragments of United States notes, silver certificates and fractional notes each constituting clearly one-half, but less than three-fifths, are redeemable at one-half the full face value of whole notes or certificates. Fragments of less than a half are redeemable only when accompanied by an affidavit stating that the missing portion has been totally destroyed. Under the old regulations United States notes and silver certificates were redeemable by tenths and fractional currency by fifths.

JUDGE SAMUEL BLATCHFORD, of New York, was on Monday nominated by President Arthur for associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States to fill the place declined by Mr. Conkling. The nomination of Judge Blatchford, like that of Judge Gray, says the Baltimore Sun, is an eminently proper one, and there can be no question that these two eminent non-partisan jurists will greatly strengthen the Supreme Bench of the United States.

The President has also sent in the name of John Russell Young, who accompanied General Grant in his tour around the world, to be United States Minister to China.

THE finding of the court-martial in Sergeant Mason's case, sentencing him to be discharged from the army and to undergo eight years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, while seemingly a severe punishment for shooting at Guiteau and missing him, says the Baltimore Sun, must be estimated partly from the military standpoint from which it was delivered. The detestation of Guiteau and his crime is deep and universal, but no man, whether soldier or civilian, can be permitted to wreak individual vengeance upon him. In Monday's New York Sun the point was raised that Sergeant Mason's sentence is illegal. According to the articles of war, any member of the military organization accused of murder, arson, robbery, assault and battery with intent to kill, or other grave offenses, must be handed over to the civil authorities, except in time of war, insurrection or rebellion. It strikes us that a civil tribunal would have been the proper court for his trial. But it seems that the civil authorities *refused* to try Mason, and so Gen. Hancock was compelled to order a court martial. This ought to settle the matter.

THERE are now being built at the St. Michaels shipyards six vessels. The building of so large a number at one time is something unknown in the annals of ship-building in that town.

Legislative Notes.

In the Senate on Tuesday the bill empowering the Governor to appoint county school boards was amended and ordered engrossed for a third reading. This bill takes the appointing power from the judges, who regard it as an extrajudicial function. Its second reading was attended by considerable discussion. Mr. Williams advocated the change in accordance with the views of the Court of Appeals, which had affirmed that the existing system was illegal. In the House bills were passed to regulate the shooting of wild fowl in Kent county; to regulate the catching of fish in the Chester river, in Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

The bill to punish wife-beaters at the whipping-post has passed both houses.

A bill has passed the Senate changing the hour for opening the polls on election day in the counties from 9 to 8 a. m., and to close as usual at 6.

The law authorizing physicians to vaccinate persons and compel the county commissioners to pay fifty cents in each case, has been repealed by the present Legislature.

Senator Brattan says he is not a candidate for Congress, and sees no reason for reversing the rule in reference to giving Congressmen a second nomination in Mr. Covington's case.

The committee on elections have come to no decision in the Brooke and Chew judgeship case, and one of the members says that the statement about sending the election back is a mistake.

Senator Allston denounced a man in St. Mary county in debate on Tuesday as a falsifier, and declared that there were not six men in his district who would be willing to bury him if he were to die.

Gov. Hamilton has approved the grand jury bill, the police holiday bill, and the bill allowing female employes to sit down when they are tired.

The bill to increase the police force of the city by twenty-five policemen and a captain has been reported favorably, and in all probability will become a law.

The Legislature seems disposed to encourage manufactures in our State, and the bill exempting the plant of manufacturing establishments from taxation has been ordered to a third reading.

In the approbation bill (which has yet to pass) the usual appropriation is made to the militia, ($12,000,) and the twenty-one companies in the State are allowed $450 each in the bill. Heretofore the bulk of the appropriation has been consumed by the Fifth regiment.

THE U. S. Senate select committee on transportation routes to the seaboard held a special meeting on Wednesday to consider the Chesapeake and Delaware ship-canal bill, and to hear the views of the gentlemen representing the various commercial interests of Baltimore. The two Maryland Senators and Representatives McLane, Covington, Tallbott and Chapman were present. The delegation consisted of the following: Messrs. Joseph H. Rieman, (chairman) Wm. H. Perot and W. G. Bowdoin, of the Baltimore Board of Trade; Mr. J. V. L. Findlay, of Baltimore; Messrs. S. P. Thompson and Robert Tyson, of the Corn and Flour Exchange; Messrs. Baldwin and Bland, representing the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association of the city. Messrs. Findlay and Thompson addressed the committee, and, in answer to numerous nterrogatories, much light was thrown upon the subject. It is evident that a favorable impression was left upon the committee.

THE effort to remove Colonel Adreon from the Postmastership of Baltimore does not meet with popular favor. It is simply a question of the spoils—a squabble over office. Colonel Adreon has made a good postmaster; he gives satisfaction to the merchants and to everybody having business with the office. If he is removed it will only be because he was appointed by the late President Garfield and is not satisfactory to the now dominant faction of the Republican party.

THE Cambridge Chronicle censures Senator Lloyd of that county for advocating a bill "to punish men for killing foxes," and opposing the measure to "protect women from being beaten by brutal husbands." The Chronicle thinks that "If every fox on the Peninsula was dead, that much the better, and if every husband (or any other man) on the Peninsula who beats a woman, because he can, was dead also, so much the better still."

HON. DANIEL DOUGHERTY, the Philadelphia orator, whose eloquent speech in placing Gen. Hancock in nomination before the Cincinnatti convention was so effective, delivered a lecture in Brooklyn, Wednesday evening, upon "Oratory." Among other things Mr. Dougherty said that a large audience was as necessary for the orator as an iron track for a locomotive. He described the use of sensational themes in pulpit oratory as a sacrilege, the varieties of religion affording a sufficient scope for the powers of the preacher. The best days of oratory, the lecturer said, were past, and the press had taken its place with far more effect.

A GOOD MOVEMENT.—A meeting of a committee of the American Agricultural Association was recently held in Baltimore in reference to holding an agricultural exposition under the auspices of that association in Baltimore in 1883. Maryland was represented on the committee by Messrs. Ezra Whitman, of Baltimore, and A. M. Fulford, of Bel Air. The various trade organizations of Baltimore were also represented at the meeting, and the committee were urged to recommend Baltimore city as the place for holding the exposition. It was thought that $250,000 and 100 acres of land would be sufficient to make the fair a success. The merchants present expressed a belief that the money could be raised and a suitable location found near the city.

Mr. Ezra Whitman is in favor of holding the exposition at Pimlico, where with the purchase of a few additional acres and the erection of necessary buildings the exposition could be made a success. He thought $50,000 should be subscribed by individuals in Baltimore, and that the same amount be asked by the Legislature on the part of the State, and also the same from the city of Baltimore—making in all $150,000. We wish the enterprise every success.

THE Denton Union says the latest remedy to destroy potato bugs is to slice potatoes, lay them between the rows; the bugs will make for them; then gather and burn them. Potato planting is now in order, and so is the potato bug.

AMONG the vessels now being built by the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company is a propeller for the Chester River Steamboat Company, which will be completed in two months.

ONE of the meanest of thieves on Friday night of last week entered the premises of the Rev. A. W. Milby, of Denton, while he was absent attending the sessions of Conference at Middletown, and stole two nice plump hams, comprising his entire stock of bacon. Such a thief is beyond the hope of redemption.

THE widow of Daniel Webster, until her death a few days ago, received the interest on a fund of $60,000, created as an annuity by public spirited citizens of Boston after the death of her husband in 1852. The principal is now to be paid back to as many of the original donors as are living, and to the heirs of those who are dead.

MISS COLQUITT, daughter of Gov. Colquitt, of Georgia, and Miss Hammond, daughter of Gen. Hammond, member of Congress from Georgia, are visiting Mrs. Robert J. Ruth, on St. Paul street.—*Balt. Gazette.*

THE farmers of Cecil county are talking about using goats with their sheep. Experience has proven that two goats in a field with a flock of sheep will drive out all the dogs that can come.

THE Hagerstown Mail argues that the Governor has the right after the Senate adjourns to make the appointments, being restricted only by the provision that no one who has been rejected by the Senate shall be appointed by the Governor during the recess of the Senate.

HON. HENRY LLOYD has been notified by the town authorities of Cambridge to remove his office from its present site, it being found to stand on land belonging to the town.

THE journeymen plasterers of Philadelphia have accepted the terms of the master plasterers, of $3 per day, to take effect on April 15th. This is an increase of 50 cents per day.

FLORIDA has one place called Rutherford and another called Beecher. Truly, there is no accounting for taste.

MINISTERIAL.—Dr. J. J. Murray, of Pittsburg, Pa., visited Chestertown this week upon the adjournment of the Conference in Baltimore, and was the guest of Mrs. M. J. Dodd. He conducted the prayer services at the Meth. Prot. Chapel, on Thursday evening. General regret is expressed that he could not remain over Sunday and preach. Dr. Murray is universally esteemed in our community.

Rev. T. H. Haynes, of the M. E. Church, Chestertown, has returned from Conference, and will fill his pulpit to-morrow.

Rev. W. R. Graham, of St. Luke's Meth. P. Church, Phila., is visiting relatives in Chestertown, and is announced to preach to-morrow morning and night.

Rev. L. E. Barrett, the newly appointed pastor of Still Pond, was a printer by trade before entering the ministry, and was for many years foreman in the office of the Easton Star. He has a high reputation as a minister, and we are glad to have him in Kent.

A CHANCE FOR THE BOYS.—Three prizes are offered elsewhere, under the auspices of the Kent County Agricultural Association, for the three largest crops of corn that may be grown on one-fourth of an acre, in Kent county, by youths under twenty-one. The prizes aggregate $40, and are open to all competitors who come under the prescribed conditions. Terms and conditions may be found in our advertising columns. We have wondered why such an enterprise has not been heretofore entered into by the Association. It is a laudable competition and ought to be productive of good. The friend who first moved in the matter deserves credit for his liberality, and the Association also for backing up the movement in the manner stated.

PROF. RIVERS wishes us to say that, through Hon. G. W. Covington, copies of the Official Gazette of the U. S. Patent Office will be regularly received at the Library of Washington College; and any citizen can have access to such copies at the Library. The Gazette, published by authority of Congress, gives illustrations and explanations of all patents, designs, &c., granted from time to time, by the Patent Office.

A GRAND CONCERT is advertised to be given at Church Hill on Thursday, April 13, by the Excelsior Band of Chestertown, Prof. Perry C. Orem, leader. The fine new hall at Church Hall is arranged will special reference to public entertainments, and on the occasion announced talent of a high order, both instrumental and vocal, will participate.

THE Kent Guards held their annual election, Tuesday evening last, for non-commissioned officers. Jos. N. Wheatley was elected 1st sergeant; Henry Krusen, 2d; W'm. Malin, 3d; Amos Kelly, 4th; and Wm. R. Pippin, 5th.

A GOOD SALE.—We learn that the personal property of the late Joseph C. Shriver, which was sold last Wednesday, brought remarkably good prices. A large number of persons were present, some from remote parts of the county.

FOR SPRING CROPS.—J. W. Hines advertises in this issue his "Old Kent" Corn Phosphate, and T. R. Hubbard & Son their "Standard Bone Super-Phosphate," and Pure Ground Bone. See advertisements in another column.

A CORRESPONDENT writes: "I am sorry that "Puck" and "A Lookeron's" communications terminated in a personal controversy. I suggest they settle it with pop-guns at ten paces."

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, March 14.—Present Judges Shallcross and Willson.

Letters of administration on the personal estate of Joshua Walbert were granted unto Israel F. Walbert, who filed his bond in the sum of $2,000.

Chas. H. Baker, administrator of Zoa Baker, filed his release from N. C. Crow and Emma F. Crow, his wife; also, his release from Robert R. Hatcherson and C. L. Hatcherson, his wife.

Geo. W. T. Perkins, administrator of Sarah Clows, filed his release from Whitehead H. Hewlett and Mary E. Hewlett, his wife.

James A. Pearce, surviving administrator of John Greenwood of Benjamin, returned his second and final administration acc't and dividend.

Arilla A. Vannort, administratrix of Augustus L. Vannort, returned the inventory of the personal estate, and also, list of debts due said deceased.

WE call your attention to T. D. Pierce's splendid line of Boots and Shoes which embraces a large variety of standard makes, including all grades from the finest to the coarsest. Prices always the lowest. See advertisement. *

ANOTHER of those popular Philadelphia excursions will be run next Wednesday. Tickets only $2 for the round trip from all stations; good to return the following day.

SPICER & BACON will remove from the Fairlee mill to Whaland's mill on the first of April.

G. T. MELVIN, ESQ., of the Denton Journal, was in town this week on legal business.

A LUNATIC'S TERRIBLE DEED—*He Kills His Wife and Mother and Settles Down to the Daily Routine.*—A dispatch from Waterbury, Vt., dated the 14th instant, says: Michael McCaffrie, aged 50, while insane, on Sunday last, butchered his wife and his aged mother and hid the bodies in the cellar of his house near here. Coming to town with his seven children to-day the eldest gave the first intimation of the terrible murder. McCaffrie, who is now in jail, talks incessantly. Some doubt his insanity, but every indication points to his being demented. He stated that whatever he had done he thought he did right; that he fought the women in self-defense; that they got hold of him, but he "made hot work of them;" that he took them by their throats and killed them with a knife and threw them down the cellar.

The two youngest children of the seven are twins and are a year old. Since the murder McCaffrie has fed the youngest children with the aid of the two oldest, aged 14 and 9, and did the chores, etc., of the house until to-day, when he brought the children to Waterbury Center. The murder was committed in a large room in which all the parties slept, and the old lady, who was blind, had one of the twins in her arms when she was killed. The neighbors who have seen McCaffrie recently had not noticed any symptoms of insanity about him. He came to church here with the whole family two weeks ago.

THE OYSTER INTERESTS.—The Annapolis correspondent of the Baltimore Gazette has the following on this subject: "Oystermen of Annapolis point with great emphasis to the fact that the Legislature of New Jersey has appropriated $76,000 to buy Chesapeake oysters to plant in New Jersey waters, and that vessels chartered by that State were in our harbor last Saturday purchasing oysters on this appropriation. They also call attention to the fact that the Virginia law sends violators of the oyster laws to penitentiary. The interest thus exhibited in the oyster industry by the two States ought to be emulated they think, by the State of Maryland. They call attention to the celerity with which oysters are disappearing from our waters. Five years ago a dredger could catch in a single day five or six hundred bushels on Kent Island bars; now not an oyster is to be found there, and by stealings by night part of the tonging grounds on Thomas' Point have been broken up by the dredgers. The oystermen think Governor Hamilton's plan of protection will help the oyster-beds, but it is thought that the ground that is worked lawfully will be dragged to death during the legal season. It is suggested that a return to the hand method of dredging, without windlass, will aid the oyster-beds and giving one-half of fines imposed to the informer, will materially aid in the execution of the oyster laws."

THE diseases of horses as developed within the last decade show such a striking similarity to those which flesh is heir to that veterinary surgeons are beginning to treat them in a similar manner. The equine hospital of the Third avenue Railroad Company, in New York, is now provided with Russian, Turkish and electric baths, which, it is said, have proved quite effective in the treatment of a certain class of maladies.

PRESENTED FOR LIBEL.—On Saturday the grand jury of the criminal court made a presentment against John H. Rowlenson for printing and publishing in a newspaper called the Electric Light a libel against Judge Campbell W. Pinkney, of the criminal court. Rowlenson was arrested in the afternoon under a capias issued from the clerk's office and brought into court. He was held in $1,000 bail to await indictment for the offense charged.—*Sun of Monday.*

THE oystermen of Eastern bay, Wye and Chester rivers, report fewer oysters upon the bars than they have ever known before, and that they are of an inferior quality.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Messrs. Editors:—Can you inform a subscriber to your paper if there is any provision in our school law in regard to enclosing the school grounds? If there is not, it seems to me that the people of our county would be much pleased to see our school board take some step toward having a good fence erected around every school-house in the county. Yours truly, DAN.

This is a good suggestion and we hope the County School Board will give it due consideration.—EDS.

REV. THOMAS H. LEWIS, who has been chosen professor of theology in the new Theological Seminary to be established by the Maryland Annual Conference, is a brother-in-law of Mr. Edward H. Roe, of Easton. When a youth he lived in Easton, and clerked first for Mr. Joseph Raisin and subsequently was with Thompson & Kersey, where he stayed until he went to the Western Maryland College. After graduating there he entered the Maryland Conference of the M. P. Church. For several years he has been pastor, with the approbation of his conference, of St. John's Independent Methodist Church, Baltimore, to which there is attached a salary of $2,000 a year, arising out of an endowment fund. Mr. Lewis is only 30 years old, and his almost unanimous selection for a position of such honor and responsibility is a tribute to his worth and abilities.—*Easton Ledger.*

HEAVY DAMAGES FOR A HORSE.—In a race at the Chicago Driving Park some time ago the racing stallion Walverton, owned by David McKay, was run into by the jockey mounted on James Irvine's Belle of Nelson, by which the horse was thrown and killed. McKay instituted suit against Irvine for $10,000, and the case was tried in Chicago last week. The judge told the jury that if a horse was intentionally fouled or run against, or interfered with by the rider of another horse, the employer of the rider who so fouled him, or interfered with him, was liable for damages. So, too, each rider was bound, as far as possible, to keep his horse from fouling another, and his employer would be liable for any palpable and clear act of negligence whereby a foul was occasioned. The foul complained of consisted in an attempt on the part of the rider of the Belle of Nelson to take the track ahead of Wolverton, before she was far enough ahead of Wolverton to enable her to draw in in front of him without a collision. The jury were out about four hours, when they returned with a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, fixing the value of the horse at $4,500.

A WASHINGTON correspondent says that in the United States Supreme Court it costs about a dollar for a clerk to look at you, and another dollar to get out of his sight. A clerkship in that court is worth more than the salaries of four of the justices, or over $40,000 per year.

LOWER HOOPER'S ISLAND, Dorchester, is inhabited by twenty families, and contains one hundred and nine inhabitants. It has a school with from fifteen to twenty pupils; it has no church, store or physician, and but little wood—that used for fencing and fuel comes from abroad. The men are all watermen, and are a thrifty, hardy set, who support their families comfortably.

WILL MASON'S SENTENCE BE ANNULLED?—It is expected that the counsel of Sergeant Mason will raise the point that there was a fatal error in the court-martial proceedings which will vitiate the whole trial. The error claimed is that the court and judge advocate were sworn before the prisoner was brought into the court.

YESTERDAY was St. Patrick's day.

DIED:

At his residence on the bay shore, adjoining Tolchester, on Wednesday night, of heart disease, JOHN WILLIAM FRANCIS, aged 27 years.

REV. W. R. GRAHAM will preach in the Meth. Protestant Church, Chestertown, TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) morning at 10½, and in the evening at 7½. 1t.

GARDEN SEED,
Fresh and Reliable, at
mh18. TOULSON'S DRUG STORE.

MILL NOTICE.
The undersigned will remove from Fairlee Mills on the First of April, 1882, to WHALAND'S MILL, near Chestertown.
mh18-3t.* SPICER & BACON.

CLOVER SEED—
A Fresh lot just received, and for sale low at Thompson's Granary.
mh18-3t. JOS. W. THOMPSON.

SIX GOOD, FRESH COWS,
Good Stock,
To SELL or EXCHANGE for Young Mares.
N. BARNARD,
mh18-3t. Stanley P. O., Kent Co., Md.

GARDEN SEED,
Fresh and Reliable, at
TOULSON'S
mh18. Drug Store.

FOR RENT,
on reasonable terms,
A FIRST-CLASS STORE HOUSE,
nicely fitted up, with a large Grocery room and Cellar, situated in the town of GALENA.
Apply to MRS. ARA M. SUTTON,
mh18-3t. Galena, Kent co., Md.

FOREWARN all persons from taking a Note of hand drawn by me, dated February 7, 1882, and payable to the order of R. S. Clark, at the Citizens' Nat. Bank of Middletown, Del., six months after date, for one hundred and fifty dollars ($150). As the said note was fraudulently obtained of me, I will not pay the same.
WILLIAM VANSANT,
March 18—3t. Sassafras, Kent co., Md.

TRAVILLA
Poultry Yards!
I AM now prepared to furnish EGGS for setting from the following varieties of Land and Water Fowls, and guarantee them as pure as I shall use myself:

Mammoth Bronze Turkeys	$3 per 13 Eggs.
White Holland Turkeys	3 " " "
Light Brahmas	2 " " "
Plymouth Rocks	2 " " "
Houdans	2 " " "
Pekin Ducks	2 " " "

Two settings of Chicken or Duck Eggs for $3.
I shall have no Langshan or Embden Geese Eggs for sale. EDW. SLAUGHTER,
mh18-3m. Chestertown, Md.

$50 REWARD for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons that unlawfully entered the warehouse of Chester River Steamboat Co. at Chestertown, on Friday night, March 3, 1882.
m11-3t. GEO. WARFIELD, Pres't.

MAINE, EARLY ROSE
SEED POTATOES,
for sale in quantities to suit.
J. R. PARKER, Chestertown,
mh11. 2 doors above Mr. L. Fiddis'.

SEED POTATOES.
A very large lot of
N. Y. EARLY ROSE SEED POTATOES,
very superior in quality.
For sale by THOS. L. HINES & CO.
March 11, 1882.

FOR SALE:
50,000
OSAGE ORANGE PLANTS.
Well grown. $2.75 per M.
R. G. NICHOLSON,
March 4—4t*. Hanesville, Md.

ABOUT 6,000 PEACH TREES
YET FOR SALE.
Also, a general assortment of NURSERY STOCK. Would exchange for a good young Horse or Mare. N. BARNARD,
March 4—4t.

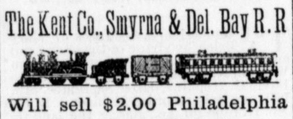
CIGAR STORE FOR SALE,
Doing a business from $5 to $10 per day, located three doors above the "Green House," ON PRATT ST., BALTIMORE.
Rent low. Apply to
H. W. VICKERS, ATTORNEY,
m4-5t. Chestertown, Md.

WANTED, SALESMEN to canvass for the sale of NURSERY Stock. Unequalled facilities. No experience required. Salary and expenses paid. 500 acres of Fruit and Ornamental Tree, Shrubs, Roses, &c.
m11-4* W. & T. SMITH, Geneva, N. Y.

SUITS made to Order
AND
FITS GUARANTEED.
A SPLENDID LINE of SAMPLES.
CALL AT
WHEATLEY BRO.'S, Up Town,
and examine their line of SAMPLES for Spring and Summer wear. They guarantee a fit in every case or no sale. WHEATLEY BROS.
March 11, 1882.

THE "Star" Cucumber PUMP is the best on the market, for sale by
mh11. THOS. L. HINES & CO.

To the Farmers of Kent Co.
The time is coming for REAPERS to be talked about—what kind to buy, &c. Agents are numerous and always ready to tell the superior merits of their different machines. While they listen to the talk of all, I hope they will remember some of the superior merits of the McCORMICK. I would like to see personally every farmer who contemplates purchasing a machine, but my business will not allow me to be away from my post so much, and as I am the only one selling THE McCORMICK, I would like every farmer to see the machine. I have one in my ware-house at Locust Grove, where I shall always be pleased to show said machine free of charge, and shall be ever grateful for orders for machines that I *guarantee to give satisfaction.*
I do not ask the Farmer to settle in any way until he can tell me the Machine comes up to what I represent it, and gives perfect satisfaction in every respect. I refer you to the signers of the certificate in this paper under the head of "Attention Farmers."
If the McCORMICK Harvester and Binder will not sell itself by its own good merits then no machine ever can. Call and see it before allowing yourselves to be talked into giving your orders for inferior machines. The more you see the more you will know.
Yours, &c., E. T. COMEGYS.
March 18—6t.

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

Will sell $2.00 Philadelphia Excursion Tickets
On WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1882.
Tickets good to return on or before THURSDAY, following, (March 23, 1882.)
1t* FRED. GERKER, Lessee.

Schuylkill Lime.
THE WELL KNOWN
Kennedy Lime Works
are again in operation, and making the best quality of LIME for land.
Farmers, who know the quality of this Lime, will please order from Mr. WM. ARCHIBALD, of Kennedyville, Md., who is our agent in place of the late Jacob Highley; or from Mr. B. F. FLEMING, of Chestertown, or send order direct to
J. B. POWELL, *Manager,*
mh18-6m. PORT KENNEDY, PA.

LIME NOTICE.
THE LIME I am furnishing the Farmers with comes from the Quarry of which the Rambo Lime gets its high reputation, and bought by Robert McCoy from Nathan Rambo, Jr., and as such I am representing it. It is giving general satisfaction everywhere, and Mr. Rambo says it is the same stone worked by his father in his lifetime. Although I have never pretended to sell one bushel of Wm. B. Rambo lime, yet I must say in justice to myself, that Mr. Rambo has solicited orders from me, but I am not soliciting orders for him. H. E. COOPER,
mh18-3t. Worton Station.

Notice to Farmers
H. E. COOPER,
Has been appointed the ONLY AGENT on this Peninsula for the sale of
Genuine Rambo Lime.
This lime will slack more, act as quick, weigh less, and last longer than any lime on the market. This lime will weigh 20 lbs less to the bushel by running measure and we guarantee 60 lbs. to equal 80 lbs. of other limes. We challenge all tests.
NOTICE.—I have purchased from Nathan Rambo the Blue Quarry upon the lands devised to him by his father, the elder Nathan Rambo. It was out of this quarry that the Limestone came which gave this Lime its high reputation.
☞ I OWN ALL THE LAND ON WHICH THIS STONE LIES.
This Quarry was discontinued only because a vein of earth cut off the face. I have cut thro' this and reopened those Quarries upon the original stone, which old Nathan Rambo quarried as long as he could find it.
ROBERT McCOY.
H. E. COOPER, Agent,
Worton Station, Kent Co., Md.
☞ ROBERT McCOY bought of me my Blue Quarry; I have seen it since he re-opened it, and am satisfied that he works on the Blue Stone worked by my father in his life-time.
mh18-tje3. NATHAN RAMBO.

J. W. IVENS,
WORTON, KENT CO., MD.
Has been appointed agent for the sale of the
REAL GENUINE
RAMBO LIME.
The undersigned is now the owner or lessee of all lime quarries on the lands of the late Nathan Rambo, in Montgomery county, Pa., except one quarry abandoned 35 years ago as worthless, and I am therefore the only person who can supply the
GENUINE RAMBO LIME.
My quarries have been worked for fifty years and the RAMBO LIME taken therefrom has no equal. The public is cautioned against buying inferior lime purporting to come from the same quarries.
My product has always been known as the RAMBO LIME, and it can only be obtained through me or my authorized agents. WM. B. RAMBO,
Norristown, Montgomery co., Pa.
J. W. IVENS, Agent
WORTON STATION, KENT CO., MD.
March 11, 1882—tf.

T. J. McWHORTER,
MILLINGTON, MD.,
DEALER IN
DRY GOODS
CLOTHING,
Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Groceries.
Good stock of LUMBER on hand.
Also, agent for
J. J. Turner & Co.'s
FERTILIZERS,
and J. E. TYGERT'S FERTILIZERS.
Please leave your orders for LIME and PHOSPHATE for CORN the
Coming Spring.
☞ Agent for Taylor Bro's PLOWS, Smyrna, Del. Exactly like the Oliver Chilled Plow, except it has the point to turn like the Concave. Guarantee as good or no sale. Less expense for Points. TILE on hand and for sale.
T. J. McWHORTER.
Mar. 11—tf. MILLINGTON.

A BEAUTIFUL LINE of WAITERS, Tea Trays, Children's Trays, Toilet Sets, Foot Tubs, Slop Buckets, &c., and a splendid line of BIGGIN Coffee Pots, at
mh11. T. L. HINES & CO'S.

GRAND INSTRUMENTAL
AND
VOCAL CONCERT!
AT THE
NEW HALL, CHURCH HILL,
On THURSDAY, April 13, 1882,
BY THE
EXCELSIOR BAND of Chestertown
Under the Direction of
PROF. PERRY C. OREM, of Baltimore.
The program will consist of selections by the Band, Piano, Violin, Clarionet, Cornet and Trombone Solos by prominent soloists from Baltimore, interspersed with singing—sacred and comic.
This Hall is spacious, has comfortable seats and magnificent artistic scenery. Prof. OREM is too well known in the musical world to require more than the mention of his name to make this entertainment attractive.
Come one and all, and enjoy this rich treat.
Doors open at 7 o'clock—performance to commence at 7.30.
Admission 25c.; reserved seats 50c.
EXCELSIOR BAND
m18-3t. of Chestertown.

To the Youths of Kent Co.
A FRIEND of the Kent County Agricultural Association (through the Society,) offers a PREMIUM of TWENTY DOLLARS TO THE YOUTH WHO SHALL RAISE THE
Best Crop of Corn this Season.
The Association offers a premium of $13.00 for the second best crop, and $7.00 for the third best crop. Competitors must comply with the following conditions, viz:
That the amount of land be one-fourth of an acre; that no fertilizer containing animal organic matter shall be applied; any salt, such as nitrate of soda, or sulphate of ammonia may be used; stable manure may be applied.
2d. That competitors shall be residents of Kent county, and less than twenty-one years of age, and shall give in writing over their true names, the mode of tillage in full, including the time of planting. The crops shall be measured by a committee appointed by the Society, who shall make full report in writing, stating the amount and kind of corn grown, the character of soil, and such facts as may be of interest to agriculturists.
3d. Competitors must report their names to the Society in person or through the Secretary in writing at some meeting prior the First Monday in June next. HENRY T. MASSEY, Sec.
March 18, 1882—3t.

T. W. WICKES
Has Just Received
FRESH STOCK
—OF—
Landreths' Seeds
Which he asks a comparison of Prices and Quality with other dealers.
T. W. WICKES.
March 4, 1882.

Attention Farmers
This Certificate explains itself:
MR. E. T. COMEGYS,
of Locust Grove, Kent co., Md.
DEAR SIR:—It gives us great pleasure to be able to FULLY RECOMMEND the
McCormick
SELF BINDER
which we had the pleasure of using last season. We cut with it in all conditions of grain. The machine has done all that was claimed for it, and more than come up to our expectations. We consider it one of the best labor-saving machines that we have on our farms, and the most economical, when we count the board and wages of binders and loss of grain in binding, handling, stacking and threshing after hand-bound grain. No farmer who has run a binder one season will think of running anything else. Would not part with ours for double its cost if we could not get another. For lightness of draft, thoroughness of cutting and binding, simplicity of construction and durability, we think the McCormick has no superior.
ROBERT COMLY, Locust Grove,
DAVID GRANTLIN, " "
C. S. HILL, " "
SAM'L J. HILL, " "
G. MAXWELL, " "
SAM'L A. MERRITT, " "
J. W. HURTT, " "
W. E. SANDERS, " "
JULIAN HURTT, " "
WM. T. MILLER, Chesterville,
SAM'L TAYLOR, Kennedyville.
Mr. WM. W. COSDEN, Lankford, Kent co., Md., Oct. 1, 1881, writes:
"The Self-Binder I bought of your agent this season, Mr. E. T. Comegys, Locust Grove, Md., has given perfect satisfaction in every respect. I cut 110 acres of wheat this season, and broke only one link of reel chain. I also cut 30 acres for my uncle, and helped a neighbor to cut who had used a different Binder. The McCormick Binder was acknowledged to be a horse lighter in draft."
Buy the McCormick Self Binder!
a Machine of 50 years standing. If upon two days trial the machine will not work satisfactorily, it will be taken back and all costs refunded to the farmer.
E. T. COMEGYS,
LOCUST GROVE, KENT CO., MD.
March 11, 1882.

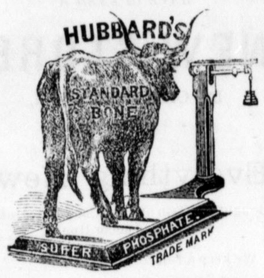
THOS. J. MANN,
HAS OPENED A
NEW STORE
In CHESTERTOWN, opposite the Bank,
And now offers for sale a full stock of
Dry Goods,
GROCERIES, &c.,
embracing all goods usually kept in a first-class store.
☞ I am determined to sell at VERY CLOSE FIGURES for cash or Country Produce, and invite my friends and the public to give me a call.
SPECIAL!—In exchange for goods I will take LIVE STOCK—Horses Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, &c.
Come and see me, opp. the Bank.
mh11. THOS. J. MANN.

MILLINGTON
BREAD AND CAKE BAKERY.
HAVING located in Millington for the purpose of carrying on the Bakery business, I am thoroughly prepared to supply the public at short notice with
BREAD, CAKE,
and CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, at city prices.
We keep a full assortment on hand at all times. CHARLES CUMMINS,
Feb. 18—6m. MILLINGTON.

FARMERS Will find it to their interest to examine our stock of goods before purchasing. Our stock of TRACES, LINES, PLOW CASTINGS and FARM HARDWARE generally will be found complete, and prices as low as the lowest.
m4. T. L. HINES & CO.

TAFFY of all flavors at HUDGINS' BAKERY.

Corn Phosphate!
"OLD KENT!"
"Old Kent!"
The undersigned is still selling the reliable "OLD KENT" CORN PHOSPHATE. IT HAS NEVER BEEN EXCELLED. Parties who used it last year are already handing in their orders for this Spring.
JOHN W. HINES,
mh18-2m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

T. R. HUBBARD & SON,
MANUFACTURERS OF


—AND—
Pure Ground Bone
Chestertown, Maryland.
☞ HIGHEST CASH PRICE paid for CRUDE BONES delivered at our Factory. mh18-10t.

THE CELEBRATED
Hyland & Co.
FARM WAGON.
To Our Friends and the Public:
In introducing these Wagons on the Peninsula, we feel that we are doing something to benefit the public. It seems to be the unanimous verdict of Farmers that our Wagons track better and run lighter than any others made on the Peninsula