Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.........FEB. 16, 1884.

ITEMS FROM ROCK HALL.

ROCK HALL, February 15th.

We began revival services in the M. E. Church January 6, and closed last Wednesday evening. The closing was more a necessity occasioned by the failing health and voices of both pastor and people, than a lack of zeal or earnestness in an awakened interest outside of the church. The meeting otherwise might have been carried on successfully for weeks longer. The church has been greatly quickened and is now in a very fine condition spiritually. Thirty-eight have been converted and thirty-seven have been received on probation, which, with the twenty-three received as the result of our meeting at Piney Neck, makes a total of sixty. Others are still seekers at our regular services and one was converted last Sabbath evening. Revs. D. W. Bates, D. D., and T. O. Crouse, of the M. P. Church, both preached several times, to the delight of our people, and rendered good service to the meeting.

Over $750 in cash, outside of salary and benevolent collections, have been raised since the first of last April, with which the remaining $72 of indebtedness on parsonage has been paid and the debt on church repairs reduced to the small balance of $30.

The old organ has been exchanged for a new Estey, catalogue price $475.

As well as a successful conference year, it has been to us a pleasant one, both pastor and people, and pastors of other churches and people, all working together harmoniously.

G. S. CONAWAY, Pastor.

LETTER FROM BETTERTON.

Messrs. Editors:—As we have not seen any letters in your valuable paper from this place for some time, I thought I would pen a few lines, although *news* is very scarce; in fact, there is hardly anything to write about. Almost every week I find a letter in the good old NEWS from some part of the county, or, in fact, nearly every part of the county except this place and Still Pond. What has become of your Still Pond correspondent? I hope he is not dead. I think Still Pond might afford a letter once in awhile, for, no doubt, Messrs. Editors, you would like to hear from that place occasionally.

The bay, at this place, was clear of ice the first of last week; the first time since about the 5th of January. At this writing the bay is again full of drift ice from the Susquehanna river, and has been so for two or three days. One of the steamers of the Ericsson line came to this wharf last Tuesday afternoon, February 5, the first one that has been here since the 4th of January. We have not had any here since, but think they will begin to run regular in a few days.

Our fishermen all seem to be somewhat busy preparing for the shad fishing season in the spring, which they think will come quite early. Some of them seem to think that on account of the season being early it will be a very prosperous one, while others think to the contrary.—We hope, however, that shad will be plentiful, and will bring good prices.

We have had quite a number of dances down here this winter, and they have been indulged in very freely by the old lovers of dancing as well as the younger ones.

Miss Lillie Duer, of Pocomoke City, has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. James T. Crew. Mrs. J. H. Cozzins expects to go to Virginia in a few days to spend a part of the spring with relatives living in that State.

The young people of this place have formed themselves into an association, called "The Young People's Association." A good idea! It gives the young people a place to go these long evenings and enjoy themselves singing, talking, reading, &c. May they have a good time.

TREBOR.

LETTER FROM EDESVILLE.

DEAR NEWS:—In our last we were disposed to enlist the co-operation of all interested, to a simple line of duty respecting needed improvements. We have no desire to engage with your friends S. S. or P. P. on a subject that *we* might be proven to know no little about. No; business first. Would suggest that a numerously signed petition be right early handed our worthy county commissioners for a sufficient number of shells to dry up our roads, say 1500 bushels; beginning at Burgess Bros.' and go down, taking in both roads to Leary's crossing where Adkinson & Boulter's store is located. Will some one move in the matter?

Some of our oldest farmers are already squeaking about the wheat looking so badly. The prospect in our immediate neighborhood is at present good.

Mr. A. A. Walbert has been moved by the spirit of enterprise, and is erecting an addition to his dwelling enlarging it by half, though he is not in the town proper.

"Puck" said in your last he was "frozed" in. By this time we judge he is froze *out*, or thawed out, which ever is correct.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Wheatley were taken by surprise on Monday evening last by their numerous friends, notably of the membership and friends of Wesley Chapel M. P. Church, in honor of their tenth anniversary. "Observer" was present and of course for the purpose of taking notes. He could perceive very clearly how confused the surprised pair were, and how much the more their friends were enjoying it. The spokesman, a very worthy gentleman, on behalf of the assembly, addressing Mr. and Mrs. W. relative to their anniversary occasion, said they had thus sought to evince their kindly feelings and esteem for them, and hoped that many years might be yet added to them and their two children;—that the continuous labor of Mr. W. as leader of the singing at the above named church, added another feature to the esteem above expressed.—The reply of Mr. W., though in a very confused manner, was short but pertinent to the occasion. A committee of ladies prepared and served cake and lemonade. After spending two hours very pleasantly, the kind friends took their departure leaving behind them many presents, the recipients of which will not soon forget the generous donors we are sure.

OBSERVER.

KENT CO. AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

CLUB ROOM, Feb. 11, 1884.

Messrs. Editors:—We found the roads decidedly bad, and a small attendance at the club; but there is always a faithful few who seem to feel it a duty as much as a pleasure to meet every Monday, knowing that no institution will prosper without diligent attention and an eye open to its varied objects. And the objects of this society being thoroughly understood by its members and the citizens of Kent county at large, it would seem to a moderate thinker that its members would use every effort to attend its meetings and make them interesting and instructive.—Why is not this a good place for the farmers of Kent to meet and consider questions of varied importance relating to agriculture, and thus derive social intercourse as well as information? Our president being present the meeting was called to order. Minutes being read and approved the regular order of business was taken up. Reference was made to holding a fair but no action was taken, hoping there would be a good attendance at the next meeting to consider the subject. The question: "Should Mortgages be Taxed?" was discussed. Members generally agreed that it would be right to tax the same; some however making the point that the giver of the mortgage might have to make terms with the lender, regardless of the law. On motion the same was ordered to be taken up as unfinished business at the next meeting. The question for discussion at the next meeting: "Is it to the interest of the taxpayers of Maryland to have a poll-tax on male citizens over 21 years of age?" will no doubt elicit general discussion.

After adjournment, Messrs. Eds., we thought especially of the fine pair of young mules and the jolly friend that was spoken of in your last issue, but not seeing the mules and no sign of them in the mud, we concluded that they were being kept for firm bottom.

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LETTER FROM FAIRLEE.

For Its Worton Correspondent, "P. P." a Rhythmic Epistle—The Grange—A Postponement—The Ball—Sudden Death of a Colored Man.

Your note, dear sir, has been received,
And lest you think that I'm aggrieved,
Of malice cherish in a pet,
I accept the proffered calumet;
And write these lines to take all back
Which seems of courtesy to lack.
Thou art a scholar, Peter Poker,
And not at all a "sly old joker,"
Nor hard, nor soft, art thou "a brick,"
And yet thy pen doth serve a trick—
Inditing what thou dost not mean,
(Some pens do this to vent their spleen);
Nor art thou a "devoted swain,"
Thou wouldst not take that ride again,
But tarry still at Jericho;
Give to thy beard a chance to grow.
Of Latin, Greek, and ancient lore
Thou hast, no doubt, abundant store,
Equipped to break the Cadmean fetters,
Which bind the Greek to its own letters;
And put in English A B C's,
The speeches of Demosthenes.
Thankful indeed, the world should be,
For thy delightful homily,
Showing the lash which conscience wields
O'er those who roam o'er Hades' fields;
Remorseless falls that dreadful lash—
What boots, their cries? Their teeth they gnash,
Whose souls in endless flames do squirm
To satisfy the insatiate worm.
But, brother, scribe, take heed, I pray,
That thou be not "a castaway,"
Who to thy friends doth point the road
Thou canst not travel with thy load.
All our harsh words we lay aside,
And seek alone the safest guide
Of Faith and Hope and Charity,
The chief of all the blessed three
Should dwell forever in the breast
Of all who seek the heavenly rest.
May you receive a golden harp
And greet your friend, old *Simon Sharp*.

Social and business intercourse is nearly suspended at present on account of the roads, which are not quite navigable, nor easily passable otherwise.

The Grange is still receiving accessions to its members.

The histrionic entertainment in aid of Salem M. E. Church will not take place so early as was intended owing to the state of the roads. Your advertising columns will give due information.

The ball at Fairlee Grange was not uncomfortably crowded as reported. It is said that arrangements are in progress for another on the 22d instant.

A colored man, named John Blackiston, fell dead in the church at Georgetown on Sunday last and was buried the next day. Probably of heart disease. No inquest was held.

SIMON SHARP.

THE CHIEF OF THE GANG CAUGHT.

How the Detectives Followed up the Trail of the Annapolis Robbers.

From the Baltimore Sun, of Monday.

In a saloon on North Gay street, shortly after noon Saturday, James Higgins, alias Richard Hadley, chief of a gang who are said to have robbed over forty postoffices, principally in the Eastern States, was arrested by Postoffice Inspector Henderson and Detective D. Pinkney West, of the independent firm of Smith, West & Lyons, on charge of being concerned in the recent robbery of the Annapolis postoffice.

The clue followed by the detectives was furnished by the fact that a middle-aged man hired a pair of horses and a wagon from a livery keeper here, last Sunday morning, under the pretense that he was going a short distance in the country to bring his family to the city. The team was not returned. Detective West traced it to Annapolis and thence back to the suburbs of Baltimore, where he found the animals and wagon in the care of a farmer who stated a man left them Monday afternoon and requested that the horses and wagon be cleaned while he went to search for a counterfeiter. Between them, Inspector Smith and Detective West obtained clues which led to the information that four men were seen in the vicinity of Darlington, Anne Arundel county, thirteen miles from Annapolis, a day before the robbery was committed. Inspector Henderson and the detective traced the men to the cemetery outside of Annapolis, where the robbers broke the cash box they had taken from the safe. Fortified with descriptions of the robbers, the trail was continued until it closed at the saloon on North Gay street where Higgins was arrested. Friday night the premises were carefully watched with a satisfactory result.—Saturday Detectives West, Smith and Lyons, Inspectors Henderson, Smith and Troy met outside the saloon door. Henderson entered first closely followed by the others. Higgins was standing near the bar and turned suddenly when he heard the footsteps. He at once concluded that the officers were after him, and with an exclamation of defiance pulled a revolver from his hip pocket. He was on the point of raising it towards Henderson, when Detective West pinned his hands to his side and took the weapon from him. Detective Lyons handcuffed the prisoner, and in company with Henderson and Troy marched Higgins to jail. A search of the saloon premises was made by Messrs. West and Smith, who found a satchel containing a pair of revolvers and a complete outfit of burglar's tools. A bit was found into which was fitted a point that was broken and found on the postoffice floor at Annapolis.

The prisoner is one of a notorious gang who have been robbing banks, postoffices and stores for several years. Higgins is wanted in Connecticut to serve a term of ten years in the penitentiary. Last October he was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for horse stealing. With the aid of skeleton keys he opened his handcuffs and escaped. Sheriff Charles Porter and Deputy Sheriff Peck, of Litchfield, Conn., arrived in the city yesterday to take Higgins back to serve his term.

THE OYSTER WAR IN DORCHESTER.

Operations of the State Naval Squadron—One Dredger Killed and a Number of Boats Captured.

About 100 dredgers sailed into the prohibited oyster grounds of Honga creek, in Dorchester county, last Thursday week and took possession in defiance of the police boat, Julia Hamilton. In attempting to drive the dredgers off a battle took place which made things lively for some time. The dredgers were well armed and fought with a determination not to be driven off. The fight was witnessed by a large number of people on the shore. There were about one hundred armed men on the dredgers—the names and numbers of the dredgers being concealed. A ball from the Julia Hamilton killed John Schumaker, a dredger, and a number of other dredgers were wounded. One of the piratical crafts was disabled, but the others were not intimidated thereby. It finally became so hot that the men of the Julia Hamilton were driven below. Capt. Insley then drew off, and sent to Annapolis for reinforcements.

A special dispatch to the Baltimore *Sun* announces the arrival of reinforcements, and gives the following account of further operations:

The Gov. Hamilton, Capt. Gordy, left Baltimore Saturday afternoon. Owing to thick weather the steamer put into Annapolis, where she remained all night. She started again at six o'clock this morning, and when off James Island overhauled the Leila. Both steamers proceeded to Fishing bay, and while in Hooper straits fell in with two schooners, the Martha E. Moore, Capt. Winfield S. Boyer, and the Frank and Murray McNamara, Capt. Samuel T. Cox, in charge of the mate, John Weiser. Both vessels hail from Baltimore, but are owned by Leslin S. McNamara, of Cambridge, Md. They were acting suspiciously when first seen, and the Hamilton, having flung her ensign to the breeze, steered for them. In the meantime the rifles were loaded and the decks cleared for action. In the wake of the Hamilton came the Leila, whose men were well armed. The brass 12-pounder in the bow was uncovered. On approaching the two dredgers the Hamilton lay to, and first officer Copper took the captain's gig and boarded them. The Moore was found with her deck and dredge lines wet, and the presumption was that she had been dredging. On the McNamara the evidences of recent dredging were much stronger, the deck being soiled and partly covered with oysters. The captains were arrested on the charge of dredging on Sunday and their vessels taken in tow by the steamer. The pungy Lady of the Lake, of Crisfield, was also boarded, but as her lines were dry no arrests were made. Entering Goose creek the squadron found the police schooner Julia Hamilton lying at anchor.—The dredgers were then cast loose and anchored in the creek, where they will remain all night to await the trial of their captains before Justice Jas. T. Robinson. Capt. Insley, ex-commander of the Julia Hamilton, states that he has been having trouble with the dredgers for some time past, owing to scarcity of oysters in the bay, and the difficulty of guarding three different lines of demarcation with one sail vessel. The dredgers were also aware that he had inferior arms and a small supply of ammunition. The tongmen are jubilant over the arrival of the Leila and Hamilton, and tonight a fleet of their canoes gathered around the steamers. Capt. Gordy delivered five rifles and a supply of ammunition to the Julia Hamilton, whose new captain, George H. Roberts, will take command in a day or two. The Governor Hamilton arrived at Crisfield this evening, and will return to the scene of trouble Monday. The Leila remained on the ground guarding the prizes. Both steamers will probably join in a raid on the Cannons, who are alleged to be the ring-leaders. Several years ago Sylvester Cannon was shot and seriously wounded by Capt. Job Travers, of the police sloop Carrie E. Franklin. R. P. Cannon was magistrate four years ago, but has himself been arrested several times for illegal dredging.

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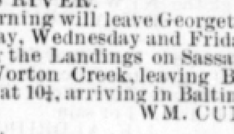

On and after Saturday, Feb. 16, 1884, the Steamer Trumpeter will leave Balt. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10½ A. M., for BUCK NECK and all the landings on SASSAFRAS RIVER.

Returning will leave Georgetown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7½ A. M., for the Landings on Sassafras River and Worton Creek, leaving Buck Neck wharf at 10½, arriving in Baltimore about 1 P. M.

WM. CUNDIFF, Master.

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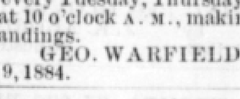
CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

Spring Arrangement, 1884.



To take effect Thursday, Feb. 7th, 1884.

The Steamer B. S. FORD will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 1.30 P. M. Returning, will leave Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10 o'clock A. M., making all the above landings.

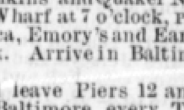
GEO. WARFIELD, Pres't.

Feb. 9, 1884.

Enterprise Transportation Company

1884 SPRING ARRANGEMENT 1884

On and after Monday, Feb. 11, 1884, Steamer ENTERPRISE



will make tri-weekly trips between Baltimore and Crumpton, running as follows:

Leave Crumpton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 3 P. M., stopping at Spry's, Deep Landing and Round Top. Leave Chestertown at 5 o'clock, stopping at Newnam's, Wilkins' and Quaker Neck. Leave Hooper's Wharf at 7 o'clock, P. M., stopping at Corsica, Emory's and Earle's, in Corsica Creek. Arrive in Baltimore 11.30 P. M.

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Feb. 9, 1884.

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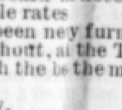
VOSHELL HOUSE 

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Respectfully, JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH.

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Orders respectfully solicited. je23.

TAX NOTICE.

THE subscriber may be found at the Sheriff's office in the Court House on TUESDAYS and SATURDAYS. The levies will be due on the 1st of January, and those owing TAXES are urgently solicited to make prompt payment.

J. J. BYRON, Coll. 4th District.

Dec. 15-tf.

TAX NOTICE.

I AM compelled to close my books, and hereby notify all persons in arrears for Taxes for 1881 and 1882, that unless settlement is made by the

FIRST OF DECEMBER

I shall proceed to collect according to law in every case without respect to persons.

B. B. DICKINSON.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

For the accommodation of Tax-Payers of the THIRD DISTRICT I will be at O. P. Beck's Store, Worton Heights, every Saturday afternoon, Chestertown every Tuesday, and at home the balance of the week. Prompt payment is earnestly solicited.

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Aug. 18-tf.

DOWN THEY GO!

WE have reduced the price of EVERY LAMP in our store, as we have a large stock which must be sold within the next sixty days. We have them all prices.

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" " Frame Stuff,
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RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Joseph Morris, use Catherine V. Morris, vs. William H. Hill.

Judgment before William A. Miller, Esquire (Magistrate), for $55 debt with interest from January 4th, 1883, until paid and costs.

The subscriber, having purchased the real estate of the above named defendant at a sale thereof in virtue of an execution issued upon the foregoing judgment made on the 16th day of January, 1884, by Wm. R. Miller, constable, hereby gives notice that he intends to apply to the judges of Kent County Court at its next session to be held in Chestertown on the 21st day of April next, for a confirmation of said sale, when and where the said defendant, William H. Hill or his creditors or any other person or persons claiming any interest in the matter will have an opportunity of stating their objections if any they have, why the sale should not be confirmed, and for that purpose are hereby warned to appear.

The property purchased by the subscriber consists of all that Wood Lot, land and premises situated in the Maryland part of the Md. and Del. forest, which lies in the First Election District of Kent county and State of Maryland, and adjoins the lands of Joseph W. Peacock, Henry W. Archer and others, and which was conveyed to William H. Hill by Jos. Morris, late of Kent county aforesaid, by deed bearing date Jan. 4, 1883, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded, containing twenty acres of land more or less.

DANIEL H. KENT, Purchaser.

Feb. 2—5t.

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Owning our own Timber lands, Teams, Logging, Railroads, Rafting apparatus, Mills and vessels, we know we can offer INDUCEMENTS TO BUILDERS NOT EQUALLED IN THE STATE.

May 27, 1882.

W. S. TAYLOR. WM. SPRIGG.

W. S. TAYLOR & CO.,

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Light Street Wharf, BALTIMORE.

LUMBER, SHINGLES,

Sash, Doors, Blinds. BUILDING LUMBER *OF ALL KINDS.* *Bricks, Lime, Hair.*

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Shingles, Lath, Doors, Sash, Blinds

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T. W. WICKES,

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DEALER IN

Drugs and Medicines,

BOOKS, STATIONERY, AND FANCY ARTICLES.

We have in stock and are constantly receiving Fresh Drugs, which we secure from only reliable and first class wholesale dealers.

Our PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT cannot be surpassed in this county for reliability or promptness.

We also keep on hand the most reliable patent preparations.

In connetion with our Drug business we propose this year to push our trade in Stationery, Books and Fancy Articles. Our large sales the past season encourage us in giving special attention in this direction.

We shall continue to give personal attention to every department of our business, and leave no effort untried to give perfect satisfaction to all who favor us with their patronage.

T. W. WICKES, DRUGGIST.

aug. 4, 1882.

BARBER SHOP.

THE Barber Shop at the old stand, corner of High and Court streets, attached to the Masonic Hall building, formerly conducted by Woolford & McCoy is now conducted by WOOLFORD.

Prompt and polite attention shown to all customers.

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS.

Take notice that TRAVEL over Radcliffe Bridge will be suspended, except for foot travellers, until further notice.

By order, T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk Co. Comm'rs.

n10-tf.

A FEW LIBRARY LAMPS in Ebony and Gold, which were marked at $4.50 for $3.25, at L. K. STAM'S.

j19.

CLOCKS! CLOCKS! at lower prices than ever offered in Chestertown. A fine assortment at SPARKS'.

LADIES' Hand-made, Kid-Buttoned BOOTS, something nice. For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

M. A. TOULSON,

Dispensing Chemist,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

I give the business my entire time and attention, and guarantee satisfaction.

PRESCRIPTIONS COMPOUNDED at all hours of the day or night, in the most improved pharmaceutical manner.

Full line of PATENT MEDICINES and FANCY ARTICLES kept in stock.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO a Specialty

M. A. TOULSON, CHESTERTOWN.

Jan. 28 1882

LIME FOR SALE

Having purchased THE LIME KILN in Chestertown at the Railroad Station, Levi Fiddis, Jr. Md., formerly owned, I am now prepared to sell either

Slaked or Quick Lime

for building purposes, at the following prices at the kiln: slaked, 6c. per bushel, quick, 12c. per bushel.

WM. PERKINS.

se15-tf.

WE have a greater variety of Christmas Goods than any house in Kent county!

SPARKS, opposite the Court House.

ALL kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods, for which the highest market price will be paid, at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

STAIR RODS!—CHEAP at LOUIS K. STAM'S.

A New Departure

W. A. WHITAKER & BRO

Galena, Md.,

Dealers in General Merchandise.

Department No. 1: DRY GOODS, PRINTS, Muslins, Ginghams, Satins, Cashmeres, Lawns White Goods, Flannels, Cottonades, Notions, Hosiery, Gloves—the celebrated Alexandria Kid Glove, warranted. Hamburg Edgings, Corsets; Ladies', Gents' and Misses' Waterproof Gossimer Coats; Satchels, Clocks.

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! for the large and small.

HATS and CAPS, Queensware, Hardware, Cigars, Tobacco, Fancy & Staple Groceries.

Depart. No. 2—Syrups, Molasses, Oils, Salt, &c.

Depart. No. 3—Men's and Boys' *READY-MADE CLOTHING.* Men's Suits $5, $8, $10, $12, $15, $18, $20.

Depart. No. 4—(second floor)—*FURNITURE AND BEDDING.* Cottage Suits, Tables, Chairs and Lounges at City Prices.

Depart. No. 5—(second floor)—*CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, MATTINGS.* We also buy the Sigwalt Singer Pattern Sewing Machine, and sell at less than list prices.

We would ask our friends and the public to please call and examine our stock.

Country Produce taken in exchange for goods.

W. A. WHITAKER & BRO., Main Street, GALENA, MD.

March 3, 1883.

THE PLACE To Buy Harness.

MY WHOLE STOCK AT *THE VERY LOWEST 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, Court Street.

Mar. 20.

Nursery Stock!

Through the very liberal patronage of my friends and customers, I have been enabled to sell this fall over 180,000 Peach Trees, and still have remaining

8,000 First-Class TREES,

and about

30,000 SECOND CLASS,

consisting of the leading popular varieties. These 2d class Trees will run from 2 to 3 feet in height; have good roots, and are thrifty, healthy Trees. Almost all my own planting has been of this class, and some even prefer them. Price $30 per 1,000; 1st Class, $60 per 1,000.

Other Nursery Stock, and especially Strawberry, Raspberry and Blackberry Plants, for sale in quantity. Catalogues ready.

Thankful for past favors I hope to merit a liberal share of patronage.

N. BARNARD, Stanley P. O., Kent co., Md.

We, the undersigned, having known Mr. N. BARNARD for the past 15 or 20 years, take pleasure in recommending him as reliable and trustworthy, and Trees we have purchased of him have proven satisfactory and true to name.

GEO. B. WESTCOTT, Pres't Kent Nat'l Bank.
WILLIAM T. HEPBRON,
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ISAAC PARSONS,
THOMAS J. F. SMITH,
GEO. R. BECK,
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
J. W. COREY,
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W. S. MAXWELL, M. D.
JOHN B. PARROTT,
R. S. DIEHL.

Nov. 24, 1883.

Snow Hill Nurseries.

300,000 No. 1 PEACH TREES

Over 50 varieties among which can be found kinds suited to all sections including the New and Old Standard Varieties, largely of the Yellow for canning and drying purposes. Also, 100,000 APPLE TREES, 40,000 of them are Extra Long Keeping varieties, adapted to southern planting or wherever long keeping varieties are desirable. We also offer a full line of NURSERY STOCK, Small Fruit a specialty; can fill orders in large or small quantities, at reasonable prices write for descriptive circular, which mail free to all applicants. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

Address: WM. M. PETERS & SONS, Wesley Station, Worcester co., Maryland.

Oct. 13-7m.

Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Bibles. A large stock for sale by COLIN F. STAM.

d15.

GENTS', 50c., 75c., $1, $1 25, $1 50 and UNDERSHIRTS, at 25c., in want can be suited in price and quality. J. H. SIMPERS.

Oct. 6.

FINE and GROUND ALUM SALT, at low Prices. For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

dec27.

CALL and look at our BLANKETS at $1 a pair; at 85 cts. a pair. Our Bed Comforts, large and heavy, at 90 cts. at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

s29.

10 PER CENT. PROFIT is all we are asking on any article in Queensware as we are closing out this line of goods. SPARKS.

TRY Punch, Henry Clay, Log Cabin, Bub and Key West Cigars at LAMBERT'S.

FOUR KINDS of Sausage CUTTERS, Stuffers and Lard Cans, at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

n17.

LARGE STOCK Gentlemen's, Ladies' Misses' and Children's Shoes and Slippers. J. H. SIMPERS.

FAMILY MINCE MEAT. HUDGINS' BAKERY.

GOOD SOUND TOBACCO for 55 cts at R. F. PARKS'.

SCALE BEAMS from 150 lbs. to 500 lbs., for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.