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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....MARCH 29, 1884.

KENT CO. AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

CLUB ROOM, March 24, 1884.

President in the chair; very small attendance of members.

Question: "Right time of planting and proper mode of cultivating potatoes," was profitably discussed and continued to the next meeting. Question for discussion at the next meeting is: "The application of phosphates to corn and best kinds to apply?"

Mr. J. W. Hickman will lecture on Fertilizers before the club on Monday, April 7. It is desired that there may be a good attendance of members and visitors, as it is an important question to farmers.

MEMBER.

BREVITIES FROM FAIRLEE.

The net proceeds of the elocutionary entertainments for Salem M. E. Church were nearly $225. The general opinion seems to be that the public got the worth of their money.

There is some talk of organizing a permanent association for improvement in reading and elocution.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Salem Church has been invited to give an entertainment, in the near future, at Worton Station—the mud blockade has hitherto prevented.

The Grange will hold its monthly festival on Thursday, 3d prox., at 2 o'clock P. M., instead of the 10th, as first arranged. A committee of the Grange are making preparations for a hop in their Hall on the evening of Easter Monday.

Peter Poker will have the girls in arms against him if he does not look sharp. The idea! "The girl in love with the horse and not with the man." Hasn't a girl a right to love a fine horse? Some will want to know if P. P. does not love his fine horse, or does he love the ladies better? Quintus Queryman wishes to ask P. P. if, in case his lady-love should "shuffle off this mortal coil," he would give her as honorable interment as he gave his fine horse? Hope he will gratify Bro. Q.'s curiosity in his next effort.

The leaf-buds of the rose and other shrubbery are unfolding to the gentle touch of spring.

No service at Salem on the 23d—nothing in or out but rain.

SIMON SHARP.

A REMARKABLE SENTENCE.

"Fruit, milk and vegetables are taking the place of beer in thousands of English families, who cannot afford (free-trade country) to eat meat more than once a week."—*Transcript correspondence, March 20.*

This sentence probably contains as much error and bad logic as it is possible for an equal number of words to contain. It misstates and misleads, yet, like everything else in the world, it has its use. It is an excellent specimen of the sophistry which is used by protectionists. The assertion that the English laborer cannot afford to eat meat oftener than once a week is bad enough; to ascribe the alleged rarity to free-trade is worse. This once-a-week beef yarn has been handed down to us by good old people who remember when England was *not* a free-trade country. Before that policy was adopted there, the condition of the laboring classes was indeed appalling. Elliott, the honest corn-law rhymer, has left us vivid pictures of their distress. But for forty years England has been enjoying the blessings of free-trade. Since the year one, of free-trade, the condition of the lower classes in England has steadily improved; a more general suffrage has been extended to them; their children have better opportunities for an education, and what is better than all, their wages have increased, and today they are better able to buy those large quantities of fruit and vegetables of which our correspondent speaks.

The average wages of the average mechanic in England is about $12 per week—$12 there will buy about as much as $18 in this country. From this we may conclude that John Bull can afford to have as many nice things as his cousin. Admitting that the English workman *cannot* buy as much meat as he ought to have, how in the name of common sense could he get any more under a high protective tariff? Is it not perfectly clear that he could not get as much? If he were compelled to pay $1.50 for a $1.00 roast, where would his extra 50 cents come from? If he asks his employer for the advance, he will be told that England is an export country, and that the markets of foreign nations regulate the price of her commodities. He may seek hither and thither, but under a protective tariff he will be compelled to carry home less beef.

REVENUE REFORM.

CHESTERVILLE AND VICINITY.

Messrs. Editors:—"A. B. C." made her debut in the *Transcript* last week as a Chesterville correspondent. She seems to have acted *gal*-antly and prudently as well, for she flingeth her compliments hither and thither—from the professional man to the florist and thence to him of the yard-stick, seeming determined to make somebody feel good at least. When the complimented think of the fair author, they must feel the compliments all the more, and should be doubly grateful therefor. We are glad to see that "A. B. C." reiterates what has been stated by "Walter" at least *once*—that Chesterville is somewhat antiquated in appearance; but how far she wanders from the track when she states that it was "dropped from the clouds half a century ago and left in its Van Winkle sleep undisturbed until the moss had threatened to cover it entirely," she evidently meant a *century and a half ago*, it was dropped, etc. But here she soars too high for the antiquated village; for who that has seen it but knows that it "is of the earth, earthy"—no wisdom from above ever had anything to do with it. As for the moss, she must have been looking through green goggles, for surely 'tis the *water* that covers the village—the *Moss* having departed. And then, too, the ear as well as the eye sometimes deceives one, as in the case of our alphabetical debutant in regard to "law-givers," "saving the country," etc. Why, bless us! no, no; not saving the country;" that's a dead issue, but it's the "*law and the Gospel*" they discuss at the Chesterville P. O. morning, noon and night, that is, if John, the great Discusser, is around, and he can find any one to discuss with. So, you see, Messrs. Eds., how much more wholesome and purifying the atmosphere at the Chesterville P. O., than the fair correspondent would have you suppose. We trust "A. B. C." will pardon us for objecting to the above little inaccuracies, and will appreciate our efforts in trying to "set things to rights." As a brother scribe we bid her welcome, and extend to her the right hand of *fellowship*. P. S.—We can only *extend* the hand—both of them are *tied*.

Rev. T. G. Nevitt has returned to Kent circuit for the third year. We are sure he is welcomed, not so much "that he may enjoy the comforts of the new parsonage," but because is an excellent pastor and an acceptable preacher also.

In addition to his greenhouse Mr. S. W. Aldridge has also gone into the agricultural implement business in connection with F. A. King, principal salesman. How many more irons he will have in the fire before the year ends it is hard to tell, but if he does not let any of them burn, it is quite certain they will be apt to heat him very hot before the summer passes by.

Mr. Albert Medders has accepted an agency from an Eastern firm for the sale of nursery stock, and left for Annapolis, his starting point, last Monday.

Mr. Joshua Davis, blacksmith, has returned to Chesterville again, having entirely "swung around the circle." Upon first coming to this county he settled at Spry's Gate; removed from thence to Chesterville; thence to Lambson's; thence to Sudlersville; thence back to the Gate, and thence to Chesterville again, where he is now hammering away, making things ring around him.

Bad roads have been no novelty for months past, but the road from Chesterville to Millington, in some places, is still in a terrible condition. The trouble is caused, we believe, for want of drainage. The places we speak of are well nigh impassable. For want of proper drainage also, water stands in some parts of our village from one week's end to the other. If something is not done for us soon we may expect plenty of business for physicians. A bridge one-fourth of a mile north of us, on the Galena road, also needs attention—a horse fell through crossing it the other day. What has become of the commissioner and supervisor? We suspect the traveling is too bad for them, but trust we may see them soon.

On Thursday of last week, Mr. L. W. Ford left a young colt, attached to a buggy, in charge of a gentleman in front of Layman's store, in this place. Result—Colt became frightened and ran away, demolishing the carriage; no bones broken.

WALTER.

CONGRESSMAN FINDLAY TALKS ABOUT WHISKEY.—In an argument on the Bonded Whiskey Bill, Mr. Findlay, of Baltimore, thus argued in favor of retaining the whiskey in bond: "Here are seventy million gallons of concentrated damnation and misery, double extract of woe and perdition, a hellbroth such as witches never brewed, all safely guarded in its reservoir behind walls of impenetrable masonry * * and you propose to break these walls down and let out this whole fiery, seething mass of corruption and passion in one fell, disastrous overflow, and all in the name and for the sake of temperance. If the dog is bad, why not keep him chained?"

PUBLIC LOCAL LAW

OPERATIVE IN KENT COUNTY.

Passed at the Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1884.

Amendments to the Local Option Law.

CHAPTER 54.

AN ACT supplementary to an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed in eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter one hundred and sixty-one, entitled "An act to enable the qualified voters of Kent county to determine, by ballot, whether spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters shall be sold in said county;" to more effectually enforce the observance of said act, and to regulate the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors, alcoholic bitters and other intoxicating drinks for medicinal purposes in said county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the following sub-sections be and they are hereby added to section three of chapter one hundred and sixty-one of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, entitled "An act to enable the qualified voters of Kent county to determine, by ballot, whether spirituous or fermented liquors or alcoholic bitters shall be sold in said county.

SUB-SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That any person or persons or body corporate, who shall be convicted for violation of said act of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter one hundred and sixty-one, and indicted, as provided in section three of said act, he, she or they so convicted and fined, and failing to pay such fine or fines, and he costs of prosecution forthwith, shall be sentenced to be confined in the Maryland house of correction for a term not exceeding six months, or until such fine or fines and costs are paid.

SUBSECTION 2. *And be it enacted*, That any person or persons or body incorporate, who shall in any way barter or sell intoxiating drinks of any kind or description in Kent county, except as hereinafter provided, such person or persons or body corporate, on conviction thereof, shall be fined as provided in section three of said act of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter one hundred and sixty-one, and punished on non-payment of such fine or fines, as provided in sub-section one of this act.

SUB-SECTION 3. *And be it enacted*, That nothing contained in this act or in said act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter one hundred and sixty-one, shall be construed to prevent the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors, alcoholic bitters or intoxicating drinks in Kent county, for medical purposes, by a regular pharmacist and druggist having a license for such business under the laws of this State, provided such sale be made only upon the written bona fide prescription of a regular physician practicing in said county, containing the name of the person for whom the liquor, alcoholic bitters or other intoxicants is prescribed, the kind and quantity of the same, the day on which the prescription is made, and the full ordinary name of the physician making it, all written in ink; the date of filling such prescription shall be endorsed on the back thereof, by the pharmacist and druggist filling the same, in ink, who shall file and keep all such prescriptions filed separate from all other prescriptions, and exhibit the same to the State's attorney, or any grand jury or justice of the peace of said county, calling for the production thereof; and no such prescription shall serve for more than one purpose; no physician shall make or sign a such prescription, unless the person for whom it is made is actually sick, or such liquor or alcoholic bitters or intoxants is absolutely required as a medicine; in no case shall a pharmacist and druggist permit any liquor, alcoholic bers or other intoxicating drinks obtained under such prescription, to be drunk anywhere on his premises except in cases of sudden illness; all pharmacists and druggists shall be liable for the acts of their clerks, agents and assistants, with reference to the matter and things herein embraced; nothing, however herein contained, shall be construed to prohibit a sale by such pharmacist and druggist in cases of extreme illness, when delay would be dangerous; any pharmacist or druggist, or physician, violating any provisions or requirement of this sub-section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined in the sum of not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred dollars for every such offence, and shall stand committed until such fine or fines and the cost of prosecution are paid; and the proceeds, one-half of fines to go to the informer, and the residue to the county and school commissioners of said county, for the use of the public schools therein.

SECTION 2. *And it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 1884.

ROBERT M. McLANE,
GOVERNOR.

HENRY LLOYD,
President of the Senate.

J. PEMROKE THOM,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

MARYLAND, SCT.

I, SPENCER C. JONES, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and full copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, of which purports to be a copy, as taken from the original law, belonging to and deposit in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk, and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1884.

SPENCER C. JONES,
Clerk Court of Appeals of Maryland.

March 29, 1884—3t.

RAG CARPET! RAG CARPET!
IN CHESTERTOWN,
by the same weaver. Rag Carpet wove to order on the best cotton or woolen yarn, at short notice.
JOHN HARTLEY,
Corner Calvert st. and Cage Avenue,
fe23-3m. Chestertown, Md.

INSECT POWDER.
DALMAAN.
Guaranteed to exterminate Roaches, Ants and kindred Pests.
M. A. TOULSON,
mar. 22. DRUGGIST.

NOTICE.
MR. F. H. RIVERS
is now in my employ as travelling agent. Any business entrusted to him will receive prompt attention.
WM. HYLAND.
Mar. 8-2m. GALENA, MD.

For the Permanent Improvement of Old and worn out lands yields of Grain and all General Products requiring a thorough and complete assimilation of the elements required, there is NOTHING BETTER than

Star Bone RELIABLE, Phospha
TRADE MARK
Thoroughly Establ
And THE LEADING BONE PHOSPHATE in the n.

PlanetBrand Phospha
PLANET TRADE MARK BRAND
COMPANION to STAR BO.
DIFFERS ONLY IN ANALYSIS, AND CORRESPONDINGLY LOW IN PRICE.

This article, containing a large per cent. of Ammoniacal Matter, Germa, Soluble Phosphoric Acid and Insoluble Bone, thoroughly, manipul commends itself to all who want a
GOOD FERTILIZER AT A LOW PRICE
MANUFACTURED BY THE
Peninsular Bone Fertilizer (
SMYRNA, DELAWARE,
Importers and Manufacturers of Fertilizers and Fertilizer Supp
J. E. TYGERT, President. W. G. PIERCE, Sec. and.
March 29-7m.

Free Exhibition of Carp.
We will offer for inspection at the VOSHELL HOUSE IN CHESTE on April 18 & 19, morning, afternoon and evening, a full line of Ingrain, Stair and Hall Carpets, of every description. Window Shades, Mats, air Rods and Oil Cloths at prices within reach of all.
My object is to give you these goods at the same prices as if bought in our store time and expense. We show you these goods with the aid of the Design Multiplier cted that any pattern placed within is multiplied for an indefinite space, and appears as fect ly matched and fitted to a room. I will consider it a favor to have you come & exam ds.
PAYNE G. GREEN, 323 North Second St., a.
P. S.—Will exhibit at Millington, April 21 & 22; Chesapeake City 23 & 24. 3t.

GREAT RUSH FOR BARGA
—AT—
A. FRIEDMAS,
Under the KENT NEWS OFFIC
We have this day reduced our entire stock of
MEN'S SUITS!
YOUTH'S SUITS!
BOY'S SUITS!
CHILDREN'S S!
TO PRICES WHICH WILL ASTONISH
MEN'S, YOUTH'S, BOY'S & CHIN'S
OVERCOATS
Reduced to 10 per cent. below FIRST COST. We would rather sit the above sacrifice than carry them over for next winter. Come n yourself and compare our prices with those of others and you will be cer in what we say is strictly true. Respectfully.
A. FRIED
March 1-ta1. Cherry land

CARPETS!
CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS
—AND—
Mattings.
GEO. T. CRANE. CURTIS E. CRANE
[Formerly of Queen Anne's county.]
CRANE BROS.,
67 W. Baltimore Street,
Baltimore, - - - Maryland.
Opposite Dime Museum.
WE CALL THE ATTENTION of our friends and the public in general to our FINE SELECTION of
SPRING CARPETS,
OIL-CLOTHS,
MATTINGS, &c.,
We also call your attention to the fact that our expenses are small, and, as we sell strictly for cash, it enables us to sell at lower prices than any other carpet-house in the city. Give us a call and see for yourselves what we (Eastern Shore) fellows are doing in styles and prices at
CRANE BROS.,
Mar. 8-3m. 67 W. Baltimore St.

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 at all prices.
SPARKS,
jan12. opp. Court House.

PRODUCE WANTED.
Meat, Butter, Lard, Eggs in small or large quantities wanted, or anything else that we can sell.
mh15-3m. J. B. BURCHINAL.

MONEY TO LOAN.
$10,000 Trust Money to loan on Mortgage.
Apply to T. W. ELIASON, Jr.
Feb. 2, 1884—tf.

CABBAGE SEED.
EARLY AND LATE
at M. A. TOULSON'S,
mar. 22. DRUGGIST.

GARDEN SEED.
ONION SEED AND ONION SETS, a very fine stock, very low, at
m1. STAM'S DRUG STORE.

VERY BEAUTIFUL
line of Window Shades, very low
at LOUIS K. STAM'S.

FRESH GA[illegible]
A LARGE SUPPLY,
EMBRACING
Many and Ce[illegible]ties.
Prices Lower than Ever.
Market goes will find their advantage to buy of
STAM'S DRUG STORE.
March 1. [illegible]RIST.

PETITIONERS' ROAD NOTICE.
THE undersigned petitioners hereby give notice that after 30 days from the date of they will apply to the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent county
New Public Road,
to begin at the mill so of Ireland Mill, in road leading from Fiddlers Village to Buck Neck Church, and to connect to southern part of mill pond in accordance with dam to remain mi[illegible]
S. H. CAVID,
J. W. COX,
ED. JANEY,
A. CORE,
W. STERN[illegible]
Mar. 22—5t. [illegible]ioners.

Enterprise Association Company
OF
KENT & QUEEN ANNE COUNTIES.
ANNUAL MEETING
The ANNUAL MEETING of Stockholders of the Enterprise Association Company of Kent and Queen Anne's counties, will be held at the office in Chestertown
On TUESDAY, April 8th,
at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of electing DIRECTORS to serve for the ensuing year.
By order of C. SLOCUM,
CHAS. F. CROSBY, Sec'y. 3t.

DRESS GOODS!
We have just received a desirable assortment of DRESS GOODS in all colors, Gray and Sheppard Plaid. Also a very choice assortment of BERLIN WOOLS.
mh15-3m. J. B. BUCHINAL.

THE BEST FARM
for sale by
mar22. J. E. LISE.

First Class Work!
GUARANTEED BY
THE OLD RELIABLE FIRM:
CHAPMAN & LAMBERT
We are manufacturing some of the best work that was ever built in this State. We sell FIRST-CLASS WORK. If you want a good CARRIAGE it will be to your interest to buy of us as we are now—after Twenty years' experience—better able to suit you in every respect.
Call and see our
LIGHT PHÆTONS,
BREWSTER SPR. BUGGIES,
DAYTON and
JUMP-SEAT CARRIAGES.
We do not offer this work in competition with the common shoddy work, but sell it on its merits, and our reputation.
All kinds of REPAIRING done neatly and with dispatch. We give special attention to painting up second-hand jobs. Those wanting a nice job of painting should give us a call.
CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

Our WAGONS, CARTS,
AND
DEARBORNS,
Have a reputation throughout this Peninsula. We have sold them in New Castle Co., Delaware, and in Cecil county, Md., and as far as Salisbury, Md. We have over ONE THOUSAND of these running today, and as far as our personal knowledge extends we do not know of twelve set of tyres cut in the whole of them. This is evidence enough of what kind of lumber we use in making them.
We could give you testimonials enough to fill one side of the KENT NEWS to establish this fact if it were necessary, but the public already know of the standing of these goods.
We have justly earned the high reputation we hold as manufacturers by our manner of doing business—
We give our own personal supervision to every minutia in building;
We see that all lumber is well seasoned before it it used, and every other part is what it should be.
We do all kinds of
JOB-WORK and REPAIRS
furnish estimates for Bridge work, and repair all kinds of Machinery.
We also sell
Plow Castings and Plows,
such as Wiley's, Concaves, and Minor & Horton's. These Castings are all ground and polished and sold cheap.
We also have on hand and make to order all kinds of HARROWS, such as Twin and Double, and Single A's.
You will find a large lot of Single, Double and Three-horse TREES of the best hickory, well ironed; also, Plow Hames.
You will see by calling at our works that we have too much at stake to do mean or shoddy work.
Thankful for past patronage and hoping for a continuance of the same,
We are respectfully,
CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.
March 22, 1884.

Carriages! Carriages!
CARRIAGES!!
Do You Want a First-Class CARRIAGE of Best Material and Best Make, at a Low Price?
If you do, the PLACE TO GET IT is at
GEO. E. LAMBERT'S
In Chestertown.
I AM now prepared to show a Larger Stock of NEW CARRIAGES than can be found in any establishment on the Peninsula, and
Guarantee them as GOOD and as CHEAP.
My stock includes all the latest and most improved styles, including
Piano-box Top Buggies,
Brewster & Wilson spring
Double Spring Phætons,
Jump Seats, Rockaways
and Dayton Wagons,
We deal exclusively in Carriages, Dearborns and Express Wagons, and knowing our reputation is at stake, and purposing the permanency of our business establishment here, we have something more at heart than temporary pecuniary advantage. We are determined that our work shall give satisfaction in every respect and therefore do not hesitate to give guarantees in every case.
DAYTONS.—Special attention is called to our Dayton Wagons—the very thing for farmers.
Repairs of all kinds—Smithing, Painting and Trimming—at short notice, at lowest prices.
I would be glad to have those in want of Carriages to visit my show rooms, as I know that for beauty of style—for durability of material, and perfect workmanship—these Carriages are unsurpassed. MY PRICES are LOWER than the lowest, as my large stock compels me to offer GREAT BARGAINS.
GEO. E. LAMBERT,
m15. opposite M. P. Church, Chestertown.

Grand Opening!
GRAND OPENING
OF THE
"NEW I. DEA!"
I notify the public that I have removed from my old stand, opp. old P. O., to my new and handsome store opp. Stam's Drug Store, where I have the largest and best selected stock of
Ladies and Misses' Hats,
trimmed and unimmed,
Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons,
Velvets of all shades.
Satins, Laces, Fringes, Hkfs, Ladies' & children's Underwear, Infants' Robes and Cloaks at lower prices than they can be made up for. Ladies' Wrappers.
Specialties in Hair Goods, Gents' and Boys' Hats and Caps, Shirts of all kinds.
Merino and Gauze Underwear, Hosiery, a good assortment; Corsets, all makes. Gloves to suit every one, and many more goods that it is impossible to mention.
Our Motto—Large Sales and Small Profits. We study to please; we sell as we advertise. Thankful for past patronage we solicit a continuance of the same, confident our customers will find they are treated as well as heretofore.
fe23. Resp'y, J. CANTORWITZ.

DRIFT LOGS.
HAVING bought the
DRIFT LOGS
Now on the KENT SHORES,
I hereby notify the Shore owners that the said Logs will be gathered promptly and when taken the shortage of 25c. per log will be paid cash, and only to be delivered to those who have my written authority to collect them.
My contract demands that I prosecute all offenders against the log law.
JOSEPH TURNER.
Chestertown, Feb. 27, 1884.

Having appointed Mr. WM. F. WROTH, *of Still Pond, our General Agent, all orders given to him or sent to our office will receive prompt and careful attention.*
OFFICE:—Market Space.
March 22, 1884-tf.

Kent County Commissioners'
ANNUAL NOTICE.
THE County Commissioners of Kent County will meet at their office in Chestertown, on
TUESDAY,
The 4th day of March, 1884
at 11 o'clock A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour
EVERY TUESDAY,
Until the Sixth day of May next,
for the purpose of noting Transfers and correcting assessments.
All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.
After Tuesday, the 4th day of May next,
NO ALTERATIONS or corrections in the assessments will be made for the present year.
TRUSTEES OF THE POOR will be appointed on the Second Monday—14th day—of April next.
COLLECTORS
Of State and County Taxes,
For each Election District,
and a
Keeper of the STANDARDS
—of—
Weights and Measures
will be appointed on
TUESDAY, the 8th of April next.
All persons having ACCOUNTS against the County are requested to present the same on or before
Tuesday, the 3rd day of June next,
otherwise they will be excluded from the levy of this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner and itemized, and rendered under oath.
All applications for Pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant, and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.
N. B.—All persons neglecting to have their assessments corrected are hereby notified that no allowance for taxes paid in error in consequence of such neglect will be made.
C. P. LOPER, PRESIDENT.
JOHN B. PARROTT,
RICH'D C. SMYTH,
V. HENDRICKSON,
J. C. WHEATLEY,
Commissioners.
Attest—
T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.
Feb. 23, 1884.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of
JOHN WM. TOULSON,
late of Kent county, Maryland, dec'd.
All persons having claims against said deceased's estate, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 28th day of Oct., 1884, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.
Given under my hand this 18th day of March, 1884.
MARY M. TOULSON,
Mar. 22—4t. Adm'x.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of
GEORGE W. WATTS,
late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.
All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 28th day of October, 1884, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate.
Given under my hand this 18th day of March, 1884.
GEORGE H. WATTS,
Mar. 22—4t. Executor.

Something New in Chestertown!
FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY.
D. J. GORDON,
Has opened a photograph gallery on Market Square, and is prepared to furnish pictures at prices that can't be beat.
Cartes de Visite, Cabinet and other style Photographs of the first quality.
Large Picture with frame $1.00.
Four Card Size Pictures for 50 cts.
Four Gem Pictures for 25 cts.
Special attention paid to copying old pictures.
Pictures of children taken in the morning only.
Pictures taken of Horses, Houses, &c.
Cloudy weather no objection.
Satisfaction guaranteed in every particular. D. J. GORDON.
Jan. 26—tf.

A LARGE STOCK of MEN'S, BOYS and YOUTHS BOOTS, at unusually low prices, for sale by
T. W. ELIASON, Jr.
EXTENSION TABLES—new lot just received, v
j19. LOUIS K.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!
Our line of COOK and HEATING STOVES is complete.
We Guarantee Every Stove We Sell.
Our New Emerald, Virginia Farmer Girl, New Regulator, Southern Girl, and New Charm Cook Stoves, cannot fail to do us credit, and the purchaser good service.
Our RANGES have been thoroughly tested and proven a blessing in our community. The leading names are:
THE HAPPY, THE MARYLAND, RELIANCE, CLIFTON, DAISY & COZY.
The HAPPY COOK or RANGE is for either wood or coal, and in our judgment has no equal for good baking.
OUR "SPLENDID"
FIRE PLACE HEATER
TAKES THE LEAD!
Every one sold gives entire satisfaction.
We guarantee them.
Our stock of HEATING STOVES comprises all the latest improvements and are elegantly finished.
Call and examine our stock and get prices.
JOEL R. CLEMENTS,
Adjoining Kent Nat'l Bank.
Jan. 26, 1884.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.,
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PETITIONERS'
ROAD NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED hereby notice that thirty days from this notice they intend to apply to the Honorable, the County Commissioners to appoint examiners to view and determine whether the public convenience requires that a
PUBLIC ROAD
at Kennard H. Rouse, through the lands of F. W. Davis and Leonard's Corner, should be opened, and to intersect the road at F. H. Brock Road.
Wm. T. Heacock, JOHN F. BEEKS,
Mrs. M. E. Heacock, J. T. IRELAND,
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THE undersigned hereby give notice that in thirty days from the date of this notice, they intend to apply to the Hon. County Commissioners for a
NEW PUBLIC ROAD
leading from the public road sometimes called "Scott's Road," at a point where the said road strikes the land of George J. Appold, and run through Appold's land to strike the public road in the colored people's village called "The Upper Branch," at or near the colored people's Church, and then to widen the public road through the said village, to run through the lands of C. J. Scott, Perry Scott, Emeline Locks and others, to the public road leading from Galena to Sassafras. And to apply for a
NEW PUBLIC ROAD
from the said "Scott's Road" along the Eastern line of John W. Ireland's "old farm" and through the lands of George W. Chrisfield, and R. W. Cochran to the old public road leading from Galena to Masseys, all of which are in the First Election District of Kent County, and State of Maryland.
ANDREW WOODALL,
GEO. W. CHRISFIELD,
JOSEPH P. IRELAND,
J. THOS. PENNINGTON,
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and others.
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J. M. J. BYRON,
Dec. 15-tf. Coll. 4th District.

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