msa_sc2901_scm1625-0120 © Maryland State Archives

Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....May 24, 1884.

THE STATUE OF LUTHER.

The ceremony of unveiling the statue of the great Protestant leader, Martin Luther, which has been erected at Washington, D. C., by the Luther Statue Association, took place Wednesday afternoon. Chief Justice Waite presided and Senator Congor, of Michigan, and Dr. J. C. Morris, of Baltimore, delivered orations. The character of Martin Luther is so distinctively German in its constituent elements that religious differences are often lost sight of and necessarily laid aside in considering his individuality, and the *man* stands out in bold relief against the chaos of conflicting views which the mere mention of his name engenders—the sturdy, robust, aggressive, self-reliant exponent of German ideas and German sympathies. In a certain sense Martin Luther may be said to represent his race. He was above and before all a man of the people, and his fixed ruggedness of purpose, his dauntless courage, his fortitude under adversity, have formed favorite themes for poets and historians. While, therefore, the unveiling of the Luther statue at Washington is an event which primarily concerns the great religious denomination which bears his name, it has also a larger significance, and appeals to a much wider interest—the interest of his fellow-countrymen in this land of religious and civil liberty, and the interest of all who sympathize with the earnestness and sincerity of purpose which characterized his remarkable career.

The Excursion Season.—In an article on the excursion season the Baltimore *Sun* says of Kent's famous resort:

Tolchester Beach starts in on its seventh season on June 1. Every season has seen improvements and new features of amusement, and this year is no exception. The wharf and bridges have been carefully examined by competent builders and made thoroughly safe. The bathing facilities have been greatly enlarged. Among the improvements is a fine covered pavilion overlooking the bathing grounds, in front of which is a wharf running out beyond the stones, which have heretofore annoyed the bathers, and from which steps lead down to the water. Springboards have been provided at a separate pier for men and boys. A sea lion and other curiosities are also promised. The hotel and restaurant arrangements have been much better arranged for the coming season. More ground has been cleared, and among the new land features is a "summer sledding hill," a double-tracked gravity road, allowing a long ride. Mr. Chas. Lloyd will again be manager at the beach. The Louise, the largest and one of the finest excursion boats of the harbor, will again make regular trips to the beach. She has equipments and government license for 2,000 people, and is commanded by popular and careful officers.

The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session at Philadelphia, has elected four new Bishops, as follows: On the first ballot none were chosen; on the second, Rev. W. X. Ninde, D. D., and Rev. Dr. J. M. Walden were elected; on the third ballot, Rev. Willard F. Mallalieu, D. D., was elected; on the fourth ballot none were chosen; on the fifth Rev. C. H. Fowler, D. D., was elected.

Dr. Ninde is 52 years old, and President of the Garrett Biblical Institute, Illinois.

Dr. Walden is 53 years old, and agent of the Cincinnati Book Concern.

Dr. Mallalieu is 55 years old, was born in Massachusetts, and is a member of the New England Conference.

Dr. Fowler is 47 years old, a lawyer by profession, and Missionary Secretary of the M. E. Church.

Killed by a Carriage Accident.—Mr. Thos. King, of Kenton, Harford county, a brother of Francis T. King and John King, of Baltimore, was thrown from his carriage last Sunday and instantly killed. The accident occurred about a mile and a-half from Darlington, and near the residence of State Senator E. M. Allen. Mr. King was a member of the Society of Friends, and a prominent citizen of Harford county. He was in the 63d year of his age. He was noted for his liberality to the poor, and for the active part he took in all public matters. He owned a beautiful farm on Deer creek called "Kenton," where he resided. He leaves a large estate. He was born in Baltimore in 1820, and was unmarried.

The public schools of Caroline county closed last Wednesday week. The *Carolina Democrat* says that petitions to the county commissioners praying an increase in the county levy for school purposes were last week circulated in each district of the county, by the public school teachers and largely signed by the taxpayers. In order to run the schools four terms, says the same paper, it will require $12,500 from the county, and it is understood that amount will be asked for by the school board. If the levy is granted for the schools the tax will be about 43 cents on each $100 of assessable property in the county, or nearly one-half of the whole levy.

It appears that the verdict of a jury, "guilty as indicted," amounts only to a mis-trial, as decided by the circuit court for Dorchester county, which has so decided in the "Bug" Cephas case, where a new trial has been granted by the court because of such a verdict. "Bug" is the negro who murdered Mrs. Celia Bush. In the celebrated Tyler murder case, removed from Dorchester and tried in the Talbot county court, the jury brought in a verdict of "guilty," without specifying the degree. The court set aside the verdict and granted a new trial for the same reason assigned for the action of the Dorchester court in the Cephas case.

A horse whipping occurred recently in the 1st district of Caroline county, between a Mrs. Bond and a man named Wiley. Wiled used some insulting language which raised the indignation of Mrs. Bond, and she came down on him with a horse whip, which caused him to think for a moment that a western cyclone had struck him. The lady was arraigned before a magistrate at Greensborough and fined $3.50, but she is of the opinion that the castigation administered by her was worth $100.—*Denton Union.*

In the local-option cases before the court at Cambridge last week, W. W. Davis and Isaiah Pragg, trading as Davis & Pragg, were convicted of selling intoxicating beer, (Weiss beer) and each fined $50 and costs in ten cases, making the total cost to them about $1,500. Benjamin Hart was convicted of selling lager beer and fined $50 and costs in five cases. State's Attorney Henry prosecuted the cases, and Milbourne and Hayward and Clement Sulivane appeared for the defense.

Murder in Virginia.—At Tangier Island, Va., on Saturday, last, Dr. Pitts called Dr. Walter, a rival physician, into his (Pitts') office and deliberately shot him dead. Professional jealousy was the cause of the murder. Walter had been practicing there for some time, and Pitts tried to build up a business but failed. The people of the island made a demonstration to lynch Pitts after the murder, but were prevented by a few of the citizens. The murderer was placed in jail at Onancock, Va.

The Easton *Star* says that a citizen of Talbot is contemplating the organization of a traction engine transportation company. The object is to build a few light cars, to be attached to a traction engine, and for the train to make daily trips between Easton and St. Michaels. It is thought that the company can secure the mail contract at the next letting, and that, together with the expressage, passengers and freight the company would be able to transport, would make it a paying concern.

W. Bogan Cash, the fugitive murderer of Town Marshal Richards, was killed at Cheraw, S. C., on Thursday morning of last week while resisting arrest. The posse, in charge of Deputy Sheriff E. T. King, surrounded Cash's barn, in which he was hiding. Cash came out and opened fire on the posse, wounding one of them. The fire was returned and Cash was riddled with bullets.

The jury in the case of John O'Donnell, at Centreville, charged with murderous assault on Jacob H. Calloway, after being out over 14 hours, came into court last week with a verdict of not guilty on the first count but guilty on the second count of the indictment, which is for simple assault and battery. O'Donnell was fined $20 and costs and sent to jail for two months.

The Washington monument reached the height of 430 feet last Saturday. It is now 10 feet higher than St. Michael's tower, Hamburg, and 20 feet higher than Salisbury spire, in England. It still lacks 23 feet of the height of St. Stephen's tower, in Vienna. There are only six edifices in the world higher than the present height of the monument.

The Baltimore *Sun* says that it is estimated that 6,000 sheep were killed in Maryland by dogs during the year 1883. These 6,000 sheep may be safely valued at $20,000." It is not probable that so great an amount of damage could be done to any other branch of industry without loud complaints and an urgent demand for redress.

Five prisoners were publicly whipped at New Castle, Del., last Saturday, four convicted of larceny getting ten lashes each, and one, a burglar, getting twenty lashes in addition to an hour in the pillory.

A strange disease has broken out among the horses of Kent Island. They are affected by hard breathing, fever and loss of appetite.

Sad End of an Elopement.

A dispatch to the Baltimore *Sun* from the Greenbriar White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, says: "An attempted elopement Friday night of last week in the southern part of Greenbriar county resulted in the death by drowning of the fleeing lover and the avenging father and the narrow escape of the young lady. The lady's family are among the most prominent people in Greenbriar county, and the tragic occurrence has produced intense excitement. On that evening, Ellen Farrier, the daughter of Jas. H. Farrier, eloped with John Biggs, who had for some time been paying attention to Miss Farrier despite the strong opposition and threats of her father and brother. They fled towards Greenbriar river in a buggy, intending to cross the stream and be married at the house of a minister some distance beyond, with whom they had an understanding. The father was absent from home when the couple left, but on his return he procured a buggy and, accompanied by his son, started in hot pursuit. Biggs and his intended bride, unconscious of the chase, arrived at the river, and entering a skiff started across. Hardly had they left the bank, however, when the pursuers dashed down to the shore. Jumping into another boat the young lady's father and brother followed the lovers, at the same time calling upon them to stop. When about half-way across the river the fugitives were overhauled, and, dropping their oars, the father and his son sprang into the boat. The former grappled with Biggs and the son took his sister into the other boat. A struggle ensued between the irate father and young Biggs, in the course of which the skiff was overturned and the father and lover sank and were drowned. Miss Farrier and her brother reached the shore in safety. The news of the affair spread rapidly, and the next morning a searching party found the body of Biggs lodged in a pile of drift. Mr. Farrier's body has not yet been found.

Public Local Law

OPERATIVE IN KENT COUNTY.

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

To Regulate the Catching of Fish in Chester River.

AN ACT to repeal chapter four hundred and eleven and chapter three hundred and thirty-three of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and chapter one hundred and fourteen of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled "An act to better regulate the time and manner of taking and catching fish in the waters of Chester river and its tributaries lying within the counties of Kent and Queen Anne's, in this State, and to reenact the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take, capture or destroy fish in the waters of Chester river or its tributaries in Kent or Queen Anne's counties by seines, drag-nets, set-nets, fish-baskets, fish pots, weirs, pound-nets, fykes or any other means or contrivance whatsoever which is now known or used in capturing or destroying fish, or which may hereafter be invented for that purpose from the twentieth day of May to the tenth day of September, except with hook and line; provided, however, that seines or nets may be used for the taking of taylors and mackerel fish, provided the meshes of such nets or seines are in the bar not less than one and seven-eighth inches, or in the mesh less than three and three-quarter inches.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons who use stakes or poles in setting nets of whatever class or description in the waters mentioned in the first section of this act to leave such stakes or poles in the water where they were used, but shall remove such stakes or poles from the waters where they were used on or before the first day of June in each year, nor shall they again be put down in said waters prior to the first day of September following.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons in said waters mentioned in the first section of this act, to employ their seines upon the beach or shore at any time whilst engaged in fishing, so as to leave the smaller fish to perish, but to employ the same in water of sufficient depth to enable the smaller fish to return to the waters for growth and maturation; and any person using seines, pound-nets, fish-baskets, fykes, traps, or nets of any class or description that catch the fish alive shall immediately cull them and return the small fish to the waters at the place where they were taken.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That no person or persons other than the bona fide residents of Kent and Queen Anne's counties shall use any boat or trap of any kind or description used in catching fish in said waters of Chester river and its tributaries in said counties; provided, however, that persons owning or occupying lands in said counties on said river and its tributaries shall have the right to rent or otherwise grant to non-residents the privilege of fishing on or opposite their shores during the fishing season hereinfore limited and fixed; and, further provided, that the right to take fish with hook and line shall be allowed to all persons at all times.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That upon the information of any citizen of either of the said counties, that he knows or verily believes that any person or persons have violated any of the provisions of this act, before any justice of the peace of either of said counties, the justice of the peace of said counties shall docket a case in the name of the State of Maryland against such person or persons so charged by oath as offending, and issue a warrant at once to some one of the constables or the sheriff of such county for the arrest of the party or parties so charged in said oath with such violations of this act, to be brought before such justice for trial, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than ten nor more than sixty dollars for each and every offense, in the discretion of said justice of the peace, one-half of which fine shall be paid to the informer, the other half to the school fund of the county where such conviction was rendered; and in default of payment of such fine such person or persons so convicted shall be sent to the county jail where such act was committed for not less than ten nor more than thirty days, at the discretion of the justice of the peace.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons convicted of offending against any of the provisions of this act shall think himself aggrieved by such conviction, he or they may appeal from the judgment of the justice of the peace before whom such conviction is had, at any time within ten days from the rendition thereof, to the circuit court of the county in which the trial was had. If any resistance be made to the officer directed to execute this act by any person or persons offending against the same, the said officer shall summon the posse comitatus and proceed therewith without delay to execute his duty under such warrant. The justice before whom such offender or offenders shall be taken, shall have full power to issue summons for all witnesses that be named to him to compel their appearance and examine them under oath.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted*, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be and the same is here repealed, and that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 4, 1884.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1884.

J. M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.
THOS. H. MOORE,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
May 24—3t.

We will sell you a pound of good Black Tea at 50c. a pound, and give you as a premium with it a fancy stone china Cup and Saucer.
j26. THOMPSON, up town.

Early Rose and Beauty of Hebron Seed Potatoes and Fresh Garden Seed, at THOMPSON'S, up town.

Attention, Fruit Growers

Having been appointed Agent for the sale of the

CELEBRATED PHILLIPS

Fruit Evaporator

I now offer them to the citizens of Kent and adjoining counties.

They are Guaranteed to Evaporate 200 Baskets of Peaches in 24 Hours,

and are as near FIRE PROOF as can be made. Having used one myself last season, I know from experience that they will do all they are recommended to do.

Any one desiring to purchase an Evaporator, if they will communicate with me either in person or by letter, I think we can convince them that it is to their interest to buy the PHILLIPS above all others. Send for descriptive circular.

EUGENE GOODING, Agent.

P. S.—I have one of these machines at my place which I will show to any one who may call.
GALENA, May 17, 1884—6t.

WHITMAN'S

Improved Fountain Pump.

A PORTABLE PUMP & SPRINKLER.

THIS convenient and easily managed apparatus serves equally well for watering Shrubbery, Plants and Flowers; for washing Windows and Carriages; for extinguishing Fires; for Sprinkling Sidewalks and roads. Fires taken in season can generally be extinguished by a very small amount of water, and such an apparatus as Whitman's Fountain Pump ought to be in every establishment where there is any danger from a conflagration.

Call and see them. For sale by
m17. T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

53 W. Fayette St., and 31 North St.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

Top Buggies $60 to $75

Oriole, Dayton and McCaul Wagons $125 to $150.
Jump-Seat Carriages $125 to $150.
Full line of Village and Road Carts.
OUR $73 TOP BUGGY has all leather top, full Brewster spring, Steel Tire and Improved Swell Taper Solid Collar Axle.

A. W. HAWKS,
Manager for R. F. BRIGGS & CO.
April 12—6m.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

—AND—

Don't You Forget It!

That on Court Street, next to C. F. Stam's drug store, you will find a HARNESS MANUFACTORY at which the horseman can find a full stock of all goods in the harness line.

We do not keep Hoop Skirts and Calicoes but we keep a HARNESS store and nothing else. We keep the largest stock of COLLARS on this Shore, and *WE KNOW HOW TO FIT A HORSE to keep the Collar from Galling.*

We keep a heavy hair stuffed Collar that is good to break a colt in; it will not gall if properly fitted. Our stock of

Collars, Bridles, Back-bands, Combs Brushes, Plough Hames, Trace Lines, Cart Saddle & Breeching, Whips, Halters, Blankets, Robes, Lap Dusters, Bits of many different patterns.

We make a specialty of good Wagon Harness, and Fine Buggy Harness. We keep on hand a full line of our own make of Double Harness, Single Buggy Harness, Dearborn Harness, Lead and Breech Harness, and Plough Harness.

We *GUARANTEE satisfaction.* It will be to your interest to examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. We make to order everything in our line from a ten cent. hame strap to a $75 set of single harness at short notice.

All kinds of repairing promptly done and at short notice. Returning thanks for past favors, I am, respectfully, yours, &c.,
JOHN F. HOWARD,
mh15. Court Street.

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.

C. M. Lucas.

WATCHES.

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.

The People have FOUND OUT AT LAST

—THAT—

A. Friedman

THE WELL-KNOWN CLOTHIER, CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

is selling CLOTHING Cheaper than any other house on the Shore. He sells more Clothing than any other House in this county. He buys everything for CASH and can therefore afford to sell from

15 to 20 Per Cent. Lower

than any other House who is compelled to buy their Clothing on long credit or commission. These goods are all new and of the latest styles. For want of space we shall only mention a few prices. Forty Different Styles of Men's and Youth's Suits, which we are selling from $3.00 to $25.00. We have One Hundred Different Styles of Men's, Youth's and Boy's Pants, which we are selling from 75 cents to $7.00. We have Seventy-Five different styles of Boy's and Children's Suits which we are selling from $1.00 to $12.00. We have a large stock Men's, Youth's, Boy's and Children's Single Coats which we are selling at half price, as they are broken from the Suits. We Guarantee you can buy of us anything you want in

Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods, fully 20 per cent. cheaper than from any other Store in Chestertown,

or on the Shore. Come and see for yourself and compare prices with others and you will be convinced that what we say is strictly true.

Respect'y
A. FRIEDMAN,
April 26, 1884. *Under the Kent News Office.*

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

Star Bone ★ Phosphate,

RELIABLE. TRADE MARK Thoroughly Established,

And THE LEADING BONE PHOSPHATE in the market.

PlanetBrand Phosphate!

PLANET TRADE MARK BRAND

COMPANION to STAR BONE,

DIFFERS ONLY IN ANALYSIS, AND CORRESPONDINGLY LOW IN PRICE.

This article, containing a large per cent. of Ammoniacal Matter, German Potash, Soluble Phosphoric Acid and Insoluble Bone, thoroughly, manipulated, commends itself to all who want a

GOOD FERTILIZER AT A LOW PRICE,

MANUFACTURED BY THE

Peninsular Bone Fertilizer Co.,

SMYRNA, DELAWARE,

Importers and Manufacturers of Fertilizers and Fertilizer Supplies.

J. E. TYGERT, President. *W. G. PIERCE, Sec. and Treas.*
March 29-7m.

NOTHING LIKE IT.

J. F. LEARY'S

Herbatine COUGH SRYUP

For COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, and all other diseases of Throat and Lungs

Sold by all Druggists at 25 and 50 cents.

CANBY, GILPIN & CO., Agents,
Sept. 29-8m. Light and Lombard sts. Baltimore, Md.

SPRING CROPPING.

AN APPLICATION OF

LISTER'S FERTILIZERS

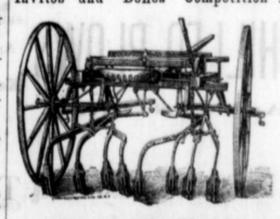
WILL PAY on CORN, OATS, POTATOES and other SPRING and SUMMER CROPS.

THEIR PREPARATIONS for the various Crops, as well as those intended expressly for Peach Trees, and the improvement of the fruit, are offered for sale by their agent—

W. N. E. WICKES, Chestertown.

☞ Circulars and testimonials of the efficacy of the LISTER goods are for distribution at the store of Wickes & Brother. April 5—2m.

Invites and Defies Competition!



HENCH & DRUMGOLD'S

Riding Cultivator

JOHNSTON'S SELF-BINDERS,

And all REPAIRS for these machines kept on hand.

☞ BINDER CORD a specialty.

PENNINGTON & JUSTIS,
apr12-12t. KENNEDYVILLE.

NEW GROCERY STORE

Corner of High and Queen Streets, opp. A. J. Cahall's.

D. A. BACCHUS

Would call attention to the fact that he has purchased with care and for cash a full Stock of Goods, such as

Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Molasses,

Syrups, Canned Goods, Tobacco, Segars, Hecker's Oat Meal, Lea & Sons' Flour, and a choice line of Candies, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, Nuts, and in fact everything pertaining to a first class Grocery and Confectionery store.

Warrants his prices as low as the lowest. Country Produce taken in exchange for goods.
dl-tf. D. ARTHUR BACCHUS.

LOT OF BRACKETS,
WALL POCKETS, &c.,
Will be closed out at cost.
j19. LOUIS K. STAM.

TO THE FARMERS

—OF—

Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil Counties.

IT is universally acknowledged by the most practical farmers that the

OHIO CHILLED PLOW

—IS THE—

Best Plow in the World

for NEATNESS OF WORK and lightness of draft to the team. As I have ordered a large number of these plows, both two and three-horse, farmers will do well to give me an early call.

We also keep on hand, the old reliable Concave Nos. 9, 10 and 11. Polished Minor & Horton, Wiley Nos. 3 and 4, and Two-Furrowed Plows, Harrows, Twin, Single A, and Double A, Cultivators and Cultivator Teeth unsurpassed by any manufacture. Single, Double, 3 and 4 Horse-Trees and Hames.

As there have been a great many Chilled Plows sold in these counties, and as farmers have been put to a great deal of trouble to get Castings for them, if they will only give the name and number of the plow we will endeavor to keep them on hand at my shops in Galena and Chestertown. I always have on hand Plain and Slip Shares for the Ohio, Oliver, Roland, Advance and Syracuse.

If any of you are in need of anything in my line, please give me a call as I intend to sell *low* for the *cash.*

Thankful for past patronage, I solicit a continuance of the same.

WM. A. HYLAND,
GALENA AND CHESTERTOWN.
Feb. 23, 1884.

MANSION HOUSE,

N. E. Cor. St. Paul and Fayette sts.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

I. ALBERTSON.....PROPRIETOR

☞ ROOMS FIRST CLASS ☜
With GOOD SUBSTANTIAL BOARD
AT $1.50 PER DAY.
apr24y.

GARDEN RAKES and HOES.
Farm and Dirt Barrows, &c.
For sale by JOEL R. CLEMENTS.

Come On!

WE ARE READY FOR YOU!

OUR MAIN WEAKNESS!

HOSPITALITY!

We cannot bear to have any strangers leave the city until we have had an opportunity to show him some civility. Our stores are as well worth seeing as any place in Baltimore, and our goods are better worth examination than those of any other house in the city.

We welcome one and all, rich and poor, residents and strangers, and make it a point to show the same careful attention to mere sightseers that is accorded to the most profitable customer.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

Men's & Youths'

CLOTHING

We have opened the season with vim and vigor. We have spared no time, trouble or pains to prepare for your purchase the most perfect assortment of CLOTHING ever displayed in Baltimore. We have a stock of nearly $200,000 in Men and Youths' Clothing alone. Every Style, Fabric and Quality can be had at our stores. It is really wonderful—yes, astonishing—what values we are offering in Men's Suits. Our regular patrons need no urging to visit us. We want those who have not bought of us to come and see the big stacks of Clothing we have and learn the low PRICES we charge.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

OUR

BOYS' & CHILDREN'S Department

Is full of Novelties. No Old GOODS. Everything NEW and STYLISH. Not only in Baltimore, but in Rochester, Buffalo, Albany, Cleveland, Denver and East Saginaw, where we have retail stores, our

BOYS' & CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

are admitted by everybody to be superior in Fit, Style and Make to the production of any Clothing Manufacturers in America.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

LADIES' GENTLEMEN, MISSES', BOYS AND CHILDREN'S

SHOES!

Whew! How we have made the Shoe Trade howl since we opened our SHoe Department. Our customers are more than pleased with the attention they receive. Our Fitters do not let you take the first pair of Shoes you try on, even if you do say, "Well, I guess they will do." We want your trade permanently, and we are bound to have it, if giving you satisfaction will secure it. Never mind what the prices will be, we warrant you they will be low enough to please you and distress the little shops around town.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

FURNISHING GOODS Department.

In this Department, as in all others, we can show more Goods, more Styles, and a greater variety than any three exclusive furnishing houses in the city, and our prices are fully 25 per cent lower. In UNDERWEAR we can show you all the different styles and material that are made. Our stock of Neckwear is simply too immense to describe. Hosiery we make a special feature of, and can show you 100 different styles, in prices from the lowest up. All the new and desirable shapes in Linen Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Jewelry, White and Colored Shirts in endless variety, with Gloves of all styles and prices.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

Hats for Everybody.

Hats for figures broad and burly,
Hats for straight hair and for curly;
Hats for faces melancholy,
Hats for features bright and jolly;
Hats for gentlemen of standing,
Hats that give a look commanding;
Hats for walking, riding, driving,
Hats dull faces look alive in;
Hats for spas and watering places,
Hats to wear at all the races;
Hats that stand all kind of mauling,
Hats for every trade and calling;
Hats for traveling, shooting, sailing,
Hats grease proof, in storms unfailing;
Hats to suit the peer and peasant
Hats that make your custom pleasant.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

CARD TO OUR COUNTRY CUSTOMERS.

The liberal patronage bestowed on our country order department has compelled us to increase and enlarge our facilities for pushing forward the work of supplying our OUT OF TOWN CUSTOMERS with increased promptness. It is a rule of our establishment to supply the best goods, no matter what grade is desired, that the market affords, and always at the Lowest Possible Price. Parties ordering Clothing, Hats or Shoes for Men and Boys, Gents' Furnishing Goods, or Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes have a guarantee from us as to the quality of Goods sent them, which will be exchanged or money refunded in all cases where the purchase proves unsatisfactory.

Excelsior Clothing Co.
S. W. Cor. Baltimore & Light Sts.,
—AND—
N. E. Cor. Broadway & Eastern Avenue,
April 19, 1884.

"Struck it this Time!"

IS WHAT YOU WILL EXCLAIM UPON EXAMINING

M. T. Goslee's

IMMENSE SPRING STOCK

☞ JUST IN. ☜

Everything New and Desirable

—IN—

FOOT-WEAR!

You will find in our Elegant Assortment

REMEMBER! We are Three Points Ahead of ALL COMPETITORS:

Point No. 1—The STYLE.
Point No. 2—The FIT.
Point No. 3—The PRICE.

OUR INDUCEMENTS.

Superb Stock, Admirable Assortment, Affable Attention.

Big Bargains, Brilliant Bonanzas, Ridiculous Reductions.

FACTS!

We want everybody to know:

Our Price—THE LOWEST!
Style—THE LATEST!
Goods—THE BEST!
Fit—THE NEATEST!

If you Ladies want a fine SHOE, we can suit you, either in PEL'S, POLLOCK, ZEIGLER or CROXTON'S make, either in Peb, Goat, Kid, Foxed, French or American Kid, from $2.50 to $6.00.

And if you want a good SHOE for less money we have it from $1 to $2.

Our $1.50 and $2 Button, Kid Fox'd we have made expressly for us and guarantee them to be solid leather or money refunded.

Our assortment Men's, Boys', Youths' Children's and Infants' Shoes is complete. Look at our line of SLIPPERS, and get our prices.

Seeing is convincing. Come in and get our prices, and you will be surprised when you learn what a good Shoe can be had for a little money.

Always remember, it is a pleasure for us to show our goods.

Don't Forget the Place:—Next door to the Bank; and remember our motto—A Little Profit, Good Goods and One Price to all.

Measure taken when we cannot fit.

Try a pair of our hand-stitched Men's Shoes. Every pair Warranted. Price $5.

We challenge the world for a better $3 Shoe than we sell.

We invite all to give us a call.

M. T. GOSLEE,
SUCCESSOR TO T. D. PIERCE,
Adjoining Kent National Bank,
March 29, 1884. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE:

Georgia Heart Sills, Posts and Plates
6x8, 6x6, 3x6, 5x5, 3x8, etc.

White Oak Sills, Posts and Plates
cut to order.

VIRGINIA PINE do. JOISTS AND SCANTLING.

HEMLOCK—cut to order after May 1st.

WEATHERBOARDING, German—Rabbeted, ½ Plain, or novelty in either Cypress, white Pine, Yellow Pine, white or Yellow Poplar.

INCH BOARDS, dry and seasoned, Walnut, Cherry, Ash, White Oak, Red Oak, Cypress, White Pine, Virginia Pine, Georgia Heart Pine.

¾ Clear wide West Virginia Poplar, seasoned.

FENCING—1x6 16 Cypress, white Pine, Yellow Pine, and Hemlock.

PALINGS—No. 1 Hemlock and white Pine; No. 2 white Pine and Chestnut.

PALE RAILS 2x4 16, and 2x3 16, white Pine FLOORING, SHINGLES, SASH, SHUTTERS and DOORS.

Apply to
JOSEPH TURNER,
April 19, 1884. SCOTT'S POINT.

"RISING SUN" SALOON,

CHESTERTOWN,

Is fitted up for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen with all the delicacies usually found in the Saloons in the city. In the Ladies' Saloon will be served Cake, Ice-Cream, Clams, Soft Crabs, Devilled Crab, Beefsteak, Hams, Eggs, Fish, Lobsters, Spring Chicken, Tea and Coffee. In the Gentlemen's Saloon the Gentlemen will in addition be served with choice Cigars.

☞ Parties will be served with everything needful for Refreshment Tables, and Ice.

☞ Families supplied with Ice-Cream, Water Ices, Custard, &c., by the gallon on reasonable terms.

All orders must be accompanied by the cash.

☞ ICE in large or small quantities for sale and delivered every morning to regular customers in Chestertown.

The long experience of the subscriber as a caterer, justifies him in asking a liberal patronage from the public.

WILLIAM PERKINS,
May 3, 1884. PROPRIETOR.

N. C. CROW,

Dealer in

DRY GOODS,

NOTIONS, BOOTS & SHOES,

Groceries & Provisions, Wood & Willow Ware, China & Glass Ware, Tobacco & Segars, Canned Goods, Mince Meat, Apple Butter, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Candy, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons and Dried Fruits.

My aim is to sell good Goods at reasonable prices. I have a good line of goods for the Holidays. Come and see me.

☞ COUNTRY PRODUCE of every saleable kind taken in exchange for goods or cash paid for them.

N. C. CROW,
Dec. 8. Up Town, adj. Bakery.

GEO. BIAYS,

(*Successor to Jas. Bay*)

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

FISHING TACKLE

And HARDWARE STORE,

648 S. CALVERT ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

Everything in Fishing and Oyster line in woodes and Shot, and a complete assortment of General Hardware. fe7-y.

FISHING FREAKS.

...ks Who Sought Mates ...nstrosities.

...showman and man... Chicago museum, ...s, and humming ...ow. Then he ... and read an ...saunders, the ..., late ad... est Com... always ...ng the ...s in ...

On and further.

GOING NORTH.	Pas. No.	Pass. and Freight No. 4, Thursdays.	Pass. and Freight No. 2, daily except Thursdays	Passenger No. 5 Thursdays only.
LEAVE	A M	A M	P M	
Chestertown	8 00	...	...	
Worton	8 20	...	...	
Lynch's	8 28	...	...	
Still Pond	8 35	...	...	
Kennedyville	8 45	...	...	
Black's	9 00	...	...	
Lambson	9 15*	...	...	
Masseys	9 30	...	...	
Delaney	9 45	...	...	
*Bingham	10 00	...	...	
arr. Clayton	10 15	...	...	
leave "	11 08	...	...	
Middletown	11 42	...	...	
Wilmington	12 40	P. M.	...	
Philada.	1 40	...	...	
Baltimore	3 20	...	8 32	
N. York	...	...	10 20	

GOING SOUTH

LEAVE	A M	A M	P M
New York	...	...	...
Baltimore	7 00	...	12 10
Philadelphia	8 00	8 00	3 00
Wilmington	9 05	9 05	4 00
Middletown	10 11	10 11	4 42
arr. Clayton	10 40	10 40	5 05
leave "	11 45	11 15	5 10
*Bingham	12 00	11 30	5 20
Delaney	12 10	11 40	5 25
Masseys	12 25	11 55	5 40
Lambson	12 40	12 10	5 50
Black's	12 55	12 25	6 00
Kennedyville	1 10	12 40	6 10
Still Pond	1 20	12 50	6 17
Lynch's	1 30	12 55	6 22
Worton	1 40	1 05	6 27
arrive Chestertown	2 00	1 20	6 40

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents. Freight for Bingham's and Nicholson's must be prepaid.

The morning trains make close connection at Clayton with trains on Delaware Railroad going North and South.

Passengers on morning train for Baltimore change cars at Wilmington.

Freight carried at low rates to all points and must be at Stations 30 minutes before starting time, in order to insure dispatch.

Excursion Tickets issued at reduced rates. FRED. GERKER,
Dec. 22. 1883. LESSEE.

LUMBER

For the SPRING of 1884.

T. W. Eliason, Jr.,

Takes pleasure in announcing to his customers and the public generally that he has now on hand one of the largest and best selected stocks of

WHITE PINE, VIRGINIA PINE,
and GEORGIA PINE

LUMBER,

on the Peninsula, embracing in part—

White Pine 5-8 Siding, dressed;
" " " " undressed;
" " 6-4 Plank, "
" " 8-4 " "
" " 4-4 Picks & Select, dressed,
" " 7-8 Rabbeted Weatherb'ing
" " Barn Boards, 12, 14 and 16 ft.
" " Cull " 12 in. stk. 16 ft.
" " 2x3 and 2x4 Railing.
Virginia Pine Boards 12, 14 and 16 ft,
" " 12 in. stk. Boards, 16 ft.
" " 5-8 Siding, dressed & und'ssed
" " 4-4 12 inch stk. dressed;
" " Frame Stuff,
" " Scantling, Railing, &c.
" " Flooring.
Georgia Pine Frame Stuff,
" " Flooring,
Hemlock Fencing and Pickets.
SHINGLES, LATHS, DOORS DOOR FRAMES, Window Frames, Sash, Mouldings, &c.

☞ Specially low price to purchasers of large bills, either for cash or time.

☞ TERMS LIBERAL.

Be sure and get my bid for your bill before purchasing elsewhere.
Feb. 23, 1884. T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

WHEATLEY'S UP TOWN GROCERY.

We have now in stock and shall keep constantly on hand a

Full line of GROCERIES

Such as COFFEES, SUGARS, TEAS, MOLASSES, SYRUPS, &c.

Bacon, Flour, Meal, Feed, Fish, &c

A choice lot of *Broiling Beef* and *Sugar cured Hams* kept on hand.

Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS.

We shall use every effort to please, and hope our friends and the public will remember us when making their purchases. All goods in our line will be sold as low as they can be bought in town.

WHEATLEY BROS.,
j14. Corner Store, Up Town.

TAKE NOTICE!

—THAT—

JAMES A. SHAW,

Still continues the BOOT AND SHOE BUSINESS and recently obtained the exclusive right to sell the

Justly Celebrated James Mean's SHOES,

For MEN'S WEAR,

in Button, Congress and Bal's, and we believe them to be the very best Shoes made in this country for the money.

They are made of fine Calf and for style and durability cannot be surpassed; the retail price is stamped on the bottom of each pair and are sold at that price from Maine to California.

When in want of a NICE SHOE call

At SHAW'S

On Court Street,

and look for yourself. He will treat you politely and *will not get angry* if you fail to get suited.

Remember the place—Court Street,
jan12. Chestertown.

J. S. M