Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........MAY 24, 1884.

WHITEWASHING.—At this season of the year, many people are interested in the subject of whitewashing and how it may best be done. We give the following recipe, used by the U. S. government for whitewashing lighthouses. It will last for five years. Slake half a bushel of unslaked lime with boiling water, keeping it covered during the process; strain it, and add a peck of salt, dissolving in warm water; three pounds of ground rice put in boiling water and boiled to thin paste; half a pound of powdered Spanish whiting and a pound of clear glue dissolved in boiling water; mix these well together, and let the mixture stand for several days. Keep the wash thus prepared in a kettle or portable furnace, and when used put on as hot as possible with painters' or whitewash brushes.

A CURIOUS SCHEME TO PROLONG LIFE.—William King, a very rich London merchant, who loved life, adopted a curious scheme to lengthen the period of his declining days. He willed $1,000 to his physician, with the proviso that the sum should be doubled every year that the testator should be kept alive. The second year the sum became $2,000; the third year $4,000; the fourth $8,000; the fifth $16,000; the sixth $32,000; the seventh $64,000; the eighth $128,000; the ninth $258,000; the tenth $512,000. Upon the death of Mr. King, a few weeks ago, the physician was paid $750,000, between ten and eleven years having passed since the agreement.

THE New York *Times* and the New York *Post* are still pegging away at candidate Blaine. If possible to do so, they intend to slaughter him before the assembling of the Chicago convention. They declare they will not support him if nominated for President. His methods as a Republican statesman have been too crooked for them. Yet Mr. Blaine, like Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, has a host of friends, who go for him through thick and thin, not caring a groat about his crookedness. If Mr. Blaine ever reaches the presidency he will have to do it by walking through the fires, fanned by the opposition in his own party.

A DEAF MUTE AS A TEAM DRIVER.—A circumstance that attracts much attention in our town is a deaf mute who drives a four-horse team through our streets, and has them under perfect command without reins. He has a peculiar language or guttural which the team understands and obeys as readily as a teamster who can speak. His team seems exceedingly fond of him and obey cheerfully every order. When ever he halts the team he makes it a point to pet and caress each horse or mule in it.—*Cent. Rec.*

TESTIMONY BY TELEPHONE.—In a suit before Judge Yerkes, of Philadelphia, counsel for plaintiffs objected to the admission of certain conversation because it had been carried on over a telephone. This the judge overruled, and admitted the conversation, declaring that "the courts must keep pace with the times."

QUEEN VICTORIA is at work on another book, and the Empress of Austria has consented to set the type. The latter has had considerable experience in composition, as the following specimen, taken from the proof of some "society" items, set by the Empress, will show: "Tqe Beantifnl muMje Kromskio, wqo Dresses aiпq suoh exceĮlent ɯsie' is visiting qer fiend Lulie Jambokesxi!"

THE voter is threatened with no less than six national tickets this year, to be nominated by conventions called thus: Anti-monopoly, at Chicago, May 14; greenback-labor, at Indianapolis, May 28; republican, in Chicago, June 3; anti-Masonic, in Chicago, June 19; democratic, in Chicago, July 8, and prohibition, in Pittsburg, July 23.

"No, I don't go with that girl now," said a Marathon youth in answer to a friend's inquiry. "What's the matter; did your suit meet with reverses?" "Reverses! Gosh, guess it did. Her old man stood me on my head twice!"

"You bachelors ought to be taxed," said Miss Lachlord to a resolute evader of the noose matrimonial. "I agree with you, perfectly, ma'am," was the reply; "for bachelorism certainly is a luxury."

"Boys these days," remarked a street urchin, as he picked up the stump of a cigar and puffed away at it, "begin where grown people leave off."

AT a sale of Jersey cattle in New York last week, a heifer brought $11,000.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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HARRISON W. VICKERS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
aug4-y.

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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. M. J. BYRON,
Dec. 15-tf. Coll. 4th District.

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WM. J. SPICER,
Feb. 2—tf. Galena, Md.

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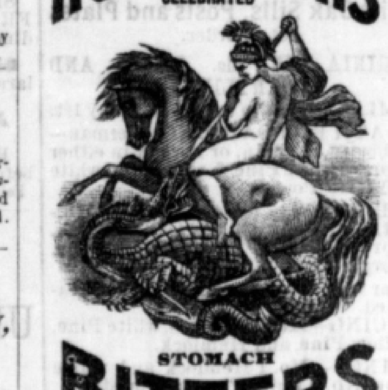

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Public Local Laws

OPERATIVE IN KENT COUNTY.

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

To Limit the Rate of Taxation in Chestertown.

CHAPTER 38.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact section forty-six of article fourteen of the Public Local Laws of Kent county, as repealed and re-enacted by the acts of eighteen hundred and eighty, chapter three hundred and two, relating to the levying of taxes for the corporation of Chestertown, so as to define and limit the rates of taxes to be levied by the Commissioners of Chestertown.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section forty-six of article fourteen of the Public Local Laws of Kent county, as repealed and re-enacted by the act of eighteen hundred and eighty, chapter three hundred and two, relating to the levying of taxes for the corporation of Chestertown, so as to define and limit the rate of taxes to be levied by the commissioners of Chestertown, and the same be repealed and re-enacted, as follows:

SEC. 46. The clerk of the county commissioners is hereby authorized and required, under the penalty of one hundred dollars, to be recovered on presentment or indictment in the circuit court of Kent county, to make out an assessment of all the real and personal property within the limits of said town (bank stocks, bonds, notes and other evidences of debt exempted), and the names of the persons assessed therewith, and to furnish the same to the commissioners of said town between the tenth day of July and the tenth day of August in each year; and the said commissioners may levy on the property so assessed such sum of money as they may deem necessary, not exceeding thirty-five cents in the hundred dollars in any one year, and may appoint and qualify a person to collect the same; and if the collector of the county taxes for the election or other district in which Chestertown is situated, shall be appointed, it shall not be lawful for him to decline receiving and acting upon said appointment, or to refuse to execute his bonds for the performance of said duty as provided in section forty-seven of the said Code of Public Local Laws, title "Kent county," subtitle "Chestertown."

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, 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 17—3t.

To Authorize the Building of a New Jail in Kent County.

CHAPTER 252.

AN ACT to authorize the County Commissioners of Kent county to build a new jail for Kent county; to borrow money on the credit of the county for that purpose; to issue bonds for the payment of the same; to levy and collect taxes for the payment of such bonds and the interest on the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the county commissioners of Kent county be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to build a new jail for said county, on the site of the present jail for said county, or in any other more eligible or convenient location which the said county commissioners may select, and in such building to use such of the materials of the present jail of said county as they may deem suitable.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That should said county commissioners determine that the public convenience requires that such new jail should be erected upon any other or different lot than the one upon which the present jail for said county stands, then the said county commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase such ground or grounds as may be required for the erection of such jail.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the erection of said building, and the purchase of said grounds, the said county commissioners are authorized and empowered to borrow, from time to time, the required sum of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That said county commissioners be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in sums not less than one thousand dollars, to be signed by the president of said board of county commissioners and countersigned by the clerk of said board, not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, said bonds to bear interest, payable semi-annually, on the first day of January and on the first day of July; provided due notice shall be given in the papers of the county inviting proposals for the purchase of said bonds, and the same shall be disposed of to the highest cash bidder, and for not less than the par value thereof, and the said bonds shall be exempt from county and municipal taxation.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the said bonds shall be issued, payable ten years from the date thereof, and redeemable at any time after the expiration of three years from the date thereof, at the pleasure of said county commissioners.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the said county commissioners shall, in each and every year, levy upon the assessable property in Kent county such sum of money as may be necessary to pay the interest on the outstanding bonds by them issued under the provisions of this act, as the same shall fall due, and also such further and additional sum as may be required to gradually retire and redeem such bonds, until they shall all have been redeemed.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the money raised by the issue and sale of bonds under this act shall be kept and designated as the "jail fund," and shall be applied exclusively to the erection of said new jail and the purchase of the grounds therefore; and the said tax authorized by this act shall be collected as all other taxes are collected in said county.

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That should the said county commissioners determine to erect said building at any other or different place than upon the lot now occupied by the present jail of said county, and the said county commissioners and the owner or owners of said ground or grounds desired for the erection of said buildings shall not be able to agree upon the price of such real estate, or in case the owner or owners of the same, or any of them, be feme covert, infant or non compos mentis, the president of said board of county commissioners shall make application to the clerk of the circuit court for Kent county, who shall thereupon issue a writ ad quod damnum, under his hand and seal of office, directed to the sheriff of Kent county, requiring him to summon twenty persons, qualified to act as jurors, not interested in the property to be valued, to meet at or near the property to be valued, on a day named in said writ, not less than five nor more than ten days after the issuing of the same, and if at the time and place named in said writ any of the said jurors summoned do not attend, the sheriff shall immediately summon as many persons qualified to act as jurors as may be necessary, with the jurors in attendance, to make a panel of twenty jurors, and from these each party, or his agent, or if either party be not present in person or by agent, the sheriff for such party shall strike off four jurors, and the remaining persons shall act as the jury for the inquest of damages; and before the said jury shall proceed to act, the sheriff shall administer to each of them an oath or affirmation as the case may be, that he will justly and impartially value the damages which the owner or owners shall sustain by the condemnation of said property required by the said county commissioners, and in case said property shall be subject to a lease, or an estate for life, the jury shall ascertain and return in their inquisition the value of such lease or estate for life, and also the value of the estate in remainder or reversion; the said jury shall summon such witnesses as either party may require, and examine them on oath in relation to the property to be condemned, and shall reduce their testimony to writing, and return the same with the inquisition; and as soon as the testimony is closed, they shall ascertain and determine the compensation which ought to be made by the said county commissioners to the parties owning said property, according to their respective interest in the property to be condemned; and the said jury shall reduce their inquisition to writing, and shall sign and seal the same, and it shall be returned by the sheriff to the circuit court aforesaid within five days after the finding, and shall be filed by the clerk of said court, and shall be confirmed by the court at its next session, if no sufficient cause to the contrary be shown, and when confirmed shall be recorded by the said clerk at the expense of said county; but if set aside, the court may order another inquisition to be taken in the manner above prescribed; and every such inquisition shall describe the property taken, and the bounds of the lands or lots condemned, and the quality or duration of interest in the same condemned, for the use of said county commissioners; & such valuation, when paid or tendered to the owners of property, his agent or attorney, shall entitle the said county commissioners to the estate and property so valued, as fully as if the same had been conveyed by the owners thereof in fee simple.

SEC. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That the said county commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to tear down and remove the present jail of said county, and provide temporarily, at the expense of said county, such accommodations for the sheriff of said county, and the prisoners committed to his custody, as they may deem proper and expedient, until the new jail is completed and ready for use.

SEC. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 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 10—3t.

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CARPETS, Matting and Oil Cloths. Our Fancy Matting at 20c. per yard is a bargain.

GROCERIES:—Sugar, Teas, Coffees, Flour, Spices, Tobacco, Segars, &c., at lowest prices.

With a large stock of goods bought at close figures we are prepared to make it to the interest of buyers to inspect our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

A Call solicited.
Apr. 19—1884. J. H. SIMPERS.

Oh Yes! Oh Yes! Oh Yes!

All manner of persons having business in Chestertown during Court week, or any other week fail not to call at

SPARKS'

directly opposite Court House, between J. K. Aldridge and T. W. Eliason, and be convinced of the fact that he is selling all goods at bottom prices.

TO THE LADIES:—We call your attention to our stock of GLASSWARE, the largest to be found in town and cheaper than ever before.

Also, a fine stock of Lamps, Clocks, Notions, Fancy Goods, Toilet Soaps, Perfumeries, Work Boxes, Plush Goods.

TO THE GENTLEMEN:—We call attention to the fact that our Capadura, Spanyola and Hold Fast brands of CIGARS are as good as the best.

Call and get a package of our genuine Havana Cheroots, 5 in a box, at 10 cents per box.

Our Piper Heidsick Champagne Flavored TOBACCO is the best Sweet Tobacco on the market. Try a Chew.

TO GENTS, LADIES and CHILDREN.

We keep one of the largest assortments of CONFECTIONERY in the county. Fruits of all kinds in their season, Cakes and Crackers in great variety, Pickles, Chow-Chow, Chocolate, Geltaine, Extracts and hundreds of other things.

BASE BALLS and BATS, all prices.

All we want is a call and we can suit you in our prices.
at SPARKS.'
April 12, 1884. opp. Court House.

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 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.

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

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

SHOES! Full spring stock, just in. Call and Examine goods style and prices. J. H. SIMPERS.

Ratification Notice.

Charles T. Westcott, trustee, vs. Luther A. Kendall.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, May 16th, 1884.

ORDERED that the Sale of the Real Estate of Luther A. Kendall, made and reported by C. T. Westcott, trustee, under and by virtue of a deed of trust, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of July next. Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $4,500.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True Copy, Test:
m17-4t. SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

Ratification Notice.

The Chester Loan Association of Kent County, *versus* Joseph T. Cash and Ellsworth Cash, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, May Term, 1884.

ORDERED that the sale of the Real Estate of Joseph T. Cash and Ellsworth Cash, his wife, made and reported by MARION DE K. SMITH, attorney, under a power in the mortgage from the said Joseph T. Cash and wife to the Chester Loan Association of Kent county, dated September 7th, 1881, and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 2, folios 312, &c., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 12th day of July next,—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 12th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $ 615.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy.—Test:
m10-4t. SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

Ratification Notice.

M. A. Toulson, vs. Mary V. Elliott, and Thos. B. Elliott.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, May Term 1884.

ORDERED, this 5th day of May, 1884, that the sale made and reported by M. A. Toulson, Mortgagee, from Mary V. Elliott and T. B. Elliott, to M. A. Toulson, dated the 1st day of March, 1883, to sell the Real Estate mentioned therein, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Tenth day of July next; Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of June next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $ 400.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy, Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk,
May 10—4t.

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

GEORGE W. HOWARD,

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 subscriber, on or before the 15th day of December, 1884, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate. Given under my hand this 13th day of May, 1884.

J. FRANK WILSON,
May 17—4t. Adm'r.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county Letters Testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

G. H. LEAVERTON,

late of Kent county, Maryland, dec'd.

All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of December, 1884, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1884.

I. RICHARD LEAVERTON,
May 10—4t. Executor.

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

SOPHRONIA ROBBINS,

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 13th day of Nov., 1884, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1884.

THOMAS W. SKIRVEN,
May 10-4t. Administrator.

Important Notice!

B. STRAUSS,

Formerly of Chestertown, is now engaged in the

Wholesale and Retail Liquor Business
At No. 1 Camden Street,

Near Light st. wharf, where the choicest

IMPORTED and DOMESTIC
LIQUORS
may be found; also the finest
OLD MONONGAHELA WHISKY.
Orders by mail promptly attended to.

JOHN ARMSTRONG. W. H. SPARKS.
ARMSTRONG & SPARKS,
LIQUOR DEALERS
(SALOON ATTACHED)
146 Light Street Wharf,
BALTIMORE.

Jugs and Demijohns a specialty. Order by mail will receive prompt attention.
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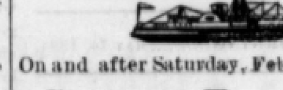
R. I. C. JONES, JR., & CO.
IMPORTERS OF
BRANDIES, GINS, WINES, &c.
DEALERS IN
Pure Rye Whiskies.
No. 26 German Street, bet. Calvert and Light,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Orders respectfully solicited. je23.

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.

STRAW HATS! You can find a nice assortment, Fine or Common at prices that will please, at
a19. J. H. SIMPERS'.

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

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE.



On and after Saturday, Feb. 16, 1884, the

Steamer Trumpeter

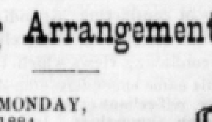
will leave Balt. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10½ A. M., for BUCK NECK and all the landings on SASSAFRAS RIVER.

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,
feb16. Master.

Spring Arrangement.

On and after MONDAY,
April 14, 1884,



Steamer PILOT BOY

Will leave Tolchester Beach for Baltimore on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 9 a. m., and 4:30 p. m.

Baltimore for Tolchester, from Pier 15 Light St. Wharf, on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m., and 2:30, p. m.

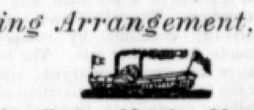
Excursion tickets, 50 cents, good on day issued. One way tickets, 40 cents. Children from 6 to 12 years, half-price.

For further information apply to CHARLES LLOYD, Tolchester Beach.

W. C. ELIASON, MANAGER.
Apr 19. Pier 15 Light St., Balto.

CHESTER RIVER
STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

Spring Arrangement, 1884.



To take effect on Monday, May 5th, 1884.

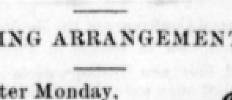
The Steamer GEO. LAW will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 1.30 P. M. Returning, will leave Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10 o'clock A. M., making all the above landings.

GEO. WARFIELD, Pres't.
May, 3, 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.

Returning, will leave Piers 12 and 13 Light st. wharf, Baltimore, every Tuesday and Thursday nights at 1 o'clock, and every Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

Pleasant accommodations for passengers.

We are also prepared to deliver FREIGHT at any point on Chester River and tributaries, per Steamer A. J. Whitney and Schooners Hattie Stark and Wm. S. Copes. Freights reasonable.

Address all communications to
CHAS. F. HARLEY, Sec'y,
Piers 12 & 13 Light st. Wharf, Balto.
WM. D. BURCHINAL,
Feb. 9, 1884. President.

Phila Wilmington & Balt. Railroad.

Delaware Divis'n: Time Table.

ON and after MONDAY, Nov. 22, 1883, (Sundays excepted) trains will leave as follows

NORTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Delmar	...	...	9 05	2 20
Laurel	...	...	9 17	2 33
SEAFORD	...	...	9 30	2 47
Bridgeville	...	...	9 44	3 01
Greenwood	...	...	9 53	3 11
Farmington	...	...	10 01	3 19
Harrington	...	8 10	10 12	3 32
Felton	...	8 20	10 23	3 42
Canterbury	...	8 24	10 27	3 47
Woodside	...	8 28	10 31	3 52
Wyoming	6 54	8 34	10 38	3 59
DOVER	7 01	8 42	10 45	4 06
Moorton	7 11	...	10 55	4 16
Brenford	7 18	...	11 01	4 23
SMYRNA Le	7 14	8 53	11 00	4 20
Clayton	7 24	9 03	11 08	4 31
Green Spring	7 29	...	11 12	4 36
Blackbird	7 37	...	11 20	4 44
Townsend	7 42	9 15	11 25	4 50
MIDDLETOWN	7 55	9 22	11 42	5 06
Mt. Pleasant	8 03	...	11 51	5 15
Kirkwood	8 12	...	12 01	5 25
Porter's	8 17	...	12 06	5 28
Bear	8 22	...	12 11	5 37
State Road	8 25	...	12 14	5 40
New Castle	8 33	9 48	12 21	5 49
Del. Junction	...	...	...	...
WILMINGTON ar.	8 50	10 00	12 40	6 05
BALTIMORE, (Union Station.)	12 25	12 25	3 20	8 32
PHILADELPHIA	9 52	10 52	1 40	7 05

SOUTH.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
PHILADELPHIA	8 00	11 55	3 00	5 20
BALTIMORE	7 05	10 55	12 10	4 15
WILMINGTON	9 05	1 15	4 00	6 25
Delaware Junction	...	...	...	...
New Castle	9 19	1 30	4 11	6 44
State Road	9 22	1 34	...	6 47
Bear	9 29	1 39	...	6 54
Porter's	9 34	1 44	...	6 59
Kirkwood	9 42	1 49	...	7 03
Mt. Pleasant	9 53	1 59	...	7 12
MIDDLETOWN	10 11	2 14	4 42	7 30
Townsend	10 19	2 22	4 50	7 39
Blackbird	10 24	2 26	...	7 44
Green Spring	10 33	2 32	...	7 51
Clayton	10 40	2 38	5 05	7 57
SMYRNA (arrive)	10 55	2 50	5 15	8 10
Brenford	10 45	2 43	...	8 02
Moorton	10 52	2 49	...	8 09
DOVER	11 07	2 59	5 22	8 21
Wyoming	11 14	3 05	5 27	8 27
Woodside	11 22	3 11	5 33	...
Canterbury	11 27	3 15	5 37	...
Felton	11 32	3 20	5 42	...
Harrington	11 44	3 32	5 50	...
Farmington	11 51	3 39	...	...
Greenwood	12 00	3 47	...	...
Bridgeville	12 09	3 56	...	...
SEAFORD	12 20	4 11	...	...
Laurel	12 31	4 24	...	...
Delmar	12 44	4 36	...	...

Smyrna Branch Trains—Leave Smyrna for Clayton 7 14, 8 53, 10 30, and 10 58 a. m., 2 28, 4 20, and 7 47 p. m. Leave Clayton for Smyrna 7 25, 9 05, 10 41, 11 10, a. m., 2 40, 5 06, and 8 00 p. m.

CONNECTION.—At Porter's with Newark & Del. City Railroad. At Townsend, with Q. A. & Kent road. At Clayton, with Del. & Ches. Railroad and Kent Co. Railroad. At Harrington, Delaware Maryland & Virginia Railroad. At Seaford, with Cambridge & Seaford Railroad. At Delmar, with Eastern Shore Railroad, Wicomico & Pocomoke Railroad, and Peninsula Railroad.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen'l Manager.
J. R. WOOD, General Passenger Agent.

THOMPSON will sell you Roasted Coffee at 12c., 15c., 18c., and 20c.; a Barrel of Flour at 4, 6, 6.50, 7.00 and $7.75 and Sugar from 6 to 10c. a lb.
a5. THOMPSON, up town.

WANTED—All kinds PRODUCE, for the CASH and trade, especially Lard and Meats, at
apr5. THOMPSON'S, up town.

CHEAP LOT of FURNITURE
In sufficient quantities,
Will be delivered to your home free of charge. LOUIS K. STAM.

INSECT POWDER.
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Guaranteed to exterminate Roaches, Ants and kindred Pests.
M. A. TOULSON,
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