Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.......... JUNE 7, 1884.

COLLAPSE OF A LARGE WAREHOUSE.

Dangerous Labors of the Firemen—Taking the Risk of Falling Walls—Thrilling Scenes at the Ruins, &c.

The front portion of the large five-story warehouse at 37 South Gay street, Baltimore, occupied by the Messrs. Wm. E. Hooper & Sons, the well-known manufacturers of cotton duck, twine, &c., collapsed at a few minutes before 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon of last week, burying nearly a dozen men in the ruins. The crash, which was terrific, was preceded a few seconds by a distinct jar.

On the first floor of the building, which runs back to Frederick st., were the general and private offices of Messrs. Wm. E. Hooper & Sons. The private office is near Frederick street, and the general office about the centre of the building, where the crash was heaviest. In the general office, near its upper end, at the time of the crash were Mr. Theodore Hooper and his son Theodore L. Hooper. Lower down in the office, at or near their desks, were Wm. L. Reed, clerk in the cotton duck department; Harry F. Seving, cashier; Jas. Kelly, chief shipping-clerk, Mortimer H. Linthicum, assistant shipping-clerk, and Jas. Edward Bowen, Jr., colored, a son of one of the porters. Mr. Francis M. Shipley, book-keeper for the firm, had a minute before left the office and went to the water-cooler, where he was about to take a stimulant for cramp in the stomach, when the crash came, and Mr. Joshua R. Jolly, stenographer for the firm was in the private office. Of these, the Messrs. Hooper, Mr. Shipley, Mr. Jolly and Mr. Reed succeeded in escaping the falling mass by running towards the Frederick-street end of the warehouse, which remained intact, where there was no aperture except three windows, and as a protection against burglars these were guarded on the outside by heavy iron bars. Surrounded by a dense cloud of dust, with the crash of the falling building behind them, their retreat cut off, and momentarily expecting the building to come down on their heads, their position was a thrilling one. A crowd of about a hundred men soon gathered in the street outside, who went vigorously to work, and in a short time the iron bars were wrenched from their fastenings and those within were free.

In the meantime an alarm of fire had been sounded and the department was soon on hand, with Marshals Gray and Frey to direct their efforts. The front of the warehouse, of Cheat River stone, was cracked and bulged outward until it looked as if it would fall at any moment. Half of the stone cornice and the front down to the third story had fallen. Great blocks of stone, some weighing nearly half a ton, were precipitated to the pavement, burying themselves in the ground. The first sight to attract the attention of the officers and first spectators was a man in one of the second-story windows. He was leaning over and wedged tightly in the mass of broken timber from the waist down. For a time no one had the hardihood to go to him, the front of the building looking as if it was about to fall. In a few minutes, however, when the wall did not give any further signs of falling, Foreman Foxwell, of No. 3 hook-and-ladder company, and James Disney, ladderman, reached him through a window in Ulman, Goldsborough & Co.'s warehouse, adjoining. They stepped on the cornice over the front doors of the wrecked warehouse, and were right at his side. He said his legs were crushed and he was suffering terribly, and begged for God's sake that they save him. Whiskey was given him, and assisted by Lewis Locks and Andrew German, laddermen of No. 3 company, they went to work to rescue him. For an hour and fifty minutes they labored on the cornice and in the window with tons of displaced stone in eccentric, insecure positions above them, to save him. He bore his sufferings well, but at one time begged Disney to knock his brains out with the axe he was using. Numerous timbers had to be sawed through and the iron support of a high desk chair chiseled off before he could be extricated from his terrible position. This, however, was accomplished at 3¾ P. M. amid the hearty cheering of the spectators, who had anxiously watched the work in his behalf. The man was Benjamin B. Greenwood, book-keeper for Long & Dugdale, dealers in fertilizers, who occupied an office on the second floor of the building. He was unconscious when taken out, and was sent to the City Hospital where he was soon restored to consciousness. His hurts are not dangerous.

Just after the discovery of Mr. Greenwood faint cries were heard coming from the lower front door on the first floor, and some citizens, with members of No. 1 truck company, running there saw a man's hand protruding. Pulling away some loose lumber they soon had his head and body clear. He was Walter H. Corkran, one of the Messrs. Hooper's clerks. After a half-hour's labor he was gotten out.

While this work was going on in front ex-Foreman Henry Mears, of No. 4 engine company, Fred. Ulman and Thos. Staylor, laddermen of No. 1 truck company, and James Allen and Thomas Howard, firemen of No. 4 engine company, were at work in the rear and succeeded in rescuing Noah Martin, a teamster for the firm, who was partly buried in the debris. His leg was broken and he was otherwise injured.

About 2.30 o'clock Foreman Lindsay, of No. 3 engine company, John Lindsay and Wm. Reilly, of the same company, with picks and bars, started to cut a hole through the three-foot brick wall between the wrecked warehouse and No. 39, adjoining, which is also occupied by the Messrs. Hooper. It was Foreman Lindsay's idea and a bright and a fortunate one it proved. A hole was made through the wall shortly after three o'clock, and the cries for help from some one within were then heard, and a larger hole was then made, through which Harry F. Seving, cashier of the firm, was drawn uninjured. He was only a foot to the right of the hole in the wall, and though covered with dust, had not a scratch or bruise upon him. His first words on getting out were, "Thank God, I'm saved!"

After Seving was taken out the hole in the wall was enlarged, and the work of digging into the ruins as far as safety would allow was commenced, and soon the body of a man, lying on the floor face downward, was reached. He was dead, and was identified as Mortimer H. Linthicum, one of the shipping clerks. At his feet, and lying with his head partly on them, was the colored boy Bowen. He was also dead, and crushed out of shape.

The firemen then turned their attention to pulling down the front wall of the ruined warehouse to facilitate the search for the other bodies. They climbed to the roof of No. 39 Gay street and managed to throw a rope over a section of the fifth-story stone work. Others on the ground took the end of the rope and pulled until the entire upper portion of the front gave way and fell in Gay street with a noise that could be heard a half mile off. The bodies of Kenneth MacLea and Gildea J. Hook, employees of Long & Dugdale, were taken out Saturday afternoon, and that of James Kelly, shipping clerk of the Messrs. Hooper, was recovered on Sunday. The bodies of James Edward Bowen and Wm. Moulton were taken out of the ruins on Tuesday, and the seven found constitute the dead list.

LETTER FROM QUEENSTOWN.

Messrs. Editors:—We herewith send a few notes which may not come amiss to the readers of the NEWS: Queenstown is a very ancient town in Queen Anne's county, situated on Chester river, with about 250 inhabitants. It manifests considerable enterprise, and has telephonic connection with the principal towns of Queen Anne's county and, we think, it would be advantageous if Chestertown was in connection with the line. Queenstown is the only district that sells whisky in the county now. The local option movement was defeated in this district, and yet drunkenness is rarely seen. The purchasers partake of the poison elsewhere. The country circumjacent presents a pleasing aspect to the eye. There is an abundance of woodland here, which is, as elsewhere, succumbing to the woodman's axe.

This section produces considerable fruit. The ordinary cereals also flourish here. Farmers are catching up now with the seasons and will hereafter be able to perform the necessary work at the proper time.

The dude of Queenstown is possessed of considerable embonpoint.

The annual politician has not yet donned a clean collar preparatory to taking the stump, and as our people must have something moral to look up to, they listen with avidity to the agents' truthful (?) harangue.

Improvement is the order of the day. Houses are being razed and others raised in quick succession. PHILOGRAPHER.

THE *Sentinel*, the new Blaine organ at Elkton, attributes the panic in Wall street to the disposition of the Democrats in the House of Representatives to reduce the tariff duties, and this too after the defeat of the Morrison bill. Here is its remarkable specimen of reasoning:

"If the mere fear that the present House might, *by some means*, do something with the tariff—though there is a Republican Senate and President—served to so unsettle the business of the country, what might we expect if a regular system of free trade were inaugurated?"

MR. EDWIN F. ABELL, of the Baltimore *Sun*, was married at the Cathedral, on Monday last, to Miss Elizabeth M. Laureuson, daughter of Francis B. Laureuson, Esq., a well-known and highly respected citizen of Baltimore county.

The "Woman's Christian Temperance Union."

Pursuant to call a meeting of the ladies of Kent county was held in the court-house, in Chestertown, Thursday, June 5, 1884, for the purpose of organizing a society for Kent county, auxiliary to the "Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Maryland."

Mrs. H. W. Thomas, of Baltimore, president of the State Union, and Miss Jennie Moore, of Ohio, in charge of the department of organzation in the National W. C. T. U., were present, in charge of the meeting. The former conducted the opening devotional exercises, showing in a few remarks the harmony of their special work with the teachings of Christ. The character and methods of this phase of woman's work were then more fully explained by Miss Moore.

The constitution of the State Union was adopted, giving the name of this organization, as the Kent County Woman's Christian Temperance Union, some twenty or more persons becoming members at the time.

The following officers were then elected:—President, Mrs. Mary E. Brown; county vice-president, Mrs. E. P. Janvier; district vice-presidents, 1st, Mrs. Rev. J. D. Reese; 2d, Mrs. J. F. Wilson; 3d, Mrs. J. W. Corey; 4th, Mrs. A. M. Bowers; 5th, Mrs. T. A. Hulme; recording sec'y, Mrs. J. N. Usilton. cor. sec'y, Miss A. E. Leaverton; treasurer, Mrs. W. D. Burchinal.

On motion the second Wednesday afternoon of each month was selected for regular meetings. The first on Wednesday of next week in the M. E. Church, Chestertown.

The vice-presidents were appointed a special committee to secure members in their several districts and to report at the next meeting.

Mrs. T. R. Hubbard, on motion, was elected chairman of committee on literature.

The secretary of the meeting was instructed to prepare a synopsis of the proceedings for publication in the town papers.

On motion the meeting was adjourned.

Evening Meeting.—In the evening a Gospel Temperance Meeting was held at the same place. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Thomas, who followed with a few timely remarks. Miss Jennie Smith was then introduced, who made a strong, clear, eloquent appeal in behalf of the total prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating drinks as a beverage. Logical arguments and touching facts illustrated and enforced the position assumed by the deeply interesting speaker. E. P. ALDRED, Sec'y.

"OBSERVER" HEARD FROM!

The silence seems to have been so oppressive on the part of "Observer" that what was at first only whispered, was finally proclaimed from the housetops (figuratively speaking) to wit: That the undersigned was asleep. If this allegation was true "Observer" was asleep as the faithful watch-dog sleeps—with one eye open. The fact of it is, there was too much transpiring to put in one letter, for the true spice of correspondence consists of its comprehensive brevity—and he has been too busy to write more than one. Here, therefore, are the following items of interest:

Mr. T. H. Horsey and Dr. J. H. Latimer are both beautifying the place and their respective properties by the building of handsome additions to the same. The Catholic parsonage—a brick structure 25x40 feet in the main with annex—is progressing finely. The brick from the old church at Lambson's are being utalized in its construction. By the by a quantity of contraband plug tobacco was found concealed beneath the old church when being torn down, some thief evidently regarding the sanctity of its walls as a safe hiding place for his plunder. Galena can now boast of a real efficient and very clever tonsorial artist; also, a new millinery shop, Miss Ella Parr conducting the latter. So, you see, we are enlarging our borders.

The friends of Col. Spencer will be grieved to learn that he is gradually failing and little hopes entertained of his recovery.

Our genial friend, Mrs. Josephine Rodgers, is still absent at Baltimore under medical treatment but improving gradually in health.

Mr. Cecil Morgan met with a painful accident a few days past, in which the sight of one eye was temporarily impaired. With his brother-in-law, Mr. Will Ireland, he is now in Baltimore; both under skilled medical treatment, for ailments, which we trust will be permanently cured in both cases.

Dr. David Hill, former rector of Shrewsbury parish preached, we are informed, excellent sermons in church and chapel on Sunday last.

St. Andrews, at Galena, was handsomely decorated with flowers and a large audience in attendance at evening service.

The M. E. Sunday School, of Galena circuit, will, we understand, present a very interesting program on Children's Day, particularly in the morning.

In accordance with the act of General Assembly the Westminster Presbyterian Sunday-school at Georgetown will celebrate the coming Sabbath as "Children's Day," the evening being especially set apart for an appropriate service including the baptismal rite. It is an inspired motive that suggested the giving to our young of a Sunday to themselves for the purpose of holy and elevating service and praise to God.

The four girls (a la Pansy), in whom certain of us take quite an interest, are now home from the prison-like though wholesome restraints of Winchester boarding school and of course are wreathed in smiles. Reference, understand, is made to the Misses Hettie and Linda Jacobs, Katie Woodall and Emma Wilson. What a fine, healthy set of youngsters the coming generation of Marylanders are? Truly may we predict for their State a glorious future. OBSERVER.

BREVITIES FOR THE KENT NEWS.

The season is backward—seeds are unusually slow in vegetating and make sluggish growth. Wheat is doing well. The frosts that have so widely and severely affected northern latitudes have done no damage here.

The Grange festival, on the 30th ult., was socially a pleasant evening, and financially a success—receipts nearly $90 gross.

Capt. A. L. Corey is planting his meadow, north of the Bowman farm, in corn today. A wise thing to do and an example which might be imitated by many other farmers with profit to themselves and advantage to the county.

A good shoemaker is one of the pressing needs of this locality. A tenement and plenty of work awaits the coming man.

Our mechanics are all pressed with work; so much so, that but little interest is taken in the bank swindles, great or small, and not much in President-making. Mr. A. M. Kendall has four carpenters employed, and could have given work to more during the spring and summer. He is now building a dwelling for Mr. Wm. Ford on his farm near Chestertown. Capt. F. Wing and William Kline are putting up a building for Mr. Hadaway in Quaker Neck.

Today, the 4th, Mrs. Catharine Reed, relict of Samuel Reed, was buried by the side of her husband in the graveyard at St. James' Church, and the condition of the ground was the subject of much unfavorable comment. It is overrun with a dense growth of dock and other unsightly weeds interspersed with briars, and shows an entire lack of attention. SIMON SHARP.

DEATH OF BISHOP SMITH.—The Rev. Benjamin Bosworth Smith, of Kentucky, presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this country, died of old age Saturday morning at his home in New York city. Though the Bishop would have ended his ninetieth year in two weeks more, his mental and bodily powers retained their normal condition until within the last month, when he attended a special meeting of the House of Bishops, held in New York. From that time he gradually failed. His death elevates Bishop Lee, of Delaware, to the head of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States. On account of the enfeebled state of Bishop Smith's health, Bishop Lee has been performing, since 1880, the duties that now devolve upon him as the senior bishop.

THE distance between Baltimore and Chicago in a bee-line is about 600 miles, while by rail it is something over 800 miles.

THE M. E. congregation of Greensborough has decided to hold a camp-meeting at Oakland this summer. It will be held the latter part of July.

FOR SALE:

A PLEASANT & COMMODIOUS DWELLING in GALENA, on the Eastern side of the street leading to Georgetown, formerly the property of the late Miss Willamina Meginniss.

For terms apply to CORNELIUS J. SCOTT, Agent for the owners.

GALENA, May 10, 1884.

SCHOOL BOARD NOTICE.

In view of the advertisement in last Saturday's paper of a "Free Dance, Festival and Raffling" to be held on the school house green in Broad Neck, all persons are hereby forbidden to trespass upon any of the Public School Lots or Buildings of the county; and the Trustees of the several schools are requested to enforce this order.

By order of the School Board, E. F. PERKINS, Sec.

May 31—3t.

SHINGLES! SHINGLES!!

A large invoice of the best No. 1 HEART SHINGLES, direct from the Swamps, just received and for sale low, by

m31. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

THIRTEEN ineffectual ballots for bishop were taken by the P. E. Diocesan Convention which met in Baltimore last week. The eleventh ballot gave Dr. Leeds 75 votes, the highest number received by any candidate during the election, but it fell 17 short of the number necessary to elect. Dr. Eccleston received 41 and Bishop Elliott 7, the rest scattering. A special convention has been ordered for October 28, to continue the balloting. The failure to elect at this convention was caused by the followers of the different schools of thought remaining perfectly steadfast to their respective teachings, thereby producing a blockade or deadlock.

NO MORE C. O. D. WHISKEY ALLOWED.—The Internal Revenue Commissioner has decided that whiskey or other intoxicating drinks cannot be sent to a place where local option prevails, cash on delivery. The Baltimore *Sun*, of last Tuesday contained the following: The internal revenue department rules that the special tax stamps held by wholesale and retail dealers do not cover sale of liquor at any other place than the place of business; that the sale of liquors should be completed by delivery, actual or constructive, at the place of business; that sales are not so completed when liquor is sent C. O. D., as the liquor remains the property of the seller, and does not become the property of the buyer until delivered to him upon payment of the purchase money and charges. Under this ruling, a jug of whiskey sent C. O. D. to a local option county is constructively sold in that county, and either the seller or the buyer is liable to get into trouble. Many of the counties of Maryland have the local option law in force, and the decision affect such as can be reached by express. Many of the thirsty countrymen, however, have their jugs sent by steamer, where possible. Some time ago a Frederick county liquor dealer sent some of his wares to Montgomery county, a local option county, to be paid for on delivery. The matter was brought to the attention of Collector Sellman, who informed the dealer that his government license only allowed him to sell at his place of business, and to send it C. O. D. to Montgomery was to sell it in that county. The collector states, however, that where the purchaser sends money to the seller, who in turn sends the whiskey to the buyer, the seller is complying with the government law in selling at his place of business. The same would be the case where the liquor was sent to the buyer and the money remitted subsequently.

ELECTION BEFORE NOVEMBER.—The series of summer and early fall elections, which was opened Monday in Oregon, includes not less than nine States. Alabama votes on August 4 for Governor and State officers, Tennessee follows on August 7, Arkansas on September 1, and Vermont one day later. Then comes the more significant, because more doubtful, election in Maine on September 8, with the interesting incidental vote on constitutional prohibition of the liquor traffic, which the State's statutes have so conspicuously failed to suppress. Georgia will elect a Governor on October 1. On October 14 the Ohio and West Virginia elections occur, the political interest of the series culminating in Ohio, where twenty-one Congressmen will be chosen and the minor State offices hotly contested in the traditional belief that the result may potently influence party fortunes in the presidential election three weeks later.

SENATOR-ELECT PAYNE, of Ohio, according to a recent statement from his law partner, would accept the democratic nomination for President, but according to the same authority the talk about Mr. Payne for the second place on the ticket is "all nonsense," as he "would prefer to be elected justice of the peace in a country township than to be elected Vice-President of the United States, a position that carries with it no authority and no honor to speak of."

THE Easton *Ledger* of Thursday says: Rev. Robert Wilson, D. D., will leave tomorrow for his new parish in Charlestown, S. C. He will spend Saturday and Sunday with his friend, the Rev. Hall Harrison, at Ellicott City, and start for the South on Monday.

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.' opp. Court House

April 12, 1884.

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, Court Street.

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Mill Notice

THE undersigned has remodeled his Mill at Sassafras and made it a

FULL ROLLER MILL.

and is prepared to make Flour of the very best quality. Farmers sending wheat can have it converted into flour in a very short time. Corn ground as usual. Feed of all kinds on hand.

GEORGE KENNEDY, Sassafras, Md.

May 17-5t.*

Fashionable Tailor,

DO YOU WANT A NEAT SUIT OF CLOTHES THIS SPRING?

Then go to STOLL'S

Opposite Kent Nat'l Bank, Chestertown.

SPRING STYLES of Cassimeres on hand and suits made to order in latest styles.

May 10, 1884. L. STOLL.

THE

PEOPLE

HAVE SUSTAINED THE

EXCELSIOR

CLOTHING COMPANY,

—OF—

BALTIMORE.

And we will meet their demand, whatever it may be. The panic has shocked the community so that a general dread of something worse has taken strong hold of the masses.

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SALE OF

THOUSANDS OF

DOLLARS

WORTH OF

CLOTHING

Hats,

Furnishing Goods,

And SHOES,

Is attracting Crowds of eager buyers to the

Excelsior!

COME and SEE.

Now is your chance to secure the greatest bargains ever offered.

EXCELSIOR

Clothing Co.,

S. W. Cor. Baltimore and Light Sts.,

AND

Broadway and Eastern Av.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

Spring Arrangement, 1884.

To take effect on Monday, June 9th, 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.

Steamer CHESTER will leave Chestertown every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m. Leave Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 10 a. m.

Steamer CORSICA leaves Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at midnight, for Centreville, via Corsica Creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's, Chestertown, Round Top, Deep Landing Spry's and Crumpton. Leave Crumpton every Tuesday and Thursday at 3 p. m., and Saturday at 1 p. m.

Freight received daily.

GEO. WARFIELD, Pres't.

June 7, 1884.

TO THE

PEACH GROWERS

—OF—

KENT & QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTIES

PREPARE IN TIME TO UTILIZE YOUR CULLING FRUIT.

The undersigned are agents for the AUTOMATIC FRUIT EVAPORATOR, the Best in the Market. There are Twenty of these Evaporators in Kent and Queen Anne's Counties, and all who are in need of an Evaporator can satisfy themselves of the good qualities of this machine. We request all who are in need of an Evaporator to call on us or write to us before purchasing. Descriptive circulars furnished on application.

We refer to the following gentlemen who have this Evaporator in use:

T. A. Hulme,	Fairlee,	Kent co., Md.
A. L. Corey	"	"
J. W. Corey,	"	"
T. W. Skirven,	"	"
I. Clark Taylor,	Lankford	"
H. E. Cooper,	Worton	"
T. J. Shallcross,	Loc't Grove	"
J. R. Clements	Chestertown	"
G. H. Snitcher,	"	"
B. S. Elliott,	2 Sudlersville	
E. B. Walls,	Price's Station	

Address JOHN ARMSTRONG, or JOEL C. SLAUGHTER, Chestertown, Md.

May 17-tf.

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.

Pure A No. 1 Shell Lime

FOR SALE.

HAVING erected at my farm, Quaker Neck wharf, on Chester river,

WHARF, KILNS, SHEDS,

and everything necessary to burn a FIRST CLASS article of

SHELL LIME

For Agricultural Purposes,

Would say to the farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties that I am now prepared to supply them with any quantity they may want, delivered by boat on Chester river, Bay shore or Creeks, at as reasonable a price as it can possibly be handled for.

This Lime is taken direct from the kiln to a house, there slaked and kept under cover until sold.

ALSO, QUICK LIME for BUILDING PURPOSES.

For price and terms, call on or address

R. S. EMORY, Chestertown, Md.

Feb. 9, 1884.

ATTENTION, FARMERS!

LIME! LIME!

CALDWELL'S & HALDEMAN'S

Celebrated

Bainbridge Lime!

is now offered at REASONABLE RATES for the coming season. It will slake more to the bushel and contains less sand and core and other impurities than any other LIME in the market, which makes it a cheap and valuable fertilizer. For terms and prices apply to

JOHN F. ROACH, Agent, NORTH EAST, Cecil Co., Md.

Delivered by Boat or Cars. ml-6m.

LIME FOR SALE,

Having purchased

THE LIME KILN

at the Railroad Station in Chestertown Md., formerly owned by Levi Fiddis, Jr., I am now prepared to sell either

Slaked or Quick Lime

for Building purposes, at the following rates at the kiln: slaked, 8c. per bushel, quick, 12c. per bushel.

oc15-tf. WM. PERKINS

Rambo Lime,

UNEXCELLED BY ANY OTHER,

For sale by car load or bulk, by

H. E. COOPER, Worton Station.

WM. B. RAMBO, Norristown, Pa.

ap12-3m.

Carriages! Carriages!

CARRIAGES!!

Do You Want a First-Class CARIAGES 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,

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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. HAWES,

Manager for R. F. BRIGGS & CO.

April 12—6m.

Fashionable Millinery.

MRS. KATE GILL, Having returned from the city with her new Summer Goods, which she has selected with care, offers her customers and the public generally, a complete assortment of Goods usually kept in her line. A nice selection of

Hats & Bonnets,

trimmed and untrimmed.

Also, a nice line of Feathers, Flowers and Ornaments of various kinds.

A full line of Ribbons and fine Neckwear always kept on hand. Something new in Fichus, fine Laces and Ruchings. She would call attention to her assortment of Silk, Laurel Thread and Kid Gloves, in newest spring shades, for Children and Ladies. Also, her new Pivot Corset, which will give perfect satisfaction. Black Lisle Thread Stockings, and a complete line of Hoisery in all grades, constantly kept on hand, suitable for ladies and children.

Call and examine before buying. Giving personal attention I will endeavor to please all. MRS. KATE GILL.

April 26, 1884.

New Summer Millinery

And FANCY GOODS.

MRS. L. J. DAVIS

Has just opened

A Fresh and Beautiful assortment of

SUMMER MILLINERY,

embracing HATS, BONNETS, GLOVES, Handkerch'fs, Hoisery, &c., &c.

A large and varied assortment of every description of goods usually found in a first class Millinery store has been opened to the inspection of the ladies, and a visit is solicited.

I have employed one of the best Milliners in Baltimore, who is thoroughly acquainted with the Spring Fashions, to assist me in pleasing the Ladies.

Agency for Demorest's Reliable Patterns. "What to Wear and How to Make It"—portfolio patterns.

Give me a call.

apr 7-tf. MRS. L. J. DAVIS.

A NEW THING AND A GOOD ONE.

Fruits Preserved without Cooking with Half the Usual Quantity of Sugar.

NATURAL APPEARANCE AND TASTE RETAINED.

Take any good fruit jar, fill with ripe fruit, add

ANTIFERMENTINE

as directed, fill up jars with Syrup, and put away in cool, dark place.

Contrast this with the Old Methods!

ANTIFERMENTINE preserves Fruits, Eggs, Butter, &c., and makes the most Delicious Cider ever used.

Price 50c. Per Box. Each Box will do 30 Quarts. Safe and Harmless.

For Sale Everywhere. Try It!

ANTIFERMENTINE CO., LIMITED, N. Y.

Sent by mail on receipt of price.

C. M. Lucas.

WATCHES.

GEO. BIAYS,

(Successor to Jas. Roy)

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

FISHING TACKLE

And HARDWARE STORE,

64 S. CALVERT ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

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

"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.

½ 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.

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.

WOOD! WOOD!

HICKORY, OAK and PINE.

THE subscriber has purchased 1,000 cords of the very best seasoned Oak, Hickory and Pine that has been in this market for some time, and is selling it, delivered, at $5.00 per cord for Oak, and $6 per cord for Hickory; wood sawed and split to order.

This Wood has all been culled over: is full length, clear of knots and small sticks. Pine Kindling Wood for sale low. WILLIAM PERKINS, Rising Sun Saloon, Chestertown.

Nov. 24—tf.

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.

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.

"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, PROPRIETOR.

May 3, 1884.

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.

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., Corner Store, Up Town.

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J. S. MacDONALD,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER —IN—

FINE JEWELRY, WATCHES, SILVER WARE,

&c, &c.,

No. 4 North Charles street, 4 doors North of Baltimore Street,

BALTIMORE, MD.

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J. T. TWILLEY. H. N. THOMAS

COAL! COAL!

We have on hand a good article of Soft Coal for Steam Threshers. Also, a good quality of Anthracite (White Ash) Coal, 2,240 lbs. to ton.

All persons in want of Coal will do well to call and see us before buying.

ju7-tf. J. T. TWILLEY & CO

WHITE PINE FENCING!

A Carload just received from Grand Rapids, Michigan, of Superior WHITE PINE FENCING, by

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