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**Kent News.**

SATURDAY MORNING.........SEPT. 13, 1884.

### DISHONESTY AND SUICIDE.

**A Bank President Cuts His Throat—More Than $1,000,000 Stolen.**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 8.—The suicide of Cashier Hill, of the National Bank of New Jersey, who put an end to his life last week, was followed today by the suicide of the president of the bank, Mahlon Runyon, who cut his throat this morning in a private room of the bank building. The news of Cashier Hill's suicide last week was followed by a run on the bank on Friday and Saturday, and by the discovery that the dead cashier was a defaulter to a large amount. It was also charged that President Runyon was implicated in Hill's embezzlements.

At 9.45 this morning President Runyon drove up to the bank in his carriage, accompanied by his two daughters. "Good-bye, pap," said Julia, the eldest, reaching out of the carryall as Mr. Runyon descended to the pavement, "I hope all will be well." "If you do not see me before night," he responded, "tell mamma I will stick to the bank."

Twenty minutes later he sent Chief Fitzgerald, who was in charge of the bank, for a copy of the New York *Times*, in which a story was told of his complicity in the bank's downfall. Securing the paper he went into the room occupied by the organizing directors and began to read. A deathly pallor spread over his face, and he exclaimed: "My God, what will my children do?" Passing a handkerchief over his brow he threw the paper into the lap of Director Stoddard, and excusing himself, went into the toilet-room of the bank.

A minute later the sound of a fall was heard. The directors rushed to the closet and discovered the body of Runyon on the floor. The blood was oozing from a gaping wound in his throat. Determined on suicide, he had cut his wrists deeply, the blood spurting against the wall and ceiling.

In the meantime the bank was besieged by an immense throng of depositors, who threatened to burst in the doors and take possession of the institution. The news of President Runyon's suicide raised the excitement to fever heat, and the town was filled with rumors of every character. Examination of the bank's books showed that the amount of Hill's defalcation would exceed $1,000,000 in surplus cash and securities. Several trust estates have suffered, among them the Ira Voorhees estate. Over $19,000 of this estate was taken and over $30,000 of the Adrian estate. Only three days before his death Hill had sold $60,000 in government bonds belonging to Runyon. The crash in Wall street in May last swallowed up the bulk of Hill's stealings.

The June statement of the bank placed the paid up capital at $150,000, the surplus at $125,000 and the undivided profits at $78,180.

Joseph Fisher, the custodian of the Voorhees estate, denied that he had taken strychnine, although he said his whole life was bound up in Hill, and when Hill went he thought he might as well follow him. When asked what he knew about the trouble he fell to the floor fainting, and was carried home. Director Stoddard was seen at the bank. The white marble floor was stained with the blood of the president, which had flowed out from the room in which he had cut his throat. "My God!" exclaimed Mr. Stoddard, in answer to a question as to the financial consequences of the bank's suspension, "the whole city will go under. The city debt is now nearly two millions, and the bank holds its paper. The savings banks have gone under, and we have their capital."

Acting Cashier Campbell acknowledged that he had carried money to New York for Hill for investment, but claimed that he himself was innocent of any wrong-doing. He was afraid to say anything lest he should be expelled by the directors. He said Hill was beset by politicians, and ruined himself by his aid to the republican party and by his expenditures in Wall street and on the turf. Hill wanted a newspaper and put money in the hands of Tindell & Hose to start the *Evening Star*, a republican paper, designed to denounce the management of affairs by the democrats. Hose left the city to avoid a libel suit, and the paper suspended.

The wildest excitement still prevails in the city, which is crowded with country and other depositors, who still threaten an attack on the bank. One hundred special policemen have been sworn in to guard the bank. Walter Carroll, a depositor, has cut his throat.

### AN APPEAL TO THE DEAD!

**Ohio's Republicans Ask Help of Lot M. Morrill—Indignant Reply of the Widow—What the Deceased Statesman Thought of James G. Blaine.**

*Correspondence of the New York Herald.*

AUGUSTA, ME., Sept. 2

The late Senator Lot M. Morrill of Maine represented the purest and best methods in politics, as his successor, James G. Blaine, represents the worst. The clear facts of Blaine's ten years' leadership of the party in Maine leaves no doubt on that point. When Senator Morrill resigned the Senatorship to accept the Treasury portfolio under Grant, as it will be remembered, Mr. Blaine was appointed his successor. Senator Morrill died here eighteen months ago. His widow, who is the daughter of the late Mr. Vance, who in his day was one of the most prominent citizens of this section, lives in a pleasant home on Winthrop street, this city. She is a lady evidently of great force of character and was the valued associate, confidant and helpmate of her distinguished husband, both in the Executive Mansion of this State and during the many years of his residence at Washington as Senator and Secretary of the Treasury.

Mrs. Morrill was recently surprised to receive from Ohio an official letter directed to her late husband. Opening it she found it to be a very importunate appeal to Senator Morrill to visit Ohio and to lend his aid in saving the State to Mr. Blaine. Mrs. Morrill turned the sheet over and wrote on its back an indignant reply and mailed it forthwith to the gentlemen who had signed the appeal.

THE OHIO LETTER.

To a question of the *Herald* correspondent as to the Ohio letter Mrs. Morrill said:

"Some six weeks ago I received a letter from Columbus, Ohio, on a sheet with printed head representing some political organization. I was so surprised and indignant at its contents that I did not particularly notice whether it was from a State committee or some political club, but it was signed by a Mr. Brown, as chairman, and a Mr. Ogden, as secretary. It was, as well as I can remember, about as follows:

*Senator Lot M. Morrill:*

*Dear Sir*—The situation in Ohio is a critical one. The party is in trouble on account of the attacks on Mr. Blaine as the candidate of the party. Your well-known character as a pure and upright statesman, and coming from Blaine's own State, you could refute the charges as no one else can. We hope you will come to us in this emergency, and make as many speeches as possible.

REPLY OF MRS. MORRILL.

"I was indignant and amazed that any Republican should be ignorant that my husband was dead. I was more indignant that he should be asked to assist in making Mr. Blaine President. I at once sat down wrote on the back of the sheet this reply, as near as I can remember it. I am now sorry that I did not keep copies of both the letter and of my answer:

*To Brown, Chairman, Columbus, Ohio:*

I am surprised and shocked to receive such a communication. I thought every citizen of this country knew my husband was at rest. I am in mourning for him, but, as I mourn his death, I thank my Father in heaven that He called him home before the party he loved so well and did so much for had so disgraced itself as to nominate so wicked and corrupt a man for the highest office within the gift of the American people, as I know and my husband knew, James G. Blaine to be. If he were alive he would not support Mr. Blaine or any such man, even at the bidding of his party. CHARLOTTE MORRILL.

BOLTING FROM BLAINE.—Mr. H. C. Hunt, of Albany, N. Y., a member of the Grand Army and a leading republican, has written a letter to a comrade in which he says: "I have been known to you for many years as a most uncompromising republican, and I am going to surprise you by stating that for the first time in my life I cannot support the nominations of the republican party. If there is any organization in the world to which I am attached it is the Grand Army of the Republic, and when I see that they are trying to use it for purely political and partisan ends, I believe it is time for an honest Grand Army man to rebuke such attempts to lead us like cattle to the shambles by either voting against the candidate or not voting at all. There is another reason—two in fact: Our party has nominated a man for Vice-President whose record as a Grand Army man is not very creditable to our organization. He was virtually expelled because he thought so little of it as not to pay his dues. Then, again, for the first place on the ticket our party has named a man who has been assailed as corrupt by the very best elements in that party, and this very day there is no republican paper or orator to offer the slightest defense to the charges brought against him. Therefore, for this election at least, I shall vote for the reform Governor—Grover Cleveland."

A JUDGMENT was filed in New York Saturday for $713,125 against the firm of Grant & Ward in the suit brought against that firm by the Marine National Bank.

ON the 23d of this month the autumnal equinox will occur, and after that date the nights will exceed the days in length.

### MEETING OF TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

A BRIEF OUTLINE OF PROCEEDINGS.

The first regular meeting of the Kent County Teachers' association for this scholastic year was held in the schoolroom at Chestertown Saturday, Sept. 6, and as is usual a goodly number of the teachers were present, though the day was a hot one and roads very dusty. The proceedings of last meeting were read and approved. The chairman appointed as literary committee, John F. Copper, Mary E. Nowland, William T. Brown, Isaac R. Starkey and Caroline J. Smyth. Music committee, Isaac R. Starkey, Mrs. Mary E. Gilpin, Nettie Gooding Wm. G. Fallowfield and Virginia Miller. Finance committee, Thos. B. Long, H. C. Wallis, Ella L. Adkinson, Virginia Johnson and J. F. Copper.

The first question on the programme was called up for discussion, "The law provides for the teaching of good behavior, What does it include, and How shall we teach it?" Mr. Fallowfield, Mrs. Gilpin, Mr. Melvin, Miss Leaverton, Miss Watts, Miss Roberts and the examiner discussed the question. The opinions expressed were in concord with each other. Such things as obedience to the teacher's requests and commands, to the rules of the school, respect for the rights and feelings of fellow-pupils, etiquette and ethics, a proper respect for the teacher everywhere and respect for parents, were believed to be included in "good behavior." Some would teach it when occasion demanded, that is when the rules of good behavior were violated, others thought special instruction should be given, deeming it of as much importance as any other study required by law. Mrs. Gilpin and the examiner read extracts from Swett, relating to the subject.

Under Questions and Answers, the examiner asked, What should be done with a pupil who would come to school day after day and answer no questions and recite none? A member related an instance in his experience of a little girl who was mute for three weeks, and no amount of coaxing could get her into a talking mood. Another said that a little girl in her school would talk none at school but would read very readily at home, yet after three months that little girl had to be punished for excessive talk in school. It was the opinion that speech would come after awhile and the teacher would have to be patient and wait.

The president read an excellent address, and it received the respectful attention of every teacher, and was especially replete with valuable advice and sound instruction to the teachers present who were just commencing their career. Particularly did he lay stress on the importance of laying a sure foundation at the beginning of school life, and recommended supplementary readers as an auxiliary in teaching reading. A communication from the Board of School Commissioners was received, in reply to a resolution adopted by the Association at a previous meeting. It was asked by the teachers that in the average attendance of pupils the inclement days interfering with the attendance be excluded, but the school board deemed the suggestion neither desirable nor practicable. A motion was made by Mr. Copper to have one session, which was adopted.

Mr. Melvin gave notice of a resolution he would call up at the next regular meeting, to amend the Article IV. of the Constitution relating to meetings, so as to change the time for the first meeting, from the first to the second Saturday in the fall term. Miss Downes asked if it is desirable to teach the chapter in the school geographies about the District of Columbia and government of the U. S., to pupils of the 5th grade. She thought they comprehended very little of the matter, as did Miss V. Power, Mrs. Stephens. Mr. Melvin selected paragraphs, so did Mr. Brown. Mr. Melvin announced the death of a Mr. George Godwin, a native of Queen Anne's, who taught at Lambson's Station for a year but had resigned that appointment, and had secured the appointment as teacher at Chesterville. His death created a vacancy at that school. On Mr. Melvin's motion a committee consisting of Messrs. Fallowfield, Brown and Forman to draft resolutions of sympathy, was appointed by the President, the committee to report at the next regular meeting.

The Literary Committee reported the following questions, which were adopted to be discussed at the meeting in November:

1—"How can self-reliance be cultivated in pupils?"

2—"By what means can we make our pupils better readers?"

The second question was called up for discussion—"How shall the intermediate and final examinations of the year be conducted?"

Mr. Forman opened the discussion by claiming that since the teacher is thoroughly conversant with ground covered in the instruction, he is the one to examine, and read from Francis W. Parker to help his argument. The examiner stated that if an examiner of schools has performed his duty as required by law, he is presumed to be as well fitted to examine the schools of a county as a principal of that department under his charge. Though it was not his desire to prepare questions for an examination, the teachers had requested that he would prepare them. He was of the opinion that more precaution to prevent cheating at the examinations was taken than their importance warranted. If pupils attempted to cheat, there was a defection in their moral training. He recommended that the intermediate examination be oral. Miss Leaverton was of the opinion that pupils in offering or giving aid, did not believe they were acting dishonestly, but were actuated by a spirit of kindness. Miss Spencer asked if pupils, after being examined, should be detained to study until the close of the session, she believing that the strain on their minds was too much for them. Miss Power detailed the plan of conducting examinations in the school at Millington.

On motion of Miss Power, the further consideration of the question was postponed until the next meeting, to come up as unfinished business. The president announced that the revised by-laws would soon be ready for distribution, and at one o'clock declared the meeting adjourned. —*Transcript.*

**The Festival at Lynch's.**

SEPTEMBER 6, 1884.

It was the wish of the ladies of I. U. congregation that I should acknowledge for them their deep sense of the kindness of the friends, who, solicited and unsolicited, contributed so largely to make their festival at Lynch's a success. This I did in a brief letter addressed to the "NEWS," August 25, which I supposed would be in time for that week's issue. As it did not appear, we looked for it in the following week's issue; nor was it there. So I fear it was not received. Writing from a distant office, near where I was staying, it may have miscarried. We are sorry for the omission, and we now ask the favor of you to publish this note of explanation, and the original letter if it has come to hand. We would not like to seem unmindful of the kindness and liberality of the community who favored us so cheerfully with their gifts, and whose presence on the occasion helped to make it a season of delightful social enjoyment.

The P. T. Band most amply fulfilled expectation, and added materially to the pleasure of the occasion, which all admit was one of real and harmless gratification. M.

A VALUABLE BOOK.—We have received a copy of a book entitled "Gaskell's Compendium of Forms: Social, Educational, Legal and Commercial," by Prof. G. A. Gaskell, principal of Bryant & Stratton's business colleges at Manchester and other places. The book claims to embrace a complete self-teaching course in penmanship and book-keeping and aid to English composition, together with the laws of social etiquette, business laws and commercial forms; political and biographical dictionary; manual of agriculture, mechanics and mining, and a complete guide to parliamentary practice, the whole forming a complete encyclopedia of reference; elegantly illustrated. We have given the work a hasty examination and regard it well worth the price asked.

PEOPLE ordinarily take it for granted that religious liberty prevails throughout the United States. It is not so. The State constitution of New Hampshire—made by the republican party—has a provision that "only Protestants are eligible to the office of Governor, or as Senators or Representatives." Others take it for granted that in no part of the country is the right to vote or hold office hampered by a property qualification. It is not so. Under the State constitution of Rhode Island—made by the republican party—only property owners can vote or hold office. —*Easton Ledger.*

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers of yesterday quote as follows:

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Available Phosph'c Acid 15.32 per ct.
Insoluble Phosphoric Acid .84 "
Estimated value per ton, $38.30.

Yours, truly,
DR. T. R. WOLF,
*State Chemist.*

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., August 30th, 1884.

At our special request the above mentioned gentlemen went to the New Jersey Chemical Company's works at Camden, N. J., August 26th, and drew a sample from a pile of Acidulated Phosphate of over one thousand tons, from which the State Chemist, after analysis, derived the above results: Mr. S. F. Shallcross, President of the Board of Levy Court Commissioners of New Castle county, and R. T. Cochran, Esq., who purchased 175 tons of the above named phosphate.

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WM. A. ELLIOTT,
aug 30-4t. AGENT.

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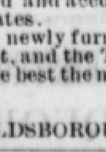

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J. T. HAYES."
Mexia, Texas, June 17, 1882.

The REV. FRANCIS B. HARLOWE, writing from *Atlanta, Ga.*, says: "For some years past I have been subject to constipation, from which, in spite of the use of medicines of various kinds, I suffered increasing inconvenience, until some months ago I began taking AYER'S PILLS. They have entirely corrected the costive habit, and have vastly improved my general health."

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS correct irregularities of the bowels, stimulate the appetite and digestion, and by their prompt and thorough action give tone and vigor to the whole physical economy.

PREPARED BY

**Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.**

Sold by all Druggists.

| YOUNG, OLD, AND MIDDLE-AGED. | All experience the wonderful beneficial effects of **Ayer's Sarsaparilla.** Children with Sore Eyes, Sore Ears, or any scrofulous or syphilitic taint, may be made healthy and strong by its use. |
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Sold by all Druggists; $1, six bottles for $5.

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## 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. y

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SPECIAL NOTICE

## TO FARMERS

AND ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Having laid in a supply of the best quality o

**SOFT COAL**

for Threshing and for Blacksmiths' purposes, we are now prepared to supply your orders at a very small advance. All in want will do well to call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. We are also receiving a supply of good Anthracite Coal for family use, which we are offering at much lower figures now than the same can be bought later in the season. All in want will do well to order at once and secure present prices. A good supply of seasoned

**HICKORY, OAK and PINE WOOD**

constantly kept on hand. Give us a call and we are sure we can give satisfaction.

Thankful for past favors we hope by strict attention to business and square dealings to merit a continuance of the same. Very resp'y, yours,

T. DEC. RUTH,
Chestertown, Md.
J. B. McINTIRE, AGENT. May 31, 1884.

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SAVE THE EXPENSE OF

**BUILDING A BRICK CHIMNEY.**

Our Fire Clay Chimney Pipe does not rust nor crack by heat nor crumble from frost. It has been used ten years for dwellings, schools, churches, &c. No danger from fire, as it does not communicate heat to wood. Insurance Companies have decided it to be a safer chimney than brick. Any one can put it up. A complete chimney costs from $5 to $10, according to height of building.

Send for descriptive circular with full information.

**CHAS. H. TORSCH & CO.**

S. E. Cor. Pratt and Charles Streets, BALTIMORE.

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LIME! LIME! LIME!
Hair! Hair! Hair!
Brushes! Brushes! Brushes

Bear in mind that Thompson always keeps in stock a lot of Whitewash and Plastering Lime; Hair Brushes, &c., all sold at a small margin.
a5. THOMPSON, up town.

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## 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.

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## FALL GOODS!

JUST OPENED AT

**J. H. SIMPERS'**

GLASS FRONT.

DRY GOODS:—Nice line of Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Ginghams, Percales Prints, Cassimeres, Cottonades Flannels, White Goods in Victoria Lawns, Piques, and Nainsooks, White and Red Table Goods, Cheviots, &c.

Notions, Hoisery, Gloves, Corsets, Silk and Linen, Hd'fs, Towels, Bedspreads, Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs, Neckties, Suspenders, Hamburg Edging, Laces, Lace Remnants, &c.

SHOES! SHOES!—Gents and Boy's Sewed and Pegged English Ties, Button Shoes and Congress Gaiters. Ladies and Misses Goat Button, Kid Button, Kid Fox Button and Lace Shoes, Children's Peb. Button, Lace and Solar Tip Shoes. We have a large stock of shoes from the cheapest to the fine work made to our order, and sell at prices to compete with the lowest.

STRAW HATS:—Full line of Fine Straw Hats for Men, Boys and Children. Newest styles at lower prices than ever.

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

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**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.

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## MILL NOTICE.

**THE "GALENA MILLS,"**

better known as "Miller's Mills," have been under repairs and are now in first-class order. We are now ready to grind Wheat and Corn for our customers.

Our motto of milling is to guarantee satisfaction to all customers in way of turn-out and good flour and meal. We will gladly take back and pay cash for any bad flour we may make from good wheat. Try us and see what we will do for you. We have put in a Corn and Cob Crusher to grind corn on the cob for feeding purposes.

WHEAT AND CORN WANTED, for which the cash will be paid at highest market prices.

FLOUR, MEAL, and all kinds of Mill Feed for sale at the lowest market prices. For our reputation and responsibility we refer you to any of our former customers in and around Chestertown, or to the editors of this paper.

Very resp'y,
WM. J. SPICER,
Feb. 2—tf. Galena, Md.

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CHESTERTOWN

## Marble Works!

OWING to my health I am compelled to SELL OUT MY ENTIRE STOCK OF MARBLE regardless of cost.

My stock is very large, comprising all the latest designs that can be found in the city yards, with a full line of Marble Posts of all sizes; galvanized Railing for fencing. All of my work is finely finished and set up by myself.

Persons wanting anything in my line of business will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock.

Thankful for past patronage, I remain yours, respectfully,
je21-tf. W. REGISTER.

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**FARMERS!** Buy the Thorn Hedge Co's Wire

**Superior Fence Wire**

Kelly brand, 16 feet 7¼c. Mack brand, 18 ft. 7¼c.; Red Star brand, 15 ft. 6¼c. Ribbon brand 7c. Send for discount on large lots. Address gen'l agents:

WM. K. JUDEFIND & CO.,
Edesville, Kent co., Md.

P.S.—All the large R. R. use this brand.

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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.

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INSECT POWDER.
DALMACIAN.

Guaranteed to exterminate Roaches Ants and kindred Pests.

M. A. TOULSON,
mar. 22. DRUGGIST.

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## DAILY TRIPS.

**THE STEAMER CHESTER**

Leaves Georgetown daily at 7 A. M., and Baltimore at 3 P. M., from Hughes' Quay, cor. Lee and Light streets, for all the landings on SASSAFRAS RIVER.

**The TRUMPETER**

Will leave Buck Neck and all the landings on WORTON CREEK. Returning, leave Pier No. 6, Light st. wharf.
a16. WM. CUNDIFF.

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**Summer Arrangement.**

DAILY BOAT FROM

**TOLCHESTER BEACH.**

Steamer Louise

will leave Tolchester at 10.15 a. m., daily.

Leave Baltimore, Pier 16 Light street, at 8.15 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.

Excursion tickets, 50 cents. Fare, each way 40 cents.

In order to avoid accident to children, and other persons, and to save time to those going to Baltimore by the morning boat the company will *not carry Bulls* during the Excursion season.

W. C. ELIASON,
June 7, 1884. MANAGER.

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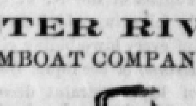
## PEACH ROUTE.

**CHESTER RIVER**

STEAMBOAT COMPANY.



On and after Monday, August 11th, the steamers of this company will run as follows:

Steamer GEORGE LAW, will leave Grey's Inn daily (except Sunday), at 7 a. m., stopping at Queenstown and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at noon. Returning, will leave Pier 7, Light street wharf, at 2.30 p. m., daily (except Sunday), for the above landings.

Steamer GEORGEANNA will leave Rolph's Wharf, daily (except Sunday), at 7 p. m., stopping at Wilkins', Booker's and Quaker Neck, arriving in Baltimore at Midnight. Returning, will leave Pier 7, Light street wharf, at 8 a. m., making the above landings and Hooper's Wharf, in Corsica Creek.

Steamer CORSICA will leave Crumpton, daily (except Sunday), at 3 p. m., stopping at Spry's, Deep Landing, Travilla's and Round Top, will leave Chestertown at 5 p. m., stopping at Centreville, and landings in Corsica Creek, arriving in Baltimore at Midnight. Returning, will leave Pier 7, Light street wharf, at 7 a. m., making above landings, except those in Corsica Creek.

NOTE.—Our facilities for storing fruit this season are surpassed by none in Baltimore. Our Pier, which has been rebuilt thoroughly, and enlarged, gives us capacity to store at one time 15,000 boxes. In erecting our shed over the Pier, special care was given to ventilation. We have no hesitancy in saying to our patrons that the improvements made in our Pier are for their advantage, and we believe they have but to visit us to be convinced themselves of the fact. We will always, as heretofore, endeavor to keep abreast with the times, and meet the requirements of the trade as the demands are made.

GEO. WARFIELD,
Aug. 16-s. PRESIDENT.

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J. T. TWILLEY. H. M. 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.

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## 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, Chestrtown.
Nov. 24—tf.

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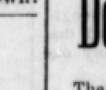
## SPECIAL NOTICE!

 —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 ull 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.

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## "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.

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LOT OF BRACKETS,
WALL POCKETS, &c.,

Will be closed out about cost.
f19. LOUIS K. STAM.

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