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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....Oct. 25, 1884.

BUTLER CHARGED WITH TREACHERY.

His Canvass Only for Blaine.

Gen. Wm. H. Parsons, chairman of the executive committee of the national greenback labor party of Maryland, publishes a report or address over his signature in the Baltimore *Free Press* of last Saturday, in which he makes the direct charge that the campaign of Gen. Benjamin F. Butler is managed by the national republican committee in New York city. Gen. Parsons, who has been for many years a warm admirer of Gen. Butler, went to New York in the interest of the labor party of Maryland and made persistent efforts to get Butler to come to Baltimore and make a speech. He says that after much delay he was finally referred by the Butler managers to the republican committee, where he was told that Butler could not come to Maryland, as it was not a doubtful State, and there was no money to spend in such experiments.

The New York *Times* of Sunday, which published a telegram from Baltimore giving the points of Gen. Parsons' statements concerning Butler, commented editorially upon the matter. It said:

"Every workingman, every anti-monopolist, every laborer and friend of labor who votes for Benjamin F. Butler becomes a dupe of the basest conspiracy that has ever disgraced a presidential canvass in the United States. We denounced Butler's candidacy in the beginning as a transparent scheme to draw votes from Gov. Cleveland and aid in electing that prince of tricksters, James G. Blaine. Coming to New York to get Butler to go to Baltimore and make a speech, Gen. W. H. Parsons, chairman of the national greenback labor committee of Maryland, was coolly referred to the national republican committee, which body, he was told, controlled Butler's movements in the campaign and paid his expenses. The republican national committee could not spare Butler to go to Baltimore. They could not afford to waste his time in a sure democratic State. They wanted to keep him at work in New York, New Jersey and other Nothern States, where Blaine can only succeed through democratic losses and defection. After this disclosure no honest and self-respecting man can vote for Butler or in any way promote the success of the disreputable business in which he is engaged. He insults laboring men by offering himself for their suffrages. His sole purpose is to betray them. His treachery is too detestable to pass without rebuke from its intended victims. The workingmen in every State where Butler electors have been put in nomination should hold mass-meetings and denounce the disgusting old hypocrite."

The Overshadowing Danger.

Honest Allen G. Thurman confirms the words of Senator Edmunds that James G. Blaine was always to be seen popping up behind the breastworks of Jay Gould's lobby whenever an attempt was made to hold the Pacific railroads to an accountability for their obligations to the government.

In an interview in the Chicago *Herald* Senator Thurman describes how a "frightful lobby," the "most formidable" he had ever seen at Washington, sprang up immediately he introduced his Pacific Railroad Funding bill in the Senate. Gould, Huntington and Dillon were all on hand on the outside, while Star route Dorsey, Stanley Matthews and James G. Blaine were their most powerful auxiliaries in the Senate chamber.

The plans of the lobby were well laid. Dorsey introduced an opposition bill pretending to accomplish the object sought to be obtained by the Thurman bill but in reality defeating it and giving the roads $40,000,000 outright.

Blaine at the same time "cast an anchor to windward" by offering an amendment to the Thurman bill surrendering the right of the government to ever change or legislate on the original Pacific railroad charters.

"Better have thrown the whole $150,000,000 which the road will owe the government into the Atlantic," truthfully remarks Senator Thurman, "than to have adopted Blaine's amendment."

The lobby of Gould, Huntington and Dillon labored to secure support for the amendment in order to kill the Thurman bill, and Gould, Dorsey and Stanley Matthews exerted all their power to force it through the Senate. They failed.

"It is plain to me that Blaine desired to kill the bill," says Senator Thurman. "It is not for me to say what his motive was, or if any improper influences controlled him." But it is for the people to judge.

Dorsey has wealth.

Stanley Matthews holds a seat on the supreme court bench by the grace and greenbacks of Gould and Huntington.

Blaine is the Republican presidential candidate, and Jay Gould gave him $100,000 to aid him in purchasing Ohio.

But the corruptions which have stained the past sink into insignificance when compared with the dangers which threaten the future.

"I do fear," says Mr. Thurman, "that if the Republican party retains power the Pacific railroad companies will evade payment of their indebtedness to the government, and, under legislative protection, build up the worst railroad monopoly ever known in this country."

But the people like this picture drawn by an honest hand?

They may be able to afford to let the Pacific railroads rob them of $150,000,000.

Can they afford to allow those great, overshadowing monopolies, worse monsters than have ever yet existed, to rob them of their liberties and their right to a free election?

Can they afford to put the future control of presidential elections into the hands of the Goulds, Huntingtons and Dillons of the lobby, so that they may elect their Blaines to the highest office in the country, rest their Stanley Matthewses on the judges of the supreme court bench and send out their Dorseys to buy up voters?—*New York World.*

THE TICHBORNE claimant was discharged from prison at London on Monday after serving over ten years. His release from prison three days before the expiration of his stated term of imprisonment baffled—as was perhaps intended—the purpose of the claimant's friends to give him a demonstrative welcome at the prison gates. It will be recalled that he was sentenced on February 28, 1874, by Lord Chief Justice Cockburn to fourteen years' penal servitude, but by good conduct in prison he has received commutation of over three years of the term for which he was sentenced. His offense was perjury in attempting to personate Roger Tichborne, who was, it is alleged, lost at sea with the Bella, which sailed from Rio for New York April 20, 1854, his object being to secure an estate worth $24,000 a year. Thomas Castro, or Arthur Orton, or Roger Tichborne—as the case may be—has had handsome provision made for him by his supporters, and will start in life under favorable auspices.

HOW OHIO WAS CARRIED.—The Baltimore *Sun* of Tuesday says:

A Cincinnati business man who was in Baltimore yesterday said the vote in his city last Tuesday would indicate upon a fair calculation that it has a population of 490,000, which is many thousands in excess, and shows the extent of the fraudulent voting. The colored deputy marshals, he said, were from the worst class of river roustabouts, and these men, armed with revolvers and clubs, dismayed the citizens of Cincinnati. It was not an unusual thing for these deputy marshals to set up a shout that they wanted fair play, and rush about the streets firing their pistols. He stated that nothing like this had been seen before at an election in Cincinnati, and would not be tolerated again.

THE DREDGING SEASON APPROACHING.—The opening of the oyster beds to dredgers on November 1 is being anticipated by the fitting out of a large fleet of vessels. At the shipyards many are undergoing hurried repairs, and the getting on board of dredges and winders is being vigorously pushed forward. The shipping offices show signs of vitality, and the runners connected with them are hustling up the nomads who flock to the city from distant parts to grind out their living at the oyster crank. This class is becoming numerous, and their presence is nightly becoming more apparent by the number on the lodgers' slates at the station-house.—*Baltimore Sun.*

FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS.—The second "Farmers' National Congress" will be held at Nashville, Tenn., commencing on the 19th of November. The president is Mr. Robt Beverley, of Virginia, and the vice-president for Maryland is Mr. Henry C. Hallowell, of Montgomery county. The Maryland delegates are Col. Walter S. Franklin, Col. F. Carroll Goldsborough, C. Lyon Rogers, Henry M. Murray, Wm. B. Sands and Louis McMurray. The first national congress was held in Kentucky last year, and much useful information was evolved in the discussions. Representative farmers were present from nearly every portion of the country.

JUDGE WILSON'S RESIGNATION.—Judge E. K. Wilson will send in his resignation as judge, to take effect January 1, 1885, immediately after the November term of court in Dorchester county. Judge Wilson was elected to the United States Senate to succeed Mr. Groome, whose term expires March 3, 1885. Judge Wilson's successor will be appointed by the Governor to fill the place until the next general election, in 1885.—*Princess Anne Somerset Herald.*

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The circuit court for Kent county, October term, began its session on Monday, the 20th inst. Court was opened and the grand jury drawn by Judge Wickes. Judge Robinson arrived before noon. The following are the juries,—

Grand jury: Cornelius J. Scott, foreman; James H. Baker, Edw. W. Hepbron, George M. Beasten, C. G. Woodall, Samuel A. Reed, Samuel Hurlock, John H. Simpers, Edward B. Jones, Samuel H. Crawford, Bartus Trew, James P. Wickes, Theodore Diehl, Stevenson Constable, John W. Collins, Henry J. Gray, Sam'l A. J. Wickes, Henry C. Chase, Samuel Vannort, Wm. Thomas of Wm., Josiah Lusby, Daniel U. Dewees, Samuel Cacy.

Petit: Eugene M. Bonwill, George E. Leary, Stuart Matthews, J. Evan Thomas, Rich'd C. Smyth, Thomas Rasin jr., Benjamin M. Hazell, Samuel B. Foard, Thomas A. Jacobs, Henry Bramble, John A. Groves, Thomas Gale of John, James W. Hurtt, Anthony H. Johnson, Thomas W. Eliason, Clarence S. Hurlock, Joseph H. Clinton, Thomas D. France, Barney J. McCauley, Edgar H. Strong, Wm. T. Anderson, Lucas Alrich, T. Romie Strong, James Willis, Augustine Hendrickson.

Very little business was transacted on Monday before the Court or petit jury. A large number of witnesses were summoned before the grand jury, and a number of indictments were found.

On Tuesday, the 21st inst., Judges Wickes and Robinson were on the bench. The appeal docket was taken up. The case of N. H. Rash vs. N. E. Pennington, appeal from Justice Wm. M. Johnson, was tried before the Court; judgment affirmed (judgment $10, costs $6.16); Hynson and Vickers for appellant, Slay for appellee. Marcus J. Ascher vs. T. H. Stavely, R. A. Hodges and Wm. R. Hodges; appeal from Justice Sam'l C. Brannock; tried before Court; judgment reversed; Hynson for appellant, Slay for appellee. John W. Ivens vs. Joseph Miller; appeal from Justice James Cohee; tried before Court; judgment reversed; Barroll for appellant, Vickers for appellee.

Wednesday, Oct. 22d.—Judges Robinson and Wickes on the bench—Case of Adam's Express Co., vs F. S. Anderson. Appeal from As. B. Wheatley, J. P. In the case Anderson sent goods by the Adam's Express Co. to a R.R. station where there was no office of the Co. The Co. contracts to deliver goods at the nearest station where they have an office. The goods were so delivered, and afterward lost in the station house at Masseys; Anderson sued Company claiming $100 damages. The company resisted payment on the ground that they were liable only as warehousemen for ordinary care, which the court so decided; the jury evidently thought that ordinary care had not been taken. Tried by jury; verdict for appellee $50 damages; Slay for appellant, Barroll for appellee.

The grand jury adjourned on Friday.

Jottings In and Around Georgetown.

In the past few days we have lost three of our citizens by death, Capt. James Scotten, Mrs. Ann Taylor and Mr. John H. Cummings. The lesson of our mortality is being exemplified, truly, "The living know that they must die."

We note also a marriage at the Westminster Presbyterian Church manse on Wednesday evening, Oct. 15, 1884, by the pastor, Rev. W. W. Reese. The contracting parties being Mr. Chas. Miller, of Worton, and Miss Mary Mears, of Galena. May joy attend them.

The drought is still with us; the dust is stifling; the people are wishing and hoping, and some are even praying for rain, but whether these are but the prayers of the less, or the heart's desires, or entering, as all these prayers must, into the activities of the life in sincere and humble obedience is a question. AMERICUS.

Georgetown, Oct. 21, 1884.

POLITICAL AFFAIRS IN NEW YORK CITY.—The business men's Cleveland and Hendricks meeting in New York city Saturday afternoon was a great success. Broadway was blockaded for two hours in the afternoon. For hours the great thoroughfare in the neighborhood of Worth street, as well as the adjacent side streets, contained a dense, immovable mass of humanity. Business as well as travel in the vicinity was entirely suspended, for the great crowd massed there rendered both impossible. From every window within a hundred yards of the intersection of Broadway and Worth street people looked down with wondering interest upon the great crowd. The occasion was the open-air meeting and banner-raising of the Wholesale Dry Goods Cleveland and Hendricks Club. The organizations in the procession turned out over 2,000 members. Henry L. Hoguet, Algernon S. Sullivan, Richard T. Merrick, of Washington, David A. Boody, the banker, Frank Lawrence and Colonel John R. Fellows in turn addressed the meeting, and were listened to with attention and repeatedly cheered. In criticising Mr. Blaine's public career Mr. Merrick, among other things, said: "Personal politics is an unpleasant thing, and I do not charge that the republican candidate for President of the United States had participated in these land grants, star-route robberies and other intrigues. But I do say that there is some magnetic sympathy about him and his person that attracts to him the most disgraceful criminals in the country. And I bear witness to the fact that in the prosecution of the star-route thieves justice was thwarted, the guilty escaped punishment, and that they are today Mr. Blaine's most intimate friends."

THE DEATH OF TWO SISTERS ON THE SAME DAY.—The Baltimore *Sun* of Monday says:

Mrs. Mary F. Kerney, wife of Mr. John F. Kerney, No. 342 North Caroline street, and her sister, Miss Rose G. Haley, who resided at No. 346 Myrtle avenue with another sister, Mrs. Alfred M. Hedian, both died last Thursday within a few hours of each other, the death of the first-named sister hastening that of the other. They were buried yesterday side by side in the same grave, but in different coffins, in Bonnie Brae Cemetery. They were daughters of the late Francis Haley, a prominent builder, and several times a member of the city council of Cumberland. Mrs. Kerney died from valvular disease of the heart at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. She had been sick in bed six weeks. The sister, Rose, had been attacked with consumption about a year ago. Mrs. Hedian was with Mrs. Kerney when she died, Miss Rose having been prevailed upon to remain at home that she might be saved the excitement of being present should her sister's death occur then, as was expected. A message announcing the death was sent to another sister, Theresa, for her care alone, who was at Mrs. Hedian's house. She made an outcry of grief on receiving the message, which Miss Rose in her room up stairs heard, and coming down, insisted upon being told. She began to sink at once, and at 6.30 o'clock P. M., she expired.

WINNING A BET.—Last week Mr. Milburn of Crumpton went to Church Hill, and like all horse men, soon commenced to talk horse and the relative advantage of short traces over long ones. Finally somebody said a horse could not pull a sack of salt over a mark in the road if the horse was hitched to a trace 150 yards long. Mr. Milburn didn't agree to that, and offered to bet $10 that he could pull a sack of wheat over a mark with a rope a hundred yards long. The bet was quickly taken and arrangements all made. Without any great exertion Mr. Milburn accomplished the feat, pocketed the $10 and is now looking for the next fellow who wants to bet his money on short traces being better than long ones.—*Cent. Observer.*

HORSE DROWNED IN A WELL.—On Saturday night last, a valuable farm horse, belonging to Mr. Robert Reeves, residing near Queenstown, fell down the well at the barn and was drowned before he could be gotten out. It is supposed that the horse was kicking at another horse and when he made his jump back and kicked, that his hind parts came down in the well—which was an open one boarded up about 3 feet above ground.—*Queenstown News.*

THE very warm weather of this fall caused several varieties of small fruits to bear a second crop. A few days ago three crates of strawberries were shipped from Wicomico county, and some were sold in Salisbury. Considerable quantities of raspberries have been picked.

JAMES WORMLEY, proprietor of Wormley's Hotel, Washington, died from the effects of a surgical operation in Boston on Saturday.

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

WHEAT—Longberry 92c @ $ 95; Fultz 82c. @85c. for fair to good. CORN—White, prime 58@60; yellow, 54@57. OATS—Maryland, 33.

CARRIAGES FOR SALE.

ONE PHAETON, one BREWSTER SIDE BAR, and one SIDE-SPRING SIDE BAR, will be sold very cheap for cash, and must be disposed of by the 15th of November.

M. K. BALCOME,
Armstrong's Hotel, Chestertown,
oc11-3t* Agt. for Babcock Buggy Co.

MONEY to LOAN.

Large or small sums, on good farms in this county for 5 years or shorter periods. Interest 6 per cent. THOMAS HILL,
s13-3m. Fayette & St. Paul sts., Balto., Md.

USE the GREAT REMEDY
For COUGHS and COLDS:
LEARY'S Herbatine COUGH SYRUP.
oc18-3t* Price 25 and 50c.

Cook Stoves! Cook Stoves!

The largest assortment on hand we ever had, and selling lower than ever sold in Kent county.

THE EXCELSIOR

is one of the BEST COOK STOVES ever made, and hundreds are now in use in Kent county—not a single complaint. Price and sizes to suit every one.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Heating Stoves! Heating Stoves!

15 to 20 Different Kinds!
All Sizes and Prices!

Would like all to inspect our large assortment of Heaters, and be convinced that we are up with the times in *quality, beauty and low prices.*

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

THE NEW GOLDEN SUN
AND
GOLDEN SUN HEATERS

cheaper this year than ever before. Put up to heat one, two or three rooms. Call and examine and get prices.

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

FODDER YARN! FODDER YARN!

Five different kinds and the cheapest in the county, at

J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

Guns! Guns! Guns!

PISTOLS! PISTOLS! PISTOLS!

Sporting Apparatus and Ammunition, Breech Loading Shot Guns—Single and Double Barrels. Double and Single Muzzle-Loading Guns. Call and examine our stock of Guns and Prices.

oc26. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

LOOK AT THIS!

We are still in the market with a very superior lot of

White Ash Coal

of various sizes, which we are selling at very close figures. All in want will do well to give us a call and examine our STOCK and PRICES before buying.

WOOD! WOOD!

We keep constantly on hand a lot of Hickory, Oak and Pine Wood, either in lengths, or sawed and split to suit customers. Give us a call and be convinced that we can do for you as well as the best. Thankful for past favors we hope a continuance of public patronage.

J. B. McINTIRE.
oc25. Agent for T. DEC. RUTH.

Lankford! Lankford!

NEW MANAGEMENT! NEW GOODS!!

At Prices to Suit the Times!

Our stock is being daily increased and will include everything needed in a well kept store, and we guarantee to sell as cheap as can be had in the county.

Our Drug department will be in the hands of a competent Druggist.

By careful attention to business We hope to receive a share of public patronage. All kinds Produce taken and highest prices paid.

Resp'y,
oc18-3m. G. E. NOLAND.

PUBLIC SALE.

Intending to discontinue storekeeping I will sell my entire stock of Goods consisting of

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, TOBACCO, CIGARS, CLOTHING, NOTIONS, &c.

below cost. All goods MUST be sold by Dec. 31st, 1884, as I have to move from the store I now occupy.

Respectfully,
aug 30-4m. H. BAER,
Smithville.

Wanted!

100,000 BUSHELS
—OF—
WHEAT!

For the Wm. Lea & Sons' Co., Brandywine Mills, Wilmington, Delaware.

E. T. COMEGYS,
Locust Grove,
July 12-tf. Kent Co., Md.

Young Smuggler.

Record 2:29¼, Standard,

Will make a full season of two months from this date at $40 for the season. Persons wishing to breed to him this fall will please call on J. A. RUSSELL, Chestertown, who has him in charge, also, his pedigree. In settlement the cash or a note payable at Kent National Bank will be required at ninety days from first service of the horse. He will be limited to 30 mares.

oc11-1m. Very resp'y, J. W. HINES.

ORGANS AND PIANOS!

Buy the world wide renowned WATERS new scale PIANOS. Also, Orchestral Chime ORGANS. They excel in elaborate style of cases, brilliancy of tone, &c.; a joy forever; fully warranted for 6 years; pay's terms. Address

WM. K. JUDEFIND & CO.,
Gen'l Agts., Edesville, Md.

CORSETS.

We keep for sale the three celebrated makes of CORSETS—Madame Strong's, Dr. Ball's and Dr. Warner's health corsets.

oc11-4t. J. B. BURCHINAL.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY
for the right person.

Store to rent and whole or part of stock for sale. Full particulars.

Inquire N. M. MARCUSE,
Fairlee P. O.,
or Brannocksburg, (formerly Sandy Bottom.)
oc11-3t.*

FOR RENT—
A BLACKSMITH SHOP
and TOOLS, at Stanley, Kent county, Md. Possession given at once.

Apply to E. E. HARDING,
oc18-3t* Still Pond, Md.

WANTED—A MAN to take charge of a Drug Store. For particulars apply to

G. E. NOLAND,
oc18-3t. Lankford.

DR TEACKLE:
STATE VACCINE AGENT,
oc18-3t. 128 Park ave., Baltimore, Md.

Flour, Flour, Flour,
—AND—
Feed! Feed! Feed!

The undersigned having opened

A FLOUR AND FEED STORE

at the old stand oppposite Mr. S. Vannort's new residence, would respectfully call the attention of all purchasers of FLOUR and FEED to the fact that he will keep a full supply of the following:

FLOUR, (the Wm. Lea & Son's and other brands,)
CORN, (shelled and on the cob.)
MIDDLINGS, SHIP, MEAL,
BRAN, CHOPS, BALED HAY,
OATS, &c., &c.

Give me a trial and you will be fully convinced that I am doing business on square business principles, and that I am ahead of the town on low prices.

oc25-tf. L. B. RUSSELL.

—WANTED—

ANY NUMBER of Good Customers

To purchase the Large Stock of

Gum and Leather Goods

now in stock and constantly arriving at

JAMES A. SHAW'S,

on Court street in Chestertown. The stock consists of

BOOTS AND SHOES

for gentlemen and ladies of almost every description. GUM BOOTS for gentlemen and ladies.

GUM SHOES and ARCTICS.

We also keep GROCERIES, CIGARS and TOBACCO, but

SHOE BUSINESS

is our specialty, and though we don't profess to be away ahead of everybody else, we do profess to be able to sell you as good an article of any kind in our line for as little money as can be bought at any place on this Shore.

oc18. JAS. A. SHAW.

C. B. LAMB & BRO.,
FAIRLEE.

NEW STORE under Grange Hall!

A year ago we promised the public to sell them goods as cheap or cheaper than they could be bought in the county and we are still of the same determination. Our patronage has been such as to encourage us to still greater efforts to be attentive to business. Our stock is being daily increased and consists of EVERYTHING NEEDED for a full-stocked and well-kept STORE.

Our Farming Implement Department

is now being filled with all the different kinds of fixtures, &c., needed for Fall use. We are also agents for the

Equitable Fertilizing Company's

STANDARD BRANDS,

also other RELIABLE BRANDS.

All kinds of PRODUCE taken at the *Highest Market Price*, or in exchange for Goods.

Aug30-tf. C. B. LAMB & BRO.

Corn Hoes! Corn Hoes!

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT

Are still making the BEST

CAST STEEL CORN HOE

IN THE MARKET.

They are made lighter and beveled on the bottom so they will cut easy, and are more handy to grind.

We are selling them cheaper than ever. Be sure to buy them; they cut corn stubble out of the way of Drill and Reaper.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

Sept. 6.

LIGHT! LIGHT!

THE CASPERSON
ELECTRIC LAMP,
For Sale only by
H. A. SPARKS,
opposite the Court House,

is the best Light on earth except the Electric. One of these lamps will give you a light equal to 50 candles, or 4 No. 2 burners. Will not smoke, or break chimneys, is absolutely a safe lamp and easily kept in order. For Churches, Halls, Store-rooms, or any place where a strong light is needed it is

THE BEST LAMP

ever invented.

Every Lamp guaranteed to do all we claim for it. Can be seen at my store (between J. K. Aldridge and T. W. Eliason, Jr.,) every evening. Come and see it and be convinced that the half has not been told.

Sept. 27. SPARKS',
opp. Court House.

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.

Compound Wine
—OF—
Peruvian Bark.

An efficient and agreeable preparation for the cure of chills. Especially recommended as a tonic during the bilious season. We have prepared this with great care, and believe it will do all that is claimed for it.

COLIN F. STAM,
Aug. 9-tf. Druggist.

A GOOD BUSINESS STAND
At Private Sale!
—IN THE—
Thriving Village of Fairlee.

THE owner intending to discontinue Butchering, desires to sell his property consisting of a

HOUSE AND LOT OF LAND

in the village of Fairlee, Kent county, Maryland. The Dwelling is a Two-Story Frame Dwelling, with Storehouse attached, 38 feet long. The Out-Buildings are Stable, Carriage, Slaughter and Ice Houses in good repair. There is a pump of excellent water in the yard and all kinds of fruits ample for family use.

This property is one of the best stands in the county for a Butcher, and will be sold LOW and ON EASY TERMS. Apply to the owner on the premises. JAMES C. DOWLING,
or HOPE H. BARROLL,
oc11-3t. his attorney.

LUMBER.

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.

AYER'S
Hair Vigor

restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray hair to a natural, rich brown color, or deep black, as may be desired. Its use light or red hair may be darkened, thin hair thickened, and baldness often, though not always, cured.

It checks falling of the hair, and stimulates a weak and sickly growth to vigor. It prevents and cures scurf and dandruff, and heals nearly every disease peculiar to the scalp. As a Ladies' Hair Dressing, the VIGOR is unequalled; it contains neither oil nor dye, renders the hair soft, glossy, and silken in appearance, and imparts a delicate, agreeable, and lasting perfume.

MR. C. P. BRICHER writes from *Kirby, O., July 3, 1882*: "Last fall my hair commenced falling out, and in a short time I became nearly bald. I used part of a bottle of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, which stopped the falling of the hair, and started a new growth. I have now a full head of hair growing vigorously, and am convinced that but for the use of your preparation I should have been entirely bald."

J. W. BOWEN, proprietor of the *McArthur (Ohio) Enquirer*, says: "AYER'S HAIR VIGOR is a most excellent preparation for the hair. I speak of it from my own experience. Its use promotes the growth of new hair, and makes it glossy and soft. The VIGOR is also a sure cure for dandruff. Not within my knowledge has the preparation ever failed to give entire satisfaction."

MR. ANGUS FAIRBAIRN, leader of the celebrated "Fairbairn Family" of Scottish Vocalists, writes from *Boston, Mass., Feb. 6, 1880*: "Ever since my hair began to give silvery evidence of the change which fleeting time procureth, I have used AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, and so have been able to maintain an appearance of youthfulness—a matter of considerable consequence to ministers, orators, actors, and in fact every one who lives in the eyes of the public."

MRS. O. A. PRESCOTT, writing from *18 Elm St., Charlestown, Mass., April 14, 1882*, says: "Two years ago about two-thirds of my hair came off. It thinned very rapidly, and I was fast growing bald. On using AYER'S HAIR VIGOR the falling stopped and a new growth commenced, and in about a month my head was completely covered with short hair. It has continued to grow, and is now as good as before it fell. I regularly used but one bottle of the VIGOR, but now use it occasionally as a dressing."

We have hundreds of similar testimonials to the efficacy of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR. It needs but a trial to convince the most skeptical of its value.

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Carriages of every style. Phaetons, Buggies, Family Carriages, Light Wagons, &c., to suit every one. For style, painting, durability, &c., unequalled. Descriptive circulars free; terms easy. We know of no vehicle made for the price, worthy of comparison.

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We now have for sale that wonderful MEDICATED RED FLANNEL, said to keep away chills. Also, MALLALIEU'S heavy White Flannels.

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HARDWARE!

Having purchased of Mr. J. R. Clements his stock of

HARDWARE, STOVES,
TINWARE, &c.,

and added thereto by recent purchases in the city, I shall continue the same business at the old stand adjoining the Kent National Bank, and hope to have the support of our former friends and the public generally.

We will keep constantly on hand a complete line of Hardware, Stoves, &c., and sell at lowest prices.

GIVE ME A CALL.
W. A. WHEATLEY,

FRUIT CANS

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All kinds of TIN WORK

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All Tin work guaranteed to give satisfaction W. A. WHEATLEY.

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CHURNS, Butter Paddles, Buckets, Tubs, Wash Boards, Wood Bowls, Butter Prints, &c., for sale by

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—AT—
J. H. SIMPERS',
CHESTERTOWN.

FULL line Domestic Dry Goods, Muslins all widths, some as low as 4 cts. per yard, Canton Flannels from 6c. per yard up. Red, white and gray Flannels. Dress Cloths, Cassimeres, Kerseys, Tickings, Calicoes, Ginghams, Velveteens.

LARGE assortment of Notions, Hosiery all grades and prices, Gloves, Corsets, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Towels, Ladies' and Children's Vests, Gent's Undershirts from 25c. to $2.00, Skirts, Shawls, Nubias, Toilet Soaps, Combs, Brushes, Perfumery, &c.

WE make a specialty of BOOTS and SHOES and have a larger and better stock than ever before of Men's and Boy's Winter Boots, Gent's, Boy's, Ladies', Misses and Children's Button and Lace Shoes, for fall and winter, at prices that will compare favorably with the lowest to be found

WE have also just opened a nice assortment of new styles, Fur and Wool, fall and winter Hats for Men and Boys.

INGRAIN CARPETS at 25, 37½, 50 and 75 cents per yard, also a good article of Jute Carpet, more desirable than Rag. Floor and Table Oil Cloths.

WE have in stock a general assortment of Queensware, Glassware, Lamp Goods and Groceries, all at lowest prices.

WE have added largely to our stock and are prepared and will sell at the most reasonable prices. Country produce taken in exchange for goods.

Oct. 4—1884. J. H. SIMPERS.

CLOSING OUT

Carriages! Carriages!

I will discontinue business in Chestertown at the end of the year, and am now offering GREAT BARGAINS in all stock on hand. I have

THIRTY WAGONS,

Top Buggies,
Jump Seats,
and Rockaways,

which I will sell lower than such vehicles have ever been sold in Kent Co.

A time note will be taken if desired, but great inducements offered for cash.

Those in want should call at once as my whole stock must soon be disposed of at the prices I am asking.

GEO. E. LAMBERT,
s20. opposite M. P. Church, Chestertown.

SPECIAL NOTICE!
—AND—
Don't You Forget It!

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

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

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

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

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

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

All kinds of repairing promptly done and at short notice. Returning thanks for past favors, I am, respectfully, yours, &c.,

JOHN F. HOWARD,
mh15. Court Street.

"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, Deviled 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.

SHERIFF'S
Election Notice.

To the Judges of Election and Voters of Kent County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Judges of Election and the Voters of Kent county, that an ELECTION WILL BE HELD on

TUESDAY,
the 4th day of Novemb'r, 1884,

at the usual places of voting in the several Election Districts of said County, that is—

For District No. 1, at Masseys;
" " No. 2, at Kennedyville;
" " No. 3, at Smithville;
" " No. 4, 1st Precinct, Chestertown; 2d Precinct, Pomona.
" " No. 5, at Edesville.

And the Election so to be held is for the purpose of choosing the following officers, viz:

One Person to represent the First Congressional District of Maryland in the 49th Congress of the United States.

Two Electors at Large of President and Vice-President of the United States, for the State of Maryland.

Six Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States for the Six Congressional Districts of Maryland.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and closed at 6 o'clock P. M.

The returning Judges are required and directed to make their return on the second day, (Thursday), following the election to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and also to the Governor of Maryland.

JOHN W. PARSONS,
Oct. 11—te. SHERIFF.

NOTICE

FORBIDDING THE SALE OR GIVING AWAY OF LIQUOR ON ELECTION DAY.

For the information of all persons concerned, the following Act of the Legislature, passed March 24, 1875, is published:

CHAPTER 191.

AN ACT prohibiting the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors in the several counties in the State on the day of Election.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store, drinking establishment, or other place where liquors are sold, *or for any person or persons* directly or indirectly to sell, barter, give, or dispose of any spirituous or fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks of any kind, on the day of election hereafter to be held in the several counties of the State.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That any person violating the provisions of this act shall be liable to indictment by the Grand Jury of the county where the offense is committed, and shall, upon conviction before any Judge of