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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....Dec. 20, 1884.

LETTER FROM FAIRLEE.

The Silken Cord — The Meeting—Christmas.

Thursday evening, 12th inst., was a red letter day in our quiet community. I think I may say that never before in the history of this village were so many persons gathered within its limits. The attraction was twofold. The annual election of the officers of Fairlee Grange took place at 2 o'clock P. M. and a deeply interesting religious meeting at the church at the same hour.

But the chief point of interest was the marriage at 7 o'clock P. M. of Mr. Paul Jones and Miss Naomi Kendall, youngest daughter of Bro. James Kendall and his wife, Eliza. Words are inadequate to express the interest manifested in the bridal party. The house was packed; every available seat being occupied and every foot of space in demand for standing room. It was an ovation to the popular groom and his charming bride, and a tribute, at least in some degree, to her excellent parents. The ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. E. C. Macnichol. The ushers were A. M. Kendall and Edw. Jones, brothers of the bride and groom respectively, and Mrs. Edw. Jones presided at the organ, accompanied by Mr. John Redue on the Kent horn and Master Redue on the flageolet. The bride was tastily dressed in a garnet silk trimmed with embossed velvet and the groom in the conventional black.

The protracted religious services at Salem Church closed on Tuesday evening. Fifty conversions were reported, and the membership of the church nearly doubled. The best effect of the work however, it seems to me, is in the widespread feeling throughout the community of a personal interest in the great salvation and in its prospective results.

The sermons on Tuesday by Pastors Conaway, of Rock Hall, in the morning, and Barret, of Still Pond, in the afternoon, were most appropriate and excellent. The parting of Sister Smith with the young converts was deeply affecting.

Our merchants are busy with Christmas preparation and the little folk are on the tip-toe of expectancy for Santa Claus. May none of them be disappointed. In the meantime, Messrs. Editors, you and your good-natured readers have the best wishes for a "merry Christmas and a happy New Year" from your old correspondent,

SIMON SHARP.

Offices to be Filled by Mr. Cleveland.

From the New York Sun.

What offices can the new President fill? How far is his power limited by the Civil Service act? These are the questions which now agitate the minds of all politicians.

To begin with, the President makes all important appointments with the advice and consent of the Senate. He appoints the officers of his own household—a private secretary, an assistant secretary, two executive clerks, a steward and a messenger. The President's private secretary receives only $3,500 a year; but from its nearness to the Chief Executive the office is considered a post of some importance. Under the present Administration its functions have been agreeably discharged by Mr. Fred Philips.

The seven Cabinet officers or heads of department are the most important offices in the gift of the President. The Assistant Secretaries and the heads of various bureaus in the departments are also appointed by him. Such heads of bureaus are, for instance, in the Treasury Department, the Treasurer of the United States, the Commissioner of Customs, the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, the Register of the Treasury; and in the Department of the Interior, the Commissioner of the General Land Office, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, the Commissioner of Pensions, the Commissioner of Patents, and the Commissioner of Education. The President appoints the First and Second Comptrollers and the six Auditors in the Treasury Department; and in the Department of Justice, besides its head—the Attorney-General—he appoints a Solicitor-General, three Assistant Attorney-Generals, four other Solicitors, and an Examiner of Claims.

The Department of Agriculture is of comparatively recent creation and its head, a Commissioner, is appointed by the President; but he has no seat in the Cabinet.

The Federal Judges, unless they resign or are impeached, hold office for life. It, therefore, may fall to the lot of a President to appoint many or few, as vacancies may chance to occur. In the Supreme Court of the United States, during the course of Mr. Cleveland's Administration, three or four of the Justices will become eligible to retirement should they so desire; but there is no enforced superannuation in that court. The District Attorneys and Marshals for the various Federal districts into which the Union is divided are appointed by the President. A United States District Attorney is appointed for four years, or until the Senate shall approve his successor.

In the diplomatic and consular service there will, in all probability, be a complete change, for all such appointments, from envoys extraordinary to consuls and interpreters, are in the gift of the incoming Executive. Some offices of importance connected with the public lands will be filled by Mr. Cleveland. Thus, he can appoint a Surveyor-General each for Louisiana, Florida, Minnesota, Kansas, California, Nevada, Oregon, Nebraska and Iowa, Dakota, Colorado, New Mexico, Idaho, Washington, Montana, Utah, Wyoming, Arizona, and also a register of the Land Office for each land district, such districts only existing where one hundred thousand acres of Government land remains unsold.

Thousands of persons are employed in the departments at Washington, but the great mass of Federal officials are employed either in the collection of customs, duties, or in the postal service. It is said that there are some fifty thousand Postmasters in the United States, and that about as many individuals are officers of the customs or internal revenue. The Postmasters in our cities, the Collectors, Naval Officers, Surveyors and Appraisers in our great ports of entry hold places of remunerative salary, which are eagerly sought at the beginning of every new Administration. All Postmasters, except those of the fourth and fifth class, all Collectors of the customs and of internal revenue, and all the other principal officers of customs are appointed by the President. The Civil Service act has nothing to do with them.

And now that we have seen what offices Mr. Cleveland can fill, let us consider how he is restricted by the Civil Service act. It provides for the classification of certain clerks employed in the departments, in the customs, or in the postoffices, and for the examination of applicants for such offices. It is claimed that under its existing interpretations about fourteen thousand clerks—the most important of whom receive $1,800 per annum—are secure in their tenure of office, and cannot be affected by a change of Administration. Accepting this statement as correct, the fact remains that the great army of officeholders intrenched throughout the United States can be turned out next March, and their places can be filled either by the President himself or by those who will owe their own offices to him. There are about fourteen thousand officeholders whom the Civil Service acts makes independent of the President's power; but about ninety thousand still remain subject to it.

OYSTER CULTIVATION.—The Philadelphia *Inquirer*, in commenting on the raising of oysters in Maryland waters, says it is becoming a profitable investment for Northern capital. It further says: "A syndicate of gentlemen of this city has just purchased 200 acres of valuable oyster planting ground in Pocomoke bay, a short distance from Crisfield, on the Chesapeake, one of the greatest oyster points in the country. The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad, which was recently opened for traffic, is within easy distance of the grounds, affording excellent facilities for quick transportation to the markets of Northern cities. Among those interested in the project are A. M. White, of this city, and ex-United States Senator Crisfield, of Maryland. The purpose is to raise the luscious bivalves on extensive scale for export as well as for domestic trade. It is claimed that the seed oysters can be planted in the Pocomoke for from five to ten cents a bushel, and taken out in two or three years and sold at from 60 cents to $1 a bushel. For a long time Baltimore has had a monopoly of the business. For the past few years the trade has been increasing very rapidly, and where one oyster was formerly taken out of the water ten are eaten now."

STATIONERY!

IN PLAIN AND PLUSH BOXES.

d13. CORNER DRUG STORE.

Florentine Statuary!

All the way from Milwaukee. These Goods are very fine and will bear comparison with the celebrated Rogers' goods. You can have them at half price.

COLIN F. STAM, Druggist.

d13.

GOULD INTERVIEWED.

How he Attributes the Depression in Trade.

The New York *World* publishes an interview with Mr. Jay Gould. Being inquired of why the business world is so much depressed, Mr. Gould responded:

"For various reasons. One is that we pass through just such periodical depressions at least every ten years. At such times it is to be expected that stocks will go below their normal value. Then Wall street wakes up to a famine in stocks, starts a bull movement and carries them just so far the other way. I think the indications are that we are now down to hard pan. The railroads are not making a good showing, because the war has been the means of reducing the rates to such a figure that the competing lines are compelled to do business at less than the cost of operation. Again, the reason about the period of a presidential election is always one of despondency. The prospects of a change of administration cause a great many enterprises to hesitate. Business men are uncertain as to the policy of any incoming administration and they fear to make ventures. This feeling of apprehension, I believe however, is passing away. The fears of a change in the tariff system also seem to be growing less marked, because labor is settling down to European prices. Again, the beginning of a new year is almost upon us. At such a time business firms desire to call a halt and take an inventory of their stock and start in afresh."

"Do you believe that the outlook for business is an encouraging one?"

"Most certainly I do. I believe that after the first of January we shall begin a new era. I think that the year 1885 will be a money-making year. The balance of the trade of the world is now in our favor. Foreign nations are buying of us more than we are buying of them. They are paying us the difference in hard gold coin. Millions of this reaches us on every incoming steamer."

"But why then is money a drug in Wall street?"

"It is not because there is no legitimate amount of business. It is because business is being done on a lower basis. It now requires a less amount of money to buy and sell the same amount of stock, because it is so cheap. Another reason why money is so easy is that securities, which have been paid for by outside investors, have been removed from the street. They are not, therefore, carried on margins as usual."

"Do you not think that the advent of the new administration will furnish further encouragement to the business world?"

"I believe that the administration of President Cleveland will be careful, sound and conservative. He has given us an excellent administration in this State, and I believe he will make us a good President. Now that labor is settling down to a lower basis, I do not know but that it is just as well that the democrats were victorious."

Dr. Bates at the Centennial.

Rev. L. W. Bates, D. D., of Centreville, chairman of the delegation appointed to convey the fraternal greeting and congratulations of the M. P. Church to the Methodist Episcopal Centennial in session in Baltimore, appeared before that body with his committee last Thursday week. In the course of his remarks he said:

"In response to your fraternal and Christian invitation we come to bear you a brotherly greeting from the Methodist Protestant Church, and I take pleasure in saying that we note with great interest all your legislative acts. While solicitous for Protestant Christianity everywhere and in every form, it is not unnatural that we feel a special interest in every form of Methodism. We bid you God speed in your most holy faith. Methodism has undergone many changes in my recollection. Some of these have been for better and some for worse, but they are as familiar to you as to me. It is useless for me, in this presence, to say what Episcopal Methodism has accomplished, so I will confine myself to my own church. From our first conference in 1828, when we had but thirty-nine ministers, we have increased to 1340 itinerants, with a corresponding number of unstationed ministers. From a few hundred members we have increased to 125,000." Dr. Bates then detailed the progress of the Methodist Protestant Church.

"This gratifying increase," he continued, "has been made in a territory already preoccupied. We have not drawn any important number from other churches, and we think that by a fair return of converts we should now number not less than four hundred thousand. Allow me to say on my own responsibility that it is almost impossible for any man to come here with fraternal greetings from other branches of Methodism without thinking of the tremendous power for good there is represented here if we showed an unbroken front in every State or territory of the nation. In 1874 I held a most agreeable interview with the Board of Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Bishop Ames asked me what effect the concession of the right of appeal to elders from appointments, without conceding it to deacons and licentiates, would have on my people, and I said that such a concession would make a most profound impression on them. When asked what I thought would be necessary for union, I said it was a joint convention, where each branch had joint authority. I will present a prediction of Nicholas Snethem—Asbury's silver trumpet: 'The point of controversy,' he said, 'is reduced to a unit; it is pure, unmixed question of representation.' I predict now that the union of American Methodists is a foregone conclusion. We claim the credit for your lay delegation, and when union comes we shall claim the credit for that also."

Holiday Goods!

NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON!

Presents! Presents! Presents!

IN GREAT VARIETY AT

M. A. TOULSON'S

NEW DRUG STORE.

Bisque Figures ranging in price from $1.50 to $3.50. Hand-painted Placques on Plush.

ALBUMS—Large assortment in plush and leather.

SCRAP BOOKS, Writing Desks, Inks, &c.

PERFUMERY in unique cut-glass bottles, French, American and German.

PAPER IN BOXES to suit the most fastidious.

BOOKS. BOOKS. BOOKS.

CHATTER BOXES, several kinds; Juvenile publications of all kinds and prices.

PRANGS CHRISTMAS CARDS.

We have selected these goods with great care and at bottom prices. We cordially invite the entire community to call and examine our complete line. No trouble to show goods.

Very respectfully, M. A. TOULSON,

Dec. 20. New Drug Store, Bordley's Corner.

Books for Children.

Choicest selections from English and American Authors. The low price will astonish you at STAM'S,

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A GREAT VARIETY!!

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Silverware!

AN EXTRA FINE SUPPLY OF THE BEST QUALITY AT

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GUNS!—Muzzle & Breech loaders, Shot, Powder, Wads, Shells, &c., for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY,

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I HAVE MANY BEAUTIFUL AND APPROPRIATE ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR BOTH OLD AND YOUNG.

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Very beautiful Lamps, will give as much light as any made.

Moustache and Ladies' Tea Cups and Saucers, bought from New York Importers at rock bottom prices.

LOUIS K. STAM.

FULL LINE OF

FURNITURE!

AT VERY LOW CASH PRICES

LOUIS K. STAM.

Do You Know?

FROM the slow manner in which the TAXES are coming in I fear that the tax-payers are not generally posted as to the necessities of the case. On the first day of January all levies in my hands are due, and to meet them all taxes must be paid on or before that date. Those who fail to pay by that time will do me great injustice and themselves discredit. Please attend to this at once, and let me have the money.

You can find me at my house. In Christmas week I will be at Kennedyville on Friday, 26th; Still Pond, Saturday; Chestertville Monday; Chestertown Tuesday, and Lynch's Wednesday.

SAMUEL COMEGYS,

d6-4t. [T] Coll. 2d Dist.

I Must Settle!

If YOU Do Not then Where Am I?

ON the FIRST day of January all the levies in my hands are due and I must pay them. It will not suffice for me to say that Farmers have not sold their wheat, or that corn is too low to sell, and taxes have not been paid in consequence. The money will be expected—apologies will not relieve me, but I will be held accountable for any default.

Therefore, take notice, tax-payers MUST PAY ME on or before the FIRST OF JANUARY, or I must proceed by law to enforce payment. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Respectfully, GEO. S. BIDDLE,

d13-3t. Coll. 4th Dist.

Notice to Tax-Payers of 3d District.

THE tax books for the Third District are now in my hands and the bill of each individual tax-payer is ready for settlement. I hope that payment will be made promptly, thereby saving me the disagreeable duty of resorting to legal measures.

The law explicitly requires that I shall proceed WITHIN THIRTY DAYS from the date of receiving the books to collect, so that I have no option in the matter.

I may be found at Worton Station every Tuesday afternoon and at the court-house in Chestertown on Saturdays.

Respectfully, JAMES S. GEMMILL,

a16-tf. Coll. 3d Dist.

Christmas is Coming!

—AND—

SPARKS

Is on hand with the GRANDEST DISPLAY OF HOLIDAY GOODS ever offered to the citizens of Kent county!

☞ We can only give you some of our leading articles. We would call special attention to our line of

TRIPLE PLATED WARE!

consisting of Dinner and Breakfast Casters, Cake Baskets, Pickle Jars, Card Receivers, Napkin Rings, Flower Vases, Butter Dishes, &c.

IN PLUSH GOODS we belive we have the best stock in town. Albums, Whisk Holders, Frames, Satchels, Work Boxes, Perfume Stands, Pocket Books, &c.

IN LAMPS we can show the handsomest designs ever brought to this county by any dealer, and our Electris Lamp is the best ever made for light and safety. Call in and take a look at them.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

A fine stock of cheap and also finer goods than can be found in Kent county. Magic Lanterns, Mechanical Toys, Games, Tea Sets, &c.

VASES, Toilette Sets, Work Boxes, Mustache Cups, Cigar Stands, Ink Stands, &c,

Confectionery,

Fruits and Nuts of all kinds. Fine Oil Paintings and Chromos very cheap, China Tea Sets very low. The finest stock of Fine Glassware in town.

MUSIC BOXES from $1 50 to $60 00, and a variety of other goods which we shall be pleased to have you call and inspect before making your selections. We can suit you.

Respectfully, **H. A. SPARK'S.**

d13, 1884. oppo. the Court House.

RAISINS, CURRANTS, Citron, Beans, Hominy, Buckwheat, Mince Meat, and Pine Apple Cider, just received and for sale by THOMPSON,

n15. up town.

A LADY — Mrs. Reese, of N. Calvert street — was knocked down and robbed in Harlem square, Baltimore, last Monday night about 6 o'clock.

THE Cecil county grand jury have presented the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for obstructing the public road leading from Principio to Woodlawn.

FOR good fare and home-like comforts the "Maltby House," of Baltimore, is unsurpassed, and the terms are surprisingly low.

CHICAGO has now 647 divorce suits pending, but that is surpassed by Philadelphia, which has 718 before her courts.

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

WHEAT—Longberry 90c.@92c.; Fultz 82c.@84c. for fair to good. CORN—White, prime 46@47; yellow, 48@50. OATS—Maryland, 32.

FOR RENT— for the year '85 CHESAPEAKE HOUSE, a good summer boarding house, eligibly situated for business, and TWO SMALL DWELLING HOUSES, all at Betterton.

d6-tf. R. T. TURNER.

WANTED—a Tenant for SMALL HOUSE near Galena, suitable for moderate sized family. Apply at once to JOSEPH P. IRELAND,

Nov. 15—tf. Galena, Md.

LOAN WANTED.—I want to borrow $1000 to invest in a safe, legitimate and established business, for which I will give several notes properly secured, payable at different periods. Address BUSINESS,

d6-3t* Lynch's P. O., Kent co., Md.

WANTED— A respectable and competent White WOMAN, to cook, wash and iron for a young man commencing farming. Apply to MRS. MARY A. WILMER,

d6-3t. Chestertown.

BRONZE GOBBLERS FOR SALE CHEAP if taken now. R. A. WALLIS,

d6-3t* Chestertown.

50,000 LBS. of POULTRY WANTED, for which the highest cash price will be paid. F. S. BOTTOMLEY,

dc6-1m. Millington, Md.

READ!

Two weeks more and the festive season will be here. The interchange of gifts is a beautiful custom. Many homes are made happy at a very trifling expense. Remember we, at the

Corner Drug Store,

have a large and varied assortment of Goods, which we want you to examine. We have made prices very low to meet the hard times. An invitation to all is extended. COLIN F. STAM.

d13. Druggist.

Absolute Safety!

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IT IS A GREAT COMFORT TO THE

SHOE BUYER

To Have a HOUSE TO DEAL WITH that HE CAN RELY ON—FIRST, LAST AND ALL THE TIME.

We are reaping the benefit of this.

Ladies' Shoes	$1 to $6
Mens' "	1 to 7
Boys' "	1 to 5
Youths' "	75c. to 3.50
Infants and Children's	35c. to $2.25
Men's CALF BOOTS	$2 to $7
Men's Kip Boots	$1 75 to $4 00

The BEST $2.50 BOOT

in the market. All kinds of

Rubber Boots and Shoes,

the very best makes. Also an Over-Shoe, which is neat and dressy for Ladies & Gentlemen, very cheap.

SLIPPERS! SLIPPERS!

There is nothing better for a Christmas Present. Look at our styles in our south window. We buy them direct from the manufacturer and save you one profit. CORK SOLES with Lamb's Wool facean d leather backs for crocheted Slippers.

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is the place to buy Boots and Shoes as we make that business our study, and our aim is to please everybody.

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M. T. GOSLEE,

Next Door to the Bank,

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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.

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

Respectfully, G. E. NOLAND.

oc18-3m.

DWELLING HOUSE

IN CHESTERTOWN

At PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned, by order of the Orphans' Court of Kent County, will offer at Public Sale at the Court House door, in Chestertown,

On SATURDAY, Dec. 20, 1884,

at 2 o'clock P. M., the

HOUSE and PREMISES,

the property of the late Margaret Leatherbery. The house is a TWO-STORY with back building, fronts 16 feet on Cannon street, below Mill street, with depth of 60 feet and right of alleyway of two feet.

TERMS:—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale; the balance in equal installments payable in six and twelve months, with interest from the 1st day of January, 1885, when possession will be given.

W. N. E. WICKES,

Exec'r Margaret Leatherberry, dec'd

dc6-tds.

Public Sale

—OF A—

PHOSPHATE FACTORY

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from J. Frank Connelly and Thomas G. DeFord, trading as Connelly & DeFord, to The Chester Loan Association of Kent county, dated August 7, 1883, and recorded among the land records of Kent county in Liber S. B., No. 4, folio 465, &c., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, at the Court House door, in Chestertown,

On TUESDAY, December 30, 1884,

AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M.,

THE LEASEHOLD INTEREST of the said Connelly & DeFord,

of, in and to all that

LOT OF LAND,

situate on the southwest side of the public road leading from Chestertown to the Straw Board Mills, and nearly opposite the Railroad depot.

The said Lot of Land was leased to the said Connelly & DeFord by John N. Usilton, for a term of seven years, from the seventh day of August, 1883, at an annual rent of $50, payable July 1st in each and every year, with the privilege at the expiration of said term, to the said Connelly & Deford and their assigns to remove the buildings now, or which may be hereafter erected.

The Improvements

on the said Lot consist of a LARGE

Phosphate Factory

60 by 70 feet,

with Engine and Boiler rooms attached, also a TWO-STORY BUILDING 16x16, containing an office &c. Also, an inclosed shed for storing phosphate material.

It is eligibly located, and a large and successful Phosphate Manufactory or Fruit Evaporating business might be conducted there.

THE TERMS of Sale are cash on the day of sale or on the final ratification of the sale, at the option of the attorney, with bond and approved security, the purchase to bear interest from the day of sale.

MARION DEK. SMITH, Att'y named in the Mortgage.

dc6-tds.

AUCTION! AUCTION!

THE undersigned respectfully calls the attention of the citizens in the vicinity of Smithville to the fact that he will sell at Auction

EVERY SATURDAY EVENING,

commencing at 6 o'clock sharp, all his goods consisting of

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, NOTIONS, &c.

These sales will take place without regard to the weather, as I must leave the place on the first of January next.

Respectfully, H. BAER,

dc6. Smithville

WINTER GOODS.

EMBRACING Heavy White and Colored Blankets, Kerseys, Kersey Pantaloons, Canton Flannels, Flannels, Dark, Plain Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Shawls, Quilts, are now offered for sale low at the close of the season.

by T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Gent's All Wool do, Ladies' Vests, Children's Vests, good quality at low prices. Call and see them

by T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS, Boy's do, Youth's do, at prices that will pay you to call and see them before buying elsewhere by T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

BARGAINS in Black Dress Silk and in Black and Colored Velvets

by T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

LADIES, Misses and Children's Shoes, from low grades to the best on this market. We think quality and price will suit you, call and see.

T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

A LARGE LINE of Gent's Heavy Shoes by T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

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Dec. 13, 1884. Chestertown.

CHILDREN'S

Christmas Goods

Just the thing to make the little ones happy around the home fireside. All the way in price from 1 cent to $2. Call and examine. COLIN F. STAM,

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Largest Carriage Factory in the World!

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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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y19-tf.

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OILS.

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THE BEST OF ALL!

WEST No. 1 Kerosene Oil 112° test. Lard, Whale and Sperm Oils, Axle Grease, Engine Machinery and Lubricating Oils, all kinds.

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Christmas Goods!

ALBUMS, AUTOGRAPH BOOKS, SCRAP BOOKS.

Plenty of them at very low prices.

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Christmas Goods!

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Low prices to meet the hard times.

COLIN F. STAM, Druggist.

d13.

Perfumes.

SWEET AS JUNE ROSES. THEIR FRAGRANCE WILL MAKE YOU HAPPY.

COLIN F. STAM.

d13.

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A SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION of the POCKET-BOOK!

Buy everything you need in the FLOUR and FEED line from

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and your savings will keep your pocket-book healthy. A full supply of the following on hand constantly:

FLOUR by the bbl., bag or pound.—Meal, Chop, Middlings, Ship Bran, Corn shelled and on cob. Wheat Screenings, Oats, Baled Hay. Just get our prices on Hay before purchasing;

BUCKWHEAT by lb. or bag.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry a specialty, Don't forget the place to save money is at L. B. RUSSELL'S Flour and Feed Depot, opp. Mr. S. Vannort's new residence.

Nov. 22, 1884.

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The Original 99c. Store!

The Greatest Variety of Useful and Ornamental Goods!

Fine Triple Plated Ware, Jewelry, Clocks, English and American Table Cutlery, Lamps, Birds Cages, Satchels, Bags, &c., Artificial Flowers, Albums, Jewel Cases, Dressing Cases, Brackets, &c., Picture Frames, Musical Instruments, Music Boxes, from $1 to $50, Accordions, Violins, Harmonicans, Etc., Toys, Doll Carriages, Wagons, Drums, Children's Chairs, Tables, Dishes, Etc., Etc. n29-4t.

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New and valuable property insured close to actual cost.

We refer to the following parties who are insured in this company:

Jas. A. Pearce, Esq. Mr. S. Vannort
H. W. Vickers " " Jos. Turner,
Mr. John F. Beeks " W. H. Stewart

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nov22-y. Chestertown, Md.

N. C. CROW,

On the Corner, up town!

(Adjoining Mrs. Gruber's.)

Goods as Cheap as the Cheapest!

Country Produce taken in exchange for goods or cash paid for them at highest market prices.

Constantly on hand

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES, And GROCERIES,

Glassware, China and Tinware, Bacon and Lard; Flour by the bbl., sack or lb. I am selling the celebrated Lea & Sons' Flour of Wilmington, Del.

I am selling three kinds GLASS JARS—Gem, Mason's Porcelain lined and tin-top. Also, Tin Cans, warranted not to leak. Patent wax string for sealing cans; also Cement. A large lot of Stone Jars from ½ gal. to 2 gal.; also Milk Crocks, all of which are cheap.

If you want good Chewing Tobacco go to CROW'S. If you want a good smoke try my Segars.

Come and see me and bring your produce and be convinced that you will get as much for your money as at any store in the county.

N. C. CROW,

a8. Up Town, adj. Bakery.

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,

W. REGISTER.

jy21-tf.

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, 6c. per bushel quick, 12c. per bushel.

oc15-tf. WM. PERKINS

CLOTHING!

WAY DOWN!

We sell GOODS at Smaller Profits than any other House on the Shore!

MEN'S CLOTHING:		Youth and Boy's Clothing:	
Good Suits	$4 00	Children's Suits from	$1 00 to $6 00
Better Suits	6 00	Boy's Suits from	$2 50 to $12 00
All Wool Suits	7 00	Youth's Suits	$3 50
Cassimere Suits from	$9 00 to $10 00	Better Youth's Suits	5 50
Fine French Cassimere Suits	$12 to $15	Youth's Cassimere Suits	$7 00 to $10 00
Fine Custom Made Suits	$18 to $22	" Fine Custom Made Suits	$12 to $20

Men's Overcoats $2 to $20.

Boy's and Youth's OVERCOATS $1 25 to $18 00.

WE GUARANTEE you can buy of us anything you may need in CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS and FURNISHING GOODS fully Twenty Per Cent Cheaper than from any store in Chestertown, or on the Shore. Come and see for yourself.

Respectfully, **A. FRIEDMAN,**

Nov. 8, 1884. Under the "KENT NEWS" Office, Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

New Goods!

AFTER a careful selection in the best houses of Philadelphia and Baltimore I have purchased for cash a full stock of DRESS PRINTS, CALICOES, GINGHAMS, and also a full Line of

BOOTS & SHOES,

which I will sell nearly at cost for cash, also selling the L. R. Brown CIGAR made in Pennsylvania, 2 for 5 cents, as good as others are selling for 5 cents.

SPICES and GROCERIES, a variety.

Call before purchasing elsewhere.

Respectfully, N. H. RASH,

no29-6t. Chesterville

—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.

Fairview Nurseries,

Established 1835.

200,000 PEACH TREES,

SELECT KINDS, ONE YEAR OLD.

10,000 Kieffer & LeConte Pear Trees

All kinds of Fruit Trees and Small Fruit Plants. Strawberry Plants and Osage Orange specialities.

Reference—L. F. Hepbron, Still Pond, Kent county, Md.

Price list free. Address JOHN PERKINS,

n1-4m. Moorestown, N. J.

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.

S. Bernei & Sons,

S. E. Corner Lexington & Eutaw Sts.,

BALTIMORE, Md.

Our own importation of SILKS, VELVETS and fine DRESS GOODS this fall will excel in richness and style any previous openings, and shall endeavor to please every customer that may favor us with a visit. Satisfaction guaranteed.

MR. CLARENCE DYOTT will be glad to wait on all parties who may favor him with a call. jy13-y.

LARD CANS! LARD CANS!

LARD PRESSES!

Sausage Stuffers, Meat Cutters, &c., for sale at bottom prices by WM. A. WHEATLEY,

n15. adjoining the Bank.

NEW STOCK!

FALL GOODS!

—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, Lump 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.

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 they can be bought in town.

WHEATLEY BROS.,

j14. Corner Store, Up Town.

AT BETTERTON

CAN BE FOUND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

DRY LUMBER,

BUILDERS' HARDWARE, IRON AGE CULTIVATORS, LIME and CEMENT, FINE and ROCK SALT, GAMBRILL'S FLOUR, SALT FISH, HARD AND SOFT COAL.

TURNER BROS.,

June 7, 1884. BETTERTON.

FOR SALE,

100,000 ft. of LUMBER

For Wheelwright material.

100,000 Feet of WHITE and RED OAK

Poplar, Walnut, Bridge Boards, Scantling, White Hickory of different thickness. WM. PERKINS,

apr26. "Rising Sun," Chestertown.

"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 reason