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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........MAY 23, 1885.

A Visit to Fairlee Grange.

Messrs. Editors:—I was honored by an invitation to attend one of the notable special meetings of Fairlee Grange on April 28. It was one of the most enjoyable occasions I ever attended. The humorous recitation by Mr. L. Alrich showed wonderful memory of such a conglomeration of words and delighted the audience, while that of Mr. Townsend Crew displayed a decided talent of oratory. The music was especially fine—"I'll Plant a Rose Beside Thy Grave" was rendered in excellent style by Mrs. Angelina Skirven, Mrs. Sparks and Messrs. Percy and Arthur Skirven; also, a solo by Mrs. Hulme was enjoyed by all. "The Grange Garner" was very interesting and instructive—we learned from the editor that every piece was original. Among the more interesting contributions was "Farmers' Wives;" also "Chronicles," which proved that by the untiring efforts of the ladies of the grange they had purchased a handsome and rich-toned organ. The "Garner" was read in a clear, round voice by Miss Ida Crew; we heard one remark, "Her papers are always good and read in a pleasing and expressive manner," and it certainly was on this occasion. The lecture kept us laughing; the presentation of the lamp was a success, while the whole was wit and humor of the highest style. A recitation by Miss Minnie Smith was enjoyed by all. The supper, for which this society is famous, certainly sustained its reputation; after which we left with kind wishes and pleasant memories for Fairlee Grange. KENT.

A Pleasant Evening.

Messrs. Editors:—At the hospitable residence of Mr. Joseph Rasin, near Lankford, there was quite an assemblage of young ladies and gentlemen, on the evening of the 15th inst., in answer to the summons of his eldest daughter, Anna. The house was lit up grandly and with the Chinese lanterns, presented a beautiful appearance. Dancing was commenced at 8 o'clock, the music being rendered by Mr. Jno. Hodgkin of Chestertown. The participants in the dance certainly did themselves justice on this occasion, executing some of the difficult waltzes and quadrilles with correctness and very graceful movements. At ten o'clock the attention of the company was called to the refreshments. The hostess had prepared a bountiful repast, consisting of the principal delicacies of the season; having partaken heartily of these, some resumed dancing, while others strolled around the lawn.

We will not attempt to describe any of the young ladies' costumes, but will say that all looked sweet. Having heard some say whom they thought the belle of the evening I will give her first initial—Miss E.

Dancing continued until about 1½ o'clock when after partaking of a second course of refreshments all departed feeling grateful to the kind host and hostess. ANON.

Temperance in Kent.

THE "ALLIANCE" DISSOLVED AND A NON-PARTISAN "LEAGUE" FORMED.

At the annual meeting of the Kent County Temperance Alliance held May 14 at Temperance Hall in Chestertown, a quorum being present, Rev. C. H. Baker took the chair and Wilbur Eliason was elected temporary secretary. After prayer by Rev. Dr. Bates the chair presented his annual report and then declared the alliance ready for business.

Mr. Janvier moved that the Kent Co. Temperance Alliance be dissolved; after debate by Bros. Bates, Janvier, York, Kemp and others the alliance by a unanimous vote passed the resolution and the organization was thereby dissolved. Immediately afterwards those present held an informal meeting electing Brother Baker as temporary chairman and W. Eliason as temporary secretary.

On motion of Bro. Janvier a Kent Co. Temperance League was organized to be thoroughly non-partisan.

On motion Bros. Baker, York and Eliason were appointed a committee to draft a constitution and by-laws.

On motion of Bro. Janvier May 28 was selected as the date of next meeting at 10 A. M.

On motion a committee was appointed to nominate permanent officers to report at next meeting.

On motion of Bro. Kemp the secretary was directed to notify the State Temperance League of the dissolution of the County Alliance and the formation of the Kent Co. Temperance League.

On motion adjourned to meet May 28 at Temperance Hall, Chestertown.

W. ELIASON, SEC'Y pro tem.

KILLED FOR A DOG.

The Swift Retribution that Followed.

A dispatch dated Liberty, Va., May 17, says: About 11 o'clock yesterday morning Thomas A. Jeter, of this place was shot and fatally wounded by H. W. Terry, of Richmond, son of Gen. W. R. Terry, superintendent of the Virginia penitentiary. Some time ago Terry gave Jeter a dog, and Jeter named it after Terry's sister, but no one knew that this had given offence. Terry was on a visit to his sister, Mrs. H. T. Walker, who lives a short distance from this place. He came to town yesterday to attend to some business, and went from the Windsor Hotel to Jeter's tobacco warehouse and was standing in the yard in front of the door, when Jeter came to the door and in a perfectly friendly manner asked how his father was and then playfully said: "Why don't you come up to see your kin folks?" meaning, it is inferred, why he did not come up to see the dog which he had given him. Terry immediately drew his pistol and fired. The first shot took effect just below the point of the breastbone and ranged upward. Jeter screamed and turned to go to the office in his warehouse, and the second shot was fired and took effect just above the left lung. Jeter did not speak after he was shot and only lived a few moments. Terry was arrested.

The Murderer Lynched.

Another dispatch from the same place dated May 18, gives the following particulars of the lynching of young Terry by a party of men supposed to be friends of Jeter.

For several hours after the killing of Jeter, excitement ran very high here, and open threats of lynching were indulged in, but better counsels finally prevailed, and sorrow over the untimely death of the victim seemed to take the place of passion and resentment. Not so, however, was it the case in the neighborhood of Jeter's old home, eighteen miles south of Liberty, where the remains were interred at one o'clock Sunday afternoon, in the presence of nearly 1,500 persons. At 2.30 o'clock this morning a body of armed men rode into town and halted on Main street. A small detachment was sent to the jail. The keys were quickly found, and Terry was brought out so quietly that prisoners in the adjoining cells knew nothing of what was going on. All accounts agree that the prisoner spoke not a word; whether he was gagged or not of course no one but those engaged in the affair can tell. He was placed on a horse in readiness for the purpose, where the waiting horsemen surrounded him and marched him off to the south of the town, and about half a mile distant from the jail, where he was hanged to a small apple tree on the roadside. Terry's body was found hanging early this morning, his hands and feet being tied.

THE LOCUSTS ARE COMING.—Prof. C. V. Riley, the entomologist of the Agricultural Department, says that the country will soon be visited by two great broods of locusts, of the seventeen and thirteen year varieties, and that this will be the first time in 221 years that they have appeared in conjunction. They will not prove greatly destructive, and the injury they will inflict will probably be confined to fruit trees. The visitation will be prolonged until late in July.

THE Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school of Centreville will run an excursion to Tolchester on Friday, June 12.

THE first Maryland strawberries were in the Baltimore market last Monday from Somerset.

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

WHEAT—Longberry $1.13@$1.13; Fultz, $1.03@1.05 for fair to good. CORN—White, prime, 61@62; yellow, 55@56. OATS—47c.

TINWARE! TINWARE! A large assortment of our own manufacture and selling cheap.—Stoves of the best makes sold as cheap as the cheapest. J. K. ALDRIDGE & Co.

HORSE CLIPPERS, Rubber Horse Brushes, Sheep Shears, &c., at W. A. WHEATLEY'S, m21. adj. Chestertown Nat. Bank.

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ROOFING and SPOUTING a specialty. Repairing of all kinds promptly attended to. All work guaranteed. m21. W. A. WHEATLEY.

FARM BELLS!—all sizes, for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE & Co.

A FOOLHARDY ATTEMPT.

Prof. Odlum's Terrible Leap—Jumping from the Brooklyn Bridge—His Daring Undertaking and the Fatal Result—Graphic Description of His Descent Through 135 Feet of Space.

The New York correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun* gives the following graphic description of Prof. Odlum's fearful leap from Brooklyn Bridge last Tuesday:

Prof. Odlum had been in the city for some days preparing for the attempt, which he had long desired to make. It was feared the police would interfere, and the Professor had to watch his opportunity.

Soon after four o'clock Tuesday afternoon a cab left the New York entrance of the Brooklyn bridge and was driven to the middle of the great span. Here the driver pulled up his horses and two men got out and began to climb the railing. Before they had reached the top a policeman came running toward them, brandishing his club and ordering them to "Get down out of that." While he was talking with the young men, a covered wagon containing Prof. Robt. E. Odlum and a companion stopped about a hundred feet behind the cab. Quickly divesting himself of the blue flannel suit in which he was dressed, Prof. Odlum, clad in a red shirt and trunks, jumped from the wagon and sprang lightly to the railing. He quickly reached the top, and, poising himself for a moment, he stood erect and glanced hurriedly at the surface of the East river far below him. The people who were on the bridge in that vicinity sent up a cry of horror when they saw Prof. Odlum prepare to plunge off the bridge into the river, 135 feet beneath his feet. The policeman whose attention had been diverted from the daring swimmer turned his head just in time to take in the true situation. He left the two young men who had endeavored to throw him off the scent, and rushed back toward the Professor. Before he had gone a dozen feet, Prof. Odlum, without a moment's hesitation, had leaped out from the railing into the air. He held one hand above his head as a rudder to guide him in his descent.

The river below was at the moment clear of shipping. A tug and a schooner floated lazily in the stream several hundred yards below the bridge. The tug was filled with reporters and club men. Capt. Paul Boyton stood near the prow anxiously watching the bridge. The moment Prof. Odlum's body was seen to leave the railing, Henry E. Dixey, the actor, started a stop-watch which he held in his hand in order to time the descent. For nearly a hundred feet the Professor came down all right feet foremost. He shot downward with the speed of a meteor, his red suit making him easily discernible for a long distance. When within thirty feet of the water his body began to turn. As if realizing his danger, Prof. Odlum brought down his hand with a wave-like motion to aid him in recovering his balance. The movement was, however, made too late. His body had now turned so far that it was possible to change its course. Half a second later, with a mighty splash that threw up the water on all sides as if torn with a shell, Prof. Odlum's body struck the water on one side, and sank out of sight.

The tug hurriedly pushed itself forward to the place where the body fell, and Capt. Boyton, after seeing that life-preservers had been thrown out into the water, sprang over the side of the boat and waited for the body to come to the surface. Soon he saw the white face of the Professor rising from the water, and a moment later he was by his side. Seizing a life-preserver, which floated near, he with difficulty placed it beneath the body of the now insensible Professor. Blood, mingled with froth, came from the mouth of the daring man. A rowboat, which came to the rescue of the captain and his charge, was soon pushed within his reach.

With considerable difficulty the body of the Professor was dragged into the boat. A few moments later it was transferred to the tug and restoratives were administered. After considerable rubbing the eyes of the sufferer opened and sought the face of Captain Boyton.

"What kind of a jump did I make?" he whispered to him.

"First-class, my boy," responded the Captain; "you'll be all right in a little while."

But he was insensible again, almost before the words had left his lips. The prow of the tug was turned toward Old Slip, and all steam was crowded on. Just as the pier was reached a shudder passed through the frame of the Professor, and then, after breathing heavily once or twice, his heart stopped beating and death came to his relief. Sorrowfully the body was taken ashore and conveyed by carriage to the undertaker's in Pearl street.

Prof. Robert E. Odlum was formerly a professor of a swimming-bath in Washington, but latterly has acted as a clerk in Willard's Hotel. It has been the ambition and dream of his life to make this jump from the Brooklyn bridge. He made the attempt once before the bridge was completed, but was prevented from carrying out his scheme by the police. He was 3½ seconds in the air before striking the water. He was unmarried, 33 years of age, and a man of good habits.

An autopsy of the body of Odlum was made, and the spleen, liver and kidneys were found to be badly ruptured from the shock in striking the water. Odlum had a fine physique.

James Haggard, who accompanied Odlum in his mission to take the fatal jump, was arraigned in a Brooklyn police court on a charge of aiding Odlum to commit an act endangering the latter's life and outraging public decency. The accused was committed to jail without bail for examination.

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Wholesale and Retail Liquor Business

At No. 1 Camden Street,

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He will be pleased to hear from his old patrons and especially from the farmers.

He makes a specialty of David Faust Copper Distilled Rye Whiskey, which he sells for $2 per gallon. my9.

Order of Publication.

Joanna Robinson, vs. Isaiah Robinson, George Ingram and Mary E. Ingram.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

THE object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of certain real estate in Kent county.

The Bill states that the plaintiff, Joanna Robinson, together with Isaiah Robinson and Mary E. Ingram, the wife of George Ingram, are seized in fee in equal portions of an undivided tract of land containing about twenty-four and one-half acres lying in the First Election District of Kent county.

That the said real estate is not susceptible of partition amongst the parties entitled, without loss and injury to them, and that plaintiff is entitled to have the same sold and the proceeds divided amongst the parties entitled, and that all the defendants are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

It is thereupon ordered this 14th day of May, 1885, that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county once in each of four successive weeks before the 15th day of June, 1885, give notice to the said Isaiah Robinson, George Ingram and Mary E. Ingram of the object and substance of this bill, and warn them to appear in this Court in person or by attorney on or before the 15th day of September, 1885, to show cause if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

True copy,—Test: SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

May 16—5t.

NEW SPRING and SUMMER MILLINERY!

MRS. KATE GILL has just opened A New and Beautiful Stock of MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS, For Spring and Summer. Newest Styles in HATS, BONNETS, &c. At Lowest Prices!

An early call is respectfully solicited. I will do my best to please.

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MRS. C. R. FIDDIS wishes to call the attention of the Ladies to her

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She has selected the Latest Novelties of the season and will be happy to see her friends and the ladies generally. Please give her an early call.

N. B.—I have MISS M. J. WYATT as an assistant. She will be pleased to see her former friends and customers call and will as before do all in her power to please them.

STAMPING a Specialty. apr25-5t.

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April 25, 1885—3t.* tf.

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April 25—tf.

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CHAPMAN & LAMBERT. m9, 1885. Chestertown.

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Widen the Road

Known as MILL LANE

from the Galena and Georgetown road over Spicer's mill-dam to the Galena and Sassafras road, and also to

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from the point where the mill lane intersects the Galena and Sassafras road, and running across the farm where Benj. P. Waters now resides, and continued between the lands of Cochran and White to the old Galena road leading to Masseys.

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R. R. COCHRAN,
BENJ. P. WATERS,
THOS. H. HORSEY,
JAS. W. WALLS,
LEWIS HAYES,
and others.

April 25—5t.

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april1-3m. J. EDGAR FIDDIS.

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

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WE will sell you a barrel of Gambrill's, or Wm. Lea & Son, Co.'s Flour, a sack of Salt, a barrel of Lime, &c., for less for the cash than you can buy it in the city.

WE will sell you good brown Sugar at 6c., good Green and Roasted Coffee at 12½c. and 10 lbs. Granulated Sugar at 75c., cash.

WE will sell you a good, solid Plow Shoe at $1, $1 25 and the Best Plow Shoe at $1 40 a pair, also a pair of Gent's Sewed Bals., (a good dress shoe,) for $1 35 such as is sold at $1 50. A Gent's Calf, Buttoned or Lace Shoe at $2 50, such as is sold for $3 00 and a pair of Ladies' Kid Front, Glove Kid Tip, Worked Button-hole, a splendid article and warranted sound for $1 75.

LIME, LIME, LIME.—Hair and W. W. Brushes, a large stock and for sale in quantities. We aim to keep a little of everything and by buying our goods close for the cash, and discounting all our bills we are enabled to sell very cheap.

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Mats, Rugs, &c.

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REMEMBER, the price on these goods is much below last year, and on our part no effort will be spared to keep the trade at home. Will furnish upon the shortest notice anything needed in the CARPET line and at city prices.

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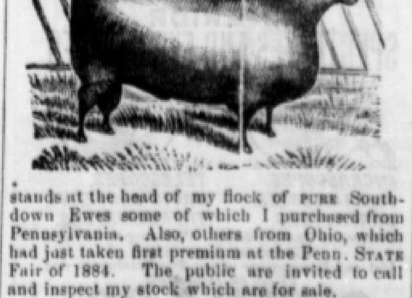

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The Mirror

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TO CORN PLANTERS!

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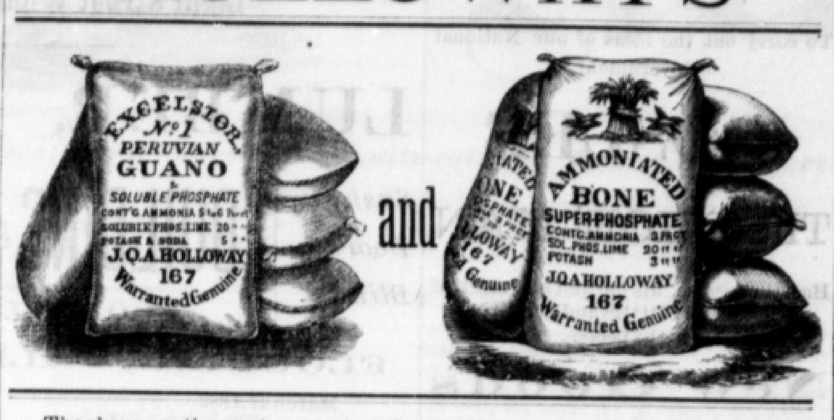

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April 4, 1885—2m.

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"I have used AYER'S PILLS in numberless instances as recommended by you, and have never known them to fail to accomplish the desired result. We constantly keep them on hand at our home, and prize them as a pleasant, safe, and reliable family medicine. FOR DYSPEPSIA they are invaluable. 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.

Sold by all Druggists; $1, six bottles for $5.

BARB WIRE! BARB WIRE and BUCKTHORN WIRE by the coil or ton. Special prices for ton lots for cash. W. A. WHEATLEY, a11. adj. Bank.

REFRIGERATORS, Field Kegs, Water Coolers and other things in season, at the Hardware Store with a Glass Front. J. K. Aldridge & Co.

WHEATLEY'S UP TOWN GROCERY.

We have now in stock and shall keep, constantly on hand a

Full line of GROCERIES

Such as COFFEES, SUGARS, TEAS MOLASSES, SYRUPS, &c.

Bacon, Flour, Meal, Feed, Fish, &c

A choice lot of Broiling Beef and sugar cured Hams kept on hand.

Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS.

We shall use every effort to please and hope our friends and the public will remember us when making their purchases. All goods in our line will be sold as low as they can be bought in town.

WHEATLEY BROS., j14. Corner Store, Up Town.

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 barrel, sack or pound. I am selling the celebrated Lea & Sons' Flour of Wilmington, Del.

I am selling three kinds of Glass Jars—Gem, Mason's and 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 gallons; 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 CIGARS.

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.

WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

WE have received our Fall and Winter stock of

Boots AND Shoes,

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS, GROCERIES, WOOD and WILLOW WARE and QUEENSWARE,

and are offering bargains in all departments. Come and examine our stock of Boots and Shoes. We carry a full line of Mundell's Solar Tips, the best Shoe in the market for Boys', Misses and Children, also, Oliver's City-Made Shoes for Ladies.

CARPETS & OIL CLOTHS AT CITY PRICES!

Full Line of White and Colored Blankets, Horse Blankets and Lap Robes.

Underwear for Ladies, Children and Men. Boys and Men's Laundried and Unlaundried Dress Shirts.

Large assortment of Gloves and Knit Goods. Ladies' Kid Gloves a specialty.

Best Fine Salt at $1 50 a sack. Ground and unground Pepper, Saltpetre.

All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods. Give us a call. WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

Nov. 29, 1884. Chestertown.

Kent County Commissioners'

ANNUAL NOTICE.

THE County Commissioners of Kent County will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,

the 10th day of March, 1885

at 10½ o'clock A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour

EVERY TUESDAY,

until the Fifth Day of May, next,

All persons having ACCOUNTS against the County are requested to present the same on or before

Tuesday, the 2nd day of June, next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy of this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner and itemized, and rendered under oath.

All applications for Pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant, and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—All persons neglecting to have their assessments corrected are hereby notified that no allowance for taxes paid in error in consequence of such neglect will be made.

C. P. LOPER, PRESIDENT.
JOHN B. PARROTT.
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
V. HENDRICKSON,
J. C. WHEATLEY,
Commissioners.

Attest—T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.

March 7, 1885.

Reid's National Hotel.

S. E. Corner Holliday & Fayette streets BALTIMORE, MD.

On the European and American Plan.

American Plan, $1 25 to $1.50 per day. European Plan, Rooms 50 and 75 cents per night. $2 00 and up per week.

W. W. REID. - - - Proprietor.

Persons visiting Baltimore will find this one of the most reasonable as well as central and convenient locations in the city to stop at, being in easy access to all theatres, churches, public buildings, street car lines, &c. Open all night. July 19-y.

MANSION HOUSE,

N. E. Cor. St. Paul and Fayette sts., BALTIMORE MD.

I. ALBERTSON..................PROPRIETOR

ROOMS FIRST CLASS *With GOOD SUBSTANTIAL BOARD* At $1.50 PER DAY.

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.

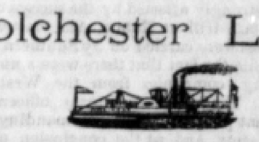
We *GUARANTEE satisfaction.* It will be to your interest to examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. We make to order everything in our line from a ten cent. hame strap to a $75 set of single harness at short notice.

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.

SPRING ARRANGEMENT.

Tolchester Line!



Steamer Pilot Boy

Leaves Tolchester on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 9 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

Leaves Baltimore, Pier 15 Light st., at 7 a. m. and 2.30 p. m.

By the above arrangement passengers have over THREE HOURS in the city and return the same day.

For further information apply to Chas. Lloyd, Tolchester Beach, or TOLCHESTER S. B. CO., Office—Pier 16 Light st., Baltimore.

March 14, 1885—s.

JAS. A. RUSSELL will run a Stage from Chestertown, connecting with boat morning and afternoon.

Sassafras River Line.

On and after Thursday, March 12,

Steamer Trumpeter,

Will leave Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10½ A. M., for Buck Neck and all landings on Sassafras river. Will leave Georgetown alternate days at 7½ A. M., and stopping at all landings on return trip, arriving in Baltimore at 1.30 P. M. WM. CUNDIFF, mh14-1885. MASTER.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Large Stock Va. Pine Frame Stuff.

VA. PINE CULLS 12, 14 and 16 ft.
White Pine Barn Boards,
" " Pick "
" " Selects "
" " ½ SIDING,
VA. PINE SIDING,
WHITE PINE FENCING,
HEMLOCK FENCING,
SHINGLES, LATHS, PICKETS,
DOORS, WINDOW & DOOR FRAMES,
SASH and BLINDS,

at low prices and on liberal terms. For sale by mh28. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

LIME FOR SALE.

Having purchased

THE LIME KILN

at the Railroad Station in Chestertown 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. pes bushel; quick, 12c. per bushel.

Oct. 15-tf. WM. PERKINS.

Horse Diseases.

I AM now ready to treat Sick or Lame Horses of all diseases upon reasonable terms. I cut out lumps, warts, tumors, fistula, &c.; castrate stock of all kinds.

I also have a preparation for COLIC, and a Healing Salve for old Sores, and fresh cut wounds of every kind.

Message by mail to see sick stock promptly attended to.

Satisfaction guaranteed in every case or no charge will be made.

E. J. PLUMMER, d20. Smithville, Worton Sta., Kent co., Md.

OIL STOVES! OIL STOVES!! New Economist "G" Oil Range, the best in the world. Other Oil Stoves at any price desired at W. A. WHEATLEY'S, a11. adjoining Bank.

TUBS, Wash Boards, Butter Prints, Clothes Wringers, ¼, ½ peck and ½ bus. Measures, Buckets, Churns, Well Buckets Coal Sieves, Flour Sieves, Wood Spiggots and a large assortment of Wooden ware, for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE & Co.

LOT OF BRACKETS, WALL POCKETS &c., Will be closed out about cost. j19. LOUIS K. STAM.

WALL BRUSHES, White Wash Brushes, as fine assortment as there is in town. Prices low. Prices quoted at the Hardware Store of J. K. Aldridge & Co.

WHITE PINE FENCING! A Carload just received from Grand Rapids, Michigan, of Superior WHITE PINE FENCING, by m13. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

WHITE-WASH BRUSHES at all prices. W. A. WHEATLEY, a11. adjoining Bank.

MATTINGS! MATTINGS!! at lowest prices. may2 J. H. SIMPERS.

WIRE NETTING, Window Frames, Door Frames for Wire Screen, at J. K. Aldridge & Co.'s.

A Splendid Assortment of TINWARE of our own manufacture, for sale at low prices. W. A. WHEATLEY.

PLOWS! PLOWS!—The ROLAND Chilled Plows and Repairs, for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE & Co.

UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS, of Wamsutta muslin and 2100 linen. may2. J. H. SIMPERS.

SHEEP SHEARS! Sheep Shears!! a splendid assortment, at prices to suit. J. K. Aldridge & Co.