Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING ....JAN. 9, 1886.

Kent County Agricultural Society.

Bad Weather Prevents a Meeting — The Annual Election for Officers Next Monday.

WORTON, Jan. 5th, 1886.

Messrs. Editors:—It was expected that today would have been a big day at the club rooms, but the storm prevented the members from turning out; had it not been stormy there would have been a very interesting and profitable meeting, as each member was expected to report the profits and losses of last year, the amount of crops grown per acre, the kinds of fertilizers used and the mode of cultivation. If farmers would keep an account of their successes and failures and report the same at the close of each year what a great advantage it would be to their brother farmers!

Next Monday is election day, and new officers will be elected. Our constitution forbids the re-election of any officer, so we will elect a new corps of officers, and we hope every member will be present and do his part in the selection of good men to fill the offices.

There is also to be a report from all the retiring officers. X.

Letter from Kennedyville.

The Grange supper and installation of officers which was announced in a former letter to take place occurred last Saturday evening, Jan. 2, 1886, with its hall comfortably filled. The issuing of tickets to the members for distribution, no doubt, prevented an overcrowded house. The supper consisting of various cold meats, bread, butter, coffee, &c., was served abundantly and in good style to all present. The third number of the paper read by Mr. Lewis C. Justis, assisted by Mr. H. C. Wallace and Mrs. Shafer, was equally as good as the former issues. Miss Rice who was present by special request added much to the evening's enjoyment by reciting in a clear easy style a selection entitled "Robert of Lincoln."

The music class of Kennedyville which meets every Tuesday night in the school house has been in successful operation for the last ten or twelve weeks under the management of Prof. D. Qumby. It at present numbers twenty-five active members. More are expected to join at the beginning of the next quarter which will commence in a few weeks.

Millington Notes.

A GYPSY FATHER HEARTBROKEN—VANDALISM.

The following items we find in the Wilmington *Morning News* of Thursday:

A band of gypsies have been encamped for some time near here, and have been engaged in their usual business of fortune telling and horse trading. The death of a little boy in their camp last week was the cause of some novel scenes. The father wanted to die, he said, and go with his child, and begged the doctor to give him something that would take his life, although he had a wife and two children to live for. He went round the camp and even through the streets of Millington crying aloud and throwing his hands about, even throwing himself on the ground. It was rumored here that a rude box would be furnished and the child buried in the woods. Instead of this a beautiful coffin was obtained and the Rev. T. L. Tomkinson was invited to the camp to preach a funeral sermon, which he did. The body was taken to Baltimore for burial. Mr. Tomkinson baptized a babe while at their camp. A festival and fair was attempted to be held by the colored people of Millington last week. During the first night of the fair the room was broken into. Much was stolen and other things destroyed. In the morning the room presented a forlorn picture.

Lankford Notes.

We will have a few changes in our town this year. Mr. J. J. Maslin takes the house of Walter Cosden, having rented his farm to Lawrence Gale, and Mr. Walter Kendall the house left vacant by Capt. Hatcherson. Mr. Joseph Rasin and family start today for Washington, D. C., where they will spend the winter and return to their farm in the spring, Mr. R. Smith having taken charge in the meantime. The young folks have spent a pleasant holiday. Quite a number of entertainments have been given for their enjoyment. N. E. B.

BISHOP-ELECT WILLIAMS.

A Letter Giving His Reasons for Delaying His Decision.

The following is the only official communication that has passed between the Rev. Chauncey C. Williams and the authorities of the Diocese of Easton, and is a reply to their letter informing him that he was elected bishop of the Diocese of Easton:

"*St. Paul's Church*, Augusta, Ga., Dec. 21, 1885.—The Rev. Theo. P. Barber, D. D., President of the Convention; the Rev. James A. Mitchell, Secretary of the Convention.—Reverend and Dear Brethren: Your letter notifying me, in behalf of the convention, that I have been elected bishop of the Diocese of Easton was received yesterday morning. I beg you will let me thank you, and through you the convention, for the very cordial manner of my election, as also for the many kind letters I have received asking my acceptance of it. Believe me I feel deeply and humbly grateful for this.

"You will not wish, of course, that I should decide so grave a question without giving it much serious thought and many prayers, and I ask of you that you will bear patiently with me if the way to a decision does not seem clear to me at once.

"No question could have come to me and found me more utterly unprepared to meet it than this one. I had not the faintest intimation beforehand, as you know, that my name would come before the convention. The few places in which my ministry has been served are so far away from the great centres of our church life, my name is so entirely unknown to the church at large, that I have never thought of myself as among those from whom bishops are chosen. You will appreciate, therefore, the profound surprise with which I received the announcement that you had selected me to succeed Bishop Lay, a man of so many and such rare gifts. Your letter comes to me, also, at this Christmas season, when, like all rectors, my time is almost wholly absorbed in parish affairs. I feel, therefore, that I can ask your indulgence if I should seem to delay overlong in reaching a decision. It is due to the diocese far more than to myself that I should consider the question with very grave deliberation. I can only assure you now that, God helping me, I will try to do my duty, asking that you will remember me very earnestly in your prayers, praying always that the Lord may make His will known to me and give me strength to do it. In His love and fear I am respectfully and very faithfully your servant in Christ and His church, CHY. C. WILLIAMS."

PASTEUR'S AMERICAN PATIENTS RETURNING.—Dr. Billings, with the Newark boys and Mrs. Ryan, sailed for home from Havre Saturday evening on the steamer Canada. Saturday morning M. Pasteur himself injected under the abdominal skin of the eldest three the most poisonous virus in his laboratory, which, used on a well man, would make him raving mad in seven days and kill him in ten at the furthest. The youngest was inoculated the last time on Friday. A little bit of inflammatory reaction was observed in him, and it was thought best to exempt him from the final operation. When the three others were inoculated this morning they showed absolutely no signs that they had ever been treated. Not even the marks of the point of the syringe were visible. M. Pasteur questioned each and pressed their abdomens, but there was no hurt or pain to any of them. All have a good color, are happy, and are glad they are coming home.

Dr. Billings brings home several boxes of scientific instruments, numerous vials of virus of several kinds, but he could not take rabies virus because it will only keep four of five days, but he knows how to prepare it. He is fully satisfied that the discovery is a perfect one.

THE ARLINGTON UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.—Ex-Sheriff Thomas Sudler, on the first of January, took charge of the Arlington Hotel, in Centreville, and has furnished it new throughout. The bed-rooms, with two exceptions, are furnished with neat ash suits, and the floors covered with a good three-ply ingrain carpet. The bridal chamber is furnished with a handsome walnut suit, and the floor covered with a neat Brussels carpet. The parlor is a model of neatness, the furniture being of upholstered velvet. The office has a substantial suit of hardwood furniture. The dining-room is also nicely fitted up. Mr. Sudler gives evidence of being a first-class hotel keeper.—*Observer*.

THE losses by fire in Baltimore last year foot up $441,743.

A Pleasant Entertainment.

Messrs. Editors:—It was our good fortune to be one of a very pleasant party assembled at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Wilkins in Quaker Neck on last New-Year's Eve night.

Our thoughtful hostess was assisted in dispensing a graceful hospitality by her accomplished daughter, Miss Susie, a member of the graduating class of Lutherville Seminary.

About 8 o'clock a sumptuous repast invited our attention and would have absorbed it but for the presence of other and more irresistible attractions surrounding it. The evening was spent in conversation, prophecies by the fortune teller, music and recitation. Mrs. Wood, of Baltimore, who assumed the role of fortune teller dealt out fortune and love to those seeking to investigate the future, while her ready wit and apt replies brightened the general conversation and kept the company in perpetual good humor. The exquisitely executed musical selections of Miss G., of Baltimore, was one of the features of the occasion, while the bright glances of the fair lady we are sure swept other chords in the bosom of the gallant High street bachelor.

"Briar Rose" and "Samantha," recited by Miss Marshall, of Philadelphia, and "Laska," by Miss Wilkins, were finely rendered and elicited general praise.

About eleven o'clock an elegant collation was served, after which the old year was wafted out and the new year ushered in with appropriate vocal and instrumental music, shortly after which the company dispersed amid mutual good wishes for the New Year. OMEGA.

Entertainment at Union.

Messrs. Editors:—The old Union M. E. Church was all ablaze with light and life on the evening preceding New Year's Eve, and one entering as a stranger would wonder, for all seemed in good spirits, judging from the laughing eyes you met at every glance. Well, on raising your eyes behold the Christmas Tree loaded with beautiful designs, and beneath its branches were lots of red bags containing the good things for old as well as young children. After appropriate services by the pastor and some good music, the audience was attracted to the door by the entrance of Old Kris, bowing and scraping to everybody. With a jolly motion he proceeded to the tree and invited all to come and get a bag of the good things. After all were served the congregation was dismissed, all enjoying a happy feeling.

We have existing a society called the Union Sunday School Society, the object being to get funds for carrying on the school—meeting at different houses every Thursday. Reading, dialogues, &c., are the order and sometimes debates. Last Thursday evening we met at Mrs. Stewart Matthews, where we were nicely entertained. After the business of our meeting was through with we were invited to the dining room, where we found an abundance of good things of this life—cake, ice-cream, &c., after partaking of which we took leave of those kind, good people, wishing them a happy New Year.

Now, dear Editors, wishing you a prosperous and happy New Year, we bid you adieu. NOT A FOGY.

A SOCIAL SENSATION AT MEMPHIS.—There is a social sensation at Memphis, Tennessee, growing out of the marriage of Mr. Charles N. Grosvenor, a prominent real estate operator, and Miss Oliva P. Hill, daughter of Col. Napoleon, a leading business man, and one of the wealthiest citizens of Memphis. The young people had been in love with each other for several years, but Miss Hill's parents objected to the match, and he abandoned his suit three months ago. Recently Miss Eva Mitchell, a charming young lady, of Louisville, Ky., visited Memphis, where she met Grosvenor. The result was a matrimonial engagement, and the marriage was fixed for December 30, in Louisville. Several Memphis ladies had left for Louisville to attend the wedding, and presents valued at $2,000 had been sent to the bride from Memphis. Sunday last Miss Hill sent for Grosvenor to come to see her, and when he called on her she confessed that she had loved him all the time in spite of the objection of her relatives, and said she was desperate. "If you marry that woman," she said, "I don't know what I shall do. I may commit suicide. Life will not be worth living." Grosvenor was by this time in a state bordering on insanity. He had not expected anything of the kind, and though engaged to Miss Mitchell, loved Miss Hill. His warmest friends pleaded with him for postponement, and also pleaded with Miss Hill, but the response was: "I have compromised myself so far, and I can go no further. It is now or never." As a result a license was secured, a minister sent for, and Mr. Grosvenor and Miss Hill were married. A Memphis dispatch to the Louisville *Courier-Journal* says much sympathy is expressed for Miss Mitchell, and there is much indignation at Grosvenor's action.

THE BEAUTY OF PROTECTION.—Eight years ago the exports of wheat from India amounted to $9,500,000. In 1882 they had increased to nearly $44,000,000 and the crop last year is said to equal that of the United States. This change in India has been brought about within the past ten years, and from present indications American wheat will soon have a competitor it will not know what to do with. This great wheat industry in India has been started and worked by England, that she might have a market for her goods where she would not be compelled to pay an enormous duty on them. And yet probably three-fourths of our farmers in this country who depend on their wheat will fight against tariff reform because they are republicans, and their party has pledged itself to the support of the protection, so called, which protects the iron-monger of Pennsylvania and the factories of New England, while the farmer-dupes go unprotected, and will soon be left without any market, because of the policy they are helping to maintain. —*Oakland (Cal.) Times*.

A FAMILY STRICKEN WITH TRICHINOSIS.—About two weeks ago a physician was called upon to attend the family of an old German named August Feldt, of Streator, Illinois. The doctor ascertained that the family had eaten heartily of pork purchased from a butcher in that place. He proceeded to examine it with a microscope, finding unmistakable evidence of trichinæ. About a week later one of the children, aged ten years, died and the following day another child, a boy of fourteen years, was taken away. The mother was then prostrated and in a few days she, too, died. Several doctors were called in, but could do nothing toward checking the disease. On Monday last another member of the family, a girl of twelve years, died and the father now lies in a condition beyond all hope of recovery. Mr. Feldt purchased a quantity of this pork and had it salted down. The children, he said, had been in the habit of going to the barrel and eating of the meat.

PAY UP LIKE A MAN.—The following from an exchange expresses the matter in a sensible manner: "No sensible man should or ever does get angry because a newspaper man duns him for money. A dun is not an impeachment of a subscriber's integrity, but is simply an outcropping of the publisher's necessities. For instance, a thousand men owe a man from one to four dollars each. He has to dun them all in order to pay his expenses. Instead of getting angry and stopping the paper because the publisher asks him for what is honestly due, the subscriber should thank the editor for waiting on him so patiently, and pay up like a man."

COMPLIMENTARY NOTICE.—The greatest consolation to one growing old is the improved surroundings which come with age, experience and wisdom. We are reminded of this fact by the appearance of the new seed annual of D. M. Ferry & Co., the celebrated seedsmen of Detroit, Mich. They enjoy the enviable reputation of being the widest and best known firm, in any business in the United States. Millions of people, gardening both for profit and pleasure, have found ever increasing satisfaction and delight in using their seeds. Every one desiring seeds of the highest type and best quality, should secure their annual. It is sent free on application.

RAISED HIS UMBRELLA IN CHURCH.—An old gentleman, with a blue cotton umbrella in his paws, who had imbibed too freely, was in a country church in a neighboring county the other Sunday when it began raining very hard. The old man heard the rain on the roof and raised his umbrella. But the preacher took in at a glance the whole situation. He quietly said: "Put that man outdoors, but leave his umbrella inside; some of the sisters here may need it."—*Reidsville (N. C.) Weekly*.

A TERRIBLE tragedy is reported from Madison county, N. C. It appears that Jas. Gunter and his son were drinking together and got into an altercation. The father rushed into the yard, seized an axe and started toward the son, who remained in the house. The latter, seeing the danger in which he was, reached up over the door and got his gun and shot his father through the bowels. The unfortunate man died in a few moments.

Gen. Ross' Plea for the Retention of Mr. S. S. Baker.

An interesting correspondence has taken place between President Cleveland and Gen. W. E. W. Ross, late assistant postmaster at Baltimore, concerning the discharge of Lieut. S. S. Baker, of this county, an ex-Union soldier, lately employed as an inspector in the Baltimore custom-house. Gen. Ross wrote to the President, under date of December 10, as follows:

"Referring to the assurance given by you May 31 last to the committee of the Veterans' Rights Union of Pennsylvania, that in any case where sections 1754 and 1755 of the Revised Statutes, and also section 3, chapter 287, of the Laws of 1876, were disregarded and the matter brought to your notice you would give it attention and see that right was done in the premises, we have the honor to call to your attention the case of Capt. S. S. Baker, of the Baltimore custom-house. In the reduction recently made Capt. Baker's name appears as one to be dismissed on the 15th of the present month. No charges of any kind appear against him, and his efficiency, character and integrity are beyond question. He is simply dropped in the general reduction by the special agent of the Treasury Department. This is in direct violation of section 3, chapter 287, of the Laws of 1876, and we respectfully ask your intervention in the matter."

The letter was signed by Gen. Ross as past senior vice-commander-in-chief, Grand Army of the Republic, and by Robert G. King, adjutant Wilson Post. The President sent a long letter in reply, from which we make the following extracts:

"At my request a report of the facts connected with the discharge referred to has been furnished me by the Treasury Department.

"It appears that a recent examination of the Baltimore custom-house and its operations resulted in the conclusion that a considerable reduction in the number of its employes could be made without detriment to the service, and that the employment of four inspectors could profitably be discontinued.

Of course the inspectors to be thus relieved of duty should be those the least useful and efficient.

"The report above alluded to and now before me declares that 'among the number thus selected as the least efficient was Captain Baker, whose personal habits were such as to interfere with the proper discharge of his duties.'

"The special agent of the treasury who supervised the examination, and, at the request of the collector, the selection of the inspectors to be dropped, whose party affiliations are not, I am informed, in accord with the present administration, in his report adds: 'I was careful that none but inefficient officers should be disturbed, and I am satisfied that no mistake has been made in the case of Captain Baker. During the examination I could learn nothing that would warrant his retention in view of ascertained facts respecting his inefficiency.'

"You must concede, I think, that this official statement not only justified, but actually demanded, the action of which you seem inclined to complain."

BASHFUL UNTO DEATH.

The Young North Carolinian Who Shot Himself for a Trifling Mistake.

A reputable young gentleman of Gaffneys, Mr. John Webster, surprised his friends and fellow-citizens by committing suicide at that place recently. The evening before he had been to a dance, where he remained until about 11 o'clock, going away in a good state of mind, so far as his friends knew. He went to his room and retired. At about 1 o'clock he got up, put on a cheaper suit of clothes, and went out on the street, taking a pistol with him. He withdrew to an alley in the rear of some buildings, and there shot himself in the region of the heart. He died in five or six hours. No one is able to divine the cause of the rash act. It is conjectured by some, however, that natural bashfulness, together with circumstances which aggravated that weakness, led to the act, for he was known to be an exceedingly modest and reticent young man. When he returned from the dance and entered the room which he had occupied for months, he found it preoccupied by a trio of young ladies. Going in upon them, two of whom were disrobed, greatly confused and embarrassed him. He apologized the best he could, and explained that he did not know that his room had been changed. With his timid disposition, it is thought that the sense of humiliation from what he regarded a blunder was too great for him and he decided to put an end to his life rather than face again the young ladies who were the occasion of his embarrassment.—*Shelba (N. C.) Aurora*.

JOSHUA B. LIPPINCOTT, head of the book-publishing house of the J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, died Tuesday morning in the 75th year of his age. The house has been established over half a century and is one of the most extensive publishing concerns in the country.

IT is said that Secretary Whitney is entirely satisfied with the seaworthiness of the Dolphin, as shown in her recent trial trip, and will formally accept the vessel as soon as certain preliminaries can be arranged.

MR. EDWARD H. ROE has sold the Cook's Hope farm, near Easton, 200 acres, to Dr. Julius A. Johnson for $9,100.

THE city of Detroit, Michigan, had a $1,500,000 fire on New Year's day.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers of yesterday quote as follows: WHEAT—Longberry 96c.@97c.; Fultz, 94c.@93c. for fair to good. CORN—White, prime, 47@48; yellow, 47@48. OATS—35.

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Beautiful Lamps. Nothing will be more acceptable to your wife than a nice Lamp.

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The sun may be fast or slow, but our Clocks never, and way down in prices.

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Dolls, Dolls, Toys, Toys, Wagons, Carriages and Sleds, Magic Lanterns, Stereopticans and Cheap Toys in greatest varitey.

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FRUITS! JELLIES! SAUCES!
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EUREKA POULTRY ASSOCIATION.
L. BATES RUSSELL, Gen'l Agent for Kent County.
Dec. 9, 1885—tf. M. F. CASEY, SEC'Y, Chestertown.

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Men's Working Pants	$1 00	Men's Good Suits	$5 to 8
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" Neat Cassimere Pants	2 50 to 1 50	" Durable Business Suits	8 to 12
" Fancy Worsted "	3 50 to 6 60	" Extra " "	10 to 16
" Diagonal Cloth "	3 00 to 5 00	" Fine " "	14 to 20
" Extra "	6 00 to 8 00	" Fancy Dress "	15 to 25

Boys and Children's Department.

Children's Suits, Plaid Plain	$2 00 up.	Boy's Neat School Suits	3 50 "
" Stylish Worsted Suits	3 50 "	" School Suits, Extra Good	3 50 "
" Fine Dress "	4 00 "	" Worsted Suits, all styles	5 00 "
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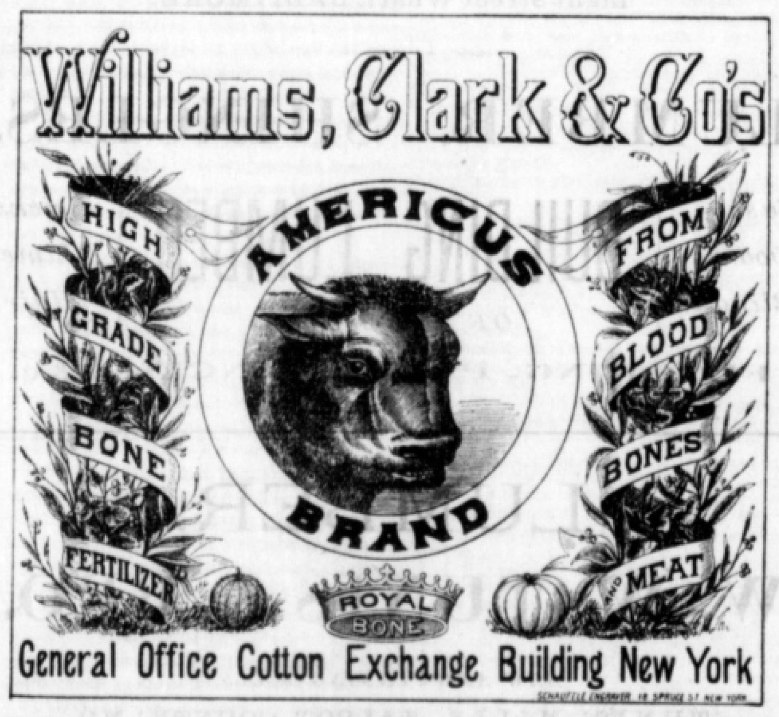
Oct. 17, 1885. Under "KENT NEWS" Office, Chestertown, Md.



HIGH GRADE BONE FERTILIZERS.

We take pleasure in again calling the attention of farmers to our High Grade Fertilizers. It being eight years ago this spring since they were first offered to consumers under their present form; and from that time until now there has been an increasing demand for them, which is a far better testimonial to us than any letters of praise could be, although we do not want for these latter, as we are in receipt of many. It has been our aim to put up the best fertilizers we know how, and the results in the field clearly show that we have hit the mark right in the bull's eye, and we believe if consumers will take our target (American Brand, bull's head) they will get a good result every time —the bull's eye, if their aim is good.

THEIR CHARACTER.

The main characteristic of our fertilizers is that they are prepared with particular reference to the *crop*, and not to a chemical analysis; the latter does very well in its place, and we believe in chemistry thoroughly, but consumers are too often deceived with the idea that a chemical analysis is the main thing, and if they get a good analysis and high commercial valuation as figured out with arbitrary prices by the chemist, they must have a fine fertilizer. Now it may happen that a fertilizer, with a commercial valuation of $25 00 per ton, will give a better result on the crop than one with a valuation of $40 00 as based on a chemical analysis. And why should this be? Only because the material used in the one valued at $25 00 was better adapted to the crop than the other.

THEY ARE UNIFORM.

The goods we manufacture are uniform in composition, and are only varied in proportions, year after year, as we believe it to be an advantage to the crop. We have such large supplies of Bone, Blood, etc., from the slaughter establishments of New York, that our fertilizers are largely composed of these, and there is not that inducement for us to use cheaper material, that there might be, if we did not have this material.

BONE FERTILIZERS.

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W. H. McFEELY, Chestertown, Md.
General Agent for Kent Co.

Dissolution of Partnership.

CHESTERTOWN, Nov. 19, 1885.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of C. W. KENNARD & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The affairs of the late firm will be closed by Mr. C. W. Kennard, who alone is authorized to sign in settlement.

C. W. KENNARD,
H. C. CHASE.

The undersigned will continue the manufacture and sale of Fertilizers, Chemicals, &c., in Chestertown, under the same name and style of C. W. Kennard & Co.
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No. 1 MUSLINS, all widths; PRINTS, Ginghams and Flannels. Canton Flannels from 6¼ per yd up. Cassimers, Kerseys, &c., &c. Blankets, white and colored. Colored Blankets from 75c. per pair up.

OUR NOTION STOCK too is replete with a full line of Gents', Ladies', Misses' & Children's Underwear. Hosiery, Gloves, Buttons, &c., &c. Do not fail to call on us before purchasing. Very truly, yours,

R. F. PARKS.

Carpets! Oil Cloths!
MATS, RUGS, &c.

INGRAINS from 20c. per yd. up, and the best value in 50 and 55c. Ingrains ever shown.

OIL CLOTHS, all the leading widths from 4-4 to 11-4. Beautiful Patterns in 22c. quality.

It seems useless to say further on this line of our business, for it is a settted fact that THE PLACE TO BUY the above goods is at

R. F. PARKS'.
October 24, 1885.

THE PLACE to BUY
—IS AT—
CROW'S.

FRESH FRUITS, CANDIES,
NUTS, MINCE MEAT,
CRANBERRIES,
Large and General Line of
Groceries & Dry Goods,
NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES, CANNED GOODS AND TOBACCO.

Poultry, Butter, Lard and Eggs wanted, and Produce generally, for which the highest price will be paid.

N. C CROW,
Dec. 12, 1885. Up Town.

LOOK!
J. B. McINTIRE
Has opened on the Corner of High and Mill Sts.
A GENERAL GROCERY
—AND—
Provision Store!

and will keep constantly on hand a choice lot of Coffees, Sugars, Teas, Spices, Pickles, Lard, Meats both salt and sugar cured; Broiling Beef chipped to order; Salt Fish, Flour by the bag, pound or bbl. Meal, Buckwheat, and

A Nice lot of CONFECTIONERY.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:
J. B. McINTIRE,
Corner of High and Mill sts., nearly opposite the M. E. Church.
oc31-3m.

Gold and Silver
WATCHES,
SOLID GOLD JEWELRY, ROGERS BEST SILVER-PLATED WARE,
CLOCKS & NOVELTIES,
and everything suitable for Wedding or Holiday Presents can be found
at C. M. LUCAS',
opp. "Kent News" Office, Chestertown.

FARMS WANTED. WE ARE IN CORRESpondence with farmers in Pennsylvania, New York, New England, the West, North-West, Canada, England, etc., now ready to buy; besides purchasers in this State. We also want Mills, Country Stores, Hotels, Shops, etc. It costs you nothing until your property is sold. Ask our nearest agent or write us for "*descriptive blank*" and particulars.
W. O. LIGGET & CO.,
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BARKMAN'S
Never Failing Liniment,
FOR MAN AND BEAST,
—FOR THE RELIEF OF—

Rheumatism, Vomiting, Mumps, Bruises, Cramps, Sore Throat, Frosted Feet, Burns, Cuts, Sprains, Colic, Pains in Limbs, Back and Chest. Toothache, Sea Sickness, Swellings, Dysentery, Headache, Insect Stings, Old Sores, Cholera

—IT NEVER FAILS IF USED AS DIRECTED—

It is perfectly innocent, and can be used externally and internally by the oldest person or youngest child.

PRICE 25 CENTS PER BOTTLE.

DEPOT: No. 380 East Fayette Street, Baltimore, Maryland.

—SOLD EVERYWHERE—

BARKMAN'S BLOOD AND LIVER PILLS! For Purifying the Blood and restoring a healthy action of the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys. Eradicating all Pimples and Blotches from the Face and Skin in general, consequently giving a clear, healthy and smooth appearance to the complexion. The judicious use will prove a sure cure for indigestion, Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Headache, Pains in the Back and Limbs, and all other kindred disorders arising from the Stomach and Liver. After taking a few doses of the Pills the Liver, Skin and Kidneys are enabled to perform their functions in a vigorous and healthy manner, and the above symptoms will disappear, as they are caused by diseases of the Liver. je20-y.

Ratification Notice.

The Visitors and Governors of Washington College,
versus
James C. Roseberry
And Edvina Roseberry, his wife,

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

NOVEMBER TERM, 1885.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by RICHARD HYNSON, the named and constituted attorney for the Visitors and Governors of Washington College in their mortgage from James C. Roseberry and wife, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Nineteenth day of February next;—Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the Nineteenth day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $7,312.35, subject to a prior lien of $1,687.65.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Dec. 19, 1885—4t.

Special Caution!

Against any person from driving or riding through the winter months with thin wrappings.

JOHN F. HOWARD
has just opened a large lot of Heavy Wrappings, such as:

FANCY LAP ROBES,
GOAT ROBES, WOLF ROBES,
Extra Fine Kersey Horse Blankets
of many styles. We invite you to call and examine before buying. As we told you before we are selling them at Wheat and Corn prices.

JOHN F. HOWARD.

P. S.—We also have on hand a full line of HARNESS, Double and Single, Hand Made and Machine Made, and make to order anything in our line.

JOHN F. HOWARD,
Nov. 7—tf. Saddle & Harness Works.

W. REGISTER'S
MARBLE WORKS!
[NEXT DOOR TO THE MARKET HOUSE, CHESTERTOWN.]

I Challenge the United States to produce better marble or finer finished work than I have done at my Yard. I guarantee its durability. You can see for yourselves in all your Cemeteries or in my Yard. I work no Scraps that have been thrown away by the saw-yards. I work no Pennsylvania marble; it will not stand the weather. I keep no agent out to torment. Persons know when they want and they had better look at the stone before buying—go look through your Cemeteries and see the broken and defaced stone. If you want a good and lasting Tombstone or Cottage Monument or a Shaft Monument of any size, I have the Largest Finished Stock of Marble on this Shore, and I will not be outdone in Prices. Call and examine for yourself. Respectfully,
aug15-tf. W. REGISTER.

WORTON MANOR STOCK FARM.

Imported Southdown Buck J. J. Coleman

FOR SALE on Worton Manor Stock Farm—Thoroughbred Hereford Bull Calves, by my registered Hereford Bull "Adventure," No. 12794, in Vol IV, A. H. R. Also some fine Buck Lambs by my imported Southdown Buck "J. J. Coleman." The public are invited to call and inspect my stock. Parties in want of Stock Ewes will please give me a call.

JOHN GALE,
Hanesville, Kent co., Md.

MILLINERY!

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

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

BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS for sale.
KATE GILL,
ap25. Two doors below the Post-office.

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 figres at the kiln: slaked, 6c. per bushel; quick, 12c. per bushel.
Oct. 15-tf. WM. PERKINS.

LANGFORD SEEDLING APPLE TREES.
For Sale by T. J. VICKERS,
oc10-tf. Langford, Kent co., Md.

HATS, CAPS, newest fall and winter styles at J. H. SIMPERS'.

"RISING SUN" SALOON,
CHESTERTOWN.

Is fitted up for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen with all the delicacies usually found in the Saloons in the city. In the Ladies' Saloon will be served Cake, Ice-Cream, Clams, Soft Crabs, Devilled Crab, Beefsteak, Hams, Eggs, Fish, Lobsters, Spring Chicken, Tea and Coffee. In the Gentlemen's Saloon the Gentlemen will in addition be served with choice CIGARS.

Parties will be served with everything needful for Refreshment Tables, and ICE.

Families supplied with Ice-Cream, Water Ices, Custard, &c., by the gallon on reasonable terms.

All orders must be accompanied by the CASH.

ICE in large or small quantities for sale and delivered every morning to regular customers in Chestertown.

The long experience of the subscriber as a caterer justifies him in asking a liberal patronage from the public.

WILLIAM PERKINS,
April 11, 1885. PROPRIETOR.

J. S. MacDONALD,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER
—IN—
FINE JEWELRY!
WATCHES,
SILVERWARE,
&c, &c.,
No. 4 North Charles Street, 4 doors north of Baltimore Street,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Jan1y.

WOOD! WOOD!
HICKORY, OAK and PINE

THE subscriber has purchased 1,000 cords of the very best seasoned Oak, Hickory and Pine that has been in this market for some time, and is selling it delivered, at $5 per cord for Oak, and $6, per cord for Hickory; wood sawed and split to order.

This wood has all been culled over; is full length, clear of knots and small sticks. Pine Kindling Wood for sale low.

WILLIAM PERKINS,
Rising Sun Saloon, Chestertown.
Nov. 24—tf.

HALL'S HOTEL,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

THIS HOUSE is neatly and comfortably furnished throughout, and the table will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords.

The STABLES are in charge of attentive hostlers, and persons may rely upon having their horses properly cared for.

There is also a LAUNDRY in connection with the hotel, where work for both ladies and gentlemen is done in the neatest style and at reasonable prices.

Custom solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

JOHN HALL,
aug8-tf. Proprietor.

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.

MANSION HOUSE.
N. E. Corner St. Paul and Fayette sts.,
BALTIMORE, - MARYLAND.
I. ALBERTSON, PROPRIETOR.
ROOMS FIRST CLASS with GOOD SUBSTANTIAL BOARD.
$1.50 PER DAY.

Oysters! Oysters!
—AT—
MRS. CUMMINS', ON MAIN Street.

I am prepared to cook and serve OYSTERS in the very best style at short notice at my saloon nearly opposite the Bank, in Chestertown.

Families supplied by the gallon or in smaller quantities. My oysters are fresh and the best to be had.

s26-tf. MRS. CUMMINS.

SHINGLES!

A cargo of Strictly No. 1. HEART CYPRESS SHINGLES just received direct from the Swamps
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WANTED!—Everybody to Know that
SMITH & SMITH
are Proprietors of the PEOPLE'S COAL and WOODYARD. Give us a trial. 2240 lbs. to everybody. Farmers come and see

UNDERWEAR.—Gent's Undershirts at 25, 50, 75 cts., $1, $1 25, $1 75 and $2. Ladies and Children's Vests, all sizes and prices.
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FIREPLACE HEATERS. Splendid and Grand Domestic, guaranteed to give satisfaction. Call and get prices.
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