Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........APRIL 3, 1886.

General News Items.

NAVAL OFFICER RASIN entered on duty at the Baltimore custom-house on Thursday.

THE Rev. Jonathan S. Willis, of Milford, is spoken of as a candidate for Congress from Delaware to succeed Mr. Lore.

A FIRE at Key West, Florida, on Tuesday destroyed property valued at $1,500,000 and threw 4,000 persons out of employment.

REV. S. R. MURRAY, pastor of the M. P. Church at Uniontown, Carroll county, has been called to a professorship in the Military and Naval School at Oxford, Md.

PATRICK KERNAN, who killed his uncle, Thos. Kernan, at Baltimore, several months ago, while drunk, was sentenced to sixteen years' imprisonment in the penitentiary on Monday.

SECRETARY MANNING's physicians report him to be improving slowly. Secretary Lamar was so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to attend the meeting of the cabinet Thursday.

JUDGE MERRICK's nomination to the bench of the District of Columbia, notwithstanding it had been reported adversely from the judiciary committee, was confirmed by the Senate on Tuesday by a vote of two to one.

SENATOR CULLOM introduced in the Senate on Tuesday a bill appropriating $500,000 for the erection in Washington of a monument, with appropriate statuary, to commemorate the illustrious services of the late Abraham Lincoln.

HAYES CHANDLER, a well-known business man of Wilmington, Del., died suddenly on Monday while driving to Kennett Square, Pa., by himself. He was found in a dying condition in that town, his horse having made his way there without direction.

SECRETARY of State Bayard, who owns some land divided into building lots at Clayton, last week instructed James Spruance of Smyrna, his agent, to give one lot each to the M. E. and M. P. Churches as sights for parsonages, and one lot for a public school.

REV. G. W. TOWNSEND, formerly of Galena, met with a warm reception by his Hillsboro' congregation. He found them awaiting his arrival with well-filled baskets, and his larder was so well filled that it will be some time ere it will need to be replenished.

DR. ROBERT C. CARTER died at his home, at Cherry Hill, Cecil county, on Sunday morning last, from the effects of nervous debility. He was about 62 years of age, and the son of the late Dr. Robert Carter, who first introduced papermaking into Cecil county.

THE House committee on invalid pensions has instructed Representative Conger to report a bill to increase the pensions for loss of a limb below the elbow or knee to $30 per month, above the elbow or knee to $36 per month and at the shoulder or hip-joint to $45 per month.

WILLIAM H. COX, a well-known business man of Baltimore, committed suicide Wednesday afternoon, at half-past one o'clock, in his room at Barnum's Hotel, by shooting himself through the head. He was formerly of the firm of Freeland, Hall & Co., and at the time of his death was engaged in the sugar brokerage business.

THE petit jury for the February term of Harford County Court, which was discharged on Friday of last week, had been in attendance 39 days. This is the longest session of court in that county for 20 years or more. Two weeks of the term were occupied in the trial of the Patterson will case, removed from Baltimore county, and the local-option trials, of which there were 21, occupied another week.

MR. SAMUEL COX, JR., of Charles county, has been appointed cashier of customs under Collector Groome in the Baltimore custom-house, and has been confirmed by the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington. He gave bond in the sum of $25,000, and entered upon the discharge of his duties on Thursday. Mr. Cox has always been a warm personal friend of Congressman Compton, and it is said owes his appointment of cashier of customs to him.

THE Centreville *Observer* states that Robert Alexander, a young lawyer of that town, charged with forging the name of William Barcus to several promissory notes, and other crookedness, has left for parts unknown. It is understood that a warrant has been issued for his arrest and that efforts will be made to apprehend him. Mr. Alexander is a son of the late Judge Alexander, of Baltimore city, and as the saying goes "was well-connected and moved in the best circles."

THE Edmunds resolution, asserting the right of the Senate to papers in the executive departments relating to suspensions and removals from office, have been adopted by a party vote, except that on the third resolution, declaring it to be the duty of the Senate to refuse its advice and consent to proposed removals of officers the documents in reference to the supposed misconduct of whom are withheld, Mitchell, of Oregon, Van Wyck and Riddleberger voted with the democrats.

ARGUMENT was commenced in the Virginia Court of Appeals at Richmond on Monday for a new trial in the case of Thomas J. Cluverius, convicted of the murder of Miss Fannie Lillian Madison. The prisoner was represented by ex-Judge W. W. Crump and all of the other counsel who defended him before the Hustings Court. There are eight bills of exceptions in this case. The argument will occupy four or five days. Cluverius looks as well as he did when he was arrested, more than a year ago.

BOTH branches of the city council of Baltimore on Monday passed resolutions, with but one dissenting vote, against any reduction by the Legislature in the tax now contracted to be paid by the street railway lines for the use of the public parks. A monster mass-meeting was held at the Concordia on Wednesday evening to protest against the park-tax reduction. It is hardly possible that the Legislature would pass a bill against which all the people of the city, except those pecuniarily interested, seem to be opposed.

FOUR large tobacco factories in Baltimore employing over 1,000,000 people have inaugurated the eight-hour system without reduction of pay. The manufacturers state, says the *Sun*, that the increased outlay of paying the old wages for less hours and increasing the piece-workers' pay will amount in the various factories to from $8,000 to $10,000 the first year, but after awhile the matter will regulate itself, since the employes will do better work, and more work than formerly, in eight hours, and the better quality will bring a better price, so that the manufacturers will eventually be recompensed.

Another Prayer by Chaplain Milburn.

Chaplain Milburn's prayers have become about the most interesting of the Congressional proceeding. He opened the House Representatives last Saturday with the following invocation:

"Give ear, oh God of Jacob, and awaken us to see the danger which threatens the civilized world—a revolution more tremendous than any of which history tells, in which the scenes of the Reign of Terror may be enacted in every capital of Europe and America. For long the few have mastered the many, because the open secret—the tools to them that can use them; but now the many have learned the secret of organization, and dynamite. Rouse the rich of the world to understand that the time has come for grinding, selfish monopoly to cease, that corporations may get souls in them with justice, honor, conscience and human kindness. Teach great men of this country that great fortunes are lent them by Thee for other purposes than to build and decorate palaces, to found private collections of art, to stock wine cellars, to keep racing studs and yachts and the company of hostlers, grooms and jockeys, pool-sellers and book-makers. Teach them, oh God, that it is Thee who has given them power to get these fortunes, that it is to prove them, to know what is in their hearts, whether they will keep Thy commandments or no, and that those commandments are 'Thou shalt love the Lord they God with all thy heart and thy neighbor as thyself.' If the rich men of the land keep these commandments the poor will follow the example, and we, at least, will be saved from the days of tribulation that are fast coming on the world. Help us, O God and save us."

A Bill of Arbitration.

In the House of Representatives on Monday Mr. O'Neill introduced a bill on the arbitration question. He avers that it is rational, operative and constitutional. It is entitled a bill creating boards of arbitration for the speedy settlement of controversies and differences between common carriers, engaged in inter-State and territorial commerce or business, and their employes. The preamble recites that by section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution of the United States Congress is invested with full power and authority to provide for the general welfare of the people of the United States and to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the forgoing powers. It provides for the formation within the law of a tribunal consisting of one on each side of the controversy, the two to select a third. If they do not select, as provided, within three days, the United States Court of the jurisdiction in which the trouble exists shall do so. The tribunal shall have the standing of a United States Commission, with all its powers, and shall be paid in like manner.

GUESTS at the "Maltby House," Baltimore, have a choice of either American or European plans, as may best suit their convenience, and rates are surprisingly low.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The Legislature will adjourn by constitutional limitation next Monday night, April 5, at twelve o'clock.

The bill to reduce the park tax on the street railways in Baltimore was recommitted to the city delegation, nearly all of whom are opposed to its passage, and will not be again reported.

The Senate bill to make uniform the system of free public schools of the State was defeated in that body for want of a constitutional majority, but was afterwards reconsidered and postponed. There is no probability of its passage at this late day of the session.

At noon on Tuesday the general oyster bill was put upon its second reading in the House, and was under debate for nearly three hours.

Mr. Fitzgerald moved to amend by reducing the tonnage license from $3 to $2. The motion was lost. An amendment making the penalty for resisting an officer of the oyster navy while in the discharge of his duty a fine not exceeding $100, or confinement in the House of Correction, was adopted. An amendment changing the time for the closing of the tonging season from May 5 to April 25 was lost. An amendment limiting the quantity of oysters allowed to be taken from private beds during the closed season to one bushel was lost. The bill was then passed and sent to the Senate, where it was further amended and then referred to a committee of conference.

The 12-hour car-employes' labor bill has passed both houses and will be signed by the Governor.

The name of Speaker Seth, Gen. Frank A. Bond, Capt. W. C. Travers of Dorchester and Capt. J. Fletcher Wilson of Kent are mentioned in connection with the vacant position for commander of the oyster navy.

In the Senate on Monday night amendments reducing the militia appropriation from $50,000 were lost. The Senate also refused to strike out the appropriations for St. John's and Washington colleges.

The Senate bill to reduce marriage license to one dollar was amended in the House by reducing the fee to fifty cents. The Senate refused to concur in the amendment and the bill was referred to a joint committee of conference.

The Senate committee on elections will probably report that a tie exists between Messrs. Dennis and Henry, of Worcester county, and order a new election at the next general election.

LETTER FROM LOUSETOWN.

Messrs. Editors:—Seeing that this section of our county has been silent through the columns of your invaluable paper and also inferring from "Scrutator's" letter in your issue of March 20th, your humble scribbler believes the time has arrived for us to be heard if not seen.

We are glad that the old proverb, "It is an ill wind that blows no one any good," has been verified to the satisfaction of Lousetown, for the blustery north in two of his strokes has blown into our midst the magistrate and the postoffice, and we see in the near future two more storms, one in the north and the other in the south, each arrayed in deadly combat, which may land in our flourishing town the commander of the Mary Compton for the next two years, and the tax collector for the fifth election district.

Our new postmaster has fitted up the postoffice in New-York style. It is a beautiful sight these dark nights passing through Grey avenue in the vicinity of the postoffice.

We are proud that friend "Scrutator" speaks well of our postmaster. In the language of "Scrutator," our postmaster is a clever fellow, making use of every available means to give satisfaction to his patrons, spending many hours in the postoffice personally attending the mail matters.

Our newly-appointed magistrate is busy preparing to move into his new quarters adjoining the postoffice. He will be a desperate fellow to fall into the hands of, if the culprit should be guilty. We generally give him a wide berth when we meet him on the way, for when he gives one of his Indian whoops he means business.

Our enterprising young farmer, G. W. L. C., has had his whole farm plowed and put in excellent condition and seeded it all in clover. We presume from the preparations and his talk he intends to live in "clover" instead of the ark which he now lives in.

Our friends, the fishermen, come often to town to spend the evenings, and no doubt would come oftener if the dogs on the way were chained.

J. D. is daily expecting a summons to duty on the police force of Baltimore city; we shall miss him much when he is gone.

The oystering interest is now beginning to boom. We feel very anxious about the oyster bill to which Mr. Justis alludes in the NEWS of Saturday last.

Messrs. Editors, it may, or it may not be known to you, that our town boasts of a legislative body, but such is the case; the upper house composed of Messrs. H., as speaker, B., A., D., L., C., and the lower house is composed of Messrs. K., as president, B., S., D. We have passed many regulations and laws which may appear in due time.

Now, Messrs. Editors, we didn't intend to write much this time, it being the first effort on our part and having a dread of that ever-ready-to-receive waste basket. While we cannot to a great extent boast of our literary taste and our Estey organs, we can boast of our whole-heartedness and our babies. Yours, Y. O. P.

Entertainment at Edesville.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The exhibition given at the Edesville Hall by the band on Monday evening, March 22, was very good and well-attended. Some of the pieces deserve credit for the fine manner in which they were rendered, and the young ladies carried their parts exceedingly well; but "our Emma," as usual, comes in first, being somewhat fitted for just such things, with her acknowledged good looks and was the prima donna of the evening; but Eva, Gertie, Emma, and in fact all did so well we dare not say which did the best, and when we look at the boys it is hard to say who excelled, Carroll, with his "negroism," was a marvel, and did splendidly and created many a laugh — in fact he did so well that some were ready to risk a dollar on his being a "dink." Hash did well and but for a predominant trait in his figure he would have been hard to place in his Ethiopian rig; Walter, Lonie and Jim showed considerable earnestness and study in their parts which were creditably rendered. All seemed well pleased with the entertainment and we feel no doubt in saying that the house can be well-filled any time the boys feel inclined to give another. SYLVANUS.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.—The Rev. Mr. Sanders of the M. E. Church South, and the Rev. R. K. Stephenson of the M. E. Church are at their posts of duty. The latter gentleman, while bringing his horse and carriage from his old field of labor in Talbot county, had his horse frightened by a steam mill in Easton. The horse ran away with him, throwing him across a fence and breaking the carriage pretty badly. Mr. Stephenson was pretty sore for a few days from bruises, but there were no bones broken.

Presiding Elder France will hold the quarterly meeting and conference of the M. E. Church on Saturday and Sunday, April 3 and 4.

THE NEWNAM WILL CONTEST.—Bernard Carter, attorney for the caveators to the will of the late Rev. Edward B. Newnam, has notified Messrs. Brown and Hopper, attorneys for W. H. Gibson, executor, that he will be ready for trial at the coming term of the Circuit Court for Baltimore city, which convenes in May, next. The case will be tried before a jury. The caveators' contest will be on the ground that the testator was not of sound mind at the time of the execution of the will.—*Centreville Observer.*

CUSTOM HOUSE EXAMINATON.—Though no time has been set for the next civil-service examination for clerkships in the custom house, it is thought the examination will take place in May. The collector, while lately in Washington, made an effort to have the day set, and it will probably be fixed in about a month. The examinations for clerks in the custom house include writing from dictation, penmanship, copying, orthography, arithmetic, geography and history of the United States.—*Balto. Sun.*

SHAD FROM POOL'S ISLAND.—Mr. Charles Miller, of Pool's Island, sent to Baltimore on Monday, on the steamer Trumpeter, Capt. Candiff, a box of fine shad, being the first of the season caught at Pool's Island. This is the first shipment from the head of the bay. Capt. Cundiff says he has been in the steamboat business thirty-five years, and that he never heard before of shad being caught at Pool's Island so early in the season.

SLATE FOR FEDERAL OFFICES.—It is said that Mr. E. B. Prettyman, of Montgomery, chief clerk of the House of Delegates, is certainly booked to be Naval Officer Rasin's deputy, Senator Warfield to be surveyor of the port of Baltimore, and Senator Shriver to be one of Collector Groome's deputies. Fredk. J. Nelson, of Frederick, is mentioned for the auditor's place at the custom-house.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers of yesterday quote as follows: WHEAT—Longberry 97c.@98c.; Fultz, 95c.@96c. for fair to good. CORN—White, prime, 44@45; yellow, 45@46. OATS—37.

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Drs. T. H. & J. W. COOPER,
(HOMEOPATHIST,)
Chestertown, Md., opposite the Voshell House.

DR. S. C. PENNINGTON,
DENTIST,
81 N. Charles Street. Baltimore, Md.

DR. PENNINGTON was formerly associated with the late Dr. T. C. Norton, (for 17 years proprietor of the Colton Dental Association). Dr. Pennington is the only Dentist in the city that makes a SPECIALTY of Extracting Teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas.
Sept. 12—1885-y.

B. STRAUSS & CO.,
WHOLESALE LIQUOR DEALERS,
AND DISTILLERS' AGENTS
No. 124 Light Street, Baltimore, Md.

WE have opened on Light Street opposite Pier 7, where we will be pleased to meet our old friends and patrons; guaranteeing to do our utmost in pleasing and giving satisfaction. We are making a specialty of D. Faust's copper distilled

RYE WHISKEY

at $2 per gallon. Also Whiskeys as low as $1 25 per gallon, to the highest and best Old Rye Whiskey at $4 per gallon. We solicit a trial order. All orders by mail promptly attended to. Branch Store Camden street.

N. B.—Mr. WM. A. BURK is our agent in Chestertown, and all orders given him will be promptly attended to.

Our Mr. ISAAC HECHT will be over on the Tolchester boat every Tuesday and Friday to meet the Kent county people and get their orders. Nov. 28, 1885.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.,

LUMBER! LUMBER!

SHINGLES, LATHS, PICKETS, VIRGINIA PINE FRAME STUFF, VIRGINIA PINE BILL STUFF, WHITE PINE WEATHER-BOARDING, WHITE PINE BARN BOARDS, WHITE PINE SIDING.

Virginia Pine Siding, Virginia Pine Stock Barn Boards, Virginia Pine Flooring, Virginia Shingling Laths.

DOORS, DOORS, DOORS,
FRAMES, FRAMES, FRAMES,
BLINDS, BLINDS, BLINDS,
SASH, SASH, SASH.

A large stock of above Building Material, well made, well sawed and well seasoned, for sale at low prices. Would be pleased to make estimates for buyers.
mar6. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

HARDWARE!

SHOVELS, FORKS, SPADES, GRUB HOES, HATCHETS, AXES, BRACES and BITS, CHAIN and ROPE TRACES, WAGON and PLOW HAMES, BACKBANDS, PLOW LINES, &c., &c.,

Farm Bells! Farm Bells! Table and Pocket Cutlery, Locks, Bolts, Hinges, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes, Scrub Brushes, &c., for sale by

WM. A. WHEATLEY.

CUCUMBER WOOD PUMPS, lined and unlined, for wells of almost any depth and cheaper than ever, and for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY.

REMINGTON CARBON PLOWS and CASTINGS for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY.

WOODENWARE — Tubs, Buckets, Rolling Pins, Potato Mashers, Ironing Boards, Cake Boards, Lap Boards, Ladies' Work Tables, Slaw Cutters, Butter Prints, &c., for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY.

WHITEWASH BRUSHES for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY.

County Commissioners'
ANNUAL NOTICE.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Kent county will meet in their office in Chestertown,

EVERY TUESDAY

Until the 4th day of MAY next,

for the purpose of noting transfers and CORRECTING ASSESSMENTS.

All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since the last sitting of this Board for said purpose are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 18th of May next

NO ALTERATIONS or corrections in the assessments for the present year will be made.

TRUSTEES OF THE POOR will be appointed on the Second Monday—the 12th day of April, next,

COLLECTORS

OF STATE AND COUNTY TAXES for each Election District, and a

Keeper of the Standards of Weights and Measures

Will be appointed on

TUESDAY, the 13th of April next.

All persons having ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE COUNTY are requested to present the same on or before

Tuesday, the 1st day of June next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy this year. All accounts properly chargable 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.

J. C. WHEATLEY, Pres't.,
JOHN F. ERNEST,
BEDFORD ROE,
SAMUEL F. COOPER,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
Commissioners.

Attest:—
T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.
Feb. 27, 1886.

A Card to Our Friends and Patrons.

CERTAIN malicious persons interested in the manufacture and sale of Fertilizers in Kent county, have endeavored to make various parties (customers of ours) believe that we are no longer in the Fertilizer business. At present we will not mention the names of said falsifiers. We therefore wish to notify our friends, patrons and customers that we *are in the* Fertilizer Business, have never *gone out* of the business and *intend to stay* in the business as long as we can. We have removed our office to the corner of the Voshell House and will always be pleased to have any interested in Fertilizers, or not, call upon us. C. W. KENNARD & CO.
March 20, 1886—3t.

ASTHMA CURED! A SINGLE TRIAL convinces the most skeptical. GERMAN ASTHMA CURE instantly relieves the most violent attack; insures comfortable sleep; effects cures where all other remedies fail. No waiting for results. Its action is immediate, direct and certain, and a cure is effected in all CURABLE CASES. "It permanently cured me. Refer to me at any time." [illegible] Thousands of similar Letters on file. Ask any druggist about it. German Asthma Cure is sold by all druggists at 50c. and $1, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Trial package free to any address for stamp. R. SCHIFFMANN, M. D., St. Paul, Minn.

Many a Lady

is beautiful, all but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is Magnolia Balm.

Is It TRUE?

That there is a Shoe Store in Chestertown as well-equipped in Stock as are many of the first-class city stores

RUMOR says it is true, and we have investigated the matter and *know* from personal experience that not only this is true, but a

FURTHER TRUTH

is that at this store

Gentlemen's Shoes, Ladies' Shoes, Boys' & Misses' Shoes, anything and everything in Shoes, from a pair of Shoe Strings up to a pair of

THE FINEST

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hand-made Goods can be had at a

LOWER PRICE!

For the SAME QUALITY of WORK THAN IN THE CITY.

READERS!

please bear this in mind and govern yourselves accordingly.

NOW! the next important question is where is the Store? Answer:

GOSLEE,

THE SHOE MAN,
Adjoining the Bank, Chestertown, Md.

A full stock of RUBBERS for Ladies, Gents and Children now in stock. Please give me a call and if we don't satisfy you it will not be our fault.
Feb. 6, 1886.

T. SHAFER. JOHN MEDDERS.

SHAFER & MEDDERS,

KENNEDYVILLE, MD.,

Keep on hand a general supply and make to order

First Class FARM IMPLEMENTS

of all kinds. We keep in store a large stock of first class well seasoned material of all kinds, therefore we can and do guarantee our work to stand. It is not like work put up and sold as first class work that rattles to pieces in less than a year from imperfect workmanship and unseasoned material.

Our Dearborns, Carts,

PLOWS, HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, &c., are all well finished.

Our WAGONS,

for their neatness and lightness of build, yet strength and durability and light-running, acknowledge few their equals and NO SUPERIOR.

Carriage Repainting and Repairing

A SPECIALTY.

All other Repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

Special attention to Horse Shoeing.

OUR CHARGES to suit the times.

We cordially invite the public to call and see for themselves, get prices and examine our work of Twenty-four years' experience.

Thankful for past patronage we solicit a continuance of the same.

We are also agents for Kent county for Hench & Drumgold Riding Wheel Cultivator, the Taylor Riding Wheel Cultivator, The Taylor Iron Frame Cultivator and the celebrated Beedle & Kelly Corn Planter, and the Oliver Chilled PLOWS. Also all Repairs for same.

Correspondence solicited. All orders by mail will have prompt attention.
March 21, 1885.

WHEATLEY

has laid in a nice Line of

SEASONABLE GOODS!

consisting in part as follows:

CURRANTS, RAISINS, FIGS,
CITRON, CRANBERRIES,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
MINCEMEAT, ORANGES,
CRANBERRY SAUCE,
CHAMPAGNE CIDER,
APPLE & PEACH BUTTER, &c.

A Large Assortment of
Plain and French Candies.

Give us a call, get our prices and be convinced that we can offer you as good inducements as any place in town.

WHEATLEY BROS.,
Corner High and Kent Sts., up town

New Store Up Town.

J. T. BLACKWAY,

has just opened a full line of

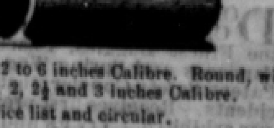
GROCERIES
—AND—
PROVISIONS,

which he offer to the public at lowest prices for Cash. We quote no prices but ask you to come and see us and we are sure you will come again.

COUNTRY PRODUCE SOLICITED.

We will thank you for a portion of your patronage. Yours, resp'y,
J. T. BLACKWAY,
N. E. corner High Street and College Avenue, Chestertown. 819-y.

JERMAN & COSGRIFF
(Successors to W. M. Bell,)
MANUFACTURERS OF
Porous Drain Tile!



Egg-Shaped, 2 to 6 inches Calibre. Round, with Collar, 2, 2½ and 3 inches Calibre.
Send for price list and circular.
Address, JERMAN & COSGRIFF,
13-tf. Smyrna, Del.

SHERIFF'S
LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and Others.

ALL PERSONS and Bodies Corporate or Politic in Kent County, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Law of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license or renew the same on or before the

First day of May, 1886,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of Stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows:

If the applicant's stock in trade does

not exceed $1,000	-	-	$12 60
Over 1,000 and not over		$1,500	15 60
" 1,500	"	2,500	18 60
" 2,500	"	4,000	22 00
" 4,000	"	6,000	30 60
" 6,000	"	8,000	40 60
" 7,000	"	10,000	50 60
" 10,000	"	15,000	65 60
" 15,000	"	20,000	80 60
" 20,000	"	30,000	100 60
" 30,000	"	40,000	125 60
" 40,000			150 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent County, to wit:

On this —— day of ——, 1886, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared —— ——, and declared that he intends to apply for a traders' license under the second section of the act of January session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and make oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership,) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade,) that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $——

Sworn before —— ——

If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Vendors of Cakes and vendors of Beer, who are makers of such Beer, (Lager Beer excepted,) are not required to take out License.

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

The License to be paid by the keepers of Oyster and Eating Houses is $50.60 throughout the State.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500 to pay a license of $6.60; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their licenses on or before the first day of May as other traders. The rates are as follows in the county:

To travel on foot - -	$41 00
With one horse and wagon -	51 00
With 2 horses and wagon -	71 00
FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:	
To travel on foot - -	$61 00
With one horse and wagon -	101 00
With 2 horses and wagon -	151 00

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddlers in the name or style of any partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, recoverable before any Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, bank-notes, or other obligation, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:

Exchange Broker - -	$100 60
Stock Broker - - -	75 60
Bill Broker - - -	50 60

The following Act—chapter 448, page 863—entitled "An Act to add to the 10th section of article 56, of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub-section, requiring a license to enable any person to act as Real Estate Broker," provides—

That "any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars, may obtain a license for carrying on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual copartnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate Broker without a license, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon the Brokers by section seventeen of this Article."

LICENSE TO OWNERS OR KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

The owner or keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted, to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the Counties of this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto, for said sum, shall be the license for stationing such Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid for said license be less than ten dollars; and that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid as stipulated above, one-half to the State and the other to the informer.

JAMES P. HATCHERSON,
April 3, 1886. SHERIFF.