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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....MAY 15, 1886.

A FAMOUS PETITION.

[Some years ago Jack Willis' petition to Congress for pardon attracted widespread attention. Although this remarkable document possesses a degree of merit far beyond many productions that have gained world-wide fame, it has well nigh passed from the public mind. Jack's petition was read in Congress by Proctor Knott, in that distinguished statesman's inimitable style, and his motion that the pardon be granted was seconded by the fiery radical leader of that period, Gen. B. F. Butler. The prayer for pardon was not only granted, but his more fervent petition for a good, fat office was promptly answered in the nature of an appointment as register of bankruptcy for one of the mountain districts of Kentucky.]

DEAR KNOTT—I thought as I had time,
I'd write to you and Beck in rhyme,
To let you know that I am well,
A span's length yet or more from hell.
I also send a petition signed
By loyal men who were so kind
As to indorse and recommend
For clemency your wayward friend.

Please push it through and thus relieve
A rebel who his past sins doth grieve:
And you may tell each friendly Rad
That although I was a rebel bad,
My penitence is deep and true,
More than I dare express to you.
When Jeptha, Judge of Israel, fought
The Amonitish hosts, and sought
A prayer the aid of Israel's God,
To drown his foes in their own blood,
He made a vow he "hadn't orter,"
And thereby lost his only daughter.

So, now, I am sure, old Jep repented
Until he felt almost demented.
All of Holy Writ is true,
Did Pharoah did the Jews pursue
With numerous hosts intent on slaughter,
Until he got neck-deep in water;
With penitence no doubt profound
His soul was filled before he drowned,
And thousands evil ways have tried
Who felt repentance ere they died,
But few have felt the deep contrition
As he who sends you this petition.
Some for their crimes get thrown in prison,
And some get ropes around their "wizen;"
Some after death are sent to hell;
All these can bear their fates quite well,
But he who with a gory hand
Stirs up rebellion in the land
Against the best government under the sun,
And fails in his purpose is forever undone.

No prison for him! Let no gallows be built!
The red ocean of hell is too mild for his guilt!
That pit of perdition where the devil and his kith
Are weeping and wailing and gnashing of their teeth,
Is too full of pleasure! Let's invent some new plan
To punish and torture the rebellious clan!
Thus our law-makers said, and with cruel intentment
Went to work and concocted the Fourteenth Amendment.

A man can stand being hung or put in jail,
Face the guillotine, too, without turning pale,
And pleasantly travel the pathway to hell,
And plunge in as though without fear he fell,
But just think, my dear Frock, and you are no novice,
How a Kentuckian feels when he can't hold office,
Old Spain's inquisition, and the racks there applied,
To torture mankind may thrice be multiplied.
Then add gallows and jail, and the fortunes of hell,
And the figures you get begin scarcely to tell
The miseries of him whose scale of descendment
Is laiddown in law in this Fourteenth Amendment
Not that he cares much for the Yankee blood spilt,
Or for those he has wounded or those he has kilt,
But his cup of misery he thinks full enough is
When he knows he's proscribed and can never hold office.
Remorse and repentance express but contentment,
When compared with the rule in this Fourteenth Amendment.
Why it's bad enough Frock, when he can't get elected,
It makes him feel sorry, repentant, dejected,
But to say he shant run, O, ye gods! what contrition
Fills up a man's heart in this awful condition!
Such a condition is mine, and it worries me more
And pierces my soul to my heart's very core,
And I am sure when your friends can see how I am grieved,
They'll hurry up the cakes and get me relieved,
O! my country, my country! How I'd like to serve it.
In some good, fat office, for I know I deserve it.
You may tell your friends, too, I'll remember in prayer,
Those who in relieving your friend shall take share;
And I'll here give a specimen prayer, by the way,
For fear you may think I don't know how to pray;
Thou Ruler of both good and bad
Look down and bless each friendly Rad,
Who hastens forward with agility
To free Jack Willis of disability;
May pleasure on his pathway shine;
May he for office never pine;
May he never know defeat,
Unless some Rob can get his seat.
May he live one thousand years,
His eyes be never wet with tears,
Except to be with tears of joy,
Of pleasure mixed with no alloy;
And spend his days in sweet contentment,
Far from the d—d Fourteenth Amendment.

A Royal Printer.

It is not generally known that Prince Ludwig of Battenberg, son of Prince Alexander of Hesse, is a practical printer. Like most of the princes of the Prussian royal house, who have been taught either an art or a trade, Prince Ludwig of Battenberg was early called upon to choose a calling, and his choice fell upon the art of Gutenberg. In the palace of his father, the prince has a printing office completely fitted up for ordinary printing and book work. Prince Ludwig prides himself on his ability to compete with compositors and printers who follow typography for a livelihood. What is still more interesting is that the princess, the eldest daughter of the Grand Duke of Hesse, is a printer, too, and that the high-born pair work regularly together at the case. The latest work which has come from Prince Ludwig of Battenberg's press is a volume of notes on travels written by the prince's sister, the Countess of Erback-Schonberg. The book is said to be executed in a thoroughly printer-like way.

Love Powder Complications.

A young woman living in the northwestern part of the State fell in love with a friend of her brother's, who was a frequent visitor at the house. She made a confidant of a colored woman, a servant in the family, and she procured of young mistress a love charm from a Second street herb doctor. He was a drunken old rascal and took snuff by the handful, and in some dropped some snuff in the love powder. The young woman gave it to the young man she had in a glass of wine and in five minutes he was the sickest man in the northern liberties. It was horror-stricken and called in a doctor. The girl's brother made the servant confess. Then he visited the quack, thrashed him and, turning home, discharged the servant, and only white girls are now employed by that family.

Many Beaux.

She was young, she was green, she was very new in Washington. At a recent swell affair she had gone with the crowd into the refreshment room. Presently an elegant looking waiter for all the world like a foreign ambassador bowed politely before her and murmured:

"Is there any one waiting on you, miss?"

"Sir? sir?" she stammered in startled embarrassment.

"Pardonnez moi. Is there any one waiting on you?"

"Oh!" she said, blushing brightly, "No, sir; not in Washington. But when I'm at home I've got more beaus than any other girl in town."

French Railway Employees.

Employees of French railway companies have exceptional privileges. Rates of freight on goods consigned to them personally are much lower than the usual rates. They receive through the special stores kept for them provisions of all kinds at wholesale prices. They can purchase fuel at the same money the company paid for it. They are attended by the company's physician when they are sick, and the medicine is supplied gratuitously. If employees are killed while on duty, their orphans are placed in proper institutions at the expense of the company, and kept there until they are seventeen years old.

A LADY who was a member of a class studying art concluded a recitation on Benjamin Hayden by saying that "toward the close of his life he committed suicide."

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion, Without injurious medication.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 182 Fulton Street, N. Y.

CARE OF HORSES.

1. Never allow any one to tease or tickle your horse in the stable. The animal only feels the torment and does not understand the joke. Vicious habits are thus easily brought on.

2. Never beat the horse when in the stable. Nothing so soon makes him permanently vicious.

3. Let the horse's litter be dry and clean underneath as well as on top. Standing on hot fermenting manure makes the hoofs soft, and brings on lameness.

4. Change the litter partially in some parts, and entirely in others, every morning; and brush out and clean the stall thoroughly.

5. To procure a good coat on your horse use plenty of rubbing and brushing. Plenty of "elbow grease" opens the pores, softens the skin and promotes the animal's general health.

6. Never clean a horse in his stable. The dust fouls the crib and makes him loathe his food.

7. Use the curry-comb lightly. When used roughly it is a source of great pain.

8. Let the heels be well-brushed out every night. Dirt, if allowed to cake in, causes grease and sore heels.

9. Whenever a horse is washed never leave him till he is rubbed quite dry. He will probably get a chill if neglected.

10. When a horse comes off a journey the first thing is to walk him about till he is cool if he is brought in hot. This prevents his taking cold.

11. The next thing is to groom him quite dry first with a wisp of straw and then with a brush. This removes dust, dirt and sweat, and allows time for the stomach to recover itself and the appetite to return.

12. Also let his legs be well-rubbed by the hand. Nothing so soon removes a stain. It also detects thorns or splinters, soothes the animal and enables him to feed comfortably.

13. Let the horse have some exercise every day. Otherwise he will be liable to fever or bad feet.

14. Let your horse stand loose, if possible, without being tied up to the manger. Pain and weariness from a confined position induce bad habits, and cause swollen feet and other disorders.

15. Look often at the animal's feet and legs. Disease or wounds in these parts, if at all neglected, soon become dangerous.

16. Every night look and see if there is any stone between the hoof and the shoe. Standing on it all night the horse will be lame the next morning.

17. If the horse remains in the stable his feet must be "stopped." Heat and dryness cause cracked hoofs and lameness.

18. The feet must not be "stopped" oftener than twice in the week. It will make the hoofs soft and bring on corns.

19. Do not urge the animal to drink water which he refuses. It is probably hard and unwholesome.

20. Never allow drugs to be administered to your horse without your knowledge. They are not needed to keep the animal in health and may do the greatest and most sudden mischief.

Legal Notices.

Ratification Notice.

Nichols, Shepard & Co.
versus
Thos. W. Ringgold and Thos. H. Stavely.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

May 1, 1886.

ORDERED, that the sale of the Nichols, Shepard & Co. Traction Self-guide Steam Engine and Thresher, Fixtures, &c., made and reported by HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the Eighth day of July, 1886, 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 eighth day of June, 1886, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $825.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

True copy.—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.

May 8, 1886—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

ROBERT M. DOWNEY,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of November, 1886, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 20th day of April, 1886.

JOSEPH DOWNEY,
apr24-4t. Adm'r.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

GEORGEANNA SPEAR,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of November, 1886, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 22d day of April, 1886.

S. C. DUDLEY,
ap24-4t. Executor.

THOS. J. IRVING & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF THE
DUPLEX ELLIPTIC YOKE SHIRTS!
ST. PAUL & FAYETTE STREETS,
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.
True Fit, First-Class Goods, Low Prices.
Dec. 19-6m.

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

POSITIVE PROOFS.

In other advertisements we have said that the *Russian Rheumatism Cure* was a specific for Rheumatism, and all its attendant aches and pains. These are simply **Plain Facts.** We now present some **Positive Proofs!**

Could one ask anything more to the point than this from Mr. H. EMANUEL, a prominent merchant of Brookfield, Mo., who writes Feb. 26, '86:

"When in Europe, two years ago, I tried hard to buy the receipt of this very remedy. I also told Count Theobold to get it for me at almost any price, but neither of our successful efforts myself, suffered with Rheumatism for years and spent hundreds of dollars, but never got any permanent relief until I tried this. Since then, over two years now, I have not suffered the least. I know it is a good thing. It will take like wildfire. Now I want the agency for five States."

Here is another from nearer home. Mr. J. D. WHITE is a leading business man of Bloomsburg Pa. His grandfather, over 80 years old, has been a great sufferer from Rheumatism. Nov. 24, 1885, Mr. WHITE writes us:

"Have read your circular. The country is so full of patent humbugs it is hard to make people believe any remedy has merit until it is tried. My grandfather is such a sufferer that he would gladly give for *a single day's relief*, ten times your price for a cure. He will try it any way, because he don't think your Rheumatism would keep anything without merit."

Dec. 31, he says: "My grandfather, pronounces the Russian Rheumatism Cure a first-class success. He is not relieved one day only, but *altogether*."

If you doubt either of these statements, write the parties; they'll gladly answer any inquiry. Our space does not permit further testimony. We have plenty of it, however. It makes quite a little book. We send it *free* to all who ask.

As yet it is not to be found at the stores, but can only be had by enclosing the price, and addressing the American proprietors.

PFAELZER BROS. & CO.
319-321 Market Street, Philadelphia.
Price $2.50. If mailed 10c. additional. If registered 15c. more.
ONE BOX DOES THE BUSINESS.

No Boiling, No Scalding Of Clothes.

OUR FORE-FATHERS SOAP

Ask Your Grocer For It.

FAC-SIMILE OF THE LABEL ON THE WRAPPER.

NO MORE A MYSTERY. THE REASONS GIVEN.
WHY DOES THE CLOTHING TEAR SO EASILY?

ANSWER.—From the use of strong and impure Soap, made up in salable forms and shapes, with which the market is flooded. If you want to be right sure use ECKERS' OUR FOREFATHERS' SOAP—three connecting 4-inch cakes, making each bar one foot long; weight 22½ ounces—recommended by the Best Families, Hotels and Institutions throughout the country. It is prepared by the Grecian Purifying, Boiling and Settling Process, from fresh, clean and selected butchers' tallow. By its use you run no risk of contracting any skin disease; no stiffness of the arms or wrist. A great saving of time and labor. WASHING CLOTHES WITH OR WITHOUT BOILING OR SCALDING. You can use it as you wish, but to wash without boiling or scalding observe these directions: Take lukewarm water, rub with soap particularly on dirty spots, soak half an hour or more, gently rub on board and your clothes will be clean. Try it for one month and you will be convinced of its great advantages. VERY IMPORTANT TO KNOW.—That the best remedy for washing flannels to keep them from shrinking—wash in lukewarm water with FOREFATHERS' OR ECKERS' BOARD OF HEALTH SOAP (the greatest disinfectant known), and dry in a warm room; cold water hardens flannels and drying in cold air shrinks them. Ask your grocer for it. ECKERS' SOAPS WILL WASH WITH OR WITHOUT BOILING OR SCALDING.

ECKER & CO., Manufacturers, Otis and Holman Streets, Philadelphia. *All Grocers Sell It.*

Professional Cards.

DR. JAMES W. URIE,
HOMEOPATHIST,
STILL POND, MD.

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

STEDMAN T. WICKES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
☞Office near the Court-House, adjoining J. A. Pearce, Esq. fe4to20-6m.

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
aug4-y.

JOHN D. URIE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office adjoining Store of T. W. Eliason, Jr.
Will practice in Kent and Queen Anne's Counties. jan17.

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.

COMMISSION CARDS.

DAVID B. STEWART. GEO. W. BERRY.

D. B. STEWART & CO.,
General Commission Merchants
And Wholesale Dealers in
Foreign and Domestic FRUITS,
Live Stock, Poultry, Eggs, Dried Fruits, Canned Goods, &c.
Southern Fruits and Vegetables a specialty.
150 W. PRATT ST., Baltimore, Md.
☞Orders for Sweet Potatoes, Aspinwall Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and produce generally, promptly filled. fe9.

R. NELSON STEVENS,
—WITH—
WRIGHT & SPARKS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
91 South Charles St., Baltimore, Md.,
FOR THE SALE OF
Grain, Tobacco, Fruits, Poultry, Live Stock, Wool, Hides and General Produce.
REFERENCES:—Citizens' Nat'l Bank, Drovers and Mechanics' National Bank. fi3.

R. GROVES. T. H. WINPENNY.
G. W. C. SHUSTER
—WITH—
GROVES & WINPENNY
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
FOR THE SALE OF
GRAIN AND ALL KINDS OF FRUITS,
PEACHES A SPECIALTY.
114 Light Street, - - Baltimore, Md.
REFERENCE BY PERMISSION:
Jno. W. Loud, B. F. Beck, Jno. Brice, J. C. Loud, J. A. Grover, E. B. Jones, James Shuster, G. H. Watts,—all of Kent county. m17.

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Successors to Barkman & Lawder,
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For the sale of Fruits, Fish, Wool, Poultry, Live Stock, &c., &c,
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CREW & JEROME,
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FOR THE SALE OF
GRAIN, FRUIT AND PRODUCE GENERALLY,
No. 3 Camden Street, BALTIMORE,
Near Light Street Wharf.
Consignments respectfully solicited. Correspondence promptly and cheerfully answered.

ANDREW W. WOODALL,
(Successor to Greenwood & Woodall,)
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No. 53 West Pratt Street.
☞Special attention given to the sale of Grain, Dried, Evaporated and Green Fruits.

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WM. H. RUTTER,
WITH
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Commission Merchants.
GRAIN, SEEDS, HAY &c.,
No. 68 South Street, Baltimore, Md.
REFERENCE:—Citizens' National Bank.
o10-y. Agents for Wheeler Line of Steamers.

PHILADELPHIA.
J. THOMAS GALE
—WITH—
BROWN & McMAHON,
GENERAL PRODUCE DEALERS IN
FRUITS, LIVE STOCK, POULTRY, EGGS,
Dried, Evaporated and Canned Fruits.
No. 334 North Front Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
☞Consignments solicited. Correspondence promptly and cheerfully answered. m6-6m.

The Cooley Creamers
IN FOUR STYLES,
Senior, Junior, Elevator and Cabinet.
The Cooley system possesses a two-fold advantage; it is submerged and water-sealed, which is of the very greatest benefit, increasing the cooling surface and keeping the cream from oxodizing, thus allowing all gases or odors to penetrate it, and be absorbed by the water. The above Creamers guaranteed and for sale at manufacturer's prices
by J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.,
March 27-tf. Chestertown.

DO you want a good FARM WAGON or DEARBORN, either Elliptic Springs or Platform? If you do call at CHAPMAN & LAMBERT'S and be surprised at the reduction in price before buying. m29.

Just Unloaded
FULL CAR LOAD
No. 1
HEMLOCK PICKETS!
ALSO, CAR LOAD NO. 1
White Pine Pickets,
and 2x3, 2x4, 1x6
White Pine Rails
Also, booking Orders for CYPRESS to arrive for free delivery on all orders entered within the next ten days.
JOSEPH TURNER.
April 3, 1886.

THE GREAT
TOBACCO EMPORIUM!
OF CHESTERTOWN.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
J. LLOYD McFEELY,
has opened a
Tobacco Store!
His stock comprising
Tobacco, Cigars, Pipes, Snuff, Smoking Tobaccoes, Cigarettes, Cigar Smokers, Cigarette Smokers, &c., and other things pertaining to a Tobacco Store.
Also, B. F. GRAVELY'S Leading Brand.
☞Special inducements to merchants. I will furnish dealers with all grades of Tobacco or Cigars at the cost of same in the city, thus saving expense of freight, &c. Give me a trial.
Store opposite the Bank.
fe27. J. LLOYD McFEELY.

The Tariff Reduced!
Not anticipating these hard times and scarcity of money, I bought for THIS SPRING AND SUMMER a very heavy stock of
MEN AND BOYS'
COARSE AND FINE SHOES,
which MUST BE SOLD, and in order that they may be sold soon I propose to offer them to all cash buyers at a very small margin above first cost.
They are all FRESH and STYLISH GOODS and we only make this offer because we need money.
We have a variety of other goods, such as SUGAR, Coffee, Flour and Molasses; Segars and Tobacco, Powder and Shot, and many other articles, all of which can be bought at a low figure for the money.

This is NO HUMBUG
but we intend to do just what we say.—But in order to be convinced of the truth of this statement, we invite you to call—with the money—and we feel sure that we can satisfy you both in the price and quality of goods.
Remember the place:
JAMES A. SHAW,
COURT STREET, Chestertown
mh21.

CHESTERTOWN
PLUMBING HOUSE!
CLEMENTS & YORK
WATER, GAS AND STEAM,
WINDMILLS and PUMPS.
WE are now prepared to make contracts, and do all kinds of work appertaining to WATER, GAS and STEAM; also a full line of
STEAM VALVES, FAUCETS,
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also a Full Line of Brass Work and Fittings for Plumbing Work.
PIPE OF ALL SIZES | Both Plain and Galvanized.
Bath-Tubs, Kitchen Sinks, Hydrants, Street Sprinklers and Water Closets, Terra-Cotta Pipe, Bends and Branches of all descriptions.
Work done by Practical Mechanics.
☞Repairing promptly attended to.
SANITARY PLUMBING,
DRAINAGE & VENTILATION
☞A SPECIALTY.☜
ESTIMATES MADE FREE OF CHARGE.
OFFICE—under "KENT NEWS" Office.
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CARPETS!
BRUSSELS, INGRAIN, RAG AND Oil Cloths.
We offer these goods at less than city prices. Choice variety of new designs to select from. Every yard guaranteed as represented or no sale. Strictly one price, but that the lowest.
JOHN BARTLEY,
Carpet Weaver, nearly opposite the Jail, Chestertown, Md. apr10-tf.

SHOES for spring and summer wear for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, at low prices.
apr24. J. H. SIMPERS.

A GOOD HOE and the Best Garden Rake can be found at
a3. W. A. WHEATLEY'S.

THE DAVIS SWING CHURN for sale by
m27-tf. J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

SAMUEL BURNS & CO.,
LUMBER!
SHINGLES, LATHS, PICKETS,
SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, BRICKS, LIME &C.,
104 Light Street Wharf, Baltimore.

GEO. F. SLOAN & BRO.,
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Shingles, Lath, Doors, Sash, Blinds
Lime and Brick.
GEORGE F. SLOAN & BRO.,
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RETAIL DEALER AND JOBBER OF
Breech and Muzzle Loading Guns
RIFLES, REVOLVERS,
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BALL TRAPS, LEATHER and CANVAS GOODS.
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W. S. TAYLOR. WM. SPRIGG.
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140 Light Street Wharf, BALTIMORE
LUMBER, SHINGLES,
Sash, Doors, Blinds, BUILDING LUMBER *Bricks, Lime, Hair.*
OF ALL KINDS.
FLOORING, PALES, FENCING, &c.

$20 IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!
CARIB
TRADE MARK.
FOR CORN, WHEAT, GRASS. FOR COTTON, TOBACCO VEGETABLES
GUANO
A RICH
NATURAL GUANO
Recently Discovered in a Tropical Island.
CHEAP. PROMPT. DURABLE.
GUARANTEED to Analyze BONE PHOSPHATE LIME from 45 per cent. up.
HIGH IN VALUE! {GOOD AGENTS WANTED.} LOW IN PRICE!
☞DRILLS WELL and HELP'S the LAND at ONCE. Order Early. Send for Circulars. IMPORTED BY
L. N. & J. S. HOPKINS, BALTIMORE.
ROOM 9, 25 S. CAY STREET,

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.

SUMMER SILKS! SUMMER SILKS! After this date will offer our 50c. quality at 40c. per yard, net cash.
m8. R. F. PARKS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE
—TO THE—
TRAVELING PUBLIC.
Notice is hereby given that all manner of vehicles are
Positively Prohibited
being driven on the new road over the mill dam at Fairlee Mill, until filled out to its intended width and opened for travel. Persons driving over said road in violation of this notice do so at THEIR OWN RISK.
By order: T. W. RUSSELL,
jy9-tf. Clerk Co. Com.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING!
As well as all other kinds of TINWORK done CHEAP and at short notice.
W. A. WHEATLEY.

MATTINGS.—Just received a large stock, which we offer at lowest prices.
J. H. SIMPERS.

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.

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.

Gold and Silver
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SPRING SCHEDULE.

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On Monday, April 12, and until further notice the steamers of this Co. will run as follows:

The Steamer EMMA A. FORD

will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock a. m. for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. Wharf, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10 a. m. for the above landings.

The Steamer CORSICA

will leave Crumpton every Tuesday and Thurs, day at 3 o'clock p. m., and on Saturday at 12 o'clock m., stopping at Story's, Deep Landing, Round Top, Chestertown, Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck and Centreville. ☞Will leave Chestertown at 5 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday and Thursday and at 3 o'clock p. m. on Saturday.

Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. Wharf, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday night at 11 o'clock for the above landings.

GEO. WARFIELD,
April 10, 1886. PRESIDENT.

Sassafras River Line!

Steamer TRUMPETER

will resume her trips on Thursday, February 25.

Will leave Pier 6, Light street wharf, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10½ o'clock a. m., for Buck Neck and all landings on Sassafras River.

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CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after Wednesday, Mar. 24, 1886, until further notice, (Sundays excepted), Trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH.				GOING SOUTH.		
Pass. & Frt.	Pass. & Frt.	Pass. & Frt.		Pass. & Frt.	Pass. No. 2	Pass. No. 4
No 1 daily.	No 3 daily.	No 5 Thurs		No 2 daily.	No 3 Thurs	
A M	P M	P M		P M	P M	P M
6 30	3 00	5 00	Live Oak	1 40	5 40	8 40
6 47	3 17	5 17	Porter's	1 23	5 23	8 23
6 53	3 23	5 23	Lynch's	1 20	5 20	8 20
7 00	3 30	5 30	Still Pond	1 10	5 10	8 15
7 13	3 43	5 43	Kennedyville	12 55	4 55	8 05
7 27	3 57	5 57	Black's	12 40	4 40	7 50
7 41	4 11	6 11	Lambson's	12 25	4 25	7 36
7 55	4 25	6 25	Massey's	12 10	4 10	7 20
8 06	4 36	6 36	Delaney's	11 59	3 59	7 09
8 13	4 43	6 43	Chesterhan	11 52	3 52	7 02
8 30	5 00	7 00	Clayton	11 35	3 35	6 45
8 45	5 15	7 15	Delaware City	11 20	3 20	6 30
9 04	5 37	7 37	Middletown	11 00	3 00	6 11
9 42	6 30	8 30	Wilmington	10 15	2 15	5 50
10 30	7 15	9 15	Philadelphia	9 30	1 30	5 01
12 42	9 05	11 05	Baltimore	7 20	11 20	2 50
1 20	10 05	New York		6 20	11 20	
1 45	10 15	Washington		7 45	11 40	
P M	P M			A M	A M	

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents. Freight for Bingham's and Nicholson's must be prepaid.

The morning trains make close connection at Clayton with trains on Delaware railroad going North and South.

Passengers on morning train for Baltimore change cars at Wilmington.

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DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after April, 11 1886, (Sundays excepted), trains will leave as follows:

SOUTHWARD.				NORTHWARD.		
PASS	EXP	PASS		PASS	EXP	PASS
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
5 21	3 01	9 10	7 34	Philadel'a	9 40	10 35	1 40	7 31
5 25	3 30	9 20	6 40	Baltimore	11 10	11 10	3 10	9 37
6 25	3 50	10 15	8 35	Wilming'n	8 55	9 40	12 40	6 30
6 33				Harr's Corn'r	8 45	12 37		
6 40	4 04	10 28	8 49	New Castle	8 37	9 31	12 23	6 14
6 46		10 34	8 55	State Road	8 31		12 16	6 07
6 53		10 39	9 00	Bear	8 25		12 11	6 01
7 01	4 16