Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.........MAY 29, 1886.

Still Pond Agricultural and Horticultural Club Rooms, May 22, 1886.

The club organized today with its president, Mr. J. S. Harris, in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The roll being called a goodly number of members answered to their names.

One feature of the exercises called forth considerable discussion. Our order of business provides for the appointment of a committee at each meeting to visit the farm of some member of the club and report the *modus operandi* of his farming, to observe the important details practiced, to note any new or improved mode adopted and to investigate and criticise (mildly) his operations generally, in order for the instruction and edification of the members. * * * The first farm to be visited is Dr. W. S. Maxwell's, and knowing the good nature of the doctor, his size and his thorough, systematic mode of farming and fruit growing, we do not hesitate to inform your readers that this first effort will be harmonious and free from danger.

The question of the day came up for discussion, viz: Has the use of commercial fertilizers been a benefit to the people of Kent county? The lateness of the hour prevented a thorough discussion of this most important question. One member took strong grounds on the negative side of this question, quoting numerous cases of excellent crops of wheat being grown a number of years ago when fertilizers were unknown, and comparing them with crops grown now, where heavy applications of fertilizers have been made, claiming that recent crops are no better than those grown in the remote period. It came out, however, that this friend now and has for many years used liberally of fertilizers, and assigns as a reason for its use that it has so stimulated and improved his land that he is compelled to use it now to grow anything. Query: How long by such treatment will it require to so impoverish land as to render it worthless?

Another member cited a case where an extremely poor farm was enriched to such an extent by the use of fertilizers alone that it was acknowledged to be one of the finest in the county in which it is located, not a shovelful of lime used in the process. We only have space and time to give extremes in this debate. The science, skill and logic indulged in I must leave to the imagination of the reader. But suffice it to say, the farming world will still use fertilizers be it hazardous or otherwise.

It could hardly be expected that we could adjourn without again discussing the peach exchange question; it being the all-absorbing topic with us now. The more we discuss it, the more critically we examine it, the more wisdom, practical financial interest and good sense we see in it to the fruit-grower. We want rapid transit; we want the broad United States as a field of operation; we want to so dispense it that no place will be glutted for a single day; we want the buyers from these regions brought to one point for supply, so we may have the advantage of their competition. They have the means and knowledge necessary to enable them to distribute the product systematically and intelligently. All this we may have by organizing and systematizing our operations; all this we may have we believe by working under one general management; divide this management and we weaken our chances, influence, power, prestige; divide this into a dozen managements and we believe our cause lost. "In union there is strength." Let us not forget this. How we wish our brothers of the Worton club could have heard Messrs. Brown and Webb. I am sure they would have made converts there, as they are doing wherever they go. They are logical and clear in argument; they are honest, intelligent business gentlemen, who know what they are about; they have the successful workings of the Delaware Fruit Exchange to back them; they have the confidence and respect of the best men in Delaware. Now, let us fall into line and with one common cause or interest (Worton included). We can thus save ourselves the disastrous and humiliating effects of gluts. We have suffered this long enough; does it not behoove us as wise, discreet citizens to prevent by every proper means in our power a recurrence of this demoralizing condition of things.

Please excuse, Messrs. Editors, this lengthy epistle, but our interest in this subject waxes warm. We will endeavor in the future not to afflict you so again. OBSERVER.

EVIDENCE IN THE MAXWELL TRIAL.

The Prisoner's Confession to a Supposed Forger.

In the Maxwell-Preller murder trial at St. Louis on Monday, testimony was given by J. F. McCullough, a detective, who, under the direction of Detective Furlong, District-Attorney Clover and his assistant, McDonald, forged a check on an Eastern house and presented it at one of the city banks. He was arrested and placed in jail, and assigned a cell adjoining that of Maxwell. He testified that immediately after his incarceration he introduced himself to Maxwell and worked himself into his confidence, and about ten days afterwards he became engaged in a conversation with Maxwell about the murder case. During the conversation the defendant told the witness that the only point in his case about which he felt concerned and uneasy was that in relation to the money. He said that if he could only prove that he had plenty of money when Preller came to St. Louis he would have no doubts about a speedy acquittal. The witness offered to fix that all right, but told the defendant that he must know all about the case or could do nothing. Maxwell then made a free and full confession of all particulars of the case, beginning with his first acquaintance with Preller. On shipboard he noticed that Preller had in his possession a large amount of money. They separated in Boston, Preller going to Philadelphia and Maxwell coming to St. Louis. The defendant in his confession said that on the Friday night after Preller joined him in St. Louis he told him (Maxwell) that it would be impossible for him to pay the defendant's way to Auckland, whither they had arranged to go together. This, said the defendant to the witness, angered him greatly, and he determined then to "fix" him for his meanness. On the following night he and Preller were sitting in the former's room, when the latter complained of severe pains in his side. Maxwell said: "Oh, I can fix that all right; I have treated such cases before." He then injected hypodermically into his friend's arm a sufficient amount of morphine to render him unconscious. After he had been in this condition for some time he bound a cloth completely saturated with chloroform about his friend's head, and this, he confessed to the witness, "ended the business." He then secured all of Preller's money, about $6,800 in all, besides the most of his valuable personal effects, and planned his escape.

With this confession of Maxwell the State officers think they have established a perfect case, and Tuesday morning, after introducing some odds and ends of testimony, the State rested.

GOV. LEE IN CINCINNATI.—Govs. Wilson, of West Virginia, Lee, of Virginia, and Foraker, of Ohio, who are in Cincinnati as guests of the Festival Association, were introduced to the members of the Chamber of Commerc, Saturday, by President Stevens. Gov. Lee, who was received with shouts of applause, made a speech, in the course of which he referred to the late war, and its events, which he said should be consigned to forgetfulness, or if remembered at all, should be thought of and talked of as evidences of American valor and fidelity. No men, he said, could be brought to face such storms of shot and shell as were poured upon the Southern soldier unless they thought their cause was just. He was happy to say that Virginia's aim to take her place in the coronet of the American Union, and by her helpfulness in advancing the interests of the common country to become a bright and flashing jewel. His remarks were applauded.

Gov. Foraker followed, saying he was delighted to see the earnestness of the greeting given Gov. Lee, who now for the first time visited Ohio. It would show him that, though Ohio's sons had fought Virginians, it was not through hate. Rather Ohio loved Virginia so well that she would not allow her to separate from the Union. The war had settled their differences for all time, and now the common desires of patriots everywhere was to build up the whole country. Loud applause followed.

The governors then held a reception, and were met by many of the prominent members of the Chamber of Commerce.

A MOVE IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.—The appropriation for the civil-service commission of $21,400 for salaries, as reported to the House of Representatives in the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, provides that the appropriation shall be available only "when the rules of the civil-service commission are so framed as that the names of applicants for official appointments from any one State, found duly qualified on examination and without regard to age, shall be sent to the head of a department or other officer charged with making an appointment."

ANOTHER STOCK FARM IN QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.—Mr. James S. Hill, of Media, Pa., who recently purchased a farm in Queen Anne's county, Md., situate near Ashland Station, Queen Anne's & Kent Railroad, of Mr. Walter J. Draper, containing 160 acres, proposes to make it a nursery for thoroughbred and standard-bred trotting stock. His paddock will consist principally of thoroughbreds.

CONCERNING the President's marriage it might be said that this nation still boasts of any number of fellows who are willing to mind the other fellow's business.—*Phila. Times.*

Brief Notes for the "News."

CHILDREN'S DAY AT ST. JAMES' — WELCOME VISITOR —A LOUD ENDORSEMENT, &C.

Messrs. Editors:—The observance of the day appointed for the children at St. James' M. P. Church was the occasion of a crowded house and a beautiful display. The floral decorations were tasteful, the children acquitted themselves with credit, and everything was done decently and in order under the skillful management of the superintendent, Mr. W. G. Skirven, and his zealous corps of teachers. Quite a sum was contributed to foreign mission work after an appropriate address by President Lewis of the Western Maryland College. The music was particularly fine and gave great satisfaction, especially a solo by Miss Blanche Smyth, a little daughter of R. C. Smyth, Esq.

At the hospitable board of L. Alrich and lady I met Rev. J. L. Houston, a retired minister of the M. E. Philadelphia Conference, who supplied the pulpits of Kent circuit over forty years ago. After tea he rode out with Brother Alrich to Salem and made a brief address, displaying something of the wonted fire of his youthful ministry. He is past his three score and ten, but healthy and vivacious. He left on Monday for a visit to a daughter in New York.

The remark of your correspondent in reference to cattle in our school grounds meets with general approval, and will apply as well to our cemeteries and church grounds. The sexton is expected to keep the premises under his care in a decently clean and neat condition, and however humble the position may be he should take a pride in filling it creditably. How grazing the churchyard can add to the attractiveness of the premises the sexton of Salem Church and his friends fail to discover.

Many of the farmers hereabout have planted no corn yet.

Thermometer 50° at sunrise this morning—easterly exposure.

It is not too late to remind your readers of the Salem Mission Festival, 28th and 29th inst. The friends of the mission will be glad to give them a hearty welcome and a good supper.

FAIRLEE, May 26. SIMON SHARP.

Worton Agr'l Club and Peach Exchange.

CLUB ROOM, May 24, 1886.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The society was called to order by the president with a good attendance and more would have been present had it not been so inclement. We had a very interesting meeting. The regular routine business was gone through and the regular subject—"What is the outlook for the Peach business in the near future" was discussed with interest and profit. It was generally thought that there was nothing to discourage the peach-grower, as new avenues and facilities were opening every year for the use of the peach. It was urged that the orchards should be well and properly cared for so as to raise good fruit and if handled carefully the price would always be remunerative and that we could realize more by growing peaches than wheat or corn.

The society adjourned after a session of an hour and a-half to give the Peach Exchange an opportunity to transact business.

MARYLAND PEACH EXCHANGE.

The exchange organized with the president in the chair and Wm. P. Norris, secretary, read the minutes of last meeting, which were approved. The business of the exchange was discussed and a committee appointed to attend the peach-growers' meeting to be held at Chestertown on Saturday, May 29, and represent us there. Several resolutions were given them to use if in their judgment they thought advisable; also a committee to prepare constitution and by-laws and to prepare an act of incorporation.

Several new members were received and we now have between thirty and forty members.

It is desired that every member should be present next Monday at three o'clock, as the constitution, by-laws and act of incorporation will be adopted, and that they come prepared to pay their annual fee. We hope others may come out and join us. X.

HERR MOST, the New York anarchist, is a fair sample of the cowardly villains who have been preaching the gospel of dynamite, arson, pillage and murder. Like all his tribe, he is a foreigner, driven from Europe to escape a felon's doom. He publishes a newspaper, which is given up to bitter denunciations of capital, society, law, order and religion. One would suppose, from his passionate appeals for an uprising of laboring men, that at least he had the courage of his convictions. But upon the first intimation that he was wanted in a court of justice, he goes into hiding, and is finally found in a den of prostitutes, and is hauled out from under a bed, pale, haggard and the picture of an abject coward. The same story as to arrant cowardice of Most confederates comes from Chicago, Milwaukee and other cities. Why should wild beasts be caged and dangerous animals shot, and these lawless, cowardly criminals be allowed to run at large?

MARYLAND SUNDAY-SCHOOL UNION.—At a meeting of the board of managers of the Maryland Sunday-School Union in Baltimore on Tuesday, President G. S. Griffith in the chair, State Superintendent Wm. A. Baker read his report, showing that the Sunday-school work throughout the State was never more prosperous than at present. The Union has four missionaries in the field, besides the State superintendent, one being a colored missionary.

THE BIGGEST BEEF CONTRACT ON RECORD.—The packing house of Armour & Co., of Chicago, has executed a contract to supply the French government with 7,000,000 pounds of beef in cans, to be put up in the special cans adopted for use by the French army. This is stated to be the largest individual contract ever awarded to one firm in the meat packing industry.

OWING to the frequency with which stables in Harford county have been recently broken open and horses and other articles stolen, the farmers and stock-owners met at Perrymansville a few days ago and took preliminary steps to organize a society for mutual protection against horse-thieves and other rogues.

THE negroes of the South are not the shiftless creatures they are popularly credited with being. In Charleston according to the *News and Courier*, they have $124,936 on deposit in five savings banks, the largest sum belonging to one person being $8,747 and the smallest $1.

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

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Total " "	11 to 13	" "
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W. J. Smith........Beaver Dams
T. J. Tucker........Rolph's Wharf
Mrs. Walter Draper........Hayden's Station
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Mr. Boyle........Halls X Roads
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Wm Richardson........Queen Annes Station
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Joseph H. Richardson........Queen Anne Station
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W H Slaughter........Bridgetown
John Meredith........Wye Mills
W S Roberts—Piano........Centreville
Lemuel Coursey........Bridgetown
Elijah Simpson........near Centreville
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Christopher Weedman........"
Thomas Robinson........"
Samuel Phillipps........"
Joseph Kendall........"
John Rochester........Church Hill
John Coppage........"
Benjamin Coppage........"
Rev Wm Crouse........Crumpton
Wm Bamberger........Millington
J E Cooper........Ruthsburg
P T Potts........"
Frank Lowe........Bryantown
William Curlett........Templeville
Dr L W Evans........"
James Guessford........Sudlersville
J B Hazell........"
James Tucker........Rolphs Wharf
William Taylor........Church Hill
John W Duling........Millington
John Wallace........Coxs Station
John T Baxter........Crumpton
James W Harrington........Prices Station
W E Tolson........Hope
W J Timms........Kent Island
Capt James E Kirwan........"
Rev Jacob Yingling........"
Capt W E Johnson........"
B F Palmatory........Roesville
John C Bright........Kent Island
C A Groves........"
E H and S R Quinn........"
T R Carville........"

☞ In my absence from the store word may be left with Mr. Hudgins next door, and will be attended to.

Persons desiring these elegant instruments should address

EDWARD PLOTTS,
m22-2m. Chestertown, Md.

FORD'S BAZAR!

51 West Baltimore Street,

IS now offering special bargains in nearly every department. They have reduced the regular $3.50 Hanging Lamp to $2, and the regular $4 polished brass hanging lamp, with prisms, to $2.75; and one still better, with decorated shade, for $3.25. One very fine for $3.90, worth $6. We sell the regular $1 stand lamp, with 7-inch shade, for 75 cents, and a good $1.50 lamp for $1. Electric stand lamps $1.25, $1.50, $1.75. We have more than one hundred different varieties of stand lamps, hanging lamps, at wholesale prices.

SILVERWARE.—We have reduced our $1.50 Castors to $1, and the $3 to $2; a good $5 castor for $3.50. A set of good silver-plated knives, 95 cents; and tablespoons for 50 cents; a set of Rogers & Bros'. teaspoons $1, worth $1.50; a set of Rogers' tablespoons $2, worth $3; a set of Rogers & Bros'. triple-plated teaknives $1.50, worth $2. A good, round, nickle clock 90 cents; a good, nickle, alarm clock $1.25; a fine eight-day clock $3.25. A good music box 75 cents, worth $1.50; a very fine four-tune music box $10, worth $15. A set of good knives and forks 50 cents; a set of knives and forks 75 cents, worth $1.25; a set of knives and forks for $1. worth $1.75. Ladies' and gent's satchels, all styles and sizes. Bird cages and picture frames, all styles. Ornaments, statues and vases. Jewelry, dolls, doll-carriages and wagons.

The greatest variety of fancy goods for wedding presents, birthday gifts, &c. Also useful and ornamental household goods of nearly every description. Baby carriages in great variety. Albums at half-price, fancy glass-ware and glass shades, brackets, stand-tables, and thousands of other articles, at lowest prices.

—FORD'S BAZAR—
51 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore.

POULTRILINA

—FOR—

Chicken Cholera.

A Safe and Effective Remedy for Cholera in Chickens and Turkeys. Used also for Fever and Drooping. This Remedy has not been placed upon the market until thoroughly tested, and as in almost every instance a Cure has been obtained, we feel safe in saying from the experiments of many ladies who have used it, that it is the

SUREST CURE YET DISCOVERED!

The use of a small portion in the daily food of Chickens will keep them Free from Disease during the entire season.

Poultrilina is warranted pure, and made of the best material. Price per package, 25 cents. May be obtained at wholesale from Messrs. Gilpin, Langdon & Co., Baltimore.

COLIN F. STAM,
May 8, 1886. Chestertown, Md.

FARMERS LOOK HERE!

—THE—

Port Kennedy Lime Co.,

(SUCCESSORS TO THE LATE JOHN KENNEDY,)

are making LIME equal to any in the market and are ready to supply it on reasonable terms. Address orders to

J. B. POWEL,
Manager, Port Kennedy, Montgomery Co., Pa.
Feb. 20-6m.

REID'S CREAMERY!

FOR SALE.

THEY give entire satisfaction and in many respects are superior to other makes.

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PRICES REDUCED TO GRAIN BASIS

—ON—

FIRST-CLASS WORK!

GUARANTEED BY THE OLD RELIABLE FIRM,

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT

We are manufacturing some of the finest work done in this State. We sell First-Class Work. If you want

A Good Carriage

it will be to your interest to buy of us, as we are now—after Twenty-Two years' experience—better able to suit you in every respect.

Light Phætons, Brewster Spring Buggies, Dayton and Jump-Seat Carriages.

We do not offer this work in competition with the shoddy work, but sell it on its merits, and our reputation.

All kinds of REPAIRING done neatly and with dispatch. Do you want your Carriage newly painted this Spring? If so, go to a carriage shop and have it done with English Varnish by a first-class painter, and you will get what you want.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.
March 20, 1886.

Money Saved is Money Made." This, You can Do by Buying Goods of

THOMPSON—Up Town.

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

WE will sell you good brown Sugar at 6c., good Green and Roasted Coffee at 12½c. and 10 lbs. Granulated Sugar at 80c., cash.

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

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

☞ Give us a call and we will prove to you that we mean business. Thankful for past favors we are

Yours obediently, &c.,
WM. C. A. THOMPSON,
Sept. 19, 1885. UP TOWN.

WORTON MANOR STOCK FARM.

Imported Ram, J. J. COLEMAN, No. 16,
Registered in American Southdown Record No. 1001.

Thoroughbred Southdowns, Yearlings and Lambs.

The above named Buck stands at the head of my flock of pure Southdown Ewes. The Yearlings are ready to deliver at any time. The Lambs will be ready by August 1st.

A few choice Boar Pigs from my registered Chester White Hog. Also, some Hereford Calves by our registered Bull Adventure, No. 12794.

JOHN GALE,
May 15, 1886. Hanesville, Kent Co., Md.

Continental Fire Ins. Co.

Cash Assets, Jan. 1st 1885 $4,938,501.92

Will insure all kinds of Farm Property and Dwellings against any damage by Fire and Lightning, for any length of time from 10 days to 5 years on terms that can't be beat. Buildings insured while being built. New and valuable property insured close to actual value.

A postal from parties wishing insurance will receive prompt attention. The following well-known and valuable properties are insured in this company:

The residences of James A. Pearce, Esq., H. W. Vickers, Esq., and Mr. S. Vannort, also, the County Court House, the New Jail and the County Almshouse.

JOHN D. URIE, Agent,
aug1. Chestertown, Md.

First Class

HORSE-SHOEING!

WE take this mode of informing our customers and the public generally that we have a First Class, Professional

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in our employ, one who can give satisfaction to horsemen in Shoeing Cutters, Forgers and Grabbers.

We are also happy to say that our Mr. J. W. Lambert has improved in health and will superintend the Shoeing Department in person.

j23. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

FREE SCHOLARSHIP!

BY late drawing of the Comptroller, according to the endowment Act, chapter 193 of 1868, Kent county is entitled to a Free Scholarship of three years, from October 1st, 1886, in the

ST. MARY'S FEMALE SEMINARY,

located at St. Mary's City, St. Mary's county, Md. The scholarship gives Board and Tuition Free. The board of county commissioners, in connection with the examiner of the Kent county public schools, will make the appointment by competitive examination, on the 29th day of June, proximo.

By order, T. WATERS RUSSELL.
m8-8t. CLERK.

CO. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

All road engines, wagons and other heavy vehicles are forbidden to cross Morgan's Creek Bridge until further notice.

T. WATERS RUSSELL,
apr24-tf. Clerk.

The Mirror

is no flatterer. Would you make it tell a sweeter tale? Magnolia Balm is the charmer that almost cheats the looking-glass.

BALTIMORE & DEL. BAY R. R.

Connecting with Delaware Railroad at Clayton.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Monday, May 24, 1886, until further notice, (Sundays excepted), Trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH. Pass. No1 daily.	Pass&Fr't No3 daily.		GOING SOUTH. Pass&Fr't No 2 daily	Pass No. 4 No4 daily.
A M	P M		P M	P M
6 40	1 40	lve Chestert'n arr	12 30	6 30
7 00	2 05	Worton	12 01	6 12
7 05	2 12	Lynch's	11 54	6 07
7 10	2 20	Still Pond	11 46	6 02
7 17	2 45	Kennedyville	11 34	5 55
7 28	3 00	Black's	11 18	5 45
7 39	3 15	Lambson	11 02	5 35
7 50	3 27	Masseys	10 50	5 25
8 05	3 42	Delaney	10 35	5 10
8 10	3 46	*Bingham	10 30	5 05
8 25	4 00	ar Clayton	10 20	5 00
8 38	5 13	lve Clayton	10 08	4 54
9 00	5 39	Middletown	9 42	4 36
9 42	6 35	Wilmington	8 43	3 50
10 32	7 40	ar Philadelphia lv	7 38	3 01
11 10	8 35	ar Baltimore lve	6 40	2 30
P M	P M		A M	P 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 to and from Baltimore change at Porter's.

Freight carried at low rates to all points and must be at Stations thirty minutes before starting time in order to insure despatch.

Excursion Tickets issued at reduced rates.

The above arrangements will give passengers four hours and a-half in Philadelphia, three hours and twenty minutes in Baltimore and return home the same day.

FRED. GERKER, Lessee.

THE COURT STREET

Harness Factory

—MANAGED BY—

JOHN F. HOWARD

is better prepared to furnish everything and anything in any quantity than ever before. There is no need of going to the city to buy Harness when you can buy them at $8 and up. We shall make a specialty of CHEAP HARNESS this season. We also keep up our stock of Hand-Made Harness. We can suit you in Price and in quality. Give us a call and don't forget that this is the place where you can buy every part of Harness that you may want, from a Hame Strap up.

COLLARS, BUGGY HARNESS, ROBES, BRIDLES, DOUBLE HARNESS, LAP DUSTERS, BLANKETS, HARNESS, HARNESS, WAGON HARNESS, BLANKETS, BITS, RIDING SADDLES, WHIPS, LADIES RIDING SADDLES, HORSE BOOTS, HARNESS OIL, COMBS, ROPE TRACES, TRACK HARNESS, BACK BANDS, PLOW LINES, BRUSHES, and many other things not mentioned at

JOHN F. HOWARD'S
mh20. New Harness Store on Court st.

Bargains Up Town!

Closing Out to Save Expense of Removal!

N. C. CROW

has temporarily removed his store to the room a few doors above his old stand, and nearly opposite W. C. A. Thompson's, where he may be found during the building of his new store and dwelling.

He has a large stock of all sorts of goods in the grocery line which he is anxious to dispose of to save the trouble and expense of removal. In order to do so he will sell AT VERY LOW PRICES EVERYTHING NOW IN STOCK, and invites the public to give him a call in his temporary quarters.

May 8, 1886. N. C. CROW.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

EDW. S. CLOTHIER,

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 14th day of December, 1886, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given our under hands this 11th day of May, 1886.

MARY A. CLOTHIER,
WILLIAM M. SLAY,
m15-4t. Adm'rs.

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

JOHN L. STAM,

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 14th day of December, 1886, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 11th day of May, 1886.

COLIN F. STAM,
m15-4t. Executor.

J. O. LOWE,

Successor to GEO. E. LAMBERT,

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FINE CARRIAGES

of all descriptions,

JUMP SEATS,
PHAETONS,
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☞ Repairing and Painting neatly executed and all work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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—AND—

WINDOW SHADES,

No. 39 North Gay st., opp. Odd Fellows' Hall, Baltimore, Md.

Being desirous of increasing trade with country merchants, is prepared with his large stock to offer goods at prices that will defy competition. He will send sample books of wall papers, free of charge, to all country merchants who will apply by letter for the same. Work done in any part of the State at city prices, by careful workmen. aug29-y.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING!

As well as all other kinds of TINWORK done CHEAP and at short notice.

W. A. WHEATLEY.

WOOL WANTED;
Also FLOUR for Sale at city prices, by JOHN GALE, at Gale's Wharf.
m15-3t.

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m27-tf.