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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING..........JAN. 1, 1887.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT STAM'S HALL

NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 5,

WILL BE RENDERED THE

BEAUTIFUL CANTATA

"Santa Claus' Home, or the Christmas Excursion,"

BY MEMBERS OF THE M. P. SABBATH SCHOOL, CHESTERTOWN.

TICKETS..........TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.
CHILDREN..........TEN CENTS.

☞Reserved seats without additional cost may be had to-day and up to Wednesday noon —at STAM'S.

Kennedyville Notes.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Our town has been lively during the Christmas holidays. On Tuesday evening the marriage of Miss Carrie V. Hurlock, of this place, and Mr. Arthur Stevens, of Baltimore, was celebrated in the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Macnichol performing the ceremony. The church was nicely decorated for the occasion. The bride wore white satin and the usual ornaments. The groom wore the conventional black. The couple preceded by the ushers marched to the front of the church to a march played by Miss Kate Price. Coming before the altar, they stood under an arch in which hung a bell and they were made man and wife.

On Wednesday night, Mr. Oliver Cleaver and Miss Mamie Webb were married at the residence of the bride's father near this place. Also, Mr. Charles Gill and Miss Delta Hepbron, daughter of ex-Senator Hepbron, were married at the residence of the bride's father. We extend our congratulations to these brides and grooms. May they find life's pathway pleasant and agreeable. If "Dame Rumor" is correct, many more of our young people are to walk together in a yet untried path way to them.

The Methodist Protestant Sunday-school held its Christmas entertainment on Wednesday evening. The church was handsomely decorated, there being a tree in each aisle, between the trees an arch with mottoes both above and under it. The platform was even with the pulpit and those participating came out under the arch and rendered their several parts. The windows were tastefully festooned, as were the chandeliers—in fact, the church was the loveliest your correspondent has ever seen and much credit is due to all who aided in the work. The program was very creditable and was carried out to the satisfaction and pleasure of the large audience present. To mention all would occupy too much space and to specify any one would do injustice to others. In a word, all did their parts splendidly. The children received their usual Christmas treat, as did many others. The regular presents being distributed, it was announced that there were some special presents to be made. The first was a handsome ivory-finished writing-desk, elegantly furnished, which was presented to Miss Ida McKnett, the church organist, by her many friends as a token of their high regard for her services and the sacrifices she has made in order to be constantly at her post. The next was a hat to Mr. H. L. Davies, our accommodating school-teacher, from his friends. Then came the presents to the pastor, Rev. C. H. Blades, which consisted of a purse of over thirty dollars for a suit of clothes, from his many friends; also, a very fine pair of gloves from a friend, which was a most agreeable surprise to him; also a present from Messrs. Weer & Warren, and lastly an easy chair from the Ladies' Aid Society. These presents being disposed of the exercises were closed by singing doxology and benediction. BRUTUS.

Letter from Millington.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—William H. Rash and Miss Mary E. Tonkin, both of Millington, were married at the M. E. Church in that place, on December 29, at 4 o'clock P. M., by the Rev. R. K. Stephenson. The church was crowded with the many friends of the contracting parties. Mr. Rash is formerly of Delaware, but is now engaged in the mercantile business in Millington. He is a son of Moses Rash, Esq., who has also come from Delaware to sojourn with us. He is the twin brother of the widow Green. They are in their 77th year and have a sister in her 83d year. The bride is the eldest daughter of Henry Tonkin, who has been at the head of the Millington academy for the last 20 years. The bridegroom and bride went from the church to the station, attended by many friends, who showered upon them many well-wishes for their future. May the blessing of an allwise Providence attend them.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Rash senior. His elastic step and robust frame reminds one of an old dilapidated castle decaying but yet strong. He takes a lively interest in discussing the topics of the day and dwells with pleasure on the past. He informed us that he cast his first presidential vote in 1832 for H. Clay to whose versed fortunes he always adhered. He followed in the wake of Delaware's great leader, John M. Clayton, whose confidence he had. We are only saying what we know to be true when we say he was one of Mr. Clayton's trusted lieutenants and a mourner at his funeral.

Miss Lilly Cacy and Miss Hally Crane are home from school spending Christmas holiday.

Moses Clow is dangerously ill.

The young people are enjoying themselves on the ice. O, young man! it is a nice thing to learn a young lady how to skate. We have been there. If she had weighed a ton she would not have been heavy. J.

Rock Hall Items.

A correspondent at Rock Hall sends the following under date of Dec. 25:

The pastor's Christmas turkey was not forgotten. Mr. Jack Joiner living near the village presented a very nice fowl on Christmas Eve—a gift appreciated by the recipient. There are many expressions of love on the part of this people toward their pastor. Today the church will be decorated for Christmas. Sunday night will be held a missionary anniversary. Monday evening the regular Christmas program will be rendered; Tuesday evening, a temperance service; excellent program for each evening. Revs. Lewis and Bates expected Tuesday evening. Santa Claus comes on Wednesday evening.

IN the hearts of his countrymen John A. Logan, without a dollar to leave behind, is richer than that numerous body of statesmen who have become millionaires at five thousand a year.—*Philadelphia Times.*

READY!

To meet the wants of the thousands that desire to purchase their own and their Boys' Outfits from us. Positively the largest variety, the handsomest Novelties, and the best made and finished Clothing ever offered to discerning Purchasers. Elegant Cut, Perfect Fit, and general superiority, are acknowledged Characteristics of our Suits, Trousers and Overcoats.

ACME HALL,
THE GLASS OF FASHION,
209 W. Baltimore St.,
Near Charles,
BALTIMORE.

P. S.—Mail orders will have immediate attention. oc30.

Chesterville and Vicinity.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—One of the newest things of the New Year is the removal of Mr. C. Wright Spry from the old homestead at Spry's to Galena. He has rented the fine residence of Dr. Dulaney, in that village, and will occupy the same about the first of the year. Mr. Spry will still continue to conduct all the places he is now farming, merely changing some present superintendents; Thos. Godwin goes to the home farm, while Capt. Brinsfield succeeds Godwin. This flight of Mr. Spry northward will prove about as great a surprise to the community as were the Charleston earthquakes. However, we opine, the "Gate" will only allow Galena to retain him for a few months and then will welcome him home again.

Well, what have we to say of the Delectable City? She will about turn herself inside out and vice versa. The royal families—the Kings—will remove from the south to the east end of the village; A. L. Hudson to Morris farm, Morgan's Creek; Thomas Wiltbanks to Marsh Point; the Senarts to Chestertown; Allen and Mrs. Redden to the Lodge; S. M. Ford to Jarman house; Gudgeons, from Lambson's to house vacated by Ford; Stevens to Stradley house; Wm. Penington (it is said) to house vacated by Stevens; O. H. Wiltbank to Smoketown; James Thompson to J. W. Jarman's tenant house; Alonzo Coleman to Queen Anne's, near Smith's Corner; E. W. Ford to Cecil; Mr. Greenwood to the Armstrong farm; J. E. Jackson, wheelwright, has gone to saw out his fortune in the healthful (!) and life-inspiring town of Millington. He is a good mechanic and means business. Horace Smith moves into the house now occupied by Allen. How will that do for a village of one hundred souls?

While in Philadelphia on the 18th of December, Henry, son of John Stevens, was struck by a train and severely injured.

The Presbyterian Church at Kennedyville was well-filled with invited guests last Tuesday evening to witness the marriage of Mr. A. J. W. Stevens, of Baltimore, and Miss Carrie V., daughter of Mrs. H. M. Hurlock, and of the late John Hurlock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. C. Macnichol, of the M. E. Church. After the marriage a large number repaired to the residence of Mrs. Annie Wallis, the sister of the bride, where a reception was held. The happy couple left on the north-bound train next morning on a bridal tour, after which they will settle down in the Monumental City.

He was a six-year-old Young America. Like the "boy of the period," he was abreast of the times, and yet, strange to say, lacked knowledge as to Kriss' identity, and set discussing the old fellow's generosity with the telephone men:

"Do you suppose Old Kris will put anything in your stocking?" said the operator.

"I should smile if he didn't," said the youngster.

"Well, what do you think he'll give you?"

"Oh, lots o' things—candy, cakes, oranges, figs, bananas, sugar plums—a cigar!"

"Suppose he should put a switch in your stocking, what would you think?"

"Oh, he won't do that."

"I'll bet you five cents he will," said the operator.

"Put down your dough!" responded the hopeful.

"Done!" said the telephone man, "and I'll telephone to Kriss to put that switch in."

Somehow or other the switch, with many other more tempting things, was found in his stocking.

"Harry," said his mamma Christmas morning, "did Old Kriss fill your stocking?"

"Yes," said the boy demurely.

"Did he put a switch in it?"

"Y-e-s," stammered Harry, mad and crestfallen, "but it was Quimby's —— telephone did that!"

Master three-year old was happy in the possession of a key-winding locomotive. Early Sunday morning he began to tease for his engine. His mother told him it was Sunday and he must not have it.

After thinking a moment he said exultingly, "Mamma, that's a *Sunday* engine! Please give me my Sunday engine!"

The same little hopeful is very anxious that his mamma shall put "some 'top hair' on papa's bald head."

"The boy of the period"—The printer's devil. WALTER.

THE Philadelphia *Times* says that among the Pennsylvania Congressmen there is growing opposition against Blaine's candidacy and a movement for Sherman.

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

WHEAT—Longberry 95c.@96c.; Fultz, 94c.@95c. for fair to good. CORN—White, prime, 45@46; yellow, 45@45. OATS—35.

KRIS KRINGLE CASTLE.

FRIEND CUMMINGS & CO.:

WE have had many a jolly, good time together; I am bound to make all the people happy at the Holidays, and am never kept from making up my usual things and visiting my favorite localities and customers by any rumors of hard times or calamities that may reach me here. While you and the other good people of Chestertown have been enjoying the fruits of your country and the sunshine and the flowers, my workmen and myself have been as busy as bees here in our workshop amidst snow and ice, and have made and fashioned a great stock of new and handsome things for the little children and big folks that all may have some sort of present. KRIS KRINGLE.

My Dear Friend Kris Kringle:

WE have received from your agent an unusually large stock of Holiday Goods, the largest ever in Chestertown. We have Wagons, Doll Carriages, Sleds, Wheelbarrows, Carts, the best selection of Dolls you ever saw, Mechanical Toys, a large variety of Toy Animals, such as Horses, Dogs, Cows, Goats and Pigs, in fact so many things that I cannot tell you all. In Confections we do not carry anything but very best articles, no second class or inferior goods can be found in our store. We have the finest line of confections ever offered in this town. Also, Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Dates, all kinds of Nuts, Paper Shell Almonds, English Walnuts, Pecans, Cream Nuts, and all the other good things you can possibly need at Christmas time. Besides Kris if you want a good stew, fry, or jar of Oysters, we can get it up for you; and if you like them raw we have the best that can be found; or, if you would like to take some home with you, we sell them by the quart or gallon. Ice-Cream made to order during the winter. Respectfully yours,

d4-4t. CUMMINGS & CO.

DR. HERNANDO MORA'S
Great Spanish Specific
CURES

Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Liver Complaints, Loss of Appetite, Headaches, Billious Attacks, Summer Complaints, Piles, Kidney Diseases, Female Difficulties, Lassitude, Low Spirits, General Debility, and, in fact, everything caused by an impure state of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.

This wonderful Remedy was discovered a few years since by a distinguished Spanish Doctor of the Homeopathic School, who after using it with great success in his own practice commenced putting it up for sale. It is now for the first time offered to the public in this country.

Dyspeptic Symptoms, Low Spirits, Sour Stomach, Pain in the Bowels, Restlessness, Sleeplessness, Sick Headache, Variable Appetite, Low Fever and languor call for the immediate use of the Specific.

When symptoms of Malaria in any form appear the Great Spanish Specific should be at once resorted to, to prevent the development of the disease and the treatment continued until the patient's health is fully restored.

Remember, the Great Spanish Specific can only be obtained of the authorized agents, and any medicine bearing its name sold at drug stores is a worthless counterfeit.

Send to any address on receipt of price. $1.00 per Bottle or 6 Bottles for $5.00.

LINNELL & CO.,
SOLE AMERICAN AGENTS,
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Christmas Up Town!

WHEATLEY BROS.

Have opened a Full Stock of Goods suited to the

Christmas Season,

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.
Dec. 18, 1886.

Notice to Farmers:

Whereas, it has pleased the Ruler of the weather to snow-up our Farmers and Ice-up our vessels, parties having CORN on hand can arrange with the undersigned to hold it until spring.

JOSEPH TURNER,
d18-3t. Chestertown.

E. W. F. SIMPERS,
Opposite Stam's Hall

OUR SPECIALTY:

Choice Family Groceries

ALWAYS A NICE FRESH STOCK

All kinds of standard Canned Goods, a nice stock of Package Goods, only a few things we have room to mention. Plum Pudding, Fruit Cake, Graham Wafers, Oat Meal, Leggett's Oat Flakes, Leggett's Wheaten Grits, Hominy, Grits, Coraline, Gelatine, Cocoa, Chocolate, Corn Starch, Chowchow, Pickles, Cheese, Boston Baked Beans, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Spices, Powdered Sugar, Lamps and Lamp Goods, Glassware, Plain and Fancy Crockery, Lea & Sons Co.'s Flour, all grades.

Full Stock of Domestic Dry Goods
AND NOTIONS.

All of our stock was bought at CASH prices. Come and see us, it will pay you.

E. W. F. SIMPERS,
Dec. 11, 1886. Chestertown.

PROCLAMATION!

WHEREAS, the 25th day of December is celebrated throughout the World as CHRISTMAS, and, whereas, it is usual, customary and befitting, that all Nations throughout the world should join in the celebration and good cheer reigning that day, and, whereas, it is a day specially set apart for making Presents, now therefore, I, LOUIS K. STAM, Merchant, of Chestertown, Md., knowing of this custom, and wishing to please and accommodate my customers, have made extensive preparations for above-named celebration, and am prepared to furnish many Useful and Desirable PRESENTS for both old and young, consisting of Rattan, Reed and Carpet Chairs, Plain Rockers, Beautiful Lamps, Pictures, Wall Pockets, &c., Children's Sleds, Wagons, Shoo Fly's, Tables, and many other articles too numerous to mention. I have also received a full line of FURNITURE, consisting of Suits, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Lounges, Extension Tables, &c., &c., and I furthermore proclaim that these goods will be sold LOW and you will wrong yourself if you do not call to see them, next door to STAM'S HALL.

LOUIS K. STAM.
CHESTERTOWN, Dec. 18, 1886.

SPECIAL NO. 2.
ALL THINGS ARE READY
FOR THE HOLIDAYS!
—Visit—
Our Double Store-Room
to be convinced.

WE take pleasure to announce to the public that we have the largest and cheapest stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS ever brought to this town. Bought of the importers at lowest prices, and to be sold 50 per cent lower than last holidays. We have not space to tell you what we have in stock but we invite you to give us a call and see the

THREE LITTLE MAIDS FROM SCHOOL,
RAILROAD TO FAIRY LAND,
WALKING BEAR,
TALKING BABIES,
JACK'S BEAN STALK,
DANCING NEGROES,
STEAM ENGINE,
AND OTHER SHOW TOYS

that will please you all; to be sold below Baltimore prices. We have bought our Nuts and Fruit from first hands and will be able to sell you a first-class article. No old stock. We take pleasure in showing you goods in our stores.

A full stock of Cake, Bread, Fruit Cake, Jelly Cake and all kinds of Delicacies in season.

KRIS KRINGLE

will visit us this holiday and remain until January 1st. He expects to greet all the children with pleasure. He will arrive Saturday December 18th on the Kent Railroad at 2 o'clock P. M. He will ride through the streets of Chestertown distributing Toys to the children and take up his lodgings at Hudgins' Bakery. He will be pleased to see all who visit him and give them a Christmas Present.

Mothers, Fathers, Sisters, Brothers, Aunts, Uncles and Cousins,

don't forget to bring the Little Ones in town on the 18th of December to see KRIS KRINGLE arrive on the Kent County Railroad with part of his family. They will be glad to see you and will stop at

HUDGINS' DOUBLE STORES,
Cross Street, Chestertown.

P. S.—Our Mince Pies are first-class and our Taffies are made of pure sugars. n27.

Holiday Goods.

Christmas Presents!

New Year Tokens!

SUITABLE FOR ALL. FINE ASSORTMENT.

STAM'S DRUG STORE.

Rising Sun Saloon,
CHESTERTOWN,

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

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

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

All orders must be accompanied by the CASH.

ICE in Large or Small Quantities

for sale and delivered every morning to regular customers in Chestertown.

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

WILLIAM PERKINS,
July 17, 1886. PROPRIETOR.

ESTABLISHED 1835.
FINEST GROCERIES
FOR FAMILY USE
AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER BEFORE.
Send for full Catalogue. THOS. L. REESE,
(New Nos.) 107-109 W. Pratt St., BALTIMORE MD.
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DON'T DO IT!

DO NOT BUY YOUR

Winter Boots

until you have examined

GOSLEE'S

LARGE STOCK.

If you have but little money to put in a pair of Boots ask to see his $1.75, $2.00 $2.25 Boots. If you want a pair of Boots to last you all of this Winter, and probably all of next, buy

Goslee's Hand-Made, Twenty-Four-Inch Leg, Three Soles, Double Upper Kip Boots,

which he is selling for $3.50, formerly $4. Every pair warranted to give satisfaction. Don't forget it, and be sure not to miss the

Reliable Shoe Store,

Next to the Bank, Chestertown, Md.
October 30, 1886.

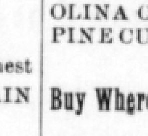
WANTED!

WHEAT and CORN
DAILY.

I am always prepared to pay the highest market price for any amount of GRAIN that can be offered in Kent county.

E. T. COMEGYS,
LOCUST GROVE, MD.,
Agent for The WM. LEA & SONS CO.,
BRANDYWINE MILLS,
oc9. Wilmington, Del.

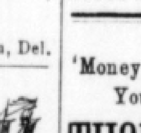
FREIGHTING!



The subscriber has secured a FIRST-CLASS VESSEL and is prepared to do ALL KINDS of Freighting on the most reasonable terms. He will also give the HIGHEST MARKET PRICE for good, dry grain. Also, grain received in granary and receipt given for same.

JAMES SHUSTER,
Nov. 20-tf. BUCK NECK.

General Freighting.



WE beg leave to inform our friends, patrons and the public that we have procured the Schooner, ANNA E. ADAMS, and are now prepared to do a General Freighting business from Chestertown and the tributaries of Chester river. With strict attention to business we hope to merit patronage.

JAMES H. THOMPSON,
n13-7t. AGENT.

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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.

Attractive Goods.

Jewel Cases,
Plush Boxes,
Albums, Bronzes,

VASES—Silesian, Faience, Chantilly, Russian Terra Cotta, Terra Romano, finished in a high order of art, and handsomer than any goods ever before displayed in Chestertown. We can sell you these goods at lower prices than you can get them for in the city.

Dec. 18. COLIN F. STAM.

Many Of the good things of this life are sorrowfully let alone on account of Dyspepsia. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Constipation; sold on a positive guarantee at 25 and 50 cents, by C. F. STAM, Druggist.

At Betterton

YOU WILL FIND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF DRY

LUMBER, SHINGLES

AND PICKETS,
SASH, BLINDS and DOORS,
PLASTERING LATHS and HAIR,
LIME and CEMENT.

HARD and SOFT COAL,

HARDWARE,
GAMBRILL'S FLOUR,
FINE AND ROCK SALT,
SALT FISH.

STEP LADDERS for Peach Picking,
PEACH BASKETS and BOXES,
HARRISON'S P. M. PAINTS,

all of which we offer at low prices and on reasonable terms. Call and see us or write us. Telephone call No. 63.

TURNER BROS.
July 17, 1886.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

A LARGE STOCK OF

North Carolina Frame Stuff

on hand and to arrive.

Also, just received a large lot of very fine

12 Inch Stock
North Carolina Boards.

A cargo of the best grade of

Shaved Cypress Shingles

expected in a few days.

Stock Large. Prices Low. Terms Moderate.

T. W. ELIASON, Jr.

SHINGLES!

A Bonanza in Shingles

that were never offered LOWER.

ALL KINDS of SHINGLES

Another lot of CHEAP NORTH CAROLINA CULLINGS received; WHITE PINE CULLINGS, etc.

Buy Where We Sell on Low Cash Figures

Small, fair profits and large sales.

We do business to the advantage of our customers as well as ourselves and when we can't we will try another clime.

JOSEPH TURNER,
SCOTT'S POINT LUMBER-YARD, Dec. 11.

'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 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 Buttonhole, 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.

The Philadelphia Times.

The Daily Times.

The Philadelphia TIMES is delivered by carriers in all the cities, towns and villages surrounding Philadelphia for six cents a week, and is sold by boys and news-dealers for one cent a copy. It is universally conceded to be the best newspaper in the world for the price, publishing all the associated press news, quotations of the produce and money markets and all the news of the world in a compact and readable form. Independent in everything. It is not excelled in quality or quantity by any paper at any price. By mail—four months, one dollar. One year, three dollars, post-paid. One month, 30 cts.

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Sixty-four columns of magazine-newspaper reading matter, crisp, attractive, interesting, instructive. The Annals of the War, by active participants, illustrated; Woman's World, contributed to by some of the best women writers in America; the latest fashions; Times Young People—by themselves; original stories, both short and continued; topics of the time; pointed editorial comment; special articles on thousands of subjects, and all the news are among its attractions. Terms, $2 per annum; clubs of ten, $15, and an extra copy to the person getting up the club.

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25 Cent Grade Reduced to 22 Cents.

Best MOSAIC STAIR OIL-CLOTH, only 10 cents per yard.

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JOHN BARTLEY,
oc30-tf. Cross Street, Chestertown.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

The Tax-Payers of the THIRD DISTRICT are hereby notified that I am now prepared to receive their taxes for 1886.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and at Worton Heights every Saturday, until further notice.

M. M. RASIN,
oc23-tf. Collector Third District.

1886-7. 1886-7.

STOVE SEASON.

A COMPLETE LINE OF COOK STOVES AND RANGES, HEATING STOVES AND DOUBLE HEATERS. ALSO,

FIREPLACE HEATERS

of the best makes—all warranted to give satisfaction. Call and examine our goods and prices.

WM. A. WHEATLEY,
(below the Bank,) Chestertown.
October 9, 1886.

WM. A. WHEATLEY,
Below the Bank.

FRESH GOODS in my line!
Tinware, Hardware, Woodenware, &c., &c., &c.,

AT LOWEST PRICES!

☞Call and get prices, and see if you can't do as well at my store even as in the city.
June 12, 1886.

Guns! Guns!

A full line of Muzzle and Breech-Loading SHOT GUNS, Implement Sets, Gunning Coats, Gun Covers, Shot, Powder, Shells, Wads, &c., for sale
oc9. by W. A. WHEATLEY.

THE DAVIS SWING CHURN.
Call and see it at
a3. W. A. WHEATLEY'S.

CHESTERTOWN
PLUMBING HOUSE!
CLEMENTS & YORK

WATER, GAS AND STEAM,
WINDMILLS and PUMPS.

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For Holiday Novelties!

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We cannot advertise specialties, we have too many, but we have something you want; something you will enjoy when you get it. Don't miss coming in this season; don't be afraid of prices; we are LOW, LOW DOWN this year, because we want to give our store a boom; we want to make you remember it when you go home. And now we will close with a Merry Christmas to all.

COLIN F. STAM, Druggist,
Dec. 18. Under Town Hall.

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SILVERWARE of nearly every description. ROGERS & BROS.' Tea and Table Spoons, Knives and Forks.	PICTRUE FRAMES—All Styles. Oil Paintings, &c.
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ALBUMS at bottom prices.	DRUMS, Blocks, Children's Dishes.
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WE HAVE SECURED A LOT OF IMPORTED TOOTH BRUSHES, KNOWN AS THE LIBERTY BRAND, AND EACH ONE IS STAMPED.

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Five-Row Tooth Brushes, imported, 14 cents worth 25 cents, and another one the best, at 25c. worth 35c. We have them in four-row at 10c. 12c and upward. We have a lot of Hair Brushes, all imported goods, usually sold at $1 25, our price $85c.. and the same goods, larger, at $1, all are special bargains. Zylonite and Ivoroyd Hair Brushes, usually sold at $1, are sold by us at 65 cents. The goods are white backs, and warranted not to crack or warp.

Combs at 8, 10, 15, 25, cts., with Mirrors to match.

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Have you seen those 26-inch Umbrellas, all silk, Paragon Frames 14-Carat gold cap, at, $2 50 and the same with sterling silver cap, $2 50 same with plain stick, $2 25, and our great bargain silk mixed Umbrella at $1 65, and our 26-inch Mohair Umbrella $1 18.

These prices can't be beat. "Good buying saves money, and money spent with us brings good value." Prices are loud talkers. We have just what you want in every department. Come and see us.

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JOHN E. TRIBLE,
Oct. 23, 1886. Charles and Lexington Sts.

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Try our hand-made goods! Our Men's $4 Kip Boot, warranted to wear and give satisfaction. For every defective pair you can get a new pair without charge. Our intention is to protect our patrons against the negligence of manufacturers.

Now About Carpets, &c.

You know! I know! that it is a conceded fact that the best assortment is to be found at our store. But to say that our prices are lower because our assortment is large does not favor conclusively that such is a fact. The fact may be demonstrated by comparison though! and if you that want Carpets and Oilcloths, give us even half a chance it will not take long to prove that Carpets are sold here at city prices.

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Oct. 16, 1886. Chestertown

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FALL AND WINTER SCHEDULE.

On and after Monday, Sept. 20th, the steamers of this company will run as follows:

Steamer Emma A. Ford,

will leave Chestertown for Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock a. m., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave pier 7, Light Street Wharf, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m., for the above landings.

Steamer Corsica

will leave Crumpton every Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m., and on Saturday at 12 m., stopping at Spry's, Deep Landing, Round Top, Chestertown, Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck and landings on Corsica river.

☞Will leave Chestertown Tuesday and Thursday at 5 o'clock p. m., and on Saturday at 3 o'clock p. m.

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

GEORGE WARFIELD,
Sept. 1, 1886. PRESIDENT.

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Connecting with Delaware Railroad at Clayton.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Monday, December 20, 1886, until further notice, (Sundays excepted), Trains will run as follows:

GOING NORTH. Pass&Fr't No. 1, Daily.	Pass&Fr't No. 3, Thur's only		GOING SOUTH. Pass&Fr't No. 2, Daily.	Pas No4 Thur's only.
A M	P M		P M	P M
6 15	1 35	lve Chestert'n arr	1 15	6 27
6 33	1 55	Worton	12 47	6 19
6 39	2 02	Lynch's	12 37	6 14
6 45	2 12	Still Pond	12 31	6 09
6 57	2 27	Kennedyville	12 16	6 03
7 13	2 43	Black's	12 00	5 53
7 28	2 58	Lambson	11 46	5 44
7 40	3 08	Masseys	11 34	5 35
7 55	3 22	Delaney	11 19	5 22
7 59	3 26	*Bingham	11 14	5 17
8 25	3 40	arClayton	11 05	5 10
8 36	5 08	lve Clayton	10 00	4 58
9 00	5 35	Middletown	9 33	4 37
9 42	6 35	Wilmington	8 30	3 50
10 32	7 40	arPhiladelphia lv	7 27	3 01
11 10	8 32	arBaltimore lve	6 40	2 30
P M	P M		A M	P M

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents Freight for Bingham's, Flatland 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.

Phila., Wilmington & Baltimore R. R.
DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after Nov. 15, 1886, (Sundays excepted), trains will leave as follows:

SOUTHWARD. PASS pm	EXP pm	PASS am	PASS am		NORTHWARD. PASS am	EXP am	PASS pm	PASS pm
5.21	3.01	11.55	7.27	Philadel'a	9.32	10.32	1.25	7.40
5.20	2.50	10.08	6.40	Baltimore	11.10	11.10	2.28	8.32
6.25	3.50	12.55	8.30	Wilming'n	8.43	9.42	12.25	6.35
6.36		1.03	8.43	Hare's Corn'r	8.33		12.15	6.25
6.42	4.02	1.08	8.48	New Castle	8.28	9.31	12.10	6.19
6.48		1.14	8.53	State Road	8.23		12.03	6.11
6.55		1.19	8.58	Bear	8.17		11.57	6.05
7.06	4.14	1.25	9.04	Porter's	8.12	9.19	11.51	5.59
7.11		1.29	9.08	Kirkwood	8.06		11.46	5.54
7.20		1.38	9.23	Mt Pleasant	7.57		11.36	5.45
7.22			9.27	Armstrong	7.53			5.38
7.30	4.37	1.47	9.33	Middletown	7.49	9.00	11.26	5.35
7.39		1.56	9.43	Townsend	7.40	8.50	11.17	5.25
7.43		2.00	9.46	Blackbird	7.35		11.12	5.20
7.50		2.07	9.54	Green Spring	7.28		11.05	5.13
7.55	4.58	2.11	10.00	Clayton	7.24	8.36	11.01	5.08
7.45	4.48	2.01	9.50	Lve Smyrna	7.15	8.28	10.51	4.48
7.59		2.16	10.05	Brenford	7.19		10.54	4.57
8.04		2.22	10.11	Moorton	7.15		10.49	4.53
8.07				Dupont	7.09			
8.15	5.15	2.32	10.22	Dover	7.06	8.20	10.41	4.44
8.21	5.21	2.39	10.28	Wyoming	6.59	8.12	10.34	4.36
8.28		2.45	10.41	Woodside	6.53		10.28	4.29
8.32		2.50	10.45	Viola	6.49		10.24	4.24
8.37	5.33	2.55	10.49	Felton	6.45	8.00	10.19	4.20
8.45	5.46	3.09	11.02	Harrington	6.35	7.50	10.08	4.10
	5.54	3.17	11.09	Farmington		7.41	9.57	3.58
	6.03	3.26	11.18	Greenwood		7.32	9.49	3.50
	6.12	3.35	11.28	Bridgeville		7.23	9.40	3.42
	6.17	3.47	11.33	Cannons		7.17	9.34	3.37
	6.25	3.57	11.43	Seaford		7.10	9.27	3.29
		4.07	11.54	Laurel			9.16	3.16
		4.18	12.05	Delmar			9.05	3.05

Express trains leaving Harrington 7.50 a. m. and arriving at 5.46 p. m., run through solid to and from Baltimore via Porter's and Newark.

New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad Express.—Leave Philadelphia 11.10 p m daily, Baltimore 7 35 p m, Wilmington 11 55 p m daily, stopping at Dover and Delmar regularly; and at New Castle, Middletown, Clayton, Harrington and Seaford to leave passengers from Wilmington and points North or take on passengers for points south of Delmar.

The 11.10 p. m. train also stops at Laurel to leave passengers from Wilmington or points North.

North-bound trains leave Delmar 1 15 a m daily, Dover 2 36 a m regularly; arriving Wilmington 3 55 a m, Baltimore 6 45 a m and Philadelphia 4 50 a m.

The 1 15 a m train also stops at Seaford, Harrington, Clayton and Middletown to leave passengers from points south of Delmar, or take on passengers for Wilmington and points North.

New Castle Accommodation Trains.—Leave Wilmington at 6 00 a m and 2 50 p m. Leave New Castle at 6 40 a m and 3 35 p m.

Branch Roads.

Delaware, Maryland & Virginia Railroad.—Leave Harrington for Lewes 11 05 a m, 5 50 p m; for Franklin and way stations 11 05 a m. Returning, trains leave Lewes for Harrington 8 35 a m., and 2 30 p m. Leave Franklin 6 50 a m.

Queen Anne & Kent R. R.—Leave Townsend for Centreville and way stations 9.46 a m and 7.44 p m week-days.

Delaware & Chesapeake R. R.—Leave Clayton for Oxford and way stations 10.03 a m and 5.11 p m week-days.

Cambridge & Seaford R.R.—Leave Seaford for Cambridge and intermediate stations 11.50 a m week-days.

Connection.—At Porter, with Newark & Delaware City Railroad. At Townsend, with Queen Anne's & Kent Railroad. At Clayton, with Delaware & Chesapeake Railroad and Baltimore & Delaware Bay Railroad. At Harrington, with Delaware, Maryland & Virginia Railroad. At Seaford, with Cambridge & Seaford Railroad. At Delmar, with New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk, Wicomico & Pocomoke and Peninsula Railroads. CHAS. E. PUGH, General Manager.

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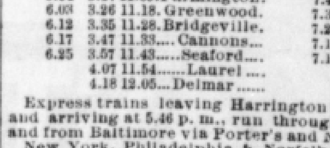

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