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The Kent News

CHESTERTOWN - APR. 7, 1888.

THE LOCKWELL FAMILY.

Nine Children in Seven Years, and They are All Queer Ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lockwell of Tarr's Bridge, Pa., have a curious family of children. They have been married seven years and have nine children. The two oldest are twins, a boy and girl. At birth the girl weighed eight pounds and the boy less than four, but now, at the age of six years, the boy weighs forty-five pounds, and the girl only twenty. There was just a year to a day between the birth of the twins and the next child, which was a boy that weighed fourteen pounds. He is deaf and dumb. A year later Mrs. Lockwood gave birth to triplets, two girls and a boy, each one of which weighed five pounds. They lived until they were six months old, and were, apparently, in the best of health, but one day they all three died in less than an hour of one another. Two years later Mrs. Lockwell gave birth to twins, both boys of more than average weight. One of the babies had six fingers on the left hand, and the other had six toes on the right foot. Two years passed again before any more children were born to the Lockwells, when on Sunday Mrs. Lockwell gave birth to a girl baby, which weighs less than two pounds. It is lively and in the best of health, but so small that it can hardly be handled. An ordinary finger ring will slip over its hand and half way up its arm.

The Romance of Wedded Life.

[From the Boston Courier.]

"James, dear, will you bring me up a hod of coal from the cellar?" said a busy wife.

"That's just the way with you," said James, with a black frown, as he put down his book and rose up from the lounge.

"Just the way with me?"

"Yes," he snapped. "As soon as you see me enjoying myself you have some chore or another for me to do. Didn't you see I was absorbed in my reading?"

"Well, dear, I will do it myself."

"Yes, and tell everybody, your mother especially, that you have to carry your own coal up from the cellar. No, I'll do it. Let me mark my place."

So he marked the place in the book at which he had ceased reading, and when he went down to the cellar, grumbling all the way, she picked up the volume and found it was a love story, and that the passage he had been absorbed in was as follows: "My darling, when you are my wife I will shield and protect you from every care, the winds of heaven shall not visit your face too roughly, those pretty hands shall never be soiled by menial tasks, your wish shall be my law, your happiness—"

Just then he reappeared, and, dumping the hod on the floor, said: "There's your darned coal. Give me my book."

Is life worth living?

A Word to Husbands.

Love and appreciation are to a woman what dew and sunshine are to a flower. They freshen and brighten her whole life. They make her strong-hearted and keen-sighted in everything affecting the welfare of her home. They make her to cherish her husband when the cares of life press heavily upon him and to be a very providence to her children. To know that her husband loves her and is proud of her and believes in her; that even her faults are looked upon with tenderness; that her face to one at least, is the fairest in all the world; that the heart which to her is the greatest and noblest, holds her sacred in its innermost recesses above all other women, gives her a strength and courage and energy, and sweetness and vivacity, which all the world could not bestow. Let a woman's life be pervaded with such an influence, and heart and mind will never grow old, but will blossom and sweeten and brighten in perpetual youth.

A COUNTY WITHOUT A MORTGAGE.—The Macon (Ga.) *Telegraph* says: "A few days ago several prominent citizens of Georgia were returning to their homes from the meeting of the State Agricultural Society at Waycross. Their conversation turned upon the financial condition of the farmers of the State. One of the party remarked that he believed there was a county in Georgia in which there was not a single farm under mortgage. The statement was questioned, and the name of the county was asked. 'I do not believe there is a mortgage on a foot of land in Liberty county,' was the reply. It happened that the clerk of the Superior Court of Liberty county was on the train. He was summoned, and when the question was put to him declared that there was not a real estate mortgage on record in his office. A county which is entirely agricultural, and yet has evaded the clutches of the mortgagor, is hard to find in any portion of the United States. It is said that there are two other counties in the State in the same happy condition, but we have the official returns of only one. It bears the appropriate name of Liberty.

Snow Hill Nurseries.

PEACH *and* APPLES

STOCKED WITH BEST VARIETIES—WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

FOR the coming fall will have 800,000 One-Year-Old Peach Trees, and about 600,000 June Budded Peach Trees, comprising all the leading orchard lists. Special prices per car load for Peach Trees. 150,000 Apple Trees of leading varieties; also a select list of popular Southern keeping Apples.

PEARS—all the standard varieties.
CHERRY and PLUM trees of the leading kinds.
SHADE TREES—Best Stock.
Excellent Stock of Hardy Native GRAPES.
ASPARAGUS—Conover's Colossal, from one to two years old.
3,000,000 STRAWBERRY PLANTS, from new beds—planted last spring—never fruited—strictly pure. Special prices on large lots.
Small fruits and every kind of plant in endless variety. Orders by mail promptly attended to.
Descriptive catalogue free, on application. Our trees are all grown from Natural Virginia Pits. The public is requested to come and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Reference by permission to John A. Groves, Pomona, Kent county, Md.

Address WM. M. PETERS & SONS,
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—AT—
Little Grove Nurseries,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.,
About 30,000 TREES

THOSE who have not made their selections for new orchards will please do so at an early date, or else they must not blame any one but themselves in not being able to get varieties desired. Kinds needed for replanting should be in. It is both annoying to the planter in being obliged to substitute a variety, and a regret to the nurseryman not to be able to accommodate.

R. G. NICHOLSON,
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Nursery and Fruit Farm

ESTABLISHED IN 1865.
Peach Trees a specialty!

30,000 PEACH TREES of all the BEST Varieties, being grown from strictly Pure Natural TENNESSEE SEED and budded from Healthy Bearing Trees.
We have been unusually successful in having our trees prove TRUE TO NAME.
Trees ENTIRELY FREE FROM YELLOWS.
Farmers desiring to plant Trees would do well to examine OUR STOCK before purchasing elsewhere.
A full line of FRUIT, SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES, also SMALL FRUITS, OSAGE ORANGE, &c., &c.
All orders by Mail will receive PROMPT and CAREFUL ATTENTION.
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MIDDLETOWN,
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Best made Clothing.
in Philadelphia
for Men and Children.
Sixth and Chestnut.
(Ledger Building.)

To Farmers and Dealers in Kent and Adjoining Counties.

W. A. HYLAND,
GALENA, MD.,

offers farmers a superior assortment of
Economist Chilled Plows!
the best ever offered in the counties. Also the OHIO and IMPERIAL CHILLED, the "PONEY" and ECONOMIST CHILLED, one-horse, suitable to the trucker, nurseryman and fruit raiser, just what they need. He keeps constantly on hand Mould-boards, Land-sides, Shares and Points for all kinds of Plows, made of best material CHILLED in their manufacture, and which he will sell for cash at from 15 to 20 per cent. less than ever offered.

Rollers! Rollers!
the BEST on the market and at prices to suit all.
—A GOOD—
Farm Bell, Farm Wagon, Dearborn!
Three, Two and One-horse Trees, and Hames, all made of best material. He has the BEST HORSE-SHOER between the two bays. Special attention to the shoeing of TRACK HORSES.
He intends making his shop head-quarters for Farmers Mechanical Supplies, and announces to his many friends that he is thankful for past patronage and is determined to do his best to induce a continuance and increase of custom. His prices will be as low or lower than the lowest. Come and be convinced. IRON taken in exchange.
WM. A. HYLAND.
March 10, 1888.

Charles M. Gale. Custis W. Woolford.
Chas. M. Gale & Co.
(Successors to Harry Meginniss.)
MEN'S FURNISHERS,
30 and 32 Pratt Street (Under Maltby House),
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A full assortment of Underwear, Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Hosiery, Gloves, Studs, Scarf-pins, etc.
We call particular attention to our large line of Shirts--ready made in White, Percale and Flannel--all sizes, embracing every variety, style and price.
Shirts Made to Order
Our Sp[illegible] is 7.

A LARGE LOT
—OF—
Prime Cypress Fencing
NOW ON HAND.

PRICES AND ESTIMATES
—FOR—
LUMBER, SHINGLES,
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS,
DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES,
for building purposes, furnished with pleasure.
Do not buy until you have given me an opportunity to figure on your bill.
My stock is SEASONED and WELL MANUFACTURED and embraces every variety of Building Material.
T. W. ELIASON, Jr.
Feb. 18, 1888.

WILL YOU NOT
KINDLY SAY TO THE
People of Kent County
THAT I HAVE NOT TIME TO WRITE AN ADVERTISEMENT?
I AM TOO BUSY WITH
Window Shades
TO THINK OF IT. WILL DO SO SOON.
L. K. STAM.
Jan. 15, 1887.

CHESTERTOWN, June 16, 1887.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that on and after this date we propose to SELL FLOUR EXCLUSIVELY FOR CASH, or by an agreement with the purchaser that an extra charge of FIFTY CENTS PER BARREL shall be made on all flour charged to their account.
je16-tf JAMES A. SHAW.

BRIAR and GRASS SCYTHES, Bush Hooks and Grub Hoes for sale by W. A. WHEATLEY.

Commission Cards.

Established 1862.
AMUEL M. LAWDER. FRANK LAWDER.
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For the sale of Fruits, Fish, Wool, Poultry, Live Stock, &c., &c.
88 South Charles Street,
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BAY & GETTY,
Canned Goods Commission Merchants,
101 and 103 South Frederick Street,
BALTIMORE.
CANS, CASES, LABELS, AND ALL NECESSARY OUTFIT FOR A CANNING HOUSE SUPPLIED.
mh10-3m.

ANDREW W. WOODALL,
Successor to Greenwood & Woodall,
Commission Merchant & Produce Dealer,
No. 53 West Pratt Street.
Special attention given to the sale of Grain, Dried, Evaporated and Green Fruits.

DAVID B. STEWART. GEORGE W. BERRY.
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General Fruit and Produce
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
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We refer to our present shippers, among whom are many of the most successful fruit growers in this county, also The Peoples' Bank of Baltimore.

J. K. B. EMORY. F. W. NEAVITT.
WM. H. RUTTER,
—WITH—
EMORY & NEAVITT,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
—FOR THE SALE OF—
Grain, Seeds, Hay, Fruit, Live Stock, Wool and all kinds Country Produce.
No. 68 South St., Baltimore, Md.
Reference—Citizens' National Bank, Agents for Wheeler Line of Steamers. je12-y.

A. P. CREW. W. H. LOANE.
CREW & LOANE,
Grain and General Produce
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 4 Camden St., New Number 15,
ja29. BALTIMORE, MD

JAS. W. STEVENS. R. NELSON STEVENS.
STEVENS BROTHERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
—FOR THE SALE OF—
Grain, Fruits, Live Stock, Wool and Country Produce Generally.
Special attention given to the sale of GRAIN and FRUITS.
320 Light St., (old No. 114), Baltimore, Md.
Reference—Merchants' National Bank.

JAMES W. JEROME & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
FOR THE SALE OF
GRAIN, FRUITS, LIVE STOCK, AND PRODUCE GENERALLY.
No. 20 East Camden Street, (Old Number, 3,)
Near Light Street, Baltimore, Md.

PERCY T. McFEELY,
—WITH—
WRIGHT & LONEY,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
FOR THE SALE OF
Grain, Fruit, Hay, Poultry, Live Stock, Hides, and all kinds Country Produce.
No. 215 S. Charles Street, Baltimore, Md.
REFERENCE.—Drovers and Mechanics' National Bank, cor. Eutaw and Fayette sts. ja29.

PHILADELPHIA.
J. P. MOYER. S. F. CREW.
J. P. MOYER & CO.,
Wholesale Produce Commission Merchants
—IN—
BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, PRODUCE, LIVE STOCK, &c.,
256 North Front Street, Philadelphia.
Cards sent on application.
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E. C. CROW,
No. 6 Vine Street, Philadelphia, Penn.
WHOLESALE
COMMISSION MERCHANT
—IN—
ALL KINDS OF FARM PRODUCE.
Market Price Guaranteed. d18.

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Produce Commission Merchants
IN ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE AND LIVE STOCK.
328 North Front Street, Philadelphia, Penn.
Consignments solicited. Returns promptly sent on sale of goods. Orders promptly filled and inquiries cheerfully answered. fe12-y.

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Fruit and Produce Commission Merchant
180 Reade and 206 Duane Sts., New York.
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WM. B. HIDDEN, M. D.,
SPECIALIST,
208 West Monument Street, Baltimore, Md.
Practice limited to Diseases of the Chest, Throat and Nasal Passages. Specially successful in treating Enlarged Tonsils, Hay Fever, Rose Cold, Asthma, Nasal Catarrh, and Deafness resulting therefrom.
Refers to Thomas E. Norris and others. o1-6m.

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

DR. THOMAS H. COOPER,
HOMEOPATHIST,
Chestertown, Maryland, opposite the Voshell House.

DR. C. P. GILPIN, Dentist,
Office in the dwelling-house on High street, adjoining the store of Mr. A. J. Cahall. He will be pleased to see his friends and patients at his new location, where, having more room, he will be able to afford many more comforts than in the past. j8-tf.

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

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Office adjoining T. W. Eliason, Jr.'s Store.
Will practice in Kent and Queen Anne's Counties.

WM. R. MILLER, Auctioneer,
GALENA, MARYLAND.
I HAVE had large experience in this business and flatter myself that I can't be beat in this county. I look after the interest of all sales I am engaged to attend and I think persons intending to have sales will find it to their interest to try me. All orders will be promptly attended to by addressing as above.
August 13, 1887—tf.

JUDEFIND BROS.,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
EDESVILLE, MARYLAND.
All kinds Real Estate bought, sold or exchanged, same rates of commission as those in force by the Real Estate Exchange of Baltimore city. Money to loan on land in sums to suit. oct5-6m.

B. F. FLEMING,
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—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN—
Land Lime, Coal and Wood
LIME A SPECIALTY.
Orders promptly filled to any point reached by the Pennsylvania Railroad and Branches in Maryland and Delaware.
COAL:--A Large Supply now on Hand at the Depot.
COAL. Orders for COAL and WOOD filled at Short Notice in Chestertown and vicinity in small or large quantities, and by the Carload at any point on the Balto. & Del. Bay Railroad. WOOD.

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LUMBER!
Shingles, Lath, Doors, Sash, Blinds
Lime and Brick.
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Sash, Doors, Blinds, BUILDING LUMBER! *Lime, Bricks, Hair.*
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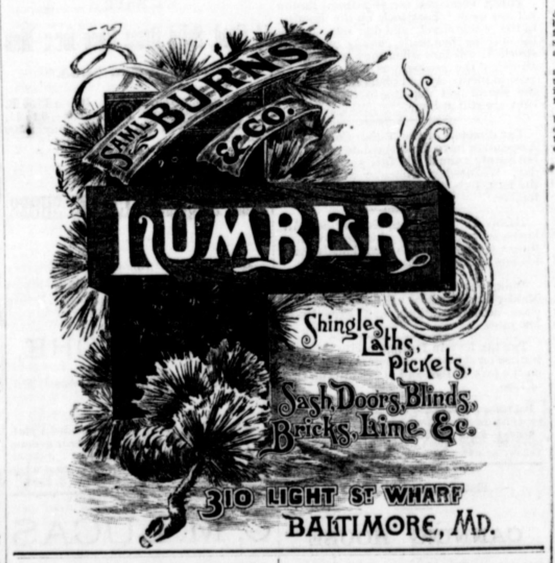

Winter Goods!
J. T. BLACKWAY, UP TOWN,
Has just opened a full line of
Groceries and Provisions,
which he offers to the Public at lowest prices for CASH. We quote no prices but ask you to come and see us and we are sure you will come again.
Country Produce Solicited.
We will thank you for a portion of your patronage. Yours resp'y,
J. T. BLACKWAY,
Northeast corner High Street and College Avenue, Chestertown. Sept. 24, 1887.

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(Successors to W. M. Bell)
MANUFACTURERS OF
Porous Drain Tile!

Egg-Shaped, 2 to 8 inches Calibre. Round, with Collar, 2, 2½ and 3 inches Calibre.
Send for price list and circular.
Address, JERMAN & COSGRIFF, SMYRNA, DEL.
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KENNEDY'S CRACKERS, the best made, just received. Fresh and Choice Confectionery, full stock. (15 cents per pound plain candy.) French SPARKS, from 20 cents up. under NEWS office.
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GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS!
Sugar, Coffee, Teas, Spices, Flour, Meal, Meat, Lard, Canned Goods, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, &c., &c.
BOOTS AND SHOES!
of good quality and cheap.
Also a line of
DESIRABLE DRY GOODS
Country produce wanted.
It will pay you to give me a call before purchasing.
May 7, 1887. J. N. WHEATLEY.

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Is Still on the Corner of Kent and High Streets, Up Town,
Where you can at all times find a seasonable line o
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
Gentlemen, Ladies and Children's Shoes,
CIGARS AND TOBACCO.
We keep the WM. LEA & SONS' FLOUR for sale by the barrel or sack, we think as cheap as you can get it from the city, and we think their flour has no superior. Come and see us and be convinced that our goods are good and cheap. Country produce wanted
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FOR a FINE 5c. or 10c. CIGAR go to J. L. McFEELY'S.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

Annual Notice

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Kent County will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,
the Sixth day of March, 1888,
at 11 o'clock A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour
EVERY TUESDAY,
Until the Eighth day of May, next,
for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments.

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

After TUESDAY, 15th of May next,
no ALTERATIONS or CORRECTIONS in the assessments will be made for the present year.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE POOR
will be appointed on the Second Monday, 9th day of April, next.

COLLECTORS
of STATE and COUNTY TAXES for EACH ELECTION DISTRICT, and a
KEEPER of the STANDARDS
—OF—
Weights and Measures
will be appointed
On Tuesday, 10th day of April next.

All persons having ACCOUNTS against the county are requested to present the same on or before
TUESDAY, 12th day of June next,
otherwise they may be excluded from the levy this year. All accounts properly chargeable 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 corroborated for by three or more freeholders having knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—All persons neglecting to have their assessments corrected as hereby notified that no allowance for taxes paid in error in consequence of such neglect will be made.

WILLIAM MORRIS, Pres't.,
JOHN F. ERNEST,
EDW. W. HEPBRON,
SAMUEL P. COOPER,
JOHN DICKINSON,
Commissioners.
Attest:—T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk. fe25.

1870. 1888.
THOMPSON---Up Town.

TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:
Having been well patronized by the people of Chestertown and vicinity for the last seventeen years we tender our most sincere thanks for same and will in the future as in the past do our utmost to please all. We have and intend to keep in stock a full line of
Groceries, Provisions, Boots and Shoes, Notions,
Domestic Dry Goods, Tinware,
Queensware, &c., &c.,
all of which will be sold at close figures. We have now a Ladies Button or Lace Shoe at $1; a man's Solid (or no seam) Shoe at $1 a pair; a man's Dress Shoe at $1.25, $1.50, $2 and $2.50; and the best Glove Kid Top, kid front, worked buttonhole Shoe for Ladies and Misses at $1.75 that we ever saw. Having sold 600 pairs of them in two (2) years without one just complaint. We also have a Kid-top Shoe for Ladies at $1.25 a pair, but please bear in mind that when you buy a pair of $1.25 kid-top shoes of us you will not get our $1.75 shoe, as we only advertise what we can and will do and nothing more.
LIME, HAIR, WHITEWASH BRUSHES, &c. We are selling the W. J. Lime, which is said by both carpenters and masons to slack at least one-fourth more than other lime, and having made a special contract for same would like builder as well as whitewasher to call and get prices.
We also have Wm. Lea & Sons, C. A. Gambrill's, and other brands of FLOUR, which we are selling by the Pound, Bag or Barrel as cheap as it can be bought in the city for the cash, as we sell Flour by the barrel for the CASH ONLY.
We aim to keep a little of everything and by buying our goods close for cash and discounting all our bills we are enabled to meet all and any competition. Again thanking you for past favors we ask a continuance of same. Respectfully,
May 7, 1887. W. C. A. THOMPSON.

How a Dying Child Was Saved!

CICERO, HAMILTON CO., IND., Sept. 19, 1887.—The following is a true account of what your S. S. S. has done for our little daughter, Hazel, now four years old. When 12 months old a lump appeared on her heel, which slowly grew larger. The family physician thought it was caused by a piece of broken glass or needle, but failed to bring anything to light. The child became feebler all the time, seeming to lose the use of her leg, and finally quit walking entirely. The middle finger and thumb of either hand became enlarged, the flesh becoming hard. The hip joints became involved, so that when seventeen months old she could not stand, having lost the use of leg and arm. Partial curvature of the spine also followed. The nervous system was wrecked, muscles contracted, and there was general wasting of flesh and muscle. At eighteen months of age she was placed under the treatment of a prominent physician of Boston, Mass., but at the end of ten months she had declined to such a degree that she was in a dying condition. This was in April, 1886. We took the child away not knowing what to do. In this dreadful dilemma we were over-persuaded by friends to try "one bottle" of SWIFT'S SPECIFIC, which we did, and before it had all been taken we saw a change for the better in her symptoms. We kept it up, and have done so to this day, and will keep it up, if the Lord wills, for many days to come, for it has brought our dying Hazel to life, to vigor, to strength and health again. The ashen hue of her cheeks has changed to a rosy tint. She is able to walk anywhere, her languor and melancholy have passed away, and she is now a blithe, cheerful, happy romping child. Should you wish to increase your testimonials of proof of the virtue of S. S. S., our names and what we have said is but a portion of what we owe to you, should you wish to use them.
Kindly yours,
BEN. F. SWIFT.
GERTRUDE E. SWIFT.
P. O. Box 68.
Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.
THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

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ALWAYS SATISFACTORY
EIGHTEEN SIZES AND KINDS
ALL PURCHASERS CAN BE SUITED
MANUFACTURED BY
Isaac A. Sheppard & Co., Baltimore, Md.
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NEW YORK FANCY CREAM CHEESE.
Price low at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

FOR the Best 2 for 5 CIGAR go to J. L. McFEELY'S.

LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and Others.

ALL PERSONS and Bodies Corporate or Politic in Kent County, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Laws of Maryland, are hereby warned TO OBTAIN A LICENSE OR RENEW THE SAME ON OR BEFORE THE

First Day of May, 1888,

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

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

TRADERS' LICENSE.

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

If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed $1,000				$ 12 00
Over 1,000	and not over	$ 1,500		15 00
" $ 1,500	"	" 2,500		18 00
" 2,000	"	" 4,000		22 00
" 4,000	"	" 6,000		30 00
" 6,000	"	" 8,000		40 00
" 8,000	"	" 10,000		50 00
" 10,000	"	" 15,000		65 00
" 15,000	"	" 20,000		80 00
" 20,000	"	" 30,000		100 00
" 30,000	"	" 40,000		125 00
" 40,000				150 00

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

Kent County, to wit:

On this —— day of ——, 1888, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared ——, and declared that he intends to apply for a traders' license under the second section of the act of January session, 1888, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and make oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership) at the principal season of sale (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade) that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $——.

Sworn before ——.

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

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

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

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6.50; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same License as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

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

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

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

To travel on foot	$101 00
With one horse and wagon	151 00
With two horses and wagon	201 00

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

BROKERS.

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

Exchange Broker	$100 00
Stock Broker	75 00
Bill Broker	50 00

The Revising Act—chapter 448, page 863—entitled "An Act to add to the 16th section of article 56, of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub-section, requiring a license to enable any person to act as Real Estate Broker," provides—

That "any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars, may obtain a license for vending on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual co-partnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate Broker, without a license, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon the Brokers by section 17 of this Article."

LICENSE TO OWNERS OR KEEPERS OF JACKS AND STALLIONS.

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

JAMES A. CASEY, SHERIFF.
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BOOTS AND SHOES!
HAVING BOUGHT FOR CASH a Large Stock of SHOES for Men, Boys, Ladies and Children, we feel prepared to meet the demands of the trade, both in PRICE AND QUALITY. We don't knowingly misrepresent our goods. We have cheap goods, which we offer for what they are, but we also have goods which we can recommend as being equal to, if not superior, to any in this market for the same money, and we honestly believe that anyone who may purchase these Shoes will get the value of their money every time.
Call and look as an examination will cost nothing and may be money in your pocket.
JAMES A. SHAW,
May 7, 1887. COURT STREET.

Coal, Coal.
TO OUR FRIENDS AND PUBLIC.
THINKING that our brother Coal merchant might put some false impressions into your minds in reference to having the best coal sold in this market, we must state that we don't agree with him. While we don't claim to have better than our competitor, we do claim to have as GOOD COAL as is SOLD ON THIS OR ANY MARKET. There is no Coal that is better adapted to ALL USES than the SCHUYLKILL COAL, operated by the largest coal operators in the country. We also claim that we have prices to meet the lowest coal quotations. Hoping to be favored with your order, we remain, very respectfully,
July 16. J. D. BACCHUS.

TO THE CITIZENS
—OF—
Hanesville and Vicinity
HAVING rented the storehouse formerly occupied by O. P. Beck I am ready to serve the public generally with anything usually kept in a country store, consisting of
Dry Goods, Notions,
Choice Lot of Groceries
such as Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Sugars, Spices, Syrups, Molasses, Vinegar, Provisions, Flour, Meal, Bacon, Lard, Mackerel, Salt by sack or bushel.
Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Castor Oil, Linseed Oil, Lard Oil, Turpentine, &c. Tinware, Lamp Burners and Chimneys, Castings for Plows, Traces, Lines, Buckets, Brooms, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Candy, Cakes, Lemons, Oranges, Peanuts, &c.
Thanking each and all for past favors I remain ever ready to serve them in the future.
S. W. WALLIS, Ag't.
May 21, 1887.

STRAW WANTED!
HAVING Leased the Chestertown STRAWBOARD MILL, I am ready to BUY ALL THE STRAW that Farmers may wish to dispose of. Will clean up ALL THE STRAW from the stackyards sold me, rejecting only rotten straw, on the back of 240 pounds per ton for dry straw; only asking those wishing to sell to take a little extra pains in Stacking and not put the chaff with their Straw.
MR. JAMES BRICE is my authorized agent to buy.
WILBUR ELIASON.

Chester River Fish Law.

AN ACT to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 138 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, entitled "An Act to Better Regulate the Time and Manner of Taking and Catching Fish in the Waters of Eastern Bay and Chester River and their Tributaries, within the Jurisdictional Limits of Queen Anne's and Kent Counties," so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, entitled "an act to better regulate the time and manner of taking and catching fish in the waters of Eastern Bay and Chester River and their tributaries within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's and Kent Counties," be and the same is hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

CHAPTER 2.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, entitled, "an act to better regulate the time and manner of taking and catching fish in the waters of Eastern Bay and Chester River and their tributaries within the jurisdictional limits of Kent and Queen Anne's counties," be and the same is hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take, capture or destroy fish in the waters of Chester River or its tributaries in the counties of Kent or Queen Anne's and Eastern Bay and its tributaries within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county by seines, drag nets, set nets, fish baskets, fish pots, weirs, pound nets, fykes, or any other means or contrivance whatsoever, which is now known or used in the capturing or destroying fish, or which may hereafter be invented for that purpose, from the twentieth day of May to the first day of August, except with hook and line; provided, however, that seines or nets may be used for the taking of Taylors and Mackerel fish, provided the meshes of such nets or seines are in the bar not less than one and seven-eighth inches, or in the mesh not less than three and three-quarter inches; and provided, however, that Eels may be taken or captured at any time during the year and by any contrivance whatsoever suitable for the purpose.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons who use stakes or poles in setting nets of whatever class or description, in the waters mentioned in the second section of this act, to leave such stakes or poles in the waters where they are used, but shall remove, or have removed, such stakes or poles from the waters where they were used on or before the twentieth day of May in each year, nor shall they again be put down in said waters prior to the first day of August following.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons in said waters, in the second section in this act, to empty their seines upon the beach or shore at any time, while engaged in fishing, so as to leave the smaller fish to perish, but to empty the same in water of sufficient depth to enable the smaller fish to return to the waters for growth and maturation, and person or persons using seines, pound nets, fish baskets, fykes, traps, or nets of any class or description that catch the fish alive, shall immediately cull them and return the small fish to the waters of the place where they were taken.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That no person or persons other than the bona fide residents of Kent and Queen Anne's counties and who have been such for six months preceding the beginning of any fishing season, to wit: the first day of August of any year, shall use any boat or trap of any kind or description used in catching fish in the said waters of Chester River and its tributaries in said counties; provide however, that the waters of Chester River and its tributaries shall be used in common between the bona fide residents of said counties, to wit: those who have had a bona fide residence in either of said counties for six months before the first day of August of any one year or the fishing season thereof; and provided also that persons owning lands in said counties on said river and its tributaries shall have the right to rent or otherwise grant by written lease or contract under hand and seal to be filed and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county where the lands lie, a certified copy of which under the hand of the Clerk and the seal of his office shall be evidence of the right to fish in the waters opposite the shores described thereon to non-residents of said counties the privilege of fishing in or opposite their shore during the fishing season hereinbefore limited and fixed, under all the restrictions hereinbefore provided and further provided that the right to take fish with hook and line shall be allowed to all persons at all times.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That upon the information of any citizen of either of said counties, that he knows or verily believes, that any person or persons have violated any of the provisions of this act, before any Justice of the Peace of Queen Anne's county if the offence occurred in Eastern Bay or its tributaries, within the jurisdictional limits of Queen Anne's county, or if the offence occurred in Chester River or any of its tributaries, before a Justice of the Peace of either of said counties, the Justice of the Peace shall docket a case in the name of the State of Maryland against such person or persons so charged by oath as offending, and issue a warrant at once to some one of the constables or sheriff of such county, for the arrest of the party or parties charged in said oath with the violation of this act, to be brought before such Justice for trial, and said constable or sheriff shall seize the boat, tackle, nets and other equipments owned by or in the possession of such person or persons so charged with the violation of this act, when such violation occurred, or at the time of such arrest, and safely keep such property so taken during the time pending the trial for such offence so charged, and if upon such trial the Justice of the Peace shall enter judgment for the State such person or persons as against whom such judgment shall be rendered shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars for each and every offence in the discretion of the said Justice of the Peace, one-half of which fine shall be paid to the informer, the other half to the school fund of the county where such judgment is rendered, and if such fine is not paid within five days from the date of such judgment the said Justice of the Peace shall on the sixth day thereafter enter judgment of condemnation against the boat, tackle, nets, or other equipments of such offender which had been seized by the officer aforesaid, which said boats, tackle, nets, or other equipments shall, after ten days notice, be by the said officer sold to the highest bidder for cash, and from the proceeds of such sale shall deduct the fees allowed constables upon execution, the costs incident to such trial and