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DR. HIGGINS

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Kent county, that he has commenced the duties of his office. The following section of the law creating a State Professor of Agricultural Chemistry, specifies a part of his duties:

Sec. 4. *Be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of said Agricultural Chemist to analyze specimens of each variety of soil of the county in which he shall be, that may be brought to him or that he may find to exist, and also to examine, and if necessary to analyze specimens of each kind of marl, or other mineral or vegetable deposite that may come to his knowledge in order that his instructions may be of more practical utility."

He may be found at the Hotel of Mr. Charles B. Tilden, Chester Town.

July 15, 1848.

LUMBER.

I HAVE just received from Port Deposit 115 000 feet of very superior seasoned *WHITE PINE BOARDS, HEMLOCK RAILING, do. JOICE AND SCANTLING*; also a hansome assortment of

SHINGLES,

white pine $3 50—per m. cypress $5 50, per m. and Jamper $7 per thousand. I feel grateful to my friends and a liberal public for past favors, and assure them that I am determined to dispose of the above mentioned articles on reasonable terms, for the cash or on a short credit. I can and will sell them lower than they can be had from the city, and will for the cash make a liberal discount. Persons wishing to purchase will do well to call and examine before they buy. I will deliver to the county wharf, Lumber sold by me to go to Queen Ann's county, or up or down the river without any extra charge.

A. W. SPARKS.

Seasoned Oak Wood, Chesnut Rails, Laths, Bricks and Bats, Lime and Hair, for sale by A. W. Sparks, Wood, delivered for $3.50, per cord.

July 15, 1848.

Notice.

THERE are a number of open accounts on the books of the late Nathan Peacock, which the subscriber is anxious to close by Notes. Persons indebted on open account are requested to come forward immediately and close them by payment or note. Persons indebted to the deceased on note are requested to make payment by the first of September, otherwise, their notes will be placed in a train for collection.

GEO. W. SPENCER,
Admr. N. Peacock, dec'd.

Near George Town X Roads, }
July 15, 1848. 3w }

WARRANTED,

Under a penaltp of One Thousand Dollars, free from Mercury and all Mineral Substances.

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY



Genuine INDIAN MEDICINE.

Russelsville, Putnam co.; Ind., }
July 1, 1847. }

Dr. Wright: Some time since your agent left me a supply of your Indian Vegetable Pills. I have found said Pills to be in great demand lately for the cure of Fever and Ague. Mr. James Boyd has a son who has been laid up with Fever and Ague, and had tried other remedies, all of which proved of no avail. He determined to buy your Indian Vegetable Pills, and by using one box is now sound and well. Mr. T. Spencer had a daughter, Mr. Hugh Groves a son, and Mr. Charles Nicolas and three of his family, were all down at the same time with fever and ague, and had also tried the various other remedies without effect. Your Indian Vegetable Pills soon restored them to perfect health. I can assure you, from what I have seen, your Indian Vegetable Pills may be relied on for perfect cure of Fever and Ague. Yours respectfully,

JACOB DURHAM, P. M.

Also an acting Justice of the Peace.

This is to certify, that I was entirely cured of the chills and Fevers of several months' standing, by the use of four doses, of four pills each, of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, after taking medicine from a regular physician for some time, and have had no symptoms of them since, which has been about one year ago.

J. W. SBENCER.

Texas, Champaign co., Ohio.

This is to certify, that I was cured of the chills and fever, by the use of one box of *Wright's Indian* Vegetable Pills, after having had three attacks of it.

DAVID BURY.

Sugar Grove, Fairfield co. Ohio.

Beware of Counterfeits and Imitations. The following Agencies have been established for the sale of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills in Kent county:

John Russell, Chestertown:
Wiley & Perkins, do
Nathan Peacock, Georgetown X Roads.
Daniel Hanes, Still Pond.
Henry Blackiston, Rock Hall.
W R Foreman, Chesterville.
Sam'l Cooper, Urieville.
Walker & Bell, Millington.
W. Morris, Head of Sassafras.

Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, wholesale and retail, 169 Race st., Philadelphia; 288 Greenwich st., New York, and 188 Tremont st., Boston.

July 15, 1848. 1y

THE Ladies of St. Luke's Parish, Church Hill, design holding a Fair, on the 19th and 20th instant, in the camp meeting woods at that place. The Chester Band (always ready to accommodate the Ladies) are expected to be present on the occasion. The public are invited to give them a call.

July 8, 1848

WILMER & NICOLS, have just received from Baltimore, a lot of cheap goods, for camp meeting folks.

AGENTS:

V. B. Palmer, N. W. corner of Third and Chesnut st.; E. W. Carr, No 440 N. Fourth sts. Philadelphia, and Wm. Thompson, S. E. corner of Baltimore and South streets, Baltimore, are our authorised agents, to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the Kent News, and collect and receipt for the same.

WANTED.

TO LEARN THE PRINTING BUSNESS.

A BOY about 15 years of age, with a good English education; no one need apply who does not possess a good moral character.

may 13, '48.

FRESH VENEILLA BEANS, just received, and for sale by
STRANDBERG & CO.

FRESH ORANGES & LEMONS, just opened and for sale low by
STRANDBERG & CO.

IMPORTED CIGARS.—A superior lot of imported cigars, for sale by
STRANDBERG & CO.

July 8, 1848.

WICKES & BRO.

HAVE just returned from the city with an assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

which they will sell at *REDUCED PRICES*. The public are respectfully invited to examine our Goods, for we think they will be pleased at the quality as well as the prices.

☞The highest prices will be paid for country produce.

July 8, '48.

A *SUP. LOT OF CIGARS AND TOBACCO*, just received and for sale by. WICKES & BRO.

July 8, 1848.

For Sale.



THE house occupied by Miss Mary Skirven on High St., the House and Shop on the same Lot occupied by Mr Solomon Barrett and Mr. John Mansfield. Also the Dwelling House occupied by Mr. John Mansfield and the small dwelling occupied by Mr. Wm. Webb, known as the McClean property. For terms, apply to



GEORGE VICKERS,
Agent for the Owners.

Chester Town, }
July 8, 1848. } 4w

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of Fiera Facias to me directed, from William S. Lassell, Esq. a Justice of the Peace—will be exposed to public sale on

Saturday,

the fifth day of August next, at George Town X Roads, in Kent county at eleven o'clock, A. M., all that tract or parcel of land lying in Kent county, at present occupied by Philip Browne, Pere Browne, James Browne and Emory Browne, (f. n.) adjoining the lands of Mr. Joseph Money, Capt. John Meddets, and E. T. Massey, containing from 10 to 15 acres, more or less, a part of which formerly belonged to Sam'l Moffett dec'd. Seized and taken as the property of Philip Browne, Pere Browne, James Browne and Emory Browne at the suit of George Vickers, use S. Hickman, and will be sold to pay and satisfy the debt, interest and costs due, and to become due, on the said writ of Fiera Facias.

THOMAS K. STEPHENS,
Constable.

Georgetown X Roads, Kent co. }
July 8, '48. tds $3.12½ }

CAMP MEETING.

THE Camp Meeting of the Methodist Protestant Church, for Kent Circuit, will commence on Friday, 28th July, in the woods of Mr. Josiah Ringgold, near Chester Town.

June 10, 1848.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.

3-4 and 6-4 twl'd SUMMER CLOTHS
3-4 ALL WOOL TWEEDS (for sacks)
BR'N LINENS, white and fancy LINEN DRILLING, &c., extremely low by

may 13. WICKES & BRO.

OLD and pure BRANDIES, Port and Maderia WINES, suitable for sickness for sale by WICKES & BRO.

may 20.

LADIES DRESS GOODS.

A good assortment Barages, Plaids, Valencia's, Lawns, Ginghams, Calicoes &c., for sale by WICKES & BRO.

HATS.

FUR and silk Hats, china pearl, pedal braid, palm leaf and other varieties, for sale by WICKES & BRO.

LEVY COURT NOTICE.

THE Levy Court of Kent county will meet at the Court House, in Chester Town, on Tuesday the 4th and Wednesday the 5th days of July next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and continue to meet every Tuesday and Wednesday until the 19th July, for the purpose of altering and adjusting all property which is directed to be assessed in virtue of the following act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at December session 1847, to wit:

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the clerks of the several county courts and of Howard District court to return to the levy court, commissioners or appeal tax court, as the case may be, on the first day of March in each and every year, a list of all judgments and decrees which shall not have been before returned, together with the amount for which the same were obtained, and the names of the persons holding the same, in order that such judgments and decrees may be assessed at their true value by the said levy courts, commissioners or appeal tax court, as the case may be; *provided*, that judgments obtained on causes of action that accrued before the first day of January, eighteen hundred and forty-two, shall not be assessed by said levy courts, commissioners or appeal tax court, nor shall such judgments be assessed as shall have been obtained on any bond, note or other cause of action already valued and assessed, and the said clerks shall be allowed respectively, the sum of ten cents for each judgment or decree so returned, to be paid by the counties, district and city aforesaid, respectively.

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the registers of wills of the several counties and of Howard District, annually on the first day of March to return to the levy courts, commissioners or appeal tax court, as the case may be, a summary account of all property that shall appear by the records of the several orphans courts to be in the hands of each and every executor, administrator or guardian in their capacity as such, and all such property, if not before assessed, shall then be assessed, and every executor, administrator or guardian shall be liable to pay the taxes levied upon any and all of said property in his hands, and shall be allowed by the orphans court in his accounts for all taxes so paid by him; and the said register of wills for the performance of the duties imposed by this section shall be entitled to receive from the several counties, Howard district, and the city of Baltimore, respectively, such compensation as the levy courts, commissioners or appeal tax court may in each case deem proper.

By order of the Levy Court.

J. FRISBY GORDON, cl'k
Levy Court of Kent county, Md.

June 14, 1848. 5w

List of Letters,

Remaining in the Post Office, Chestertown Md., on the 1st July 1848.

Affley, Rachel	Kirby, John D.
Allen, Geo. W.	Lulahan, John O.
Apsley, W. R.	Lamb, Wm. jr.
Anderson, Geo. M.	Laser, Maria
Barker, J. W.	Lysby, Mary
Browne, Sarah J.	Morgan, L.
Broes, Peter	Milton, G. R.
Blakeway, Wm.	Miller, James
Boyer, Sarah	Oppenheismer, Meritz
Blake, col. John	Ogden, Dan'l
Beller J. W.	Perkins, Mrs. A. M.
Cruikshank, Mary A	Perkins, Isaac
Conway, M. C.	Rasin, Clinton
Chambers, John	Robinson, Geo. W.
Carvill, H. W	Rich, James
Champman, J. E.	Roberts, Mrs. S. A.
Cowper, Mary R.	Rasin, Lewis
Coleman, Wm.	Smith, Harriet A.
Davis, James	Stull, J.
Foreman, F. E.	Sanders, Geo. B.
Gale, Isaac	Shrouders, J. F.
Griswold, Marion F.	Sudler, A.
Gurney, M.	Sheridan, Edw'd
Granger, P.	Sutton, Caroline
Hovston, Mrs. Jas.	Spencer, John
Hackett, John	Sutton, Jonathan
Hopper, D. C. Jr.	Thomas, Mrs. Harriet
Hyland, Smith	Usilton, Mrs. T.
Hadaway, James	Wilson, Mary C.
Hurtt, Susan H.	White, Ann E.
Hopper, Anna	Willis, Mrs. Ann
Jones, Caroline	Weaver, Rachel
Kelley, John	Woodall, Jesse

E. DAILEY, P M.

July 8, 1848. 3w

Sheriffs' Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of the State of Maryland, of Fieri Facias issued out of Kent county Court, to me directed, at the suit of Hoy & White against John C. Voshell, will be sold at public sale on

SATURDAY,

the 22d of July next at the Tavern door of John Pennington, in the Head of Sassafras at 11 o'clock, A. M., all the right title and interest of the said John C. Voshell, of, in and to all that lot of land and improvements thereon consisting of a

New Frame Store House,

situate in the village of the Head of Sassafras, lying on the left hand side of the main road leading from George Town X Roads to Warwick and adjoining the lands of William A. Brice and Mrs. Mary Ann Boyer's heirs, and which was sold as the property of Phineas Jones, by a Trustee, under a Decree of the Chancellor and purchased by W. A. Brice. Seized and taken as the property of the said John C. Voshell and will be sold to pay and satisfy the before mentioned writ of Fieri Facias and the interest and cost due and to become due thereon.

GEORGE W. SPENCER,
Sheriff.

Sheriffs' Office, }
July 1, 1848. } $3 50

A lot of Concave & Wiley castings for sale by WILMER & NICOLS.

July 8, 1848.



TRUSTEE'S Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE HIGH COURT OF CHANCERY, the undersigned, will expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, on

Thursday,

the 27th day of July next, at half past ten o'clock, A. M. at the tavern porch of Mr. Reese Merritt, in George Town X Roads, a FARM, lying within one mile of the said Town, commonly called

THE KEATTING FARM

and occupied by Mr. Edwin Crouch.

This Farm contains from

180 to 200 Acres,

is in three shifts, with fair fencing and the soil is kind and well adapted to the growth of clover and other grasses. It is eligibly situated on the main road, leading from George Town X Roads to the Head of Sassafras and adjoins the lands of William Moffett, Esq., the Moody Farm, and the lands of John Anthony, deceased, soil is in three shifts, with fair fencing and heirs and others.

There is a sufficiency of



for the use of the Farm.



The Builings

Are a *A TWO STOR, BRICK DWELLING —A BRICK KITCHEN—A FRAME BARN, STABLE, CARRIAGE and CORN HOUSE*, in good ordinary condition.

There is a well of excellent water in the yard, and a fine

MEADOW

on the premises. The property is convenient to Church, Market, Schools and Mills, and the neighbourhood is a desirable one for a residense.

Mr. Crouch will shew the premises to any one desirous to examine them.

THE TERMS

OF SALE, as prescribed by the Decree, are that the purchaser shall give bond to the Trustee with approved security, payable in three equal instalments, in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the first day of January next.

Upon the payment of the whole purchase money the Trustee is authorised to execute a deed for the property.

GEORGE VICKERS,
Trustee.

Chester Town, }
June 24, 1848. }

☞The Delaware Journal will publish the above once a week, till day of sale, and send bill to this office.

Brick-Laying, Plastering,

STONE MASONRY, &C.

THE subscriber returns his thanks to a generous public for the encourgement he has received and elicits a continuance of the same. He is now prepared to do work at the shortest notice, in a manner which cannot fail to give satisfaction.

In addition to the above business he is prepared to build

Lime Kilns,

in the best manner, and at prices, which cannot fail to please.

He would most earnestly invite all who may wish work done, in Kent or the adjacent counties, to give him a call. All orders directed to him Chestertown, or left at the Printing Office, will meet with prompt attention.

MICHAEL MILLER.

April 8, '48. tf

WHEAT FANS.

Grant's & Whitman's make of wheat Fans for sale by

WILEY & PERKINS.

July 1, '48.

FAshionable black Leghorn and Palm Leaf Hats and oil cloth CAPS, for sale very cheap by

April 29. Wilmer & Nichols.

LOST.

ON Tuesday last within the precints of Chester Town, a WATCH KEY—to which was attached a small pencil. The finder will receive $1 reward by leaving it at the Printing Office.

July 1, 1848.

FASHIONABLE SUMMER HATS!

WHITE Rocky Mountain Beaver, white Russia, black and white Cassimeres, low crown, broad brim drab Russia; superior white, black and blue Slouches—with every kind of Hat, for sale *very cheap* at

JAS. ARTHUR'S
Hat Store,
1 door above Wiley & Perkins.

June 24, 1848.

Good Tobacco, just received and for sale by WILMER & NICOLS.



VALUABLE LANDS AT *PUBLIC SALE.*

THE undersigned as agent for M. Tilghman Goldsborough, Esq. will expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, on

Tuesday,

the 18th July, 1848, at the tavern porch of Mr. Charles B. Tilden, in Chestertown, at eleven o'clock, A. M., all that

FARM

situate near Turner's Creek in Kent county, known as

BLOOMFIELD,

CONTAINING

824 Acres,

and adjoining the lands of Mr. Benjamin Howard and others.

For the convenience of purchasers the FARM has been carefully surveyed and laid off into

THREE FARMS,

each lying on the Sassafras river, and bountifully supplied with



WOOD & TIMBER.



The Division, embracing the buildings contains 262—The Pond Division 250, and the Lloyds' Creek Bar Division, 312 ACRES. The land will be offered as a whole, or in parcels to suit persons disposed to purchase.

This estate is very beautifully situated, near the mouth of Sassafras River, in a desirable and salubrious neighbourhood, within a mile of Turner's Creek Landing from which vessels sail for BALTIMORE regularly, and occasionally to PHILADELPHIA. The surrounding and adjacent country, is in a high and improving state of cultivation, and of great value. The soil of this farm is good, and with a moderate application of lime and sea-weed, which can be easily collected, might be brought into a high state of cultivation and productiveness.

TIMBER

of the finest quality of the different varieties, might be sold, to an an amount fully adequate to lime the whole, and leave an abundant supply of the best and most valuable kinds, for domestic uses. There is probably 350 acres of

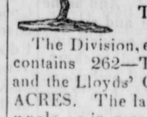
Wood and Timber,

on the Farm, and probably, no Farm on the Peninenla, is better WOODED. It consists of the varieties of Oak, Hickory, Walnut, Poplar, &c., and to one disposed to engage in the sale of Wood and Timber would be of very great value.

Drift Wood and Timber, are frequently found on the shores in considerable quantities.

The Shores have been considered fine for fishing and the proximity of Ponds, and Lloyd's Creek Bars, two of the most eligible points for gunning, would give it additional value to sportsmen.

On each of the Divisions of the Farm are elevated and handsome sites for buildings—with commanding views of the Sassafras River and Chesapeake Bay.



Plots of the land are in possession of the subscriber and will be exhibited to any who may call to examine them.

Mr. William Wilson, the Tenant, will shew the property, and the marks of the Divisions, to all persons who may call upon him.

The Terms of Sale

Are one third cash—the balance in one and two years, with interest, and well secured by bond with security—some modifications may be made in the terms, if circumstances require it.

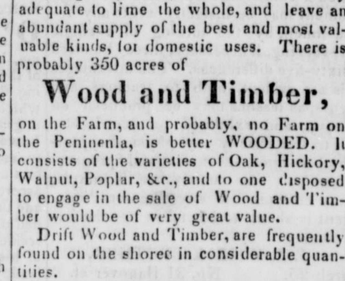
The title is indisputable and conveyance clear of all incumbrances will be made to the purchaser with warrantie.

Possession will be given on the first of January next.

GEORGE VICKERS, Agent for
M. Tilghman Goldsborough.

Chester Town, }
June 24, 1848. }

☞The Delaware Journal will insert the above once a week t.d.s. and send paper with bill to agent.



This excellent compound is for sale by Wiley & Perkins.

SUP. Chewing Tobacco 20 cts. pound—ann the best Cavendish 37½, for sale by T. W. ELIASON.

May6, 1848.

PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

Agents Wanted.

TO canvass for some new and popular works, in every county throughout the United States. To Agents, the most liberal encouragement is offered—with a small capital of from $25 to $400. A chance is offered whereby an Agent can make from $10 to $25 per week.

☞For further particulars, address [post paid. WM. A. LEARY,
No 258 North second st., Philadelphia.

April 1, 1848—3m.

Philadelphia Golden Saddle!

No. 38 Market street.

SADDLES, Bridles, Martingales, Horse Collars, Blind Bridles, Back Bands, Harness, Trunks, Whips, &c.

Manufactured in large quantities, and sold at the lowest prices.

E. P. MOYER,
Sign of the Golden Saddle, No 38 Market st. Philad. [April 1—6m.

Great National Work.

A History of the Revolution and Lives of the Heroes of the War of Independence,

BY CHARLES J. PETERSON,

An elegant volume with 18 fine Steel Plates, and nearly 200 beautiful Wood Engravings.

"This is a splended book. A valuable addition to the Historic Literature of our country. We are much mistaken if it does not take rank with the works of Irving and Prescott"—*Frankford Herald.*

It surpasses any similar work yet offered to the American public."—*Neal's Gazette.*

'It may be properly considered a popularised Millitary History of the Revolution, extremely well and judicious written."—*N. American.*

"The present work on the Revolution and its Heroes, is superior, both in extent and design to any that has heretofore come under our notice."—*Inq.*

A well connected History of that eventful period.—*Ledger.*

"Decidedly the best popular History of the War of the Revolution and its Heroes, that has yet been given to the country."—*Saturday Evening Post.*

☞AGENTS WANTED *to Convass for the above elegant work, in every County and Town in the United States.* to whom the most liberal inducements will be offered. Price only $3.

Address (post paid) WM. A. LEARY,
No. 156 North SECOND St.
PHILADELPHIA.

may 20 3m

Philadelphia Wardrobe

Clothing Emporium,

No. 105 Chesnut St. between Third and Fourth, North Side, Philadelphia.

TO MERCHANTS AND OTHERS VISITING THE CITY.

AT this establishment may always be found a full assortment of Gentlemens Cloting to suit all tastes and at such reasonable prices as will astonish all. I publish no list of prices, but will guarantee to sell as low, if not lower than those who make mere pretentions. My goods are all purchased at low prices, and made in as good styles as can be found in the city.—A call is solicited before purchasing elsewhere, as the Wardrobe is free to all.

PERRY R. McNEILLE,
No. 105 Chesnut st., Philadelphia.

N. B.—A large stock of piece goods on hand. Garments made to order at the shortest notice.

May 27, '48. 3m

CHEAP WATCHES AND JEWELRY, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, at the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store, No. 96 North SECOND ST. corner of Quarry.

Gold Leaver Watches, full jewl'd, 18 car. cases,	$38 00
Silver Lever Watches, full jewl'd	18 00
Silver Leaver, 7 jewels,	16 00
Silver Lepines, jewel'd,	11 00
Quarters, good quality,	7 00
Imitation,	5 00
Gold Spectacles,	7 00
Fine Silver do.	1 50
Gold Bracelets,	3 00
Ladies Gold Pencils,	1 75
Silver teaspoons, set,	5 00
Gold Pens with Pencil and Silver holder,	1 00

Gold Finger Rings 37½ to $80.

Watch Glasses, best quality plain 12½ cts.; Patent 18¾; Lunet 25, other articles in proportion.

All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.

On hand some Gold and Silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices, O. CONRAD,

Jeweller and Manuf'r of Sil Ware, Watch Maker and Imp. of Watches.

Constantly on hand, a large assortment of all articles usually kept in similar establishments, of good quality and fashionable styles.

July 1, 1848. 1y

JOB PRINTING,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

—SUCH AS—

Handbills, Circulars, Blanks, Cards, Labels, &c.,

Neatly and expeditiously executed on the most reasonable and accommodating terms, at the Office of the "*KENT NEWS*," Chester Town.

SILK HATS.

The latest New York fashion, very fine and superior finish—a beautiful article.

Also a variety of CLOTH and GLAZED CAPS, just received and for sale at the lowest city prices, at

JAS. ARTHUR'S
Hat Store, 1 door above Wiley & Perkins'

March 18, 1848.