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THE KENT NEWS.

Frustra laborat, qui omnibus, placere, studet---"He labours vainly, who endeavors to please every one.

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BOOTS & SHOES,

AT MODERATE PRICES

FOR CASH

THE SUBSCRIBER has a supply of *Leather*, and is prepared to make all kinds of

BOOTS & SHOES

in the best style, and at low prices, *for cash*

His Capital is in the hands of his customers, and he is not able to continue selling on credit.

He regrets the necessity which forces him to adopt

The Cash System,

as it will compel him to discontinue accounts with many good and highly prised customers, who he would be glad to work for on credit, if he was able to do so. He hopes that this frank explanation will be ample apology, and that his customers, who have heretofore failed to pay when he needed the money, will relieve him from the very unpleasant task of declining to send out work without the money, by uniformly paying their bills, when their work is done

WILLIAM CONYER.

Jan'ry 31, 1852

N. B.—All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle; and if they neglect this notice I will be obliged to place their accounts in the hands of an officer for collection.

W. C.

Adolpho Wolfe's

Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps.

A pure and genuine article, manufactured by him in Schiedam, Holland expressly for medical use, and strongly recommended for a sure and permanent cure of the Gravel; and all obstructions of the urine, arising from the Kidneys or Bladder. For sale by

SIMON WICKES.

Jany, 10, 1852.

ROBERTS' Embrocation for sale by S. WICKES.

WRIGHT'S Ague and Fever mixture. "*No cure no pay.*" For sale by S. WICKES.

BALSAM Wild Cherry, for sale by S. WICKES.

PAIN KILLER for sale by S. WICKES.

ETHERIAL OIL just received and for sale by S. WICKES.

LAMP OIL just received, and for sale by S. WICKES.

HAMPTON'S Vegetable Tincture for sale by S. WICKES.

BROWN'S Essence of Jamaica Ginger, for sale by S. WICKES.

A CHOICE lot of CIGARS and TOBACCO, just received and for sale by

SIMON WICKES.

Feb 21, 1852

BOOTS AND SHOES.—The largest assortment ever offered, (many of them made expressly for my sales), can be seen by calling at the Corner where I shall be happy to show them to all who may favor me with a call

ABEL J. REES.

ETHERIAL OIL.—An article warranted superior, for sale by

ABEL R. REES.

GARDEN SEEDS—A large variety, from the Shaker and Long Island seed growers, for sale by

ABEL J. REES.

SADDLES, for Ladies and Gentlemen, just received and for sale low, by

ABEL J. REES.

WANTED, all kinds of Country Produce, for which the highest market price will be paid, *in cash*, by

ABEL J. REES.

Feb. 28 '52.

REMOVAL.

Boots & Shoes.

THE undersigned has removed from his old stand to the one lately occupied by JOURNEY & BRO., near the tavern of Thos. Busby where he will be pleased to see his old customers. Having on hand a large stock of

Boots & Shoes,

also, on hand, an extensive assortment of *LEATHER*, which he can manufacture at the shortest notice. He is compelled to change his mode of doing business; he will expect a settlement with his customers every six months. Grateful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of the same.

JOHN W. PRICHARD.

C. Town, Feb. 14, 1852. t

N. B.—All persons indebted, are earnestly requested to call and settle with him by the 15th day of March next.

J. W. P.

Ploughs and Castings.

WILEY Ploughs Nos. 3 and 4; Wiley Improved Ploughs X and 56; Minor and Horton do., Nos. 18 to 21; 2 Furrough and Choenaworth.

T. W ELIASON has a supply of the above Ploughs, of Baltimore and New York manufacture; for sale at moderate prices. He has also a supply of New York Plough Castings.

Mch 20 1852.

Debt, Judgment, 28th May, 1851. before Emory Sudler Esquire, a Justice of the Peace for $55.47 debt, with interest from the 29th day of March, 1851 till paid, and 83 cents cost. The subscribers having purchased the Real Estate of Jonathan Hand, the defendant above named at a sale thereof in virtue of a Execution, Vendi Exponas, issued upon the foregoing Judgment, made on the 9th day of February, 1852, by John W. Carroll Constable, hereby give notice that they intend to apply to the Circuit Court of Kent county, at its session to be held in Chester Town, on the second Monday of April next for a confirmation of said sale, when and where the said defendant, Jonathan Hand or his creditors, or any other person or persons claiming any interest in the matter, will have an opportunity of making their objections if any they should have, why the said sale should not be confirmed, and for that purpose are hereby warned to appear. The property purchased by the subscribers consists of Mill Mill Seat, Dwelling and premises at the head of Still Pond Creek, containing 25 to 30 Acres of Land, more or less, and which was sold to the said Jonathan Hand by G. Vickers, Trustee under the Decree of Chancelor in the case of Emily Sanders vs. Mary Ann Bell, as will appear by reference to his report of said sale.

JAMES WHITLING & CO.

March 20, 1852

James Whiting & Co vs Jonathan Hand.

Guano! Guano! Guano!

THE subscribers are now receiving from ships "Seringapatam," "Reform," and "Persian," their Spring supplies of Peruvian Guano and offer the same in quantities to suit at the very lowest market rates.

They also offer the cargo of Patagonian just imported in Bark Christina. This is one of the best recently imported, being very rich in Phosphates and Ammonia; and is in fine order for sowing, as it is quite dry, and free from stones or other foreign substances. On soils requiring Phosphate, this is decidedly the cheapest manure which can be applied, as we will dispose of it in small lots at the reduced price $22.50 per ton—about one half the price of Peruvian.

Mexican Guano, closely resembling Peruvian in appearance and containing over 57 per cent. of Phosphate, at $25 per ton, in lots.

These Guanos are all of recent importation, regularly weighed and inspected, and their purity is guaranteed in every case.

1,000 bushels Ground Bone, Kettlewell's Renovator; Ground Plaster, Clover and Timothy seeds, Tar, Salt, Fish, &c.,

W. WHITELOCK & CO.,

Corner Gay and High sts., Baltimore.

March 20, 1852.—3t

IN CHANCERY,

1st MARCH, 1852.

ORDERED that the sale of the Real Estate of William Shaw, made and reported by the Trustee, J. Earle Rochester be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the first day of May next, Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of April next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $2900,00.

True Copy, Test,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Reg. Cur. Can.

Mch 13, 1852.

Fresh Groceries, &c.

I have just received and for sale, sup. Extra and Family FLOUR, loaf crushed and brown SUGAR; Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Soap, Candles, Rasins, Figs, Almons, Apples, Oranges Bacon, Lard Butter and Cheese all cheap—Principee, Havanna Spanish and common Cigars, anti-nervous cavendish and common Tobacco, Traces Lines, Buckets, Tin and Wooden Ware, Ready made Clothing; blk doeskin pants, blk. and fig. silk Vests, sack and other Coats, all cheap—green baize Jackets, Powder and Shot, Gun Caps, Garden Seed, &c. Butter, water, sugar and dyspepsia Crackers. All kinds of produce taken for Goods. My friends and the public are invited to give me a call

WM. BACCHUS.

March 13, '52.

8th Reg't Cav. Dist. Attention!

The Officers and non-commissioned Officers of the 8th Reg't Cav'l, Dist. M. M. are requested to meet at the Hotel of John McDaniel, in Chester Town on the 12th day of April, 1852, at 3 o'clock P. M., as business of importance will be laid before them.

JOHN B. CAMP, Acting Adg't, 8th C. D. M. M.

March 20, 1852.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned, as agent for J. H. Dulany, will sell, at private sale, all that

FARM OR PLANTATION

situate in Swan Creek Valley, Kent county, Md., on the Bay road leading from Swan Creek to Fairlee, adjoining the lands of Col James B. Ricaud, and John Gale, Esq., containing

300 Acres,

more or less.

The improvements are two comfortable DWELLINGS, with the usual and necessary OUT-BUILDINGS attached to each.

The land is so located as to admit of a division into two Farms; each may have a DWELLING, the necessary OUT BUILDINGS, and a supply of excellent water very convenient.

There are about thirty five Acres of WOOD and fifty of BOTTOM LAND, which will compare favorably with any in the county for growing timothy, &c. TWENTY ACRES of which is now set in grass, and has produced annually TWO TONS and a HALF per acre.

The location of this Farm is very desirable, being within one and a half miles of the Chesapeake Bay, not over by water 30 miles from the city of Baltimore—within two miles of a good landing, at which stone and shell lime may be delivered. Places of Public Worship, Schools and Mills are all convenient.

THE TERMS are quite easy. Those wishing to purchase will call on Mr Dulany, who resides on the premises.

RICHARD HYNSON, Esq. Chester Town, Md.

January 31, '52—tf

☞The Delaware Journal will copy the above 3t and send bill to this office for collection.

MEDAIRY'S PULMONARY BALSAM,

A valuable Medicine.

JUST introduced, an infallible cure for Coughs, Colds, Diseases of the Lungs and Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Dyspepsia, Bronchitis, Erysipelas, and all diseases arising from impurity of blood.

One hundred persons have been cured in a few weeks, many of whom were laboring under severe Colds, and were threatened with that dreadful disease Consumption. This compound is the result of much thought and the fact that it combines the remedial properties of a great many of the most powerful agents within the vegetable kingdom, will, in a measure, account for the astonishing and almost instantaneous effect with which it operates. Read the following certificates:

From the Rev. Thomas Bassford, Male Free School of Baltimore.

TO MR. JOHN MEDAIRY—*Sir:*—I cheerfully write my testimony with many others, in favor of the happy effects of your Pulmonary Balsam. Two of my family were affected with a severe cold and distressing cough. They took your medicine and were instantly relieved. Yours most respectfully,

THOMAS BASSFORD.

Baltimore, September 11, 1851

Baltimore, Nov. 1851.

DEAR SIR:—We take pleasure in acknowledging the beneficial effects of your valuable Pulmonary Balsam, we have used it in our families with great success, and pronounce it a prompt and certain cure for Coughs, Colds, Affections of the Lungs &c.

R. McELDOWNEY,
JOHN McELDOWNEY.

☞For sale by Simon Wickes.

Jan. 10. '52—tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!!

KITTY TOOMY & BROTHER respectfully announce to the public that they have opened an OYSTER SALOON, on Maine Street, in the House formerly occupied by Caroline Frisby, and are prepared to serve up OYSTERS in the very best manner.—By strict attention to business they hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

The public's ob't sv'ts,
KITTY TOOMY.
THOS. TOOMY.

Feb. 7 1852. 3m

MACOMBERS Superior Straw Cutter for sale, by A. J. REES,

SEED OATS.—A good article for sale, by A. J. REES.

J. B. GADDESS,

MARBLE CUTTER.

No. 12 Light, near Baltimore Street,

AND OPPOSITE THE FOUNTAIN HOTEL,

BALTIMORE MD.

WOULD respectfully call the attention to persons wishing to purchase

GRAVE STONES, TOMBS, MONUMENTS, &c., &c.,

to the large assortment he has just finished, and on hand which will be sold *Cheap for Cash*, boxed and delivered to wharf free of an extra cost—guaranteed safe to any distance and to give entire satisfaction or no charge made.

Any order entrusted to me will be faithfully executed and meet with prompt attention.

Address J. B. GADDESS,
No. 12 Light St.
Baltimore Md.

Feb. 14, 1822

SAVE YOUR MONEY.

CHARLES P. FREEMAN & CO.,

(LATE FREEMAN, HODGES & CO)

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS,

144 BROADWAY,

ONE DOOR SOUTH OF LIBERTY STEET.

NEW YORK.

HAVE now on hand, and will be receiving daily through the season, *New Goods*, direct from the European manufacturers, and *cash Auctions*, *rich fashionable, fancy Silk Millinery Goods*. Our stock of *Rich Ribbons*, comprises every variety of the latest and most beautiful designs imported.

Many of our goods are manufactured expressly to our order, from our own designs and patterns, and stand unrivalled. We offer our goods for *nett Cash*, at lower prices than any credit House in America can afford.

All purchasers will find it greatly to their interest to reserve a portion of their money and make selections from our great variety of *rich cheap goods*

Ribbons rich for Bonnets, Caps, Sashes and Belts.

Bonnet Silks, Satins, Crapes, Lisses, and Tarletons.

Embroideries, Collars, Chemisetts Capes, Berthas.

Habits, Sleeves, Cuffs, Edgings, and Insertings,

Embroidered Reviere, Lace and Hemstitch Cambric Hdkfs.

Blonds, Illusions, and Embroidered Laces for Caps.

Embroidered Laces for Shawls, Mantillas, and Veils.

Honiton, Mechlen, Valencienes, and Brussels Laces.

English and Wove Thread, Smyrna, Lisle Thread, and Cotton Laces.

Hid Lisle Thread, Silk, and Sewing Silk, Gloves, and Mitts.

French and American Artificial Flowers.

French Lace, English, American, and Italian.

Straw Bonnets and Trimmings

Mch. 6, 1852.

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,'

CHESTERTOWN.

House-Carpentering.

THE subscribers take this method of informing the citizens of Kent and Queen Ann's counties, that they are still carrying on the above business in Chestertown. Their shop is in Church Alley, opposite the Court House, where they are ready to execute all orders with despatch. ☞Buildings erected in the best manner, and upon moderate terms.

JAS H. HAMILTON,
GEO. ATKINSON.

Jan'y 3, 1851.—tf

2000 TONS

PERUVIAN GUANO in store, and to arrive this and the ensuing month. This GUANO is received direct—regularly inspected and put up in strong cotton bags. For sale by the cargo, or in lots, by

S. FENBY & BRO.
Corner Gay and Pratt Sts.,
Baltimore.

Feb'y 28, 1852 4t

TAKE NOTICE.

THE subscriber takes this method of informing the public that hereafter he intends doing a cash business.

LOUIS DUCUMMON.

Feb. 14, 1852.

THE KENT NEWS.

A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER,

Devoted to Agriculture, Politics & Gen'l News,

IS PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY.

EDWARD MANSFIELD,

PROPRIETOR.

TERMS:

$1.50, payable in advance—$2 at the expiration of the first six months, or $2.50 at the end of the year—5 copies for $6—10 copies for $10. No subscription received for a shorter period than six months, and no paper will be discontinued until all arrears are paid.

Terms of Advertising.

Advertisements not exceeding twelve lines will be inserted three times for $1, and 25 cents for each insertion thereafter. Larger ones in proportion. A liberal deduction will be made to yearly advertisers. Advertisements must have the number of times marked, or they will be published till forbid, and charged accordingly.

All communications must be post-paid.

POETRY.

I CHANGE NOT.

Written for the Kent News,

BY MYRA.

Then take this heart 'tis thine,
No other can it claim;
While memories so fond entwine,
Around thy much loved name.

The affections of this heart,
Are all I have to give;
Then take the boon, and tho' we part,
Still those affections live.

That image from my mind,
Can never be erased;
Even tho' the icy hand of death,
All others have effaced.

For then that impress there,
Will but the deeper glow;
'Tis stamped upon my inmost soul,
Which no mutations know.

Ah! ask no no other vow,
No other can I make,
I've given thee all I can bestow,
Even though his heart should break.

'Tis fate's dark stern decree,
That we may meet on earth no more;
But let our consolation be
We may meet on a happier shore.

We will meet nor part again,
When soul and body sever,
Where no rash vow can intervene,
To separate us ever.

GENTLE WORDS.

A young rose in summer time,
Is beautiful to me,
And glorious the many stars
That glimmer on the sea;
But gentle words and loving hearts,
And hands to clasp my own,
Are better than the fairest flowers,
Or stars that ever shone!

The sun may warm the grass to life,
The dew the drooping flower,
And eyes grow bright and watch the light
Of autumn's opening hour;
But words that breathe of tenderness,
And smiles we know are true,
Are warmer than the summer time,
And brighter than the dew.

It is not much the world can give,
With all its subtle art,
And gold and gems are not the things,
To satisfy the heart.
But, oh! if those who cluster round
The altar and the hearth,
Have gentle words and loving smiles,
How beautiful is earth!

A WESTERN EDITOR lately offered his hat as a prize for the best essay on independence.—The following obtained the prize:

National Independence is easier imagined than described; personal independence consists emphatically in being situated in a clean shirt, drawers, socs, and a nicely blacked pair of boots, with at least a dollar and a half, and a clean cambric in your pocket—all on Sunday morning, with your wife on one arm and your *own* babe on the other, taking your own course towards your own church, to sit under the ministry of your own preacher in the blissful expectation of doing your own snoozing in your own pew, wherein no one dare venture to nudge you with his elbow or tickle your nose with a straw.

☞A good Deacon at a conference meeting in the town of D——, about thirty miles north of Boston, addressed his auditors, one Sabbath evening, as follows:—"My friends, there is a new doctrine going about now-a-days. We are told that *all mankind* are going to heaven; but, my brethren and sisters, we hope for better things."

PLANTING CORN,

A gentleman writing to the Germantown Telegraph says:—My mode is to manure on the sward in the fall, the land that I intend for corn the next spring; after plowing, I spread forty bushels of lime to the acre, put the ground in good order, and mark it out both ways four feet apart; then I take a compost, previously prepared, consisting of the scrapings of the cow-pens during the summer season, the droppings of the henroost, and a portion of leached ashes, all thoroughly mixed; then I drop 4 grains of corn in a hill, and cover it shallow with earth. This gives the corn an early start, out of the way of insects' till the roots reach the manure that has been turned under. I repeat I have never failed in a crop since I have followed this mode; and I would recommend my agricultural brethren to give it a trial.

TIME TO CUT TIMBER.—Timber cut from the first of September to the middle of December will not sprout much, and the stumps will rot in half the time they would if the timber was cut at any other season of the year; but if the stumps are hacked down close to the ground, they will not sprout, no matter at what time the timber may be cut. The best season for cutting rails, is when they will bark easy; which is during May and the beginning of June. For barking fruit trees, so as to give them new bark the best time is from the 20th to 25th of June.—If it is done carefully, a new bark will grow on almost immediately. The operator must be careful not to rub the tree after the old bark is off, as that will prevent the new from growing.

CALIFORNIA.—A letter to the Boston Journal says that hundreds of mechanics are flocking into California, who generally arrive there without a dime, after paying expenses of passage, &c. He says, "I have had at least a *hundred men to offer to work for me for their board*, and you can hire as many as you want for from 30 to $50 per month, and on that sum no man can live out here, when provisions are as high as they now are." A man earning seventy-five cents a day in the Eastern cities, he says is better off than one receiving three or 4 dollars in California.

Since last July I have slept on the ground, with merely a blanket over me, and when it was raining in torrents, a piece of board to keep me from the wet and an old tent to keep the thickest off my head. I have lived like a nigger and worked like a slave, and you know how much of the stuff called gold I have been able to send home. If it had not been for my pride, I should have been home long ago. No one knows what I have suffered; sometimes even for food, and with nothing but the blue canopy of Heaven to cover me at night. You will see in the papers accounts of rich discoveries made out here. Some of them are true, but by testing, 9 out of 10, would not pay a dollar a day. At the present time, there are some 70 miners round my bridge, and they do not average $1 per day, and it is so all over the mines.

"TWO THOUSAND PIGS"—A fellow who lisped, having bought some pigs, asked a neighbor for the use of a pen for a few days. Said he—

"I have just bin purchasin' thome thwine—two thowthand pigth. I want to put them in your pen till I can fix a place for them."

"*Two thousand pigs!*" exclaimed the neighbor, "why my pen will hardly hold a dozen!" "You don't understand me, Mr. Bent.' I don't mean to thay *two thouthandth pith*, but two thouths and pigth!"

☞"I hear you," said Mr. Bent, "two thousand pigs! Why, you must be crazy!"

"I tell you again," exclaimed the man angrily, "I mean not two *thousand* pigs, but two thousand two pigs!"

"Oh! that is what you mean, eh?—Well, the pen is at your service."

A couple of Irishmen, who had not been long in this country, met at an inn, and called for dinner. As it so happened there was a dish of horse-radish grated for dinner. Pat, thinking it was something to be eaten with a spoon put a large spoonful into his mouth. The tears immediately filled his eyes and rolled down his cheeks. His companion saw it, and said: "Pat, what is the matter?" "I was jest thinking of my poor father, that was hanged in swate Ireland," answered Pat. But Jemmy soon filled his mouth with the same; and as the ears gushed from his eyes also, Pat says: What's the matter—what has happened to ye?" "Ah!" says Jemmy, "I was jest thinking what a pity it was that you were not hanged when your father was."

"Pa, how long does the legislature sit?" "Three or four months my son." "Why, what a set of geese they must be; our geese only sit five weeks!"—"It's getting late my son, I think you had better retire."