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PROFESSOR HART'S GREAT GIFT ENTERPRISE OF THE WHOLE WORLD.

Professor L. Woodman Hart would respectfully inform the citizens of New York and the world at large; that for the purpose of enabling all to see his wonderful illustrations of the entire world, (the first and only thing of the kind ever produced,) now on exhibition at the World's Hall, Nos. 377 and 379 Broadway, and for the purpose of popularizing American Art; and also of giving a world-wide circulation to his renowned Book of Travels, Adventures and Anecdotes," which should be read by the million, he will distribute among the purchasers of his tickets of admission the following magnificent and valuable Gifts amounting to the sum total of $300 000.

LIST OF GIFTS.

Prof. Hart's Whole World, worth an immense fortune to any one, valued at	$50 000 00
Prof. Hart's elegant country seat, with 100 acres of land in a high state of cultivation the buildings on which cost $15,000, situated on Long Island Sound, and commanding a magnificent view of 50 miles in every direction—valued at	25,00 00
The celebrated model of the city of San Francisco, valued at	8 000 00
Prof. Hart's far famed Panorama of the Holy Land	10 000 00
A magnificent city residence in New York	17,000 00
100,000 Volumes of Professor Hart's extensive Travels in the Old and New World, interspersed with remarkable adventures, amusing anecdotes and thrilling incidents, elegantly bound, with gilt edges, including a portrait of the author,	75,000 00
25 building lots, each containing 100 0 square feet, in a beautiful village in the suburbs of N. York city, each valued at $ 00	12,500 00
30 elegant Rosewood Pianofortes, at $300	9,0 0 00
5 do at 500	2,500 00
20 do. Melodeons at 100	2 000 00
50 gold watches, at 100	5,000 00
100 do. do. at 75	7,500 00
100 do. do. at 50	5,000 00
200 do. do. at 25	5 000 00
100 gold bracelets at 15	1,500 00
1000 gold rings, at 2	2000 00
2000 do do. at 1	2 000 00
200 sets silver tea spoons, 9	1,800 00
80 do. dessert spoons, 12	600 00
25 do. table spoons, 18	450 00
20 000 vols. Mrs. Partington's Carpet Bag of Fun, at 50 cts	10,000 00
30,000 pieces of the most fashionable music, 25 cts.	7 500 00
35,000 elegant steel engravings, 25 cts.	8,750 00
10,000 finely engraved pocket maps of the city of New York	14,127 75
31,089 Portemonnais, at 25 cts.	7,772 25
A loan for 100 years, without interest or security, of cash	10,000 00

It is confidently believed that the tickets will all be sold, and the property will be distributed by the first of June.

The property will be placed in the hands of a Committee appointed by the ticket holders, to be distributed in a perfectly fair and satisfactory manner to all concerned.

The price of tickets is $1 each, entitling the holder to four admissions to the Exhibition, and one of the 300,000 gifts.

All orders for tickets must be addressed, post-paid, with the money enclosed to Prof. L. Woodman Hart, Nos. 377 and 379 Broadway, World's Hall, New York, and the tickets will be promptly forwarded to any part of the world.

Any information relative to the property may be obtained at the office of the World's Hall, or of F. J. Visscher & Co. No. 80 Nassau st. New York.

April 8, 1854.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE

THE undersigned will sell at private sale, his *FARM AND PLANTATION*, situate and lying on the New Road, leading from Chester Town to Millington, containing

93 Acres

OF LAND, more or less. About 60 Acres of which has been recently cleared the balance in



and will cut at least *THIRTY CORDS OF WOOD* per acre.



The undersigned not having owned this property but a very short time, has put no improvements on it other than a frame *DWELLING HOUSE*, of very convenient size for a small family.

The location is highly desirable, being convenient to schools, mills and places of public worship—is within half a mile of a public landing on Chester river, and not more than one mile from the post office in the town of Chestertown.

The soil is very kind and generous not inferior to the best soil in the county.

There are grain boats running constantly from the above landing to Baltimore and occasionally to Philadelphia.

THE TERMS of Sale will be made to answer, as far as practicable, the interest and convenience of those who may desire to purchase. All such may either confer with Robert H. Hanson, Esq. in Chester Town, or the subscriber at his residence near Chestertown.

J. C. MANN.

March 25 1854—tf

HOLD ON!

Grocery, Flour & Feed Store

THE subscriber has just returned from the city with a full assortment of Groceries, such as Sugars from 6½ cts. a choice lot of Teas, Coffees, Flour of all brands, at low prices, Bacon, Lard, Fish, Soaps, Tobacco, Cigars, Molasses, Syrups, buckets, brooms, tubs, Iron and Nails of all sizes, Liquors common and best whiskey, Port and Madeira Wine, Brandy and old Holland Gin, Cordials many, and other things too numerous to mention. His store is opposite Market House on Cheap Side. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods, at market prices, and hot cash if wanted. Call at Bordley's if you want cheap goods.

JOHN BORDLEY.

March 25, '54.

Lime! Lime!!

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public, that he is prepared to deliver

SCHUYLKILL VALLEY LIME,

at any good landing on the Delaware or Chesapeake Bays, and Captains that will give the farmers fair measure.

All orders promptly attended to. ☞ Please give two weeks notice before wanted.

N. B APPLETON.

Wilmington, Del. }
March 4. 1854. }

Wanted.

THE undersigned wishes to employ a BLACKSMITH—steady work and liberal wages given. Apply to

GEO. P ROEDER

Harmony, March 18, '54.

Tailoring &c.

MRS JAMES H LEWIS would respectfully inform her friends and the public, that she is prepared to make Coats, Pants, Vests, Ivin and fancy shirts, and to do all kinds of sewing with despatch and on the most reasonable terms. Her residence is on High Street, opposite the store of Mr. A A Ustion.

Chestertown, April 8, 1854—3t

HARDWARE, Queensware, Hats Caps, Boots and Shoes, Wheelers Morocco Slippers and working Shoes on hand and for sale low by

B. B. PERKINS.

FOR SALE.

SEVERAL pair Beautiful PEACOCKS. Apply at this Office

march 18, 1854.

WASH SODA, *for sale at* 6¼ *cents per pound by* T. W. ELIASON.

March 11, 1854.

NEW ROADS.

Road Notice.

THE undersigned intends to apply to the Commissioners of Kent county at their first meeting in May next, for a public road or right of way, from his premises to the public road through a lot which Thomas Walker deeded to Thomas McLaughlin, a distance of about twenty yrds, or more through said lot.

JAS H. HURTT.

April 1. 1851—4w

Road Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice, that they and others who may desire to unite with them, intend to petition to the County Commissioners at their first meeting held thirty days after the date of this notice, to open and make the following road and landing.

Beginning on the lands of Joseph Usilton, where the road intersects the public road leading to Worton Point, and running by and with the road used as a private road to the farm of the late Samuel G. Reynard to Worton Creek at or near the wharf on said creek.—Nothing but the great necessity of a public road and landing would induce the petitioners to apply for said road and landing.

JOS. USILTON,
THOMAS TOULSON,
GEO. R. REED,
ISAAC PARSONS,
WM. . PARKS,
A. R. PARKS,
JAMES BECK (FGE.)
HENRY COHEE,
JAMES WOOD,
DANIEL HAINES,
E. PLUMMER,
JAS. L. BOYERS,
O. P. BECK,
W. W. STEPHENS,
GEO. R. BECK,
WM. LAB, Jr
WM. LYZAR,
JAS. . PATTEN,
DULANY RAISIN,
JOHN A. MILLER,
THOS. W. BLACKISTON.

April 1, 1 51—4w

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE undersigned intend to petition the County Commissioners of Kent county, on or about the first of May next, to open a *PUBLIC ROAD* beginning on the east side of the main road leading from George Town Cross Roads to Head of Sassafras, at some point between Swan Town and the farm of Dr. John Frazier, and extending across the country to the main road leading from Massey's Cross Roads to the Head of Sassafras, to intersect said road between the Lands occupied by Dr. R. H. C. Massey and Mr Edward Wroth.

E. WELCH,
D. C BLACKISTON,
E. WILMER.

March 25. '54—4w

Road Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they and others, who may desire to unite with them, intend to petition the County Commissioners at their first meeting held thirty days after the date of this notice, to open and make the following Road, to wit:

Beginning in the public road between Col. J. H. Gale's front gate and Mr. R. Beswick's house and running thro' the lands of Mr Beswick, Mrs. Brooks R H Turner and the lands belonging to the heirs of Wm Crew, to the mouth of Sassafras River—then beginning in the public road leading into Still Pond Neck near Mr Jump's Blacksmith shop, and running through to the lands of R. H. Harris, Capt Vance, William Stanley and George Gale, until it intersect the first named proposed road. The petitioners also desire a public landing at its terminus on the waters of Sassafras river.

RICHARD H. TURNER.
H. L. JUMP.
ANDREW VRICE.
RICH'D H HARRIS.
GEO. GALE.

March 25, 1854—1w

Boots & Shoes.

T. W. ELIASON has just opened a large stock of Boots and Shoes. He has Men's fine and thick Boots and Lace Boots; Boys' and Children's Lace Boots, and Ladies Gaiters, Morocco Ties, Welts, Buskins and Boots.

March 11, 1854.

BROWN Crushed and Loaf Sugars, Rio and Laguyra Coffee, a fresh supply of Teas on hand and for sale by

B. B. PERKINS.

Money Wanted!

LOOK OUT.

S. W. CANADY has just returned from the city with an extensive stock of Groceries and Fancy Articles of every description, which he has purchased for cash, and intends ll persons, who wish to buy a great many goods for small amount of money to call on examine, ere purchasing elsewhere.

The stock consists in car of Porto Rico Syrups, Sugars, Confectionary of every kind, raisins, nuts, &c; Flour, meal, horse-feed bacon, lard cheese fish and every conceivable variety of fancy articles.

Come unto me, all ye who hunger and I will sell you bread! Ye lovers and I will furnish jewels to grace the hand or deck the person of her you love! Ye farmers and gardeners, and I will deliver unto you for the "ready" the *seeds* that shall yield you a thousand told at harvest time! Ye little ones who love the sugar plumbs, say unto your mothers, "Mamma, Mr. Canady has candy so cheap!" Ye lovers of the weed, the best Havanah, and Cavendish is offered you by Canady—Ye who *imbibe* call and buy our imported liquors! Ye housekeepers just step in to see our tubs, buckets pans, crockery, scrubbing brushes, &c. In fact every thing ever offered by one in our line. Call early and not all at once, as our counter is crowded from early morn till murky night" by those who will persist in saying that the cheapest goods ever sold are kept by

S. W. CANADY.
No 3 Cheapside.

April 1, 1851.

Notice to Creditors

ESTATE OF FRED'K. S BOYER

Maryland Kent county Orphans' Court March 28 1851.

On the application of Charles T Lusby, Administrator of Frederick S Boyer, late of Kent county deceased. Ordered that he give notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that the same to be published once a week for the space of four successive weeks in some newspaper printed in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid,

I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office affixed, this 28th day March 1854.

(SEAL) Test, JACOB FISHER,
Register of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice that the subscriber, of Kent county hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of Fred S. Boyer, late of Kent county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before the 25th day of October, 1854, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand, this 28th day of March 1854.

CHARLES T LUSBY.
Administrator Frederick S. Boyer, deceased

April 1, 1854.

Groceries.

T. W. ELIASON has just opened a large stock of fresh Groceries, he has prime Rio Jamaica and old Java Coffee very good Sugars at 6¼ cts, loaf and crushed Sugar, superior black and green Teas, Porto Rico Syrup, Molasses by the bbl, Flour, Candles, Soap, Spices, &c &c., &c. Mar. 11, '54.

THE subscriber has just returned from the city with a lot of fresh

FLOUR—Family, Extra and Superfine

and a fresh lot of

GROCERIES,

and with a good lot of

BRANDIES, WINES, & HOLLAND GIN.

which will be sold low for the cash.

JOHN BORDLEY

MONEY WANTED.

IN exchange for Clothing. BREAD CAKES, CRACKERS, all kinds of Confectionary, Toys, Dolls, variety articles, *Nuts*, Spices, Patent Medicines Segars, Tobacco, Snuf, Piper, best quality Flour, &c. &c. &c

JOHN RUSSELL.

May 14, 1843

Friends and Customers

PLEASE call on the subscriber when you wish to purchase good ready made CLOTHING HATS and CAPS at low prices.

JOHN RUSSELL.

May 14, 1853.

LUXURIES.

SEGARS, Tobacco and Snuffs, variety of kinds, of the best quality, for sale by

JOHN RUSSELL.

April, 853.

CRAVATS, COLLARS & HOSIERY

T W ELIASON has just opened a new assortment of Good Black Silk Cravats and Silk Hats. He has also Shirt Collars, Umbrellas, Cotton and Linen Drawers, Merino Shirts, for sale cheap. Mar 11, '51

Encourage Home Industry!

Call and Judge for Yourselves.

FARMERS, MERCHANTS, AND OTHERS:—The undersigned respectfully invites the attention of the public to his large assortment of

Tin Ware,

which he will sell as low as can be had elsewhere. House ROOFING, SPOUTING and REPAIRING promptly attended to on accommodating terms, and at the shortest notice. Manufactory on Main st., next door below the Post Office, where he may always be found ready and willing to serve his country.

BENJAMIN ELLIOTT.

April 1, 1854

Britton Evans, v. Peter Sickles, and others. } In the Circuit Court of Kent county, as a Court of Equity. March 30th, 1854.

ORDERED, That the sale made and reported by George Vickers, trustee for the sale of Joseph H. Middleton's real estate mentioned in this cause, be ratified and confirmed unless cause be shown to the Circuit Court of Kent county, as Court of Equity on or before the first day of June next. Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the first day of May next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be one hundred and fifty dollars.

True copy, Test
JAS F. GORDON, Clk
Circuit Court Kent co.

April 1, 1851.—3w

In the Circuit Court for Kent County sitting as a Court of Equity

March 30th, 1851.

George W Medders and wife vs. John F. Ralph and wife and others. } Ordered that the sale made reported by George Vickers, trustee for the sale of John Woodall's real estate, mentioned in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown to the Circuit Court for Kent county, as Court of Equity, on or before the first day of June next: Provided a copy of this notice be inserted in some newspaper printed on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the first day of May next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be eleven hundred and fifty dollars.

True copy: Test,
JAS. F. GORDON, Clk.
Circuit Court Kent county.

April 1, 1851—3w

Carriage Making &c.

THE undersigned have taken the shop recently occupied by Mr John Greenwood where they intend carrying on the above business

Carriages, Harness &c., made to order—all kinds of Repairing will be done in the best manner and with despatch.

ASBURY HOWARD
BENJ FIDDIS

April 1, 1851.

Carriage Making,

HARNESS MAKING &c.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he is prepared to do *ALL WORK* in the Carriage making, Trimming and Harness business.

He keeps constantly on hand for sale Bridles, Collars, Traces, plough-lines Carriage whips, Martingales, Crupperis Girths, Cremgles and Saddlery in general at Baltimore prices.

He keeps on hand also Groceries, Tin ware, Tobacco, Segars Penknives Razors, all kind of handkerchief and a general assortment of trimmings and notions, which he will sell at the lowest cash prices.

His place of business is on Main street, in Chester Town, opposite the dwelling of Judge Eccleston.

JOHN E. LAWRENCE.

Chester Town, April 1, 1851.

Notice.

Batteau about 16 feet long and apparently about two years old, came ashore to the landing at the Round Top on Chester River, a few days ago. She has been used with two oars and a centre board she has not been painted.—The owner will come forward, prove property, pay expenses and take her away.

SOLOMON SPEAR.

Queen Ann's, March 18, '54.

Carriage, Harness Making, &c

THE undersigned having taken the establishment formerly occupied by Messrs T. & O. P. Jones, would inform the public that he is prepared to do

All Work

in his line, in the best manner.

JOHN GREENWOOD.

July 30, 1853

N B.—All persons indebted are requested to call and settle without further notice, as he is in want of money

JNO. GREENWOOD.

Notice.

ALL persons are hereby warned not to trespass upon my property in Chester Town, as I am determined to prosecute at law, all without respect to persons who may be found trespassing or destroying in any manner my property. Parents and Guardians will please take notice.

JNO B H. ANDERSON.

March 25, 1851.

HARDWARE—Shovels, Forks and Spades.—T. W. Eliason has a good supply of Shovels, Forks, Spades, Knives and Forks, Scissors, Locks, Hinges, Spoons, &c, for sale cheap.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

THE undersigned has just returned from the city with a fine assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS, Groceries, Hardware, Liquors, &c. Call and examine his stock.

W. N E. WICKES.

March 18, 1854.

NOTICE.

YOUNG cattle wanted—The highest will be paid for fifty head of young cattle by

ABEL J. REES.

Rees' Corner, march 18, '51.

MILCH COWS.

SEVERAL valuable Milch Cows, for sale by

ABEL J. REES.

Rees' Corner, march 18, '54.

BLACK SILKS, DE LANES, DEBAGE,

T. W. Eliason has just opened a good assortment of rich Black Silks—also Delanes, DeBage, Ginghams, Calicoes, &c

March 11, 1854.

NEW GOODS.

MISS EARLE has returned from the city with an assortment of NEW STYLE SPRING GOODS, suitable for the season. The Ladies will do well to give her a call.

April 1, 1854.—3w

A CARD.

DR. JAMES A. PERKINS, offers his professional services to the public. He may be found at his office in Chester Town, on Water street, near the bridge.

March 25. 1854—6w

Weights and Measures.

THE undersigned having been appointed Standard Keeper, for the present year will attend with his

WEIGHTS & MEASURES,

as follows.

On Monday 17th of April at Chester Town.

Tuesday Trappe, Rees' Corner, Rock Hall and Belle Air.

Wednesday Wotton Heights, Still Pond, Unionville, Bruns, and Harmony.

Thursday Chestorville, Georgetown X Roads.

Friday, Head Sassafras, Massey's X Roads and Millington.

CHAS. R. HACKETT.

Apr 8, 1854

To Whom it may Concern —By a resolution of the Vestry, in 1852 it was *resolved*, That all persons, owners of lots, and others, who bury in St Paul's Cemetry, shall pay the Sexton two dollars for digging a grave for an adult, and one dollar for a child under 12 years of age, whether he is employed or not, as it was designed as a perquisite for his services in protecting the grounds from trespass.

It was also *Resolved by the Vestry*, That all who may bury there shall pay a fair consideration (unless contributors towards the Sexton's House, for grounds) not exceeding five dollars for an adult nor less than one dollar for a child of the above age.

L. M RICAUD,
Reg of St. Pauls' Parish.

April 8, 1854—3w