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A VISIT TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON.—The committee, consisting of Hon. Edward Hammond, Hon. Thomas Donaldson, Dr. W. W. Watkins, Reuben M. Dorsey, Colonel Ulysses Hobbs and Edward Talbott, who were appointed to present to the President the resolutions which were adopted at the mass meeting of the people of Howard county, Md., recently held at Ellicott's Mills, waited upon the President on Monday of last week. The Howard County *Record* gives the following account of the interview:

Admitted into the President's room, each of the gentlemen composing the committee was duly presented to the President, whereupon Gen. Hammond, in a few eloquent and impressive remarks presented the resolutions, giving to Mr. Johnson an earnest assurance of determined support from the State of Maryland. Mr. Donaldson also congratulated the President upon the manly and determined stand which he had taken to restore the country and preserve the coustitution.—The President, in reply, said to the committee that their expression of confidence in his administration came at an opportune time; that there were times when the bravest men needed encouragement, and that he felt grateful for the approbation of his public conduct, communicated through the committee; that he had already filled all the various stations in life to which ambition would aspire; that his career would soon be ended; that it was not necessary for him to repeat to the committee the assurances which he had already given to the country; that he had no other motive in the direction of his administration but the good of the nation, and that with the constitution as his guide, under God, he was determined to restore the country.

FIRST ARREST UNDER THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.—There have been several occurrences within the past three or four days which, it is expected, will bring before the courts of this city the question as to what are the rights of colored persons under the Civil Rights Bill. The first was that of a colored man taking a seat among other passengers in one of the Railway cars.—The conductor invited him to go to the front platform, where colored persons had always the privilege of riding. He insisted on his right to remain in the car, but the conductor, as also the other passengers, required him to leave. He noted down the number of the car and then departed. On the same night James Williams, colored, appeared at the ticket office of Holliday Street Theatre and asked for a ticket. The agent, on learning from him that it was for himself, refused to sell a ticket. He went out on the sidewalk and acted in such a disorderly manner as to compel Policeman Ray to conduct him to the Middle District Station, whence Justice Spicer, after an examination, the next morning committed him to jail. On Saturday night a colored man appeared at the Eastern District Station, claiming protection. He stated that he had gone into a public house and asked for a drink, but the proprietor refused him the liquor.—He claimed that as a citizen he was entitled to the same privileges as white men.—*Balt. American.*

THE FIRST CASE UNDER THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT.—The first case under the civil rights law came up the other day in Indiana, where a colored man, denied the right to enforce a contract by a State law, appealed to the United States Court for protection. The defendant pleaded that under the constitution of Indiana a negro has no right to enforce contracts in the State. The black man pleaded the first section of the civil rights act and the constitutional amendment. The United States Court (Judge Test) subsequently decided that the amendment to the constitution abolishing slavery makes all negroes citizens, virtually declaring void the 13th article of the Indiana State constitution.—In his opinion he says:

"Without reference to the civil rights act, I shall sustain the demurrer to the defendant's answer, fully satisfied that the plaintiff is a citizen of the United States—independent of the act of Congress on that subject—with the right to sustain his action for his work and labor."

TROOPS IN THE SOUTH.—An order was issued by the War Department on Tuesday to reduce the number of colored troops in the South, so as to leave two regiments in Kentucky, four in Tennessee, one in Georgia, two in Alabama, four in Mississippi, one in South Carolina, one in Florida, and one in the District of Columbia. Looking to the attainment of full pacification, the well meaning, and those who desire only the good of the whole country, will generally approve this policy of the administration; for while the necessity, as yet, of retaining United States troops in the South, to a certain extent, is recognized, few object to the presence of white soldiers, with whom the disbanded soldiers of the South almost universally harmonize, if not fraternize, while exactly the reverse is the case with the colored soldiers, who, in some instances, have been guilty of outrages upon plantations in remote districts, for which, under the influences by which they were incited, there was no redress.

HON. JAMES BROOKS.—A complimentary dinner to this gentleman (who was recently deprived of his seat in Congress) was given in New York on Monday evening. It was attended by many prominent citizens. Hon. Richard Schell presided, and speeches were made by ex-Gov. Hunt, Gen. Slocum, Senator Call, Hon. E. Brooks, and others.

PLANTING LARGE CROPS IN VIRGINIA.—It is stated by the Lynchburg News that the farmers of that section, the Piedmont region, and in the southwestern portion of the State, and in other localities of Virginia, are assiduously devoting their time and energies to the main objects of raising large crops of the various agricultural productions during the present year.

PLANTS! PLANTS!
100,000.

I AM now prepared to furnish the following varieties of PLANTS either by the hundred or thousand, at the following prices:

Extra Early White sollid Lettuce	15 cts.	per 100
Early Ice or Seletia "	15 "	"
Large Red Smooth Tomato,	25 "	"
Egg or Cherry Tomato, (for Pickles or Preserves,) -	25 "	"
Pear Shaped Tomato, (for do.,)	25 "	"
Cauliflower, - - -	25 "	"
White Sollid Celery, - -	25 "	"
Large Purple Egg Plant, -	50 "	"
Large Bull Nose or Bell Peppers,	50 "	"
Large Flat Dutch Cabbage,	25 "	"
Drum Head "	1.50 "	1000
Curled Savoy "	1.50 "	"

Also, Sweet Potato Plants in season.

I have Tomatoes and Egg Plants in pots, of extra large size for early use, at 50 cts. per doz. (pots included.) They can be set out in the dryest season without retarding their growth in the least, and will ripen at least three weeks sooner than those drawn and planted, and can be sent any distance. I would call especial attention to my Tomato plants. Having procured last season several papers of seed represented to be the genuine imported Large Red Smooth Tomato seed, I sowed and planted them separate, and finding them to be as represented kept them for seed. I gathered them myself from the earliest and largest they bore, and think them vastly superior to any I have seen.

☞ All orders by mail will be promptly attended to, and the plants carefully packed so as to keep for several days, and delivered at any designated place in Chestertown, or on board of the Steamboats.

TERMS CASH. R. S. EMORY,
apr14-4t. near Chestertown.

The STEAMER COMMERCE,



Will commence running between SASSAFRAS RIVER and PHILADELPHIA on Monday, the 2nd of April, leaving WILSON'S POINT on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, at 10 o'clock, A. M.; leave Geo. & Fredericktowns at 12, M., touching at all the Landings on Sassafras and Elk River. Leave Betterton about 3, P. M.

Will leave Philadelphia, third wharf, above Arch St., at 2 o'clock, P. M., every Wednesday and Saturday morning.

Freight carried at reasonable rates, but must be prepaid. J. F. WILSON, Captain.
March 31, 1866—tf.

SPRING GOODS!

CALICOES, GINGHAMS,
Bleached and Brown SHEETINGS,
OSNABURGS, DOMESTIC PLAIDS,
COTTONADES, and an assortment of Seasonable Goods generally, all just purchased for *Cash*, and offered for sale at small advances by
April 14. WICKES & BRO.

HOOP SKIRTS.

Bradley's Double Spring, considered among the best and most agreeable to the wearer now in use, just received and for sale by
April 14. WICKES & BRO.

HATS! SHOES!

A full line of Men & Boy's HATS for Spring wear, some of them of quite *nobby* styles; a general assortment of SHOES among others Gents' Calf Boots and Summer Balmorals, and a complete stock of superior MONROES and BROGANS for Plowing and other Farm work, all offered for sale at low figures, by
April 14. WICKES & BRO.

No. 2 and X Heckendorn Points and Shares, and other Plow Castings, now on hand at
April 14. WICKES & BRO.'S.

A general stock of WOODEN-WARE, TIN-WARE, China and Crockery, HARDWARE, &c., &c., &c., all recently laid in by
WICKES & BRO.
Chestertown, April 14, 1866.

1866. SPRING 1866.
AND
Summer Clothing!

GOLD DOWN TO 1.25!
PRICES ACCORDINGLY!

THE undersigned will offer this Spring and Summer his CHOICE STOCK of GOODS at decidedly lower figures to keep pace with the marked decline in Gold, and the general downward tendency in every branch of business. All in want of CLOTHING are cordially invited and most sincerely advised to make their purchases early, as, according to the opinion of all,

Prices have Reached the Bottom,

and there is more likelyhood of their going up again somewhat than coming farther down.

An early call is solicited.
April 14, 1866. I. FRANK.

A FARM FOR SALE.

A FARM OF 117½ ACRES, near Smithville, and the Union in Kent county. The soil is good and productive. The Buildings are sufficient, and the Out-Buildings good. This Farm is eligibly located for Churches, Schools, Mill, Mechanics' Shop, &c., and is about five miles from Chestertown, and in a healthy and good neighborhood. It adjoins the lands of Mess. John Gale, J. Beck, (of Geo.) and others.

The cash payment required will be small, and the credit payments from one to five years.

Mr. Abel Merritt, the tenant, will shew the premises to any who may call.

GEORGE VICKERS,
Agent for J. L. Crew.
Chestertown, April 14, 1866—3t.

SPRING MILLINERY.

MRS. C. R. FIDDIS has just returned from the city with a varied assortment of SPRING MILLINERY, selected with care, purchased at REDUCED PRICES, and will be sold low. Her stock comprises the LATEST STYLES of Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Trimmings, &c., &c. They are now opened, and the ladies of the Town and county are invited to call and examine them.
April 14, 1866—3t.

NEW STORE.

MRS. H. A. SAPPINGTON respectfully informs her friends and the public that she has taken the Store Room on Main Street, in Chestertown, adjoining Mr. J. H. Burchinal's, and has just returned from the city with an assortment of Seasonable

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.
ALSO, GROCERIES, &c.

A call is respectfully solicited.

All kinds of PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods at market prices.

Chestertown, April 7, 1866—3t.

LUMBER---Co-Partnership.

THE FAIRLEE SAW MILL, Lumber and Mercantile business will hereafter be conducted by FENNIMORE & MILLER, who are copartners in the same.

J. B. FENNIMORE,
J. B. FENNIMORE, JR.,
WILLIAM B. MILLER.
Kent county, April 7, 1866—3t.

Attention Farmers.

THE highest Rates for
COUNTRY PRODUCE.
Goods sold as low for Country Produce as for the money.

Just received a large assortment of all kinds of Goods very low. Call and examine.

Very Respectfuity, H. W. VICKERS,
April 14. Cheap Corner.

NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED,
BY
T. W. ELIASON & SON,
At GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

☞ We would invite purchasers to call and examine our present stock of DRY GOODS, just opened, which we are selling at moderate profits. [March 31, 1866.]

The Great Fall
IN GOODS!

HAVING taken advantage of the last Great Fall in all kinds of Goods, we are now prepared to offer

Greater Inducements!

CALICOES 10, 12, 15, 18, 20,
DELAINES 25 and 28,
BLCH'D MUSLINS 12½,
Good quality unbleh'd 15.

Beautiful assortment of MEN and BOYS' Wear.
Large assortment of NOTIONS.

BOOTS & SHOES bought of the Manufacturer. The largest assortment of HARDWARE ever offered; Chisels, Hatchets, Augers, Planes, Hinges, Saws, &c. Call especial attention to our fine stock of Table and Pocket Knives.

Oil Cloths and Carpeting.

Floor and Table Oil Cloths, of the latest styles. Cottage CARPET at 45 cts. per yard.

H. W. VICKERS,
Cheap Corner.

Do not fail to call and examine our large and Cheap Stock of Goods just received.

H. W. VICKERS,
April 14, 1866. Cheap Corner.

WILL WONDERS EVER CEASE?

A. W. SPARKS & SON,

HAVE again returned from the city with a large, varied and beautiful assortment of Seasonable Goods, which they are selling and will continue to sell as CHEAP as they can be bought either in Chestertown or Kent county. READ THE PRICES and be convinced:

CALICOES 10, 12½, 15, 18 and 22 cts.,
Beautiful Challis DELAINES, 25 to 30 cts.,
BLEACHED MUSLIN 12½ to 37½ cts.,
Unbleached Do., Heavy Drill, Cotton Duck, Denims, Hickory Stripes, Domestics, Ginghams, Tickings, &c., all of which will be sold cheap.

A fine assortment of

Men and Boys' Wear,

Latest style of SPRING HATS, at low prices.
Oil and Paper Curtains, a beautiful variety.
☞ One of the CHEAPEST STOCKS OF SHOES of every kind, ever offered in this town.

QUEENSWARE,
HARDWARE,
WOODENWARE,
TINWARE, &c.

LAMPS, a fine stock, very cheap indeed.

Brooms, Tubs, Buckets, Rope, Twine, Knitting Cotton, Cotton Yarn, &c., &c.

GROCERIES.—Sugars 12½ up, Coffee 33 and 35 cts., Molases, Syrups, Coal Oil, &c.

Call and see. A. W. SPARKS & SON.
Chestertown, April 7, 1866.

NEW MILLINERY!

MRS. L. J. DAVIS,

HAS just returned from the city with her large and beautiful selection of SPRING and SUMMER MILLINERY, and FANCY GOODS, Gipsy Bonnets, silk and straw; round crown, silk and straw; square crown, silk and straw; a beautiful style of black Crape Bonnets, Maltese Hats, Olive, Broll, Rim, Tulip, Monroe, Highland, Alpine, Turbin, Star, Continental, Normi, Lady's Derbs, Margaret, Hamilton, Alexandria, Dew Drop, Violet, Boy's Monroe, French Turbin, Shakers, white and colored, French Flowers, Rushes, French and Imported Caps, Dress Caps, white and black, a large assortment of Ribbons, plain and fancy Dress Buttons, Hoop Skirts, Hoop Combs, Tuck Combs, Bandoes for the Hair, Coils, Ladies' Hose, Children's Stockings, Gloves, Handker'fs, Croshet Braid, Spool Cotton, Linen Cuffs, Collars, Glass Beeds, black and white for the neck. She has taken great pains in selecting her stock, and is satisfied that she can please her customers. Please give us an early call; by so doing you will get the most fashionable styles. apr7-3t.

Important and Special Sale
OF
DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, &c., &c.

Trade Lively—Prices Still Lower!

CALICOES 10 Cts., Bl'd Muslin 12½ cts.,
Beautiful Figured Brilliants 25 cts.,
New Style Lawns 30 cts.,
Hoyle's best 4-4 Chintz Prints 25,
Elegant London Greys 20 cts.,
Do. London Checks, 20 cts.,
with an elegant assortment of

New Dress Goods,

MUSLINS, CALICOES, DELAINS, BOOTS and SHOES, &c., all of which will be offered at great inducements to Cash Buyers, for the good of all, at

J. OSBORN DUGAN'S,
Apr. 7—3t. Main St., Chestertown.

BREAD AND CAKE BAKERY.

JOHN C. GRUBER,

HAS taken the Bakery of Mr. John Waibel, (up town,) respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to furnish

BREAD, RUSK, BUNS, PIES, Biscuits, &c.,

FRESH FROM THE BAKERY, together with every description of Cake, such as

Pound Cake, Sponge Cake,

FRUIT CAKE, JUMBLES, SUGAR CAKE, Jelly Cake, Lemon Cake, &c., at the lowest prices. Having had large experience in Philadelphia in this business, he is satisfied of his ability to give satisfaction.

JOHN C. GRUBER.
Chestertown, April 7, 1866.

PUMP-MAKING
AND
Well-Digging.

ALL persons desiring a bountiful supply of PURE WATER would do well to call on the subscriber, who will Dig Wells and settle Pumps at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms, and will go to any part of Kent, Queen Anne's, or the adjoining counties.

Orders left at the Post Office, Chestertown, or at my residence near Whaland's Mill, will receive prompt attention.

mh17-y. CHARLES HAYDEN.

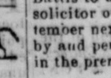
Drift Logs.

THE undersigned, during the late freshet, secured TWENTY LOGS, White Pine, of various marks, which are now on his shore, on Swan Creek, Kent county, Md.

The owner or owners are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take them away, within forty days from the date of this notice, otherwise they will be disposed of according to law.

JOHN DOWNY.
April 7, 1866—6t*

For Sale,



ONE FARM HORSE, 1 MILCH COW (fresh) and Calf, and one Heifer. Apply to JOHN BRICE,
apr7-3t. Agt. for Mrs. Augusta Harris.

Dwelling House
ON MAIN STREET,
FOR SALE.

WILL be sold at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, on

SATURDAY, the 21st of April,

at 3½ o'clock, P. M., the neat and comfortable HOUSE ON MAIN STREET, occupied by the undersigned. The house is very eligibly located near the river, and in a very desirable neighborhood. There is a fine Garden, and a Pump of good drinking water in the yard.

TERMS:—One-fourth cash, and balance in 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest and approved security. J. W. HINES.
April 7, 1866—ts.

HOUSE AND LOT
FOR SALE.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust from John C. Riley and wife, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on

THURSDAY, the 31st of May, 1866,

at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, at 3 o'clock, P. M., the

THE TWO-STORY FRAME
Dwelling House and Store,

in the village of Still Pond, belonging to the said John C. Riley and wife, with the

LOT OF LAND

attached, fronting 134 feet, and running back 143 feet. The above property is eligibly situated and is in good repair. To any one desiring to engage in the mercantile business a rare chance is here offered. As a place of residence no other part of the County offers superior inducement to Still Pond. Churches, Schools, Mills, Navigable water, &c., near at hand.

The Terms will be easy, and made known at sale. JESSE K. HINES, Trustee.

N. B.—This property may be purchased at private sale before the day above named.
apr7-tds. J. K. H.

Newark Academy.
Prof. EDW. D. PORTER, A.M., Principal
SUMMER SESSION, 1866.

THE 234th Session of this Institution will commence Wednesday, May 2d, 1866, and continue Five months.

Its healthy location—convenient access—Splendid Library and Philosophical Apparatus, and Moderate Charges, render it one of the most desirable schools in the country for Boys and Young Men. For full information address

EDWARD D. PORTER,
apr7-2m. Newark, Delaware.

Ploughs and Castings.

W. A. VICKERS has had made to order a large lot of CASTINGS, acknowledged by all Farmers to be superior to any ever offered in this market. Old Castings taken in exchange.

VICKERS
was the first to knock down the prices of DRY GOODS, &c., and he is still offering

Great Bargains.

☞ GO TO THE PEOPLE'S STORE. ☜
April 7, 1866.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby forbid hauling from the water, selling or sawing any of the saw logs or square timber in the Chesapeake Bay or its tributaries, without first making a contract with the undersigned, who is gathering them on account of the owners. Any violations of the law will be enforced.

JOHN I. BEBRY,
Havre De Grace, Md.,
Agent for A. G. P. Dodge, D. W. Smith, and Dudley Blanchard. apr7-3t*

Notice.

THIRTY DAYS AFTER DATE, we intend to apply to the County Commissioners, to improve the public road leading from Bell Air to Fanuell's Branch, by grading the hill and straightening the said road through the small lot formerly occupied by Oxford Martin, fn., deceased; believing it will promote the public convenience and be of little cost to the county.

JOS. RINGGOLD,
JOS. RINGGOLD, JR.,
WM. T. BAKER,
JOHN LUSBY,
ROB'T NICHOLSON,
L. M. RICAUD.
April 14, 1866—5t.

STANDARD KEEPER'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed STANDARD KEEPER for Kent County, hereby gives notice to

MERCHANTS, SHOP-KEEPERS, and all others interested,

that he will, by order of the County Commissioners, attend at the following places, on the days named, for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting all BEAMS and SCALES,

Weights and Measures,

used or intended to be used in this county, viz:

MONDAY, April 23d—at Chesterville, Crumpton, Millington, Massey's X Roads and Head Sassafras.

TUESDAY, 24th—at Galena, Georgetown, Locust Grove, Harmony, Kennedyville and Still Pond.

WEDNESDAY, 25th—at Chestertown.

THURSDAY, 26th—Worton Heights, Bell Air, and Rees' Corner.

FRIDAY, 5th—Forktown, Rock Hall and Quaker Neck.

The small Stores and Shops at unnamed places, in various parts of the County, will be attended to at convenience in passing from one more prominent point to another.

EDWARD RYLAND,
apr14-2t. Standard Keeper

HENRIETTA BATTIS
versus
JOSEPH H. BATTIS.

Bill for Divorce in the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a Court of Equity.

THE object of this Bill is to obtain a Decree for the Divorce of the Complainant with the Defendant, *a vinculo matrimonii.*

The Bill states that the complainant intermarried with the defendant in February, 1866; that in March, 1862, the said Joseph H. Battis cruelly deserted and abandoned her and their two children, without any just cause, to support herself and children as best she could.—That since the abandonment aforesaid, her husband hath done nothing for her support, except to remit her five dollars in money over two years ago. That there is no prospect of her said husband and herself ever living together again, and that he resides beyond the limits of the State of Maryland.

It is therefore ordered that the complainant by causing a copy of this notice and order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in the State of Maryland once a week for four successive weeks before the fourteenth day of May next, give notice to the said Joseph H. Battis to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the fourteenth day of September next, to answer the premises and abide by and perform such decree as may be passed in the premises. JESSE K. HINES, Cl'k.

Test: JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
April 14, 1866—4t.

Prices to Suit the Times!

JEWELRY. I have on hand a large stock, much larger than was ever before offered in Chestertown, consisting of the latest styles, and every quality, from the best 18k. down to common Jewelry, such as the people get when they draw prizes. I can sell for $1 such as are marked from 5 to $10 on prize paper.

All kinds of Plated Ware.

The best quality, which we can warrant, as all the plated goods, such as Castors, Berry Dishes, Syrup Cups, Sugar & Butter Dishes, Forks, Spoons, &c., are warranted to us, as we buy right from the maker's hand.

CLOCKS AND WATCHES.

Large stock on hand and must be sold. Full assortment of all kinds and quality of Specks, Watch Chains, good Rings, Thimbles, Scissors, good Pocket Cutlery, Port Monais, and in fact all kinds of fancy articles. The above stock will be sold at great deductions from former prices. Call in and examine for yourselves.

J. V. SMITH.

REPAIRING.—Having from personal affliction and a press of work, become very much behind, it now affords me pleasure to state that through the assistance of a good workman from the city, I have got up with my work, and am prepared, (still having a good workman,) to do all kinds repairing on the very shortest notice, with charges greatly reduced.

March 24, 1866. J. V. SMITH.

DR. J. SIMMS & SON'S
Compound Vegetable Blood Purifier.

THIS preparation is composed of PURE HONDURUS SARSAPARILLA, combined in a large compound of valuable articles, possessing great purifying properties, and is prepared in the form of a pure Extractive Syrup, is very pleasant and agreeable to the taste, and powerful in its effect on all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood. It purifies the secresions of the Liver, Kidneys and stomach, keeping the bowels gently operative. STANDS UNRIVALLED

FOR THE

CURE OF SCROFULA OR KINGS EVIL,

Rheumatism, Mercurial and Syphilitic Diseases, Pimples, Blotches, and all discolorations of the Skin; Army Itch, Tetter, Female Diseases, Womb Complaints, Liver Complaint, Chronic Ulcers, languid and weak Systems, Neuralgia, and all the long series of complaints requiring purifying medicine. As a spring and summer purifier it has no superior.

Price $1 per bottle. See our circular of Pure Family Medicines, around the bottle, for full description. Prepared only by

DR. J. SIMMS & SON,

Physicians and Druggists, Dealers in Pure Family Medicines, corner 4th and King Sts., Wilmington, Delaware.

☞ Sold wholesale and retail by S. S. Hance, Baltimore; Johnson, Holloway & Camden, No. 23 North 6th St., Philadelphia, and the Proprietors, and at retail by dealers everywhere.

TAKE NOTICE. This celebrated Preparation (Simms' Blood Purifier,) is prescribed by many eminent physicians, who, knowing its component parts, use it with great success in diseases arising from an impure state of the blood. Ask for it and take no other. [mh24.

$5 Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber in January last, a NEGRO BOY named Thomas Henry Harris, aged 14 years, indentured to me by the Orphans' Court of Kent county. All persons are cautioned against harboring or employing said boy, as I shall prosecute such, and also claim his wages. WM. W. PARKS.
April 7, 1866—3t*

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

CAN HAVE THEIR CLAIMS
For BOUNTY, PAY and PENSION
PROMPTLY COLLECTED.
ALSO,
PRIZE MONEY for Seamen, and arrears of pay due heirs of Officers of the Army and Navy by
WM. B. HILL,
Government Claim Office,
No. 70 W. Fayette street, Baltimore.
Full information given without charge. Letters must contain stamp. [d2-y.]

GOVERNMENT HARNESS & SADDLES.
WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

7,000 Sets (slightly worn) Team Harness for Horse or Mule, only $5 per horse for lead; $6 per horse for wheel.

10,000 Bridles and Collars, (in fine order.)

10,000 Head Halters, with chains or straps, 6 to $9 a dozen. 3,000 Saddles, all styles.

5,000 Wagon Covers, (9 by 16 feet.)

7,000 Shelter Tents, new or second hand, just the thing for family use, hay covers, boat sails, &c. Half Price Portable Forges, &c.

Also 500 sets New Ambulance or Stage Harness; 150 new Officers' Saddles and Bridles, very cheap. Call and see them.

In addition to above, have on hand 300 Army Wagons and Ambulances for sale cheap.

PITKINS & CO.,
369 North Front St., Philadelphia,
ap7-3t. and 483 Ninth st., Washington.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

THE advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

STRANGE, BUT TRUE.

EVERY young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned.—Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOMAS F. CHAPMAN,
fe24y. 831 Broadway, New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing

JOHN B. OGDEN,
fe24y. No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

Important to Females.

HALF the bodily suffering women are heir to can be removed surely and speedily by the use of DR. L. MARQUETTE'S FRENCH PERIODICAL PILLS. Send three-cent postage stamp for our circular, which will give all explanation. Pills sent free of postage on receipt of $1.25.

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Dr. Strickland's PILE REMEDY,

has cured thousands of the worst cases of Blind and Bleeding Piles. It gives immediate relief, and effects a permanent cure. Try it directly. It is warranted to cure. For sale by all Druggists, at 50 Cts. per bottle.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

ORDERED by the Commissioners of Kent County, that the following advertisement be inserted once in each week, for and during five weeks successively, in the "Kent News" and "Chestertown Transcript," printed and published in Chestertown.

Test: JOHN RUSSELL,
Clerk to Commissioners for Kent Co.

A LIST OF TRACTS AND LOTS OF LAND,

in the 1st Tax District of Kent county, chargeable for the payment of Taxes due to JAMES LAMB, Collector for said District for the years 1860 and 1861, together with the names of persons chargeable with the payment of the same, and there being no personal property in the County liable for and chargeable with the payment of said taxes, as by return of said Collector to the said County Commissioners, will appear, viz:

DUE FOR THE YEAR 1860.

Names.	*Tracts of Land.*	*Amount Due.*
Anthony, Clara	5 acres of Land, part of Swamp and Fairlee - - - -	$ 1.26
Brown Fris., n.	4 acres of Land, part Relief, of Wm. H. Brown - - -	89
Brown, James, n.	4 acres of Land in Big Swamp -	46
Cooper, Jacob, n.	6 acres of Land of Skirven, and 6 acres of do. with improvements of same -	1.34
Elburn, Daniel	2 acres of Land, in Skinner's Neck,	36
Pearce, Joe, n.	4 acres of Land, part Coney Warren -	1.47
Pearce, Simon, n.	3 acres of Land, part Coney Warren -	1 38
Pearce, Jim, n.	4 acres of Land, part Arcadia - -	1.22
Pearce, Lemuel, n.	22 acres of Land, of Wm. T. Skirven	2.09
Warren, Giles	Land - - - -	2.98
Wright, Rebecca, Heirs of	5 acres of Land, part Swamps and Fairlee	90

DUE FOR THE YEAR 1861.

Anthony, Clara,	5 acres of Land, part of Swamps and Fairlee - - -	1.28
Brown, James, n.	Lot in Swamps, containing four acres of Land - - -	47
Brown, Fris., n.	4 acres of Land, part Relief, of Wm. H. Brown,	89
Brown, Cora	30 acres of Land, in Swamps - -	2.12
Cooper, Jacob, n.	12 acres of Land, in Swamps of Wm. T. Skirven - -	1.36
Jones, Jim, n.	2 acres of Land, part of New Forrest -	78
Joiner, Sam'l, hrs.	12 acres of land, part Arcadia - -	81
Pearce, Joseph, n.	4 acres of Land, part Coney Warren -	1.40
Pearce, Simon, n.	3 acres of Land, part Coney Warren -	1.40
Pearce, Jim, n.	4 acres of Land, part Arcadia - -	1.33
Pearce, Lemuel	22 acres of Land, of W. T. Skirven, -	2.14
Wright, Rebecca, Heirs of	5 acres of Land, part Swamps and Fairlee	93
	Swamps - -	2.33
Warren, Giles	Land - - -	93

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That unless the charges on said lands shall be paid to James Lamb, late Collector of said District, on or before the third day of April next, or within thirty days from the completion of this notice, the lands so charged as aforesaid, or such parts thereof as may be necessary to raise the sums due thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder for the payment of the same, pursuant to the Act of Assembly passed Nov. Session, 1797.

By order of the Commissioners for Kent Co.
JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.
Feb. 27, 1866.

By the County Commissioners of Kent county, Maryland, Ordered, that James Lamb, late Collector of said County, after thirty days previous notice, at the Court House door, and at the most public places in said county, and also in the Kent News and Chestertown Transcript, (newspapers published in said county,) proceed to sell to the highest bidder, the foregoing tracts of land, or lot or lots of ground, or such parts thereof as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and legal charges thereon due, and the same, when sold, to transfer by deed or bargain and sale to the purchaser thereof. JOHN RUSSELL, Clerk.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

In pursuance of the above order, that if the taxes due on the lands aforesaid, are not paid me within thirty days from this date, the said lands or such parts thereof as may be necessary to raise the sum due thereon, together with all the costs of advertising the same, will on

WEDNESDAY,
THE NINTH DAY OF MAY, 1866,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., at Rees' Corner, Kent county, Md., be sold to the highest bidder for the payment of the same.

JAMES LAMB.
Collector for 1860 and 1861.
April 7, 1866—ts.

BRICKLAYING.

THE undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Kent and Queen Ann's counties, that he is prepared to do all kinds of Brick Work at the shortest notice. Charges are moderate and all Work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Orders by letter will be promptly attended to.

JAMES B. SAPPINGTON,
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Cheap Corner Hardware Store.

A BEAUTIFUL assortment of American, German and English Hardware, constantly on hand at Cheap Corner. The largest stock of Table Cutlery ever offered in Chestertown. Fine assortment of Carpenter's Tools, constantly on hand at H. W. VICKERS'
Feb. 10, 1866. Cheap Corner.

FENCE BOARDS.

CARGO of first-rate LUMBER, consisting of White Pine Fencing and Culling Boards, Hemlock Fencing, and wide Boards, Scantling and Crib Slats, just received by
March 24. WM. VANNORT.

HARDWARE.

WE have now on hand a good assortment of HARDWARE, suitable for Building, Housekeeping, and Farming purposes, just received by T. W. ELIASON & SON.
March 31, 1866.

JUST RECEIVED!

A LARGE LOT of 1st., 2d., and 3d., quality CYPRESS SHINGLES, which will be sold Cheap by WM. VANNORT.
March 17, 1866

T. W. ELIASON & SON Invite the attention of their customers and the public to their present reduced prices of *Domestic Goods.*
March 10, 1866.

PRIME article of COAL OIL, selling at 90 cents, at H. W. VICKERS'
March 3. Cheap Corner.

DATES—fresh supply, just received, by
March 10. JOHN H. REDUE.

CRACKERS—Soda, Cream and Water—for sale by JOHN H. REDUE.