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Correspondence of the Kent News.

Messrs. Editors:—The happy manner in which your various correspondents have recorded the history of and described their particular localities, and portrayed their future greatness and glory, has inspired me to say a few words of mine. Smithville is within the limits of Worton, about three miles from the Chesapeake bay and five from Chestertown—is built upon a plain or level, surrounded by a most beautifully diversified, naturally productive, and at this time highly improved section of country. The village is yet small, having been founded but a few years since; regularly laid out and ornamented with shade trees, and bears unmistakable evidence of future improvement.

The place derives its name probably from its master mechanic, Mr. H. P. Smith, who has been so favorably known, not only in this county, but in adjoining States, as a mechanic, contractor and builder of church edifices; and who now occupies his country residence about one mile distant. A little to the northeast, on the head waters of Churn creek, are situated grist and saw mills, with shops attached, such as wheel and cart-wright, blacksmith, &c., all of which are conducted by efficient workmen, under the general superintendence of one of the proprietors, Mr. T. C. Parsons. These were formerly known as Morse's Mills.

No place to my knowledge, offers greater inducements to industrious, substantial settlers, with little or much capital. As we have convenient access to the great lumber depot of the middle States by way of the bay and its tributaries, building materials of all kinds and descriptions can be furnished as low as at any locality on the Eastern Shore; and lots, to actual settlers are sold on terms most reasonable and satisfactory.

The social, moral and religious privileges of this place are nowhere in this latitude surpassed; the citizens of the vill and the country round about mingle and associate on terms of friendly equality; and, in their intercourse and business relations, that confidence and reliance which each places in the other, that pervading moral sensibility which should everywhere exist, is discernable.

Churches of various denominations are near and convenient, the desks of which are usually supplied by able and attractive preachers, whose influence widely disseminating, permeates the entire populace.

Our organization is all we wish or desire at present, excepting a postoffice, which we expect to enjoy ere long, as its establishment and continuance would be attended with but little if any expense to the General Government, and afford us great convenience.

The soil in this vicinity is mostly light and dry; and, possessing those peculiar qualities which cause it to respond readily to the benevolence and industry of its owners, has become highly improved and productive. The husbandry and agricultural economy of this neighborhood will, in my opinion, compare favorably with that of any other in the county.

Of historic renown and revolutionary achievements we cannot boast. The booming of cannon, the clash of arms and the rolling drum; the shouts of victory, the shrieks of defeat and the carnage of battle are, as yet, strangers to our fields: and we unitedly pray God this may ever be.

Of heroic ancestry and heroine daring and gallantry, we are not proud: among our people we have no noted, no illustrious personages, no government officials, no professional characters; but general intelligence and information, common honesty and purity of purpose, I hope and believe are usually found.

The only remarkable event ever having occurred here, so far as I know, was the shrewd and cunning trick played upon one of our wealthy citizens, not long since, by a band of Gipsies, in which he narrowly escaped the loss of several thousand dollars. JUVENILE.

May 22, 1866.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS ON THE SITUATION.—A letter from Alexander H. Stephens, Esq, dated Crawfordsville, Ga., 15th instant, says: "I found all things in Washington, upon the whole, in as good condition, if not better than I expected. I have not, from the beginning, looked for any thing from this Congress. My only hope for the country is in the next fall elections at the North. Should the President's policy be sustained in these, all may yet be well. If not, to me the prospect of the future for this country, North and South, is gloomy indeed. But from what I saw and heard at Washington, my hopes for a change next fall were greatly stimulated. I am still hopeful in this view, but far from being sanguine.—Constitutional liberty will, in my opinion, in a great measure depend upon the result.

GREENSBOROUGH BANK.—This institution has again changed hands, and now goes into the keeping of the Messrs. Kelley of Philadelphia. A new board of directors was elected on Monday last consisting of James S. Rickards, Samuel M. Carter, James H. Willis, Captain Henry Straughn, John D. Kemp, George M. Russum, Charles E. Tarr, Samuel Jerman, and Esma Lowe. We learn it is proposed by the present owners to resume operations in a short time. Our citizens have an eye to this institution, and look upon it with distrust.—*Denton Union.*

DEMAND FOR LABOR AT THE WEST.—A St. Paul (Minn.) telegram to the Chicago Times says:

There is a great scarcity of all kinds of mechanics, particularly stone-cutters and stone-masons, and some important buildings may have to stop, as pay is $4 50 a day for masons.

THE CASE OF MR. DAVIS.—It is reported upon good authority, says the Washington correspondent of the New York Times, that the judiciary committee have come to the conclusion that the evidence produced before them does not warrant the charge that Jefferson Davis is guilty of complicity in the assassination of Mr. Lincoln.

THE CONTEST IN MARYLAND.

It is very plain, that in the coming contest in Maryland, those who attempt to endorse the policy of Sumner and Stevens as against that of the President, are to find it a desperately up hill business. The ominous aspect of financial matters, since we find the great capitalists of the country at last holding still, evidently having no faith in the willingness of Congress to do anything so long as political capital is to be made or hoped for by the discussion of the negro question, is telling heavily against the policy and power of the radical leaders, and since it is fairly demonstrable that the contest in Maryland turns indeed on negro suffrage—as provided for in the reconstruction report—there is not a doubt but that the people will rally to defeat the advocates of that report, let them protest as they may that it is not in issue.

Congress had its choice at the commencement of the session, whether to attend to the interest most vital to the welfare of the country, or those prolific topics for the sundering of communities so long a curse; and it decided, deliberately, that Sumner's theories must be discussed, whatever became of Secretary McCullough's plans to strengthen the nation's finances. The time has at last come to reckon with the fanatics and dreamers for all this, and to show the public confidence in those *practical* statesmen who, in spite of obstacles thrown in their way, have done so much to save the nation; and no one need indulge a feeling of uneasiness lest it will not be done. Hardly a political gathering on a large scale has so far been attempted in the State by the opponents of the President, which has begun to justify the tremendous assumptions in regard to numbers and influence which have been sent abroad; and it every day becomes more and more evident—we repeat—that when the occasion finally comes for the masses of the yeomanry to turn out, that the good service rendered by the President will not be forgotten, but that his assailants will be rebuked in the manner they deserve.—*Balt. Commercial.*

GOVERNOR SWANN AND THE RADICALS.—The radicals papers and the speakers at the radical meetings throughout the State continue their denunciations of Governor Swann in no stinted measure. The *Cecil Whig*, one of three papers on this Shore that have espoused the non-restoration policy of Congress and oppose any modification of the Registry law, in its issue of last Saturday says:

"The *American* expresses surprise at the desertion of Swann. We never expected anything else. When, as the Union candidate for Governor, we placed his name at the head of our columns, among loyal names which graced that ticket, it was with a feeling of reluctance, a feeling that we were placing there a half-hearted hypocrite, who had hung back when the great battle for emancipation was being fought in the State, and when won, he was one of those to huzza the loudest and make the strongest professions."

CIVIL RIGHTS.—Shortly after the calling of the United States Circuit Court, yesterday morning, Mr. Bradley, represented to be an eminent colored lawyer of Boston, appeared before Judge Giles with a petition or application for the issue of a writ of injunction against the City Passenger Railway Company, to prohibit the running of the Charles street cars on Lexington street past the Douglas Institute, on the ground of a non-compliance with the provisions of the Civil Rights bill by the refusal to permit colored persons to ride in said cars, which thereby were regarded as a nuisance. The Judge received and considered the petition, but could not entertain or comply with the petition, inasmuch as there is no jurisdiction vested in the court over the streets of the city.

At the office of Justice Hayward yesterday afternoon there was a trial of a case of forcible ejectment. It seems that the same colored lawyer, Bradley, a day or two since went to Camden Station, and on entering a car specially assigned for ladies was ejected by the conductor. Suit was instituted before the Justice. Bradley conducted the case on his own side, while the company was defended by John H. B. Latrobe, Esq. Mr. Latrobe in his argument stated that white men, unaccompanied by ladies, would by the orders of the Company's officers be prevented from entering or remaining in the ladies' cars. The Justice decided that the complainant had no cause of action, and dismissed the suit.—*Balt. Amer., Wednesday.*

A CONSERVATIVE MEETING IN WORCESTER COUNTY.—On the 12th inst. a large mass meeting of the friends of President Johnson's restoration policy was held at New Town, Worcester county, Md. The Record, of that place, says:

The people came from every direction to manifest by their presence the devotion of their hearts for the republic. The great question was, not whether we should support this or that man for some political position; nor to promote the interests of any political party. It was for the purpose of proclaiming, in tones that should reverberate far and near, the emphatic demands of the people for a speedy and effectual restoration of the Union. In behalf of such a purpose, who will not most heartily respond "Amen!" Hon. John T. B. McMaster presided. On taking the chair Dr. McMaster submitted resolutions, which were adopted unanimously, heartily endorsing President Johnson, and disapproving of colored suffrage and the registry law. Speeches of much ability were made by Dr. John T. B. McMaster, Hon. John R. Franklin, and Hon. Levin L. Waters and George W. Landing, Esq.

SENTENCED.—On Saturday the court at Wilmington, Del., sentenced William Manluff, colored, convicted of assault upon Lizzie Griffith with intent to kill, to be hung on Friday, the 20th of July.

MARYLAND AND DELAWARE RAILROAD.—The iron to complete this road to Greensborough has been shipped from New York, and a sufficient force will at once be put to work on the road to lay two and a half miles of track per week.—*Easton Star.*

THE grand jury of Queen Anne's county has found an indictment against William Booker for the alleged murder of James Lesage, some three weeks ago.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.—The commissioners of the Wicomico and Pocomoke Railroad Company announce in the Worcester (Md.) Shield that the sum required in order to organize the company has now been subscribed.

Great distress is said to prevail in many parts of Louisiana overflowed by the recent floods. The Acadians who reside along Grosse Tete and the neighboring bayous lost their crops last year from the same cause. This year, it is stated, they were laboring hard to make up, at least in part, for the mischances of the previous season, but another flood has swept everything away.

A tornado on the 4th nearly demolished the freedmen's village on Port Royal Island, S. C. Forty houses were demolished, and thirteen persons were severely injured—two mortally. The damage on St. Helena Island was reported severe, St. Helenaville being nearly destroyed, with several lives lost, and many injured.

Notice.

ALL persons having claims against Thomas S. Dodd, dec'd, will please present them to the undersigned for settlement, and all persons indebted to the firm of J. T. DODD & SON are requested to call and settle with me, as the business of the firm must be closed at once.
my19-3t. JOHN T. DODD.

$100 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of the incendiary who set fire to the Steam Saw Mill of Fennimore & Miller, near Fairlee Creek, on Friday morning, May 11th, 1866.
FENNIMORE & MILLER.
May 10, 1866—3t*

Wool Wanted.

I WILL give the highest market price for Wool. Call and see me before you sell this year's crop. A. W. SPARKS.
May 19, 1866.

Closing Out!

I AM now disposing of a VERY LARGE STOCK OF SEASONABLE GOODS.
☞MATTINGS below cost.
☞It will cost nothing to call and look.
May 19, 1866. A. W. SPARKS.

SMALL FARM FOR SALE,

IN Queen Ann's county, of 57 ACRES, formerly owned by John Carson, adjoining the Crumpton lands, and near Mill, School and Church. 900 PEACH TREES, four years old. Small Dwelling. A well of good water in the yard. For particulars apply to
WILLIAM R. APSLEY,
my19-3t. Chestertown, P. O.
[Crumpton Gazette copy.]

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
SPRING & SUMMER GOODS
FOR LADIES, GENTS and CHILDREN,
JUST RECEIVED BY
WM. WATTS,
to which the attention of his friends and the public is respectfully invited.
WANTED, an industrious YOUTH, of good morals and habits. One with some knowledge of the business preferred.
STILL POND, May 19, 1866—3t.

WICKES & BRO.,

HAVE now on hand a varied and well selected stock of
Summer Goods,
to which they are constantly making seasonable accessions in the various departments of their Trade. Their present line of *Ladies, Misses and Children's* SHOES, will be found unusually well selected, and at prices fully warranted by the quality of the Goods.
HATS of the various styles also on hand, and new lots constantly being received.
SUMMER CASSIMERS, for Men's, Boys and Children's wear. A beautiful line of WHITE GOODS, Nainsooks, Plain and Plaid Cambrics, Swisses, Victoria Lawns, &c., &c., &c.
May 19th, 1866.
PURE CIDER VINEGAR,
of Kent county manufacture, just received by
May 19. WICKES & BRO.
Cassimere Clothing,
OF SUPERIOR MATERIAL,
and gotten up in the most approved styles, just purchased for *cash*, and for sale at city rates. Superior BLACK CLOTH DRESS COATS and PANTALOONS. Also, Goods for common wear, all for sale at the most moderate prices, by WICKES & BRO.
Chestertown, May 19, 1866.

WOOL.
SEASON OF 1866.
WICKES & BRO.,

ARE now receiving WOOL in the the Fleece and Washed, and are paying the highest prices per pound known to the market.
Chestertown, May 12, 1866.

Probst on his Way to Washington.

PERSONS are surprised that Probst should be taken to Washington. Not more so, however, than to see the great bargains coming from Vannort's Store. VANNORT takes great pleasure in informing his friends that he has just returned from Phila. and Balt. with a large Stock of Goods, comprising
LADIES' DRESS GOODS
in great variety. Gents' and Boys' Cassinets, Cassimers, and all kinds of Pants' stuff for farmer's use.
CALICO 12, MUSLIN 10,
and everything else at extra low figures.
BOOTS & SHOES.
Gents' fine Calf Boots and Balmorals, Calf, Lasting and Kid Gaiters, Boys' do., Ladies' Lasting Morocco and Kid Gaiters and Balmorals, Misses do., Children's do.
NOTIONS in endless variety.
HATS & CAPS, WOODEN-WARE,
Groceries, Hardware,
a speciality, Broad Axes, Post Spades, Sheep Shears, Wrenches, &c. EARTHEN, STONE, QUEENS, and GLASS WARE, TINWARE, &c., selling at low figures.
Give him a trial and be convinced that he, like others, can keep a store to meet the wants of the trade. Cash paid for Chickens. Country Produce wanted. Accommodating Clerk, and no trouble to show Goods.
May 19, 1866. W. J. VANNORT.

For Sale or Rent,

THE Property in Millington, now occupied by James A. Moffett. Possession given on the 1st of May, 1866.
Apply to RICHARD HYNSON, Esq., Chestertown, or WM. J. ANDERSON, Millington,
Apr. 28—5t* JOS. RILEY.

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.

A New Assortment
OF
SPRING GOODS,
JUST RECEIVED
BY
T. W. ELIASON & SON,
to which the attention of the public is respectfully invited.
April 28, 1866.

SPRING CLOTHING.

THE LATEST STYLES!
FINE ASSORTMENT.
GIVE ME A CALL.
J. H. SMITH.
April 21, 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.

$25. THE $25.
UNION BUSINESS COLLEGE,
HANDEL AND HAYDN HALL,
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THOMAS MAY PEIRCE, A. M.,
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Extraordinary Inducements!
Novel and Permanent Arrangement of Business College Terms, from April 1 to Oct. 1, 1866, and succeeding years.

LIFE SCHOLARSHIPS, including Bookkeeping, Business Correspondence, Forms and Customs, Commercial Arithmetic, Business Penmanship, Detecting Counterfeit Money, and Commercial Law, *Twenty five Dollars.*
SCHOLARSHIPS, including the same Subjects as above. Time limited to three months, *Twenty Dollars.*

Penmanship, three months, - - - - -	$ 7
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The saving of coal and gas in the summer months is an advantage of such importance as enables the management of this College to make a considerable reduction in the summer rates
From Oct. 1, 1866, to April 1, 1867,
And succeeding years, as before.

Life Scholarships, - - - - -	$ 35
Scholarships, 3 months, - - -	$ 25
Penmanship, 3 months, - - -	$ 10
Penmanship and Arithmetic, 3 months,	$ 12

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Four Hundred and Two Students
have entered in the first six months of its existence.

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OFFICE—531 NORTH EIGHTH STREET.
my19-2m. THOMAS M. PEIRCE.

MARYLAND, *Kent County Orphans' Court*, May 15th, 1866.—On the application of James M. Hyrons, administrator of Charles T. Hyrons, late of Kent county, deceased;

Ordered, That he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, in Kent county, Md., and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks, in the Kent News, printed and published 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 hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 15th day of May, 1866. (SEAL) Test, JOS. P. IRELAND, Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Kent county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, letters of administration on personal estate of Charles T. Hyrons, late of Kent county, dec'd. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 18th of December, 1866; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 15th day of May, 1866.
JAMES M. HYRONS,
my19-4t. Adm'r of Chas. T. Hyrons, dec'd.

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

FARMERS AND PLANTERS ATTENTION!

WE beg leave to call the attention of the Agricultural community to
ANDREW COE'S
Improved Phosphate of Lime,
prepared by Wilson, Egleston & Co., Cincinnati. This Phosphate is carefully prepared from the best fertilizing material, and from the nature of its composition must be one of the best articles offered for sale.
We would respectfully ask all who use Phosphate to call and examine this article before purchasing elsewhere.
Also, PERUVIAN & MEXICAN GUANOS, GROUND BONE, Wilson's Ammoniated Superphosphate, with all other Guano and Phosphates. Always have on hand select FIELD SEEDS, &c.
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(Successors to R. Turner.)
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SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO.

200 LBS. SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO contains 70 lbs. *animal matter*, yielding 7 to 8 lbs. *ammonia.*
Also 80 to 90 lbs. *earthy bone Phosphate of Lime*, 30 lbs. of which are *soluble Phosphate.*
It combines all the advantages of the *best brands* of Super Phosphate, with those of Peruvian Guano.
By reason of its greater *concentration*, we recommend 20 per ct. less by weight to be used per acre, than of any fertilizer costing the same per ton; and no more per acre than of those selling at 20 per ct. more per ton. Hence its *economy.*
This Guano weighs 65 lbs. per bushel, hence in applying it farmers must be governed by weight and not by bulk, for it is much lighter than the Super Phosphates. *Every cargo duly inspected.*
JOHN S. REESE & CO.,
GENERAL AGENTS FOR THE SOUTH,
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"FLOUR OF BONE."

WE will give a *money* guarantee of the *purity* of this article. It is pure *unsteamed, unburnt bone*, reduced to the *fineness of flour*, which adds 100 per cent. to its value. It is as *quick* and *active*, as acid *dissolved bone*, hence its value is vastly greater, because it contains neither acid nor water, which necessarily add weight, and reduce the quantity of valuable elements. We recommend 250 lbs. to be used in place of 300 lbs. Super Phosphate or dissolved bone.
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OUR MR. BENTLEY C. BIBB, formerly of Virginia, informs his friends from the Old Dominion and the counties of Maryland, that he has the largest and most complete stock of
COOKING & HEATING STOVES,
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Hot Air Furnaces,
AND AGRICULTURAL BOILERS,
to be found in the city. He desires to call particular attention to that universal favorite throughout the South, the
RE-IMPROVED
OLD DOMINION COOK STOVE,
for sale only wholesale and retail at the
BALTIMORE STOVE HOUSE.
BIBB & CO., Prop's,
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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.

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,
feb10-6m. Chestertown, Md.

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PRICES FOR FAMILIES:

5 Pounds for 5 Cents.	30 Pounds for 25 Cts.
12 do. 10 do.	60 do. 50 do.

Ice House open every morning (Sundays excepted,) from seven to eight o'clock. Open an hour before sundown every Saturday, in order to obtain ice for Sunday. Close at sundown.
☞ *Positively no ice delivered on Sunday.*
All ice sold from the house at double rates.
Tickets provided for customers who do not take ice by the season.
All persons who are not "season customers," will be obliged to send the money or tickets.
WILLIAM PERKINS, Prop'r,
my12-s "Rising Sun" Saloon.

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ON Fish Street, adjoining the property occupied by Dr. B. F. Houston. The House is conveniently arranged and pleasantly situated. The Lot contains a full half acre. For further particulars at the
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Solid SILVER WARE,
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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.

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☞It is well known that we make up nothing but what is good; that our large business has been built up by always having ☞*a little the Handsomest Styles, and the best* ☞*fitting Garments*, and this coupled with ☞*Moderate Prices*, has been and still is the ☞secret why so many people buy at our establishment.
☞We sell only what we can recommend, ☞and each customer therefore has the satisfaction of knowing he can depend on the ☞article he buys.

We give a few of the prices of leading articles of Clothing. (Note.—*This is not old stock as some houses frequently advertise—of such we have Suits as low as* $10,—but all the goods in the following price list *are fresh and fashionable.*)

All Wool Cassimere Pants,	$3.50
do. do. second Dress Pants,	5.00
do. fine fancy Cass. " "	6 50
Good Cassimere Pants, black,	5.00
Fine Black " "	6.50
Super " " "	8 00
Vests, all wool Cassimere,	2.50
Fancy Cassimere Vests, for Dress,	3 50
Handsome Black Cloth Vest,	3.50
Light Cassimere Sack Coats,	7.50
Dark " " "	8.50
Fancy " " "	10 00
Elegant Dark Cassimere Sack Coats,	10.00
Super " " " "	13.00
Fine Black Cloth " "	10.00
" " " "	12.00
Black Cloth Frock Coats $10, 12, 14, 16,	18.00
All wool good style Fancy Cassimere Suits to match, - - - -	14 50

☞Astonishing as these prices may seem ☞compared with those to which we have ☞been accustomed for several years, ☞*they are not Fictitious. WE HAVE* ☞*THE GOODS IN QUANTITIES* ☞*at the prices mentioned.*
☞WE MAKE UP NO TRASH, ☞they are all Serviceable Goods. ☞Advancing from these rates, we have ☞goods of all grades, up to the very ☞FINEST FABRICS, ☞comprising *by far* the Largest and
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OF CLOTHING
IN CHESTERTOWN.—Men's, Youth's and Boys', surpassed by none in STYLE, MAKE and FIT, at prices guaranteed lower than the lowest elsewhere, or the money refunded.
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Nearly opposite the Town Hall.
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