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Prof. M. B. Stephens was in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Ida Clark has been commissioned postmaster at Templeville.

Mrs. Julia Day has her usual complete line of holiday goods.

The first Snow flakes of the season have not arrived here yet.

The school children have their holiday plans about completed.

Mr. L. B. Towers has three desirable houses in Denton for rent.

Extra meetings will begin at the M. E. church Sunday evening, 31st.

One of our funny exchanges says this is "the finest fall that ever fell."

Wilson Saulsbury, of Western Maryland College, is home for the holidays.

Two Johns is to have a new store. Mr. R. G. Pepper is to be the manager.

Mr. A. W. Sisk is purchasing poles for the Bee Line Telephone Company.

Rev Z. H. Webster, of Fredrica, Del., is visiting friends in town this week.

Ex-Sheriff Rice moved from the jail to his farm in Tuckahoe Neck on Tuesday.

Presiding Elder Baker will preach at the M. E. church on the evening of the 31st.

Mr. Clinton Cook, of Wilmington, visited his daughter, Mrs C. E. Stevens, this week.

The fire-proof vault in the new bank will be abont completed by the end of the week.

Christmas exercises will be held in Wesley M. E. Church, Barrsville, on Monday night.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will improve their wharf property at this place.

An unusually large number of people were in town on Tuesday attending to business.

Frank Barnhart, of Western Maryland Collegs arrived home for the Holidays on Monday.

Mrs. Henry R. Lewis and daughter, Miss Annie, will spend Christmas in Philadelphia.

Farmers are rejoicing over having completed their fall work and are now ready for winter.

The boys are anxiously watching the flats for ice that will give them skating for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs Charles G. Griffin, of New York, are expected to spend a part of the holidays here.

The eclipse of the moon on Saturday night was yiewed with interest by almost everyone in town.

The Sunday School Chaistmas entertainment at Harris' Chapel, will be given on the evening of the 26th.

Mr. John R. Wyatt has been selling some fine apples in town that were grown on his farm near town.

Stewart Bros. have arranged a display of fine Christmas confectionery in their show window. Give them a call.

As this is the season to fear fires it might be well to organize, or reorganize, a local fire company in this town.

An all-day pigeon shooting took place at Sudlersville yesterday between Caroline and Queen Anne's teams.

The Denton Cornet Band Association will give a cake walk and entertainment at Union Bethel hall this evening.

Miss Ida Downes who is attending school at Washington College, Chestertown, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Wm. D. Taylor has recently put a new roof on the dwelling on his farm near town, and made other improvements.

The children of Christ Church Sunday School will hold a Christmas treat in Brown's Hall on Christmas evening.

There will be no lack of entertainment during Christmas week with Christmas trees and weddings almost every evening.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the M. E. church will be held at the Sunday School room, Friday evening, 29th inst.

Money loaned in amounts to suit Apply to Farmers' and Merchants' Loan Association, Dover, Del., or H R. Lewis, Denton, Md.

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Florence E. [illegible] Wednesday next at Ingleside.

The marriage of Mr. A. R. Messick and Miss Maggie A. Wright, is announced to take place at Choptank M. E. church Tuesday evening.

Joseph Stockford, Hodgdon, Me., healed a sore running for seventeen years and cured his piles of long standing by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures all skin diseases. George & Redden.

The Easton Ledger says Denton has but one vacant store building. Not that now, brother, but an excellent opening for a good bakery.

The Smith Good property on Second street was sold at late Sheriff's sale on Tuesday to Chas. E. Jarrell for $230, subject to other claims.

The members of Union Bethel A. M. E. Church will hold a grand Japanese X-mas sale, beginning to-morrow afternoon and continuing during the holidays.

Mr. Jas. B. Raughley, of New York, spent a few days with his brother in Tuckahoe Neck, this week. His brother Mr. George W. Raughley has been quite ill but is improving.

Mr. J. F. Leager, of Linchester, has given up his position as miller Linchester Mills and will Mr. Leager Garey's ace

The Hickman M. E. Church will be reopened on Sunday, December 24th. Rev. T. N. Given, will have charge of the services.

FOR SALE—Ten or twelve pure-bred Plymouth Rock Cockerls, brown egg strain of fowls.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Mary A. Blackburn, of Ridgely, and Mr. Charles A. Mitchell at Ridgely Reform Church, Wednesday evening, January 3d, at 7 o'clock.

When our boys are almost dead from whooping cough, our doctors gave them One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly, "writes P. B. Belles, Argyle Pa. It cures coughs, colds, grippe and throat and lung troubles. George & Redden.

The marriage of Miss Lora Anna Downes and Mr. William Purdy Draper is announced to take place Wednesday, January 3d, at 1 o'clock at Denton Methodist Episcopal church. No cards.

Peninsula gunners complain that if a law is not passed closing the game season for at least two years, rabbits, partridges and squirrels will be as scarce on the Peninsula as buffaloes are in the west.

"I was selected out of many applicants because I was a Goodey College graduate," writes a young man. Write to-day to H. S. Goldey, Wilmington, Del. for the new free catalogue.

Mr Wm. H. Casho informs us the First district has'nt lost the art of raising large hogs yet, and we think he is right, as he slaughtered three Monday that weighed 660 lbs., 310 lbs. and 297 lbs., respectively.

President King, Farmers' Bank Brooklyn, Mich., has used DeWitt's Little Early Risers in his family for years. Says they are the best. These famous little pills cure constipation, billiousness and all liver and bowel roubles.—George & Redden.

The Denton Furniture Company has just received some fine goods that you should call and inspect. No room here to enumerate them but there has never been anything like them offered for sale in town.

Mr. Levi T. Voshell, administrator of Wm. F. Kreiger, deceased, will sell said deceased's personal property at public sale on Thursdays, 28th inst., at deceased's late residence on the lower Choptank-Preston road. For further particulars see posters.

Jerome Davis, of near Goldsboro, has placed an order with J. D. Marvil, of Laurel, Del., for 500,000 quart cups and 4500 48 quart crates. Mr. Marvil is the old pioneer basket and crate manufacturer of the peninsula. Mr. Davis is our most successful berry grower of the peninsula and has about 80 acres out in berries.

The Sportsmen have Returned.

Messrs R. C. Rice, Wm. H. Dewees and T. L. Dawson returned from their hunting trip in Virginia on Saturday. They each brought home a wild turkey which they shot, and report game plentiful and plenty of shooting. They had a fine day's sport after deer and succeeded in getting several shots. They failed to bring any deer home with them however. Sheriff Rice shot a fine buck and wounded him badly, but the driver who owned the dogs claimed to have fired the shot that killed him and took the deer. The party stopped at Waverly, and met Mr. Allee, formerly of this county, who accompanied them on their hunt through the surrounding country. They are much pleased with their trip and expect to make a similar one next year.

"If you scour the world you will never find a remedy equal to One Minute Cough Cure," says Editor Micanopy, Fla., "Hustler." It cured his family of LaGrippe and saved thousands from pneumonia bronchitis, croup and sore throat and lung troubles. George & Redden.

Levy Court.

The County Commissioners were in session on Tuesday and passed the entire session in examining and paying accounts. Nearly $3,000 was paid out.

A petition with twenty-two signers was filed with the Commissioners asking that examiners be appointed to examine and report on the public necssity of opening the old road from Three Bridges to Anthony's Mills. This is the road upon which T. Fred. Garey was injured last winter.

Another petition was presented by W. W. Seward, T. D. Day and others, asking for a new road in the 7th district.

Millions of dollars, is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Ried, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which was saved from croup by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles.—George & Redden.

Orphans' Court.

At the meeting of the Orphans' Court on Tuesday, Judges Sigler, Day and Dennis were all present.

Levi T. Voshell, administrator of William Kreiger, deceased, presented an inventory of personal estate which was approved. Order to sell granted.

The will of George Seward, deceased, was presented by John F. Dawson, the executor named therein, who moved that the same be admitted to probate.

Robert Jarrell and Benjamin W. Jones, administrators c. t. a., of Margaret Mariah Jones, deceased, presented an inventory of the personal estate, which was approved. Order to sell granted. Notice to creditors ordered.

He Fooled The Surgeons.

All doctors told Rennick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after sufferering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performen, but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest cure on Earth, and the best salve in the World. 25 cents a box. Sold by George & Redden, druggists. 4

IN MEMORIAM.

These lines are dedicated to the momory of Robert, Ida and Maude Bridegroom, whose untimely deaths were due to tiphoid fever.

Call not back the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border land we left them,
Soon to meet to part no more.

Far beyond this world of changes,
Far beyond this world of care,
We shall find our dear loved ones,
In our Father's mansion fair.

When blooming youth is snatched away,
By death's resistless hand,
Our hearts, the mournful tribute pay,
Which pity must demand.

The voice of this alarming scene,
May every heart obey;
Nor be the heavenly warning vain,
Which calls to watch and pray.

Yes, he is gone; yet do not thou,
The goodness of the Lord distrust;
But meekly to his wisdom bow,
Who lays thy love ones in the dust.

Through many checkered scens of life,
Ye hand in hand have journed on;
For him the labor and the strife,
Are o're, the precious goal is won.

Who oft hath soothed thy troubled mind,
The pleasant voice and cheering smile,
Are gone, but for a little while,
He hath not left thee far behind.

Ye fields! that witnessed once his tears;
Ye winds! that wafted oft his sighs,
Theplaces where he breathed his prayers
Where sorrow's shadows vailed his eyes.

No more the weary pilgrim mourns;
No more afflictions wring his heart,
Th' unfettered soul to God returns,
Forever he and anguish part.

Receive O earth his faded form,
In the cold earth bosom let it lie
Safe let it rest from every storm.
Soon must it rise no more to die.

Farewell dear Brother a short farewell,
Till we shall meet again above,
In that sweet home where pleasures dwell,
And trees of life bear fruits of Love.

The Wheeler Line.

It is understood that New York parties have purchased the Wheeler Transportation Line.

At the office of the Company, Pier 5 Light street wharf, Mr. Elmer E. Wheeler, agent of the line, refused to give any information on the subject. From another source it it was said that Mr. Sullivan, of New York, was the representative of the purchasers, and the belief was that operations of the line were to be enlarged, so as to make it a competitor of the lines of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway, which are now owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The lines of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic exchanged considerable freight with the Baltimore and Ohio, but since the change in ownership this business is to be done with the Pennsylvania Railroad This gives rise to the belief that Baltimore and Ohio interests are concerned in securing an alliance with a line on the bay to get a share of the business handled by the boats of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic, and may be identified with the move to secure the Wheeler Line. This line operates on the Choptank and Tred Avon rivers, and the reported intention to extend its business in other directions.

Care of State's Insane.

The directors of the Second Hospital for the Insane held their last meeting for the year last week at the office of Governor Lowndes, in the Merchants' Bank Building, Balto. The Governor presided. The report of Dr. J. Clement Clark, supreintendent, formerly of this county, enumerated improvements that have been made during the year. He also spoke to the board on the necessity of amending the lunacy law, and will ask the Legislature to provide certain changes.

Dr. Clark favors a law for this State similar to that of New Jersey. The principal features would be for placing indigent insane cases in the hands of the Court, without the intervention of the jury, and also to prohibit the commitment of the insane to county almshouses. He says a great many cases can be cured by hospital treatment which cannot be treated in county almshouses.

State Senator John Hubner made a graceful address, regretting that the board would lose such an excellent man as Governor Lowndes, who during his administration has shown great zeal in looking after the welfare of all the State institutions.

Is Marriage a Lottery?

It often happens that young women, and old ones too, meet an unknown man and after a short acquaintance, marry him, only to find out that they have been deceived, and their alledged husband [illegible] already a wife living. We often read of such cases in our newspapers. Why will not women be careful and before plighting their troth, inquire closely into the antecedents of their prospective husbands, and not blindly connive at their own degradation and ruin? Girls, remember that marriage is a partnership for life, and be as wise and prudent as a business man in selecting your partners.

Too Poor to Buy a Site.

The Rehoboth Commissioners have temporarily blocked the plan to erect a 10,000 dollar hotel at that place by putting the price of the site at higer figure than the Baltimore syndicate is willing to pay. A popular movement has been started to introduce the commissioners to offer the site free A number of new cottages are being erected.—Seaford News.

The Vppetite of a Goat

is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr King's New Life Pill, the wonderful Stomache and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid apetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at George & Redden's Drug Store. 4

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

THE NEWS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Gathered by our Hustling Reporters Each Week.

☞ Local and other correspondence solicited from all parts of the county. All correspondents but our regular ones should sign their names, not for publication, but good faith. If your section is not represented in this column write and let us make you our correspondent. We furnish the stationery.

Ridgely Records.

Mr Emory Satterfield, of Talbot Co. has moved to town.

Miss Gertrude Smith is home from St. Mary's College for the holidays.

Mr. Nelson Rickards is remodeling the property bought from Mr. Fitzgerald.

T. L. Day, Swing & Co. will commence the manufacture of cups immediately after the holidays.

The Reform Sunday School will give their entertainment next Tuesday evening and the M. E. next Thursday evening.

Rev. Z. H. Webster, of Frederica, occupied the M. E. pulpit last Sunday. He and Rev. T. H. O'Brien exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

Marydel Matters.

Mr. Daniel Hayden, of Baltimore visited our town last week.

Mrs. N. Smith has returned from a visit to Greensboro relatives.

Miss Kizzie Gooden, of Henderson, visited Miss May Pippin this week.

Mr. Daniel Downes and Mr. Wm. Jones spent a few days of last week in Wilmington.

Mrs. A. Clarke has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mr. Wm. Longfellow, of Greensboro.

Robert Christopher is conducting the livery business, and is preparing to accomodate patrons at all times.

Our merchants have finest line of Xmas goods ever shown in our town, at the exceeding low prices, call and be convinced for yourselves.

Mr. Jacob has removed his drug store from Postoffice Ave., to Mr. S. G. Boyer's store house, on Main street, at which place he has added a large stock of dry goods. His display of Xmas goods is something superb.

The Ladies of the M. E. Church are preparing an entertainment to be held Xmas night in the above named church. A treat will be given to the Sunday School scholars. All are cordially invited to attend.

Preston Points.

Miss Mamie Moore visited out of town friends last week.

Hon. C. E. Todd spent Thursday with his brother, Walter Todd.

Mrs. Emma Moore was the guest of relatives at Hurlock recently.

Messrs. J. H. Barrrow and Grant Harves were in Baltimore a few day ago.

Mr. O. Patton has moved hither from Choptank and now resides on Main street.

George Fooches has been busy delivering poles along the line of the new telephone.

John Spence, of Atlantic City, and his sister, Miss Gertie Spence, of Texas, are visiting Mr. Wm. T. Spence.

Mrs. J. R. Phillips and daughters entertained and were entertained by the Preston Literary and Musical Club, which met at the handsome and hospitable home of these ladies on the evening of the 16th inst.

Mr. John Fluharty, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Daniel Fluharty, of Federalsburg, were in town last week. The came to see their brother, Mr. Thomas H. Fluharty, who was then very ill.

Mr. J. A. Noble, road supervisor, has had the road from Preston to Choptank, repaired with oyster shells. We welcome this improvement as the begining of a much needed shell pike, between these two growing towns.

Preston has a gifted poet, his identity uncertain but whose stanzas under the non de plume of "Preston Poets," from time to time, appear in the New Farm, our town paper, ably edited and one of which we are justly proud.

The Town Commissioners held a meeting Thursday evening. It was decided to light the streets, collect the taxes due etc., and hereafter to hold regular meetings at the office of Mr. A. W. Sisk every Tuesday at 7 p. m.

Messrs. W. T. Kelley & son, J. S. Kelley have just sold a nurseyman, whom W. T. Kelley met at the State Horticultural meeting in Baltimore on the 6th and 7th inst., 10,000 Miller's Early raspbesry plants, for spring delivery.

The recent "Pearl Wedding" of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blades, at Choptank attracted many Prestonians, who took them beautiful presents and enjoyed the lavish hospitality of the family. May the happy father and mother live to celebrate their "Golden" if not their "Diamond Wedding."

Greensboro Greetings.

Miss Nellie Richardson, of Denton, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Gertrude E. Wilson has been visiting friends in Philapelphia.

The Rev. H. L. Schlinke was present and participated in the service at the M. E. Church on Sunday night.

Mr. John D. Plummer, formerly of Greensboro and one of the proprietors of the Greensboro Free Press, but now a resident of Asheville, N. C., is in town for the holidays.

The Bazaar and Cake Walk held in Mozort Hall under the auspices of the Episcopal Church came off on Saturday night. The hall being well filled quite a large number of persons from the adjoining towns being present. The first prize a fruit cake was won by Miss Rose Satterfield; the second prize was won by Dr. F. R. Malone and Miss Ella Moore. Financially everything was a success.

A pretty wedding was solemnized near Greensboro, on Wednesday evening last, the contracting parties being Mr. Joseph Sipple and Miss Emma A. Dill, both of this county. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents. The bride wore brown cashmere trimmed in Satin and carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. Rev. A. Green officiated.

Persons from a distance who attended the Bazaar were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cristian and Miss Margaret Rumbold, of Philadelphia; Col. Enoch Moore and daughter, of Wilmington; Mr. Chas. Walker, Richmond; Mrs. Carlisle and Miss Taylor, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Skirvin, Miss Louise Dukes, Miss Nellie Richardson, C. H. Whitby, Ormond Downes, of Denton; Miss Barry, Miss Jessie Jones, Bessie Jarrell and Prof. Allen, of Ridgely.

Samuel Swiggott, an old and respectable colored man living near Simper's Corner, dropped dead Friday afternoon while cutting wood at his home. A jury of inquest composed of the following persons were summoned by Squire Betson: Foreman W. H. Lowe, J. Calvin Smith, Willard Dickerson, John Nichols, John E. Greenlee, Alvin Smith, J. A McFarland, M. H. Roe, W. H. Cannon, R. H. Comegys, W. T. Downes, C. H. Pritchett.

The jury's verdict was death caused by valvular heart failure. Physician Dr. G. W. Betson. Saml. Swiggott was 73 years of age. He was known all over the Shore as a maker of the finest axe handles on the Peninsula.

The B. & D. Bay Road.

The announcement last week of the sale of the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad to the Penna., thus giving that great corporation all of the lines on the Eastern Shore except the Queen Anne's Railroad. A sketch of the checkered career of this little road may not prove amiss just at this time. Orginally chartered in 1869 as the Kent county Railroad, it was intended to form a link in a chain of roads whereby Jay Gould attempted to establish a through line from New York to Baltimore and Washington in opposition to the Pennsylvania. It was opened in 1870, and shortly after that Jay Gould, by means of Jersey Central, New Jersey Southern, Smyrna & Delaware Bay and the new line, sought to establish his own route to Baltimore. The first three roads mentioned gave him a direct line from New York across the State of New Jersey to Bay Ridge, on the Delaware Bay. From that point it was proposed to ferry trains across the bay to Pierson's Cove, on the opposite side, where connections was to be made with the Smyrna & Delaware Bay Railroad to Massey's and thence by the Kent county road to Chestertown, where another ferry line on the Chesapeake was to carry trains to Baltimore. The project was never brought to a success although Mr. Gould is said to have reaped a very substantial profit out of the scheme. The Kent county road, now the Baltimore & Delaware Bay, was finally sold under foreclosure in 1877 and reorganized in the interest of the New Jersey Southern, and finally that road passed into control of the Central Railroad of New Jersey. Subsequently Colonel Fred Gerker, a well known Philadelphian, who was a director at one time in the company and general manager of the road, secured a ten-year's lease of it at a yearly rental of one dollar. A Pennsylvania Railroad official has stated that his company would not take the little road unless they could secure it for practically nothing, in payment of an old claim against the Central Railroad of New Jersey. It is reported that the object of the purchase is to extend to Rock Hall, thence by boat to Baltimore. It was this rumor, no doubt, that gave rise to the report that the Penna. had purchased the Chester River Line, which owns valuable water fronts at Rock Hall.

The "Plow Boy Preacher," Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle Rive, Ill., says, "After suffering from Bronchial or lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is all that is claimed for it, more." It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles.—George & Redden.

HARDWARE

Stoves, Heaters, Etc., Etc.

BURRSVILLE HARDWARE STORE.

Cook Stoves $8 to $22; Coal Stoves $3.50 to $18. Stoves suitable for Bedrooms, Sitting-rooms, Parlors, Churches, Schools and office $2 up to $4.50. Oil Cook Stoves 50c to 8.50. RANGES $19.00 to 30.00.

DOUBLE HEATERS $18 to $27.

When you want grates, fire brick and cross pieces for stoves, bring name, length and breadth. Repairs for more than 40 different kinds of Cook Stoves and Ranges.

Pumps and Drive Well Supplies.

Building, Wheelwright and Blacksmith Material, Galvanized Iron and Tarred Felt Roofing.

Washing Machines, Sewing Machines, Furniture, Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Blankets 55c to $5; Robes $3 to $7.50. Paints, Ready-Mixed, 47c, 50c, 90c, $1.15, $1.30, $1.40 and $1.50 per gallon. Headquarters for Grub Plows, Oliver and South Bend Chilled Plows, Barb wire, Plain Wire, Buckthorn and Ribbon Fencing, Poultry Netting, Heavy Wire Netting for Lawns and Cemeteries, Harness and Shoe Leather, Steam Packing, Tinware, Butter Churns, Tubs, Buckets, etc.

14 ROOMS FILLED WITH GOODS.

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THE ARCADE STORE.

WE ARE STILL ON THE FRONT RAIL.

COOK STOVES, NO. 8, AT $10.00.
COOK STOVES, NO. 8, AT $11.00.
COOK STOVES, NO. 8, AT $13.00.

The Biggest Bargains ever Offered in Caroline County

We have received a new consignment of each of the above priced goods which will be the last we can sell at these prices. These goods were bought last winter at the old prices, delivered now under our contract with the manufacturers; so if you are needing a cook stove now is your opportunity to get one before we are compelled to advance prices. These goods were considered immense bargains last winter, they are straight goods in all respects and have given entire satisfaction in every instance.

Our line of Sittingroom and Parlor Stoves we are selling also at old prices yet, a they were bought last spring with the cook stoves. They have moved rapidly and we only have a dozen left. We have sold more this season than ever before. Our $4.00 and $5.00 stoves are marvels of cheapness and economy and reach the place every time. If you want a stove of this kind come at once for when we get our next line we will be compelled to advance prices.

We are still selling Axes at 45c and 50c and only have a few dozen of these come quick if you want an ax.

We have a big lot of Sheet Ladies and Gents at all prices and the biggest Bargains in the county.

We sell a a genuine Cait Skin Congress gaiter, late style, for only $2.00 per pair, for men, and for Ladies we have for $2.00, a Moody's genuine dongola, button or lace, heel or spring heel; all sizes for Ladies and Misses.

We are still in the General Hardware business and don't forget that our prices are as low as the lowest. The money talks in our business, as in all others. We need it, all we can get, and will give as much or more for it, than anyone else on this side of the "Divide" Will sell you 1¼ inch Galvanized pipe for 15 cents per foot. We have a special job lot of 100 feet of 2½ inch pipe, it is worth at the factory 42 cents per foot we will sell it for 25c per foot to anyone who will take the lot.

Gaze on the following prices: Garretts Snuff 10c package, an Air-tight Stove $3; Oline Soap 4c, Lall & Porter Shutter Hinges 5c pair, Pullooks 7c up, Best Ground Pepper 10c lb; an Ames Spade $1.00, very best Porto Rico molasses for cooking 35c per gallon; an Ames Shovel $1.00, a Batchelor loaf or short handled Fork 50c; Maccaroni 6c pkge, a set of knives and Forks, 35c; Splendid Mince Meat, 7c per, lb, Riveting Machine and box of Copper rivets 35c. As season is advancing we will reduce prices on all Lap Robes and square Blankets. Walter Baker's Chocolate 40c lb, 20c a cake. Lamp Chimneys 3c, 4c, 5c. A special Derby Hat for only $1.00. Soft Hats from the upward. A N. Y. Mills Laundered and Unlaundered shirt for only 50c each. We wish to call special attention to our Flour, our customers say it is as good as Gambrill's and we only ask 23c and 55c per bag for it. Try a sample bag and see for yourself, it it is not correct.

Come see us we are are fixed at last in one of the biggest stores in the County, and cannot begin to enumerate here all we keep and prices to same.

STEWART BROS,
Denton, Maryland.

THE HUGHES

Lumber & Coal Company,

—OF—

DENTON, MARYLAND.

We have now on hand at our mill a full stock of building material of all kind

Framing, Flooring, Siding, Shingles,

LATHS, HAIR AND LIME; EXCELLENT SEASONED FRAMING SAWED TO EXACT SIZE DESIRED. FINE FINISHING WORK, MOULDING PICKETS AND ALL KINDS OF MILL WORK.

40,000 SHINGLES JUST RECEIVED

ON WHICH PRICES ARE VERY LOW. 50,000 FEET OF SEASONED BOARDS IN STOCK. WE WILL BUY GOOD LOGS OR LUMBER DELIVERED AT OUR MILLS AND PAY CASH.

BEST LEHIGH COAL

Always on hand, at Rock Bottom Prices. Stove Wood, cut if desired, delivered anywhere in town.

THE HUGHES LUMBER AND COAL CO.,
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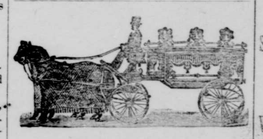
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