THE
Chestertown Transcript

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Saturday Morning, April 30, 1870.

Communications, unless accompanied with the name of the writer, will receive no attention from the Editor.

The Carpet-Baggers.

The carpet-baggers in the South appear to be getting more and more odious every day. Even the negro population are beginning to despise them. The freedmen are getting at last to have sense enough to discern that the carpet-bagger is a political negro driver, whose only interest in them is the value of their votes to his official elevation. In the first place, with their quick, unerring instinct of a gentleman, they discover that the carpet-bagger belongs to the canailli; next, that in his cheating, robbing and swindling, he carries out literally the requirements of the Fifteenth Amendment, making no distinction on account of race or color. Thus it is that Cuffee is about to come to the aid of the native white population of the South, and, with his tremendous foot, help to boot the carpet-bagger out of the Southern States.

There would indeed seem to be but one opinion among all created intelligences, whether white or black, on the earth or under the earth, concerning that tribe of which Bullock of Georgia, and ex-Governor Wells of Virginia are prominent representatives. At all events, such is a fair conclusion from a story which has been told of an unfortunate individual, in South Carolina, we believe, who had sold himself to Old Nick for a certain amount of money and pleasure. As the day approached when he began to be naturally apprehensive, and cast about in his mind various expedients for avoiding his fate. He made divers and sundry propositions to the gentleman in black, all of which were promptly rejected. At last, however the Devil promised that if, on the day appointed for his surrender, he would bring twenty-five souls in his stead, he would let him off from his bargain. It may be imagined that the proposition, hard as it was, was eagerly accepted, and the poor man immediately set himself to work to obtain the required number.—For this purpose he distributed huge hand-bills in all the streets, headed, "Wanted—Twenty-five Souls, to go to the Old Boy in my place. Liberal remuneration given." He began early in the morning posting these placards in all conspicuous places, and when he returned at night, was surprised to see an immense crowd surrounding his lodging and frantically demanding to know the terms upon which an arrangement could be made.—Upon examining them closely, he discovered that they were all carpet-baggers.

"What will you take for your soul?" he inquired of one of the most importunate of the group, a slab sided hatchet-faced man, with a nasal twang that was horrible to hear.

"Wall, naow, mister, you can't expect to git an article like that for nothing I won't take narry cent less than five dollars in specie for my soul."

The bargain was struck at once, when the competition between the other carpet-baggers became so great that he was able to procure substitutes at rates ranging from two dollars fifty to seventy-five cents. Having collected his purchases, and supplied them with sufficient rations of pork and beans, he locked them up safely till they should be wanted. They spent the night swapping and speculating with each other, and by sunrise there was not one of them who had not made five dollars by his operations.

At the appointed time, the purchaser of this hopeful lot went with heart elate to demand his discharge according to agreement.

"You miserable rebel," exclaimed his sooty creditor, "dare you attempt to swindle me in this shameful manner?—Are you going to pay me with what is my own already? These men are all my property and all have my brand upon them. And, besides, they have no souls. I will show you." Seizing old Bullock of Georgia by the hair of his head, he resolved him at once into his component elements, and here they are: Avarice, Meanness, Impudence, Cruelty, Codfish, Sneakingness, Jamaica Rum, Mendacity, Envy, Hatred, Malice, Cheating, Swindling, and numberless small vices. "There," shouted the sable chemist, "do you call that thing a SOUL!"—*Statesman.*

THE PLAN OF MINORITY REPRESENTATION, which has recently been much discussed in England, has been practically applied on a small scale in Pennsylvania. An act was passed by the Legislature of that State amending the charter of the town of Bloomsburg, which provides that when six officers are to be chosen each voter may give one vote to each of six persons, or one vote and a half to each of four, two votes to each of three, three votes to each of two, or six votes to one. At the first election held under the new regulation for seven members of the town council, three democrats were chosen and four of the opposition party. As the town has hitherto always been strongly democratic, being the home of Senator Buckalew, this result shows how much more equitably the principle works than the mere gross majority principle, by which one party, or one portion of the people, may have absolute domination over the other, even when the two parties are of almost equal numbers.

THE LITTLE CORPORAL for May comes in good time. Fresh as the flowers and bright as the spring time—full of good things for the children and for all who love children. Great improvements are promised in the Magazine. One dollar a year. Sewell & Miller, Chicago, Ill.

Pike county, Misouri, claims a colored woman 107 years old.

Smoking is allowed in the Ohio House of Representatives during the session.

St. Paul's Church and Grounds.

Mr. Editor—There is no more beautiful spot in our county than the grounds around St. Paul's Church; and we were never more struck with the fact than one warm, bright, sunny day this Spring. It was early in April, and the sun shot down its rays with a warmth which brought out the bees and set the birds to chirping. The gentlest breeze from the South rustled the dry leaves, and the green young grass just carpeted the Church yard, contrasting beautifully with the white stones and monuments erected to the departed. Magnificent old forest trees, fit companions of the antique Church, and guardians of the dead, are scattered through the grounds, which gracefuly undulate and then slope away to the half-concealed pond, giving all the effect of the most artistic lake. On either side runs the broad highway, and beyond the surrounding country rises to a pleasing elevation. The Church and the grounds are well kept; but the mouldering dust bears a near relation to so large a portion of the wealth and influence of our living, that its adornments should greatly exceed what they do.

As we strolled through the grounds we discovered that the earth was open to receive one more into its embrace. Soon the dark carriage of death and its accompanying retinue arrived at the gates. The sombre coffin, preceded by the white-robed priests was borne into the Church and deposited before the chancel, while the choir chanted the litany of the dead.

We entered the Church and sat apart from the bowed heads of the bereaved, and as we listened to the solemn services, it seemed as if funeral rites were never so fitly performed. There is a holy calm about St. Paul's, and one truly seems in the presence of the dead.

RAMBLER.

For the Transcript.

Transcript:—Of late, Farmers Clubs have been occasionally reported, but by no means has this become so general as it should, nor so full as they might be, and still be condensed and interesting. Thus would the farmers be instructed, perhaps,—and the general reader interested.—You have kindly offered your columns for such reports, and essays upon agricultural topics. I have been surprised to see what little use has been made of such an offer, surely the county papers would be more interesting by having our home people give us their experience, ideas and experiments, through this medium. And it were better for the several clubs to know what subjects are being discussed, each by the other, giving a variety at once, and also the conclusions arrived at, all interesting—for instance, in the Rees' Corner Club, it was determined, best to plow stiff white oak land in the winter, that it payed double, if the land was left well drained. And we have heard that the Worton Club decide not to plow it in winter.—Now, they are a great way apart, if this report be correct, and it were better that each should hear the other's reasons before next winter, as this is a subject that occupies the mind of very many of our farmers at this time, particularly after such a winter as has just passed. Some curious things are brought out by these mutual experiences, simple things perhaps, and yet they are important to persons interested.

Upon a discussion regarding the treatment of stock, two gentlemen, who witnessed the operation, told a novel way of bleeding a horse, learned by seeing a drover from the west perform upon a valuable animal of his own drove. He bled in the nostril instead of the neck, as a safer and surer way. Seize the nostrils and press them both together, then run the small blade of a penknife through both nostrils. Again, upon the question of sick sheep, a thing all farmers will admit are hard to doctor, it was told, that the disease of the head generally proceeded from a worm in the head. One gentleman having two sick sheep, tried an experiment. He struck the sheep several blows upon the top of the head, as hard as he could, with a stick the size of a man's arm. Killed one sheep and cured the other. His theory was to crush the worm between the bone and the skin. If a man can thus save half his sick sheep, 'tis well to try the experiment. Another method of accomplishing the same end—a gentleman run a wire, sharpened for the purpose, up the nortil, and clear through the brain, and cured the sheep; had tried this several times and cured; took the idea from a newspaper article, where the writer claims to have cured hundreds in this manner. Of course melted lard has been here recommended as in all other clubs, as a remedy for sheep. From all these facts, it would seem as if sheep require either very simple, or very severe remedies. It seems to be the opinion of the club, that the less care taken of them the better for the sheep, save to keep the dogs from them, and this is best done by putting them in the green yard if you have such a thing, better than pounding. This both protects and tames them.

What a difference of opinion is often brought out in these discussions. One practical farmer said that he has never yet missed a crop of clover when seeded in February, and another just as successful, never missed a crop when seeded in April. The club by vote decided it is better to seed after 17th of March. I merely mention such facts, to show how much there is to interest, instruct and amuse in these meetings of the club, and from your attendance in the Central Club judge you have come to their same conclusion. The subject of manure, and how to make it, often occupies the attention of our Club, and we have at least two members who experiment a good deal, and one who is ever trying all things imaginable. If there is anything solid in manure he tests it, and if not 'tis liquidated—of that more anon.

A club has been formed to contend for a premium crop of corn, for 1870, upon the following condition: The successful one to receive 10 bushels of corn from each of the others who compete for the prize; the number of acres to be three.—The gentlemen who have entered as yet are, Wm. P. Francis, B. F. Beck, Jr., Abel J. Rees, Wm. S. Walker. But 'tis still open for all who wish to try their hand at growing corn. In the Fall we shall give your readers the result, and hope it will be such as to do justice to Kent as a corn growing county.

CHAS. G. RICAUD,
Sec'y Rees' Corner Farmers' Club.

For the Transcript.

St. Paul's at Easter.

The services at the dear old church were somewhat elaborate at this season of the churches rejoicing.

On Easter-day, and the Sunday after, the altar was beautifully decked off with white flowers, and all within the chancel rail dressed in white and green, with blooming geraniums and other exotics.—The Baptismal Font was handsomely wreathed in Flowers with green tastefully inter-mingled, filled with splendid boquets, and the whole surmounted by an artistic white wax cross, made by Mrs. Geo. T. Hollyday.

The Choir was out in full force, and the music far superior to that we usually listen to at St. Paul's.

One loud rich Soprano voice was noticeable, on the Sunday after Easter in opening with the 143 Hymn "Christ Our Refuge" rendered to that beautiful melody from the German "When the Swallows Homeward Fly" doing her part with the ease and confidence of a master, and sweetly chimed with that smaller, lighter voice done in time and mellowing the effect between that and Capt. Burgess' big Bass-voice, altogether it was impressive, whilst the interludes upon the organ by the leader was beyond anything we have heard from an amateur, and rendered with that exquisite taste for which our Pastor's wife is noticeable. Under her leadership, the Choir of this Church has accomplished much more than could be expected of the material, and the slight opportunity for for partice which they have enjoyed.

Mr. Wilson spoke with more than *his* usual ability. His sermon was of "The Widow's Mite," and bringing to bear his powers of clear analysis and accurate deduction, was highly entertaining and instructive upon the subject of Alms giving, and the requirements of the church.

Perhaps some were there who went home, thinking more seriously than ever what we owe the church and of our claims upon the minister. The congregations was large and attentive, in numbers getting back to what it was before the war. St. Paul's is different in style from all other churches in Kent, more perhaps after the true style of Church architecture, certainly more convenient and having a finer effect when properly decorated than any we have seen. And tho' just now there are the gloomy habiliament of mourning on every side as we kneel in our devotions, yet we love the old church all the more to think we mourn for those to whom she was so dear, and that we believe in the communion of Saints and the Forgiveness of Sins. M.

FOR THE TRANSCRIPT.

Mr. Editor—As a matter in which the public are much interested, I deem it proper to give you an authentic statement of the action of the School Board of this Co. in relation to the supply of Books for the Schools.

All book-fees due prior to April 15th, will be collected by the Teachers.

No further charge for the *hire* or *use* of books will be made in the future, but the books will be sold for cash by the Board. Books now in use will continue to be used until the Teachers are supplied with printed price lists.

Unsaleable books will be returned to the Commissioners, and be sold at less price than new ones or those in good condition. To children whose parents or guardians are absolutely and clearly unable to pay, the books will be given by the Commissioners. Such inability must be certified by at least two of the School District Commissioners.

I will add that according to the amended Law, as found in the Journal of Proceedings, (House of Delegates) there will be no election of Trustees, or as now called School District Commissioners; they are to be appointed by the School Board on the 3d day of May.

The County School Commissioners are to be elected by the people as heretofore.

HOWARD MEEKS.

Gen. Thomas---An Interesting Letter from Gen. Fitzhugh Lee.

The following letter from General Fitzhugh Lee is a valuable contribution to the history of the recent war:

"I knew General Thomas well. Was a lieutenant in the cavalry regiment of which he was the major before the war, and stationed at the same post in Texas with him. He was an excellent artillery officer, (served in that arm in Mexico,) an indifferent cavalry one—too heavy, too slow. Had not that *'coup d' oil plus rapide que le coursier emporte au galop l' addresse d' un athlete, et l' agilite un centaure,'* that General Foy talks about in the 'Peninsular War,' but which did not prevent him from being a general officer of indisputable courage and unquestionable merit.

"You say 'he is charged with having, at the beginning of the war, hesitated as to which side he should enlist with,' &c The New York Tribune, however, and all other Northern encomiums that I have read upon his name and fame, lay great stress upon his being 'a Virginian who never *faltered* in his allegiance to the Union.' But they would better have left that part of his record alone.

"It is a fact that when war threatened between the two sections of 'the best government the world ever saw,' Gen Thomas' feelings were southern to almost the bellicose degree.

"It is a fact that he told me in New York city in 1861, as I was on my way from W[illegible] to resign, to resign my commission as an officer of the United States army, that he, too, intended to resign, and would soon follow me.

"It is a fact that about that time he wrote a letter to John Letcher, then Governor of Virginia, and tendered his services to the State, (which letter the Governor may have now.)

"The State of his birth can hardly be expected, *under the circumstances*, to erect a monument to him, but it should not defame him.

"He was an upright, kind-hearted man, and fought well, though against us. Let him him rest in peace; and let Virginia keep her vials of wrath to be forever poured out upon the heads of some few of her citizens who would not fight upon either side, but who stayed at home and made money by being paid by the North as spies, guides and informers, or who, after having fought, have acted as if they were ashamed of their past record.

"Very respect'lly, your obed't sev't,
"FITZHUGH LEE."

A FRIGHTFUL CALAMITY.

Terrible Accident and Loss of Life in Richmond, Va.

RICHMOND, VA., April 27.

There was a terrible accident in this city to-day, caused by the falling in of the floor of the chamber of the Court of Appeals in the State Capitol, where hundreds of persons had gathered to hear the decision of the court in the contested mayoralty case. The court room was immediately over the hall of the House of Delegates. The floor gave way at 11 A. M., falling in with a frightful crash, precipitating the densely packed mass of people to the floor below, upon a caucus meeting of conservative members of the Legislature, which was then in session in the legislative chamber.

About 200 persons were hurt by the accident. The greatest excitement prevails. Hundreds of persons are on the Capital Square weeping and wailing as the dead and dying are brought out of the building. Gov. Walker escaped unhurt, though on the court-room floor at the time Many others, equally fortunate, managed to escape the terrible fall by jumping into the windows when the floor gave way. It is supposed twenty members of the Legislature are killed and wounded. The judges of the Court of Appeals all escaped unhurt.

The court room was filled with the prominent Republicans and Conservatives of the city. The gallery of the court-room, which was crowded, fell first, and the floor below, which was the floor of the House of Delegates of Virginia, on which some few of the members of a caucus were waiting around. There was a general crash of all the timbers, and the falling of the inside walls. The whole number of killed is 59; total wounded, 117.

Correspondence of the Balto. Gazette.

WASHINGTON, April 25, 1870.

I participated yesterday in the "exercises" at Metropolitan "Church." Its pastor (also Chaplain of the Senate) was surrounded during his ministration with bouquets of choice flowers elegantly arranged about the "altar," as it is now called. it is understood they were from the Presidential "hot-house." The music was superb, and the "audience" the very elite of the city, accourted in the most costly and showy habiliments. (There are exceptions to all general rules.) The President and Presidentess, the Vice President, *solus*, (the Vice Presidentess being unavoidably absent), the Chief Justice and the Chief Justicess that is to be, and other distinguished personages, were of "the party." I have not space for elaborate description, but may say that the interior of the edifice vies with the most pretentious, at least in the efforts at display. It was to be observed, too, that the old-fashioned emphatic interjections of the worshippers, such as "amen," &c., were wholly omitted on this occasion; and instead, such words of approval bf the speaker's rounded periods as "that's so," "beautiful," etc., were plentifully interspersed, accompanied by "applause," and "laughter," sly glances and blowing of noses, and flirting of handkerchifs and fans!

"Heavens!" said I to myself, "what a metamorphosis do I see! What a contrast when compared to the sober, truthful and earnest worship I have witnessed (for I am a Methodist to the very gizzard) at the 'Eutaw,' the 'Light Street' and the 'Old Town' *Meeting Houses*, in by-gone days!"

I forgot to mention that the "Metropolitan" is adorned with a steeple as high as the gallows of Haman. But it wants a chime of bells. I have the word of an honest man, who, if necessary, will "toe the mark," that the Rev. Mr. Newman has applied to the President for a sufficient number of blood-bespattered cannon with which to mould the instruments designed to call his flock together! He insists, too, that they shall be *captured guns* stained with the blood of *secessionists—none other will be received for so sacred a purpose!*

FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT JUBILEE IN PENNSYLVANIA.—There was a pretty general celebration of the fifteenth amendment by the colored people in Pennsylvania on Tuesday. In Philadelphia there was a jubilee and a procession, with delegations from New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, Fred. Douglas rode in a barouche in the line, and was warmly cheered. All the colored people in the city took holiday, and many of the restaurants employing colored waiters, &c., were compelled to close up for lack of service.

The white Union League presented the colored Union League with a banner costing $500. Dispatches from Harrisburg, Williamsport, Pottsville and elsewhere mention that the celebrations were enthusiastic in those places. Owing to severe indisposition, Senator Revels did not arrive in Harrisburg, as expected, but Gov. Geary spoke in the afternoon.

PURNELL

HAS RECEIVED

A New Stock

OF

Spring and Summer Goods,

embraced in which is a beautiful assortment of

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES.

—:o:—

MR. WM. GREENBURG,
The New York Tailor,

Occupies rooms over his Store, and *guarantees a fit.*

Call and see him at

GALENA.

April 30, 1870—tf.

DIED.

COLLINS.—In Chestertown, on the 26th inst., ARIANNA REBECCA, infant daughter of John W. and Charlotte A. Collins, aged 8 months and 5 days.

STORE ROOM FOR RENT.

The Store Room on Cross street, Chestertown, under Good Templars' Hall. Apply to

April 30, 1870—3t. E. F. PERKINS.

School Notice.

AN EXAMINATION of persons desirous of teaching in the Public Schools of Kent County, will take place in the School Room at Chestertown, on SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1870, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M.

HOWARD MEEKS,
April 30—1t. Sec. and Examiner.

The Trustees

OF the Primary Schools in Chestertown hereby give notice that after the 7th day of May, 1870, a *vacancy* will exist in the place of Teacher of the Male Department. Applications will be received till May 7th. Credentials may be left with the Secretary of the Board. J. A. PEARCE,
April 30, 1870—2t. Secretary.

Notice.

THE TAX BOOKS of John W. Duyer, late Collector, have been placed in my hands for IMMEDIATE SETTLEMENT. All interested are hereby notified that I shall proceed at once, without respect to persons, to collect the same by law.

C. H. DAVIS, Const.
April 30, 1870-3t.

ROAD NOTICE.

THIRTY DAYS after date of this notice, the undersigned will petition the County Commissioners to widen the Public Road on the Eastern side, commencing at or near Muddy Creek, to or near the Causeway over the lands of Mrs. H. L. Spencer.

J. P. DECORSE,
April 30, 1870—5t. and others.

Livery! Livery!! Livery!!!

HORSES AND CARRIAGES

FOR HIRE.—I am prepared to furnish all who want to hire Horses and Carriages, with good, safe and quick animals, and with substantial, easy carriages, on *liberal terms.*

Parties sent to any part of the county.

A good, safe turnout, can always be obtained by applying to

SAMUEL S. RAWLEIGH,
April 30, 1870—3m. Queen street.

SPRING MILLINERY!

NEW YORK STYLES AND FASHIONS!

MRS. C R. FIDDIS, *High Street, Chestertown,* has just returned form New York with

PATTERN BONNETS,

HATS OF THE LATEST STYLES,

a full and handsome assortment of Flowers, Ribbons, Laces; latest style of Vails and every thing which can be desired in Millinery Goods.

Also, a good supply of Ladies' Furnishing Goods.

My customers and the public are invited to call and examine my stock.

☞ Wanted a Young Lady to learn the Millinery Business.

Chestertown, April 30, 1870.

KENT COUNTY RAILROAD.

The Kent County Railroad being completed to Kennedyville, Trains will be run daily, (Sundays excepted,) for freight and passengers, between Kennedyville and Townsend, where close connection will be made with trains of the Delaware Railroad,

Commencing on Monday, May 2d, 1870, and run as follows, until further notice:

GOING EAST.

Leave Kennedyville	7:00 A. M.
" Black's	7:10 "
" Lambson's	7:25 "
" Massey's	7:50 "
" Morris'	8:00 "
" Vandyke's	8:15 "
Arrive at Townsend	8:30 "

GOING WEST.

Leave Townsend	11:40 A. M.
" Vandyke's	11:55 "
" Morris'	12:05 P. M.
" Massey's	12:25 "
" Lambson's	12:40 "
" Black's	12:50 "
Arrive at Kennedyville	1:00 "

☞ Passengers from Kennedyville, and all Stations on the Kent County Railroad, will reach Wilmington at 10:15, A. M.; Philadelphia at 11:45, A.M., and Baltimore at 1:05, P. M.

Passengers for the Kent County Railroad, will leave Baltimore (President street depot) at 7:25, A. M.; Philadelphia (depot corner Broad street and Washington Avenue,) at 8:30, A. M., and Wilmington at 10:10, A. M.

A STAGE will run between Chestertown and Kennedyville, making close connection at the latter place with trains East and West. It will leave Chestertown at 5:30, A. M., and returning, leave Kennedyville on arrival of train, and reach Chestertown about 2:30, P. M.

J. B. WINGATE,
Chief Engineer and Superintendent.
April 30, 1870—tf.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of Administration, on the estate of

HENRIETTA L. SPENCER,
late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of November, 1870; otherwise they may be excluded by law from the benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 26th day of May, 1870.

HENRIETTA M. L. EVERETT,
April 30, 1870—4t. Administratrix.

Lecture.

REV. T. J. POULSON, Grand Worthy Chief Templar of the State of Maryland, will deliver a Lecture at the M. E. Church at Chesterville, on

Thursday Evening, May 5th, at 8 o'clock.

SUBJECT—TEMPERANCE.

Proceeds to be applied to the liquidation of a debt against the Lodge. Apr. 23—2t.

Baltimore Grain Market.

[From Thursday's Paper.]

WHEAT.—White—$1.55.
Red—$1.40@1.52.
CORN.—White—1.09@1.12. Yellow, 1,09 @ 1.11.
OATS—63@66 cents.

NOTICE.

COMMISSIONS have been received for the officers in Kent county, named below. By the laws of the State appointees are required to qualify within thirty days from receipt of Commission, which will expire on May 28th.

1st District—Justices of the Peace: John T. Hurtt, Thomas I. Britton.
Coroner—William K. Sutton.
2d District—Justices of the Peace: D. W. Dewees, William Medders.
Coroners—J. A. Morris.
3d District—Justices of the Peace: James Cohee, Robert L. Usilton.
Coroner—Dulaney Raisin.
4th District—Justices of the Peace: Jas. Graves, T. Waters Russell.
Coroner—S. S. Usilton.
5th District—Justices of the Peace: Wm. T. Adkinson, Garrett M. Hartt.
Coroner—J. M. Ayres.

REGISTERS:

First District—Samuel P. Benney.
2nd " —L. A. Pennington.
3rd " —George T. Moore.
4th " —John L. Stam.
5th " —James H. Edes.

JESSE K. HINES,
Clerk Circuit Court Kent County.
April 30. 1870—3t.

FOR SALE,

TWO BUILDING LOTS,

in Chestertown, eligibly situated. Apply to
March 26. E. F. PERKINS.

RAILROAD NOTICE.

AT the regular meeting of the President and Directors of the Kent County Railroad Company, on Thursday the 7th of April, inst., the following resolution was passed:

Ordered, That all subscribers to the Capital Stock of the Kent county Railroad Co., who have not paid the 1st., 2nd and 3rd calls, may be reinstated in all the rights by paying those calls, or any balances due thereon, on or before the SECOND MONDAY OF MAY NEXT.

R. HYNSON,
Treasurer.
Test:—H. W. VICKERS, Sec'y.
April 9, 1870-tf.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

TEACHERS of the PUBLIC SCHOOLS are notified to defer sending out Fee Bills for Books until further notice.

HOWARD MEEKS,
Sec. Board School Commr's. Kent Co.
April 23, 1870—3t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of Administration, on the estate of

LOUISA A. BUSICK,
late of Delaware City, Del., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of October, 1870, otherwise they may be excluded by law from the benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 19th day of April, 1870.

WILLIAM S. BUSICK,
April 23, 1870—4t. Executor.

SMITHVILLE STORE.

THE subscriber has opened at Smithville, in his New Store House, a good stock of

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
Boots, Shoes,
AND
NOTIONS;

and is ready and prepared to accommodate his friends and the public as heretofore.

WILLIAM V. LUCAS.
Smithville, April 23, 1870—3m.

THE CELEBRATED

HOWE SEWING MACHINE.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agent, for Kent Co., for the celebrated

HOWE SEWING MACHINE,

is prepared to furnish all those in want of a good machine. Will deliver them in any part of the county, and give instruction in its management. Will also furnish any other first-class Sewing Machine desired.

All orders or inquiries addressed to the subscriber, at HANESVILLE, or at WM. A. VICKERS' store, Chestertown, will receive prompt attention.

JAMES W. SKIRVEN, JR.
April 23, 1870—tf.

VENDUE.

THE subscribers will sell at Public Sale, at the residence of the late Thomas D. Burgess, near Grey's Inn Creek, on

Wednesday, the 4th of May, 1870,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following property:

THREE SUPERIOR MILCH COWS;
1 LARGE CHESTER WHITE SOW AND PIGS;

Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Horse Cart, 2 Carriages, 1 Dearborn, lot of Corn Blades, 1 Fireplace Stove, 1 Cook Stove, Beds and Bedding, and

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

TERMS.—A credit of Six Months on all sums over Ten Dollars, on note with approved security.

JAMES A. BURGESS,
JEREMIAH NICOLS,
Administrators of Thos. H. Burgess.
April 23, 1870—tds.

Balmoral Boots & Shoes,

Ladies and Misses

Lasting Gaiters,

CHILDRENS' AND INFANTS' PLAIN AND FANCY SHOES, ALL OF THE LATEST STYLES!

T. W. ELIASON & SON

Have just opened a very large assortment of the above Goods, to which they invite your attention. [April 16, 1870.

TO PHYSICIANS.

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NEW YORK, August 15th, 1868.

Allow me to call your attention to my

PREPARATION
OF
Compound Extract Buchu.

The component parts are BUCHU, LONG LEAF, CUBEBS, JUNIPER BERRIES.

MODE OF PREPARATION.

Buchu, in vacuo. Juniper Berries, by distillation, to form a fine gin. Cubebs extracted by displacement with spirits obtained from Juniper Berries; very little sugar is used, and a small proportion of spirit. It is more palatable than any now in use.

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Hoping that you will favor it with a trial, and that upon inspection it will meet with your approbation,

With a feeling of confidence,
I am, very respectfully,
H. T. HELMBOLD,
Chemist and Druggist,
of Sixteen Years' Experience.

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