The Chestertown Transcript

Saturday Morning, May 21, 1870.

☞ Our friends throughout the county are earnestly requested to furnish us with all items of local interest transpiring in their immediate neighborhoods.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Fifteenth Amendment Celebration by the colored people of Kent, last Thursday, was a large—and as far as the procession was concerned—a well managed, creditable and orderly affair. The military, societies, wagons, carriages and horsemen, with banners spread to the breeze, flags flying, and enlived by the music of drums and fifes and two excellent colored brass bands, paraded the principal streets about noon, and then proceeded to the place of speaking, the woods near Baker's school house. We learn addresses were made by Gen. Crawford, H. H. Torbert and R. M. Smyth, white; and by Rev. H. H. Garnet and other colored men whose names are not known to us. We have no report of the speeches made by the white orators, but learn some of them poured forth their vials of wrath in the chaste, beautiful and truthful style of the Baltimore American editorials, spiced with choice selections from Brownlow and Ben. Butler.

The Grand Public Demonstration and Basket Picnic of the Order of Good Templars, which takes place on Thursday next, the 26th, will, beyond doubt, be the largest affair of the kind ever witnessed in this section. It will be held on the old camp ground in Baker's woods, about three miles from Chestertown, where a stand for speaking will be erected and seats to accommodate the audience arranged. The Order is very numerous throughout the county, and all the Lodges will be well represented—a majority of them, most probably, wearing their handsome regalia. Good music—both vocal and instrumental—will be provided, and speeches will be made by some of the most eminent temperance men of the country, among them Vice President Colfax, who it is asserted, will positively be present. The "Reed Rifles," Co. G. 13th Reg. M. N. G., will parade in full dress uniform and march to the woods. Arrangements have been made for refreshments, on the ground, and every other needful provision for the comfort of those who may attend.

New Buildings.—It gives us great pleasure, at this season of stringency in the money market and consequent stagnation in business generally thereby, to record evidences of energy and public spirit manifested under such discouraging circumstances. Mr. Richard S. Usilton is just finishing a very neat two-story dwelling with two-story back-building, adjoining the residence of Mr. James W. Lambert on Mill street, near Cannon. This, by-the-way, is one of the most eligible building sites in town. Mr. Alonzo Ming has also just completed and now occupies a comfortable roomy one-story and attic frame, tastefully finished with projecting cottage cornice, on Kent street, between High and Calvert. We trust others will imitate the good example of these progressive gentlemen, who deserve credit for their practical manifestation of a desire to see the town grow.

Wharf Improvement.—The Chester River Steamboat Company have within the past week rebuilt a considerable portion of their wharf, foot of High street, and it is now in condition to accommodate the large amount of travel and freight carried by the line.

The County Wharf.—Will not the proper authorities take the necessary steps towards rebuilding the County wharf, the very name of which, because of its long-neglected useless condition, has grown to be a by-word and reproach? At present it is only a source of annoyance and trouble to those who attempt to use it as a landing-place, and a standing disgrace to the County and Town. Complaint against its condition has been long and loud, and we are astonished that it has not taken the form of a petition, earnest and imperative, to the County and Town authorities, for the building of such a wharf as will meet the wants of the community. Farmers whose nearest point for landing lime this is, are especially interested; for every year considerable quantities, after being landed, is swept off into the river by the first high tide. We earnestly hope, that of the large number conversant with and who deplore the present condition of the county wharf, some may be induced—by petition or such other means as in their judgment may seem best—to bring the matter before the proper authorities, and urge prompt attention to it.

Store Robbed.—The Store House of Mr. T. H. Harper, at Still Pond, was broken into on Sunday night last, and goods to the amount of several hundred dollars stolen. By some means Mr. Harper ascertained that they were taken to Baltimore by steamer on Monday, where he followed them on Tuesday, and got out search warrants for two negroes whom he suspected. A portion of the stolen goods were found in possession of the negroes, and on Thursday they were brought over on the George Law and lodged in our jail. One of the negroes, we learn, has been but a short time out of the Penitentiary.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.—The last will and testament of Isaac Boyer, colored, late of Kent county, deceased, having been admitted to probate by the Register during the recess of Court, was ordered to be recorded.

James Spear, guardian to Annie Rolph, returned his first and final guardian account, which was passed, and ordered to be recorded.

On application, ordered that the Register of Wills hereby notify Henrietta M. L. Everett, adm'x. of H. L. Spencer, to produce Mary Elizabeth Harris, colored, an indentured apprentice to Samuel W. Spencer, late of Kent county, deceased, before the Orphans' Court, on Tuesday, May 24.

THIS CUT REPRESENTS



The New Self-Raking Attachment

UPON THE

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No. 2 REAPER AND MOWER.

THIS Machine stands pre-eminently at the head of all Harvesting Machines, and many valuable improvements have been added for the coming season. They are first class in every respect—unequalled and unexcelled.

A 2-wheeled Jointed-bar Self-Raker.

As a Mower, equal to the best single Mower in the market, and as a Self-Raking Reaper, it has no superior.

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The Lightest Draft and Most Perfect Mower in the World!

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JOHN BELL & BRO.,
Hanesville P. O.,

Or apply at Buck Neck Wharf.

May 14, 1870—2m.

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—5t.

FOUNTAIN HOTEL,

(Formerly the National,)

Camden Street,

NEAR HOWARD,

BALTIMORE, MD.

☞ Within three squares of Steamboats at Light Street Wharf.

THE undersigned, late proprietor of the Maltby House, has the pleasure of announcing to his friends, and the public generally, that he has leased the above Hotel for a term of years, and proposes making it

A FIRST CLASS HOUSE.

This Hotel, being convenient to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Depot, and also to other business portions of the city, will be found as desirable as any other Hotel in the city for business men.

This House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and I hope by strict personal attention to business to add to the comforts of all who may favor me with their patronage.

Having been proprietor of the 'Maltby House' for a number of years, I feel confident of meeting all expectations of the traveling public and all others.

Very respectfully,

Jan. 8, '70—y. A. B. MILLER.

GENTLEMEN'S

City-made Sewed Calf Skin

BOOTS,

A SUPERIOR article. GETS. SEWED AND PEGGED BALMORALS and SUPERIOR PLOW SHOES.

Ladies Buttoned Gaiters

AND

Misses and Children's Shoes,

in variety of sizes. All fresh goods, and offered at fair prices.

May 7. THOMAS S. WICKES.

White Goods.

The attention of Ladies is called to our present full Stock of White Goods, bought under the new Gold rates—some of the styles very rich—and also to

Black and Mode Colored Alpacas,

now offered at reasonable figures.

BLEACHED MUSLINS

of the best makes, and a large line of Handkerchiefs and Ladies and Misses Hosiery.

May 7. THOMAS S. WICKES.

OUR STOCK OF PLOW CASTINGS

Is being kept constantly full, and our stock of FARM HARDWARE generally will be found adequate to the calls of the season.

Also, *GARDEN SEEDS*, fresh from Landreth's. SEED PEAS, BEANS, &c., &c.

THOMAS S. WICKES.

Chestertown, May 7, 1870.

LAND IN VIRGINIA

AT

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on

Wednesday, the 15th day of June, 1870,

the land in the lower part of Middlesex county, Virginia, which belonged to the late Samuel Hurley, formerly of Kent county, Md.

This Tract

Contains 200 Acres,

with good improvements, and

Fine Apple and Peach Orchard.

It is situated on the Rappahannock River, with a contemplated Railroad running in front of the land.

Persons wishing to examine the premises can take the Rappahannock line of steamers, which leave Spear's wharf, Baltimore, every Tuesday and Friday at 4 o'clock, P. M., and land at North End, a short distance from the place.

Persons desiring further information may inquire of J. L. Crew or J. W. Crew, of Kent county, or address D. Hurley, at his post office, Sandy Bottom, Va.

Terms made known at sale.

R. L. MONTAGUE,
May 7, 1870—tds. *Trustee.*

Obstructions on Rail Roads.

PARTICULAR attention is called to the following sections of the Public General Laws of Maryland, under the title of "Crimes and Punishments," Art. 30, Sec. 159 and 160.

Obstructing Rail Roads.

159. If any person shall place anything, or cause anything to be placed, on any rail road in this State, calculated to obstruct, overthrow or direct from the track of such rail road any car, vehicle or carriage, travelling or passing on such rail road, or shall break or injure in any manner any rail road in this State, with the view or intent to obstruct or overthrow any car, vehicle or carriage, such person so offending shall be deemed guilty of felony, and upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to the penitentiary for not less than two years nor more than ten years.

160. If the death of any person shall be occasioned by the overthrow or obstruction of any rail road car, vehicle or carriage, produced by the placing of any thing or obstruction on any rail road, or by breaking or injuring any rail road, or any bridge attached thereto, in violation of the preceeding section, then the person so placing the thing or obstructing, or breaking or injuring, shall be deemed guilty of murder.

The above law will be rigidly enforced so far as it relates to Rail Roads under the control of the Kent Co. R. R. Co.

J. B. WINGATE,
Chief Engineer and Superintendent.
May 7, 1870—1m.

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.

New and Fashionable Millinery, &c.

At the corner of Queen and High streets, you will find New *MILLINERY AND*

Fancy Goods.

DRESS MAKING & DRESS TRIMMINGS.

Bonnets, Hats, Sundowns,

RIBBONS and FLOWERS, to suit the season; kept by

May 7—tf MARTHA BISCOE, M. A. MOFFETT.

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.

BALCK LEAD and Blacking Brushes for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

TO FARMERS.

STEEL CULTIVATOR TEETH.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT

HAVE the pleasure of calling the attention of Farmers generally to the following testimonials in regard to their Improved Steel Cultivator Teeth, over 200 sets of which have recently been sold in Kent and Queen Anne's counties:

Sassafras, Kent Co., Md.,
April 18th, 1870.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Gentlemen: The Cultivator Teeth I purchased of you the Spring of 1869 gave me entire satisfaction, and I take pleasure in recommending them to the public, believing them to be a very superior article. D. C. BLACKISTON.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Gentlemen: Some Cultivator Teeth that I got from you have given perfect satisfaction, and I will order two more sets to show the estimation I have of them. Very truly yours,
S. HEPBRON BLACKISTON.
Thornton, April 19, 1870.

Sassafras, Kent Co., April 20, 1870.

Messrs. Chapman & Lambert—Gentlemen: I consider your Cultivator Teeth superior to any I have yet used: the advantages over all I have yet purchased and used are, that if properly set in the wood, will go down to the beam, breaking the ground thoroughly and permitting it at once to fall back, filling the furrow; whereas, many three-cornered teeth throw the furrow up to remain, leaving the roots of corn exposed to the rays of the sun to perish. Yours, respectfully,
T. A. JACOBS.

The undersigned, having used the Improved Steel Cultivator Teeth manufactured by Chapman & Lambert, of Chestertown, take pleasure in recommending them to Farmers as a very superior article, and possessing all the advantages over other Teeth claimed by the manufacturers:

J. W. Howard, *Still Pond;*
Wm. A. Thomas, *Quaker Neck;*
A. Hurlock, *Hanesville;*
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John A. Miller, *Still Pond;*
Joshua S. Cosden, *Queen Anne's Co.;*
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W. H. Stewart, *Kent County;*
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These Teeth are now sold at the reduced price of $3.50 per set. We have 150 set on hand. Orders solicited and promptly filled.



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☞ All work at reduced prices.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT,
April 23, 1870—tf. Chestertown.

BLACK

CHESAPEAKE

INK.

MOST if not all the inks or writing fluids heretofore manufactured in the United States, have been composed of Tanic Acid, Gallic Acid, and a salt of Iron. A saturated solution of Aleppo galls in alcohol, is first made. This tincture contains several ingredients beside the Tannic and Gallic acids. By adding some of this tincture to a solution of Green Vitriol (Sulphate of Iron) the solution assumes first a violet and finally a black color. By adding some of the same tincture to a solution of sulphate of sesquioxide of iron a black color is immediately produced but on standing, both solutions will deposit a black percepitate. The manufacturers of ink add gum sugar or other mucillaginous matter to hold this black powder in suspension.

If this ink should freeze the black powder is, however, precipitated, and will not again readily dissolve, and the ink is rendered worthless. It cannot be diluted, when once too thick, without injuring, if not entirely destroying it. This ink may also be readily washed out from paper or parchment.

Forgers have availed themselves of this knowledge in altering checks, Drafts, Notes, &c. It is probable many wills have been entirely altered to suit interested parties having access to the paper by wsshing out the writing with oxalic acid, and again filling up the blanks. Many changes of Records have been from time to time discovered. Government Stamps have been freed from the ink used in cancelling them, and used a second time. There is no guarantee that anything written with these inks will not be altered at any time, by designing men.

The only preventive lies in using an ink that cannot be erased by any acid or alkali, without destroying the paper or parchment.

Heretofore no such ink could be obtained. Now, every one can obtain an absolutely indelible, unchangeable ink, for a less price than is paid for the worthless fluids in the market.

BLACK

CHESAPEAKE INK,

When written, cannot be erased with oxalic acid. It does not corrode the Pen.

It may be diluted with rain water, if too thick, and used up to the last drop.

It is equal to india ink for drawing.

It can be written with on the margins of Newspapers, or unsized paper of any kind, and does not blot.

It flows more freely from the pen than any other ink or fluid.

Neither freezing nor boiling injure it.—Every one who once uses it buys it again, and will use no other.

WILLIAM A. VICKERS, with whom I have entered into a limited partnership, will fill all orders from any part of the State of Maryland. All other orders should be addressed to me.

R. CLAY CRAWFORD,
Manufacturing Chemist.
Chestertown, Feb. 19, 1870—y.

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Lasting Gaiters,

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

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

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WM. VANNORT.
Chestertown, April 9, 1870—tf.

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.

Buchu, as prepared by Druggists, is of a dark color. It is a plant that emits its fragrance; the action of a flame destroys this, (its active principle), leaving a dark and glutinous decoction. Mine is the color of ingredients. The Buchu in my preparation predominates; the smallest quantity of the other ingredients are added, to prevent fermentation; upon inspection, it will be found not to be a Tincture, as made in Pharmacopœia, nor is it a Syrup—and therefore can be used in cases where fever in inflammation exist. In this, you have the knowledge of the ingredients and the mode of preparation.

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

With a feeling of confidence,
I am, very respectfully,
H. T. HELMBOLD,
Chemist and Druggist,
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In affections peculiar to Females, is unequalled by any other preparation, as in Chlorosis, or Retention, Painfulness, or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Schirrus State of the Uterus, and all complaints incident to the sex, or the decline or change of life.

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Will radically exterminate from the system diseases arising from habits of dissipation, at little expense, little or no change in diet, no inconvenience or exposure; completely superceding those unpleasant and dangerous remedies, Copaiva and Mercury, in all these diseases.

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In all diseases of these organs, whether existing in male or female, from whatever cause originating, and no matter of how long standing. It is pleasant in taste and odor, "immediate" in action, and more strengthening than any of the preparations of Bark or Iron.

Those suffering from broken-down or delicate constitutions, procure the remedy at once.

The reader must be aware that, however slight may be the attack of the above diseases, it is certain to affect the bodily health and mental powers.

All the above diseases require the aid of a Diuretic. HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU is the great Diuretic.

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April 30, 1870—y.

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DRUGS,

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PATENT MEDICINES

AND

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Thomas W. Wickes,

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who has recently procured a COMPETENT ASSISTANT, and is prepared, AT ALL HOURS, to compound prescriptions with accuracy and dispatch.

KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND A LARGE AND VARIED ASSORTMENT OF

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All the Standard and Popular Patent Medicines, at Manufacturers' Prices.

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A Full and Complete Assortment of all such artices as can be found in the First-class Drug stores of the City—at Reasonable Prices.

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SUCCESSOR TO

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After an experience of years, a thorough acquaintance with the City Markets, and a knowledge of the wants of the trade in this locality, offers to the citizens of this, and the adjoining Counties, a complete and carefully selected Stock of Seasonable Clothing.

MEN'S, YOUTH'S and BOY'S CLOTHING,

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Furnishing Goods!

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HATS AND CAPS.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER, IN THE BEST STYLES AND FINISH.

I have secured the assistance of Mr. Wm. J. McFeeley, an experienced Salesman, late of Centreville.

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JOS. A. CATLIN,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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