LOCAL ITEMS.

Religious.—Divine service will be held at Shrewsbury Church on Sunday next, February 4th, at 11 o'clock, A. M. The Right Reverend Henry C. Lay, Bishop of the Diocese, will officiate.

The Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton, embracing the counties of Cecil and Kent, will meet in St. Paul's Church, Chestertown, on Tuesday the 6th of February, at 11 o'clock.

Cold Weather.—The weather has been cold for this latitude during the entire week. Wednesday morning the mureury went as low as three degrees above zero, Thursday down to eight, and Friday morning to ten.

We have received the address of Mr. John T. Skirven, at the Anniversary Meeting of the Worton Agricultural Club last week, but its length determined us to postpone its publication until next week, as it will lose nothing by the delay.

Skating.—Chester river has been completely closed by ice during the week, and large numbers of ladies and gentlemen, girls and boys, have taken advantage of the opportunity to enjoy the skating.

Dorcas Society.—The ladies connected with the Protestant Episcopal Church of our town have organized a "Dorcas Society." The severe Winter will give ample scope for their charities.

Marriage Licenses.—The record of marriage licenses for Kent county, shows that there has been issued 130 licenses during the year 1871, of which 62 were for colored persons.

Dangerous.—We have repeatedly called the attention of the Town Commissioners to the open cellar-way belonging to the house of H. W. Earnest, (one of the board of Commissioners), located near Judge Wickes'. We have personally called the attention of the Bailiff to its dangerous condition, and nothing has yet been done. It is nothing less than a pitfall on the sidewalk of one of our most public thoroughfares. Should any fall down this place and injure themselves—as they would not fail to do—the Commissioners would be liable to the gravest censure, having been so repeatedly warned.

The Rail Road.—We were told when the present contract for completing the road to Chestertown was made, that the fifteenth of December would see the road completed, and then trains would be run regularly to this place. Here is February, and there has been no train over the road yet. We believe the road, however, is completed,—or its constructors so represent,—and is only awaiting the acceptance of the company. There is a popular opinion that the portion of the road from Worton station to this town is very indifferently made: that is, so far as the tracklaying and ballasting is concerned. The engineer who had charge of its construction claims that the work has been done according to contract, and that the contract was an exceedingly loose agreement. We know nothing of the merits of the controversy, but we do know that the road is losing the very best part of the whole year while our rivers and bay are ice-bound. We hear the whistle of the cars every night as they go to Centreville, and we cannot help drawing comparisons. There is a want of force, somewhere, in our railroad enterprise.

Orphans' Court.—Present, Cornelius J. Scott, and William T. Hepbron.

The Court passed a number of claims against the estates of deceased parties.

The release of Anna M. Comegys, Hannah Newnam and Anna Emory to Samuel Comegys, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Pearce, was received, and ordered to recorded.

The last will and testament and codocil thereto, of John Lusby, late of Kent county, deceased, having been admitted to probate by the Register of Wills during the recess of Court, was approved and recorded.

Mary E. Brown, guardian to Mary C., Hiram W., Henry C., and Ann R. Brown, returned guardian accounts for the year 1871.

Thomas S. Wilmer, admr. of Jas. Pearce, returned his second administration account, which was passed and ordered to be recorded.

On application, ordered that the Register of Wills issue citation for William R. Wilmer, guardian to John W. Greenwood and others, to return his guardian account for 1870.

The release of V. G. Hall, for herself and as guardian of Ellen G. and Mary B. Hall, to Jos. P. Ireland, admr. of J. Ed. Hall, was received and ordered to be recorded.

County Commissioners.—Present, Messrs. Roseberry, Wilson and Griffith.

Wm. A. Thomas, Collector, reported his collections for the quarter ending December 31, 1871.

County tax,	$5,212.28
Of which he has paid	4,919.26
Balance in hand,	$293.02

The American Farmer.—The February No. of this journal is at hand, well filled with matter for the farm and garden, and appropriate to the season. The 'Farmer' is published at Baltimore, by Samuel Sands & Son, at $1 50, or $1 to clubs of five or more.

A Complicated Case.—A singular and complicated case came to light last week. It seems that a Mr. Fox of Delaware, in order to make himself safe in some property he had under execution, brought to this county two horses, a pair of mules and carriage. Where he disposed of the mules we have not been apprised. The carriage he traded to Mr. Pleasanton, near Church Hill, for cattle, and the two horses with Mr. J. O. Rasin, of this town, for two other horses. One of the horses he obtained from Mr Rasin he traded to Mr. R. M. Hopkins for another horse, and with these started home. When a few miles above Church Hill he met and traded both horses to Mr. Whittington for two other horses. It subsequently turned out that Mr. John Bewly, of Smyrna, held a prior execution against the whole property. This gentleman with an officer came over on Saturday and claimed his property. Mr. Rasin gave up the horses and Mr. Pleasanton the carriage. Mr. Rasin then took possession of the horse held by Mr. Hopkins and replevied the one held by Mr. Whittington, Mr. Hopkins subsequently replevied his horse, and Mr. Plasanton put off to Delaware after his cattle. Here the case rests at present. On Friday Messrs Rasin and Hopkins are to determine before a Magistrate who owns the horse in dispute between them, and Mr. Whittington will doubtless find out in a similar way who owns the horse in dispute between them. Fox is a fraud, and ought to be placed in, "durance vile."

P. S.—Messr. Rasins and Hopkins started yesterday for Delaware to recover the lost property, with the view, we understand, of compromising their case, if satisfactory arrangements can be made.—*Centreville Observer.*

☞ The Centreville post office issued during the past year 469 money orders, amounting to $11,195.87, with a steady increase. Out of this amount not one cent was lost.

Notice of Dividend.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM PARKER.

On application, Ordered that Henry Urie, administrator D. B. N. of Wm Parker, dec'd., give notice by advertisement that a dividend on the Personal Estate of said deceased, will be made in this Court, on TUESDAY, the 29th day of January, 1872.

Test: EDWIN CROUCH, Register of Wills.

N. B.—All creditors of William Parker are hereby notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Register of Wills, on or before TUESDAY, the 29th day of January, 1872, or they will otherwise be excluded from the dividend in the Personal Estate.

HENRY URIE, Admr. D. B. N.

Jan. 13, 1872—4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

THOMAS LUSBY,

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 9th day of August, 1872; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of January, 1872.

WM. H. H. LUSBY, Administrator.

Jan. 13, 1872—4t.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

BY virtue of one writ of Fieri Facias, issued by T. Waters Russell, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Kent county, and to me directed, at the suit of M. Bannon, against the goods and chattles, lands and tenements of George R. Jones and Benjamin H. Startt, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Benjamin H. Startt, of, in, and to, the following property, viz:

All that Piece or Parcel of Land

situated at or near "Worton Heights," in Kent county, Md., called "Prince William," containing

About 95 Acres,

and being the same parcel of land which was conveyed to the said Benjamin H. Startt by George W. Beck and others, by Deed dated November 9th, 1847, duly recorded in Liber J. N. G., No. 11, pages 515, &c., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county aforesaid:

And I hereby give notice, that on *Tuesday, the 6th day of February*, 1872, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in front of the Market House in Chestertown, I will sell at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above property so seized and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy said writ, debt, interest and costs, due and to become due thereon. CHAS. H. DAVIS, Constable.

Jan. 13, 1871—tds. [5.75]

PERSONAL.

LADIES, I can send you anything by mail. Just send us a *lock* of your *hair*, if you want one of those superb HAIR NETS to match, or a sample of goods the color. Only 25 cents and stamp, by mail.

W. H. RINGGOLD,
95 N. CHARLES STREET,
Sept. 16. *3 doors South of Mulberry.*

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We have just received by Capt. Taylor's boat this week, a full supply of LUMBER, consisting in part of 4-4 Cullings, 6-4 Culpings, 4-4 Hemlock Lathes, Sash &c., and can fill orders satisfactorily.

JOHN T. DODD & SON.

Chestertown, Jan. 6.

A Card.

THE subscriber, lately of the firm of Cox, Warden & Merritt, will continue the GRAIN COMMISSION BUSINESS, at the corner of Bowly's Wharf and Pratt St.

We hope that his long experience in, and knowledge of the business, will result in a due share of the liberal patronage so liberally extended to the late firm.

LUTHER J. COX.

January 6, 1872—4t

John T. Dodd & Son,

THE ENERGETIC *LUMBER FIRM* of our town, took advantage of the thaw last week, and laid in a full supply of

Lumber,

so as to supply their numerous customers They will be pleased to see their friends, as they can fill their orders satisfactorily. Jy6.

FARMERS and Gardeners, subscribe for **THE AMERICAN FARMER,** now combined with The Rural Register, and published monthly at No. 9 North st., Baltimore, Md., by Saml. Sands & Son. It is *the oldest Agricultural Journal in America*, and was conducted over 25 years by our Senior! New series begins January 1, 1872. $1.50 a year, in advance; 5 copies $5; 11 for $10. Send for Prospectus, Premium Lists, &c. Dec. 9, 1871—4t.

JAS. WARDEN. JAS. A. MERRITT.

WARDEN & MERRITT, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

FOR THE SALE OF

GRAIN, FLOUR & COUNTRY PRODUCE,

72 South Street,

BALTIMORE, MD.

Thanking our old customers for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon us, we would respectfully ask a continuance of the same, assuring them that at all times our best efforts will be used for the promotion of their interest. Jan. 6, 1872.

1872. January 1st. 1872.

A LARGE STOCK OF DESIRABLE *WINTER GOODS*, in store.

T. S. WICKES.

AXES—Of Stewart's best make, on hand and for sale by T. S. WICKES.

Chestertown, Jan'y 6, 1873.

RINGGOLD'S HOSIERY BAZAAR.

Selling off, Selling off, at very low Prices.

175 W. Baltimore street,

☞ Under the New Hotel. ☜

50,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted.

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID.

TO be delivered on the Kent Co. Railroad at Worton, Lynch's, Still Pond and Kennedyville stations.

BELL & BRO.,
Agents for E. Jefferson & Sos.
Office, Worton Station.

Dec. 16, 1871—3m.

Just Received, and for sale,

ALL GRADES OF FLOUR,

BY THE BARREL,

SALT, by the SACK;

HORSE SHOES, by the Keg,

AND NAILS;

Blacksmith's Coal & Anthracite.

Besides this we have, as usual, a regular stock of LUMBER and other BUILDING MATERIAL. Apply to

TURNER BROS.

Betterton, Dec. 30, 1871.

MYERS BROTHERS,

DEALERS

IN

WALL PAPERS,

WINDOW SHADES, VENITIAN BLINDS, &c.,

No. 39 NORTH GAY STREET,

Opp. Odd Fellows' Hall,

BALTIMORE.

☞ All orders left with E. C. Rieche, opposite the Voshell House, will be promptly attended to.

Sept. 9, 1871—y

WILLIAM HARRIS, Gun & Pistol

MANUFACTURER,

No. 116 West Pratt street,

(One Door East of South,)

BALTIMORE,

KEEPS constantly on hand a complete assortment of

DUCK AND BIRD GUNS,

REPEATING PISTOLS,

SMITH & WESSON'S CARTRIDGE PISTOLS, COLT'S REPEATING PISTOLS, and every description of Pistol now in use.

Also, a Variety of Sporting Articles,

Such as Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Water Proof Caps, Wads, &c.

Wholesale and Retail.

GUNS neatly Stocked and repeaired at short notice.

Baltimore, Oct. 7, 1871—y.

CHEAP STOVE HOUSE.

Wm. Gluck,

Cor. Gay and Harrison Sts., Baltimore.

COOKING AND HEATING STOVES.

The best Cooking Stoves are the NIAGARA, BARLEY SHEAF & QUAKER CITY

The best Fireplace Heater is

THE SUNNYSIDE!

The best and cheapest of all kinds of Air Tight and Wood Stoves. Also, a very large assortment of plain and Japanned

TIN WARE And Housekeeping Articles,

All for sale at the very lowest City Prices.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

EVERY STOVE GUARANTEED.

Baltimore, Sept. 23, 1871—6m.

ESPECIAL attention paid to *FINE LINEN SHIRTS*, and any one in want of a good Shirt, at a moderate price, will do well to call and see

Oct. 14, 1871. S. MERRITT & CO.

Pure Spices.

GINGER, Cloves, Cinnamon, Mace, Allspice, Nutmegs, Sage, Mustard, Black and Red Pepper: all can be obtained, ground, at *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

SAVE YOUR MONEY!

THERE is no class of remedial agents so extensively or so justly used as Medicated Plasters. The timely use of one of Alcock's or Wells' Strengthening Plasters will prevent much suffering and sickness, especially if predisposed to weak lungs or any affection of the chest or back. They afford great relief in Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, etc. For sale at

Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

GEO. W. BROOKS & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Lumber, Shingles, Fencing, Laths, &c.

East Falls and Eastern Avenues,

June 3, 1871—1y BALTIMORE.

OVERCOATS.

WE have just received a large and handsome assortment of Overcoats: call and look at them. S. MERRITT & CO.

WE ARE JUST OPENING OUR FIRST SUPPLY OF

GENTS. FURNISHING GODDS,

such as Undershirts and Drawers, Neck Ties and Scarfs, Gloves, &c.

Nov. 18. S. MERRITT & CO.

BUY THE FIRST NATIONAL WHITE LEAD. It is the cheapest, most durable and brilliant of any Lead in the market. For sale by

C. F. STAM & BRO.,

May 6, 1871—y. Chestertown, Md.

Medical Card.

DR. T. S. HOLTON having located in Chestertown, respectfully offers his professional services to the public.

He may be found during business hours, when not professionally engaged, at Mr. T. W Wickes' Drug Store.

Chestertown, Feb. 4, 1871—tf.

To Mothers.

LIEBIG'S FOOD FOR INFANTS.—This valuable and popular food for infants is now so firmly established that it is unnecessary to make any remarks upon its efficacy. Further information can be obtained at

Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

BENJAMIN HAZELL,

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 12th day of July, 1872 otherwise they may be excluded by law from the benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 12th day of December, 1871.

BENJAMIN M. HAZELL,

Dec. 16, 1871—4t. Administrator.

GENUINE EXTRACTS FOR FLAVORING.

VANILLA,
LEMON,
ALMOND,
AND OTHER EXTRACTS.

For sale at *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

TO THE LADIES.

LAIRD'S BLOOM OF YOUTH, FOR Beautifying and Preserving the Complexion and Skin. Mr. Laird has every confidence in recommending his Bloom of Youth to the Ladies as being the only perfect and reliable Toilet article now in use.

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January 7, 1871.

Something Wonderful.

READ'S Sore Throat and Catarrh Powder is the most wonderful article I ever heard of, for sore throat almost vanishes at its touch.—Rev. J. Foley, Balt For sale at

Jan. 7, *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

Chestertown Clothing Emporium!

AND

BOOT, SHOE, And Furnishing Goods Store,

High St., opposite Eccleston property.

L. HECHT, successor to L. Hecht & Bro., takes this method of informing the patrons of the late firm and the public generally that he has now on hand a full stock of NEW AND FASHIONABLE CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, GENTS. FURNISHING GOODS, &c., of the very best material, and most fashionable styles, bought at the lowest cash prices, and will be sold a *little lower* than ever the same class of goods were offered in this market.

☞ SUITS MADE TO ORDER, of the best quality, in Fashionable Style, and a fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

For the liberal patronage extended to the late firm by the citizens of Kent and Queen Anne's, he respectfully returns his thanks; and flatters himself that in the use of the superior facilities he now possesses, to be able to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom. An early call is solicited.

LIEBMAN HECHT.

Chestertown, Sept. 2, 1871.

JOHN R. HARE,

THE ENGLISH

Watchmaker and Jeweller,

Has removed to his New Store,

63 FAYETTE STREEET;

OPPOSITE BARNUM'S HOTEL.

N. B.—*Fine Watch Repairs*, at Trade prices, a speciality.

☞ The cheapest Stock in the City.

Baltimore, Nov. 25, 1871—1y.

FOR 1872.

SUBSCRIPTIONS received for the *American Agriculturist, Godey's Lady's Book, New York Ledger, Harper's Weekly, Moore's Rural New Yorker*, At lowest Club rates.

JOS. E. WEER, P. M.

Kennedyville, Nov. 18, 1871—tf.

Money Saved! Money Saved!!

BY ENCLOSING **ONE DOLLAR** (1.00) a three cent stamp and sample of goods, and getting in return ONE PAIR of *OUR OWN KID GLOVES*, in all the Fall shades and colors.

The only place to get them is at

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95 N. Charles Street,

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ONLY ONE DOLLAR PER PAIR, AND EVERY PAIR *GUARANTEED.*

Balt., Sept. 16, 1871.

BUILDING LOT FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, a desirable Building Lot in the East section of Chestertown, between Water and Queen streets. The situation is high, open and very desirable for a building site. The water from the wells is most excellent.

Terms moderate. Apply to

Dec. 6, 1871. E. F. PERKINS.

READY MADE CLOTHING.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF FINE AND COARSE CLOTHING; well made, and at reasonable prices.

Nov. 18, 1871. J. E. WEER

Natural Mineral Waters

For the Debilitated.

VICHY, KISSENGEN, CONGRESS, AND OTHER WATERS.

For sale at

Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

NOTICE.

JOHN P. RINGGOLD, in consequence of extending the Fountain Hotel, has REMOVED his

HOSIERY AND UNDERGARMENT STOCK

from 175 West Baltimore Street, to

No. 18 N. CHARLES St., near Fayette.

New Scarfs for Ladies.

BALBRIGGAN HOSIERY.
OPEN WORK HOSIERY.
LACE & LISLE THREAD HOSIERY
PURE SILK HOSIERY.
MISSES' SILK HOSIERY.

☞ *We are determined to sell cheap.*

RINGGOLD'S HOSIERY BAZAR, 18 North Charles street.

RINGGOLD'S BAZAR, 18 North Charles St.,

NEAR FAYETTE.

MISSES' MERINO SHIRTS 37½ cts.
BOYS' MERINO SHIRTS 50 cents.

Large stock of Ladies thin UNDERWEAR from auction, cheap.

Don't fail to see our FANCY HOSE, the largest assortment in the city.

Cartwright & Warner's UNDERGARMENTS, all qualities, and cheap.

Baltimore, May 6, 1871.

R. B. Russell

HIGH STREET,

NEAR THE VOSHELL HOUSE,

Has in store a full supply of very superior

Cigars, Confectionery, and Tobacco

for the season, which can be bought as cheap or as any where in the Town.

CHEWING TOBACCO,

of all grades, both Sweet and Natural; also Fine Cut.

Smoking Tobacco,

SNUFF AND PIPES,

A good assortment.

Candies and Fruits.

GENERAL PROUDUCE.

FRESH BREAD every afternoon.

☞ Lovers of the weed are invited to call. Everybody is invited to call and buy something. Dec, 9, 1871.

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY AT Private Sale.

The subscriber will sell at private sale his

Valuable Grist Mill

at Centreville, Queen Anne's County, Md.

This property is one of the most valuable of the kind on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, being a first-class stand for business, of which it has a large patronage, and being now in good order and condition. It is situated near the terminus of the Queen Anne's and Kent Railroad at Centreville, and within one mile of a Public Landing on Chester River.

There is attached to the property a few acres of fine Meadow land and Garden ground.

A DWELLING HOUSE is attached to and is part of the Mill house, and is of sufficient size for any ordinary family.

To a man of enterprise the property offers a first-rate business. The terms will be made easy and accommodating.

For information inquire of Wm. P. Sewall, on the premises; S. W. DeCoursey, Beverly, New Jersey; J. K. Hines, Chestertown; Lloyd Tilghman, Centreville, or the subscriber.

T. DeC. RUTH,

July 22—tf. Chestertown, Md.

"RISING SUN" SALOON,

ON BRIDGE ST. NEAR CROSS, CHESTERTOWN

IS fitted up for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen with all the delicacies usually found in the the Saloons of the city

In the Ladies' Saloon, Ladies will be served with Cake, Ice Crem, Oysters in all styles of cooking, Terrapins, Crabs, Beef-Steaks, Fried Ham, all the delicacies of the season, at the short notice.

In the Gentlemens Saloons, Gentlemen will in addition be served with choice cigars.

☞ Parties will be supplied with everything needful for refreshment tables—and Ice.

☞ Families supplied with Oysters, Ice Cream, Water Ices, Custard &c., by the gallon upon reasonable terms.

ICE

in large or small quantities for sale, and delivered every morning to regular customers in Chestertown.

The long experience of the subscriber as a caterer, justifies him in asking a liberal patronage from the public.

WILLIAM PERKINS.

15-'68. Proprietor

NOTICE.

The Notes given at the Vendue of the late L. L. Rollison's personal property are over due, and if not paid by Tuesday, the 9th day of January, inst., they will be put in a legal train of collection.

J. RAYMOND LUSBY, Adm'r.

Jan. 6-3t.

1 LARGE CATHOLIC FAMILY BIBLE, 1 ST. VINCENT MANUAL, and 1 HISTORY OF CATHOLIC CHURCH, for benefit of the Catholic Church of Chestertown.

C. F. STAM & BRO.

November 11, 1871.

ATTENTION is called to our line of GLOVES. Cloth Gloves, all grades; Driving Gloves—Buck Skin Gloves, heavy and lined; White and Colored Cotton Goloves; Dog Skin Gloves, Guantletts, Calf Skin Gloves, lined and fur; Kid Gloves, of all colors; Dressed Buck Skin Gloves.

Oct. 14, 1871. S. MERRITT & CO.

HARDWARE, &c.

Nails a *specialty.*

Nov. 18, '71. J. E. WEER.

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For 1872.

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W. H. RINGGOLD'S,

95 N. Charles Street,

AND BUY ALL YOUR

UNDER SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, HOSIERY AND GLOVES, NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS.

He can sell them

Cheaper than any one!

And you can

Pay your expenses in your purchases!

☞ DON'T FAIL TO GO: HE HAS THE VERY ARTICLE YOU WANT.

Do not forget the Number!

W. H. RINGGOLD,

95 N. Charles st., 3 doors South of Mulberry.

Baltimore, Sept. 24, 1870.

JAMES H. SMITH,

AT THE OLD STAND opposite the Court House, closes up the year with a

STOCK OF NEW GOODS,

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

Among his stock will be found a full assortment of

RAISINS, CURRANTS, PRUNES, FIGS, CITRON, ORANGES, LEMONS,

And Pure SPICES.

A general assortment of

French and Plain Candies and CONFECTIONERY,

COCOA, CHOCOLATE AND FLAVORING EXTRACTS,

CANNED FRUITS AND PICKLES, WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, CHOW-CHOW,

CRACKERS, ALL VARIETIES; CAKES, NUTS, ALL KINDS; TOYS, COMBS, BRUSHES FANCY ARTICLES, LAMP FIXINGS.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

Chestertown, Dec. 2, 1871.

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE Tax Payers of the Third Election District of Kent County are hereby notified that the taxes for 1871 are in the hands of the Collector, and prompt payment is hereby demanded

All persons indebted for taxes for 1870 are seriously urged to make immediate payment, or the Collector will resort to the summary process of the law.

WILLIAM V. LUCAS,
Collector of Tax for Third District.

July 15, 1871—tf.

For Rent.

A desirable Dwelling on Queen street in Chestertown, with a large Garden in front. The building is a two story Brick, and was recently occupied by B. B. Perkins. Rent $200 per annum.

The premises are also for sale.

Apply to E. F. PERKINS,
Dec. 9, 1871. Chestertown, Md.

WOOL WANTED.—People's Popular Store, will pay cash for Wool, or xchange for merchandise, and have no objection to receive it on account. We are selling the cheapest Dry Goods in this market.

Respectfully, WM. A. VICKERS.

ATTENTION.

THURSTON'S PEARL TOOTH POWDER

Whitens the teeth, strengthens the gums, purifies the breath, and is the most perfect Tooth Powder made. For sale at

Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

ATTENTION

Just opened a large and splendid assortment of

FASHIONABLE JEWELRY

WARRANTED AS REPRESENTED; AT

E. T. WILLIS'.

Fine Gold and Silver Watches,

SILVER AND PLATED WARE,

Fancy Goods

&c., &c., purchased on the best terms fo cash, and will be sold on the most reasonable terms.

The Ladies particularly are invited to call and examine this beautiful stock.

Chestertown, Dec. 5, 1869.

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100,000 Strawberry, of the Leading Varieties.

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