The Chestertown Transcript

Only ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

To Advertisers and Correspondents.

Advertisements and Communications should be received at this office by Wednesday's mail. The *Transcript* is issued on Friday but printed on Thursday, and we go to press before Thursday's mail arrives. Any thing received by Thursday's mail, must, consequently, lie over until the next issue.

LOCAL NEWS.

Orphans' Court.

Present Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of Wm. B. Turbit, were granted unto Mary E. Turbit, who filed her bond with Jas. A. Edwards and Thomas R. Quimby as sureties in the penalty of six hundred dollars. The usual notice to creditors was ordered.

Wm. N. E. Wickes was appointed administrator of Wm. Janvier.

Hester A. Melvin, executrix of John F. Melvin, returned an inventory of the personal estate of said deceased.

The indentures of Sally W. Simpson to Samuel Lee, were filed and ordered to be recorded.

Robt. J. Lusby, executor of John Lusby, returned his third and final administration account and second and final dividend.

C. H. Baker and T. W. Eliason, executors of Temperance Bradshaw, returned their second administration account.

Elizabeth Covey, Guardian to Laura V. and Mary P. Covey, returned her separate guardian accounts for the years 1874 and 1875.

B. F. H. Caulk, executor of R. A. Frazier, was authorized to have insured the buildings on the estate of said deceased. He was also authorized to sell the wool belonging to the said estate.

On application, ordered, that the indentures of George Washington, John Wesley and Daniel Epraim, to Geo. Gale, be cancelled.

Circuit Court.

At an adjourned session of the April Term, commencing on Monday last, Judge Wickes presiding, the case of the State vs. Thomas Houston (colored), for the murder of his wife, Louisa Houston, was taken up. H. W. Vickers, State's attorney, assisted by the Hon. George Vickers, appeared for the State: Richard Hynson and C. H. Baker, Esqs., for the prisoner. The following jury was sworn:—G. W. Jacoby, foreman; Thomas Gale of John, Wm. A. Kennedy, Samuel Todd, Edw. S. Morris, John A. Rollison, Sam'l. A. Merritt, Tilghman Shafer, John R. Morris, Samuel Cooper, Wm. A. Miller and Geo. W. Davis.

The case occupied Monday and Tuesday, and elicited considerable interest, owing to the enormity of the offence. The defence was unsound mind, the killing being admitted. At the close of the testimony the State abandoned the count for murder in the first degree or assented to a verdict of murder in the second degree. The jury retired and in a short time returned a verdict of murder in the second degree. The following day he was sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary for eighteen years from date.

William Simmons, convicted of larceny, was sentenced to the house of refuge for four years.

Motion by R. Hynson to dismiss case of R. Hynson vs. Hattie D. Welch and others, chancery, and to withdraw exhibits, &c., not granted.

State vs. Augustus Reed—Indictment for larceny of clothing of Mary Frisby. Tried before the Court—found guilty, and sentenced to the penitentiary for eighteen months.

The New M. E. Church

Will be dedicated on next Sunday morning by the Rev. Bishop Levi Scott, assisted by eminent men of the clergy—and for the benefit of those who will not be able to be present we make the following notes:

The building is a strong two-story structure, in what may be called the Norman style of architecture, of hard red brick with granite trimmings, the front of pressed brick, sixty-three by forty-four feet, with a tower or steeple one hundred and twenty feet and surmounted by a handsome gilt cross, seven feet.

The basement is divided into vestibule, hall, stairways, lecture-room and two class-rooms.

The entrance is by a handsome walnut double door, six feet, panneled, and half-circle transom. The vestibule is 11 by 11, with two small windows of 4 lights, 12 by 20 glass. The lecture room is 41 by 35 feet and the class rooms 18 by 17 and 17 by 12½, and a library. Ceiling of vestibule 20 feet and the remainder of basement 11 feet. The lecture room is seated with pews of poplar and walnut caps, stained and varnished, and will seat 220 comfortably, the class rooms will seat 48 and 28, and open into the lecture room so as to give an actual lecture room if necessary with a seating capacity of 302. The lecture and class rooms are finished with white-coating, the hall, vestibule and stairways in oil, and ceilings frescoed. The lower floor and stairways are covered with fine cocoa matting. You ascend to the auditorium by an easy flight of steps five feet wide right and left, with continuous walnut rail, supported on brackets. The lecture-room has a raised platform, a communion-rail of walnut, and reading-desk, and is lighted with 8 lamps, hall-lamp. In this room are two No. 8 [illegible] heaters, which heat the whole building.

In the vestibule is placed the slab in memory of the Rev. Thomas Smith.

The auditorium is 60 by 41 feet and ceiling 21, frescoed, and lighted by four windows on the sides 3 by 12, eighteen lights 12 by 24, and half-circle headings, with enameled colored glass, recess pulpit, and a seating capacity of 380 comfortably. The pews are of poplar, with walnut cap on the back and the ends of walnut, stained and varnished. The arrangements for lighting are by six lamps, and two pulpit lamps with two burners each. The pulpit is white and communion-rail walnut, the pulpit and chancel being furnished with sofa and arm chairs, in oil walnut and crimson rep. The entire auditorium is covered with carpeting, scarlet and brown. A very pretty feature of the room is the opening of the tower into the auditorium giving so much additional length and seating to the room. The finish at the head of the stairways is also utilized for seating-room, and adds to the novelty and beauty of the room.

The bell in the tower weighs 521 lbs., and will ring out its first Sunday summons on next Sabbath. Mr. Montgomery Stuart was the builder and contractor. The brick work was done by B. H. Gardner, the painting by Charles H. Davis & Bro., and the frescoing by Emmart & Quartly of Baltimore.

T. W. Eliason, of the building committee, gave much personal superintendence to the work and is largely the designer of the plan of the building.

In the rear of the church grounds is shedding for the accommodation of horses and carriages from the country.

The building is on a slight eminence and is surrounded by a neat fence. It is reached by a flight of granite steps and iron hand-rail. The edifice is a handsome improvement to our town.

The old building which it supplants was built, we learn, in 1802.

Town Election.

Monday next is the day appointed by the law for the election of Commissioners of Chestertown. The *News* intimates that the contest *may be* for and against lamps on the streets; but we can scarcely imagine that any of our citizens can be opposed to street lamps if the finances of the town will justify it. If voters will give the proper attention to this matter they can secure such a board of Commissioners as will give satisfaction; if they will not, decency will compell them to keep quiet afterwards.

Declined.

Mr. Jos. P. Ireland, who was appointed by the Court as a Commissioner of Public Schools in the place of Mr. William Janvier, has declined to accept the appointment. The announcement of his qualification was premature, though obtained from a clerk in the office.

President of the Board.

Sewell Hepbron, Esq., was, on Tuesday last, elected President of the Board of School Commissioners of Kent county, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of William Janvier, Esq. Mr. Hepbron's experience, great interest in school matters, and undoubted capacity, well fit him for the position.

School Trustees.

The School Board last Tuesday appointed Trustees for the various Public Schools in Kent county.

Chester River Steamers.

We direct the attention of our readers to the new arrangement of the Chester river steamers. Excursion trips twice a week.

Something New.

Mrs. Ellen Melvin has opened in Chestertown, a *Ladies'* store, especially for the accommodation of ladies in many articles which they would not desire to purchase from any other than a lady. Read her advertisement in to-day's issue.

Clothing.

We call attention to the advertisement of Rogers, Peet & Co., 184 W. Baltimore street, Baltimore. Their goods are offered at one price—and excursionists by the Chester river boats will have full time to visit this genuine New York Clothing House. They offer to refund on all purchases not satisfactory.

Fourth Dist. Teachers' Association.

The Fourth District Association met on Saturday last, E. F. Perkins being appointed Secretary *pro tem.*

The committee on questions reported for discussion at the next meeting "Map Drawing." Adopted.

Mr. Copper, the Essayist, having mislaid his manuscript the reading was omitted.

Miss Younger, of School District No. 1, became a member.

The regular question, "Should young children be taught the technical rules of Grammar?" was discussed; the opinion prevailing that they should not be so instructed.

Mr. J. A. Greenwood was appointed to prepare the next Essay.

Mr. Perkins and Misses Spencer and Downes were appointed a committee on questions.

Six members were present.

☞A Paris woman has perfected a new method of picking pockets. She enters the omnibus with a very pretty and beautifully dressed baby, seats herself close to the likeliest passengers, and works under cover of baby's ample drapery. After succeeding she pinches the baby, so that it cries fearfully, and leaves the omnibus suddenly to buy candy for it.

☞Old bells can be made as good as new ones. Old ladies can't.

To the People of Chestertown AND VICINITY.

Rogers, Peet & Co.

Are now Offering an unequaled Line of

SPRING CLOTHING,

For Men and Boys' Wear.

WE HAVE SPARED NO PAINS IN THE MANUFACTURE OF OUR PRESENT STOCK AND ARE THEREBY ENABLED TO OFFER A LARGER AND FINER ASSORTMENT OF

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

THAN WAS EVER ON SALE IN BALTIMORE.

ALL GOODS THOROUGHLY SHRUNK BEFORE MAKING.

☞Our *BOYS'* and *CHILDRENS' DEPARTMENT* occupies one entire floor, and is not excelled in this country. Suits from 2 years old and upwards.

Goods Exchanged or Money Refunded on all Purchases not Satisfactory.

ONE PRICE TO ALL.

ROGERS, PEET & CO.,

ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS,

Proprietors of the only genuine New York Clothing House in Baltimore,

184 W. Baltimore St.

Opposite Light Street, Baltimore, Md.

BRANCH OF

487 BROADWAY, NEW YORK. [Apr 28—3m

1876. May 5, 1876

S. MERRITT & CO.

Will open at their Old Stand

BORDLEY'S CORNER

CHESTERTOWN,

TO-DAY,

A Large and Handsome Stock

OF

SPRING and SUMMER CLOTHING

FOR MEN, YOUTHS and BOYS,

Also, a First Class Line of

Gents. Furnishing Goods

Together with their usual Large and varied Stock of

Fashionable Hats.

☞We would respectfully ask an examination of our Goods, for we feel confident we can please, both in STYLES and PRICES, having determined to sell for the Cash and at very small profits.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR

ORDERED WORK Department,

We have a SPLENDID LINE of SUITINGS, and English and French Worsteds, for Coats and Vests.

☞*FITS GUARANTEED.*☜

S. MERRITT & CO.,

BORDLEY'S CORNER,

May 5, 1876. *Chestertown*

SHIRTS.—White Shirts, of the best material and best style, cut to fit Also, Percal, Chivott, Calico, and Hickory shirts—*very cheap*—at

S. MERRITT & CO'S,

Oct 15 *Bordley's Corner, Chestertown*

A New Fertilizer!

WE CALL THE ATTENTION OF FARMERS TO

Our Superior article of Fertilizer,

which we offer at LOW figures and on easy terms. A sample of the same may be seen at our office, next door to Kent National Bank.

HINES & CO.

April 7, 1876—tf

Gentlemen, Ladies, and Children,

AND ALL THE REST OF MANKIND!

If you want a good Pocket Knife, Razor or pair of Scissors, call and purchase at

J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

November 19, 1875

House Painting and Glazing.

THE subscriber, having had considerable experience in the business, is prepared to do all kinds of House Painting and Glazing at short notice, and guarantees to give satisfaction. He will go to any part of the county. Address or call on him at Chestertown.

March 19—tf. WM. S. STAM

Seed! Seed! Seed!

WE have just received a full assortment of *GARDEN and FIELD SEEDS*, which we offer as cheap as can be bought in the county. Call and examine

ALSO, FARMERS' HARDWARE,

consisting of Plows, Plow Castings, Plow Gears, Forks, Rakes, Spades, and *Agricultural Implements* generally.

HINES & CO.,

Mch 31—tf *Next door to Bank.*

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

JACOB SHALLCROSS,

late of Philadelphia, 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 18th day of November 1876; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 18th day of April, 1876.

SERECK F. SHALLCROSS,

April 21, 1876 *Executor.*

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $1 free.

Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

March 10, 1876

AXES,

AXES. AXES.

ONLY $1.25, and *Guarantee* for 30 days, by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Dec, 10, 1875.

LIST OF GRANGES OF P. H In Kent County, Md., FOR 1876.

Enterprise, No. 2, Kennedyville. James W. Hurtt, W. Master; John R. Gill, W. Secretary. Meeting, Thursday, weekly.

Fairlee, No. 8, Rees' Corner. Thos. A. Hulme, W. M. Howard Meeks, W. S. Meeting every Saturday, 2½ o'clock.

Eureka, No. 11, Still Pond. Master, J. W. Howard; Secretary, W. S. Maxwell. Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Hope, No. 13, Hanesville. Frederick Worrell, W. M.; Robert G. Nicholson, W. S. Meeting every Thursday P. M.

Wheatland, No. 147, Sassafras. Arthur Johns, W. M.; David Stewart, W. S. Meeting every (day unknown) P. M.

Millington—Not reported.

Kent County Grange, No. 6, composed of Delegates from Subordinate Granges, meets by adjournment from time to time, hereafter probably at Fair Grounds, Worton Station. John W. Corey, W. M.; T. J. Shallcross, W. Sec.

☞Granges not reported above will please report to the *Transcript.*

☞The District Teachers' Associations meet as follows:

1st—Third Saturday in the month.
2d—First " " "
3d—Fourth " " "
4th—Second " " "
5th—Third " " "

SPECIAL NOTICE

IN consequence of the death of the senior member, the firm of JOHN T DODD & SON is dissolved. All persons indebted are earnestly requested to call and make *IMMEDIAT SETTLEMENT*, as it would be exceedingly unpleasant for me to sue any one. We have a large amount of money to raise and the business must be settled.

☞Thanking all persons for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, I hope by the strictest attention to business to retain the same.

JOHN N. DODD,

Successor to John T. Dodd & Son.

Chestertown, Nov. 21, 1874—tf.

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JOHN F. MELVIN,

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 2d day of December, 1876; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of May, 1876.

HESTER A. MELVIN,

May 5, 1876 *Executrix.*

A CARD.

To Centennial Visitors.

MRS. B. B. PERKINS,
1020 VINE STREET,

Will accommodate transient boarders. The street cars pass the door every five minutes direct to the main entrance of the Exposition: and two depots, from which steam cars will be run to and from the grounds every 10 or 15 minutes, are but a few squares from 1020 Vine st.

Terms for Supper, Lodging and Breakfast will be two dollars—and no fee to be paid to agents. [April 28—3m

HINES & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Agricultural Implements and LISTER'S PHOSPHATE,

HAVE on exhibition at their Warehouse, (*next door to the Kent National Bank,*) samples of the

IMPROVED

BUCKEYE REAPER,

WITH

The Miller Rake and Dropper,

and to the Farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties, for the Harvest of 1876, they are offering a considerable inducement, both in regard to *PRICE AND TIME.* Indeed, their Improved Reapers are something for Farmers worth looking at before purchasing any other kind. They have also the

Crawford Improved Mower.

They sell Steam Engines & Threshers

and furnish Extras for the same. They are offering very low one of the *Cheapest Hay Rakes* that has ever been offered to the Farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

They also sell the

JONES PEACH ASSORTER,

and have one constantly on Exhibition, showing the manner in which Peaches are culled for market, and thereby securing the Farmer a better price for his fruit, to all of which we would respectfully call the attention of Farmers and request them to call and see us before purchasing elsewhere.

HINES & CO.,

Next door to Kent National Bank.

April 28, 1876—y

COMMISSIONS RECEIVED.

NOTICE

To Newly appointed Officers.

THE Commissions for Justices of the Peace and other Local Officers recently appointed for Kent county, whose term of office will commence on the First day of May, prox., were received at the Clerk's Office in Chestertown, on April 22d, 1876. They are hereby notified to qualify within 30 days from the said day, otherwise their places will be vacated.

D. C. BLACKISTON,

Clerk Circuit Court for Kent County.

April 28, 1876

SWEET POTATOES FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has [illegible] very fine sweet potatoes for [illegible]

April 7 1876

Hardware! Hardware!

MY stock is very large and selling MUCH LOWER than we have since we commenced the Hardware business.

Nov 19 J. K. ALDRIDGE.

QUICKS.

30,000 OSAGE ORANGE QUICKS for sale by

EDW. WILKINS,

March 17—tf *Riverside.*

Roan Chief



Will be at the stable of James Russell in Chestertown, during the season,

EDW. WILKINS, *Riverside.*

March 10, 1876—2m

$12 A DAY at home. Agents wanted Outfit and terms free.

TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine.

March 10, 1876

A SPLENDID assortment of Table and Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Builders, Hardware, Tools, Horse Brushes &c' for sale by

Oct. 10 J K. ALDRIDGE

COAL HODS, Shovels, Pokers, Coal Seives, Elbows, Pipe; Zinc and Mica on hand and for sale at reduced prices

Nov 19 J. K. ALDRIDGE.

NECK WEAR.—Neck Ties, Windsor Scarfs, Bows, of all colors,—and Collars, both in Linen and Paper of the best styles and quality—at

S. MERRITT & CO'S.,

Oct15 *Bordley's Corner, Chestertown*

SEND 25c. to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New York, for pamphlet of 100 pages, containing lists of 3000 newspapers, and estimates showing cost of advertising.

March 10, 1876

CLIMAX SHIRT,

MADE of *Wamsutta Muslin* and 2100 Linen—only $1.00.

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.



SHOES! SHOES!! SHOES!!! A large stock, and at the LOWEST PRICES.

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

NURSERY STOCK.

Apple, Pear, Peach and Cherry Trees and Small Fruit Plants by the 100, 1,000 *or* 10,000.

I have for Spring planting, the most extensive and choicest assortment of Fruit Trees and Plants I have ever before offered to planters.

APPLE TREES.

The growers of this valuable and profitable fruit in Md. generally have been sadly disappointed, in getting trees from the North, as winter varieties there, when planted here, mature their fruit too early in the fall to keep through the winter with us. For this reason, and to secure reliable winter keeping apples, I grew my Apple Nursery on my farm in Va., three hundred miles South of here. I have a choice selection which cannot fail to give satisfaction. I have largely of a variety called Smith's Horse, (not the old Horse apple). The fruit can be picked nearly as early as the Early Harvest, and being double its size, sells readily at from $5 to $7 per bbl.

PEACH TREES.

Almost all my Peach Trees were budded from bearing trees, grown on my own and two adjoining farms, the buds being taken from the trees while the fruit was on them; leaving no doubt in my mind, that my stock is true to name.

I have not a long list of varieties; have budded chiefly, of late, most approved canning sorts, including three (3) very valuable new varieties for canning, very popular in Delaware, ripening with and after Smock.

I also have a large stock of Early Beatrice. I fruited this variety last summer. Several of my friends in Kent saw the fruit, and can testify that it was fully 10 days earlier than Hale's; a high-colored, showy, firm peach. I think it well worthy extensive cultivation.

PEAR TREES.

I have secured a large stock of Standard and Dwarf Pear Trees, from a reliable source in New York; and can furnish, in quantities, of the most approved varieties. No better Pear Trees can be grown anywhere than in New York.

CHERRY TREES.

I have but few varieties of this fruit, and the planter wants but few for profit.

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS.

I have a large supply on hand. I recommend but few varieties. My extensive experience as a fruit-grower, enables me to judge of the merits of the many kinds in the market. I have rejected two thirds of them, as not worthy of cultivation.

☞Catalogues mailed on application.

N. BARNARD,

Still Pond P. O.,

Jan. 7—4m *Kent county, Md.*

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

MARTHA MEEKS,

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 11th day of November 1876; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 11th day of March, 1876.

HOWARD MEEKS,

April 14, 1876 *Administrator.*

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S. CLARK VANHORN,

late of Kent county, deceased.

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CHARLES H. BAKER,

April 7, 1876 *Administrator.*

Scribner's Monthly for 1876.

The publishers invite attention to the following list of some of the attractive articles secured for Scribner's Monthly for the coming year. In the field of fiction, besides numerous novelettes and shorter stories, there will be

TWO REMARKABLY SERIAL STORIES

BY AMERICAN AUTHORS.

The first of these, now complete in our hands,

"*GABRIEL CONROY,*"

BY BRET. HARTE.

Begins in the November number, and will run for 12 months. This is Mr. Harte's first extended work. The scenes and characters, which the author has chosen from his favorite field, California, are painted with characteristic vividness and power: and the week is without doubt the most graphic record of early California life that has yet appeared.

We shall begin in the January number

"*PHILIP NOLAND'S FRIENDS, Or, Show Your Passports.*"

BY EDWARD EVERETT HALE.

The scene of this story is laid in the Southwestern territory, now forming the States of Louisiana and Texas, at the time of Aaron Burr's treason. The characters lived in a section which was now American, now French, and now Spanish, and this record of their adventurous lives makes a story of intense and unflagging interest throughout.

Col. Waring is now in Europe, visiting in a row-boat ride of 250 miles, one of the most fertile and interesting of the vine-growing valleys of Europe. This second series of papers promises to be even more interesting than that with which our readers are already familiar.

CENTENNIAL LETTERS,

Edited by John Vance Cheney.

A rare collection of Revolutionary Letters, mainly from stores in the hands of descendants of Col. Joseph Ward. They are full of interest, and will be read with a rare relish in connection with the Centennial celebration of the year.

Brilliantly Illustrated Articles on

AMERICAN COLLEGES,

Written respectively by their friends, will appear during the year. The revived interest in college life makes these papers especially timely, and will secure for them unusual attention.

OLD NEW YORK.

Elegantly illustrated articles on Old New York, by John F. Mines, will appear at once, and will attract the attention of all, in city or country, who mark with interest the development of the great metropolis, and affectionately remember the quaint peculiarities of its olden time.

Every number is profusely illustrated, thus enabling us to give to our descriptive and narrative articles, an interest and permanent value never attained in a non illustrated periodical. Under its accustomed management the magazine will in the future be devoted, as it has been in the past, to sound literature and Christian progress.

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ROBERT K. PIPPIN,

April 7, 1876 *Administrator*

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND

ESTATE of Wm. C. Pennington, dec'd.

On application ordered, That R. C. Johnson, Administrator of Wm. C. Pennington dec, give notice by advertisement that a Dividend on the Personal Estate of said deceased will be made in this Court on TUESDAY, the 11th day of April, 1876.

Test: WILLIAM STEVENS,

Register of Wills.

Notice.—All creditors of W. C. Pennington are hereby notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticaed, with the Register of Wills, *on or before Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1876,* or they will otherwise be excluded from the dividend in the Personal Estate.

RICHARD C. JOHNSON,

March 17, 1876—4t. *Administrator.*

New Establishment.

THE subscriber has just opened (at the Voshell House Building) a *NEW AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT,* to be known as the

Kent County Agricultural Store

where he will keep constantly on hand the celebrated CHAMPION Reaper and Mower, with all Extras and Repairs for the same.

Always on hand, the Smyrna Concave and Wiley, or any other Plow manufactured by Taylor & Co., of Smrna, Del. A full selection of Castings for the above named Plows always on hand.

Also, on exhibition and for sale, *the Light Running*

NEW AMERICAN

SEWING MACHINE,

which is in advance of all competitors, in valuable improvements and points of excellence, which have never been attained by other machines. They have stood the test of the severest criticism as well as the most malignant abuse from rival agents, who have done their utmost to prevent the introduction of a machine so superior in all its parts, and which possesses such valuable and important improvements.

Oil and Needles always on hand.

Machines cleaned and Repaired at short notice and reasonable charge.

ALL KINDS OF FARMING IMPLEMENTS

will be added to my stock, when the different seasons wherein they are to be used draw near.

Please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

JOHN BELL,

Chestertown, March 10, 1875—y

CIDER VINEGAR

WARRANTED GENUINE

In store and for sale by

Aug. 27, 1875.

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