The Chestertown Transcript

Only ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

LOCAL NEWS.

My School,

An essay, by Miss Mary C. Hurlock, read before the Teachers' Association of Kent county at its session on the 6th inst., will be found on our first page to-day.

Appointment.

J. K. Hines, Esq., of our town, has been appointed Insurance Commissioner, says the *Sun* of last Saturday. Mr. Hines's good luck has not deserted him yet.

The Chesapeake Chesapike

Pays the "TRANSCRIPT" the following handsome compliment:

The eclectic department of a country newspaper is next in importance to its local page, and after careful observation we think the *Chestertown Transcript* excels any paper in the state in the quality and variety of its selected matter.

Uncle Samson

Has "Another Talk with the Boys and Girls" this week. We hope they will not fail to give it a careful perusal. The writer is a great lover of children, and a large portion of his life has been employed in laboring for their best interests. The article will be found on our first page.

The Revival.

We are pleased still to continue to chronicle the progress of the greatest religious revival, probably, ever known in the Methodist Churches of this town. It commenced some four weeks ago, and from that time to the present has been attended with extraordinary manifestations of religious fervor, resulting not only in the awakening and conversion of sinners but in the revival of the membership of the churches. At the M. E. Church there had been, up to Wednesday night, 98 conversions; at the M. P. Church, to same date, the number of conversions exceeded 100 hundred, 90 of whom had joined the Church. The meetings will continue, it is likely, for some time yet.

The American Farmer.

The February number of this time-honored but vigorous farm journal has reached us, full as usual of matter suited to the season and to the needs of our farmers, all of whom would find that a year's subscription to this practical periodical would be money well spent. Not only the staple crops, artificial and home made fertilizers, but fruit and vegetable growing, improved stock, dairying, poultry, &c., all have due attention, and a number of useful engravings are given, not to fill up space, but to illustrate the sense of the articles. To clubs of five or more the price is only $1 each a year. Single rate $1.50. The publishers are Sam'l Sands & Son, Baltimore.

New Steamer for Chester River.

Col. B. S. Ford, President of the Chester River Steamboat Company, informs us (says the Centreville Record) that the Company has engaged the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company, of Wilmington, Del., to build a new side-wheel steamer to run between Baltimore and landings on Chester river. The new boat is to be 165 feet in length, 29 feet breadth of beam, 45 feet breadth over the guards and 9 feet hold. It will have a day saloon on the upper deck, with a ladies' saloon on the lower deck, and room for freight. The engine will be 9 feet stroke, with 38 inch cylinder. The new boat will be ready and on the route by the first of August, 1877.

Conferences.

The Wilmington Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its next session in Milford, Del., commencing Wednesday, March the 7th. Bishop Ames will preside. The Church in which the Conference will meet has been recently finished, and will be dedicated on the first Sunday in March by Rev. R. L. Dashiel, D. D.

There is a whisper that the Conference may be invited to hold its next session in Chestertown.

The Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, will convene at Westminster, Md., on Wednesday, March 14. Messrs. S. Frank. Smith and James W. Lambert have been elected delegate and alternate to represent Kent Circuit.

Orphans' Court.

Present Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

Letters of Administration on the personal estate of James H. Hurtt were granted unto Emily A. Hurtt, who filed her bond, with George W. Spencer and J. H. Hurtt, as sureties in the penalty of five hundred dollars. James B. Jones and B. F. Moffett were appointed to appraise the said estate, and the usual notice to creditors was ordered.

Letters of Administration on the personal estate of Mary Tribbet, were granted unto C. T. Westcott, who filed his bond with R. Hynson and N. G. Westcott as sureties, in the penalty of one thousand dollars. T. Waters Russell and John W. Collins were appointed to appraise the said estate.

James H. Plummer was appointed guardian to Kate Plummer.

William T. Stanley, admr. of Andrew Price, returned an inventory of the personal estate of said deceased.

Wm. N. B. Wickes, admr. of William Janvier, returned a list of sales of the personal estate of said deceased.

Richard Sr Willson, admr. of Daniel C. Willson, returned an additional list of sales of personal estate of said deceased. [illegible]

Sale of the Kent County Railroad.

On Thursday last the Kent County Railroad was offered at Public Sale, by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, to enforce the first lien and mortgage. The main stem is about 20 miles in length. It was offered at 11 A. M., and afterwards postponed till afternoon. It was not sold when we went to press.

Delays are Dangerous.—If this axiom is true respecting the ordinary affairs of life, still more obviously so as regards the exigencies of approaching disease. Unquestionably! Yet how many neglect to practically recognize this plain truth when health is in the balance. Of the many premonitory symptoms of disease a hacking cough is the most prophetic of peril. Arrest it at the outset with Dr. WISHART'S PINE TREE TAR CORDIAL, and so avoid Consumption. Bronchitis, Inflammation of the Lungs, Coughs, Colds, and, indeed, all Affections of the Respiratory Organs are entirely cured by this sovereign remedy, which also eradicates Dyspepsia, Gravel, Piles, Nervous Debility, Torpidity of the Liver, Urinary Difficulties, Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Scrofulous Affections, and the infirmities peculiar to the gentler sex. This Cordial derives its virtues from the vegetable kingdom, and is infinitely to be preferred, both on account of its superior efficacy and freedom from nauseous and injurious properties to the officinal drugs so often administered with no other effect than to offend the palate and disorder the stomach. The PINE TREE TAR CORDIAL can always be relied on to do what is claimed for it. Sold by all druggists. Principal Depot No. 916 Filbert st., Philadelphia.

A PRETTY INCIDENT OF A GOLDEN WEDDING.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Goodkind, aged 78 and 75, was celebrated by themselves and sixty of their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, at 367 West Thirty-sixth street yesterday. As the aged couple sat surrounded by the elders of the assembled party, the little ones, to the number of thirty, marched into the room two and two, the larger first, then the smaller, until the rear was brought up by toddlers of two years. Each child carried a bouquet of flowers, which decreased, in size, as did the bearers, until the last two bore each a single blue violet. Filing past their grandparents, each child presented the flowers to them, the boys to the grandmother and the girls to their grand papa, and in making the presentation each recited one verse of a poem descriptive of the occasion.—*N. Y. Sun.*

A YOUTHFUL BRIDE.

The Alton (Ill.) Telegraph describes the following novel incident; "The office of the county clerk was invaded on Saturday by a wedding party in search of a marriage license. The affable clerk proceeded to fill out the necessary document, and inquired the ages of the caddidates for matrimony. The groom's was given as 34, while that of the bride was stated to be only 14. This statement caused a stay of proceedings, and the clerk informed the parties that it was against the law to issue a license to a woman under 18, without the consent of her parents.—Thereupon the father of the bride, who was one of the party, stepped forward and said the bride had his full and free consent; that she had already been married once, and had buried her first husband.'

THE NEW HOME



Sewing Machine

WAS AWARDED THE

FIRST PREMIUM!

At the Centennial Exhibition, 1876, and has always carried off the highest honors wherever exhibited.

A COMPACT, SIMPLE, DURABLE, LIGHT RUNNING and EFFICIENT "LOCK STITCH" MACHINE. ADAPTED to the WANTS of EVERYBODY. [illegible]

Warranted for Five Years.

LIVE AGENTS wanted in localities where we are not represented.

Send for prices, and samples of work done on the machine, or call at any of our offices.

Johnson, Clark & Co.,

30 Union Square, New York. [illegible]

Jan. 26, 1877.—6m.

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For Men and Boys'

FINE CLOTHING,

AT LOWEST PRICES.

OUR IMMENSE AND CONSTANTLY INCREASING TRADE HAS COMPELED US TO MANUFACTURE THE LARGEST AND FINEST LINE OF

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING

EVER OFFERED IN BALTIMORE.

OUR REPUTATION HAS BEEN FULLY SUSTAINED IN THE SELECTIONS AND MANUFACTURE OF THESE GOODS, WHICH ARE NOT EQUALED OUTSIDE OF NEW YORK CITY

OUR BOYS' DEPARTMENT

IS SECOND TO NONE IN THIS COUNTRY, AND ALWAYS CONTAINS THE LEADING NOVELTIES IN STYLES AND FABRICS.

Goods Exchagned or Money Refunded on all Purchases not Satisfactory.

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487 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Sep. 281875 —3m.

Christmas Goods.



All in want of CHRISTMAS GOODS Can be supplied *AT CITY PRICES, AT* HUDGINS's BAKERY.

WE have just received from the city a large lot of Fresh Goods, such as

RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON, ORANGES, LEMONS, NUTS, CANDIES, DATES, FIGS.

TOYS IN ABUNDANCE.

JELLIES, PICKLES, SYRUPS, CHOW-CHOW, &c., which we intend to sell at such prices that you will wonder "How we do it!"

All who have been waiting for better times to get married, have now no longer an excuse, as we are prepared to make Wedding Cakes for one dollar and upwards; and, if requested, will furnish all bashful young men with a wife, without extra charge.

Try our Cough Candy which is not recommended to make hair grow on the heads of old Widowers or Bachelors, but is a sure remedy for Coughs, Colds, and Hoarseness. Only 5 cents a stick.

Mince Meat 14 cents per pound.

DELICIOUS MINCE PIES, 5 cents—large enough for a very sma'l family.

W. HUDGINS, CROSS STREET BAKERY.

Chestertown, Dec. 15, 1876.

THE PENNOCK CORN SHELLER.

WE have on hand the largest stock of CORN SHELLERS ever offered in Chestertown. Having purchased from the manufacturers, we can offer superiore inducements. We are offering them one dollar less than they can be bought in Baltimore. Call and examine.

Nov. 10, 1876—tf HINES & CO.

Burnett's Flavoring Extracts. Used and recommended by city hotels. For Sale by STAM & BRO.

Trusses, Abdominal Supporters, Shoulder Braces and Suspensary Bandages, for sale by STAM & BRO.

Lessman's Analine Dyes, the most Permanent, Brilliant and Durable, of all the Domestic Dyes. For sale by STAM & BRO.

Twin Bro's Yeast Cakes, and Rumford's Yeast Powder. For sale by STAM & BRO.

Blank books, Check Books and Receipt Books, at STAM & BRO.

FALL GOODS.

NEW GOODS!

Just Received by J. H. SIMPERS & BRO., *CHESTERTOWN, Md.*,

KERSEYS, CASSIMERES, WOOL FLANNELS, CANTON FANNELS,

Muslins! Muslins!!

CALICOES

Long Boots FOR MEN AND BOYS;

Ladies, Misses and Children's SHOES.

HATS! HATS!! OF THE LATEST STYLES.

Ladies' Skirts and Shawls

NOTIONS, In Great Variety.

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK.

Our Prices will Compete with any,

Now is the Time to Buy

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

Sept. 8, 1876

School Books used in Public Schools in Kent county, also, orders taken for all kinds of books and furnished at short notice, at city prices, at STAM & BRO.

Lewis & Bro's Strictly Pure White Lead, Linseed Oil, and strictly pure Colors in any quantity at City Prices. For Sale by STAM & BRO.

Blue Lick, White Sulphur, Bedford, Bethesda, Kissenger, Vichy, St. Catharine's and Friedrichshall's German Bitter Waters. For sale by STAM & BRO.

Perfumery, Toilet Soap, Nail Brushes English Tooth Brushes, Hair Brushes Combs, &c. For Sale at STAM & BRO.

LIME! LIME! LIME

Shells! Shells!! Shells!!!

30,000 bushels of each for sale.

THE undersigned is prepared to furnish LIME and SHELLS to the citizens of Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil counties; and will land the same on the Chester and Sassafras rivers, or any of their creeks where there is a depth of five feet of water, of the best quality and at the lowest prices.

WILLIAM PERKINS, *Rising Sun Saloon.*

Chestertown, Md., Oct. 22, 1875—tf

CLOSING OUT WINTER STOCK!

WE are now closing out *our Entire Stock of Winter Clothing*, AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES, FOR THE CASH!

If you want Bargains call at once, as we are fully determined to close them out.

BUR BEAVER OVERCOATS, worth $28, we are selling for $23, and all other goods in like proportion.

☞ Call early before they are all gone.

S. MERRITT & CO., *Bordley's Corner, Chestertown, Md.*

December 31, 1875

Mrs. ELLEN N. MELVIN,

Chestertown, Kent County, Md., (*At Mrs. N. E. Emory's old stand,*)

Agent for the sale of E. BUTTERICK & CO'S. PATTERNS OF GARMENTS AND THEIR CELEBRATED SHEARS AND SCISSORS, AND DEALER IN Worsteds, Silks, Cotton, Canvas, *Wax Flower MATERIALS.*

Chromos and Picture Frames, Lamp Chimneys, Wicks, Toilet Powder, Hair Dyes, Hair Tonics, &c., &c. Ladies fitted with Shoulder Braces. Abdominal Supporters, &c., &c.

May 19, 1876—tf.

CALL AT THE NEW STORE of S. Merritt & Co. and get your Gloves, Neck Ties and Scarfs, Paper and Linen Collars, and Cuffs; Linen Cambrick Handkerchiefs, &c., where you will find great variety and very cheap.

Nov. 10, 1876.

AT THE NEW STORE of S. Merritt & Co. you will find the best and cheapest line of White Dress Shirts, Cashmere Over Sh'ts, Under Shirts all grades, Draws all kinds, and Cardigan Jackets.

$999 Can't be made by every agent every month in the business we furnish, but those willing to work can easily earn a dozen dollars a day right in their own localities. Have no room to explain here. Business pleasant and honorable. Women, and boys and girls do as well as men. We will furnish you a complete Outfit free. The business pays better than anything else. We will bear expense of starting you. Particulars free. Write and see. Farmers and mechanics, their sons and daughters, and all classes in need of paying work at home, should write to us and learn all about the work at once. Now is the time. Don't delay. Address TRUE & CO.

Oct. 27, 1876. *Augusta, Maine*

A beautiful line of ladies writing paper VERY CHEAP for sale by STAM & BRO.

Strictly Pure Spices of all kinds at STAM & BRO.

Reed's American, and Brown's French Dressing for Ladies' Shoes, for sale by STAM & BRO.

Envelopes and Writing Paper, in large quantities for sale cheap, by STAM & BRO.

RASIN & CO.,

Grain Commission Merchants,

No. 73 South Street,

Opposite Corn and Flour Exc ange,

BALTIMORE, MD.

☞ Personal attention to all busines entrusted.

Pure Cider Vinegar, *GUARANTEED GENUINE*, On hand and for sale by T. S. WICKES.

September 5, 1876.

REMOVAL.

S. MERRITT & CO. *CHESTERTOWN*,

HAVE removed to their NEW STORE, situated between J. B. Burchinal and J. K. Aldridge, on High St., three doors below their old stand.

Nov. 10, 1876.

REMOVAL.

C. H. BAKER has removed his LAW OFFICE to the old M. E. Church building, in Chestertown.

Sept. 8, 1876.—3m.

CLIMAX SHIRT,

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

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO

Wall Paper, many and beautiful styles for sale at manufacturers' price, by STAM & BRO.

Window Glass, all sizes, cut to fit any sash. For Sale by STAM & BRO.

All the leading Patent Medicines New ones constantly being received at STAM & BRO.

Borden's Condensed Milk (Eagle Brand) for sale by STAM & BRO.

ALL PERSONS

INDEBTED to us will please call and settle.

Oct 16, 1876. [illegible]

LIST OF GR[...] OF P. H. In Kent [...] FOR [...]

ENTERPRISE, No. 2, Kennedyville. Thomas J. Shallcross, W. Master; Dennis J. Nowland, Overseer; H. C. Wallis, Lecturer; D. U. Dewees, Treasurer; L. C. Justis, Jr., Secretary; William Archibald, Steward; John M. Morgan, Ass't. Steward; William A. Kennedy, Gate Keeper. Meets Saturday afternoons, at 2 o'clock.

HOPE, No. 13, Hanesville. Master, E. P. Janvier: Overseer, Dr. F. Worrell; Lecturer, W. C. Stephens; Steward, Wm. T. Nicholson; Ass't. Steward, C. W. Stephens; Chaplain, S. Vannort; Sec'y. R. G. Nicholson; Ceres, Mrs. E. P. Janvier; Pomona, Miss Annie Parsons; Flora, Miss Maria Parsons; Stewardess, Miss Annie Stephens. Meetings every Thursday, P. M.

FAIRLEE, No. 8, Rees' Corner. J. H Gale, W. M. Abel J. Rees, W. S. Meeting every Saturday, 2½ o'clock.

KENT COUNTY GRANGE, No. 6, composed of Delegates from Subordinate Granges, meets the first Friday in each and every month. Thomas J. Shallcross, Master; J. W. Howard, Overseer; Wilbur C. Stephens, Lecturer; Dr. Frederick Worrell, Treasurer; Robert S. Griffith, Chaplain; B. F. H. Caulk, Secretary; William H. Stewart, Steward; William Ayars, Ass't. Steward; J. F. Wilson, Gate Keeper.

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

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 in Kent county, Maryland, of

ANDREW PRICE,

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 23d day of August, 1877; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 23d day of January, 1877.

WILLIAM F. STANLEY, *Administrator.*

Jan. 26, 1877.

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 in Kent county, Maryland, of

MARY E. NICHOLSON,

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, 1877; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of January, 1877.

JOHN P. NICHOLSON, *Administrator.*

Jan. 12, 1877.

NEW STORE! NEW STOCK OF Fall and Winter *CLOTHING* FOR MEN AND BOYS.

JUST OPENED BY

S. MERRITT & CO.

At their New Store in CHESTERTOWN,

We have the LARGEST and CHEAPEST stock of

CLOTHING,

Gent's. Furnishing Goods, AND HATS AND CAPS

THAT HAS EVER BEEN OFFERED TO THIS COMMUNITY.

☞ Do not fail to come and see for yourselves, as we feel convinced we can please both in STYLES and PRICES for we are determined not to be under bid.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR ORDERED WORK Department, *AND FITS GUARANTEED.*

S. MERRITT & CO.,

Nov. 10, 1876. *Chestertown*

To My Friends and Patrons.

I AM desirous of enlarging and improving my business, and also am owing some bills of already too long standing, which I want to pay, as it is exceedingly unpleasant to be dunned, and consequently I need every dollar due me. This notice, therefore, is to urge prompt payment upon the part of those indebted. If it is not convenient for you to let me have money, give me your note on short time, and that will enable me to be better prepared to accommodate you in the future.

I most positively insist upon an immediate settlement, either by note or cash, of all outstanding accounts, and those indebted will find it to their interest as well as mine to respond to this notice at once.

Respectfully, JOHN N. DODD, UNDERTAKER

June 9—tf.

WOOD FOR SALE.

THE undersigned has a lot of superior HICKORY and OAK WOOD for sale, [illegible] delivered at short notice.

JOHN W. RASIN.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR CONSUMPTION

which can be cured by a timely resort to this standard preparation, as has been proved by the hundreds of testimonials received by the proprietors. It is acknowledged by many prominent physicians to be the most reliable preparation ever introduced for the relief and cure of all Lung complaints, and is offered to the public, sanctioned by the experience of over forty years. When resorted to in season it seldom fails to effect a speedy cure in the most severe cases of Coughs, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Influenza, Asthma, Colds, Sore Throat, Pains or Soreness in the Chest and Side, Liver Complaint, Bleeding at the Lungs, &c. Wistar's Balsam does not dry up a Cough, and leave the cause behind, as is the case with most preparations, but it loosens and cleanses the lungs, and allays irritation, thus removing the cause of the complaint.

PREPARED BY SETH W. FOWLE & SONS, Boston, Mass., And sold by Druggists and Dealers generally.

Iron in the Blood

PERUVIAN AN IRON TONIC SYRUP

MAKES THE WEAK STRONG.

The Peruvian Syrup, a Protected Solution of the Protoxide of Iron, is so combined as to have the character of an aliment, as easily digested and assimilated with the blood as the simplest food. It increases the quantity of Nature's Own Vitalizing Agent, Iron in the blood, and cures "a thousand ills," simply by Toning up, Invigorating and Vitalizing the System. The enriched and vitalized blood permeates every part of the body, repairing damages and waste, searching out morbid secretions, and leaving nothing for disease to feed upon.

This is the secret of the wonderful success of this remedy in curing Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Chronic Diarrhœa, Boils, Nervous Affections, Chills and Fevers, Humors, Loss of Constitutional Vigor, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Female Complaints, *and all diseases originating in a bad state of the blood, or accompanied by debility or a low state of the system. Being free from Alcohol, in any form, its energizing effects are not followed by corresponding reaction, but are permanent, infusing strength, vigor, and new life into all parts of the system, and building up an Iron Constitution.*

Thousands have been changed by the use of this remedy, from weak, sickly, suffering creatures, to strong, healthy, and happy men and women; and invalids cannot reasonably hesitate to give it a trial.

See that each bottle has PERUVIAN SYRUP *blown in the glass.*

Pamphlets Free.

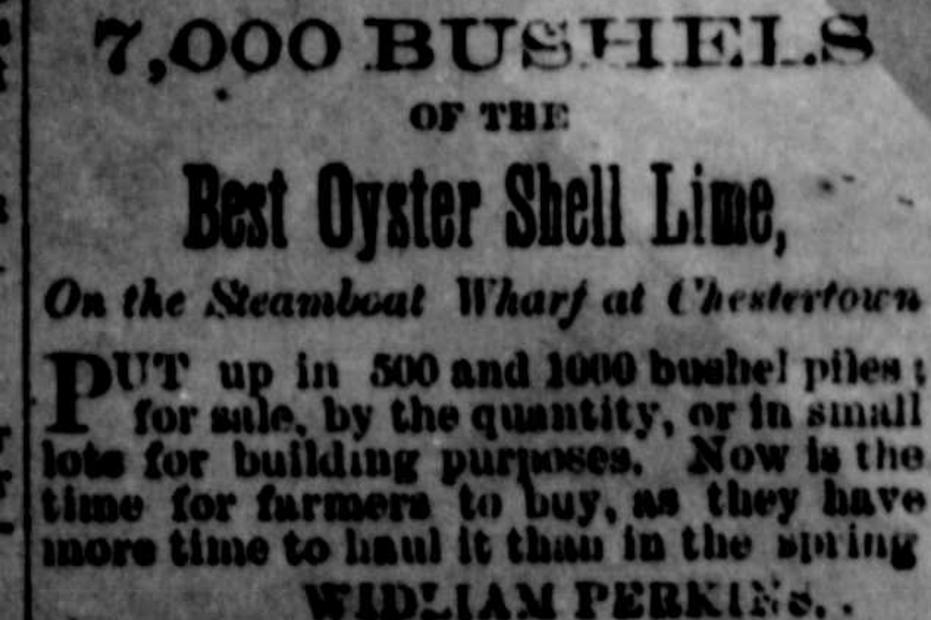
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SUCCESSOR TO JOHN T. DODD & SON,

UNDERTAKER.



HAVING had entire supervision and control of this department of the late firm for the last six years, I flatter myself fully competent to give satisfaction in every particular.

I am prepared to furnish COFFINS, CASKETS and BURIAL CASES of the latest designs and finish, upon short notice.

Dec. 5, 1874—tf.

7,000 BUSHELS OF THE Best Oyster Shell Lime,

On the Steamboat Wharf at Chestertown

PUT up in 500 and 1000 bushel piles for sale, by the quantity, or in small lots for building purposes. Now is the time for farmers to buy, as they have more time to haul it than in the spring

WILLIAM PERKINS.

Dec. [illegible]

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