The Chestertown Transcript

Only ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

LOCAL NEWS.

Circuit Court.

The April Term of the Circuit Court for Kent county commences next Monday.

Teachers' County Association.

The public school teachers of the county will meet on Monday next; and as many of the citizens of the county will be in town attending court, it is probable there will be a large attendance.

Institute.

The teachers of Queen Anne's county are holding their Institute, Prof. Newell presiding. The work is of an interesting and profitable character, and will doubtless give a fresh impetus to the school work of that county.

Tax Collectors.

The County Commissioners last Tuesday made the following appointments:

1st District—	Richard H. Corbally;	
2d	do.	Frisby H. Boulden;
3d	do.	George T. Williams;
4th	do.	James A. Shaw;
5th	do.	Charles C. Strong.

Sale of a Farm.

Clinton McCullough, Esq., Trustee, sold at public sale on Tuesday afternoon, in this place, the "Howell's Point" farm, situated on the Chesapeake Bay, and containing 314 acres. Purchased by ex-Governor James Black Groome, for the sum of $14,000. We learn that Gov. Groome afterwards sold it, at private sale, to Richard T. Turner, Esq., for $14,500.

Public School Exhibition.

Galena public school held its first exhibition on last Friday evening, in the Town Hall. And we learn that the affair was successful beyond the most sanguine expectations of the teachers and friends of the school: in fact, the school and its exhibition won golden opinions from all sorts of people. We have been unable to get a full report.

Dredgers in Jail.

Last Monday the entire crews of four vessels (except one of the captains, who succeeded in making his escape,) numbering 32, were lodged in our jail. The capture was made by Capt. Lemuel J. Mitchell, commander of the oyster police sloop, "Nannie Merryman." The vessels, when seized, were dredging on Sunday, and on forbidden ground, Swan Point bar. For dredging on Sunday, the crews are liable to a fine of $50 each, and the captains not less than $200 nor more than $500 each.

Improving Chester River Oysters.

The St. Michaels *Comet* says: Since the opening of Kent Island Narrows, and the free passage of the salt water of Easton Bay through the narrows and into Chester River, the oysters of that river have very perceptibly improved in flavor. This is a fact, stated both by the oystermen of Chester River, and by people of Queen Anne's who are accustomed to use the Chester river oysters.

Improvements on Kent street.

Kent street, between High and Cannon, has been very greatly improved within the last few years, and now presents an attractive appearance, most of the dwellings being new with neat and cleanly surroundings. The work of improvement is still going on. Mr. S. W. Rawleigh, builder, has in a well advanced stage of construction, a two-story frame dwelling with small back building, the property of Mrs. S. L. Rawleigh; it promises to be neat in appearance and will be arranged with a special view to comfort and convenience. We learn that two other similar buildings will shortly be erected on lots adjoining Mrs. Rawleigh's.

Richard Smyth,

Major Smyth, as he was familiarly called,—who died last week in his eighty-sixth year, has been so long identified with the Worton district that his death justifies more than the simple announcement. Major Smyth was, we believe, born and reared in Worton; and we are not advised that he ever lived any where else except one year, 1863, during the war, in Chestertown. During the war of 1812 he was orderly sergeant of Captain Simon Wickes's company, and participated in the battle of Caulk's field. He was one of those selected from the main body to retard the advance of the British troops, and served with credit during the war. Ever after he took a lively interest in military affairs. It is well known that the Worton of to-day is not as it used to be; and Mr. Smyth seemed to keep pace with his district, accumulating and dying possessed of a considerable fortune. His remains were followed to Chester cemetery, near our town, by a very large number of friends—General Vickers making, in compliance we learn with an oft-expressed wish of the Major's, some eulogistic remarks at the grave.

Orphans' Court.

Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

Letters of administration on the personal estate of Thomas Parsons were granted unto Tilghman Shafer, who filed his bond, with W. T. Hepbron and G. W. Davis, as sureties, in the penalty of one thousand dollars. W. W. Stephens and John J. Roeder were appointed to appraise said estate,—and the usual notice to creditors was ordered.

Perry W. Middleton, admr. of James Middleton, returned a list of sales of the personal estate of said deceased.

Mary A. Brice, acting guardian to Emma S. Brice, returned her final guardian account.

Rachel M. Clark, acting guardian to George H. Clark and Joseph S. Clark, returned her guardian accounts.

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.

HISTORY OF THE GREAT BRIDGE.

The work on the Brooklyn Suspension Bridge commenced on January 2, 1870.—There were $560,000 subscribed by private stockholders, $3,000,000 by the city of Brooklyn, and $1,500,000 by the city of New York. Of the private subscriptions $340,800 were paid in, but this was returned with interest to the stockholders last year on the assumption of the work by the two cities. The act of the Legislature now requires the bridge to be finished by a joint subscription of New York and Brooklyn in the proportion from each of the original contribution, the latter to pay twice the amount of the former. The cost of the bridge is given at nine millions besides the acquisition of land; the latter is estimated at three and a half millions. We put together a few items concerning this bridge which we hope will be preserved by the curious, and save us from the constant repetition of these questions:

Construction commenced January 2, 1870.

Length of river span, 1,595 feet 6 inches.

Length of each land span, 630 feet (1,860 feet.)

Length of Brooklyn approach, 971 feet.

Length of New York approach, 1,560 feet 6 inches.

Total length of bridge, 5,989 feet.

Width of bridge, 85 feet.

Number of cables, 4.

Diameter of each cable, 15¼ inches.

Each cable consists of 6,300 parallel (not twisted) steel wires, No. 7 gauge, closely wrapped to solid cylinder.

Ultimate strength of each cable, 11,200 tons.

Depth of tower foundation below high water, Brooklyn, 45 feet.

Depth of tower foundation below high water, New York, 78 feet.

Size of tower at high water line, 140x59 feet.

Size of towers at roof course, 136x53 feet.

Total height of towers above high water, 277 feet.

Clear height of bridge in center of river span above high water, at 59 deg. Fahr., 135 feet.

Height of floor at towers above high water, 119, feet 3 inches.

Grade of roadway, 3¼ feet in 100 feet.

Size of anchorages at base, 129x119 feet.

Size of anchorages at top, 117x104 feet.

Weight of each anchor-plate, 23 tuns.

Total cost of bridge, exclusive of land acquisition, $9,000,000.

Cost of land, say $3,500,000.

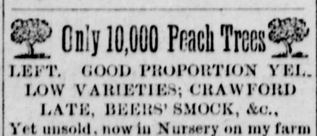
Ran Away.

JOSEPH DIXON, an indentured Negro apprentice, aged 14 years, absconded from the subscriber on or about the first of March last.

All persons are hereby forewarned from harboring or employing him under penalty of the law.

LUTHER HANDY.

April 6, 1877—3t.



Only 10,000 Peach Trees LEFT. GOOD PROPORTION YELLOW VARIETIES; CRAWFORD LATE, BEERS' SMOCK, &c.,

Yet unsold, now in Nursery on my farm near Still Pond. Also, a good stock of

Apple, Pear and Cherry Trees,

RASPBERRY AND BLACKBERRY PLANTS.

The above are fine, healthy and vigorous, and those who are in want of Trees will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere, as I will sell at very reasonable rates. Varieties of choicest selection.

N. BARNARD,
STILL POND, *Kent county, Md.*
March 2, 1877—6t.

A CARD.



The general-freighting business conducted for many years by my father, J. F. Taylor, between Chestertown and Baltimore, has now entirely and solely passed into my hands. It shall be my constant effort aided by the long experience in the business, of my agent, Mr. W. H. PALMER, to merit a share of the public patronage.

The business is attempted under adverse circumstances, yet we trust by our constant and personal attention to the trade to regain whatever may have been lost to the late business. The vessel has undergone such repairs as now make her in every respect suitable for the business.

Respectfully,
J. E. TAYLOR.

March 30, 1877.

SHERIFF'S LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and others.

ALL PERSONS AND BODIES CORPORATE or politic in Kent county, who are or shall be, exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Laws of Maryland, are HEREBY WARNED TO OBTAIN A LICENSE OR RENEW THE SAME ON OR BEFORE THE

First day of May, 1877,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

LIQUOR LICENSE.

ALL APPLICATIONS for Liquor License must be made to the Grand Jury at the April Term of the Circuit Court for Kent county, which begins on the third Monday (16th day) of that month, and recommended by that body to the Clerk of the Circuit Court before License can be obtained.

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows: If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed $1,000 $12 60

Over $1,000 and not over		$1,500	15 60
"	1,500	" 2,500	18 60
"	2,500	" 4,000	22 50
"	4,000	" 6,000	30 60
"	6,000	" 8,000	40 60
"	8,000	" 10,000	50 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting license applies through an agent. If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Venders of Cakes and venders of Beer and Cider, who are makers of such beer and cider (Lager Beer excepted) are not required to take out License.

ORDINARIES AND TAVERN KEEPERS.

The Licenses to Ordinaries and Tavern Keepers to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer in quantities less than a pint, at any one time, are as follows:

The said applicant, after being recommended by the Grand Jury as above stated, is to make oath before the Clerk as to the rate of rent or annual value of the house at or in which the business to be authorized by the license may be done, or intended to be done.

If the rental or annual value is not

Over $100			$25 00
"	100 and not over	$200	40 60
"	200	" 300	55 60
"	300	" 400	60 60
"	400	" 500	70 60
"	500	" 750	90 60
"	750	" 1000	100 60

RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS OR FERMENTED LIQUORS OR LAGER BEER.

The amount of License to be paid by retailers of spirituous and fermented liquors or lager beer, are as follows:

If the value of the stock in trade be

$500 or less	$18 60
Over $500	35 60
From $1,000 to $2,000	50 60
" 2,000 to 4,000	75 60
" 4,000 to 6,000	100 60

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES

The License to be paid by the keepers of Oyster and Eating Houses is $50.60 through-out the State.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6; but if over that amount, they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their license on or before the first of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows in the county:

To travel on foot	$11 00
With one horse and wagon	51 00
With two horses and wagon	71 00
FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:	
To travel on foot	$61 00
With one horse and wagon	101 00
With two horses and wagon	151 00

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of a partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a find of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than a hundred dollars, recoverable before a Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS

Any person who shall make it their business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, banknotes, or other obligation, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows:

Exchange Broker	$100 00
Stock Broker	75 00
Bill Broker	50 00

LIGENSE TO OWNERS or KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

The owners or keepers of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties to this State, the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing such Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid for said license be less than ten dollars; and every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing or standing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the last preceding section, one-half to the State and the other half to the informers.

PHILIP MEDDERS, Sheriff
April 6, 1877.—1m. of Kent Co.

HOG, HOG, HOG!

HOG TONGS or Holders, Ringer and Rings—for sale by
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

ROCK SALT! ROCK SALT!! For sale by
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

IMPROVED CHURNS, BUTTER PRINTS and Paddles—for sale by
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

NAILS! NAILS!! by the keg. Very cheap.
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

PUMPS! PUMPS!!

Cucumber Wood Pumps.

CHAS. G. BLATCHLEY'S B and G Pumps,

Received direct from the manufacturer, and bought at the lowest cash price.

WE CAN OFFER VERY GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO THOSE WISHING A PUMP.

☞ Call and examine our Pumps and prices.

We have on hand extra Handles, Brackets, Links, Rods, Buckets, Valves, Bands, Nozzles, Braces, &c., &c.
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

March 16, 1877.

HARDWARE! HARDWARE!!

Farmers' Hardware

RECEIVED, AND WE ARE SELLING VERY LOW!

CALL and examine our stock of Forks, Shovels, Spades, Hoes, Rakes, Trace Chains (selling very low), Halters, Back, Tug, Breast and other chains; Briar Hooks and Snaths, Scythes, &c.

BUILDERS' HARDWARE,
OF EVERY KIND,
AND SELLING VERY CHEAP!
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

March 16, 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

CLEMENT F. JONES,

late of Spartanburg county, South Carolina, 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 6th day of October, 1877; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of March, 1877.

D. J. BLACKISTON,
March 9, 1877. *Administrator.*

T. S. WICKES, GENERAL STORE,

High street above Cross street,
CHESTERTOWN.

A LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Goods all bought at the closest cash figures, and sold at reasonable advance.
February 22, 1877.

RUBBER OVER COATS,
RUBBER HIP BOOTS,
RUBBER KNEE BOOTS,
RAIN HATS.

IN VIEW of the approaching wet Spring weather, we invite the attention of Farmers and Fishermen to a very full line of the above Rubber Goods, and which we are offering at very close prices.

T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, March 1, 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

GARRET M. HART,

late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers there of, to the subscriber, on or before the 27th day of September, 1877; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 27th day of February, 1877.

OWEN CONNELLY,
March 2, 1877. *Administrator.*

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.

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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.

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Our success has brought into existence hundreds of imitators (mostly Stock Companies), whose want of experience is evident to those who are capable of judging. **SEE AND HEAR OUR ORGANS BEFORE PURCHASING ANY OTHER,** and you will thus avoid the annoyance of being encumbered with an instrument which you will find (when too late) is a source of vexation and regret.

☞ All our instruments are WARRANTED for five years.

GEO. A. PRINCE & CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

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GARDENERS AND AGRICULTURISTS!

Emperor William Cabbage.

THE *best, largest, hardiest* and most *profitable* variety of *Winter Cabbage* known in Europe, and imported to this country exclusively by the undersigned, where, with the most ordinary cultivation, it flourishes astonishingly, attaining an *enormous* size, and selling in the market at prices most gratifying to the producer. In transplanting, great care should be used to give sufficient space for growth. Solid heads, the size of the mouth of a flour barrel, is the average run of this choice variety. One package of the seed sent post paid on receipt of 50 cents, and one 3ct postage stamp. Three packages to one address $1 00 and two 3ct stamps. Twelve packages sent on receipt of $3 00.

☞ Read what a well-known Garrett Co. Maryland er says of *Emperor William* Cabbage:

Bloomington, Garrett Co. Md. Jan. 22 '77.

MR. JAMES CAMPBELL, 66 Fulton St, N. Y.—*Dear Sir:* I bought some seed from you last Spring, and it was *good*. Your Emperor William Cabbage suits this climate well. On a mountain side the seed you sent me, produced Cabbages weighing *thirty pounds* each.

Very truly yours,
JAMES BROWN.

I am also Sole Agent in the U. S. for the famous

Maidstone Onion Seed,

from Maidstone, Kent Co., England, producing the most prolific and finest flavored Onions known, and yielding on suitable soils from 800 to 900 bushels per acre, sown in drills. Mr. Henry Colvin, a large market gardener at Syracuse, N. Y., writes "Your English Onion Seed surprised me by its large yield, and the delicious flavor of the fruit. I could have sold any quantity in this market at good prices. My wife says she will have no other onions for the table in the future. Send me as much as you can for the enclosed $5 00."

One package of seed sent on receipt of 50 cents and one 3 cent postage stamp, three packages to one address $1 00 and two 3 cent postage stamps. Twelve packages sent on receipt of $3.00.

My supply is *limited*. Parties desiring to secure either of the above rare seeds, should not delay their orders. All seed *warranted fresh and to germinate*. Cash must accompany all orders. For either of the above seeds address

JAMES CAMPBELL,
66 Fulton street, N. Y.

Feb. 23, 1877—6m.

$9000 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*

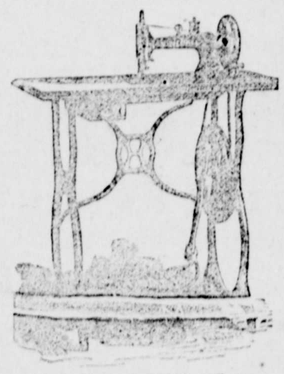
AT THE NEW STORE of S. Merritt & Co., you will find the best and cheapest line of White Dress Shirts, Cashmere Over Shirts, Under Shirts all grades, Draws all kinds, and Cardigan Jackets.

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

September 5, 1876.

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For sale at this office

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. The HOME SEWING MACHINE was selected after thoroughly testing all the best Sewing Machines in the Exhibition, and Mechanical Hall, BECAUSE IT COMBINED MORE MERITS and LESS DEFECTS than any other machine. It is LIGHT RUNNING, DURABLE, and almost NOISELESS MACHINE, adapted equally well for Coarse or Fine SEWING, COTTON, SILK or LINEN, SEWING from the *Coarsest Muslins to Heavier Cloth* and LEATHER. Such Confidence has been placed in the SUPERIOR MERITS of the HOME SEWING MACHINE that every MACHINE is fully

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LIVE AGENTS wanted in localities where we are not represented.

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

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30 Union Square, New York.
564 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
1114 Second Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.
141 State Street, Chicago, Ill.
21 South 6th Street, St. Louis, Mo.
7 New Montgomery St., San Francisco, Cal.

Jan. 26, 1877.—6m.

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.

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

Sponges and Chamois Skins. At
STAM & BRO.

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

WHITE WASH BRUSHES, ALL SIZES, selling at low prices.
J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.
March 9, 1877.

LIST OF GRANGERS OF P. H. In Kent County, Md., FOR 1877.

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 R. Stewart, Steward; William Ayars, Ass't. Steward; J. F. Wilson, Gate Keeper.

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

KENT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF KENT COUNTY will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,
The 3d day of April, 1877,
AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

and will continue to meet at the same place and hour

EVERY TUESDAY,
Until the 22d day of May next.

All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since the recent general assessment, are particularly requested to attend at an early day and have their assessments adjusted.

After TUESDAY, the 22d day of MAY next, no alteration will be made in the assessments during the present year.

☞ All persons having accounts against the County are requested to present the same on or before

TUESDAY,
The 22d day of May next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the Levy for this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the County are required to be made out in a fair and clear manner and itemized: to be rendered under oath.

PENSIONS.

All applications for Pension must be made in writing, stating condition and circumstances of the applicant, and signed by three or more free holders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

By order,
T. WATERS RUSSELL,
Clerk to Kent County Commissioners.
March 2, 1877.



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.

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