The Transcript,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Thursday Morning, Feb. 6, 1879.

S. E. SULLIVAN. C. G. WOODALL.

SULLIVAN & WOODALL,
Editors and Proprietors.

THERE was much doubt and uncertainty, as to whether or not Abraham Lincoln's parents were ever lawfully married. The fact of marrying seems, finally, to have been settled, by the discovery of old papers, testifying that the marriage really took place.

SENATOR CHRISTIANCY, of Michigan, has been appointed Minister to Peru. The Senator's health is bad, and the Senator's purse is light, and he wants a position where he will find at the same time a mild climate and a plump salary, both of which the Peruvian mission afford. It is probable that the Hon. Zack Chandler will be the successor of Christiancy, but there are other contestants in the field.

THE disease known as Rhinderpest or pleuro Pneumonia, has broken out among the cattle around about Washington city. This dreadful cattle disease, has for a long time been a scourge of Europe, but it was hoped that it would never reach this side of the Atlantic. It seems that in spite of precautions, however, it is here, and it is to be feared will spread. The disease has been discovered by the English authorities, among a cargo of cattle shipped from Portland, Maine, and they have notified the U. S., government of their discovery.

IT looks as though the head man of the *Centreville Observer* will have to climb a tree. A card published in the last *Centreville Record*, runs as follows:

"SUDLERSVILLE, Jan. 23d, 1879.

I feel it imperative upon me to say that, unless the editor the *Centreville Observer*, Mr. W. W. Busteed, does not *satisfactorily* exhonerate me in his next issue of the odium so lavishly bestowed upon me in a communication in his paper of the 21st inst. I will certainly hold him personally responsible for the many scurrilous and base slanders therein. J. N. BAIRD."

We have looked for the copy of the *Observer* containing the *scurrilous slanders* but it has became misplaced, and we have not been able to find it. We extend to Bro. Busteed our sympathies in his tribulations, however.

THE suit of Gen. G. W. C. Lee, son of Gen. Rob. E. Lee, to recover his father's estate from the United States Government, has been decided in his favor. The estate was sold in 1863 for taxes. It was proven by the plaintiff, that payment of taxes had been proffered, and refused, and the court decided that the proffer of payment, was equivalent to payment. It will be remembered that this estate has been used by the United States Government as a national cemetery, and here lie burried many of the soldiers killed in the last war. An appeal has been taken to the Supreme Court, which will in all probability, decide in accordance with the decision of the lower court. Congress will, in all likelihood, buy the portion of the estate used by the government as a cemetery. There are two other purchasers beside the United States government, who are equally affected by the decision.

THERE has been somewhat of a change in French politics, caused by the resignation of Marshall MacMahon, who was elected in 1873, by the monarchists, and the election in his stead of Jules Grevy, an out and out Republican. At the time of McMahon's election, the Republicans were in the minority, but their strength has since gradually increased, until they have a majority both in the chamber of deputies and in the senate. The Republicans, holding a majority, both in the house and in the Senate, insisted upon the removal of certain officials, known to be autagonistic to the Republic. President MacMahon, sooner than consent to such removals, tendered his resignation. The Republicans are said to be strengthening themselves for the contest of 1880, at which time it is to be submitted to the people, whether or not the Republican form of government will be continued or changed. The French are proverbially a changeable people, but the increasing strength of the Republican party, seems to indicate that the Republic will at least live beyond 1880. M. Jules Grevy, the newly elected President, is an experienced statesman, and has always been a Republican.

Gambetta has been elected President of the Chamber of Deputies.

DR. MARY WALKER has left off her bloomers, and come out in a full set of men's gear. The Baltimore *American's* letter of Saturday contains the following description:

Dr. Mary, who has just had her pension increased to $20 per month, is a daily attendant at the Capitol. She has ridden her hobby of dress so far that she now dresses exactly like a man. A close-fitting surtout coat is buttoned tightly over her chest, and its skirts fall to the knees. Her small feet are encased in shinningly blackened boots. Her pantaloons have the proper spring at the instep, and are made of black doeskin, like her coat. A neatly laundried man's shirt and Piccadilly collar are exposed, with a gold stud in the former, and a quiet necktie tied around the latter. The Doctor wears her hair cut short and parted on the side, and an Alpine hat surmounts her thin and care-worn visage. This extreme of dress, which would bring a crowd at the Doctor's heels in Baltimore, is scarcely noticed here, and it is only the visitor who gazes with curiosity at this strange figure of a woman in man's clothes.

THE breaking up of the ice in the Western rivers has begun. The Sandusky river is gorged at Fremont, Ohio, and the town partially flooded. A similar gorge in Mahoning river has caused a flood at Warren. The Ashtabula and Pittsburg railroad is covered to a depth of five feet a considerable distance, necessitating a stoppage of trains. The ice moved out of the Maumee river Thursday, carrying away two piers and four spans of the bridge at Napoleon, Ohio, the damage amounting to $25,000. The lower portion of Napoleon was flooded. At Meadville, Pa., the ice in French creek gorged and the water backed over the lower part of the city, doing much damage.

THE ice harvest on the Hudson river this season is the most successful ever known, the quantity secured being greater and the quality better. The gathering will be finished this week, and it is expected 3,000,000 tons will be obtained, which, it is supposed, will suffice for a two year's crop, a thing that has never happened before.

A PETITION has been presented in the Delaware Assembly from a large number of citizens of New Castle county praying the Legislature to provide some remedy for the "discrimination against fruit growers by the high and most onerous charges of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company.

THERE are eight candidates for the position of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Garrett county, the given name of each and all being "William."

LETTER FROM TUSCARORA.

The question is asked, "are we going to make our nominations (for county offices) in the future as we have been doing in the past?" There is great diversity of opinion on this subject.—The gentlemen of the central committee will not make a change unless they are instructed to do so by the voters. The proper thing to be done, is for the voters of the county to meet in mass convention, and decide upon the method of holding primaries, and so instruct the committee. A general expression of opinion through the county press would no doubt be acceptable to the committee.

The Mormons seem to be frightened at last—poor creatures; they think it hard that after all these years they must be deprived of their wives but it must surely come to pass, since Mr. Thurman (who is generally carried away with western heresies) will not succumb to the charms of the Mormon women, that button-hole him. We suggest that this government remove them to far off "Alaska" where the rigid climate will soon destroy every vestage of Mormonism.

Since Mr. Talmage has been preaching in a rather sarcastic way about the sedate ministers of the Brooklyn Presbytery, the latter are studying the best method by which they can get rid of the "Brooklyn war horse." Mr. Talmage will no doubt come out as an independent, and work like the "Sage of Plymouth." Can there any good thing come out of Gomorrah? If the "Sage" and the "War-horse" were to splice teams and go to Salt Lake City as "Evangelists," they might make more converts among the disciples of "Brigham" than they will ever make in "Gomorrah."

As the seasons change, amusements and sports change. Since skating is over for the present the dance, fox-hunting and shooting glass balls are in vogue among the lovers of sport. It is to be hoped the shooting at glass balls will supersede the cruel and barbarous practice of pigeon shooting. As soon as the ground becomes settled, base-ball and croquet, will be all the rage. While every season affords different sports for the boys and girls, courting and kissing is going on all the time among the old as well as the young. Amid all this commotion just think the earth moves.

Mrs. Kelley of Still Pond and Mrs. Mann of Betterton died during the past week. The deceased were estimable women and possessed all the virtues that adorn the christian character.

Still Pond has a night-watchman in the person of Wm. Pratt. Moonshiners and night walkers had better beware of him. Pratt calls a halt and demands the countersign before the party can pass.

Still Pond being a place of some importance we will give our readers some idea of it. We have two churches and two ministers; two physicians; one undertaker; two druggists; two wheelwright and two blacksmith shops; five merchants; one millinery and fancy store; one hotel; one dressmaker; one harness shop; one school and teacher; one butcher; one oyster saloon; one bricklayer and grave digger; two carpenters; one florist and gardener; one pumpmaker; post office; one shoe maker; one magistrate; one night watchman but no constable; two societies—the Grange and the Knights of Pythias. So you see we are well provided for, and ought to be happy.

Still Pond, Feb. 1st, 1879.

MEMPHIS.—Memphis has been unchartered and abolished by the act of the Tennessee Legislature. Where, two days ago, there was a busy city and a thriving mart of commerce, may now be found no more than a howling wilderness of houses, intersected by some twenty odd miles of wooden pavements, mostly in a state of decay and pretty generally unpaid for. But the city, the corporation of Memphis, no longer exists. It has been decorporated, and has no title even to a name. It might as well be called Thebes or Tanais as Memphis. The Tennesseean Memphis did not have as long a life as that of the venerable capital of old Egypt, which flourished for more than a thousand years. But then they had neither Nicholson wooden pavements nor municipal bonds in those primeval times. The modern Memphis was laid out in 1820 and incorporated as a city in 1831. After surviving for forty-eight years it has been disincorporated and again "laid out" in 1879. The receiver for the late corporation, however, if he should be appointed, will still find some property belonging to it which he can seize upon. There is a handsome park and a Jackson statue in the centre of the city. There are buildings erected for schools, courts, &c., which were the property of the defunct corporation, and will naturally fall into the receiver's possession. In fact he might take a contract to conduct the municipal affairs of the people in the vicinity of the late city for the benefit of the creditors, leasing the public property to them at a reasonable rent, and acting generally as trustee for a neglected estate.—*Baltimore Sun.*

AN EXPRESSIVE LUXURY.—The young men of Chicago must have found it rather costly to take their dear girls to Mapleson's opera, judging the following itemized estimate of expenses: Two reserved seats $5, carriage $6, two pairs of gloves $5, bouquet $3, supper "after the opera is over" $5—total $24.

A CURIOUS HEAD.—Mr. George Garey, son of Capt. Matthew Garey residing near Denton, brought to this office yesterday morning a most singularly formed lamb's head. It had sheep's eyes and ears, rabbit's nose and mouth, and the other part of its head resembled that of a dog's. —*Denton Journal, Feb. 1st.*

DORCHESTER mourns over idle ship-yards this winter. Not a contrat nor a sign of a contract has been given out or heard of this season, while for fifty years past vessels have been built there every year, sometimes from twenty to thirty being launched in one season.

LILLIE DUER, who shot Ella Hearn some time ago, will be tried for murder at the Snow Hill court on the third Monday in May. Henry Page, State's Attorney of Somerset county, and George W. Purnell, a prominent member of the Worcester Bar, have been retained as her counsel.

THE Groome Guards received last week, through Adjutant General Bond, a supply of overcoats, knapsacks, haversacks and canteens. *Cecil Democrat.*

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned, having discontinued farming, will sell at Public Sale, at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, on

Tuesday, February 18th,

at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following Stock, Farming Implements, &c.;

7 head horses,

And 1 SUCKING COLT;

Two of the horses are excellent workers to the cart:

3 good Milch Cows,

1 TWO-YEAR-OLD HEIFER, half Alderney;

1 Yoke good Oxen,

1 FOUR-YEAR-OLD STEER, and 2 TWO-YEAR-OLD STEERS;

17 Chester White Shotes,

2 to 3,000 POUNDS OF PORK,

1 OX-CART; 1 Bickford & Huffman WHEAT DRILL, in good order; 1 CHAMPION REAPER, Self-Rake, in good condition; also, a lot of

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

TERMS OF SALE.—On all sums of Ten Dollars and under, the cash will be required; on all sums above that amount a credit of six months will be given, on note with approved security. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

ROBERT T. FORD.

J. W. CARROLL, Auct. [Feb. 6, 1879

We publish the following stanzas, from the pen of Miss Hope Wickes. Miss Hope, it seems, has been having trouble with Greek verbs. We cannot print the name of the Demon "Bouleuo" in the original, because we have no Greek type:

THE DEMON "BOULEUO."

There's a Demon and he haunts me,
Yes, haunts me night and day;
He even haunts my dreams at night
And drives all peace away.

For many days this phantom grim
Has caused me grief and woe;
He cries, "you cannot conquer *me*,"
This Demon "Bouleuo."

I tell him his demoniac force,
O'er me no power can wield;
I vow I'll either conquer him,
Or die, but never yield.

He laughs my petty boast to scorn,
This grim and powerful foe;
He knows I cannot conquer him,
This Demon "Bouleuo."

I call my mental forces up,
And battle with him long,
Until I deem my conquest sure,
And think my foe is gone.

Alas! vain hope: e'en while I muse,
I hear that whisper low:
"What's the first person present tense
Optative mood "Bouleuo?"

And if I chance to answer *that*,
To something else he'll turn,
That "Bouleuo" I do not know
Too soon, alas! I'll *learn*.

And Uncle B—— will surely think,
I really ought to know,—
(As often as I've had it o'er),—
The verb of "Bouleuo."

Oh me! to vanquish and to kill,
That Demon, long I've tried,
But still unyielding hard and grim,
He sitteth by my side.

And whispers as I ope my book,
"Try every art you know,
But you will find unconquered still,
The *Demon* "Bouleuo."

Baltimore Grain Market.

From the Sun of Tuesday.

WHEAT.—Sales are a few hundred bushels common Maryland at 98 cts. a$1, and good to prime Maryland and Pennsylvania at 1 04a$1 06 the latter for lots delivered.

Southern white Corn is in good demand, principally from shippers, but for yellow the market is dull and nominal at 44 cents. The sales of white were a few lots at 44 cents on track at 46 cents delivered.

Oats are more active and firmer. Sales of 800 bushels mixed Western at 30 cts; 2000 bushels white do. at 32 cts. and 700 bushels bright Pennsylvania at 31 cts.

Rye is firm, with a light supply; a small lot prime Southern sold at 60 cents per bushels.

MARRIAGES.

WILLIAMS—PORTER.—At Union M. E. Church, January 28th, by Rev. E. B. Newnam, GEORGE THOMAS WILLIAMS to Miss SARAH MATILDA PORTER, both of this county.

DEATHS.

LONGFELLOW.—In Baltimore, January 27th MARY H., wife of Thomas H. Longfellow and, eldest daughter of the late Alexander P. and Roseanna Betts.

MANN.—At Betterton, Kent co., Md., on Tuesday, Jan. 28th, 1879, of typhoid pneumonia, Mrs. ANNIE LOUISA MANN, wife of Mr. George R. Mann, aged 40 years, 3 months and 29 days.

DULING.—At the residence of his parents in Millington, on the 21st January, of asthma, THOMAS K., son of John W. and Anna L. Duling, aged seven years and six months.

KNIGHT.—At Crumpton, Jan, 21st, Mrs. JANE KNIGHT, in the 59th year of her age, widow of the late James R. Knight.

New Advertisements.

Head Quarters, Kent Guards.

There will be a Special Meeting of the KENT GUARDS Thursday, Feb. 6th, at their Armory, Chestertown, for the purpose of fully organizing the Company. All persons who have signified their willingness to become members, and others who desire to do so, are earnestly requested to be present. By order.

CAPT. H. W. VICKERS.

J. W. Bordley, Sec. 1t.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ESTATE of STEPHEN COX.

On application ordered, that H. W. Vickers, administrator of Stephens Cox, deceased, give notice by advertisement, that a dividend on the personal estate of said deceased will be made in this Court on TUESDAY, March 4th, 1879.

Test: WM. STEVENS, Register of Wills.

NOTICE.—The creditors of Stephen Cox, are notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Register of Wills, on or before Tuesday, 4th of March, 1879, or they will be excluded from the dividend in the personal estate.

H. W. VICKERS,
Feb. 6, 1879—4t. *Administrator.*

ARRIVAL
OF THE
Steamer B. S. Ford
With a full supply of
FINE GROCERIES
consigned to
BELL'S,
opposite the Bank, consisting of

COFFEES,
TEAS,
SUGAR,
SYRUPS,
MOLASSES,
CHEESE,
WASHING and CRYSTALINE SOAPS;
BROILING BEEF;
FISH,
BUCKWHEAT,
OATMEAL,
DRIED SUGAR CORN,
PEAS,
HOMINY;
CANNED,
ROAST and CORNED BEEF;
LOBSTER, GREEN TURTLE,
SALMON,
GREEN SUGAR CORN,
TOMATOES,
DRIED PEACHES and APPLES,
FRENCH PRUNES,
PICKELS
and all goods found in a
FIRST-CLASS GROCERY.

APPLES OF THE BEST VARIETY,

which I offer at the bottom Prices for *Cash* and Country Produce.

J. BELL, Agt.

Feb. 6, 1879.

DR. C. P. GILPIN,
DENTIST,
HAVING LOCATED in CHESTERTOWN
offers his
Professional Services
TO THE PUBLIC.

Jan. 30, 1879—6m.

GUM SHOES, for Ladies, Misses and Gents. Cheap! Cheap!! Cheap!!!
at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

NOTES on hand suitable for vendues, for sale at this office.

New Advertisements.

ADMINSTRATORS' SALE
OF THE
LARGE and VALUABLE
Personal Estate
OF THE LATE
Col. Edw. Wilkins.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent County, the undersigned as Administrators of COL. EDWARD WILKINS, will sell at PUBLIC SALE at "RIVERSIDE," his late residence, Kent county, Maryland, commencing on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th,

AT TEN O'CLOCK,

AND CONTINUING DAILY UNTIL EVERYTHING IS SOLD.

The Property we name in part as follows:

4 head of HORSES,

Among them the Celebrated Stallion

"ROAN CHIEF,"

2 Tankerville MARES, with foal by Roan Chief,
2 Roan Chief COLTS,
Two years old.

14 HEAD OF MULES

11 Thoroughbred Alderney Cows,

1 BULL and 4 HEIFERS.

9 head pure Southdown Sheep,

24 BERKSHIRE SHOATS,

FIVE SOWS,

1 SOW AND BOAR, thoroughbred *Small Yorkshire.*

Also, the ENTIRE

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Consisting in part of Chairs, Lounges, Sofas; Parlor, Dining-room and Library Sets; 12 4-foot Extension Table, 1 very handsome Sideboard, 1 Celerette; solid Walnut Chamber Suits; also a number of common Bedsteads; Brussell Carpets, Druggets, Feather Beds, Hair Mattrasses, Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Spreads, and two Eider-down Covers; Towels, Napkins and Table Linen, French China Sets, Tea and Dinner; Glassware, plain and cut; Plated-ware, Spoons, Forks, Waiters, and Cake-Baskets; 2 large Mantel Mirrors; Pictures, consisting of Oil Paintings, Chromos, Engravings and Lithographs.

A Large LIBRARY

consisting of a large lot of

STANDARD WORKS;

a Very Superior

BOOK CASE AND WRITING DESK.

Also a large lot of

CANNED FRUIT,

Sugar, Coffee, Tea and Spices.

Also, 5 Fire-place Grates, with wire fenders, shovel and tong racks.

The LARGEST and CHOICEST lot of

Wines and Liquors

that has ever been offered at a public sale on this Peninsula, consisting in part of COGNAC, PEACH and APPLE BRANDIES, OLD SANTA CROIX RUM, Eichleberger, Riverside, Grey and Wheat Whiskeys. A large lot of AMONTILLADO SHERRY (imported by the late Col. Wilkins.)

IMPORTED MADEIRA.

A large lot of DOMESTIC WINES, manufactured by Col. Wilkins, consisting of Riverside Sherry, Port, Madeira and Catawba; Clarified Cider in bottles; 5 bbls. Pure Cider Vinegar.

Farming Implements

Consisting in part of Ploughs, & Plough Gears, Bridles, Collars, 6 Wagons and Harness, 1 Horse Cart, 2 Randall Harrows, 3 Sulkey Cultivators, 1 Champion Reaper and Mower, 1 Lawn Mower, 1 Hand and Barrel Corn Shellers, Shovels, Forks, Spades, and a hundred things too numerous to mention.

Also, 1 COOLER'S CREAMER, 16 galls. capacity, all attachments complete.

1 TOP BUGGY and harness;
1 FAMILY CARRIAGE and harness;
2 No-top BUGGIES;
2 SLEIGHS and Sleigh Bells;
Robes and Horse Blankets; 2 Saddles;
12 Tons Coal, hard and soft;
200 feet new Lightning Rod and extra Points;
A lot of CLOVER SEED;
2 CIRCULAR SAWS and Frames;
50 feet GUM HOSE;
6 Coils Leather Machine Belts.

150 Bushels Seed Early Rose Potatoes

About 10 Tons Fertilizer,

A lot of FERTILIZING MATERIAL; 1,000 lbs. Old Iron;

20 Tons Clover Hay

3,000 lbs. BLADES;

A LOT OF BACON,

Consisting of HAMS, MIDDLINGS, SHOULDERS, &c.

POULTRY, consisting of TURKEYS, DUCKS, Chickens, and 6 Pea Fowls.

PEACH LADDERS and BASKETS.

TERMS OF SALE:

All sums of Twenty Dollars and under cash; all over, notes respectively at Seven months, payable with interest from date, at the Kent National Bank, with approved sureties, will be accepted.

E. M. WILKINS,
R. S. EMORY,
Administrators of Edw. Wilkins.

J. W. CARROLL, } Auctioneers.
U. A. C. GARRETT, }

N.B.—A full and authenticated pedigree given of all thoroughbred animals.

Feb. 6, 1878—ts.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ESTATE of JOHN KENNEDY.

On application ordered, that Margaret S. Kennedy, Edwin Moore and Jacob Highley, Administrators C. T. A. of John Kennedy, deceased, give notice by advertisement, that a dividend on the personal estate of said deceased will be made in this Court on TUESDAY, February the 11th, 1879.

Test: WM. STEVENS, Register of Wills.

NOTICE.—The creditors of John Kennedy are notified and requested to file their claims, properly authenticated, with the Register of Wills, on or before Tuesday, 11th of February, 1879, or they will be excluded from the dividend in the personal estate,

MARGARET S. KENNEDY,
EDWIN MOORE,
JACOB HIGHLEY,
Jan. 30, 1879—4t. *Administrators.*

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of the power contained in a mortgage from James Dyre to Andrew Woodall, dated the twentieth day of June, 1873, and recorded in Liber J. K. H., No. 2, vol. 317, &c., one of the Chattel Record Books of Kent county, Maryland, the undersigned will sell, at Public Sale, in the town of Galena, on

SATURDAY,

The 8th day of February,

1879, at 2 o'clock, P. M.,

in front of the Hotel in said town, the following property, viz:

1 No. 11 PLOW; 2 FOUR-FURROW PLOWS; 1 PEACH CULTIVATOR; 1 OX CART; 2 PEACH WAGONS; 1 WOODS MOWER; 1 GRAIN FAN; 1 CIDER PRESS; 1 HORSE POWER.

TERMS CASH.

ANDREW WOODALL, MORTGAGEE.
GEO. W. JACOBY,
Jan. 30, 1879—ts. [4.00] Agent.

WHOLESALE. RETAIL.

FRANK D. WATKINS & CO.

Successors to JOHN L. SEARS & CO.

MANUFACTURERS
AND
DEALERS IN
Building Material

DOORS,
WINDOW SASHES,
BLINDS,
MOULDINGS, ETC.

First-Class Work.

LOWEST PRICES AT

51 W. PRATT STREET,

Cor. PATTERSON STREET. BALTIMORE.

Jan. 30, 1869—y.

Glad Tidings!

This is to Certify that

J. G. HUDGINS,

ON CROSS STREET,

Is selling goods CHEAPER THAN EVER.

SUGARS, 8, 10, 12 cts.;
COFFEES, 15, 18, 20, 23 cts.;
TEAS, 40, 60, 80 cts., $1.00.

FISH, CHEESE, CIDER, PICKLES; DRIED APPLES, PEACHES; PEAS; BEANS; HOMINY; BUCKWHEAT, &c.

The largest lot of

CIGARS

in town;

CIGARS by the box or 1,000.

TOBACCO 55, 60, 70, 85, 1.00, 1.25.

WANTED—Every farmer in the county to bring their Produce and get the *cash*—at J. G. HUDGINS'S,
Cross street,
Jan. 16, 1879. Chestertown.

A Card to the Public

1879.

WE believe we have, during the past year, kept the best stock of goods, in our line, to be found in the county; *and we know* that we have sold goods much lower than any other house in Chestertown. But for this year we intend to keep a better stock and greater variety than ever, and sell them VERY LOW FOR THE MONEY!

We have the finest assortment of good

CLOCKS

IN THE COUNTY; ALSO,

LAMPS AND GLASSWARE OF ALL KINDS;

Handsome Picture Frames;

SILVER PLATED SPOONS, CASTERS, BUTTER DISHES, &c.

FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS;

JEWELRY,

SILVER THIMBLES; Spetacles and Eye-glasses; COMBS of every description,

the cheapest in town.

Pocket Books, Purses, Pass Books,

at your own price.

In the Confectionery Department

we shall keep everything fresh; and all kinds of Foreign Fruits in their season.

PICKLES, SPICES, JELLIES, CHOW-CHOW.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

We always keep a large stock. You can always find the

GENUINE B. F. GRAVELY TOBACCO

at **SPARKS'S.**

Thankful for past patronage, a continuation of the same is respectfully solicited, promising to use every means in our power to give entire satisfaction to all.

SPARKS'S
Variety Store.
Between J. K. Aldridge and T. W. Eliason, Jr's.
Jun. 16, 1879.

HARD TIMES, LOW PRICES.

Call and see how Cheap goods are selling at SAPPINGTON'S.

Repairing and Cleaning Furniture.

THE undersigned is prepared to repair, clean, varnish and put in excellent condition, all kinds of Furniture. Work done promptly, thoroughly, and at very low prices.

JOHN N. DODD,
Undertaker.
Chestertown, Jan. 16, 1879—tf.

NEW YEAR ANNOUNCEMENT.

Large Stock of

BLANK BOOKS,

of all descriptions;

LEDGERS, JOURNALS,
DAY-BOOKS,
TIME-BOOKS,
POCKET MEMORANDUMS,
DIARIES FOR 1879, and
PASS BOOKS, all very cheap.

This stock has been selected with great care and with a view of supplying the wants of all.

COLIN F. STAM,
Dec. 31, 1878. Druggist.

LAW CARD.

GEORGE A. HANSON,
Attorney at Law,

HAS resumed his Profession and offers his services to the public.

Office next door to J. A. Pearce, Esq., Chestertown, Md.

May 21, 1878.

THE LATEST THING OUT!

BONAPARTE CROSSING THE RHINE

CAN BE SEEN

at the

New Grocery Store

OF

JOHN HALL,

IN THE LOWER ROOM OF HIS HOTEL.

His stock consists of

COFFEES, TEAS, SUGARS, CRACKERS; FLOUR

by the bag, pound or barrel.

BACON of all kinds.

Sausage; Lard; Pure Cider Vinegar;

TOBACCO; CIGARS;

Molasses; Coal Oil; Feed of all descriptions; Candies Cakes, Nuts of all kinds; Spices, Pepper, Mustard, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Clear Starch, Bread Soda; Nutmegs; Potatoes; Soaps; and a variety of other articles.

Goods delivered with pleasure.

JOHN HALL.
Jan. 7, 1879.

LIBB'S COMPRESSED COOKED CORNED BEEF, 20c. per lb.—at BELL'S.

A Card to the Afflicted.

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