Chestertown Transcript.
THURSDAY, OCT. 2, 1879.

Don't Forget to register or to get transfered on Monday or Tuesday next. It is the last chance.

Personal.—Judge J. A. Wickes has returned from the White Sulphur springs, much improved in health.

H. M. S. Pinafore.—C. F. Stam has the "Pinafore," with music in full, handsomely gotten up, and cheap—only 25 cents.

The Dover Fair seems to have won the affections of Delaware newspaper editors. Most of them went to see it, and went home proud.

School Notice.—Miss Josie Redus intends to re-open her school next week. Advertisement giving particulars will appear in our next issue.

The Iron Railing around the Court House yard is being completed. It looks much better than the rickety old plank fence that has been removed.

The Conference Worker, of Wilmington, Del., has been enlarged to an eight-page paper. We congratulate the *Worker* on this sign of prosperity.

Middletown Fair.—This is the last day of the Middletown Fair. Many of the citizens of Kent visited the Fair Tuesday and yesterday: many more will go to-day.

The Maryland Horticultural Society commenced its sixth annual exhibition last Tuesday, the 30th of September, and will close to-morrow, the 3d instant.

The College began its fall session on Wednesday of last week. Most of the old students who were to return are back, and there are also a number of new "seekers after knowledge."

Some of the clothing merchants are guaranteeing to give fits, regular fits, perfect fits. That's too bad! too bad! too bad! They shouldn't afflict the community in any such manner.

The Peninsula Papers have stopped talking about peaches, and are trying who can get up the most diabolical conundrums about oysters and months with an R in them. Brethren, give us a rest.

We have received a "postal" stating that it was a mistake as to the ladies of St. James' church clearing the amount of four hundred and fifty dollars out of their eating department at the Agricultural Fair.

Serious Illness.—At this writing General George Vickers is lying extremely ill at his home in this town.

Dr. Meeteer has also been for some time prostrated by sickness.

Colored Excursion.—On Thursday of last week, the colored people held a celebration of the emancipation proclamation, at Smyrna, Del. There was an excursion train run from here, and quite a number went.

Healing Up.—We learn that the young man, Walter Gale, who was recently so unfortunate as to shoot off his right thumb, is getting along well with his wounded hand. The wound is healing nicely, and will soon be well.

The managers of the Dover fair, it appeared to us, left nothing undone in order to render their fair a complete success. The naturally beautiful and extensive grounds were in splendid order, and the numerous officials were attentive and courteous.

The County Commissioners last week appointed Mr. William Ford a Trustee of the Almshouse to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Sewell Hepbron. Mr. Ford is a large farmer, residing near this town, and his selection for the place is a good one.

L. K. Stam is digging a cellar under his store house. Being much bothered with inquiries as to how deep, how wide, and how long he was going to build it, and what he was going to do with it after he got it done, he put up a poster giving full information and particulars.

Honor to a Kent County Manufacturer.—Out of twenty-seven different corn shellers at the Delaware State Fair, at Dover, Wm. A. Hyland & Co's. Fan Sheller and Separator was awarded First Premium over all, and the First Premium was awarded to Hyland & Co's. two-horse power.

Three Steamboats, engaged in the passenger and freight traffic, are now plying on Chester river. Two of them, the George Law and the Mystic go up as far as Crumpton, the head of steamboat navigation. The route of the B. S. Ford terminates at Chestertowa. The Mystic does not touch at this place at all.

Last Week in publishing a notice of the Mass Meeting, the types got wrong and made the notice to read that the meeting was to be held on the 4th of October instead of on the 14th. The meeting is to be held on the 14th day of October, one week from next Tuesday, and is to commence at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. At other places on the shore there have been large crowds drawn out by the distinguished speakers; it will not fail to be likewise in Kent.

Small Orchards, so far as we have information, paid well this season. A gentleman residing in the neighborhood of Chestertown, netted, from an orchard of six hundred peach trees, five hundred and thirty-two dollars. The fruit was of the yellow varieties. It was shipped to Baltimore market and sold by Mr. Bartus Trew.

The Exhibits in the Ladies' Department, at the Dover Fair, were very handsome, but did not excel in variety, quantity or excellence, the display made by the ladies of Kent, at our late fair. But the building at the Dover fair is a much larger and better arranged one, and consequently the articles in it showed to greater advantage.

The Peach Crop is marketed, and growers now have an opportunity of striking a balance sheet, and calculating how much of the peach crop went into freights, commissions, and lost boxes, and how much went into their own pockets. From all accounts it would seem that the persons who got most out of peaches this year are the canners.

Fine Display.—At the Dover Fair, last week, J. Harry Russell, our former townsman, but now a resident of Middletown, had the most extensive and handsome display of fine harness, robes, whips, etc., on the ground. Harry is a very clever young man, and we are sure all his old friends here will be gratified to know that he is prospering in his new home.

The Buildings at the Delaware State Fair embraced a main building, an art gallery, an agricultural hall, a machinery department, and extensive shedding for stock. The Judges' stand is a three-story structure, and the most handsome one we ever saw. The grand stand is roomy and pleasant, and affords a fine view of the track and grounds. It has seating capacity, we learn, for three thousand persons.

Painful Accident.—Mr. George Vickers, Jr., grandson of Senator Vickers, met with a painful accident last Tuesday. While riding in haste after a physician, the horse fell with him, catching his foot to disadvantage, and breaking one of his great toes. Drs. Perkins and Hines dressed the wound, removing one of the bones of the toe. The young man is now doing as well as could be expected.

Rev. T. G. Crouse, who was the junior preacher on Kent circuit some years ago, accompanied by his wife and child, spent several days last week in Chestertown, visiting his old friends and the relatives of his better-half, who, it will be remembered, is a native of our town. He preached morning and night in the Methodist Protestant Church, and his sermons were excellent and much admired.

A Handsome Display.—One of the large bulk windows in the front of Sparks' Confectionery and variety store, presents the most attractive display of beautiful lamps and clocks ever seen in Chestertown; and in the evening, especially, when lighted up, is an object that draws the attention of passers-by, particularly of the ladies, who invariably possess a keen appreciation of the beautiful.

AND AGAIN IT CHANGES.

First it came out with flying colors as The Democratic Party of Kent County, and warned the Democratic voters, in a card, that not to support it would be "rebellion against regularly constituted authority" and "a departure from ancient usages of the party," and, "a virtual bolt, split and schism from the Democratic party in the State of Maryland." This was in their early days when they flourished as white-souled Democrats, and endeavored to befuddle Democratic voters. But it didn't work worth a cent. A few intelligent and conscientious Democrats who affiliated with them for awhile, soon saw what kind of a game they were trying to play, and left them in disgust.

Next they managed to effect a combination with the Republicans, much to the dissatisfaction of many straight-forward Republican voters, and appeared as the "People's Reform Ticket." This was a non-committal sort of name, and one under which they could talk Democracy to Democrats and Republicanism to Republicans, but they found that there were numerous Republican voters who had rather vote a straight-out Democratic ticket without being forced to it, rather than have a mongrel ticket made up of a few Republicans and the balance of office-seeking Democrats forced upon them; therefore they changed again, to "Republican and People's Reform Ticket." The exigencies of the times may require several more changes. A writer in the *News* calls it the "Republican, Conservative, Democratic, People's Reform, Independent, Perambulation, Locomotive, Balm of Gilead, Universal Panacea Party." This will do pretty well, and we would recommend it to the Colonel and Boss William, in case they should need a more comprehensive title.

Hamilton Clubs are being formed in Cecil county. In Elkton a Hamilton Club has been organized, electing Dr. James H. Fraser as president, Henry H. Gilpin corresponding secretary, A. W. Mitchell treasurer; and as executive committee, William H. May, Clinton McCullough, George W. Cruikshank, Dr. C. M. Ellis, and William G. Purnell. The Club transacts its routine business on Wednesday nights, and holds public meetings on Saturday nights. A club has also been formed at Rising Sun, Cecil county.

A Success.—We learn that the Tournament held near Church Hill, last Monday afternoon, for the benefit of the Catholic Church in that town, was a success in every respect, netting about one hundred and fifty dollars. Three of our Kent boys—as they usually do on such occasions—carried off the prizes. We did not learn all three of their names, but J. Cosden, of Still Pond, took the first prize, and W. M. Rasin, of the same section, the second.

The demand for Southern wheat, in Baltimore market, is active. On Tuesday it sold at 1 30a$1 35 for long-berry; 1 25a$1 29½ for good to prime Fults, and 1 18a$1 23 for common to fair red. No. 1 Maryland red sold at $1 31½. Southern White Corn sold at 60 cts. and the market was quiet and rather easy. The offerings of Oats are light and the market is firm and higher; only sale 800 bushels bright mixed Western at 37 cents. Rye is quiet and steady, nominally at 64a66 cents per bushel for good to prime.

Kent County Riders took both the first and second prizes in the tournament at the Dover Fair, Mr. W. M. Rasin, of the third district, taking the first prize, and Mr. W. B. Stephens, of Hanesville, taking the second prize. There were, altogether, eighteen riders. The representatives from Kent county were, Knight of "DeForn," Still Pond, (name not given); Knight of "Ambrose," J. Cosden, Still Pond; "Lone Star," W. A. Wilson, of Galena; "My Maryland," W. W. Cosden, Lankford; "Reckless Boy," W. B. Stephens, Hanesville, "Dixie" S. J. Callahan, Hanesville; "Chesterville," G. W. Spry, of Chesterville; "White Cross," W. M. Rasin, of third district.

Glass Jars for canning fruit, have been sold in large quantities this year in all parts of the peninsula. So great has been the demand for glass jars in Kent, that merchants have had to replenish their stock of jars over and over again. Thousands of cans of fruit have been put up by the housekeepers of Kent county. The demand has been so great for cans that prices have advanced materially. There seems to have been the same demand for and scarcity of cans in Queen Anne's county. The *Delawarean* says that twenty-two thousand glass jars were sold in Dover, and that as many more could have been sold if the merchants had had them.

Mrs. Lake's Concert.—There was a tolerably fair audience last Tuesday evening as to numbers, and a very fair audience if judged by the amount of applause given, turned out to Mrs. Lake's concert. Every performance of the evening was roundly applauded, and many of the selections were encored. Mr. John W. Bordley brought down the house in "Little Brother Joe," and other songs. Mr. Washington Hudgins brought out roars of laughter in describing the settlement of Turkey-town, and in other characters. Mr. T. S. Bordley and the Misses Hall and Watkins in all their vocal renderings, were much appreciated by the audience. Mrs. Lake and Mrs. House were roundly applauded in the duett, "O'er the hills and o'er the dale." The Kent Cornet Band were present, and rendered some of their best selections in good style.

The Catholic Fair which commenced in the basement of the church, in this town, two weeks ago, closed last Saturday night. It was a success, about three hundred dollars being realized. The following drew prizes:

Breech-loading gun,	No. 19,	Wm. F. Ringgold;	
Gold Watch	" 15,	William Lambert;	
Barrel of Flour	" 12,	L. Woodall;	
Gold Ring	" 127,	William Moody;	
Barrel White Sugar	" 92,	Benj. F. Beck;	
Cook Stove	" 51,	Herman Wrensch;	
Silver Watch	" 58,	William Baxter;	
Gold Bracelets	" 56,	John W. Hines;	
Alarm Clock	" 57,	W. F. Ringgold;	
Set of Jewelry	" 46,	C. Burgess;	
Counterpane	" 7,	H. W. Vickers;	
Oil Painting	" 21,	J. T. Dixon;	
Lounge	" 107,	Wm. F. Ringgold;	
Set of Dishes	" 8,	J. A. Davis;	
Black Silk Dress	" 51,	Amanda Pratt;	
Lamp	" 21,	John S. Wood.	

Rev. Father Bradford is grateful to the public for their kind patronage.

Jurors to October Term, 1879.

1 Wm. A. Hyland,	25 James H. Baker,
3 Geo. W. Chrisfield,	26 George L. Maslin,
4 Geo. W. Howard,	27 John P. Nicholson,
5 Thos. H. Hague,	28 David Clements,
6 Abr'm. Hurlock,	29 Abel J. Rees,
7 Saml L. Blackiston,	30 James W. Hurtt,
8 James E. Jewell,	31 T. W. Eliason, Jr.,
9 Albert L. Corey,	32 Wm. W. Stephens,
10 Samuel Todd,	33 Robert J. Lusby,
11 Thos. H. Horsey,	34 Benj. F. Sappington,
12 John W. Ireland;	35 Comegys Cosden,
13 Norris Barnard,	36 Joseph Clinton,
14 J. M. Armstrong,	37 Joseph P. Ireland,
15 Thos. L. Bowers,	38 Thomas Rasin, Jr.,
16 T. Waters Russell,	39 J. B. Burchinal,
17 Thos. P. Dixon,	40 William H. Bowers,
18 B. B. Adkinson,	41 Henry M. Thomas,
19 Tilghman Shafer	42 John W. Jarman,
20 J. Evan Thomas,	43 Henry A. Kraft,
21 Wm. Archibald,	44 John C. Sutton,
22 Geo. W. Harper,	45 Wm. J. Vannort,
23 Jos. H. Hossinger,	46 John W. Corey,
24 T. Romie Strong,	47 Colin F. Taylor,
	48 C. A. Leary.

Arrested on a Serious Charge.—A short time since, in one of the Delaware papers, appeared a reward of two hundred dollars, offered by Governor Hall, of Delaware, for the arrest and delivery into the hands of the sheriff of New Castle county, one Harry B. Brennan, who was charged with an attempt to ravish Martha M. Morris, living in New Castle hundred. Brannan was described as having brown hair, dark eyes, florid complexion, upper front tooth broken off, five feet six inches in height, weighing about 135 pounds; wore a dark coat, dark satinet pants, blue navy shirt, and black silk cap.

Officer George W. Jacoby, of Galena, learning that a man of the name and description above given was then in the employ of Mr. P. J. Warren, of Sassafras Neck, took with him Mr. William T. Money, and going to Mr. Warren's found their man at work. Officer Jacoby in a few words made known the object of his visit, and took Brannon at once to Middletown, Del., before 'Squire Naudain, who committed him, for a further hearing, to New Castle jail, at which place Officer Jacoby delivered him into the hands of Sheriff Pyle.

Sargeant R—— Kills a Mad Dog.—Last Tuesday morning, a spotted dog, who had turned out to see the world, found his way into Chestertown. He had in all probability traveled a long distance and struck town early in the morning. He was smelling his way along, as dogs usually do, examining grass plots and other objects of interest that came in his way, when Sargeant R—— happened to notice him. Now Sargeant R—— is usually a very brave sort of fellow. When it comes to tackling a tramp, he's in his element. But there are some things that rather get the Sargeant's nerve. For instance, when he happens to be on a steamboat in a storm, it always excites a religious element in his character, and he feels impelled to get down on his knees and say his prayers. The Sargeant has also an abiding fear of mad dogs. Now when this spotted dog met the Sargeant's vision, the first thought that entered the Sargeant's mind was, "the dog is mad." Acting upon this thought he rushed wildly over to a neighbor's to borrow a gun. The neighbor loaned him his gun. Hastening back to where he left the dog, he took aim, fired, and the dog was dead. After he had killed the dog and began to reflect upon the matter, he began to think that maybe the dog was not mad after all. Summoning some of his friends he asked them if they did not think that that dog looked like a mad dog. His friends could not see anything that looked particularly mad about the dog. To determine the matter, a jury was summoned with a legal gentleman as foreman, the whole jury being made up of unbiased citizens. After a careful inquiry into the facts of the case, they rendered a verdict, that the dog was wilfully murdered. But they further found, and so rendered in their verdict, that if the dog was not mad, Sargeant R—— had yet done the town a good service in ridding it of a night-howler, and if the dog was mad his act was a doubly meritorious one, and is deserving the gratitude of all good citizens.

The Dover Races.—On Tuesday of last week, the first day of the Dover fair, the first trials of speed in the afternoon was for the 3:30 class, purse $100. It was soon won by Lady Wright, Palmer Boy 2d, time 2.41. In the 2:33 race there were entered, Nigger Boy, Lyman, Star, Felton, Jennie Moore, Sherman Morman, George Brooks and John C. The race was won by Nigger Boy in three straight heats, Lyman 2d, Star 3d. Time, 2:34, 2:30, 2:32

In the free for all race, $1500 purse, four horses appeared, Hannis, Jersey Boy, Irene and Scotland. The race was won by Hannis in three straights heats, Jersey Boy 2d, Irene 3d, Scotland 4th. Time, 2:27, 2:30, 2:28.

In the 2:45 race, purse $200, Stonewall won in three straight heats, Brown Tom 2d. Time, 2:40, 2:38, 2:39.

On Wednesday the first race was for the 3 minute class, purse $150, five horses trotted, race won by Palmer Boy, Lady Wright 2d, Modoc 3d. Best time, 2:39. The second race for 2:29 class, purse $300, four starters. Race won by Lady Crossin, Oddfellow 2d, Star 3d, Shermon Morgan 4th. Best time 2:33.

On Thursday the first race was the colt race, purse $100. It was won by Cyclops, Belle Morgan 2d. Time 2:50½, 2:56½. In the 2:26 class, purse $500, the race was won by Phil. Dougherty, Mollie 2d, Belle Oakley 3d. Time, 2:31, 2:29¾, 2:31¼. In the 3 minute class, purse $300, Spunky Brown won the race, Brown Tom, 2d, Athelstan 3d. Time, 2:41, 2:44, 2:40.

On Friday, the last day of the fair, the 1st race was for 2:50 class, purse $150. It was won by Mischief, Lady Wright 2d, Lizzie 3d. Time, 2:42, 2:44, 2:45, 2:46, 2:44¾. In the 2:22 class, purse $1000, there were four starters. The race was won by Scotland, May 2d, Jersey Boy 3d, Irene 4th. Time 2:28, 2:27¾, 2:25¼. The last race was the 2:35 race, purse $250. We have not obtained an account of it.

"Snappers" for the Sun.—Mr. George M. Beaston, of Locust Grove, Kent county, Md., has sent to The Sun a box containing forty fine specimens of the young of chelydra serpentina, vulgarly called snapping turtles, which were plowed out of the ground last Saturday. These juvenile chelonians are scarcely so large as some we have seen, and hardly big enough for soup, but they will grow rapidly in the pond in which they are to be placed.—*Balt. Sun.*

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Sept. 30, 1879.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

On application, James Russell, of Baltimore, was appointed guardian to his minor children, James, Olivia and Maria Wilkins Russell, who filed his bond, in penalty and with security approved.

On application, S. W. Watkins was appointed guardian to his minor son, Chas. L. Watkins, and filed his bond in penalty and with security approved.

Jos. P. Ireland, administrator of Philip Medders, deceased, returned a list of debts due deceased, which was examined and ordered to be recorded.

Mothers will grow weary and sigh over the baby's troubles when Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup would relieve the child and thereby give the mother rest.

Better men's and boys clothing cannot be had any where than at C. N. Ohem & Son's Leading Cash Clothing House. Their immense assortment, together with the one price cash system insures lowest prices and perfect safety in dealing to those not so sure of their own judgement. Our experience has taught us always to buy there and we say go to them without fail.

Dyeing.—The old dyeing establishment branch office, 110 West Baltimore street, is as ever, prepared to do all kinds of work in their line, with neatness, cheapness and dispatch. The superior character of their work enables them to please the most fastidious, and save the frugal many a dollar. The attention of our lady readers is specially called to their Balto. Branch office.

MONEY. $700 to Loan.
Apply to THE EDITOR.
Sept. 4, 1879—3t.

B. F. FLEMING,
DEALER IN
GRAIN, LIME, COAL, WOOD.
—AND—
Farming Implements.
HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR
Wheat, Corn and Oats.
Wanted,
50,000 BUSHELS OF PRIME AMBER WHEAT, EXPRESSLY FOR
Wm. Lea & Son's Brandywine Mills, Wilmington, Delaware.

LIME.
Schuylkill Lime a Specialty.
It will be to your interest to ascertain my prices and easy terms, before purchasing elsewhere. Satisfaction guaranteed, and competition defied.

COAL.
Lehigh and Schuylkill Coal sold in car lots ONLY, which runs from five to ten (10) tons each, and by purchasing in this way you avoid dust, dirt, &c. 2240 lbs. to the ton guaranteed.

WOOD.
Oak Wood, delivered at your door, for four dollars per cord.
B. F. FLEMING.
March 27, 1879—y

GENUINE Imported dLucca Cream Sald Oil, the finest bran manufactured—for sale by C. F. STAM.

BASE BALL BATS—10, 13, 20, 25, 45 cts. at SPARKS'.

ORCHILLA Guano,
Rich in Phosphates, Alkaline Salts and Potash.
John B. Russell,
IMPORTER,
54 *Buchanan's Wharf, Baltimore, Md.*
ANALYSIS:
Phosphoric Acid.....20 to 23 per cent.
Bone Phosphate of Lime.....45 to 50 per cent.
Alkaline Salts..... 5 to 6 per cent.

Church Hill, August 6, 1879.
Mr. A. A. Willson—*Dear Sir*:—In reply to your inquiry of my experience of Orchilla Guano, say I used three tons, at the rate of 400 lbs. per acre, alongside of two other first-class fertilizers, at the same rate per acre, and found when I cut my wheat the heads on the straw were larger in every way and the grain more fully developed than the other fertilizers. I have seen it in use on other lands where the result has been very satisfactory. On stiff white oak rough lands I believe it to be superior to any fertilizer in use, and recommend it to persons using fertilizers.
Respectfully, CHAS. WEATHERBY.

Church Hill, Md., July 1st, 1879.
Mr. Albert A. Willson, *Centreville, Md.*—Dear Sir:—I used one-half ton of your Orchilla Guano last fall on wheat, at the rate of 300 lbs. per acre, on light land, and the result was equal to that of other fertilizers that cost me 35 and 40 per cent. more than the Orchilla. I believe it to be an honest and good fertilizer.
Very respectfully, WM. J. SENNETT.

Price $25 Per Ton, Cash,
OR
$28.00 ON TWELVE MONTHS TIME. WITHOUT INTEREST.
ALBERT A. WILLSON
AGENT,
ARLINGTON HOTEL,
Centreville, Md.
August 28, 1879—2m.

WHOLESALE. RETAIL.
FRANK D. WATKINS & CO.
Successors to JOHN L. SEARS & CO.
MANUFACTURERS
AND
DEALERS IN
Building Material,
DOORS,
WINDOW SASHES,
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First-Class Work.
LOWEST PRICES AT
51 W. PRATT STREET,
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The subscriber having purchased the Foundry Patterns, Stock, &c., of the late Armstrong & Co., combining same with their well known long established business, are prepared to furnish at WHOLESALE and RETAIL for lower prices than ever, a superior stock of
Stoves, Furnaces, Ranges,
ALSO THEIR POPULAR
Fire-Place Heaters,
which have never as yet been equalled.
Thankful for past favors, we hope by strict attention to the wants of the public to merit a continuance of the same.
B. C. BIBB & SON,
39 and 41 Light Street,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Foundry, Port Deposit, Md.

Lumber, Lumber.
Sash, Sash,
Doors, Doors,
Blinds, Blinds,
Mouldings, Mouldings
AT
LOW PRICES!
EARN OUR PRICES
Before Buying Elsewhere,
AND YOU MAY SAVE MONEY.
T. W. ELIASON, Jr.
June 5, 1879.

LIME! LIME!
The undersigned is now selling the best burned
Shell Lime,
and landing it anywhere on the Chester and Sassafras Rivers, or their tributaries, at low rates for cash or good note on short time.
WM. PERKINS.
Chestertown, Sept. 4.

CHEAP STATIONERY.
BLANK BOOKS, Cap and Note Papers, Fancy Paper and Envelopes—at
Sparks'.

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 COAL and WOOD YARD
H. M. THOMAS
HAS opened a *COAL and WOOD YARD* on Cannon St., adjoining Lambert's Carriage Factory, and has now on hand a fine stock of COAL of the different varieties, and OAK and PINE WOOD, which he will sell at low prices. New Scales, guaranteed correct! Hay, Blades, &c., weighed carefully—terms moderate. H. M. THOMAS.
Nov. 19, 1878—tf.

If I Wanted a Nice LAMP, or anything fine in the Glassware why, I would go to SPARKS'.

Do Not Strain Your Eyes any Longer. When for 25 cents you can buy a pair o Glasses—at SPARKS'.

"Where Can I find the Best Cigars and Tobacco in Town?"
"Why at SPARKS', to be sure, opposite the Court House."

CHOW-CHOW, Pickles, Extracts, &c., &c., a little lower than you can buy elsewhere —at SPARKS'.

Fertilizers.
FALL 1879
T. W. Eiason, Jr.
Holloway's Excelsior;
" *Ammo. Super Phosphate;*
J. Horner Jr. & Co's. Concentrated Super Phosphate;
Horner's Ammoniated Super Phos.
J. Ober & Sons Acid Phosphate;
Wm. Whitelock & Co's. Vegetator;
J. Horner, Jr. & Co's. Dissolved Bones, The highest grade on the Market;
T. W. Eliason, Jr's. No. 1 Ammo Super Phosphate;
T. W. Eliason, Jr's. No. 3 Ammo. Super Phosphate;
Peruvian Guano;
Sulphate of Ammonia;
Nitrate of Soda;
Sulphate of Potash;
Plaster, at low rates.
☞ Special advertisements in subsequent issue of paper.
In calling the attention of our customers and farmers generally to the above Fertilizers, I take pleasure in being able to say that all of the above Fertilizers, save my own No. 3, are goods of first-class reputation, and fully equal if not superior to other goods on the market, of their respective kinds.
My own No. 3 Ammo. Super Phosphate is not an experiment, but was put last fall into the hands of a few first-class observing farmers, and gave the most flattering results.
Call and see me before buying your Fertilizers. I may save you money.
T. W. ELIASON, JR.
August 7, 1879.

New Milinary
AND
FANCY GOODS.
MRS. KATE GILL has just opened, at her new store, on High street opposite the Voshell House, a large and elegant assortment of MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS, suited to the present season, all of the latest and most fashionable styles, and embracing every article to be found in a first-class establishment.
SPECIALTIES.
She makes the following articles specialties:
Worsted Fringes;
DRESSBUTTONS, all styles,
ZEPHYRS, all shades;
Embroidery Silks, of all shades:
FLOSS WORKING THREADS & COTTONS, in every shade;
FINE KID GLOVES,
In all the Fashionable shades and colors; also,
BLACK KIDS
of fine quality and durable color;
And COTTON GLOVES, in great variety.
HANDSOME NECK RUFFLINGS AND TIES.
☞ I am determined to sell at lowest prices and respectfully invite an examination of my goods. MRS. KATE GILL,
Nov. 19, 1878. Opp. Voshell House

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

J. W. HINES
Desires to call attention to his stock of PLOWS, Plow Traces, Plow Lines, Chain Traces, Shovels, Forks, Hoes, Spades, &c.
Here is the place to buy Plow Castings.
I KEEP A LARGE SROCK.
on't forget to buy a
RANDALL HARROW.
Ask E. M. Wilkins, J. W. Fowler, W. W. Stephens, Capt. Bacon, James Shuster, Samuel Todd, and others, about them.
Come and see me.
J. W. HINES.
March 27, 1879.

Somethng New.
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