Chestertown Transcript.
THURSDAY, DEC. 18, 1879.

A New Roof has just been put on the back-building of the Voshell House.

Six New Houses are now in course of erection in the village of Rock Hall.

Next Wednesday evening the walk begins as per adv. of Messrs. Bordley & Hynson.

A Number of our citizens went to Philadelphia Tuesday, either to be present at the Grant reception or on other business.

Christmas is not far away. One week from to-day and every boy and girl will be just as happy as Christmas can make them.

Religious Revivals, of unusual interest, are in progress at the M. E. Church at Rock Hall and also at Fairlee.

Last Sunday was a disagreeable, rainy, chilly day throughout, and as a consequence the churches in Chestertown had very slim congregations.

Moved to Town.—Joel C. Slaughter, Esq., the new Register of Wills, has moved to Chestertown, and occupies the house on High street, recently vacated by Mr. H. M. Stuart.

Christmas Jubilee.—The Methodist Protestant Sunday School, of this town, will hold its annual Christmas Jubilee, Tuesday evening, December 30th.

Vendue Next Week.—On Monday next, Dec. 22, at the residence of Mr. Wm. A. Kennedy, near Kennedyville, the administrators of the late John Kennedy will sell, at public sale, a lot of horses, stock, implements, etc. See advertisement in another column.

Baltimore Grain Market.—Good to prime Fultz wheat (Tuesday's quotations) sold from 1 48 to $1 55; 1 58 and 1 60 for long-berry, and No. 1 Maryland red $1 58 per bushel. Southern prime dry white corn sold at 64 and 65 cts. and yellow at 65 cents.

A Handsome Present.—We make our acknowledgements to Mr. C. F. Stam for the present of a handsome gold pen. It was made by Aiken, Lambert & Co., and improves with the using. Any one who has much writing to do, and has never used anything but a spluttering steel pen, has no idea how much bitterness of soul may be saved by investing in a gold pen. Mr. Stam has a large lot of gold pens and pencils, any one of which would make a nice Christmas present.

The Union Almshouse Plan.—We have received, with a request to publish, the following:

OFFICE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH,
Baltimore, December 8th, 1879.

The County Commissioners, Trustees of the Poor and Tax Payers generally of the Counties of Kent, Caroline, Queen Anne's, Talbot, Dorchester, Somerset, Wicomico and Worcester, are respectfully invited to meet in Convention, at Easton, Talbot Co., Md., on Thursday, the 18th instant, at 12 M., to consider the feasibility of erecting one or more Union or District Almshouses in said counties. By request.

C. W. CHANCELLOR, M. D., Secretary.

Appointment of Constables.—The County Commissioners, last Tuesday, appointed the following Constables:

First District—George W. Jacoby and Benjamin F. Downes—reappointed.
Second District—John M. Pennington.
Third Dist—Calvin E. Allen—re-appointed.
Fourth District—C. H. Davis, Jas. H. Russell.
Fifth District—Nathaniel Voshell, J. Frank Whetley.

The law fixes the penalty of the bond at two thousand dollars, and requires that it be filed within thirty days.

Heavy Hogs.—In this issue we have started into the heavy hog business, and we give below a few weights, with which we challenge competition. Mr. Josiah Lusby, living near Chestertown, killed this season, 42 hogs each of which averaged 330 lbs. in weight. Thompson, the butcher, of Chestertown, slew last Monday a porker whose weight was 562 lbs. William Perkins killed four hogs weighing respectively 446, 438, 428 and 424 lbs; J. W. Carroll killed one weighing 473 lbs; Catherine Tumey one weighing 473 lbs; Stansbury Hackett one weighing 424 lbs. and Benjamin Freeman one weighing 410 lbs. These are all the big hogs we have collected so far.

Church Improvement.—For some weeks past extensive repairs to the Methodist Protestant Church building in this town have been in progress. A new roof has been put on, the old ceiling and rafters torn out and replaced by a new ceiling, and the frescoers are now at work re-decorating the walls. A new and handsome chandelier is to take the place of the old one, and the floor is to be carpeted. Other decided improvements will no doubt be made, and the building, when finished, will be more comfortable and attractive than when new.

The Church has also been very much improved recently. A new roof has been put on, the floor covered with cocoa matting, and the wood work nicely painted.

New Advertisements.—There will be found in this issue a number of new advertisements to which we call attention:

The Clergymen of Chestertown and vicinity will hold a fair in the basement of their church in Chestertown, commencing December 27th and closing January 3d.

The ladies of St. James' Methodist Protestant church, Worton, are to have a big supper in their new parsonage, on Christmas Eve, to which everybody is invited.

C. F. Stam advertises a fine line of holiday goods; L. K. Stam a new lot of goods also suitable for the holidays; T W. Wickes advertises Christmas goods; Wm. Perkins advertises the fitting up of his ladies' parlor for winter; Rogers, Peet & Co., of Baltimore, advertise their large Baltimore Clothing House. Read the advertisements elsewhere.

The Maryland State Grange which held its meeting at Raine's Hall, Baltimore, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week, elected the following new officers to serve through the coming year: Master, H. O. Devries, of Baltimore; overseer, John W. Corey, of Kent county; steward, Thomas S. Iglehart, of Anne Arundal county; lecturer, Jas. S. Robinson, of Anne Arundel county; assistant steward, Thos. B. Todd, of Baltimore county; treasurer, Jas. N. Chiswell, of Frederick county; chaplain, Jos. Barlow, of Howard county; secretary, Edward Hall of B., Anne Arundal county; gatekeeper, Geo. H. Elder, Baltimore county; Ceres, Mrs. H. O. Devries, Howard couuty; Flora, Mrs. Geo. Thomas, St. Mary's county; Pomona, Mrs. Daniel Jenifer, Baltimore county; lady assistant steward, Mrs. John W. Corey, Kent county; membess of executive committee, Geo. Thomas, St. Mary's county, and Thomas F. Sheppard, of Carroll county. Mr. Devries asked for and was granted time in which to accept or decline the position of master. Resolutions complimentary to Jos. T. Mobes, the retiring master, were passed and ordered to be published in Baltimore papers and the American Farmer. The session last night was protracted to a late hour.

The master in his report approved of the resolution passed by the National Grange, which recently held its session at Canandaigua, New York, that the head of the Agricultural department should be a cabinet officer. The master also thought that the State of Maryland should build a grain elevator at Baltimore for the use of Maryland farmers.

Debating Society.—The Locust Grove Debating Society met and re-organized on Saturday night 13th inst, with the following officers: President, D. J. Nowland, (Mr. J. W. Hurtt declining a re-election), Vice-Presidents, H. C. Wallis and H. H. Barroll; Secretary, Walter Hill; Curators, Dr. Roseberry, T. B. Sutton and C. B. Jones. The duty of the Curators is to select a question for debate and appoint disputants for the ensuing meeting, while the president and vice-presidents, in a committee of three, decide the question upon the merits of the arguments, by a negative or affirmative vote. In case either of these should be one of the debaters a president or vice-president *pro tem* is appointed. The curators announced the following subject: Resolved, That the *pursuit* of an object gives more pleasure than the *possession*: disputers, H. H. Barroll and C. C. Morgan in the affirmative, J. W Hurtt and Wm. Kelly negative. After an interesting and amusing discussion, in which the pursuit of those dear butterflies, the fair ones, was amorously painted by one in the aff. who "knew something about it," and the joys of the poo— lucky fellow who catches one of them, was lovingly depicted by a neg. who *ought* to "know something about it,"—the question was decided in the affirmative.

The following was announced for discussion on Saturday next: Which form of Government is more conducive to the happiness and general welfare of the whole people who live under it, Monarchial or Republican? Messrs. Morgan, Barroll, and Roseberry will debate for Republican institutions, and Messrs. Sutton, C. Wallis and Hurtt for Monarchial, with Messrs. E. Wallis and Justis as alternates. During the past winter this Society was a source of amusement and useful information to its members, and with a judicious selection of subjects, now that experience is guiding their actions, the coming sessions will have a redoubled interest. The regular night of meeting is Friday, but on account of the revival, which at present is progressing at Locust Grove and which meets at the school house where the Society also assembles, it has been temporarily changed to Saturday.

What Our Advertisers Have Got for Christmas.—Our Chestertown merchants seem to have made greater efforts than ever before to place before their customers a large and select stock of Christmas Goods. Beginning a tour of inspection down High street and traveling up, we first strike

J. STAFFORD'S, JR.

Mr. Stafford has a fine lot of carpetings and a carpet exhibitor that will show just how a carpeted room will look. He has also a new lot of rugs, in handsome designs, which he is selling cheap. Mr. Stafford takes pleasure in showing goods. On the opposite side we next arrive at

J. W. HINES'S.

Mr. Hines is in the stove and agricultural implement business. He has a fine lot of stoves suitable for parlor, kitchen, dining-room, sitting-room or office. Mr. Willard Melvin will always be pleased to show people around. By-the-way, Mr. Melvin is agent for the celebrated Singer sewing machine, something very appropriate for a Christmas gift.

V. BURGESS

Is the next man we strike on crossing over. Mr. Burgess is well supplied with confectionery, nuts, raisins and good things generally. He also has lots of toys and other things that will please the young folks as Christmas presents. On the same side of the street we next come to

J. BELL'S.

Mr. Bell keeps a general stock of groceries and of substantials for the table. He also has a good stock of agricultural implements. He is always ready to furnish anything in his line, from the ingredients for a Christmas mince-pie up to the latest patent corn-sheller. Next above Bell's is

MRS. MELVIN'S.

Mrs. Melvin is prepared to receive the ladies, and has many things suitable for Christmas and Christmas presents which the gentler sex will especially appreciate. Call and see Mrs. Melvin and you will know better what she has got than we can tell.

L. K. STAM

Comes next on the route. Mr. L. K. Stam has laid in a large supply of goods in his line especially suitable to the Christmas trade. He has a fine lot of easy-chairs, lounges, wardrobes, chamber sets, &c., &c., from which a suitable holiday present might be selected. He has a diminutive chamber set which would delight some little ten-year-old lady immensely. Mr. Stam says he loves to show goods, even though people do not buy. He has three stories of his store filled with house-furnishing goods.

C. F. STAM'S

Drug store comes next in order. Mr. Stam has had, every year, a handsome line of goods suitable for holiday presents, and this year he has a larger assortment than usual. He has a choice variety of beautiful silver-plated ware. He has flower-vases and toilet sets in beautiful designs. He has books of every description, handsomely bound and beautifully illustrated. In short, he has a stock of holiday goods which the young folks, the old folks and everybody else will be pleased to look over.

KENNARD & CONNELLY,

Just over the way from C. F. Stam's, have a good assortment of fruits, groceries and provisions, and are driving a selling-out trade, as they design changing their business and business stand next year.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.,

Comes next above Kennard & Connelly. Mr. Eliason keeps a large and well-selected assortment of general merchandise, suitable for all seasons. He has heavy boots and shoes, suitable for wet weather and winter wear; also, a variety of goods that will meet the wants of nearly everybody, whether it be the young lady who wants a handsome new dress, or the practical farmer who is looking for lumber or fertilizer.

SPARKS

Is the next one of our advertisers in the regular line of march. Mr. Sparks has supplied himself with a large stock of holiday goods. He has silver-plated ware, Bohemia ware, confectionery, toys, canned goods, &c., &c. &c. Mr. Sparks is always glad to have people call and look over his wares. Continuing up the street we next come to the large hardware store of

J. K. ALDRIDGE.

Mr. Aldridge has nearly everything to be called for in the tin, stove and hardware line. He can furnish anything in the cookery line, from a cook-stove down to a coffee pot holder. For sportsmen he has everything, from the latest improved breech-loading gun down to a fishing rod. He has a large assortment of pen-knives, skates, sleigh bells, and other things too numerous to mention.

M. A. TOULSON

Has laid in a fine stock of goods suitable for holiday gifts. He has a news and literary department and keeps on hand many periodicals of the day. He also has a large stock of drugs and medicines, and carefully compounds prescriptions. Just above Mr. Tolson is

T. W. WICKES'S

Drug store. Mr. Wickes, at the time we visited his store, had gone to the city to purchase a line of holiday goods; and before our next issue, which comes on Christmas day, he will have opened his stock to the public.

WICKES & BROTHER

Have constantly on hand a large assortment of substantial goods suitable for winter purposes. Heavy woolen blankets, heavy cassimeres, boots, shoes, and a general assortment of substantial merchandise, adapted to people's everyday needs as well as to their holiday wants.

MRS. KATE GILL

Has a large and elegant selection of millinery and fancy goods, fine kid gloves, etc. She has also a stock of first-class gaiters, shoes, slippers, &c., which she is selling very low in order to discontinue that branch of business.

We have some other advertisers who are scattered around in different parts of the town.

JAMES A. SHAW

On Court street, has a good stock of furniture, boots, shoes, powder and shot, groceries, &c.

JAMES B. SAPPINGTON

On Cross street, has a large stock of seasonable dry goods, boots, shoes, flour, provisions and general groceries; a large stock of numerous household articles, table-ware, kitchen-ware, &c., which he says he is selling cheap.

W. HUDGINS,

The Cross-street baker, has laid in a large supply of cakes, candies, nuts, raisins, figs, &c., and is prepared to furnish on demand an abundance of good things that will make happy the young folks.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT

Who are just below Hudgins's bakery, are ready to supply Christmas carriages or to shoe Christmas horses or to do anything else in their line that will make Christmas lively and interesting.

R. E. KNIGHTON, OF GALENA, MD.,

Is also one of our advertisers. Mr. Knighton keeps a tin, stove and hardware store, and though we have not visited his establishment recently, yet we have no doubt he has laid in a good stock of winter and Christmas goods. He has building hardware, table cutlery, lamps, curtains, oil cloths, and many other things which it might be well to call and look at.

OUR BALTIMORE ADVERTISERS

Are also deserving of a notice, though as we have not had an opportunity of inspecting their stocks lately, we can only give their number, and the branch of trade in which they are engaged. *Messrs. Ochm & Son*, of 230 W. Pratt street, are large retail clothiers, as are also *John Wanamaker* of 166 West Baltimore st., *Rogers, Peet & Co.* of 178 West Baltimore street, *Bar*, corner of Gay and Fayette streets. At any one of these houses a tip-top suit can either be made to order or be furnished ready-made, in the latest style. *Thomas Matthews & Son*, corner of Canton avenue and Albemarle streets, is a large dealer in lumber, flooring, shingles, laths, &c.; *Frank D. Watkins & Co.*, 51 West Pratt street, dealer in doors, windows, sashes, blinds, mouldings, &c.; *Ford*, No. 33 West Baltimore street, has a 99c. store; *Charles P. Stevens*, No. 3 S. Calvert street, furniture; *Edward Melchoir & Co.*, 114½ W. Pratt street, firearms, breech-loading guns, etc.; *F. W. McAlister*, optician, No. 50 Lexington street, near Charles; *George O. Stevens*, building materials, 49 Light street.

Orphans' Court, TUESDAY, Dec'r. 16, 1879.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson:

William J. Wilson, late guardian to Genevie W. Wilson, returned his final account.

Benjamin R. Meginniss, admr. of Walter D. Clift, returned and passed his first and final administration account.

Ida M. Clift presented her bond as guardian to her minor son Walter Ward Clift, in penalty, and with securities approved by the Court.

Henry C. and Thomas C. Bruff, executors of the late John K. Bruff, passed their second and final administration account and distribution.

Benjamin W. Berry, admr. of Joshua Little, received a special order to sell the crop of corn and pay claims in officers' hands.

Letters of administration on the estate of Alex'r. Wilson, (colored) were granted unto Mary L. Wilson and Richard Turner. Eben Crew and Emmitt Taylor were appointed to appraise the estate.

F. Hyson Dill, executor of C. Gilbert Wood, passed his first administration account.

Wm. W. Stephens and R. Ll. Nichols returned the annual rental value of the real estate of the minor heirs of the late Jefferson L. Smyth; situated near Fairlee.

The appraised value and inventory of the real estate of the late Daniel Hanes, was returned to the Court by Wm. W. Stephens and Robert Nicholson, the appraisers.

Samuel C. Lecompt, admr. of Wm. H. Lecompt, received an order for a dividend on the personal estate of said deceased.

On application of C. T. Westcott, atty., J. H. Kelly and H. T. Jump, executors of John Kelly, were directed to pay a certain legacy out of funds in hand.

Maryland Sunday School Union.

TO THE PATRONS AND SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS OF KENT COUNTY.

We, the undersigned, officers of this society, have great pleasure to inform you that the Rev. Eneas English, State Missionary of the Maryland Sunday School Union, is about to visit this county in the interests of the Union, whose objects are to promote the opening of Sunday Schools in destitute and neglected places; the increase and prosperity of those already in existence and the reviving of those ready to die; supplying them with all the necessary requirements in Bibles, Testaments, libraries and other Sunday School requisites. He has during the past season been laboring very successfully in Allegheny and Garrett counties, together with other Western counties, where he found the Sunday School cause in a state of general destitution and disorganization, but after earnest efforts he succeeded in awakening a general interest in the various departments of the Sunday School work. It is therefore hoped and requested that when he visits this county the citizens will give him all the aid and encouragement possible in his important mission. He has been recently laboring in Cecil county with equal acceptance and success, in keeping open during fall and winter Sunday Schools heretofore closed; also in organizing Bible classes and imparting and infusing into the various Sunday Schools modern advancements.

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W. A. BAKER, State Sup't.
E. P. JANVIEH, Vice Pres't for Kent county.

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