Chestertown Transcript.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1880.

Frost.—There was a heavy white frost in this section yesterday morning.

Butter in Chestertown, at the present time, is scarce, high in price, and for the most part of poor quality.

E. F. Boyer, an old and well known merchant of Centreville, died very suddenly on Wednesday, the 14th instant, of paralysis.

Replenished.—Kennedyville M. P. Sunday School has added one hundred and forty new volumes to its library. The school is in a flourishing condition.

Court.—The spring session of the Circuit Court commenced here on Monday. The attendance has been good. Court proceedings will be found elsewhere.

The Rev. Mr. Hoblitzell, (says the Pocomoke city *Record and Gazette*, of the 17th instant,) preached his initial sermon on last Sunday evening to a delighted congregation.

The Corner Stone of the Methodist Protestant Church, at Lynch's Station, will be laid, with appropriate ceremonies, on Wednesday, the 28th of April. See notice elsewhere for particulars.

It is now near the last of the planting season. You may never again have the opportunity of purchasing trees at less than half the usual wholesale rates. Read Barnard's advertisement.

Peaches.—Somewhat doleful accounts come from some parts of the peninsula with regard to peaches, but from all we can learn the peach prospect is not hurt yet either in Kent or Queen Anne's counties.

Dr. W. H. Meeteer returned home a few days ago, after an absence of six months, perfectly restored to health, and prepared to resume the practice of his profession. The Doctor's ailment was malarial fever

Sale of Town Property.—The residence of the late Senator Vickers, in this town, has been recently sold to Mrs. M. A. Hurtt. This property is well located, being in the centre of the town, and having ample and beautiful grounds. Terms private.

The New Building Association expects to commence its regular business operations in a few days, probably next Monday night, April 26th. The pass-book, stock-ledger, &c., are yet in the hands of the printer, but will soon be ready. All persons of the town and county who wish to take stock and have not yet subscribed should do so at once.

Base Ball.—The Junior College nine went to Centreville last Saturday and used up the junior nine of that town pretty badly, the score standing in favor of the Kent boys 19 to 7. The Chesterfield club has just organized, and from some of the names that appear they will put out one of the best nines on the peninsula. They are awaiting challenges.

The steamer George Law took the Ford's place on the Chester river route last Tuesday. A new boiler has been put in and numerous improvements made, rendering the Law a swift and very pleasant passenger steamer.

The Ford was drawn off for painting, etc., but will soon be running again, when, we are informed, both boats will be put on the route.

The Grain Market.—The Baltimore *Sun*, of Tuesday last, gives the following quotations: The demand for Southern Wheat is fair and the market quiet, with sales at $1 20 for common; 1 25a$1 26 for fair to good, and $1 32 for prime red. No. 1 Maryland red sold at $1 29½. The offerings of Southern Corn were light and the market was steady, with sales of white at 53 cents and yellow at 49 cts.

Services at the Catholic Church.—Many people of Chestertown not connected with the Catholic Church have attended the services which commenced on Sunday and have been held during this week. All who have listened to the discourses of Father Macgeveney have been charmed. He is an almost perfect elocutionist and in every respect a finished orator. The concluding service is held to-day.

Teachers' Association.—The Kent County Teachers' Association will hold their meeting to-morrow at the public school room in Chestertown. The questions for discussion are:

1st.—"Give plan of keeping pupils well employed."

2d.—"What are some of the important qualifications of a good disciplinarian?"

Miss A. E. Leaverton is essayist, and Mr. A. N. Ebaugh will deliver the address.

The session begins at 10 A. M.

A New Town Law.—We call attention to the law, published elsewhere, with regard to the election of town commissioners of Chestertown and the assessment and valuation of property within the limits of Chestertown for the purpose of corporate taxation. The election of town commissioners under the new law takes place next Monday.

We also call attention to the law permitting the shooting of wild fowl from sink-boxes on Sassafras river.

Tolchester Beach and Park, it is expected, will be opened about the 18th of May. A number of changes and improvements have been made on it since last season. Some twenty-five acres of woodland have been added to the park, as also new bath-houses and pavilions, bridges over ravines, flower beds, and new sources of amusement. The steamer "Pilot Boy" is now being put in complete order, and her saloon newly fitted up. It is promised that no spirituous liquors will be sold on the boat or on the grounds, and the place will on this account no doubt prove an agreeable family resort.

Woodcock's Sentence.—Jesse L. Woodcock, who was tried at the Caroline session of court, was found guilty and sentenced to eight years' imprisonment. It will be remembered that Woodcock's crime, an account of which we published at the time of its occurrence, was the attempted burning of a house in which a widow lady and her daughter were sleeping. He had a jewelry store in a part of the house, and his object undoubtedly was to recover the large insurance ($2,500) which he had on his stock. He had made the most cold-blooded preparations for committing the crime, which, had his plans succeeded, would most likely have been a crime of murder as well as of arson. The evidence against him was direct and conclusive. He was lodged in the penitentiary last Monday.

Body Found.—The body of a white man was found on the shore of Mrs. John Gale on the morning of April 6. Justice Cohee was notified and summoned a jury of inquest, with Mr. A. G. Mathiot as foreman, and the following facts were gathered, some of which were given in the *Transcript* shortly after the drowning took place: The oyster pungy "Samuel Sands" was lying off Mrs. Gale's wharf Feb 27; early in the morning one of the crew, Wm. Clinton, left the cabin with a spittoon and went on deck to cleanse it. Some time afterwards when sought for he could not be found, but the spittoon was seen floating on the water, and it was surmised at once that he had fallen overboard from a sudden rush of blood to the head and was drowned. Dr. Merritt made a medical examination, but could find no evidence of foul play, and the jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning. The deceased was about 19 years of age and a Philadelphian. His remains were buried on the shore.

Proceedings of Circuit Court, April Term, 1880.—Court convened on Monday, Judge Stump presiding, Judge Wickes being detained by indisposition.

The drawing for Grand Jury resulted as follows: Wm. N. E. Wickes, foreman; William A. Taylor, James J. Spear, Barney J. McCauley, John W. Hines, Henry J. Gray, L. M. Bean, Josias Lusby, Samuel Hurlock, Garrett Foxwell, Samuel A. Reed, Dennis J. Nowland, James S. Harris, Wm. Stevens, Thos. S. Bordley, Enoch N. Roland, Anderson W. Melvin, Nicholas G. Westcott, Richard Ll. Nicols, Edwin S. Morris, John C. Burchinal, George R. Stephens, Thomas A. Jacobs.

The following constitute the Petit Jury:—Nathaniel T. Hynson, Jeremiah Peacock, John F. Beeks, George W. Davis, Elijah E. Miller, Richard T. Turner, Jr., George R. Beck, John Gale, John R. Gill, B. F. H. Caulk, Francis A. Wallis, James H. Plummer, Geo. W. Covington, Nathaniel W. Comegys, Cornelius J. Scott, James F. M. Woodall, David Stewart, Edward B. Woodall, John B. Parrott, William Morris, Frisby H. Boulden, Theodore Diehl, Robert G. Nicholson, J. Frank Wilson, Jas. H. Thompson.

State vs. Wm. B. Austin presented at October Term 1879, for an assault with a pistol on Charles Miller. Plea of not guilty admitted by the State, the prosecuting witness not being in attendance. Hynson for defense.

State vs. Emory Ward, indicted at the October Term 1879, for selling whiskey at Tolchester Beach, on or about September 1st, 1879. Tried before the Court, and adjudged guilty and fined $50 and costs, in default of payment of which he shall be committed to jail to be there confined until the same shall have been paid. He has since been confined in jail. Westcott for defense.

State vs. James F. Pennington, indicted at a prior term for selling spirituous liquors without license, at Morris' station, on or about Sept'r. 15, 1877. Tried before the court, and adjudged not guilty. Hynson for defense.

Jos. Miller and Geo. Seeney vs. James Shuster: appeal from the decision of Justice Wheatley. Action to recover a sum of money alleged to have been justly due, of some standing. Tried before the court. Verdict in favor of appellee vs. Joseph Miller appellant, for $26.75, and in favor of appellant vs. Seeney, on the plea of limitations. The Court's decision reversed the decision of the Justice of the Peace. Vickers for appellants, Baker for appellee.

State vs. John Manning, indicted at a prior term for selling liquor contrary to law, on Riley's Neck camp ground, in the month of August, 1878. Tried before the Court. It appears that the defendant had been tried and convicted before a Justice of the Peace, whereupon the State entered a plea of not guilty, and the Court so adjudged him. Pearce for defense.

There have been a number of indictments for violation of oyster laws, and other misdemeanors, found by the grand jury.

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, April 20, 1880.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

On application of Mary T. Wilson, colored, she was allowed to purchase sufficient plank to enclose her yard not exceeding 1200 feet.

Daniel E. Jewell returned an appraisement and valuation of the real estate of Frisby Redding, colored, as made by himself, and Geo. T. Williams, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

R. T. Turner, one of the administrators of Alex Wilson, colored, returned an inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

LITERARY REVIEW.

Lippincott's Magazine.—Lippincott's Magazine for May opens with a copiously illustrated paper on Richfield Springs, which, besides an attractive description of this much frequented watering-place and much information that will be useful to all who think of spending part of the summer there, gives some interesting particulars about Fenimore Cooper and Judge Nelson, whose farms at Cooperstown lie within an easy drive from Richfield. A descendant of the famous novelist, Miss Constance Fenimore Woolson, contributes to this number a very quaint and touching story entitled 'Miss Grief.' The first of a series of "Studies in the Slums," by Mrs. Helen Campbell, gives a striking account of the mission in Water Street, New York. These papers should receive attention from all who feel an interest in the great and indispensable work of redeeming the outcast population of our large cities. The concluding paper of Octave Thanet's able discussion of the condition of "The English Workingman" deals with another and not less pressing social problem. "The Backwoods of Guatemla" are graphically pictured with both pen and pencil in Dr. Oswald's "Summerland Sketches," which are now drawing to a close. Nena Sturgis has an illustrated article on "Ancient Maskers and Modern Carnival." F. M. Osbourne gives an amusing account of a "Funeral in a Chinese Fishing Village," and Phebe D. Natt describes the methods of instruction in the various "London Art Schools." There are several short stories, including a lively sketch of negro life by Jennie Woodville; "Adam and Eve," by the author of "Dorothy Fox," grows in interest and promises to prove a very popular serial; and the "Monthly Gossip" is full of good things, embracing reminiscences of Charles Dickens and the Countess Ida Hahn-Hahn, with several short articles on social and literary topics. A poem by Longfellow will appear in the next number.

Eclectic Magazine.—The May number of this excellent periodical is at hand, and contains, besides its literary attractions, a fine steel engraved portrait of the venerable Dr. Leonard Bacon. The literary contents are varied and interesting, comprising the following articles: "Copyright," by Matthew Arnold; "The Northeast Passage: Narrative of Lieut. Palander, Swedish Royal Navy, Commander of the Exploring Vessel;" "An Eye-Witness of John Kemble and Edmund Kean," by Theodore Martin; "Yoshida-Torajiro," a bit of Japanese biography; "Radiant Matter," by D. Pidgeon; "The Bells of Lynn," a poem; "Henri Regnault;" "White Wings: A Yatching Romance," by William Black; "Greek and Christian Views of Beauty," by Rev. R. St. John Tyrwhitt; "Chippers of Flint;" "Fate, or God?" by Paul H. Hayne; "Mademoiselle de Marsac," a story; "On the art of Sketching from Nature in Water-Colors," by Walter Severn; "Chinese Proverbs;" "An Old Boat," a poem; a biographical sketch of Dr. Leonard Bacon (to accompany the portrait); and copious Editorial Departments of "Literary Notices," "Foreign Literary Notes," "Science and Art," and "Varieties."

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The Leaders of Fashionable Dress and Low Prices.—C. N. Oehm & Son, proprietors of the largest one-price double Clothing House, Baltimore, now occupy two entire three-story buildings with their splendid stock of Men's, Youth's, Boy's and Children's Clothing. Having bought and manufactured their entire stock before the great advance of woolens, they are selling great bargains in every department for spring and summer wear, which none can afford to overlook. We feel it our duty to call the attention of our readers to this truly famous and reliable establishment, corner of Pratt and Hanover Sts. No one in need of clothing, ready-made or made to order, should fail to call on Oehm & Son and see the low prices at which the most choice and perfect fitting garments are selling.

Who would suffer with frosted feet when they can be cured by Roberts' Celebrated Embrocation? For this alone it is worth ten times the cost of a bottle, which is but 35 cts. It has a reputation of 40 years' standing. Sold everywhere.

Horsemen should always keep a bottle of Roberts' Embrocation in the stable, as it is a certain cure for Swellings, Bruises, Stiffness of the Limbs or Joints, Cuts, Scratches, old or fresh wounds. It acts like a charm, and makes a horse more valuable by its timely application. Do not be humbugged by so-called liniments. Try the one that has stood the test of 40 years. Price 35 cts. per bottle. For sale everywhere.

Why do you cough when you can find speedy relief in Sine's Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Hoarhound? It is the most efficacious remedy known for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Asthma, and all diseases tending to Consumption, and has been sold over 40 years. It is especially adapted to children, as it does not nauseate, and can be used in sufficient quantities to effect a cure. Price, 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Ask your druggist for it.

Do not be deceived into buying so-called Cough Syrups that have been foisted on the market by extravagant advertising. Try the old reliable Sine's Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Hoarhound. For Coughs, Colds, Bronchial Affections, or any Lung Disease, it is invaluable, and has been in the market over 40 years. Price 25 and 50 cents a bottle. For sale everywhere.

Good News to Horsemen and Owners of Stock.—The price of M. B. Roberts' justly celebrated Horse Powders has been reduced to 25c. per package, which makes it the cheapest in the market, as it requires but a tablespoonful for a dose; a fact which has been overlooked by many when they purchase large packages of inferior powders, whose bulk is composed of material solely to increase their size. Roberts' Horse Powders have no adulteration, and contain only pure medicines. They are the only powders combining the three principles necessary to the health of horses—namely, Laxative, Tonic and Purifying. For horses that are foundered, overheated, hide-bound, or have lost their appetite, they are indispensable. They have been sold over 40 years. For sale at the druggists.

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

B. F. FLEMING,

DEALER IN

GRAIN, LIME, COAL, WOOD, PEACH CRATES AND BASKETS.

Schuylkill Lime a Specialty.

Mr. B. F. Fleming: I used Mogee's Schuylkill Lime on corn last spring. It slacked more to the bushel, acted quicker, and gave me the best satisfaction of any Lime I have ever used. GEORGE H. SNITCHER.

Mr. B. F. Fleming: We have used Mogee's Lime for three successive seasons. It slacks more, contains less core, acts quicker, and we believe it is the best Lime in the market. JOS. S. FOWLER, Round Top.

REFERENCES:

James A. Pearce, Esq., Chestertown; Robert Nicholson, Hanesville; Robert G. Nicholson, Hanesville; Hyland P. Smith, Smithville; Stephen Lecates, William Vannort, Jesse Morris, Chestertown; William T Nicholson, Worton; James L. Beck, Walter Beck.

This Lime will be delivered by cars or vessel to all Stations and Landings on the Peninsula. Terms very moderate.

Don't fail to come and see me before purchasing.

Orders by mail promptly executed.

B. F. FLEMING,
Office under Voshell House,
April 1, 1880—y Chestertown.

EXAMINERS' NOTICE.

THE subscribers having been commissioned by the Hon. Board of County Commissioners, Examiners to examine and determine whether the public convenience requires that

A NEW ROAD

shall be opened in the First Election District, commencing at or near the division line between the lands of Jonathan Hodgson and Stephen Boyer, on the road from Massey's to Smyrna, and running as per courses laid down in petitioners' notice and said commission, till it intersects the road from Massey's to Millington, hereby give notice that they will meet, on

The 28th day of April next,

at 10 o'clock, at Massey's, if fair, if not on the next fair day, to proceed to discharge their duties under said commission.

WALTER J. GRIFFITH,
JOSEPH H. HOSSINGER,
LEWIN USILTON.
March 25, 1880—tm (N)

KENT CO. COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL NOTICE.

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

Tuesday, the 16th day March, 1880,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour on

EVERY TUESAY,

Until the First day of June next,

for the purpose of

Noting Transfers and Correcting Assessments.

All persons who have sold or transferred any ASSESSABLE PROPERTY.

since their last sitting for said purpose are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 15th of June next

no alterations or *corrections* in assessments will be made for the present year.

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

Tuesday, the 15th day of June next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy for this year. *All accounts* properly chargable to the county are requested to be made out in a clear manner and itemized and rendered under oath.

All Applications for Pensions

must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of applicant and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—*All persons neglecting* to have their *assessments corrected* are hereby notified that *no allowance for taxes paid in error* in consequence of such neglect *will be made.*

THOS. P. DIXON,
C. P. LOPER,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
WM. V. LUCAS,
T. ROMIE STRONG.
March 11, 1880. (N.)

GARDEN SEED.

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF THE FINEST QUALITY OF

Garden Seed,

ALL FRESH;

For sale at Lowest Prices, by

T. W. WICKES.

March 25, 1880.

W. Register's MARBLE WORKS,

Chestertown, Md.

ALLOW ME to tender my sincere thanks for the past patronage of the public, and hope to receive their approval and patronage this present year. I am prepared to cut and finish every design in the marble business.

I have a very handsome assortment of my own finished

TOMBSTONES.
Some of the Latest Designs,

HANDSOMELY FINISHED,

Copied from the Late Paris Exhibition.

A large assortment for children, different patterns, some as low as $6.00, lettering included. Some fifty different patterns for grown persons, handsomely finished, some of them as low as $15.00, lettering included. Also, a fine line of different patterns, expressly for the

QUAKER BURYING GROUNDS,

very thick and heavy and handsomely finished of the best marble.

Marble Posts, marble Vases with Pedestal, Marble Coping, Tombstones and Monuments, of all sizes and styles.

Marble or Sandstone worked to order. I warrant all my work not to color or blister—time has no effect on it. I set up all of my work, thus relieving the purchaser of all trouble or risk.

Come one, come all, that are in want, and examine my work and learn my prices. I will be thankful. Don't send the money out of your own neighborhood.

Call and see me. I do not like to canvass for work, for I think it too sad a business to barter with relatives or friends.

My work can be seen in all the cemeteries of Kent and the adjoining counties.

March 11, 1880—8m. W. REGISTER.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Letters Testamentary on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of WILLIAM BOWMAN, late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the 19th day of October, 1880; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 13th day of April, 1880.

WILLIAM A. CLEAVER,
April 15, 1880—4t *Executor.*

Spring Fertilizers

T. W. WICKES

Is selling the

BEST FERTILIZERS IN THE MARKET,

FOR ALL SPRING CROPS.

Farmers should not fail to see him before making their purchases. March 25

THE Spring-Tooth Harrows, so highly endorsed, are sold by KENNARD & CO.

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, 1880,

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

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

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 60
" 4,000	"	6,000	30 60
" 6,000	"	8,000	40 60
" 8,000	"	10,000	50 60
" 10,000	"	15,000	65 60
" 15,000	"	20,000	80 60
" 20,000	"	30,000	100 60
" 30,000	"	40,000	125 60
" 40,000			150 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 latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent county, to wit:

On this —— day of ————, 1880, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared ———— ————, and declared that he intends to apply for a trader's license under the second section of the act of January session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and make oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership,) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade,) that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $ ———.

Sworn before —— ——

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.

Vendors of Cakes and vendors of Beer, who are makers of such Beer, (Lager Beer excepted,) are not required to take out License.

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

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

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6.60; 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 Licenses on or before the first day of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows in the country:

To travel on foot	$41 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 any partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, recoverable before any Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

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

Exchange Broker	$100 60
Stock Broker	75 60
Bill Broker	50 60

The following Act—chapter 448, page 863—entitled "An Act to add to the 10th section of article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub-section, requiring a license to enable any person to act as Real Estate Broker," provides—

That "any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars, may obtain a license for carrying on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual copartnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate broker without a license, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon other Brokers by section seventeen of this Article."

LICENSE TO OWNERS OR KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

The owner or keeper 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 in 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 that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid as stipulated above, one-half to the State and the other to the informer.

EUGENE GOODING,
April 8. Sheriff of Kent county.

Sparks'

OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE,

One of the Largest and most attractive stocks of NEW YEAR'S GOODS ever seen in Chestertown.

Silver Plated Ware.—Casters, Butter Dishes, Pickle Stands, Cake Baskets, Card Baskets, Napkin Rings, Mugs, Goblets, Syrup Cups, Tea and Table Spoons—all *Triple Plate.*

Bohemian Glassware.—Toilet Sets, Vases, Mantle Ornaments, of various kinds.

BEAUTIFUL CLOCKS!
HANDSOME LAMPS!

Fine Glassware.—Goblets, Tumblers, Mugs, Glass Bowls, Covered Dishes, Celery Glasses, Butter Dishes, &c.

Toys, Toys, Toys.

FANCY PAPER IN BOXES.

A full stock of choice Confectionery, Nuts, Fruits, Chow-chow, Pickles, Canned Goods, Mustards, Sauces, &c.

Cigars and Tobacco.—Having a large stock of Cigars, we will sell them by the box at greatly reduced prices.

Be sure and call before buying your goods. We intend to sell everything very low.

Remember the place!

SPARKS',
Dec. 4, 1879. Opp. Court House.

WANTED:

20,000 lbs. Wool

EXPRESSLY FOR MALLALIEU BROS., MILLINGTON.

Deliver at any Steamboat Landing on Chester river, or at the Warehouse in Chestertown.

JOS. W. THOMPSON.
March 4, 1880—3m.

POCKET BOOKS, Rubber Bands, Lead Pencils, Gum Rattles, Pens and Ink, very cheap—at STAM'S DRUG STORE.

Black Residuum.

This article has been used by a large number of Farmers in Kent county, on corn, in heavy clay lands with uniform success. The verdict of those who have used it is that

It secures a crop of Corn on such lands;

It is the cheapest goods on the market;

It is the most economical goods used;

No other goods approximates it in the profit derived from its use, giving sometimes three-fold as much corn as could be raised without it;

It prevents the insect from troubling corn.

☞ I invite attention to a few Certificates and to a list of a few gentlemen who have used it:

Chestertown, Md., Jan. 10, 1880.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I used your Black Residuum on my corn last spring. The field on which I used it was a heavy clay soil and generally frenches. I am satisfied its use paid me a clear profit of Five Dollars per acre. Respectfully,
THOS. J. VICKERS.

Chestertown, Nov. 16, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I was very much pleased with the Black Residuum I purchased of you last spring. I used it on heavy clay lands on which I had never before succeeded in getting a crop of corn. It acted like a charm, giving me an excellent crop wherever I put it. I shall want more of it next spring. It paid me a great deal better than any goods I have ever used. Respect'y.
R. C. SMYTH.

Chestertown, Nov. 25, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: You ask me for the result of my experiment with your Black Residuum. In reply, I used the Goods at the rate of about 250 lbs. per acre, costing me per acre $1.70 cts. I left part of my land without applying the goods for the purpose of ascertaining its value to me. After shelling my corn I found that my land where the Black Residuum was used has given me fifteen bushels of corn to the acre more than the land on which I did not use it: estimating corn at 50c. per bushel, I have made, clear of the cost of the goods, five dollars and eighty cents per acre. The land on which the experiment was made is a heavy clay soil and generally frenches. This year, where the Black Residuum was used, I had no frenched corn, while right by the side of it, where I did not use your goods, my crop was very much hurt by the frenching.
Respect'y, EDWARD SLAUGHTER.

Chestertown, Feb. 11, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I used your Black Residuum, mixed with super phosphates, on corn last spring. I was very much pleased with the result; was troubled scarcely at all with insect, and my corn crop was largely increased. I am satisfied that its use paid me handsomely. Respectfully,
J. P. NICHOLSON.

Chestertown, Feb. 25, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: In reply to your inquiry, the "Residuum" obtained of you last season, was applied to corn, to prevent frenching, a handfull to three hills, with results entirely satisfactory. It is the most economical article I have used for that purpose.
JOHN W. COREY.

Chestertown, Feb. 11, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I used on my corn the Black Residuum I purchased of you last spring. It gave me entire satisfaction, *and have never used any goods that approximates it in the profit derived from its use.* I used several other goods costing me considerably more money, but your Black Residuum gave me a much better crop than either of the others.
BARTUS TREW.

Chestertown, Feb. 21, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I have used your Black Residuum for several seasons, on lands that usually french corn. No corn frenched where I applied it. It gave me twice as much corn as I would have raised without its use. I do not know of anything that begins to approach it in value, on such lands, for corn. I mixed it with a super phosphate.
Respectfully yours,
WM. T. NICHOLSON.

Chestertown, Feb. 19, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I was very much pleased with the Black Residuum and super phosphate that I purchased of you last spring. I used them on part of my field which usually had been in the habit of frenching. I could perceive no signs of frenching where I applied it, and regretted very much that I did not use it on my entire field. It paid me handsomely, much better than another goods used, well known in the county, which cost me considerably more money.
Respectfully, JOS. RASIN.

Chestertown, March 15, 1879.
Mr. T. W. Eliason, Jr.—
Dear Sir: I can confidently recommend your Black Residuum for corn on lands that usually French. I have used it for several years and have seen the results of its use in a number of cases, and have never known a hill of corn to french where it was applied. Its low price renders its use very profitable, more so than any goods I have used.
Respect'y yours, SAMUEL BECK.

Millington, Md., Feb. 14, 1879.
T. W. Eliason, Esq.—
Sir: Your letter received. In regard to the relative merits of your phosphate tried by me on corn, I will say to you that I used it on timothy sod, a piece of land that had been mowed for three years. I gave it a fair trial alongside of —— ——; also, ——, of your town. My opinion of the action of the three phosphates is in favor of yours: the corn started off faster, made a better growth all the time, and also had a better color, it being a very black green. My son, H. C. Hendrickson, who superintended dropping the three phosphates, was particular in applying it, and he could show me the very row where yours was used without looking for the stake that marked it; also, when the corn was fit to husk, my opinion was that where yours was used it was eared the best. The fact is, it made more corn and more fodder than where the other two were used. In applying, I mixed the Residuum and the phosphate thoroughly together. The quantity used was a handful to three hills, or about 200 lbs. to the acre. I consider it a good article for corn. Respect'y yours,
P. HENDRICKSON.

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P. HENDRICKSON,
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JAMES SHUSTER,
JAMES BECK, of Geo.,
JOHN T. SKIRVEN,
LEWIN USILTON,
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Lambson	9 20	4 10
Masseys	9 35	4 25
*Delanys	9 50	4 40
*Bingham	10 00	4 50
arr Clayton	10 15	5 00
leave "	10 22	5 09
" Middletown	10 56	5 45
" Wilmington	12 13 p m	7 05
arr Philadelphia	1 15	8 20
Baltimore	3 35	9 25
New York	4 45	3 45

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Baltimore	9 45	7 00	3 06
Philadelphia	11 45	8 00	5 15
Wilmington	1 10 p m	9 15	6 30
Middletown	2 11	10 21	7 38
arr Clayton	2 35	10 51	8 06
leave "	2 45	11 00	8 10
arr *Binghams	3 00	11 15	8 22
*Delanys	3 10	11 25	8 30
Masseys	3 25	11 40	8 45
Lambson	3 40	11 55	9 00
Blacks	3 50	15 05 p m	9 10
Kennedyville	4 00	12 15	9 20
Still Pond	4 10	12 24	9 30
Lynchs	4 15	12 30	9 35
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