Chestertown Transcript.

THURSDAY, FEB. 10, 1881.

St. Valentine's Day comes again next Monday. The sending of valentines is one of the old customs that will not die out.

The Kent Guards hold a special dress parade next Tuesday night. A full attendance is desired. The country soldiers are especially expected to be on hand.

Appointed to Scholarship.—Miss Eunice Gemmill, of Chestertown, has been appointed to fill the vacant scholarship from Kent county, in the Baltimore Female College.

The Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent County, as will be seen by statement published elsewhere by the Insurance Department, is in a sound and flourishing condition.

Landreth's Catalogue.—We received recently from Messrs. Landreth & Sons, a copy of their new Catalogue, and a package of various kinds of garden seeds. The Messrs. Landreth & Sons have a well established reputation as reliable seedsmen.

Baltimore Grain Market.—Stocks in Elevators, last Tuesday, 1,748,619 bushels Wheat and 312,439 bushels Corn. The business in Southern Wheat is slow, and the market dull at 1a2 cents decline; sales of prime Fultz at $1 14, and of long-berry at 1 19a$1 20. No. 1 Maryland red sold at $1 17. The offering of Southern Corn is light and the market quiet; white sold at 53 cents for damp and 54 cents for dry.

Personal.—Mr. William W. Wallis, residing in Queen Anne's county, near Chester river bridge, was stricken with paralysis on the 2d inst. He walked over to a neighbor's, and, while standing in the barn and conversing with him, he suddenly fell to the ground. Dr. Catlin, who resides near the place, was sent for and found that Mr. Wallis was paralyzed in the right side of his body. Mr. Wallis has since very much improved, and hopes are entertained that he will entirely recover the use of himself.

Mr. A. W. Melvin, residing near Chestertown, who was also stricken with paralysis some weeks ago, has recovered very considerably, and is now in much better condition.

Protecting Partridges.—This has been a terrible winter upon birds of all kinds, and especially upon partridges. These feed upon seeds that have been covered by snow. We understand that some farmers have regularly fed flocks that were on their farms, and thus preserved them. It is to be hoped that this has been done in numerous instances. We have not heard of many partridges being found dead, but the long snow must necessarily have resulted in the death of many. The severe winter has also doubtless rendered hawks and other natural enemies of the partridge more than usually rapacious. The partridge is one of our greatest food delicacies, and more attention should be devoted to their preservation and increase.

Revival Meetings.—The protracted meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church is now in its fourth week. The congregations have been good during the time, and a number of conversions have taken place. Penitents are nightly found at the altar, and the interest in the meeting is unabated.

The meeting at the Methodist Protestant church, now in the fourth week of its progress, gives no signs of abatement in interest. Last Sunday, at both morning and evening service, numbers of the new converts were received into the church as probationers. The congregations are full, and penitents are found at the altar every night.

Among the Possibilities.—Should the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad succeed in getting connection with Philadelphia and New York it is hoped that company will build a line of road through the Eastern Shore, from Elkton via. Chestertown, Centreville, Easton, Cambridge, Salisbury and other towns in the lower part of the shore. Such a road would be the most sensible line that could be projected for this shore, and would undoubtedly prove a paying investment. It would give Baltimore the trade of the Eastern Shore, which really belongs to it, and give our people a railroad system approaching reason. As the B. & O. has done so much towards improving Baltimore, and still wants to, this is the thing for it to do as soon as the through connection is effected. Cannot some of our leading citizens take hold of this matter and aid in inducing the great Maryland company to put it through.—*Centreville Observer.*

Christianity in America before Columbus.—The lecture at the Court House, last Tuesday evening, by Rev. W. F. Clarke, S. J., upon "Christianity in America before Columbus," evidenced a scholarly research into church history. The speaker established by numerous quotations from early records, that nearly nine hundred years ago, the Catholic church established a Bishop over Greenland and Iceland, and through a long period of years the Catholic religion was taught to the people of those lands; and that five hundred years before Columbus landed on this Western Continent, a body of explorers from Greenland, penetrated as far South as Rhode Island, which they named Vineland. With the Danish colony in Rhode Island, Catholicism was also established. The speaker received the careful attention of the audience throughout.

A Surprise Visit.—Quite a goodly number of the members of the Methodist Protestant Church in this town assembled at the residence of Mr. William Vannort, on Queen street, last Saturday evening, and at about eight o'clock, loaded with baskets and bundles, formed in procession and marched to the parsonage. On arriving they were received,—the pastor, in consequence of a bad cold, having already retired to bed,—by his good lady, who was really greatly surprised. The throng took possession of the dining-room and kitchen, and while the ladies busied themselves in filling up the pantry, cup-board and safe with all sorts of canned fruits and vegetables, jellies, butter, eggs, lard, sausage, hams, poultry, sugar, coffee, flour, &c., parson Neepier made a hasty toilet and descended to the dining-room. He was hardly sufficiently wide awake to immediately take in the situation, but regained his self-possession in time to make a happy response to the short but pointed remarks of Mrs. William Vannort, who, on behalf of the company, presented him with a purse of $42.00. The time was very socially and pleasantly spent until about nine o'clock, when the company took their leave. The business engagements of the evening, together with the very brief notice given, deprived many of the pleasure of attending and participating in the surprise visit to the parsonage.

Orphans' Court, TUESDAY, February 7, 1881. Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

Thomas W. Skirven filed the last Will and Testament of John T. Skirven, which was admitted to probate and ordered to be recorded.

On application, Letters Testamentary on the estate of John T. Skirven, late of Kent county, deceased, were granted and committed unto Thomas W. Skirven, J. Walter Skirven and Washington G. Skirven, who filed their bond in the sum of $8,000, which was approved and ordered to be recorded.

Thomas J. Vickers, administrator of Francis J. Maslin, returned account of sale of the personal estate of said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

George T. Williams, one of the administrators of William V. Lucas, returned account of sales of the personal estate of said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Richard C. Johnson, guardian to Catharine E. Maulsberger, returned his final guardian account for said ward, which was examined, passed as stated, and ordered to be recorded.

On application, Miss Eunice Gemmill was elected to fill the vacancy in the Baltimore Female College, as provided in section 13, article 84, of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland.

John M. Davis, guardian to George S. Clifton, returned his guardian account for said ward, which was examined, passed as stated, and ordered to be recorded.

KENT CO. TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Association of the Public School Teachers of Kent county met at the school room in Chestertown, on last Friday, the 4th instant. The association was called to order at 10 o'clock A. M.

As unfinished business there came up the question, "How can we best keep sufficient heat in our school rooms, and give them proper ventilation, as they are now constructed?"

Mr. Pinkind doubted if all the teachers present could be brought to agree as to what proper ventilation is. He thinks he would not be able to determine when a room is properly ventilated. When a teacher has been a long time in a school room he may think it well ventilated when it is not well ventilated. He thinks if his school room is a fair sample of school rooms, they cannot be properly ventilated. He doesn't see any way out of the difficulty, and teachers will have to get along the best they can.

Mr. Bowers supposes the average school houses in the county are getting old. His is. He has had no trouble in ventilating his room. His school house is full of holes that let in plenty of fresh air. He thinks the best way to find out how to ventilate properly is by experiment.

The president read an extract from a government publication, upon the subject of school room ventilation. He said he agreed with Mr. Pinkind that it is not possible to secure proper ventilation as school rooms are now constructed. He explained a method of construction that he thinks secures a better ventilation. He thinks as the school rooms now are, the doors and windows should be opened occasionally, and the room given an air-washing,—this ventilating process not to last longer than a few minutes.

Mr. Crosby said that he considers it ridiculous, with twelve or fifteen pupils in a school room, with two keyholes in the door and with openings on all sides of the room, to think about any bad effects from want of ventilation. He related his experience with a broken pane of glass, and told of an experiment he had made at ventilating his school room by opening the door. The thermometer stood at 70 degrees when the door was opened and rose to 71 with the door opened. He does not think there is any immediate necessity for being frightened.

The next question taken up was, "How can teachers induce proper methods of thought on the part of pupils?"

Mr. Topping said that he believes that we are educated by the exercise of thought. He thinks teachers should not teach by rote They should not ask systematized or routine questions. They should not adhere to questions as laid down in the book. In teaching arithmetic, he writes many original propositions, and he thinks that that helps pupils to think.

Mr. Meier thinks a very good way is to make the lessons as interesting as possible.

Mr. Bowers understood the question to mean how to give pupils a clear and comprehensive understanding of what is taught them. To do this children should be taught connectedly. Beginning with fundamental principles, the teacher should have a connecting link all the way through. There should be a connection between what is past, and what is, and what is to come.

Mr. Woodall said, that understanding the question as Mr. Bowers had defined it,—how best to have pupils understand what is taught them,—he thought that the clear understanding of the pupils depended much upon the teacher's capacity to simplify and make plain what is taught.

The president said that the power of comprehension on the part of the pupil, is largely blended with the faculty of memory, as memory is the basis of the reflective faculties. A clear understanding depends not upon the duration of attention, but upon concentration of attention. The teacher's aim should therefore be directed to fixing and holding attention of pupils. To do this demands thought and a careful daily preparation on the part of the teacher.

Mr. Starkey makes things as plain as possible, and leads pupils gradually from what they know, to what they do not know

Mr. Pinkind thinks that one mode of inducing pupils to think is to make some startling announcement with regard to the question asked.

Mr. Crosby named over some of the mistakes he had made. One mistake, often made, is with regard to thought. It is one of the worst things to try and force an opinion upon a pupil, without giving the pupil a proper understanding of the reasons therefor. A teacher should not merely state that a thing is so, because it is so. Words often do not convey the same meaning to children's minds that they should convey.

Miss Owens thinks that as a general thing, children are inquiring enough. The children in her school ask enough questions.

Mr. Copper said some children are hopelessly incapable of thinking connectedly, but he thinks this is a minority class. Most pupils have minds capable of comprehension. This element may be treated with a variety of treatment. A love of the work must act as a powerful stimulus to a connected system of thought. Children should often be left to think for themselves. He thinks the giving of very long lessons a mistake. The reasoning powers of pupils should be appealed to and stimulated.

The next question was, "What are the duties of teachers on the play-ground?"

Mr. McNeal believes that his chief duty consits in allowing pupils to exercise their wits, their lungs, and their muscles, very much as their inclinations suggest.

Mr. Bowers thinks that teachers have duties on the play-ground only as instructors. The teacher should not play with his pupils. He will thereby sacrifice his dignity.

Mr. Taylor thinks that teachers should play with pupils. He does not think that it tends to create a familiarity. He thinks that playing with pupils has a beneficial effect upon them and does not in anywise detract from the teacher's dignity.

Miss Hazzard said that some teachers believe in keeping boys and girls apart. She does not think it right to keep the boys and girls apart. When she went to school she used to like to play with the boys, and she likes it yet. She thinks association makes boys more gentlemanly and girls more ladylike. She doesn't think it hurts teachers to play with children. She never has any trouble with her pupils on the play-ground. Her pupils never forget that she is teacher. She believes in encouraging the boys to respect the girls, and the girls to respect the boys. Finds it has a good effect on their behavior.

Miss Leaverton thinks that a teacher should be governor of his whole realm. His influence should reach the play-ground. Thinks that a teacher by being very judicious, can play with pupils without injuring his authority. The teacher should frequently visit the play-ground to see that all is proper and to protect new scholars. The teacher should make a specialty of overseeing the play-ground.

Miss Strong thinks that deportment of children on the play-ground, demands the attention of teachers. She has not allowed her pupils to go on the ice-pond during the last week. She thinks it a good thing for teachers to play with pupils. She sometimes does so.

Miss Ava Downes tries to influence her children so that they will act properly on the play-ground, as well as in the school room. She has never played with her pupils, but would not object to doing so.

Mr. Topping thinks that teachers should play with pupils, but should not make monkeys of themselves.

Mr. Taylor said he would not like to play blackman with his pupils, but would not object to playing base-ball.

The president said he could see no objection to teachers playing with pupils. Nobody but a very young teacher would be likely to consider it a sacrifice of his dignity to do so. He has noticed that, the younger the teacher, the more solicitous he is likely to be as to the sacrifice of his dignity. He thinks it is the duty of the teacher to be on the play-ground. In the first place it is a duty he owes to himself, as he needs relaxation and exercise. And again, he ought to be there to control and direct the exercise of the pupils. Children should not be allowed to so exercise as to become overheated. There are proper amusements, and improper amusements and the teacher should be present to decide between these. He thought no teacher would be likely to suffer by taking part in a game of ball.

Mr. Starkey thinks that no property that belongs to the school should be allowed to be destroyed, and that pupils should not be allowed to engage in plays that endanger limbs. He thinks that teachers should inculcate in pupils gentlemanly and courteous manners. He finds that large pupils will often impose on smaller ones. He thinks teachers should exercise a general supervision on play-grounds, and overlook all that takes place there.

Mr. Crosby said that he was opposed to a teacher being a police officer. He don't think it his duty to be marching around the play-ground all the time. He sometimes plays with his boys. He thinks the teacher should be about the premises, but does not think that he should be on the play-ground all the time.

Mrs. Stephens thinks that teachers should be interested in the plays of pupils. She cannot play base-ball, but she does take pleasure in watching the game.

A lengthy discussion arose over the question asked, "Is it proper for the teacher to smoke in the school room or on the school premises?"

In the afternoon the question, "How to teach grammar to the 4th grade," was taken up and discussed by Miss Hazzard, Miss Gooding, Mr. Pinkind, Mr. Crosby and Mr. Taylor.

The questions for the next meeting are, "How to have pupils retain the proper pronunciation of words?" "What are the best kinds of reading as helps to teachers in their work of training the young?"

Notes of a Contributor.

On Monday it looked very much as if sleighs would soon be thrown aside with last year's almanacs to slumber in obscurity. At this date, however, February 1st, there is a prospect that young folks and some old ones too will be gliding over this ice-bound and snow-covered old Mother Earth with hearts as light and joyous as the flakes that have been pouring down for twenty-four hours. If all these weather prophets were classified like pupils and each one made to take his place as he failed, 'tis heard to say who would be at the foot. Most of them, I guess, with Vennor and that old gentleman in Cecil who never knew a hard freeze up at, or before Christmas but that a mild open winter followed. His eyes are, perhaps, open to the fact that his prophecies fail. Excellent openings for those who want to engage in the ice business.

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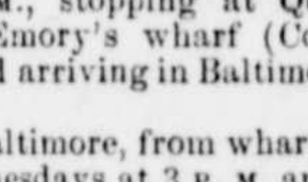
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P. S.—All meals served in the upper saloon will be at an extra charge.
Dec. 18, 1879.

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OF
LADIES', MISSES' and CHILDREN'S
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I HAVE just received from Philadelphia the largest and best selected stock of Shoes I have ever before opened. Our stock has been selected with much care and from the very best city manufacturers, and is strictly FIRST-CLASS in every department. Prices very low.

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Childrens' SOLAR TOP FOR SCHOOL.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Button, in every variety.

We guarantee all our goods to be as represented. Call early while our stock is full. At the old stand, nearly opposite Voshell House.

MRS. KATE GILL,
Sept. 23, 1880. The Ladies' Shoe Store.

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

THOMAS BAKER,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 24th day of July, 1881; otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of December, 1881.

CHAS. H. BAKER,
Jan. 13, 1881—4t. *Administrator.*

Barber Shop.

THE Barber Shop at the old stand, corner of High and Court streets, formerly conducted by Woolford & McCoy, is now conducted by

WOOLFORD & BOYER.

Prompt and polite attention shown to all customers. April, 1880.

LAMPS, LAMPS, LAMPS.

The leading Lamp Store in Chestertown is

SPARKS',
Opposite the Court House.

Bracket Lamps, Hall Lamps, Parlor Lamps, Bedroom Lamps, Kitchen Lamps, Church Lamps. Burners, Chimneys, Shades, Wicks, and every thing in the Lamp line. Give us a call and we will sell you a good lamp for a little money.

Liberal reduction to Churches.
SPARKS,
Sept 30 opposite Court House

FODDER YARN! FODDER YARN!! We think the best and cheapest in this market—only 7 cts. a pound. Call and examine.
Sept 23 J. K. ALDRIDGE.

TRY OUR ROYAL 5ct. Cigar, as good as At SPARKS'S.

THE largest and cheapest stock of Confectionery and Fruits in town at SPARKS'.

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C. M. LUCAS,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,

High Street, 2 doors below T. W. Eliason, Has a Fine Stock of New and Fashionable Jewelry, consisting of

WATCHES and CHAINS,

Necklaces, Lockets, Rings, &c., &c.

Also, an assortment of

Rogers Silver Plated Ware,

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Call and examine my Stock, as these goods have been carefully selected, and among them will be found many beautiful and appropriate Christmas presents. Nov. 25, 1880.

The Excelsior Cook with Reservoir, For sale by
Sept 23 J. K. ALDRIDGE

CANNING WAX, Bottle Cement, and Rubbers for Jars, are sold very cheap—at
July 31, 1879. STAM'S CORNER.

Accordions and Musical Instruments.
Dec. 2, 1880—tf HUDGINS' BAKERY

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

THE BEST 2 for 5 cent Cigars in town—
SPARK'S.

GO TO THOS. L. HINES & CO'S. and examine his Fire-place Heaters and Cook stoves. Sept. 16.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Letters of Administration on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

CHARLES HAWKINS,

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 5th day of July, 1881; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 4th day of January, 1881.

GEORGE BOLTON,
Jan. 6, 1881—4t. *Administrator.*

LIME! LIME!

THE undersigned is now selling the best burned

Shell Lime,

and landing it anywhere on the Cheer and Sassafras Rivers, or their tributaries, at low rates for cash or good note on short time.

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Come, buy your Goods for the Holidays, and "We Will all Take a Ride." Dec 2

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Enterprise Combined Stuffer, Fruit, Lard and Jelly Press,
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25,000 Bushels of Shells

To be burned, the Lime from which will be sold cheap, if delivered within the next sixty days.

This lot will close out the stock of one of the firms for which I am agent. As the next will not be so cheap, now is the time to buy.

Delivered anywhere on the Chester or Sassafras rivers.
Aug 5—3m WM. PERKINS, Agent.

KEEBLER'S Pound, Fruit, and Sponge Cake—at SPARKS'S.

SAUSAGE CUTTERS, STUFFERS, LARD Cans, Cullenders, Butcher Knives, &c., at
Nov 25 J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

FINE SALT,

IN LARGE WELL FILLED SACKS, and for sale at very close figures, by

WICKES & BROTHER.
Chestertown, November 16, 1880.

The Largest lot of
Ever offered to the citizens of Chestertown: cheap
At HUDGINS' BAKERY.

LARGE STOCK GLASSWARE, CHINA TEA SETS, China Chamber sets—at SPARKS,'
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The best Cooking Stoves in the market—at
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A FULL stock of Confectionery, Foreign Fruits, Nuts, Cigars and Tobacco, constantly on hand—at SPARKS'.

STOVES CLEANED and REPAIRED, at short notice—at
Sept. 16 THOS. L. HINES & CO'S.

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Cook Stoves,

RANGES,

Heating Stoves and Fire-Place Heaters, a large assortment, and selling at small advance on first cost. Call and examine before purchasing.

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EVERY Farmer should have Hoosier Corn Drill—sold by KENNARD & CO.

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NEW SILVER MOON, Parlor or Double Heater; Golden Sun, and the New Golden Sun —for sale by J. K. ALDRIDGE.

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August 5, 1880. Chestertown, Md.

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Squire JOHN USILTON "	D. SHRIVER "
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