Chestertown Transcript

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It is desirable that communications be in by Saturday night if possible, and in any case not later than Monday night or Tuesday morning

—Mr. Jos. Turner advertises in this ssue his stock of lumber.

—Prof. S. T. Ford is booked to deliver readings as will be seen by notice elsewhere.

—Shad have been caught in Chester river, but not as yet in large quantity.

—Most of the M. E. and M. P. Churches in Kent are grieving over departed pastors.

—The personal property of Mr. A. J. Hynson, sold last monday, we understand brought remarkably good prices.

—Divine service will be held in I. U. Church on Sunday, April 8th, second Sunday of the month, at 10:30 A. M.

—Rev. T. H. Haynes and Rev. W. S. Hammond have left for their new charges. Each pastor leaves many warm friends behind.

—The small-pox it is hoped will soon be a thing of the past in Chestertown. There has been reported but one case of varioloid since our last issue.

—Mr. J. F. Howard has recently made some improvements in his harness store. He keeps continually in stock a supply of handsome hand-made harness.

—Mrs. Maul has added a story to her house on High street, and much improved its appearance. The dwelling and storeroom of Mr. Thompson, the butcher, approaches completion.

—Our country friends are growing out of their fear of small-pox, as may be seen by the large number of carriages that are to be seen at the hitching-posts on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

—Officer Simpson arrested on Tuesday, Wm. Waters colored for trading in rags, bones and old iron without license. Waters was taken before 'Squire Wheatley, who held him to bail at $100.

—Don't forget the festival being held in Galena by the Odd Fellows It continues this evening, to-morrow evening and Saturday evening. A good supper and a good time to those who attend.

—Capt. C. I. B. Mitchell, commander of the State Oyster Police Force, returned home last week from Bristol, R. I., whither he had gone to look after the new boats being built at that place for the force. He reports that one of the boats will be launched about the 5th of April, and will reach our waters shortly after that date.

—The members and friends of the P. E. Church gave a surprise to Rev. S. C. Roberts on last Tuesday evening. Many useful and substantial presents were made to the pastor, among which was a purse containing between fifty and sixty dollars. There were abundant refreshments, and the occasion was in all respects pleasant.

—The most notable exception of the prominent politician that has successfully resisted the seductive approach of the interviewer, is our Eastern Shore friend and neighbor, Mr. Hines. No reporter, whether of the *Sun*, the *Day*, or the *American* has yet caught Mr. Hines nor made a paper sell by adorning the bulletin board with "Mr. Hines on Maryland Politics." The reason is not that they have not sought him, but that Mr. Hines is too astute to fall a prey even to that remarkable reporter of the *American* who can make Mr. Colton tell the contents of his gizzard four times a day.—*Easton Ledger.*

—Mr. and Mrs. James Harris were returning from a visit to Mr. G. W. Howard's recently and when about a half-mile beyond Still Pond, the colt they were driving became frightened at a cow a man was driving with a rope, and turning short in the road threw horse, carriage, Mr. and Mrs. Harris and a small child, in a gulley about twelve feet deep. Mr. Harris escaped with slight bruises on the head. Mrs. H. did not suffer as much, and the baby commenced laughing when pulled out and set on the bank. They straightened up the wreck minus a top, and drove the colt home.

—His Honor Judge Wickes has drawn the following list of jurors for the April term of our circuit court, which begins on the third Monday, being the 16th day of the month:

James R. Jones,	James J. Spear,
Thos. S. Wilmer,	James T. Ireland,
Geo. W. Covington,	Isaiah C. Taylor,
B. F. H. Caulk,	Alday Clements,
Wm. J. Vannort,	Samuel Hurlock,
Columbus A. Leary,	E. W. F. Simpers,
Thomas H. Hague,	Wm. A. Hyland,
William Watts,	Samuel L. Blackiston,
Horace A. Willson,	Wm. J. McFeely,
James E. Jewell,	Rich'd T. Turner, Jr.,
Cornelius J. Scott,	Wm. Thomas of Wm.,
Thos. B. Hynson,	Garrett Foxwell,
Wm. D. Burchinal,	Rufus F. Parks,
Barney J. McCauley,	Albert L. Corey,
Robert K. Pippin,	George Beck,
Jeremiah Peacock,	Thomas A. Jacobs,
James Rankin,	J. Burton Burchinal,
Joseph S. Trew,	Jas. M. J. Byron,
Samuel Todd,	William Boyer,
Wm. J. Blackiston,	Benj. F. Sappington,
Benjamin F. Beck,	Stephen Boyer,
Thomas J. Vickers,	Wm. W. Stephens,
David Clements,	James H. Baker,
Stephen Leeates,	Thomas B. Trew.

—Vennor, the Canada weather prophet, makes the following prediction for April: 'This month will probably enter with snow falls and colder weather in northern sections. The 3d and 4th will be cold and frosty; 5th, 6th and 7th advanced and warmer weather, with occasional brief relapses, light snow flurries. The 8th will be fine and spring-like weather,—favorable, 9th and 10th possibly snow in lower St. Lawrence and Gulf ports. Stormy and colder period of brief duration, 11th, 12th, 13th and fine, warm, seasonable weather, with the usual fluctuations of an April month. Some warm to hot days. Class of week, windy and rather stormy. 15th and 16th warm weather and dry. 17th, 18th and 19th, warm to sultry weather, with local thunder-showers and hail storms, 20th and 21st, very favorable weather, with showers and cool nights. Damage done in Western sections by storms. Possibly a cool change in Northern areas. On the 22d rains will become more frequent, and the 23d will be cloudy and cooler. 24th and 25th, cold showers and probably colder nights. Local frosts. 26th, still cool and showery in many sections. 27th and 28th, warm and sultry and very favorable to crops generally. Rains. 29th and 30th, wet, rather cool, with some sharp relapses. Cold rains.

—Orphans' Court, Tuesday, March 27, 1883—present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Wilson.

Milton Melvin, one of the administrators of A. W. Melvin, deceased, returned the account of sales of the personal estate of the said deceased.

William Perkins, late guardian to Clara J. Wilmer, filed his release from said ward.

On application, letters of administration on the personal estate of Thomas H. Lee, were granted and committed unto James A. Shaw (Sophronia Joiner, Catharine Willis and Augusta Joiner, daughters of the said deceased, first renouncing) who filed his bond in the penal sum of $5,000 which was appraised and ordered to be recorded, and T. Waters Russell and Lewin S. Fowler were appointed to appraise the personal estate of the said deceased.

C. A. Leary, guardian to Samuel E. Roeder, returned his final guardian account, which was examined, passed as stated, and ordered to be recorded.

C. A. Leary, guardian to Samuel E. Roeder, filed his release from said ward, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

PENINSULA ITEMS.

James Jervis, aged 96 years, died last week in the Cecil county almshouse.

A farmer of Sussex county, Del., has so late as since the middle of March husked out 2000 baskets of corn.

About $1,800 have already been subscribed toward paying the Peninsular Agricultural Association's debt of $2,200.

The Crisfield *Leader* says the druggists of that place sell undiluted Jamaica ginger as a substitute for whisky.

While the Rev. J. A. B. Wilson, of the M. E. Church was away attending the recent conference, some enemy entered the stable, and shaved and painted his horse.

The property of sixty-three real estate holders of Worcester county is advertised for sale by the tax-collector in the last issue of the Democratic (Worcester co.) *Messenger.*

Hon. Geo. W. Covington has appointed John L. Wethered, of Talbot, a cadet at the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, from the first congressional district of Maryland, vice Pearce Crisfield, resigned.

An election will be held in the 1st, 2d, 4th, 6th, 7th and 8th election districts of Worcester county, on the 3d day of April next, to decide by ballot whether 'spirituous or fermented liquors' shall be sold in the above named districts or not—the law to take effect from the 1st day of May if adopted by a majority vote of the people.

The Cambridge *Democrat and News* says: 'One day this week Elbridge Gore, his son and an unknown man paid a visit to Mr. Robt. H. Foxwell's store, in Lakes. Staying till night they were overheard by Mr. F. to plan a raid on his cord wood, which was piled along the river shore, not far away. He immediately ordered them away from his premises, and they got in their boat and departed. Next day the boat which they were known to have used was found upset along the shore, and it is thought they were all drowned.'

The Middletown *Transcript* recently informed its readers that $7,000 in gold weighs 35 lbs. Everybody took the statement as a gospel fact, for it was generally supposed that the bald-headed editor of the *Transcript* had frequently carried around $7,000 in gold in his trousers pocket, and knew exactly the weight of that sum. But a Sussex county mathematician has figured the matter out, and finds that $7,000 in gold only weighs a little more than 24 lbs. avoirdupois, or 29 lbs. Troy. The public must now have its doubts as to whether the bald-headed editor habitually walks around with his pockets filled with gold eagles.

As showing the scarcity of oysters, the Easton *Ledger* of Thursday says: The common oysters now caught in Choptank river, Miles river, the Eastern Bay and their tributaries readily bring from eighteen to twenty cents a bushel, and have ready sale. They are small in size and poor in quality, but are as good as can be obtained anywhere in the Chesapeake for general packing purposes. Fifteen years ago such oysters as these were bought by farmers of the neighborhood to be burnt into lime for two or three cents a bushel, and this was the only market for them. Even the northern planters would not buy them.

A Contradicted Rumor.

There was a rumor discussed in Chestertown last week to the effect that the Kent County Agricultural Association was contemplating bidding on a part of the college lots, which are to be sold on the 11th of April next. The design of the association, as reported, was to purchase enough land to remove the fair grounds to a location near to Chestertown. A representative of the *Transcript* talked on Tuesday with several prominent members of the association concerning the matter, and from the information gathered, the association has no design of purchasing a site as reported. The site mentioned as the contemplated purchase of the association would be most admirably adapted to the purpose of a fair ground and race track. The land lies between Mr. John L. Stam's property and the college campus, and is a beautiful level, large enough to make a fine half-mile track. It cannot be doubted that a location near to a large town would add greatly to the success of the annual fair. Excursion steamers could be run from Baltimore, that would bring daily five or six hundred to the fair, and many visitors from other distant sections would come when assured of lodging accommodations by the near vicinity of a town.

Sale of a Celebrated Tract of Land.

R. Hynson, Esq., as attorney for the owners, sold on Tuesday last the large landed estate known as "Round Top," lying on Chester River, on the Queen Anne's side near Chestertown, to Dr. Ford, of the Chester River Steamboat Company, at private sale, for $44,550. This price includes the landlord's interest in the seeded crops. The tract as purchased contains 1013 acres, about 300 acres of which are in peach trees. The Round Top tract is celebrated as having been the site of what was undoubtedly the largest peach orchard, and perhaps the largest orchard of any kind in the world. The original tract contained about 1700 acres, from 1000 to 1300 acres of which were at one time in peaches, comprising an orchard of from 100,000 to 130,000 trees. Parnell, the noted Irish leader, has a brother in Georgia, who owns a peach orchard covering 250 acres. This was extensively commented upon by the press a short time back, as being the largest peach orchard in existence. It will be seen that the Parnell orchard is smaller than the present Round Top orchard, and that its size is trifling as compared with the old orchard. Round Top in 1865 was assessed for taxation purposes at $75,000, and its peach orchard, when in the height of its prosperity, cleared as much as $50,000 in one year.

Attempted Rape on a Child.

On Sunday week a felonious assault was made upon an eight-year-old child of Mr. John Neal, residing on the farm of Mr. Samuel G. McCollister, near Church Hill, by a white man named John Walton. It seems that the little girl, not yet eight years of age, and her brother, aged about eleven years, went into a woods to get pine wax. Walton saw the children going to the woods, and followed them. During a temporary absence of the boy, who went some distance in the woods to cut a stick, Walton attempted to perpetrat a fiendish assault upon the little girl, this being, so it is said, his second attempt. The child became alarmed at his approaches and screamed for her brother. The brother ran to his sister, and found the man then engaged in his devilish attempt. The brother, only a boy, demanded that the man should let his sister alone, threatening to tell his father. The fellow then desisted, but persuaded the children to say nothing about it to their father, as he (Walton) was going to leave. The father and mother were absent from home. When they returned the children said nothing to them about the outrage until the next day (Monday), when they narrated the circumstance to the parents. Mr. Neal at once sought out Constable Adkinson, and placing a writ in his hands, had Walton arrested and taken before Esquire Gould for trial. In the absence of important witnesses, Walton was committed to jail until Wednesday, when he was again taken to Church Hill. After a hearing of the case Esquire Gould held him in $500 bail to answer at Court. In default of bail, the prisoner was committed to jail. The child fortunately was not materially injured. Much indignation is felt in the community at the outrageous attempt of the prisoner.—*Centreville Observer.*

"NOTES BY THE WAY."

The dormant condition of peach buds at the present time is not a favorable indication for a crop of fruit this year. Mr. W. D. Pennington, one of our practical peach growers was interviewed on this subject a few days ago; his reply was, "I am not expecting a crop this year; will be thankful for one. Our twenty thousand trees look as thrifty as they ever have, but late blooming has always proven a failure with me. Frosts have always destroyed my peaches when they bloomed late." From present prospects peaches will bloom about May 10th.

The annual application of kainit to peach orchards has changed the appearance of the trees in every way. Instead of having sickly, half dead looking trees, they are healthy and vigorous, and the increased quantity and quality of the fruit makes the crop more remunerative.

Mrs. Daniel Crew died last Friday of typho-malarial fever. Her physician, Dr. Whaland, found her in a semi-comatose condition last Sunday, caused by chloroform which she had been in the habit of inhaling to produce sleep. She remained unconcious to the last. No doubt her death was hastened if not caused by the chloroform. There have been seven cases of typho-malarial fever in this family since last August. The oldest son, father and mother have died, three sons have recovered, the fourth is ill with the disease at this time.

There have been eighteen cases of typho-malarial fever around Stanley within the last seven months, fifteen of them have recovered.

Martha Wilson was committed to jail, last Friday, by 'Squire Starkey, for attempting to burn Thomas Rasin's dwelling.

Mamie, aged 2½ years, daughter of W. W. Rasin, died yesterday of membraneous croup.

Every seat in Lynch's chapel was occupied yesterday when pastor Little began his farewell talk from Rom. 9, 35: "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ." Mr. Little has been a faithful pastor to the people of St. James and Lynch's, and the members of those congregations are loth to give him up. There are very few Mr. Littles in the Christian ministry of today. I believe there is not a particle of selfishness about Rev. F. T. Little.

Still pond is to have a town hall, lyceum and temperance society.

Still Pond, Easter, March 26th, 1883.

An Apparatus for Rearing Oysters.

Dr. W. K. Brooks, of Johns Hopkins University, says the Baltimore *Sun*, is having the apparatus invented by him for rearing oysters from the eggs prepared on a working scale, and expects to put it in active operation as soon as the spawning season begins—This season commences early in May, though in the Chesapeake and its tributaries a few oysters may be found at all times during the year spawning. The point to be selected for operating the apparatus will be somewhere in the lower part of the Chesapeake. Dr. Brooks will go down himself and take charge of the work. The serious accident to Capt. Waddell recently has prevented the perfecting of the plans for the season's work. The board of Public Works has decided to place the new police steamer at the disposal of the oyster commission. The steamer is now in course of construction at Bristol, R. I., at the cost of the State. The oyster commission will devote most of their time for the next eight months to a thorough examination of the oyster beds of the State, and to experiments looking to a restoration of these beds. As the new steamer has accommodation for only two of the three oyster commissioners, Dr. Brooks' experiments must be conducted on shore.

M. P. Conference.

This body, which met in Westminster on the 14th, adjourned on Tuesday night last. The next session will be held in Pocomoke City on the second Wednesday in March, 1884. The board of governors of the Theological School was elected as follows: Revs. L. W. Bates, J. D. Kinzer, J. W. Hering and W. J. C. Dulany. Just before adjournment the appointments for the ensuing year were read, as follows:

President—J. Thos. Murray.

Accomac, A J Walter; Alexandria, S B Tredway; Anne Arundel, W J Floyd; Baltimore, J R Nichols; Bedford, W W White; Belair, T D Valiant, W T Valiant; Broadway, T E Coulbourn; Cambridge, J S Bowers; Campbell, H W Leslie; Caroline, G Q Bacchus; Cecil, D A Shermer; Centreville, L W Bates; Chesapeake, T O Crouse; Chestertown, W M Strayer; Clayton, W J D Lucas; Concord, S T Ferguson; Crumpton, J G Sullivan, J B Butler, sup. assistant; Cumberland, A A Harryman; Deer Park, G R McCready; Dorchester, J M Sheridan; East Baltimore, W S Hammond; Easton, F T Little; Eutaw, J W Balderston; Fawn Grove, J W Charlton; Felton, J E Nicholson; Finksburg, W D Litsinger; First Church, J W Gray; Franklin City, G J Smith; Frederick, B F Benson, S F Classon, A Baker, sup. assistant; Georgetown, F T Tagg; Hampden, A D Melvin; Harper's Ferry, J M Gill; Harrington, C S Arnett; Howard, J W Trout, C H Day; Hull Street, W H Stone; Jefferson, J L Killgore; Kennedyville, to be supplied; Kent Island, J M Brown; Laurel, J B Jones; Liberty, Jesse Shreeve; Lynchburg, S B Southerland; Middleway, H Bruner; Milton, A D Dick; Newark, J M Holmes; Ninth Street, J L Mills; Pipe Creek, C T Cochel, Pittsville, R T Smith; Pocomoke, J L Elderdice; Pocomoke City, S A Hobbitzell; Potomac, W F Livingston; Powellsville, D W Anstine; Preston, W A Crouse; Quantico, J H Daugherty; Queen Anne's, R L Lewis; Rowlandsville, H C Stern; St James', A W Mather; St. Luke's, W R Graham; St. Michael's, S J Smith; Salisbury, F H Mullineaux; Seaford, J L Duncan; Snow Hill, W F Roberts; Somerset, J L Straughn; South Baltimore, J E T Ewell; South Side, unsupplied; Starr, C H Littleton; Stewartstown, E R McGregor; Susquehanna, H C Cushing; Sussex, J M Elderdice; Talbot, J E Maloy; Union, C M Thompson; Warwick, J T Lassell; Washington Street, R S Rowe; West Baltimore, D L Greenfield; Westminster, J D Kinzer; Wilmington, G F Farring; Berkley, E R Washington; Charleston, Francis Brown; loaned Heathsville, Va., H E Miskimon; Montgomery, Ala., S R Murray; Saint John's, A Webster and J J Murray; chaplain United States army, D Wilson, Fort Meade; editor Methodist Protestant, E J Drinkhouse; president Western Maryland College, J T Ward; principal Theological Seminary, T H Lewis; agent Tract Society, R S Norris; missionary to Japan, F C Klein; Atlanta, Ga., C B Middleton; superannuated, J W Everist, D W Bates, D F Ewell, W T Dumm, H J Day, J A McFadden, J H Ellgood, James Thompson, J K Nichols, W G Holmes, J M Yingling, W J Neepier; supernumerary, J Clay; left without appointments, at their own requests, P T Hall, J A Wiegand, A D Murray.

Sub districts—No 1, T D Valiant, chairman; 2, L W Bates, chairman; 3, F T Little, chairman; 4, J B Jones, chairman; 5, W S Hammond, chairman; 6, J L Mills, chairman; 7, J D Kinzer, chairman; 8, S B Southerland, chairman; 9, Francis Brown, chairman.

R. T. Smith appealed from the decision of the president, and was sent to Eutaw; W. Balderston was sent to Rowlandsville, and H. C. Stern to Pitteville. Revs. A. T. Melvin and S. T. Graham were granted letters of withdrawal from the Conference.

Literary Notices.

The April number of the *Eclectic* is unusually full of papers of the learned class, though there is enough matter of not too heavy a cast to make the April magazine interesting to the general reader. There are two papers upon Gambetta, one by a friend and follower, another by a German writer. There are numerous other biographical papers, poems and philosophical essays, beside editorial discussion of current literature, science and art.

Mrs. Burnett's story, 'Through One Administration,' which has steadily grown in interest, reaches an effective and tragic conclusion in the April *Century*, which completes Volume XXV. of the magazine. The third part of 'A Woman's Reason,' Mr. Howell's new and striking story, reveals the heroine Helen reduced almost to poverty after the settlement of her father's estate. She writes an explanatory letter to her sailor-lover, Robert Fenton, who went away with the feeling that he had been dismissed; and Lord Rainford appears again upon the scene. A short story, entitled 'Anastasia,' with an Italian heroine and an American hero, is contributed by H. H. Boyesen. Stedman's essay on 'Emerson,' the most important article in the number, reaches the high-water mark of literary criticism. It is appreciative and discriminating, and deals mainly with Emerson as a poet. Accompanying the article, as frontispiece, is a fine engraving by Cole, from a photograph of a daguerreotype of Emerson in the prime of life, which is instinct with ideality.

The Art Amateur for April contains working designs of oak leaves for a vase, wild roses for a dessert plate, and aristolochia vine for a panel; a variety of ecclesiastical and South Kensington embroidery designs, and a second page of monograms in A. The frontispiece is a fine drawing of the superb silver cup and tray presented by Ogden Goelet to the New York Yacht Club. An interesting biography of Alma Tadema is accompanied by numerous illustrations of that artist's work, including a large engraving of 'Sunday Morning,' and another of 'A Parting Kiss.' A group of clever sketches from the Paris Water Color Exhibition, and a capital pen-and-ink drawing by C. G. Bush—'The Gardener's Favorite'—are also noticeable among the full-page illustrations. Especially interesting are the illustrated accounts of the famous Jones collection in London, and of 'A Wood Carver's Home'—the exquisitely decorated house of Mr. Benn Pitman at Cincinnati. Price, 35 cents; $4 a year. Montague Marks, publisher, 23 Union Square, New York.

St. Nicholas for April opens in a very seasonable fashion with a frontispiece illustration of George H. Boughton's beautiful picture, 'Snow in Spring-time,' and some charming springtide verses by Avis Grey, called 'The Fool story, entitled 'Louis's Little Joke.' Edgar Fawcett tells in delightful style a fanciful story, called 'The Sad Little Prince,' for which R. B. Birch has drawn some characteristic illustrations; and H. H. contributes an interesting sketch of Chinese life on the California coast, under the title of 'A Brave Chinese Baby.' *St. Nicholas's* numerous Agassiz associates will eagerly read Professor Holder's article on 'Flying Without Wings,' which describes some of the curious ways in which certain gifted animals laugh at Sir Isaac Newton and his attraction of gravitation. Of all the serial stories, Frank R. Stockton's 'Story of Viteau' comes all too soon to its conclusion; while J. T. Trowbridge's 'The Tinkham Brothers' Tide-mill' gets the young heroes into in serious predicament.

The *Art Interchange* of March 15th contains beautiful designs offered for the use of amateur and art students. Two exquisitely designed heads for plaque decoration—one with a background of a peacock's feathers, the other with a charming decorative border—form the supplement. In the body of the paper are designs for different kinds of artistic work, such as vases, pails and flower stands, in brass, bronze, silver and iron. A beautiful drawing by the well-known artist, W. H. Lippincott, shows a bit of landscape with a milkmaid waiting for the cows, which slowly wend along the lane. Two dainty drawings, by J. E. Kelly, illustrate 'Micaela.' Eleven columns are devoted to the Notes and Queries department. Here the difficulties of the student and the house decorator are ably and clearly explained.

BARRETT, NEPHEWS & CO., of 43 North Charles street, formerly No. 110 West Baltimore street, the old established dyeing house, is prepared to do all kinds of work in their line with neatness, cheapness and dispatch. In dress goods of all wool and also of cotton and wool, etc., their success is greatly superior to that of a year ago.

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Jan 4, 1883—3m.

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SUPERIOR White Damask, and Turkey Red Tabled Goos at lowest prices.

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Reader, who said you would like to get such nice fitting Clothing as City people wear, rather than the wholesale goods commonly sold in most stores? This will tell you how to do it. The very large increase in our business the past season allows us to make a still lower scale of Prices than ever before, and you can save enough in buying from us to pay for your trip to our City.

The Garments we sell are manufactured under our personal supervision, upon the premises, thereby securing the best sewed and fitting Clothing ever produced. Our goods are made for the individual wear of our patrons, and not for wholesaling. We sell them with a positive guarantee; therefore, no one runs any risk in buying at our house. We indulge in no kind of show or pretension, that can only result in increased prices, but depend on the merits of our Goods and genuine Low Prices to hold and gain patronage. Upon these statements we invite you to call and look through our immense Stock of New Styles and Fashionable Designs. Any Garment not entirely satisfactory will be gladly exchanged or money refunded.

☞ *Be sure and first call upon.*

C. N. Ochm & Son,

Clothiers of Men, Boys & Children,

233 W. PRATT ST.

THROUGH TO

55 HANOVER ST.

BALTIMORE, MD.

☞ *CUSTOM DEPARTMENT attached for those who prefer their Clothing made to measure.*

March 15, 1883.

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GROCERY.

FINE GROCERIES,

—AND—

PRODUCE,

Cor. Main and Queen Sts.,

JUST RECEIVED

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Large Supply,

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Fresh Smoked Sausage.

CHEESE, FLOUR, FEED, BUCKWHEAT, MEAL, GLASSWARE, SOAP, &c., &c.

We sell Low for Cash.

A. BELL, Jr.,
March 8, 1883. Agent.

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LARGE SUPPLY.

New & Seasonabe Goods

—AT—

J. H. SIMPERS',
CHESTERTOWN.

Dress Goods, Cassimers, Kerseys, White, Grey and Red Flannels, Canton Flannels Muslins, Prints, Tickings, Ginghams, Table Linens, &c.

Shawls, Skirts, Nubias, Gents' Knit Underwear, Woolen Over-Skirts, ladies and children's Merino Vests, Knit Jackets, Hosiery, Gloves Toilet Soaps, Brushes, Combs, &c.

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Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Tobacco, Segars, Laundry Soaps, Coal Oil, &c.

Carpets and Oil Cloth.

Queenswear and Glasswear.

Country Produce taken in exchange for goods.

J. H. SIMPERS,

Chester River Steamboat Company

1882.

FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Friday, Sept. 22d, 1883,

The Steamer B. S. FORD

will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave Baltimore at 10 o'clock A. M. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for the above named landings.

On and after Monday, October 23, 1882,

THE STEAMER CORSICA

Will leave Chestertown every Monday and Thursday at 1 o'clock P. M. Stopping at Rolph's, Booker's and Quaker Neck, thence to Corsica Creek.

Will leave Centreville Wharf at 5 o'clock P. M. for Baltimore, stopping at Corsica Wharf and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday night at 12 o'clock for all the above named landings.

GEO. WARFIELD
Sept. 28, 1882. President.

CORSETS.

DR. WARNER'S HEALTH CORSET—Indestructible Hip. For sale by T. W. ELIASON Jr.

SPICES—

Perfectly Pure.
M. A. TOULSON'S
Aug. 24, 1882. DRUG STORE

Fruit Jars.

The Mason Jar with porcelain lined top. Glass and tin top jellie glasses, at lowest prices,

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March 15, 1883. CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

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—FOR—

Corn and Vegetables

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MANUFACTURED BY

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The results obtained from the use of above brands by so many in this and adjoining counties, and *their* unhesitating endorsements thereof generally, certainly awards to them an excellancy, which all those using spring Fertilizers will do well to remember in ordering.

Our many patrons will confer a favor by ordering early as a largely increased trade this spring is already assured, and we desire to be fully prepared to meet the demand.

Prompt attention to special formular. A full stock of *KAINIT* and other Chemicals.

Connelly & DeFord,
March 15, 1883. Chestertown, Maryland.

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CORN PHOSPHATE,

WE OFFER TO THE FARMERS OF KENT AND QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTIES:

CHAPPELL'S IMPERIAL MANURE,

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It is put up in 200 lbs. bags and is highly recommended by those who have used it as an article especially satisfactory and in excellent condition. This MANURE has been sold in Western Maryland for years, and the increase of sales each year is of itself a guarantee of its value. The Price strongly recommends it, and those who have used it state positively that it

PREVENTS CORN FROM FRENCHING.

Samples of this Manure can be seen at our Hardware Store.

Price $25.00 Per Ton,

Delivered in Chestertown.

☞ Call and Examine it, or send for Circulars.

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C. W. KENNARD. H. C. CHASE.

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STANDARD PHOSPHATES

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Spring use,

RANK AMONG THE VERY BEST ON THE MARKET.

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Who consult their interest will use our

Peach Tree Guano,

WHICH IS UNRIVALED.

Office and Factory, Chestertown, Md
Warehouse at Massey's.

March 1, 1883—3t.

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HARD PAN PRICES.

Lot of Boys' Shoes at Half Price.

FLOUR.

We offer Clifton Mills F. F. F., Kirkwood Mills Good Family, Patapsco Superlative Patent, Patapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Grove Extra, and other grades of Extra and Medium brands.

We guarantee our Prices the Lowest in Kent county.

GLASSWARE, QUEENSWARE,

STONE and WOODENWARE,

Oils, Molasses, Syrups, Bacon, Lard, Hams, Canned Goods, Dried Fruits, Hominy, Beans, Mince Meat, Fruit, Butter, Mackrel, Herring, and a

General Line of Goods

suitable to the people's wants.

We herewith tender our sincere thanks for past patronage, and respectfully solicit a continuance of your favors, promising our best efforts to please. Respectfully,

JAS. B. SAPPINGTON,
LEADER IN LOW PRICES,
Opp. Hudgins' Bakery and Confectionary,
Jan. 11, 1883. Chestertown, Md.

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AMERICAN WONDER PEA.
50 Cents per Quart.

The best variety for forcing under glass, and the best for early sowing in the garden.

☞ On account of its exceedingly dwarf habits, it can be grown in hot-beds, like cucumbers or lettuce.

Voluntary Testimony in Favor of Bliss's American Wonder Pea.

From Henry Ward Beecher, July 14, 1881.—Your Peas are wonderful, none others so good, I do not mean to plant another year any others, early or late. They be