Chestertown Transcript.

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JOB WORK.

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—The fair and festival at the Odd Fellow's hall, Galena, continues during the remaining evenings of this week.

—Affairs matrimonial have been numerous this winter, and there are quite a number yet to be,—or at least so says rumor.

—The fine weather of yesterday, and the moderately good sleighing, brought many people to town in their sleighs.

—Mr. Samuel J. Watts is agent for a very complete map of the peninsula. He is located in Chestertown. For particulars read his advertisement.

—Mr Walter H. Beck, formerly of Chestertown, now of St. Louis, Mo., came on during the first of this week. Rumor says, —— —— —— —— ——

—The school board for Kent county organized on last Saturday by electing R. W. Jones, Esq., president. E. F. Perkins, Esq., was elected secretary, treasurer and examiner.

—C. F. Warwick, Esq., of Philadelphia, brother to Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, and well known to many in this town, has been nominated for city solicitor of Philadeldhia on the Republican ticket.

—Mr.J. W. Duyer,of Chestertown,slipped on the frozen ground in his back yard on last Saturday night, and broke his right arm above the elbow. Dr. C. W. Whaland set the fracture. Patient has since the accident suffered very severely.

—Messrs. Elliott & Gemmell, as will be seen by their advertisement, have located in Chestertown, whence they will supply various kinds of farm machinery. We think the people of Kent will find them business-like in their transactions, and reliable in their statements.

—A very pleasant dance was held at the parlors of the Voshell House, which were kindly granted by Mr. J. W. Goldsborough, on last Monday night. The dance was originated by a number of young ladies, who were sustained in their efforts by the young men. The occasion passed off very pleasantly, there being quite a number present from a distance.

—We quote the grain market as follows,—

The inquiry for Southern Wheat is slow, and the market is quiet and easy. Sales of Fultz at $1 09, and of long-berry at 1 12@$1 13, in car lots mostly. No. 1 Maryland red sold at $1 10. The supply of Southern Corn is small and the market is uncertain and nominal; sales of good white at 60@61 cents, and of yellow at 55 cents for green and 62½ cents for good.

—The following officers of Amicable Lodge No. 117, I.O.O.F., were installed Jan. 7, 1884, by Eben F. Perkins, District Deputy Grand Master: N. G., C. M. Lucas; V. G., Nathan M. Marcuse; Sec., E. C. Reiche; Treas., Jas. W. Chapman; Chapl., S. C. Roberts; R. S. to N. G., Wm.S. Fallowfield; L.S. to N.G., Wm. A. Buck; R. S. to V. G., Chas. J. Reiche; L. S. to V. G., S. C. Lecompt; Con., Colin F. Stam; Warden, Wm. T. Sutton; O. G., John N. Dodd; I. S. G., W. Hudgins; R. S. S., Chas. S. Smith; L. S. S., Thos. G. Wroth; Rep. to Grand Lodge, S. C. Roberts.

—During the heavy storm of last Saturday night week a pungy, name unknown, Capt. Edwin Kane, hailing from Baltimore, was blown into Worton creek and a part of her sails carried away. Being entirely out of provisions and completely ice-bound, the captain and crew, consisting of Fred. Miller, Jos. Kline, Andrew Smith ann Wm. Smith, walked ashore on Monday and came to this town, where they found quarters in the jail. They returned on Tuesday, took the sails off the vessel and placed them in charge of Mr. C. H. Hurlock, at Green Point, by whom they were advanced money to pay their way to Baltimore, for which city they left by the Thursday afternoon train.—*News*.

—A new born child was found buried in a wooden box on the outskirts of Chestertown out east Queen street on last Friday. The unusual place of burial and other suspicious circumstances lead Mr. J. W. Bordley, the coroner to call a jury and hold an inqest. There was no evidence before the jury on Friday revealing the parentage of the child or any circumstances as to its death, except the testimony of Dr. C. W. Whaland that the child was probably dead born. The jury adjourned to meet again on Monday morning, when from the testimony of two female colored witnesses the child was found to have been the offspring of a colored woman and to have been born dead. The jury rendered its verdict according to the testimony of these witnesses and of the physician who examined the child, deciding that the child came to its death without criminal act or intent. The mother was not able to appear before the jury.

—The Baltimore *Sun* of Monday, in sketches of members of the present Senate, gives the following sketch of Capt. W. D. Burchinal, Senator from this county:—

Capt. Burchinal was born in Dover, Del., October 4, 1832, and began his career in Kent county as a clerk in the store of T. W. Eliason, Sr., at Chestertown. In 1861 he was commissioned second lieutenant in company D, Second Regiment Eastern Shore of Maryland Militia, and rose to the rank of captain of company A. In February, 1865, he was commissioned quartermaster of the Eleventh Regiment Maryland Volunteer Infantry. After the close of the war he became active in local politics, and was a delegate to the national Republican convention of 1868. In 1869 he was appointed inspector of customs at Baltimore by Collector Thomas, and afterwards made assistant cashier of customs, which position he resigned in 1872. In 1873 he received the Republican nomination for county clerk of Kent, but was defeated. In 1876 he was appointed deputy collector of customs at Baltimore under Collector Thomas, and retained that position throughout Mr. Thomas' official term. In 1883 he was nominated by the Republicans for Senator from Kent, and was elected over his opponent, Mr. W. B. Usilton, by a majority of six votes.

—The Rev. J. Houston Eccleston has accepted the call to Emanuel P. E. Church, Baltimore and preached his first sermon on last Sunday morning. The Baltimore *Sun* says of the occasion and of Dr. Eccleston,—

The congregation was so large that many persons had to stand throughout the service. Dr. Eccleston has a fine presence, a rich voice and a slow, clear, impressive style of speaking. His sermon was not a studied effort for the occasion, but a simple description of the differences between things which are temporal and things which are unseen and eternal. His words appealed to the mind and heart simultaneously, and recalled the style of Bishop Randolph, between whom and Dr. Eccleston there is in this respect a striking similarity. Before he began his sermon Dr. Eccleston spoke of Bishop Randolph's seventeen years of rectorship at Emmanuel, and said that he did not wish any of the ties formed by Bishop Randolph to be broken on his account, and hoped that no member of the congregation who might desire at any time the services of Bishop Randolph would feel restricted in calling him. Between himself and Bishop Randolph there had always been a warm friendship, and the Bishop had proved the thoughtfulness of his regard by doing much to smooth his path in his new field of labor.

Orphans' Court, Tuesday, Jan. 15th, 1884. Present, Judges Walker, Stevens and Hyland.

George T. Williams, executor of Hannah R. Lucas, deceased, filed his first administration account, which was received, passed as stated and ordered to be recorded.

The last will and testament of Thomas Cuff was admitted to probate.

C. A. Leary, administrator of George Leary, deceased, filed his account of sales of the personal estate of the said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

On application, Adeline Julia Gorsuch was indentured to Jas. B. Merritt.

Wedding Entertainment.

WORTON, Jan. 11, 1884.

A large entertainment was given at the handsome residence of John W. Corey, Esq., (Worton) last Wednesday evening, "as a reception" after the marriage of their only daughter, Miss Minnie A. Corey and Harry P. Jones, of Fairlee. The weather prophet was on their side and gave them a beautiful clear moonlight night, and there was a very large attendance.

At 8½ o'clock the company was invited to the large dining room where a splendid set-out was in readiness to appease the appetites of the many present. Abundance was the word, and full justice was done to the many good things on that table.

It would take up to much space in your valuable paper to mention all who were present, but we must not omit the names of Mrs. Capt. A. L. Corey and Mrs. Rondeau, who were very attentive to the guests as assistants to Mrs. J. W. C. The Hon. Thos. Hulme with his usual flow of wit, assisted by Mr. Richard Smyth, helped to keep the large crowd in a jovial humor. At 11 o'clock, after having spent a pleasant evening, and wishing the bride and groom, host and hostess many happy days, the company dispersed. MAJOR JACK.

Struck for $385.

The Baltimore *Sun* tells of the capture of a confidence man who played his little game on a Queen Anne's citizen who lives not far from Chestertown. We clip as follows:

"Detective Droste, of Baltimore, arrested in Richmond yesterday, on a requisition from the Governor, an old man named Edward Lilly, who is wanted in this city on a charge of swindling. It is charged that in last May Lilly met at the Richmond steamer at Light street wharf Mr. David Hurlock, of Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, Md. Lilly represented himself as a Crisfield merchant. He walked up the street with Mr. Hurlock. On the way a stranger stopped them and asked if either could change some money for him. Lilly had a check for $1,600, on which Mr. Hurlock lent him $385. With this amount Lilly and the stranger went away to get the desired change, promising to return shortly. Mr. Hurlock went home with a worthless check and minus $385. Lilly went to Washington, was arrested on another charge and committed to jail. It was understood that he would be held for the Baltimore authorities when his term expired, but for some reason or other he was released two days earlier than was expected. From Washington he made his way to Richmond, where he was arrested and held. He has served a term in the Virginia penitentiary. Detective Droste arrived in Baltimore early this morning with his prisoner, and he was locked up in the central police station."

NOTES BY THE WAY.

Canned peaches are too low for the packers to realize much profit from them. As this condition of affairs is against the interest of the grower, something must be done soon to kill the peach buds, so as to give a boom to the canned and evaporated fruit market. If the mercury would go below zero we would be all right but there is no probability of its doing that this winter.

The lowest temperature here during the first week in January was six degrees above zero. No doubt many peach buds were destroyed on low lands.

Pigeon shooting should be prohibited by law. It is a barbarous practice and should not be countenanced in civilized communities.

Albert Perkins (who went south last October) was compelled to come home on account of sickness. He expects to return to Savannah, Ga., as soon as his health will permit.

Eureka Grange meets at the hall in Kennedyville every Saturday afternoon. It is in a more flourishing condition than it has been for some time.

The following changes have taken place in this section: John P. Vandyke has moved to the Beaston farm, near Harmony; John Leigh succeeding him on the Turner farm. John Gibson to the Black farm near Locust Grove; Robert Kimball to the J. H. Raymond farm; Ray Bowers to Mrs. Beck's farm; W. H. Bowers to his own place; N. T. Hynson to his house in Still Pond; Mrs. Jervis to Kennard's Corner; James Serverson to his place near Still Pond; Oliver Jervis to the Stanley place; John Duyer to the J. C. Roseberry farm; John Campbell to Galena; J. T. Greenwood to the Davidson farm; Jacob Crowding to his own farm; Joseph Venable to the Westcott farm; Thomas Lambert to the Skeggs farm; Samuel Mann to the farm vacated by J. B. Crowding; Harry Casey to his farm near Lynch's; Benj. Richardson to the Bryan farm and Henry Krusen to his own place.

Still Pond, Jan. 14th, 1884.

Finelli—Stephens.

The Philadelphia Sunday *Times* gives the following account of the marriage of Mr. W. B. Stephens, of this county to Miss Finelli, of Philadelphia:—

Last Thursday evening, January 10th, Miss Beatrice Elliott Finelli, a daughter of Nunzio Finelli, and W. B. Stephens, of Kent county, Maryland, were united in marriage at the P. E. Church of the Transfiguration, Thirty-fourth and Woodland avenue, which was thronged by the many friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Thomas K. Conrad. The bridesmaids were Miss Clara Finelli, a sister of the bride, and Miss Stella Stephens, a sister of the groom. The groomsmen were Messrs. Caleb Coleman and Adam Diehl. Mr. W. A. Finelli, who was to have acted as one of the groomsmen, was prevented from doing so by illness. The ushers were Messrs. Benjamin Aldrich, Frank Nesbaum, Charles Birnbaum, Richard Childs and Marshall Montgomery. A reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, 3403 Walnut street, from 8 until 12 o'clock. Four hundred invitations had been issued, and the mansion was filled with the guests. The rooms and hallways were decorated with flowers and trailing vines of smilax and presented a beautiful appearance. During the evening music was furnished by the Germania Orchestra. The happy couple left the same night for an extended tour through the West.

Peninsula Items.

The Dover *Delawarean* has been sold by Senator Saulsbury to his two nephews, Messrs. John F and John P. Saulsbury. Youthful energy will no doubt infuse renewed vigor into the *Delawarean*, which has long held a leading position among Delaware newspapers. Judging from the first issue under the new management, the *Delawarean* is to be Democratic with a big D.

George D. Bennett of Elkton is the owner of a fur-bearing animal which, to the casual observer, seems to be a cat, but upon close inspection appears to have many of the characteristics of a rabbit. While its front parts resemble a cat's, its hinder parts and gait look more like a rabbit's, and it is said to greatly prefer a vegetable to a meat diet.

This is about the time of year the New York and Philadelphia newspapers are accustomed to begin to kill the Delaware peach crop. They will surely be heard from soon with detailed accounts of the dire effects of the late cold snap, in the form of special correspondence from Delaware, written in their own offices by men who wouldn't know a peach tree if they were to meet one. And next spring, when the peach trees promise a plentiful yield, these papers will say there is going to be a big crop after all, and that the peach growers are a lot of prevaricators.—*Middletown Transcript*.

Suicide by Fire.

The Denton *Journal* gives the following brief discription of a suicide occuring in Caroline county week before last, which is one among the most horrible on record:

"Mrs. Mary Hubbard, an old widow lady who lived in the family of Mr. Wm. Bowdle, near Federalsburg, took desperate means to destroy herself one night last week. She procured thirty-five boxes of matches, preparing thus amply to burn herself to death. She had been staying at Mr. Bowdle's only two days, when her strange purpose became known to the inmates of the house. She was therefore closely watched, but one night she was missed from the premises. Mr. Bowdle saw a fire in the woods some distance from the house, and suspecting the cause he ran to the light which, as he neared, he discovered completely enveloped the form of the miserable widow. Her clothing was nearly all burnt, and parts of her person frightfully crisped. She lived ten hours. When asked why she burnt herself she replied that she had no one to take care of her. It is believed that she saturated her clothing with coal oil. The thirty-five boxes of matches were found in her trunk.

KENT COUNTY AGRICULTURAL CLUB.

Election of Officers for Ensuing Year.

THE CLUB'S FINANCES AND THE OUTLOOK AHEAD.

A *Transcript* reporter visited the Kent County Agricultural Club on Monday, the day set for the election of officers for the ensuing year. There was a fairly average turn-out, but nothing like as large as there should have been, considering the important occasion, and considering moreover that the club has a membership of one hundred. By actual count the club has now enrolled one hundred and one members. Many of these undoubtedly do not manifest the degree of interest they should in the organization, otherwise there would have been present more than twenty-three members on the occasion of electing new officers.

The new constitution had been adopted at the previous meeting. The article in the constitution relative to horse racing, and which provided for abolishing the same at the annual fairs, we are informed was rejected with a sort of silent contempt, the members voting against it almost unanimously without deigning to discuss it. As one member sententiously remarked on last Monday, to abolish the trials of speed is simply to abolish the annual fairs.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The prime business on last Monday was electing new officers. As soon as the meeting was called to order, the programme of electing was begun. Mr. T. J. Willis was called to the chair, the regular president, Mr. W. W. Stephens being absent. Ballots for officers were taken without any nominations being made, and on the first ballot Mr. T. J. Willis was elected president for the ensuing year.

There were three ballots for vice president, the first two being scattering. On the third ballot Mr. J. W. Corey was elected.

Mr. John Gale was elected corresponding secretary on first ballot.

Mr. Henry T. Massey was elected recording secretary on first ballot, but declined to serve, Stating as his reason that he had already filled the position for two terms. On second ballot for recording recretary, Mr John P. Nicholson was elected receiving 16 votes out of 22 cast.

Mr. T. C. Parsons was elected treasurer on first ballot, but declined, and Mr. W. T. Nicholson was elected on second ballot, receiving nearly a unanimous vote, or twenty out of twenty-two cast.

Mr. Elias Walraven was elected librarian on second ballot.

Messrs. R. Nicholson, W. W. Stephens and T. C. Parsons were almost unanimously elected to serve as auditing committee, receiving all votes cast with exception of two or three.

A HEALTHY FINANCIAL CONDITION.

As the club did not hold its annual fair last fall, it will doubtless be interesting to know, that notwithstanding this fact, it is clear of debt, and even has a cash surplus. Last fall, however, made something of a drain on the cash balance of the club as it incurred many of the expenses of a fair, without any of the income receipts.

Mr. H. T. Massey, the retiring treasurer, in his report showed that at the beginning of 1883 he received $538.40 from his predecessor. The receipt during the year were only $31.80, making a total of moneys in his hands of $570.20. He had paid out during 1883 $245.69 leaving a balance in hand of $324.51. Mr. S. Vannort, the retiring financial secretary, also made a report, showing receipts of $64.62, and disbursements of $129.38, leaving a balance short of $54.96. Offstanding this deficiency, however, the report showed outstanding claims due the club amounting to $125.43 with interest. There was also a sum taken in on Monday last as annual dues from members. Beside the cash balance, the club owns its buildings and land clear of encumbrance. The buildings are probably worth $1800 and the land is easily worth $2000.

A FAIR THIS FALL.

There were many gloomy predictions last year that the failure to hold the usual fall exhibition meant death to the fair system. That this is not the case is evidenced by the fact that there is a more lively interest and a stronger determination to have a successful fair this year than there has been in previous years. The probability is that the members of the club will take more of an individual interest in having a successful fair this year, and that by uniting their energies and efforts, they will guarantee it to be a success.

The Local Newspaper.

The New Year is a good time to consider the generally overlooked claims of the local newspaper. It is the most useful and the least compensated and appreciated of all the agencies which stamp the impress of progress upon villages and inland cities. Without the local newspaper local towns are, as a rule, thriftless and tend to decay. Local Weeklies have now extended from the county towns into most of the thrifty villages, and the advent of the local newspaper has always dated the increased thrift of the community. The local newspaper is the life of its locality, and the measure of its support, as a rule, measures the advancement of the people. Begin the new year by not only subscribing but paying for your local newspapers. They are the friends and helpmates of all seasons.—*Phila. Times*.

THE LAND OF THE OLIVE AND THE FIG.

TWO KENT COUNTIANS AMONG THE ORANGE GROVES OF FLORIDA.

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 8th, 1884.

Editor Transcript:—On Friday afternoon, Jan. 4th, two Kent countians, affected with the Florida fever (which is now prevailing to such an extent through the Northern and Middle States) started for Jacksonville, intending to take in the principal cities en route. The first to command their attention was Richmond, the once famous capital of the Southern Confederacy. They arrived there about twenty-one o'clock, and immediately retired to rest determined on viewing the city the next day. The first thing that greeted their eyes in the morning upon drawing the curtains was the so called beautiful snow, everything was covered with a mantle of white, and the flakes were still descending so thickly it was impossible to see any great distance, thus all hopes of their seeing 'Seven hilled city in her pride" were frustrated. Not to be completely out-done, however, they determined on viewing some of the principal objects of interest, including the State House and Old Libby Prison. The State House is a large and very old building. The Legislature was in session, and they thus had an opportunity of seeing the Virginia law-makers in their glory. The members of both House and Senate were a sturdy, determined-looking set of men, most of them quite rough in appearance and all very plainly dressed, nearly all were young men, some of them quite boyish-looking. There were a few negro members in the House. They do not in their appearrnce do their race much credit, for a more vagrant or brutal looking set it would be hard to find. They are probably the last sad relics of Mahoneism. The original statue of Washington by Houdin adorns the rotunda of the capitol, while the grounds are embellished with an equestrian statue of the Father of his Country, and a life-sized bronze figure of Stonewall Jackson, presented to the people of the South by English gentlemen, who were admirers of his valor and virtues. The Libby House of historical fame was next visited. 'Tis a dreary looking old place, built originally for a tobacco warehouse by a man named Libby. It is now used for a better purpose—a fertilizer mill. Checker boards are cut on the floor showing how the prisoners amused themselves. There was registered in the books of the prison in a single day the names of sixteen thousand prisoners, thus some idea of the enormous size of the building can be obtained. Many of the visitors who now come to see old Libby are those who were once confined within its walls. To them the principal objects of interest are the names of their old comrades and themselves inscribed upon the bricks and doors. Bidding the old building adieu they started for the depot, taking away as a souvenir a piece of one of the pillars. Richmond depots are the poorest in the world. The lands where the railroads come in belong to the city, and they will neither sell or lease them to the railroad companies, thus depriving the city of one of the things most essential to its prosperity. They left Richmond at sixteen o'clock, passing through Weldon, Wilmington and Florence, seeing all along the route quantities of snow, the last disappearing at the Santee river, fifty miles from Charleston. The train being six hours late, their visit to Charleston was hurried. Here, for the first time, were seen the truck beds of green peas, strawberry vines, the suburbs reminding them of one immense garden. Taking a bus they rode to the hotel, when suddenly before reaching it a young man jumped in and, with the air and appearance of a highwayman, demanded fare. "Gentlemen, fifty cents." In utter surprise at the terrible price, they tremblingly gave him the required amount, after which they were allowed to alight at the Charleston House. Meeting a couple of lively Brooklyn boys, they started to see the sights. First, the Battery, from which could be seen in the distance Fort Sumpter and Fort Moultrie, the first having played such an important part in the late rebellion. We were amused at the people who, not being accustomed to such cold weather, were shivering in their overcoats. On our return we visited the celebrated Charleston markets, clean as a new pin and extending three squares. This city has made rapid progress in the last few years and has one of the finest harbors in the United States. When at dinner they had pointed out to them the eminent French divine Pere Hyacinthe, accompanied by his wife and adopted son. He had preached that day at old St. Michael P. E. Church, the sermon being delivered in French. After an elegant dinner, they took their departure for Jacksonville, still in search of warmer weather, where they arrived on Monday morning. This is the starting point for any place in the State. The stores are large and contain everything one could desire. Jacksonville is sometimes called the Hotel City, and certainly deserves the name; most of them are splendid buildings and are all well kept. Board ranges from two to five dollars a day; private-house board on more resonable terms. The late cold spell has been a severe blow to the city, most of its usual visitors having been driven further south. There are many beautiful and costly houses here. Most of the horses here are splendid-looking animals, coming principally from Kentucky and Tennessee, and command high prices. Several Kent and Cecil countians are located here and appear to be doing well. On Sunday it was colder in Jacksonville than in Baltimore, and the ground remained frozen all day. Reports from many sections of the State are that there is an almost complete destruction of the orange crop. Many young trees have been badly injured. The fighting editor promised the *Transcript* has been procured, and will be shipped as scon as the weather gets warm enough for him to venture North without an overcoat. He is an alligator eight feet in length and weighs three hundred and fifty-six pounds and a-half, and consumes a whole dog at a meal, and may, if he arrives safely, become a useful member of Chestertown society; that is, if he gets his meals regularly, and Brother Simpson does not get jealous and shoot him. Yours in Florida,

DRANNEK and SITSUJ.

How Eastern Shore Orchards and Gardens Are to be Emptied Into Philadelphia.

The long-experienced delay in getting fresh fruit and vegetables from the Eastern Shore of Maryland and from further south to Philadelphia markets is likely to be ended in consequence of an argument whereby the several small railroads on that peninsula will be brought under one management in connection with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's system. A controlling interest in the Eastern Shore system of roads has been purchased, it is understood, by capitalists favorable to the great Pennsylvania corporation's interest. William L. Scott, of Erie, and A. J. Cassatt, of Philadelphia, are largely interested in the purchase.

The object of the movement is to do for the great cities of Philadelphia, New York and Boston, by means of fast freight arrangement, what is now done for Baltimore by steamboats and other river and bay craft. It is to bring to Northern markets and housekeepers the fresh fruit and vegetable product of this prolific part of the country, where strawberries, spinach, lettuce and all the early spring fruits and vegetables are to be had months in advance of the Northern season and often better than they can be had in the North at all. This will open up and give to the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad a new business that will add very much to its revenues.—*Phila. Times*.

The Wanamaker Sensation.

John Wanamaker makes a fine display for the new year. He begins by saying he is careful to avoid sensations, etc., and then makes the biggest one of the season. He's right. He don't seek "sensations" in anything, but he can no more help it than a modest girl cah help being pretty. Such an immense reduction sale honest, and real, as his "sensations" are, will make the dull January days very lively, even for that lively wonder-world on Thirteenth and Chestnut Streets.—*Phila. Times*.

C. M. Lucas.

Watches.

CARROLLTON HOTEL,

Baltimore, Light and German streets,

BALTIMORE, MD.

RATE REDUCED TO $3 00 and $2 50 per day according to location of rooms or all above Parlor floor.

Extra Charges for Parlors, Bath and Double Rooms, according to size. The most convenient and latest built Hotel in the city.

ELEVATOR runs continuously to all floors

All lines of city passenger cars pass it doors.

Electric Light recently introduced.

F. W. COLEMAN, MANAGER.

March 30, 1883—y.

OUR line of TOBACCO 25 cts. to $1.00 a pound. Our 2 for 5 cts. Cigars the best in town, at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

GENTS Undershirts at 25c., 37½c., 50c., 75c. $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 each. J. H. SIMPERS.

GENUINE Gravely Tobacco at 85 cts. per lb. at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

PURE SUGARS. Cut Loaf, Granulated, Standard A, Extra C, and best light Brown. Call and see how CHEAP at J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

Silver Ware.

The Finest Stock and the Best Goods we have ever had in stock.

COLIN F. STAM.

NOTICE!

THE FARMING COMMUNITY OF KENT COUNTY are hereby respectfully notified that we have established an agency for the sale of our line of

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

at Chestertown, Kent county, Md., with Mr. Wm. Arthur Elliott in charge.

We handle a Full Line of Implements, from the smallest Plow up to the largest Traction Steam Engine.

☞ Parties desiring information about any Implement or Machine manufactured in the United States, are respectfully requested to call and see Mr. Elliott.

Our full advertisement will appear shortly.

Elliott & Gemmill,

CENTREVILLE, MD.,

Dealers in Agricultural Implements, Iron and Wood Pumps, Wind Mills, Saw Mills, &c.

P. S.—I have no sub-agents in the county: I want to deal with you direct and will make it to your interest to either see me in person or correspond with me.

Wm. A. Elliott.

The Philadelphia Times, 1884.

THE PHILADELPHIA TIMES, 1884.

The Times will enter upon the new year stronger and more prosperous than ever before in its history—more widely read and quoted, more heartily commended, and more fiercely criticized, with a more complete organization, and an abler staff of contributors—and with the same independence and fearlessness that has made it successful and powerful in the past.

The Times has no party to follow, no candidates to advance, but will meet every issue, as it has ever done, with consistent devotion to the right, to honest government and the public welfare. And, while maintaining its position as the leading journal of Philadelphia, it will aim to be continually in the advance in all that can add value to a newspaper.

The value of a newspaper is not in its size or display, but in the intelligence and care, the conciseness and freshness with which it is edited. The Times spends lavishly for news from all parts of the world, but all its dispatches are carefully edited and condensed, in order to give the complete news of the day in the most concise and attractive shape, and with it a large variety of entertaining and instructive reading. The best writers at home and abroad are employed to enrich its columns, and to make it a journal adapted both to the busy man and to the leisure of the home circle, a welcome visitor to intelligent and honest citizens of every political and social taste.

The Weekly Times is altogether different from the weekly newspaper of twenty years ago. The day of those papers is gone by. The telegraph and better local newspapers everywhere, especially in the thriving centres of rural population, have made the old weekly metropolitan newspaper unsatisfying. Those that cling to their ancient usages have lost their hold on our forward-moving people; they are but shadows of their former greatness, and they have but a shadow of their former power. Those papers have had their usefulness, but it is gone; and, with it, they are going, too. It was not the fault of the papers, it was the improvement of the country that brought about the change. Men and women, wherever they live, now require fresher news; and they require more than news.

The Weekly Times gathers off the types of every passing week whatever has lasting interest to people at large, and sets it before them in such generosity of paper and print as would have astonished us all twenty years ago.

DAILY—Twelve cents a week, fifty cents a month, $6 a year, two cents a copy.

SUNDAY—Four cents a copy, $2 a year.

WEEKLY—One copy, $2 a year; five copies, $8 a year; ten copies, $15 a year; twenty copies, $25 a year, with one copy free to the getter-up of every club.

Jan. 17. THE TIMES, PHILADELPHIA.

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Worton	8 20	2.20
Lynch's	8 30	2.30
Still Pond	8 40	2.40
Kennedyville	8 55	2.55
Blacks	9 10	3.10
Lambson	9 25	3.20
Masseys	9 40	3.35
Delanys	9 55	3.50
*Bingham	10 10	4.00
arr Clayton	10 25	4.10
leave "	11 08	4 31
" Middletown	11 42	5.06
" Wilmington	12 40	6 05
arr Philadelphia	1 40	7.05
Baltimore	3.20 p m	8 32
New York		10.20p m...

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New York			
Baltimore	9.30	......	12 10
Philadelphia	11 55	8 00	3 00
Wilmington	1 15	9 05	4 00
Middletown	2 14	10 11	4 42
arr Clayton	2 35	10 40	5 05
leave "	2 43	11 15	5 10
" Binghams*	2 53	11 30	5 15
Delanys	3 03	11 40	5 20
Masseys	3 18	11 55	5 25
Lambson	3 32	12 10	5 40
Blacks	3 46	12 25	6 50
Kennedyville	4 00	12 40	6 00
Still Pond	4 10	12 50	6 10
Lynchs	4 16	12 55	6 17
Worton	4 26	1 05	
arr Chestertown	4 40	1 20	

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