The Transcript,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Thursday Morning May 8, 1884

C. G. WOODALL

Editor and Proprietor.

REPRESENTATIVE FRANK HURD, of Ohio, made the strongest speech of the session last week, in sustaining the Morrison bill. It was a speech that was unanswered and unanswerable.

THE Republican convention, which met at Hagerstown Thursday of last week, as was generally understood, was a Blaine gathering; but at the same time it named Congressman Holton as a delegate at large, and Holton is for Arthur.

IT LOOKS as if Blaine might be nominated on the 3d of June next with a Hip,—Hip,—Hurrah! But then appearances are sometimes deceptive, and Chester A. Arthur is not yet out of the field. When Arthur gets out he will most likely not get out for Mr. Blaine's benefit.

THE Maryland Democratic congressional conventions do not meet until August the sixth. This gives plenty of time for aspirants to congressional honors, to canvass the situation. Our first district convention meets in Cambridge. It is understood that our present representative, the Hon. Geo. W. Covington is out of the fight. There are already several candidates openly in the field, and doubtless the entries are not yet closed. Col. Philip W. Downes of Caroline seems to be at the front at present. Caroline has not been represented in the national assembly for more than fifty years, and the friends of Col. Downes think it about time that Caroline should be recognized, and that Col. Downes would faithfully represent both his county and his district. Down lower Col. Henry Page and the Hon. Lemuell Waters are being urged as available. Talbot is understood to be solid for C. H. Gibson, Esq. Dorchester will probably ask that the president of the last State Senate, Henry Lloyd, Esq., be nominated. Queen Anne's is so unfortunately divided, that she will probaby not present a candidate. Kent,—well Kent can fill the bill with a first-class man.

THE New York *Sun* has been strong in the discussion of current politics, because it has generally taken honest positions and has generally relied upon honest arguments. We do not believe, however, that its position upon the tariff question is taken from honest conviction, and certainly in its efforts to influence public sentiment it is using little in way of honest argument. The *Sun* dodges the discussion of the rightfulness or wrongfulness of protective taxation: It ignores entirely the question of whether it is right to assess one class of people to sustain another class, but keeps up a continual policy howl. That is to say it argues that any general tariff reform, and the passage of the Morrison bill in particular, means defeat for the Democratic party in this year's presidential contest. It also indulges infrequent sneers and gibes at the leaders of the tariff reform sentiment, and uses many other small ways of twisting sentiment that are unworthy a great journal. The *Sun*, however, will have the satisfaction, or the dissatisfaction as the case may be, of seeing the issue of tariff for revenue only win without its aid. If it does not win this time, it will win next time. The Democratic party can better afford to fail in an honest stand for right principles, than it can afford to make a cowardly compromise for policy sake.

THE burning of the B. S. Ford on last Sunday morning serves to emphasize more than one need of Chestertown. In the first place it serves to emphasize the need of an organized fire company. Even with the engines with which the town is supplied, much more could be accomplished in fighting fire, if the matter were gone about methodically by men who know thier business, and who understand the machines which they are trying to work. If the authorities that control the engines would purchase hats, gloves, and uniforms, and make some effort to create enthusiasm, there would probably be little difficulty in organizing a volunteer company of from fifteen to twenty. Such an organization would be a popular one as fire companies always are. The citizens of the town would undoubtedly honor it and take much interest in it. An occasional parade and an occasional dinner, would also tend to keep a company once organized, in vigorous life.

It may seem a little like Hibernian logic to argue that a steamboat burned upon the river emphasizes the need of water in plenty for fighting fire, and yet it does emphasize such a need, by enforcing the question,—suppose the fire had been in the centre of the town, what then? It is true that we have had no sweeping fire in Chestertown for a long time, but we have plenty of wooden buildings through which a fire when once started would sweep with dire destruction. We need a system of water works as a guarantee against destructive fires, as well as from considerations of health, convenience and comfort.

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., MAY 2, 1884.

Now that the Republican State conventions have all been held and the delegates to Chicago announced, the friends of the various candidates may be seen pencil in hand figuring away as to votes on the first ballot, second choice, &c., each one trying to nominate his favorite. The Blaine men figure largely on the delegates voting as the sentiment of the party was expressed in convention, and on this basis claim a clear majority on the first ballot. The Arthur men, on the contrary, while admitting that he is in a woeful minority as far as instructed delegates go, or the action of conventions would indicate preferences, count largely on the treason of delegates to those who elected them, and the *National Republican*, the Administration organ, is each day filled with delightful praise of any and all delegates who show a disposition to prove false to the men who elected them.

If the present theories of the *Republican* are correct, treason to friends who elect, ingratitude to those who place you in positions of trust and a surrender of all principle, constitute the highest type of Republican manhood. In fact, it virtually glories in its own shameful advocacy of delegates betraying the trust reposed in them by their constituencies. Mr. Arthur as an honorable man should beg to be excused from the praise of such a sheet.

To the impartial observer, who is not interested either in Mr. Blaine or Mr. Arthur, it is apparent that neither can be nominated with any hope of an election, as the breach between their partisans is too broad to admit of anything like a union on either before the November election. Democrats here are apparently enjoying the fight in the Republican family, and are only surprised that even the cohesive power of public plunder could have kept these things together, or that the large number of honest men in the Republican party had not ere this left it and allowed the plunderers to entirely destroy each other.

Mr. Dorsheimer of New York, made a strong speech in the House yesterday in favor of the Morrison bill. He declared the measure to be not only good but the best which the times permitted, and controverted the proposition that the price of labor was enhanced by the protective tariff. Mr. Dorsheimer has as strong and clear a voice as any member in the House. He generally speak without notes, and secures the closest attention of every member present.

For the first time in many years the managers of the g. o. p. are in a bad fix as regard, finances. While Congress is in session at least they will not draw on the clerks, and the consequence is that Republican headquarters is without a dollar in the treasury. The friends of the various candidates refuse to contribute until after the Convention at Chicago, and until that time both the National and Congressional Committees are trying to keep up appearances on contributions from individual members. This goes hard with the boys, as heretofore they looked to others to furnish the means to supply the members and their friends with necessary *sustinence*.

Yesterday's State conventions closed up the Republican preliminary campaign. The latest figuring by the friends of Mr. Blaine sum the matter up as follows: Whole number of delegates, 820; necessary to a choice, 411. For Blaine, 359; Arthur, 264; Edmunds, 77; Logan, 53; Sherman, 23; doubtful, 14; contested —6 in North Carolina and 24 in Virginia—30. President Arthur's arithmetic man gives substantially the same table, except that he reverses the figures above set down after his and Blaine's names. But, as it is not at all likely that any of the candidates here named will be nominated, or if nominated elected, it doesn't matter a great deal how the figures are set down.

The bill which has been pending before the Senate for some time to relieve the members of the Fitz John Porter court-martial from their oaths of secrecy was yesterday postponed indefinitely on the ground that Congress had no authority to disturb the sanctity of obligations imposed by the articles of war.

It is stated that Carl Schurz will be on hand at the Republican Convention at Chicago. This was to be expected. Senator Ingalls' "Dutch tramp" is pretty sure to be around when there is a chance to make a bargain or turn a trick. He probably imagines another Hayes will be nominated, and that he can again "sell out the Dutch" and make things all right for his "Interior." S. B.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CHESTERTOWN, A.D.

We take this method of expressing to the citizens of Chestertown our kindest feelings of appreciation for their untiring efforts to stay the fire which destroyed our steamer, B. S. Ford, on Saturday night, May 3.

Though their efforts were unsuccessful, we feel no less their kindness in doing what they could. We refrain from naming any particular persons among those who labored so faithfully, because we might omit some whose names are unknown to us, and yet who merit as much of our gratitude as any; and our desire is to make known as best we can how grateful we feel to all for their labors, and for the many expressions of kind sympathy that have poured in on us since the disaster. Very respectfully, in behalf of the Company, GEO. WARFIELD,

May 8, 1884. PRESIDENT.

MARRIED.

STRONG—PRICE.—At St. Paul's P. E. Church, April 23, 1884, by the Rev. Henry Wall, S. T. D., WALTER B. STRONG and Miss MARY BELLE PRICE, both of this county.

HYNSON—ELBURN.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Rock Hall, April 30, 1884 by Rev. G. S. Conway, ROBERT L. HYNSON and Miss ALVERTA J. ELBURN, both of this county.

At Private Sale.

A Lot in Chestertown, 118 feet front with Dwelling.

C. H. BAKER, Atty.

May 8—3t.

FOR SALE.

At Worton Manor Stock Farm, Southdown Buck Lambs and Ewes; some Grade Southdown Ewe Lambs, also three head Grade Hereford Heifers. Cash paid for Wool on delivery, if dry. JOHN GALE.

May 8—3t. Hanesville P. O., Kent Co., Md.

Plants! Plants!

I would call the attention of the public that I have a better and larger amount of plants than ever before. Sweet potato plants per hundred 20 cts. Late cabbage per hundred 10 cts. Late tomato plants per hundred 15cts.

THOMAS VANDYKE.

Between Locust Grove and Kennedyville.

May 8.—4t.

Strawberry Festival.

The Methodist Protestant Church and Sunday School of Kennedyville, will hold a Strawberry Festival on the green in front of the church, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, June 12th, 13th and 14th. The public are cordially invited. Strawberries, Ice Cream and other refreshments will be provided.

By order.

May 8, 1884—6t.

NOTICE.

I will sell my entire stock of goods (including drugs, etc.,) and rent property to the right party. Good reasons for selling. Full particulars by addressing

WALSINGHAM,

May 1—3t. Melitota, Kent Co., Md.

FESTIVAL! FESTIVAL!!

IN CHESTERTOWN,

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, May 21, 22, 23.

STRAWBERRIES, ICE CREAM, &c., &c. in abundance. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. May 8—3t.

THE ALDRIDGE GREEN HOUSE

AT CHESTERVILLE, KENT CO., MD.

A large assortment of

FLOWER PLANTS,

of rare varieties, including over 200 Choice Varieties of Roses. Also, Tomato, Cabbage and Sweet Potato Plants in abundance. Patrons pleasantly received at all times and their wants supplied. Visitors welcome. Terms reasonable. Address all communications to

CHAS. B. D. SENART & CO.

May 8—3t.

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, of

G. H. LEAVERTON,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased,

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of December, 1884, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit in said estate.

Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1884.

I. RICHARD LEAVERTON,

May 8, 1884—4t. Administrator.

Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent County.

By direction of the requisite number of members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent County, a general meeting of the members of said company will be held at the Court House in Chestertown, at 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 21st, 1884, to consider the propriety of enacting By-Laws in regard to the surplus fund and future earnings of the company.

As other matters of importance to the company may be discussed, it is desirable to have a full attendance of the members.

Those who have not signed the Constitution and By-Laws can do so by calling at the office of the treasurer. W. N. E. WICKES,

May 1—3t. President.

Petitioners' Road Notice.

THE undersigned petitioners hereby give notice, that after thirty days from the date hereof, they intend to apply to the Hon. County Commissioners for the widening of the road, leading from the Galena and Georgetown road, to the Galena and Sassafras road, by and over the Galena Mill dam, and known as the Mill Lane.

WM. J. SPICER,
GEO. W. JACOBY,
THOS. H. HORSEY,
JOHN CAMPBELL,
DR. DULANEY,
JAS. WALLS,
and others.

April 10, 1884—5t.

Examiners' Road Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that I under and by virtue of a commission to them issued, by the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent county, to enter upon, view and determine whether the public convenience requires that a

New Public Road

should be opened in 3d Election District, to commence at Rodenhiser's Corner, thence in a direct line to or near Jas. C. Roseberry's yard, on the farm formerly James Gale; thence to Still Pond Creek: said road, if opened, to take the place of the present road. They will meet at said first-named point on *Monday, May 26th*, proximo, at 10 o'clock, to discharge their duties under said commission.

GEO. W. DAVIS,
E. J. WATSON,
WM. MORRIS,

April 24, 1884—5t. Examiners.

Chester River Steamboat Company

SPRING & SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS.

1884. *1884.*



To take effect Monday, May 5th, 1884,

The Steamer GEO. LAW will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 12.30 P. M.

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

The Steamer CORSICA will leave Pier 7, Light street wharf every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at midnight for Centreville via Corsica creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's and Chestertown. Returning, will leave Chestertown every Tuesday and Thursday at 5 o'clock P. M., and on Saturday at 3 P. M., making all the above landings.

GEO. WARFIELD
May 1, 1884. President.

Fashionable Tailor

DO YOU WANT A NEAT SUIT OF CLOTHES THIS SPRING?

THEN GO TO STOLL'S,

opposite the Kent Nat. Bank, Chestertown.

Spring styles of Casimeres on hand, and suits made to order in latest styles.

L. STOLL.

May 8, 1884.

TO Barnum's Show.

Special Excursion

BY STEAMER ENTERPRISE



GRAND OPPORTUNITY FOR A PLEASURE TRIP, AND TO SEE THE BIGGEST SHOW ON EARTH.

BARNUM'S SHOW WILL BE IN BALTIMORE

—ON—

Wednesday and Thursday the 7th and 8th of May.

The Steamer Enterprise will leave Crumpton at 8 o'clock on Wednesday and Thursday mornings, stopping at Spry's, Deep Landing, Chestertown, Newman's, Wilkins, Quaker Neck, Corsica and Centreville, arriving in Baltimore at 2 o'clock.

Will leave Baltimore at 12 o'clock midnight, giving excursionists ample time to visit the great Barnum Show, both afternoon and night.

REFRESHMENTS ON THE BOAT EACH DAY

FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP

ONLY $1.00.

☞ Geigan & Co. will meet the boat at the wharf with busses, and will transfer passengers to the Show. Tickets 25 cents.

P. S.—J. S. Vandegrift, barber, will be on board, and will wait upon excursionists in his line.

JOEL C. SLAUGHTER, President

April 24—3t.

Notice to Farmers

Having secured the agency for the well known and reliable house,

D. M. Osborne & Co.

I am now prepared to offer to the Farmers of Kent county for the

HARVEST OF 1884.

OSBORNE

Light Running Twine Binders 6 ft. Cut

OSBORNE

Light Running Twine Binders 7 ft Cut.

OSBORNE

Light Running Twine Binders 8 ft. Cut.

OSBORNE

Light Running Mowers.

Every Single Machine Guarranteed

Read what the Farmers say that have used the Osborne:

ROCK HALL, July 5, 1883.

Messrs. D. M. Osborne & Co—GENTLEMEN: I bought one of your No. 12 six (6) feet Binders, and used it all through my harvest of 165 acres, and will say that it gave me perfect satisfaction in every particular, and if my crop is good next season I shall want another of your Binders. The machines are of light draft and easily managed. Yours truly,

LEMUEL STEVENS.

SWAN CREEK, July 15, 1883.

Messrs. D. M. Osborne & Co—GENTS: We the undersigned bought one of your No. 12 seven feet Binders. We cut 75 acres of wheat, and the machine gave us entire satisfaction, and we can recommend the "Osborne" to all who wish to purchase a first-class Binder.

Yours truly,

LEWIS AYRES,
WILLIAM J. BECK.

FAIRLEE, Kent Co., Md. July 6, '83.

D. M. Osborne & Co—GENTS: The No. 12 Binder I bought from you this season proved satisfactory in every respect, and I am prepared to say that in my judgement there are none better, and I can cheerfully recommend every farmer to buy one. Your agents, Mr. Bush and Mr. Thompson, gave me every attention during my harvest. Yours respt.,

P. C. WILLSON.

EDESVILLE, MD., July 5, '83.

D. M. Osborne & Co—GENTS: The 7 foot Binder I bought of you this season has given me satisfaction in every shape; do not want any other. Have given it a fair trial and can recommend it to any farmer who ever wants a first-class Binder. The Osborne can't be beaten.

WM. T. BAKER.

CHESTERTOWN, MD., July 10, '83.

Messrs. D. M. Osborne & Co., Phila., Pa.—GENTS: The 7 foot Osborne Harvester, with Gordon Twine Binder, purchased of you, has done good work for me, and I am well pleased with it, and should I want another Binder will surely buy an Osborne.

Yours truly,

DAVID T. MILLS.

FAIRLEE, Kent Co., Md., July 6, '83.

Messrs. D. M. Osborne & Co—GENTLEMEN: The No. 2 Mower I bought of your agent gave me perfect satisfaction. It is very light draft and durable, and easily managed.

Yours,

DAVID ZINGER.

All of the above are well known gentlemen and good practical farmers.

We have a sample Machine now on hand which we will be glad to show to any one.

Give us a call.

Samuel B. Foard,

Agent, Chestertown, Md.

April 17, 1884—3m.

GardenSeed

Fresh and Reliable.

Large Variety

Gardeners will find it to their advantage to give me a call.

M. A. TOULSON.

March 27. Druggist.

POTATOES.

The Choicest Varieties by bushel or barrel.

These are Northern grown, extra fine.

March 6. COLIN F. STAM.

Kent County Commissioners' ANNUAL NOTICE.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Kent County will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY, the 4th day of March, 1884

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

EVERY TUESDAY,

Until the 6th day of May Next,

for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments.

All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 13th of May next,

NO ALTERATIONS or CORRECTIONS in the assessments will be made for the present year.

All persons having ACCOUNTS against the county are requested to present the same on or before

Tuesday, the 3d day of June next

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy of this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner and itemized, and rendered under oath.

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

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

C. P. LOPER, Pres't,
JOHN B. PARROTT,
RICH. C. SMYTH,
V. HENDRICKSON,
J. C. WHEATLEY.

Attest

T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.

Feb. 21, 1884.

WHERE TO BUY

DRY GOODS,

SPRING OF 1884.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS,

OF BALTIMRRE,

Are large IMPORTERS, JOBBERS and RETAILERS OF DRY GOODS. Their business, established in 1830, has been done on strictly honorable principles, thereby increasing their trade to its present dimensions.

They have but ONE PRICE and that price marked in Plain Figures on every article. They keep no goods but such as they believe will prove of full value for the price paid by the purchaser. Their various departments include low-priced to the finest Dress Goods, Black Silks, Satins and Velvets, Mourning Goods, Domestic Cottons, Linen Goods, Flannels, Blankets, Quilts, Goods for Men's and Boys' Wear, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Handkerchiefs, Laces, Embroideries, Cloaks and Fashionable Wraps, White Muslin Goods, Notions, Ginghams, Calicoes, Percals, Satins, &c.

As Large Importers, they have the advantage of a buyer vitising Europe twice a year to select all new fabrics direct from the manufacturers, and their long experience and the amount of their sales enable them to purchase American Manufactured Goods in large quantities and consequently to great advantage.

Samples will be sent to parties who give instructions in regard to about the price of goods wanted, colors preferred, &c. To fill orders satisfactorily, definite, plain instructions must be given to us.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS,

199, 201, 203 Baltimore Street.

March 27, 1884—3m.

THE DIAMOND DYES,

—FOR—

Domestic and Fancy Dyeing.

Sufficient Dye of any color is given to dye from one to four pounds of any goods, according to shade wanted.

Dresses, Coats, Cloaks, Wrappers, and all Garments can be colored over any color desired.

Shawls, Hoods, Scarfs, Yarn Stockings, and all Woolen articles are easily dyed any color wanted.

Dresses, Ribbons, Ties, Fringes, or anything made of Silk take the various dyes so quickly and beautifully it is a pleasure to use them. All the fashionable colors can be had.

To Color Cottons most of the Dyes work well, while the Special Cotton Colors, Blue, Yellow, Scarlet and Cardinal, are new and vastly superior to any others.

Carpet Rags. No other Dyes so good for Carpet Rags as the Diamond. They are Fast and Durable, and are the Simplest, Cheapest and Best.

Rugs. Do you ever make Rugs? If so, you should color your materials with Diamond Dyes.

Ribbons. You can make your old Ribbons look like new, and color them to match that new hat or dress.

Feathers. Don't be afraid to color over your Feathers with Diamond Dyes. They take the colors beautifully. Try one.

Ink. A package of Dye makes a pint of ink. Any color wanted can be made.

COLIN F. STAM.

March 27, 1884. Druggist.

TO THE FARMERS

—OF—

KENT, QUEEN ANNE'S & CECIL

IT is universally acknowledged by the most practical farmers that the Ohio Chilled Plow is the best plow in the world for neatness of work, and lightness of draft to the team. As I have ordered a large number of these plows, both two and three-horse, farmers will do well to give me an early call.

We also keep on hand, the Old Reliable Concave Nos 9, 10 and 11. Polished Minor and Horton, Wiley Nos. 3 and 4, and Two-Furrowed Plows, and Harrows, Twin, Single A, and Double A A, Cultivators and Cultivator Teeth unsurpassed by any manufacture. Single, Double, 3 and 4 Horse-Trees and Hames.

As there have been a great many Chilled Plows sold in these counties, and as farmers have been put to a great deal of trouble to get Castings for them, if they will only give the name and number of the Plow, I will endeavor to keep them on hand at my shops in Galena and Chestertown. I always have on hand Plain and Slip Shares for the Ohio, Oliver, Roland, Advance and Syracuse.

If any of you are in need of anything in my line, please give me a call, as I intend to sell them *low* for the *cash*.

Thankful for past patronage, I solicit a continuance of the same.

W. A. Hyland,

Galena and Chestertown.

Feb. 21—tO1.

Something We overlooked in our Seed advertisement.

OSAGE ORANGE SEED

A Choice Fresh Lot.

BY POUND OR BUSHEL.

COLIN F. STAM.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PUMP, call at J. K. ALDRIDGE

COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods. WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

EXTENSION TABLES—new lot just received, very low

Feb. 14. LOUIS K. STAM.

COME ON

WE ARE READY FOR YOU!

Our Main Weakness is

HOSPITALITY.

We cannot bear to have any stranger leave the city until we have had an opportunity to show him some civility. Our stores are as well worth seeing as any place in Baltimore and our goods are better worth examination than those of any other house in the city.

We welcome one and all, rich and poor, residents and strangers, and make it a point to show the same careful attention to mere sightseers that is accorded to the most profitable customer.

EXCELSIOR CLOTHING CO.

Men's and Youths' CLOTHING.

We have opened the season with vim and vigor. We have spared no time, trouble or pains to prepare for your purchase the most perfect assortment of CLOTHING ever displayed in Baltimore. We have a stock of nearly $200,000 in Men's and Youths' Clothing alone. Every Style, Fabric and Quality can be had at our stores. It is really wonderful—yes, astonishing—what values we are offering in Men's Suits. Our regular patrons need no urging to visit us. We want those who have not bought of us to come and see the big stacks of Clothing we have and learn the Low Prices we charge.

EXCELSIOR CLOTHING CO.

OUR BOYS' & CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Is full of Novelties. No Old Goods. Everything New and Stylish. Not only in Baltimore, but in Rochester, Buffalo, Albany, Cleveland, Denver and East Saginaw, where we have retail stores, our

Boys' & Children's Clothing

Is admitted by everybody to be superior in Fit, Style and Make to the productions of any Clothing Manufacturers in America.

EXCELSIOR CLOTHING CO.

Ladies', Gentlemens', Misses,' Boys' & Childrens'

SHOES.

Whew! How we have made the Shoe Trade howl since we opened our Shoe Department. Our customers are more than pleased with the attention they receive and the perfect fits they receive. Our Fitters do not let you take the first pair of Shoes you try on, even if you do say, "Well, I guess they will do." We want your trade permanently, and we are bound to have it, if giving you satisfaction will secure it. Never mind what the prices will be, we warrant you they will be low enough to please you and distress the little shops around town.

EXCELSIOR CLOTHING CO.

Furnishing Goods DEPARTMENT.

In this Department, as in all others, we can show more Goods, more Styles, and a greater variety than any three exclusive furnishing houses in the city, and our prices are fully 25 per cent. lower. In Underwear we can show you all the different styles and material that are made. Our stock of Neckwear is simply too immense to describe.—Hosiery we make a special feature of, and can show you 100 different styles, in prices from the lowest up. All the new and desirable shapes in Linen Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Jewelry, White and Colored Shirts in endless variety, with Gloves of all styles and prices.

EXCELSIOR CLOTHING CO.

Hats for Everybody.

Hats for figures broad and burly,
Hats for straight hair and for curly;
Hats for faces melancholy,
Hats for features bright and jolly;
Hats for gentlemen of standing,
Hats that give a look commanding;
Hats for walking, riding, driving,
Hats dull faces look alive in;
Hats for spas and watering places,
Hats to wear at all the races;
Hats that stand all kind of mauling,
Hats for every trade and calling;
Hats for traveling, shooting, sailing;
Hats grease proof, in storms unfailin'
Hats to suit the peer and peasant,
Hats to make your custom pleasant.

Excelsior Clothing Co.

A Card to Our Country Customers.

The liberal patronage bestowed on our Country Order Department has compelled us to increase and enlarge our facilities for pushing forward the work of supplying our OUT OF TOWN CUSTOMERS with increased promptness. It is a rule of our establishment to supply the best goods, no matter what grade is desired, that the market affords, and always at the Lowest Possible Price. Parties ordering Clothing, Hats or Shoes for Men and Boys, Gents' Furnishing Goods, or Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes have a guarantee from us as to the quality of Goods sent them, which will be exchanged or money refunded in all cases where the purchase proves unsatisfactory.

EXCELSIOR

Clothing Co.,

S. W. Cor. Baltimore & Light Sts.,

—AND—

N. E. Cor. Broadway & Eastern Av.

April 17, 1884—3m.

ELLIOTT & GEMMILL!

Centreville and Chestertown,

DEALERS IN

Agricultural Implements!

Evans' Two-Horse Corn Planter

Is the only Machine with a successful Phosphate Attachment for dropping in the hill. The Evans is a strong, simple machine; excelled by none as to quality and price.

BUCKEYE RIDING CULTIVATOR!

This implement is well known in Kent County. It excells all other machines in the following points:

It has Rotary Shields, the best and only practical shield made. The shovels are strong, scour well, are adjustable to throw earth to or from the corn. Depth is regulated from the seat without stopping the team. Has high wheels, and will pass over corn in the last plowing. Is worth twice its cost in preparing fallow and corn ground for wheat.

Is easier to manage than any other Cultivator now before the public.

Buckeye Twine Binder

Appleby Binding Attachment, Wrought Iron Drive-wheel, Strong Frame.

Handy Double Adjustable wheel, B shaped cutter box.

Easily managed, perfectly automatic.

The Buckeye is an old standard machine, and was as near perfect three years ago as other Binders are to day.

TO FARMERS

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