The Transcript.

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1884.

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Advertising Rates.

Transient advertising will be charged at the rate of *one dollar* per square for first three insertions, and twenty-five cents per square for each subsequent insertion. A space equal to eight lines of brevier, constitutes a square. Figure-work will be charged fifty cents per square additional for first three insertions.

JOB WORK.

Handbills, large and small; flyers, dodgers letterheads, billheads, envelopes, cards, tags, programmes, and other kinds of job work will be done neatly and reasonably.

Correspondence upon matters of local interest desired. Anonymous communications will not be inserted.

It is desirable that communications be in by Saturday night if possible, and in any case no later than Monday night or Tuesday morning.

Simple notices of marriages and deaths, inserted free. Obituary notices will be charged at the rate of five cents per line.

—The Balt. & Del. Bay R. R. publishes a change of schedule in this issue.

—How is the hog-pen law working? Is the hog-pen law working at all?

—The school board advertises teachers' examination to be held at the school room Chestertown, on Thursday, the 31st day of July.

—The Chestertown base-ball nine is booked to play with the Sudlersville nine at Sudlersville to-day. It played five innings with the Rock Hall nine on Friday of last week, and won by a score of 11 to 7.

—The personal property of the late Col. Geo. W. Spencer has been appraised by Messrs. Geo. W. Jacoby and D. J. Noland, and reaches something over $19,500. $20,000 was the estimated value of the personal estate in fixing the executor's bond.

—The Millington public school, Mr. H. Tonkin principal, held a festival on Friday and Saturday, the 4th and 5th days of July, for benefit of the school. More than $100 was realized, and the amount is to be applied to the procuring of maps, dictionaries, books of reference, and to placing a matting upon the floor.

—The oyster police sloop, Mary Compton, Capt. J. B. Wilson, anchored off Chestertown last Monday evening. Quite a number paid her a visit. The Mary Compton was originally built as a pleasure yacht, and is very handsomely finished and fitted up. More than one visitor was impressed with the thought of what a lovely thing it would be, if Chestertown only had a yacht club that possessed a boat like the Mary Compton.

—A magnificent 40-lb. Georgia watermelon came over for the *Transcript* on last Saturday, from Messrs. D. B. Stewart & Co., commission merchants, 58 S. Calvert street, Baltimore. It was one of three carloads which the firm had received direct from the watermelon districts of Georgia. It proved to be, when cut, very delicious. Mr. Stewart, the head of the firm, who is from this county, is an energetic young man, and has built up a large trade from the South. His was the first firm in Baltimore to receive a shipment of pears, which also came from Georgia. They were of the Leconte variety and sold for $4 per box.

—The county commissioners opened the bids for contract to build the new jail on last Tuesday, and made the award. The bids were as follows,—H. M. Stuart, Chestertown, $13,500. B. H. Gardner & Co., Chestertown, $13,750. C. Awalt & Son, Westminister, Md., $14,600. W. S. Smith & Bro., of Baltimore, $13,000 and R. K. Pippin of Chestertown $15,620.20. W. S. Smith & Bro., of Baltimore submitted the lowest bid, but the bid was accompanied with qualifications and exceptions, that the board did not fully understand, and the contract was therefore awarded the next lowest bidder, Mr. H. M. Stuart, who contracts to finish the jail according to the architects designs within six months, at $13,500.

—The odd fellows of Amicable lodge, Chestertown, give an excursion to Cape May on next Wednesday the 23d inst., as will be seen by advertisement elsewhere. The general public may rely upon it that this odd fellows excursion is going to be a lively excursion, because the odd fellows and their friends are all going, and they are a lively crowd. There need be no fear, however that it will be too lively. The odd fellows will be sure to see that peace and good order prevail all along the line. To those, however, who desire a pleasant trip in pleasant company, the excursion of next Wednesday offers a rare opportunity. Both the air and the ocean will most likely at that date be in a prime condition for a salt sea bath, and a day's respite from turning the crank of the business machine will be good for everybody. Don't forget the day,—next Wednesday—not far off, and don't neglect to make your arrangements to join the procession at the start or somewhere along the line.

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

W. N. E. Wickes filed the last will and testament of Margaret Leatherbury, late of Baltimore city, deceased.

James T. Lamb, administrator of Francis Russel, deceased, returned an inventory of the personal estate of the said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Richard Hynson, executor of George W. Spencer, deceased, returned an inventory of the personal estate of the said deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Susan and Milton Melvin, administrators of A. W. Melvin, deceased, filed their first and final administration account, which was received, passed as stated and ordered to be recorded.

On application, Miss Lela McFadden was appointed to the scholarship for Kent county in the Baltimore City Female College.

Real Estate to be Sold.

Messrs. J. B. & E. H. Brown, as trustees, advertise to be sold on Tuesday, the 29th inst., the Urieville mill property. The property consists of a grist mill, a saw mill and a number of dwelling houses.

Mr. T. W. Eliason, as mortgagee, advertises to be sold on Wednesday, the 30th inst., two valuable farms located in the second election district of Kent county, each being improved by desirable dwellings and out-buildings.

C. H. Baker, Esq., as trustee, advertises for sale, on August the 2d, a house and small lot.

R. Hynson, Esq., as trustee, advertises the valuable real estate of the late Col. George W. Spencer to be sold on Thursday, August the 8th. The estate is divided into three farms, each of which is in a high state of cultivation.

Fuller particulars of the above mentioned property are to be found in the advertisements.

NOTES BY THE WAY.

Cleveland and Hendricks are pure men. Every Democrat can give them his earnest support.

The platform will do—though we think Butler's tariff plank would have given more satisfaction to the laboring men in the north.

Horizontal Morrison did not receive an endorsement. What a pity.

E. M. Bonwill's fifty acres yielded 2200 bushels of wheat. 25 acres of fallow yielded 50 bu. per acre; 25 acres of corn ground 38 bushels.

Ex-Senator Hepbron raised 186 bushels of "Egyptian wheat from 5 bushels seeded, 27 bu. from one.

John Hurlock's fallow wheat yielded 40 bu. per acre.

We had a heavy rain here last Friday with considerable hail about Betterton.

Still Pond Sabbath school will hold its annual picnic on Thursday (July 17th) at Barnard's wharf.

Still Pond, July 15th, 1884.

Notes about Town.

The front of the hardware store of Mr. J. K. Aldridge is fully completed, and is undoubtedly one among the handsomest store fronts on the Peninsula. The woodwork is in imitation oak with gold and brown trimmings. The glass in the large windows measures 6x8 feet solid plate in each window, and each glass weighs nearly 200 lbs. Inside, the store-room is light and airy. In the back part, there is partitioned off a snug little office. The paint work on the store was done by Mr. J. F. Howard, and does credit to his taste and skill. Mr. Aldridge has also built a neat two-story building back, which is to be used for a workshop. Back of his workshop, he proposes to put in gas fixtures, which will supply light for the store and fuel to three tinners' furnaces in the workshop.

Up town is keeping up with the procession in improvement of business places, at least the leading up-town merchant, Mr. W. C. A. Thompson, has greatly improved his place of business, by putting in a glass front, and by adding twenty feet to the depth of his store-room. He has changed arrangement of his counters, so that he now has a very commodious and attractively arranged room. Mr. Thompson is an enterprising young man, and does not propose that down town shall have all the glory of being progressive.

The new drug store of Mr. M. A. Toulson nears completion, and promises, to be a very attractive and convenient room. We shall make fuller mention when finished.

The residence of Mr. Samuel Vannort approaches completion, and shows that it will be when finished a very handsome dwelling.

Work is progressing on the residence of James A. Pearce, Esq., but it is far enough to give but an imperfect idea of the design of the dwelling, which from the architect's drawings will be a handsome one.

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THE PHILOSOPHER AND THE DUDE.

AN IMPORTANT QUESTION DISCUSSED.

The philosopher came meandering down Lawyers' Row, and found the dude sitting on a goods box on Stam's corner, his head thrown far back and his gaze fixed intently on a hole in the awning. There was a woe-begone expression on the dude's face that greatly puzzled the philosopher.

"What's the matter with you?" he asked.

The dude slowly withdrew his gaze from the opening in the canvas, and fixed it on the philosopher without making any reply to the question.

"You look as though you had had a touch of the colic," said the philosopher.

The dude shook his head mournfully and said that it was a long way worse than the colic.

"Why, what can it be?" continued the philosopher. "Possibly you are not able to digest the wisdom I have given you, and are troubled on that account."

"I admit," replied the dude, "that your wisdom is sometimes very indigestible, but my trouble is a worse one than that. It is even more depressing to the spirits than your wisdom. I'll tell you what I think is the matter with me," continued the dude, waxing confidential, "I think I am in love."

"In what!" exclaimed the philosopher in astonishment and alarm.

"I'll be blowed if I don't believe that that is what is the matter with me," said the dude, in a tone of certainty. "What do you think is good for it?"

"Have you ever had it before?" asked the philosopher.

"I think I have had slight attacks of it, but I don't believe I ever had it this bad before. What do you think of this?" said the dude, pulling out a roll of white paper, on which the philosopher found written these lines—

"Oh, my love is as fair as a lily white rose,
Oh, my love is as fair as the blushing morn."

"Why didn't you finish it?" asked the philosopher.

"Why, I got stuck on the third line," said the dude, "and was trying to think it out when you came up."

"Well," said the philosopher, "I think those two lines alone ought to bring her. You couldn't pile it on much thicker, if you were to fill two sheets of fool's cap. Who is she, anyhow? Is it the young damsel I saw you with around at the ice cream saloon last evening?"

The dude nodded assent.

"Well, I guess she is about the right sort of a girl. She has got a good appetite, and that is a good sign. I noticed that she ate three plates of ice cream."

"Yes," answered the dude admiringly, "and she ate another plate after you left."

"My son," said the philosopher, slapping the dude on the shoulder energetically, "find out as soon as possible if she also has a good, steady appetite for beef steak and turnips, for buckwheat cakes and sausages and for all kinds of substantial diet. If she has, you want to finish up that poetry without delay, and if you find that you are permanently stuck on the third line, why come around some evening, and I will help you grind out enough to make a complete stanza. But find out by all means, young man, before you commit yourself, that the young woman has got a good appetite. Make sure that she is not one of these delicate, tight-laced, namby-pamby maidens, who cannot eat a square meal oftner than once a week. I tell you," continued the philosopher, waving his hand in the air "there is something diabolically wrong with the young women of this generation. The fact is, idiotic dress is killing up woman kind. Corsets and tight lacing have worked more ruin to the human race than the rum shops. There is no reason under heaven why the female should not be just as healthy as the male. The female among all other creatures except man, is just as little subject to ailment as the mate, and it would be so among humans if it were not for the outrageous manner of dressing prevalent among the women of highly civilized society. In order to give themselves taper waists, and what they consider a graceful figure, they compress themselves until the stomach and other vital organs have not healthy room for action. As a result, one-fourth the women, before they are thirty, suffer some internal disarrangement, that makes existence a misery to them. Who ever heard of a savage woman suffering from the peculiar ills that afflict civilized women. I tell you, young man, that it is the outrageous, diabolical, idiotic manner of compressing the waist that causes the affliction among civilized women, and the pulpit and the press should speak out about it."

"But," suggested the dude, "it would hardly be modest for the pulpit and the press to publicly discuss female troubles."

"I tell you," answered the philosopher, "there is entirely too much mock modesty in the world. There are many things that are avoided that ought to be discussed publicly and openly. The pulpit should not avoid condemning any form of evil, and certainly should not withhold from condemning an evil that is ruining, physically, the human race. For, women who are not vigorous bear children that are not vigorous, and thus the tendency is toward enfeeblement of the race. The pulpit is loud in condemnation of the manufacture and sale of whiskey, because they say it brings misery upon thousands of homes. For the same reason the pulpit should be loud in condemnation of the manufacture and sale of corsets, for they, too, bring misery upon thousands of homes. If women dressed sensibly, there would be very little more tendency toward taper waists than there is among men. Look at that young lady going up the street now. She is naturally of a vigorous frame. See how broad she is between the shoulders. But look at her small waist. It is out of all proportion to her figure. If any one were to accuse her of being laced too tight, she would doubtless deny it indignantly. As a matter of fact, they do not consider themselves tight-laced unless it is immediately painful. They do not understand that pressure about the waist, though it may cause no present pain or uneasiness, is interfering with the action of important organs and is laying the foundation for future trouble. I tell you, young man," said the philosopher, shaking his fist at the dude, "every corset-manufacturer ought to be compelled to go out of business under penalty of being hung, and every corset in existence ought to be burned; and the question among young women ought not to be just how tight they can wear their dresses, but how loose they can wear them."

The dude here said that he thought he would go home and go up in the garret, and take off his coat and vest and see if he could not manage to finish his poem.

"Very good," said the philosopher. "I am already favorably impressed with the young lady on account of the four plates of ice cream she got away with last evening. I don't believe she is one of the tight-lacing kind. But you find out whether she has got a good, steady appetite for beefsteak and onions. If she has, she is undoubtedly a good sensible girl, and the kind you ought to tie to."

High License.

Mr. Editor:—As there are some persons in our county who think a high license law would check the vice of intemperance much more effectually than local option, I give the following excerpt from a letter by Rev. Dr. Herrick Johnson to the *National Temperance Advocate*:

"Look at Bloomington, Ill., where high license has prevailed for something like ten years; long enough, surely, to justify a pretty decided judgment. There the unlicensed places are declared by tenmumber the licensed. There an alderman rises in his official seat and argues for the reduction of license, as a matter of justice, on the ground that there are thirty or forty places in his ward alone where liquor is sold without license. And Captain Rielsame, of that city, the owner of one of its gin palaces, rivalling Chicago's best gilded haunts, first president of the State Liquor Dealers' Association, a Republican, and a delegate to the late State convention at Peoria, said recently in the Bloomington *Leader*, over his own signature, 'We liquor dealers, who pay our license of $600 per year, shall afford to pay $1,000 a year, if we were protected against infringements of our business by unlicensed parties.' Yet Bloomington is cited as a sample of the beauties of high license."

Elliott & Gemmill's Farmers' Agency

Will furnish at short notice and Bottom Prices, any Implement manufactured in the United States.

We make a specialty of the Iron Turbine Wind Mill, manufactured by Mast, Foos & Co.; also, the Buckeye Force Pump, especially adapted to deep wells and forcing water.

Any one needing a Wind Mill we say try a Turbine. They are strength and durability itself. We control this Mill for the county, and have no sub agents. Will make prompt estimates for any one desiring a Mill.

We would also call the attention of Farmers to our

NEW BUCKEYE GLASS FEED FERTILIZER DRILL,

which we pronounce, after thorough testing it last season, to be the best combined Grain and Fertilizer Drill ever offered to the trade. Our reasons are—

First, It is a perfect Wheat Seeder

Second, You have no cog wheels to take off or put on to chance quantities.

Third, With the Glass Feed for Phosphate you can sow any quantity of Fertilizer without clogging, gumming or pasting, from 100 to 500 lbs., and can make the changes while walking along.

Fourth, Both wheat and phosphate are distributed within plain view of the operator.

Fifth, It has double force feed for wheat, which makes it sow regular in whatever position it may be placed, especially when seeding side hills. All other drills will seed more or less according to position.

Call and examine it before buying, it will pay you.

Farmers clubbing together can make it pay.

Remember we have no sub-agents Save money by giving us your orders direct.

We have in use in Queen Anne's county eighty-three of the Buckeye Drills. In 1882 we sold there 28; in 1883 we sold 55.

WM. A. ELLIOTT,

Chestertown, Md., Agent for Kent county. July 17.

The Harvest

For clothing buyers has arrived, and no one should fail to grasp the opportunity to buy good, reliable Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing for a mere song. We have done a good season of successful business, and are now determined to offer the balance of our stylish, nobby and well made garments at

ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

We only ask you to notice our figures, examine our goods and compare them with the many trashy offerings made by other clothing houses. Our $1 Sailor Suits for Boys from 3 to 10 years; sold everywhere for $2.

Our line of $3 75 Boys' Long Pants Suits usually sold at $6.

Our Indigo-Blue Men's Suits, $7 50—a tremendous bargain.

Our Fat Men's Suits at $10; reduced from $16, $15 and $13 50.

Men's Cass. Coats, $2, 2 50, 3 50, many of them fully worth from 7 50 to 12. An enormous line of thin Coats, Suits and Dusters at extraordinary low figures.

Come early and get the pick at

C. N. OEHM & SON,
POPULAR CLOTHIERS.
Surrounding Corner
HANOVER AND PRATT STREETS.
All Goods Strictly as Represented.

Cummings' Bakery
—AND—
CONFECTIONERY.

Bread and Pies fresh every day; Pound Cake, Jelly Cake, Sponge Cake, Spanish Buns, Cinnamon Buns, Rusks, Doughnuts and Saratoga Rolls. Full line of Fresh Confectionery always on hand. Orders for cakes for wedding parties or Festivals will receive careful and prompt attention.

Steam Ice-Cream Manufactory.

Ice-Cream at wholesale and retail. Cool and pleasant Ice-cream Parlors for ladies and gentlemen. Cream put up in 1, 2, 3 and 4 quart boxes for families. All kinds of Fruit in season.

CUMMINGS' ICE-CREAM PARLORS,
May 29—tf. Next door to N.G. Westcott.

Lime for Sale.

Having purchased

THE LIME KILN

at the Railroad Station at Chestertown, Md., formerly owned by Levi Fiddis, Jr., I am now prepared to sell either

Slaked or Quicked Lime

for building purposes, at the followiug rates at the kiln: Slaked, 6c. per bushel; quick, 12c. per bushel..
WM. PERKINS.
Oct. 20 1881.

WOOD! WOOD!!
Hickory, Oak and Pine.

The subscriber has purchased 1000 cords of the very best seasoned Oak, Hickory and Pine that has been in this market for some time, and is selling it, delivered, at $5 00 per cord for oak, and $6 00 per cord for hickory; wood sawed and split to order.

This Wood has all been culled over; is full length, clear of knots and small sticks.

Pine KINDLING WOOD for sale low.

WILLIAM PERKINS,
Rising Sun, Saloon, Chestertown
Nov. 22, 1883.

Colin F. Stam,

Bookseller and Stationer,

Has now in stock a large assortment of Sea-Side, Franklin Square and Lovell's Popular Libraries. Also, books of general Literature, Writing Paper, Envelopes and

General Stationery Materials

in Large Quantities.

Bear this in mind—you will always find the Largest Stock and Cheapest BOOKS at

Stam's Drug Store.

March 1, 1883.

FLOUR.

Good Bread,
Good Health
And level head
Gains Wealth.

Patapsco Superlative Patent, Patapsco Family, Patapsco Extra, Orange Extra, Clifton F. F. F., Kirkwood Extra, Occidental Extra, by the barrel, sack or pound. Get our prices on Flour before buying. We may save you money.

J. B. SAPPINGTON.

WE Give a China Cup and Saucer or Fancy Fruit Plate with every Pound of Henkle's Baking Powder; also, with Half-pound, a Fancy Cup and Saucer. The Baking Powder Guaranteed to be as Good as Any on the Market, or Money Refunded.
WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

GRASS Scythes and Grass Snaths, Bush Scythes and Bush Snaths, Grass Hooks and Scythe Stones, for sale by
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

A LARGE assortment of Rims, Spokes, Hubs, Shafts, Poles, Plow and Cultivator Handles, Neck Yokes, and Double Trees. For sale by JOHN K. ALDRIDGE.

A FEW Chamber China Sets, very low in price at LOUIS K. STAM'S.

Writing Paper

In Beautiful Boxes, the Nicest Assortment in town—at
STAM'S DRUG STORE.

GARDEN TOOLS! GARDEN TOOLS! Hoes, Rakes, Spades, Spading Forks, at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

THE ROLAND FARM BELLS. For sale by
March 27. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

CHEAP LOT OF FURNITURE

In sufficient quantities,

Will be delivered at your home free of charge.
Feb. 14, 1884. LOUIS K. STAM.

NO Brand Cigar can only be found at SPARKS.

FOR latest styles in Gents' Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs, &c., go to WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S.

YOU can get a Box (containing 50) Good Cigars for 87½c. Best 50c. Tobacco in Town. WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

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

SHEEP SHEARS! SHEEP SHEARS!! A very large assortment on hand, and prices very low, at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S

FENCE WIRE at the Lowest Prices at
March 27. J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

OUR BLANKETS at $1.00 a pair; Our Blankets at 85 cts. a pair; Our Bed Comforts, large and heavy at 99 cts. at
J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

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.

DON'T fail to Call and Examine Our Stock of Swiss and Hamburg Embroideries.
WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

HIGHEST Market Price given for Country Produce, such as Butter, Eggs, Meat, Lard Chickens, &c., at WROTH & ALDRIDGE'S

STAIR RODS—CHEAP!
LOUIS K. STAM'S

BALTIMORE & DEL. BAY R. R

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

Connecting with Delaware Rail Road at Clayton

On and after Monday, June 30th, 1884, until further notice trains (Sundays excepted) will run as follows:

GOING NORTH	Pas'r & freight no. 1 daily exc. pt We'n'days.	Passe'r & freight No. 3, Th'days.	no. 5 Pas. Cape May excursion, We'n'days only.
LEAVE	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Chestertown	6 30	1 45	6 00
Worton	6 48	2 05	6 20
Lynch's	6 55	2 15	6 30
Still Pond	7 03	2 25	6 35
Kennedyville	7 15	2 40	6 45
Blacks	7 30	2 55	6 55
Lambson	7 45	3 10	7 05
Masseys	7 58	3 22	7 20
Delanys	8 12	3 25	7 35
*Bingham	8 27	3 45	7 45
arr Clayton	8 40	4 00	8 00
leave "	8 52	5 27	8 52
" Middletown	9 12	5 56	9 12
" Wilmington	9 51	6 50	9 51
arr Philadelphia	10 40	7 49	10 49
Baltimore	12 35	8 55	12 35
New York	.....	10 29	.....

GOING SOUTH.	Passenger & Freight No. 2 daily	Passenger No. 4 Thursdays and Saturdays only.
LEAVE	A.M.	P.m
New York	.....	.....
Baltimore	6 35	12 10
Philadelphia	7 40	3 00
Wilmington	8 35	3 50
Middletown	9 34	4 28
arr Clayton	10 02	4 47
leave "	11 17	4 55
" Binghams*	11 30	5 05
Delanys	11 40	5 10
Masseys	11 55	5 25
Lambson	12 10	5 35
Blacks	12 25	5 45
Kennedyville	12 40	5 55
Still Pond	12 50	6 02
Lynchs	12 55	6 07
Worton	1 05	6 12
arr Chestertown	1 20	6 30
	p. m	p. m.

Stations marked thus (*) have no agents.

Freight for Delanys and Bingham's must be prepaid.

The morning trains make connection at Clayton with the Delaware Railroad going North and South.

Passengers on morning train for Baltimore change at Wilmington.

Freight carried at low rates to all points and must be at Stations 30 minutes before starting time, in order to insure dispatch.

Excursion Tickets issued at reduced rates
FRED. GERKER,
July 3, 1884 Lessee.

Farmers', Builders'
—AND—
MECHANICS' HARDWARE

Our Stock is complete in every department and the public are invited to call and examine our goods and prices.

For the Farmer we have Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Feed Cutters, Corn Crushers, Corn Shellers, Shovels, Forks, Spades, Hoes, Axes, Wagon Hames, Chain and Rope Traces, Plow Lines, Hinges, Locks, Saws, Drawing Knives, &c., which we are selling at very moderate rates.

Joel R. Clements.

For Builders we have everything in the way of Hinges, Locks, Bolts, Catches, Sash Locks, Cord and Weights, &c., &c.

For Mechanics we have all kinds of Tools, such as Planes, Saws, Chisels, Hatchets, Braces, Bitts of almost any quality; Saw Files, Spirit Levels, Plumbobs, &c., which we are selling as cheap as can be had in the city. Call and see us.

JOEL R. CLEMENTS,
adjoining Kent Nat'l Bank.
Jan. 31, 1884.

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—t01.

Ice Cream!
ICE CREAM!!
AT REDUCED PRICES!

TO enable us to compete with Baltimore and Middletown, Del., quotations the following will hereafter be the prices for Ice-Cream to parties, picnics and excursions, delivered on cars or steamboat, viz:

Ten gallon and over	90c. per gal.
Under 10 gallon	$1.00 " "
Half gallon	60c. " "
One quart	40c. " "
One pint	20c. " "

Above prices not packed in ice. All orders at above reduced rates must be accompanied with the CASH.

PRICES OF ICE:

1 cent per pound for all quantities less than 100 lbs.; 100 lbs, 75 cents.

WM. PERKINS,
June 19. "Rising Sun" Saloon.

To Our Customers.

We have a large supply of Coffees, Flour, and Provisions, &c., prior to the late sharp advance in prices, and are prepared to give our patrons the advantage of our good luck: we have a good article of New Orleans Molasses at a *reasonable* price.

J. B. SAPPINGTON.
Leader in Low Price

PLOW CASTINGS! PLOW CASTINGS!

For the Roland Chilled Plows, Concave, Wiley, and Minor and Horton Plows—at
J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

STRAW HATS.—We have a large assortment, newest styles, Fine Straw Hats. Also common Straw Hats at low prices.
J. H. SIMPERS.

EXTENSION TABLES—new lot just received, very low.
Feb. 14. LOUIS K. STAM.

Machine Oil

All Kinds!

LARGEST STOCK IN TOWN!

Lowest Prices

AT

LOUIS K. STAM'S

CHESTERTOWN, June 17, 1884.

CLEAR WEST VIRGINIA

Yellow Poplar Perfectly Seasoned

AND WIDE,

which I am selling at less than city prices.

Joseph Turner

SCOTT'S POINT.

All kinds inch Seasoned Hard Wood Boards for Inside Finishing or Cabinet Work. Selected and seasoned.

1 Inch Walnut.
1 Inch Cherry,
1 Inch Ash.
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Summer Goods!!

Everything desirable kept in a First-Class Store now in stock.

Extra Inducements offered this season! The ladies are especially invited.

Large Stock of White and Fancy Mattings, from 12½ cts. up.
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We are thankful for past favors, and ask for a continuance of same, assuring all that our "motto" is to always please in *Price* and *Quality*.

E. W. F. SIMPERS,
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