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The Transcript.

Chestertown, Md.

Thursday, January 13, 1887

WOODALL & JUSTIS,
EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

JOHN ROACH, the shipbuilder, is dead. He started a penniless Irish boy, and died a millionaire. His fortune was largely made from government contracts. The last government ship built, the "Dolphin," was rejected by Secretary Whitney, because she did not come up to contract.

THE appointment of J. Upshur Dennis as Associate Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city meets with general approval. Mr. Dennis has the reputation among Maryland lawyers not only of being a good lawyer, but of being a man of high sense of honor. His appointment was recommended by a large number of prominent lawyers of the **city and State bar.**

GOV. LLOYD, at the military banquet given in his honor recently in Baltimore, in the course of his remarks, said:

"Perhaps there is no one in this room who has been more surprised than your humble speaker at the events of the last few years. Not long ago I was a public school teacher at $30 a month, and by a series of fortunate circumstances I am here as your commander-in-chief, as commander of the entire naval and land forces of Maryland. I take no credit to myself for what has occurred. I can only say that while brilliancy may not have marked my career, it has been honest, for I have tried conscientiously to do my duty.

Our Maryland Governor is becomingly modest, but really fails to do himself justice. After all, there was something more than the ordinary in the thirty dollar a month school teacher, else he would never have been selected at so early an age to represent his county in the State Senate. So there must have been something more than the ordinary in the young Senator, else opinion would never have centred upon him as the fittest for the responsible position of President of the Senate. Finally, Gov. Lloyd, though the youngest man who ever held the reins of government in Maryland, has yet, in the opinion of all, managed the executive authority with wisdom and discreetness.

COMPTROLLER TURNER'S report of the State treasury department for the year ending Sept. 30, 1886, demonstrates that under his management the financial affairs of the State are constantly reaching a better status. The total indebtedness of the State is, in round numbers, $10,900,000. To this there is an offset in interest paying investments held by the State of $4,946,000. These securities are paying six, seven, and as high as ten per cent. interest, and are therefore above par. The Comptroller estimates that they would bring, if sold, $6,104,000. This leaves a real indebtedness on the part of the State of $4,946,000. The State holds non-interest paying securities to an amount exceeding $28,000,000. The Comptroller exhibits that since 1883 the indebtedness of the State has been reduced $1,271,000, an average annual reduction of $423,000. At this rate of reduction, he very pertinently remarks, it will not be many years before the entire State debt will be extinguished.

It is likely that at some future time the *Transcript* may take occasion to review some of the items of the Comptroller's report more in detail.

IT WOULD BE interesting to know just how many Kent county Republicans are protectionists. The *Transcript* happens to know, that a large number of the leading Republicans in the county believe in a tariff for revenue only. They say very little about it generally, but when they are brought to an open declaration of opinion upon the tariff question, it is found that they are not protectionists. The *Transcript* has been surprised, on the other hand, to find that there are a number of prominent Republicans in the county, who have no manner of personal interest in a protective tariff, who yet declare themselves to be protectionists. When asked why they are protectionists, they generally reply, "because they believe in protecting American labor." By American labor of course they mean the comparatively few people who are employed in the factories,—or rather in some of the factories, because all factories do not receive any benefit from a high tariff. They ignore entirely the carpenters, the blacksmiths, the bricklayers, the clerks, the farm laborers and the millions of workingmen that outnumber, twenty to one, the people employed in the factories. Upon all of these a high tariff imposes a tax for the benefit of a comparatively few factory people. If there ever was a time for a tax to build up infant American industries, the time is past. We have more coal, more iron, more raw materials of all kinds than any other nation in the world. If the manufacturers of this country cannot utilize these abundant raw materials and compete with the manufacturers of other countries, without asking that the independent working people of this country be taxed to sustain them, it is no more than fair that our own factories should shut up shop.

The columns of the *Transcript* are open to a fa[illegible] of the tariff or any o[illegible] question, and we invite any of our Republican protectionist friends to give the reason for the faith that is in them through its columns.

Why President Eliot of Harvard University Votes the Democratic Ticket.

President Eliot, of Cambridge University, in a letter written to the Conference of Independents who supported the Democratic nominee for Governor of Massachusetts at the last election, has stated his political views with refreshing frankness and vigor. In the course of his letter he said:

An Independent, to my thinking, ought to be something more than a scratcher of tickets. He has two methods of effective action, and in my opinion only two. On one hand he may act with that one of the two great parties which at the moment best represents his own political principles, or on the other hand he may join, or help to start, a third party organized expressly to promote the principles in which he believes.

The political principles which I believe in are:

1. Public office a public trust.
2. A civil service administered on business principles, without any admixture of patronage or "spoils," simply to get the best possible service.
3. A serious reduction of all the taxes on imports, and the complete abolition of many of them.
4. A careful and moderate expenditure of the public money in all directions.
5. A currency based on coin good throughout the world, and not on tokens having circulation only in the United States.

In the absence of a third party expressly organized to promote these principles, I act with the Democratic party rather than with the Republican, because the Democratic leaders and representatives, adequately supported by the mass of the party, seem to me to have done more during the past two years and a half to advance all these principles, except the fifth, than the Republican party in the whole course of its history. More than this: I cannot perceive in the recent public acts and utterances of the Republican party and its leaders satisfactory evidence that they really mean to promote any of the above principles. As I want Massachusetts to support the Democratic party on national issues, I vote the Democratic ticket for State officers also; because that is the only practical way to build up the Democratic vote in Massachusetts into an effective majority. Having no faith whatever in the doctrine that only one-half of the people—namely, the Republican half—can be trusted with public administration, I am not afraid that the Democrats will ruin the State Government—any more than they have ruined the National Government since March 4, 1885.

Finally, I am an Independent still—that is, a citizen who looks upon a political party solely as a means of promoting public principles, and who will therefore act with any party only so long as it seems to him to promote those principles in which he believes.

The Wreck of the Ship Elizabeth.

No One Left to Tell How it Happened--Sad Scenes on the Beach.

One of the most disastrous shipwrecks which ever occurred on the Virginia coast happened at 2 o'cl'k Monday morning near the Little Island Life-Saving Station, fourteen miles south of Cape Henry. Not less than twenty, and probably more, lives were lost, including five life-saving men, who, in the discharge of their duty, were drowned. The morning was bitter cold, and a blinding snow storm prevailed, with the wind blowing a gale from the northwest. During a lull in the storm the life-saving patrol from Little Island Life Saving Station sighted a large ship stranded on the bar, about eight hundred yards from shore. When he saw the vessel, he was waiting to meet his patrol from Dam Neck Station, and exchange checks, showing that both patrolmen had been to the end of their beat. The Dam Neck patrol was only a few yards distant when the vessel was sighted, and both fired rockets to notify the crew of the stranded ship that she had been seen. They hurried back to their respective stations and gave the alarm. In a little while both crews, with life-boats and apparatus, were abreast of the wreck, and the boom of a mortar announced that a line had been shot out to the ill fated vessel. The shot was unsuccessful, and a second was fired, with like result. After firing six unsuccessful shots, the life-saving men determined to brave the furious sea and the death which seemed certain to await their venture. The word of command being given by Captain Belanza, of Life-saving station No. 4, known as Little Island, six of the most expert boatmen manned each boat. At his command the men gave way with a will, and in a moment both boats were breasting the furious waves.

They reached the ship in safety, and five of the ship's crew were taken in a life-boat, and ten in a ship's boat, which was launched for the purpose. The boats were headed for shore, and not a word was spoken, for each man realized the awful peril which surrounded them. With a steady pull, the two boats were making a good headway for the shore when a wave of great power struck both boats, capsizing them instantly and pitching the twenty-two occupants into the boiling sea. Then began a desperate struggle for life, and with many of the men it was a prolonged one. The horrified life savers on the beach were powerless to assist their drowning comrades or the unfortunate strangers. The drowning men were carried southward by the seas, and some of them were washed ashore. As they came within reach they were picked up and endeavors were made to revive them, and in two instances with success, although one of the two is severely injured. The vessel is the German ship Elizabeth, Captain Halberstadt, from Hamburg to Baltimore, and not one of her crew survives her wreck. Her cargo is unknown, as the high seas have thus far prevented any attempt to reach her. It is thought she is leaking badly, and at sunset her masts were thought to be giving way. Of the life saving crew the following were lost:

Abel B[illegible]anza, captain of No. 4, known as Little Island, six of the

J. W. Land, same station.
George W. Stone, same.
J. A. Belanza, of Dam Neck Station and brother of Abel.
Joseph Spratley, of Dam Neck.
John Etheridge and Frank Tetford, of No. 4 station, were washed ashore and resuscitated, but Etheridge is so badly injured that it is thought that he cannot survive.

The Delaware Legislature.

DOVER, DEL., Jan. 4.—The General Assembly of Delaware convened here this morning. The Senate organized by electing John E. Collins, of Smyrna, Kent county, president, Benjamin J. Moore, of Laurel, Sussex county, for clerk; Sewell W. Scott, of Wilmington, sergeant at arms; the Rev. L. W. Gibson, of the P. E. Church of this place, as chaplain. Speaker Collins is a staunch supporter of Senator Gray for re election, and the Senate now stands six to three in favor of the same.

The House organized by electing William R. McCabe, of Baltimore, Sussex county, for Speaker; Ezekiel T. Cooper, of Dover, for clerk; the Rev. J. F. Stonecipher, of the Presbyterian Church, Dover, for chaplain, and George W. Ford, of Delaware City for sergeant at-arms. Speaker McCabe and Clerk Cooper both have been strenuous opponents of Mr. Gray, and their election has created a good deal of surprise in general and annoyance to the friends of the Senator. The Lore men claim it as a victory and pretend to see a fighting chance for their leader's election to the United States Senate. The explanation appears to be, however, that McCabe is personally very much more popular than the candidate of the Gray faction in the House.

An Important Meeting to be Held at Cooper Union Next Week.

A vigorous protest is to be made during the coming week by the New York free traders against the attitude of Congress toward a reform of the tariff, through the medium of a mass meeting at Cooper Union on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at which Capt. F. W. Dawson, of South Carolina; ex-Governor Dorsheimer, Henry George and possibly Colonel Fellows and Congressman Belmont will speak. Jackson S. Schultz will preside. The more progressive element among the free traders have been learning very rapidly of late that their true policy is to take offensive on the broad ground that the protective tariff is oppressive to all classes of the community. They are growing impatient at the temporizing policy of the "moderate tariff" newspapers, which advocate a reduction of duties mainly because there is a surplus revenue, and at the timidity of political leaders in Congress, who hold their tariff convictions so entirely secondary to their party machinery, and dread taking a positive stand which they fear may prove unpopular.

The coming meeting is said to be projected with the hope that it will spur up these lukewarm advocates to something like a definite course of action and give an opportunity for a clear statement of belief that the workingmen of the country are not benefited by the tariff, even through a nominal raising of wages.

MARRIED.

WEBB—ROEDER.—At the M. E. Parsonage, Chestertown, Md., on January 5, 1877, by Rev. John D. Kemp, WILLIAM W. WEBB and KATE A. ROEDER, both of this county.

NOTICE.

I desire to close up fully the affairs of *The Transcript* to the 1st day of January, 1887. I shall, between now and the first of February, call upon, either personally or through the mails, all those indebted for Advertising, Job Work or Subscription.

Jan. 13, 1877—3t. C. G. WOODALL.

A CARD.

JAMES H. HILL, M. D.,

A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, and who also has taken a course at the College of Pharmacy, offers his professional services to the people of Sassafras and vicinity.

Jan. 13, 1887—3t.

REMOVAL.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin has taken the dwelling house on High street adjoining the store of Mr. A. J. Cahall. He will be pleased to see his friends and patients at his new location, where, having more room, he will be able to afford many more comforts than in the past.

Jan. 6, 1887—tf.

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, Md., of

JOHN B. PARROTT,

late of Kent county, 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 12th day of July, 1887, or they will be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 4th day of January, 1887.

WM. S. BUSIC,
JOHN B. PARROTT,
Jan. 13, 1887—4t. Administrators.

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Given under my hand this 4th day of January, 1887.

PRICE W. WILSON,
Jan. 13, 1887—4t. Administrator.

DO YOU WANT
YOUR HORSE SHOD?

We have a First-Class professional Shoer. Mr. Lambert has recovered his health and will personally superintend the Shoeing Department.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

Books for Children.

coicest selections from English and Ameris authors. The low prices will astonish you at

STAM'S DRUG STORE

JOHN D. URIE.

ATTORNEY AT LAW

OFFICE ADJOINING STORE OF T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Will practice in Kent and Queen Anne's counties. sep16.

DR. T. H. COOPER,
HOMEOPATHIC,

Office Main street, opp[illegible] Voshell House, can be found in office [illegible] from 10 A. M. till [illegible] women and children. 1886—tf.

Administrator's Sale

—OF—

Personal Property

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, the undersigned, as administrator of CLAYTON H. WILSON, late of Kent county, deceased, will offer at Public Sale at Thomas' Hotel in Millington, on

SATURDAY, Jan. 29, '87

Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.,
The FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY:

1 DARK BAY HORSE.
1 SORREL MARE,
1 CULTIVATOR,
1 WILEY PLOUGH,
2 SOUTH BEND PLOUGHS,
1 FARM WAGON,
1 YORK CARRIAGE,
6 Barrels of YELLOW CORN,
1 TWIN HARROW,
3 SHOATS,

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over that amount a credit of six months on note with approved security. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

PRICE H. WILSON, Adm'r.
STEDMAN T. WICKES, Att'y.
WM. M. JOHNSON, Auct'r. jan13-ts.

Mortgagee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from Samuel H. Crawford and his wife to Charles H. Baker, attorney, of date the 14th day of December, 1882, and recorded among the land records of Kent county, in Liber S. B., No. 3, Folio 516, &c., the undersigned will offer at Public Auction in front of the Postoffice in the village of Fairlee, in Kent county, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 1887,

AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.,

ALL THAT LOT OR THOSE LOTS OF LAND

lying and being on the public road leading from said village to Stratton's (formerly Bacchus') Mill and on the east side of Samuel H. Crawford's farm, being about ONE ACRE of Land divided into FOUR LOTS, AND EACH LOT

having on it

A SMALL DWELLING

They are well-located and desirable for residence. This property will be offered separately and as a whole.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash and the balance in two equal installments in one and two years from the day of sale, to be secured by bond or notes of purchaser or purchasers and all money not paid on the day of sale to bear interest from the day of sale.

C. H. BAKER.

Dec. 30—ts.

THE CRAWFORD HOUSE

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

[FORMERLY HALL'S HOTEL.]

HAVING Leased the House, which is fitted up in the very best manner, I am prepared to accommodate parties at very reasonable rates. I will leave nothing undone that will add to the comfort of my guests. I shall aim to have everything in season, and no effort will be spared to make this the BEST HOTEL ON THE SHORE. This House has a

FIRST CLASS LIVERY AATACHED,

and parties will be conveyed from Boat or Cars free of charge, and to any part of the Peninsula at LOW RATES.

SAMUEL H. CRAWFORD,
Jan. 8, 1887. PROPRIETOR.

TO THE PUBLIC.

HAVING leased the ARMSTRONG HOUSE in Chestertown I am prepared to accommodate the general public.

☞MY TABLE☜

will be supplied with the best the market affords, and I shall use every effort to insure the comfort of those favoring me with their patronage. On Tuesdays and Saturdays extra preparations will be made to secure our county friends a First Class Dinner.

FREE HACKS will connect with the Steamboats and Trains. First Class Livery attached.

TERMS—$1.50 per Day.

jan6-3m. ALBERT I. DUGAN.

C. M. LUCAS,

Has just received a Large and Beautiful stock o

Holiday Goods,

Consisting of the latest designs in JEWELRY, Laties' Gold Watches, &c., &c.

Young gentlemen contemplating matrimony will do well to give him a call, as he makes a specialty of

Wedding Rings.

His stock of Rogers Silverware embraces many articles both Useful and Ornamental, and suitable for holiday and wedding presents. He cordially invites all to give him a call before going to the city. d.2, 1886.

NOTICE.

In making our purchases we have not overlooked

The Little Folks.

Come and select something to make their little hearts glad.

COLIN F. STAM,
Dec. 16, 1886. DRUGGIST.

SILVERWARE.

NEW STOCK,
ARTISTIC DESIGNS.

LOW PRICES.

STAM'S DRUG STORE.

Notice, Tax-Payers!

ALL levies are due and payable on the first day of January. To meet the levies, I must make prompt collection of Taxes. Without further notice, please call on me and settle.

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the Court House in Chestertown every Tuesday and at Worton Heights every Saturday, until further notice.

M. M. RASIN,
Dec. 23—tf. (Collector Third District.

We have gone into Winter Quarters

WITH A

COMPLETE STOCK OF

Lumber!

And can fill all orders coming in during the winter for House and Barn bills without delay.

We have on hand every length needed of 4x8, 6x8, 6x6 and 8x10 GEORGIA SILLS.

All sizes Virginia Posts, Plates, Ties, Joist and Scantling, seasoned.

White Pine 5-8 Dressed Weatherboarding.
" " 5-8 Rough "
" " 7-8 Dressed, Rabeted.
Cypress 7-8 " German.
" 5-8 Beveled "
Virginia Pine 5-8 Rough "
" " 5-8 Dressed "

WINDOW AND DOOR FRAMES,

Made of Dressed Lumber.

CYPRESS and WHITE PINE for Casings, 6-4, 5-4, 7-8.

15,000 feet SHINGLE LATHING.

200,000
CYPRESS SHINGLES.

Sufficient stock of Georgia and Virginia Flooring, etc.

JOSEPH TURNER,
Jan. 13, 1887. SCOTT'S POINT.

GOSLEE

THE SHOE MAN.

will be in the new store under town hall, on and after Saturday, January 1st, 1887

Will be pleased to have you call at his new quarters,

DON'T YOU BUY

B 4 U C

THE FINE ASSORTMENT OF

HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES!

now being received and opened at

H. A. SPARKS'

consisting in part of

Fancy Goods and Novel'ies and Hammered and Polished Brass, Gilt, Bronze, Plush Goods, Dressing Cases, Odor Stands, Albums, Shaving Sets, Satchels, Toilet Sets, Vases, Cups and Saucers, Mugs, &c.

In Toys we shall not have as large a stock perhaps as some others but will try and show you a nice assortment and at lowest prices.

In our Confectionery and Fruit department we claim to take the lead and have one of the best stocks to be found in the county, they will speak for themselves and prices will please you.

Don't forget our Lamps. We have them at lower prices than ever. We will sell a nice Hanging Lamp for $2.50. Stand Lamps, Hall Lamps and every other kind of Lamp.

Fine Groceries, Canned Goods, English Pickles, Chow-Chow, Sauces, Jellies.

Triple-Plated Ware very cheap. Clocks, Clocks, Clocks, price them before buying.

These are a few of the many goods to be found in our stock. We have many other goods which space will not allow us to mention. Give us a call. H. A. SPARKS,
Dec. 9, 1886. opposite Court House.

Christmas Goods!

HOLIDAY NOVELTIES!

FINE, LARGE ASSORTMENT

—AT—

Stam's Drug Store,

UNDER TOWN HALL,

Dec. 16, 1886. Chestertown, Md.

OUR PRICES for all grades of Canton Flannel—quality considered—are hard to beat; and see for yourself.

J. H. SIMPERS.

Grain Wanted.

SAMUEL B. FOARD,

Chestertown, Md., Agent for

L. J. COX & CO.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

Highest CASH Price Paid for

GRAIN

AT ALL TIMES.

Give us a call before selling.

SAM'L B. FOARD,
AGENT FOR
L. J. COX & CO.

Oct. 14, 1886.

A. T. BRADLEY,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

Special Agent for

MESSRS. E. L. ROGERS & CO.,

No. 130 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.,

Under whose instructions Grain will be bought for delivery at all points on the Baltimore and Delaware Bay Railroad.

WHEAT & CORN
WANTED

AT THE HIGHEST CASH PRICES.

All Grain will be paid for immediately on receipt of delivery by E. L. Rogers & Co.

Consignments Solicited.

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN.

LOW RATES GUARANTEED.

All correspondence answered with dispatch either by person or mail

A. T. BRADLEY,
Oct. 14, 1886. Chestertown, Md

SPECIAL NO. 2.

ALL THINGS ARE READY

FOR THE HOLIDAYS,

—Visit—

OUR DOUBLE STORE-ROOM

to be convinced.

WE take pleasure to announce to the public that we have the largest and cheapest stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS ever brought to this town. Bought of the importers at lowest prices, and to be sold 50 per cent. lower than last holidays. We have not space to tell you what we have in stock but we invite you to give us a call and see the

THREE LITTLE MAIDS EROM SCHOOL,
RAILROAD TO FAIRY LAND,
WALKING BEAR,
TALKING BABIES,
JACK'S BEAN STALK,
DANCING NEGROES,
STEAM ENGINES,
AND OTHER SHOW TOYS

that will please you all; to be sold below Baltimore prices. We have bought our Nuts and Fruits from first hands and will be able to sell you a first-class article. No old stock. We take pleasure in showing you goods in our stores.

A full stock of Cake, Bread, Fruit Cake, Jelly Cake and all kinds of Delicacies in season.

KRIS KRINGLE!

will visit us this holiday and remain until January 1st. He expects to greet all the children with pleasure. He will arrive Saturday, December 18th on the Kent Railroad at 2 o'clock P.M. He will ride through the streets of Chestertown distributing Toys to the children and take up his lodgings at Hudgins' Bakery. He will be pleased to see all who visit him and give them a Christmas Present.

Mothers, Fathers, Sisters, Brothers, Aunts Uncles and Cousins,

don't forget to bring the Little Ones in town on the 18th of December to see KRIS KRINGLE arrive on the Kent County Railroad with part of his family. They will be glad to see you and will stop at

HUDGINS' DOUBLE STORES,
Cross Street, Chestertown.

P.S.—Our Mince Pies are first-class and our Taffies are made of pure sugars. d.2.

—OUR—

SPECIALTIES!

We expect and have prepared for a large trade this winter, and think we will not be disappointed. People have gone without many things they needed for the last year, and goods are down so cheap now, and times are getting somewhat better, that we are satisfied we will have a lively trade.

OUR STOCK

was carefully selected, bought at the very lowest cash prices, and we are selling at such low figures that you will be pleasantly surprised when you find what excellent bargains we can and will sell you. Don't keep back, or stand on the order of your coming, but come and see what your money will do for you out of our stock.

OUR STOCK

of holiday goods is just first class in every particular, and if you will give us a call we know we can please you.

WROTH & ALDRIDGE.

Dec 30, 1886. Chestertown.

WE HAVE A LARGE ST[illegible] OF BOOTS AND SHOES, and wi[illegible] to the interes of buyers to call and [illegible] goods and prices before purchasing. [illegible]ERS.

PROCLAMATION!

Whereas the 25th day of December is celebrated throughout the world as Christmas, and whereas it is usual, customary and befitting that all men and all nations throughout the world should join in the celebration and good cheer reigning on that day, and whereas it is a day specially set apart for making presents, now therefore I, Louis K. Stam, merchant of Chestertown, Md., knowing of this custom and wishing to please and accommodate my customers, have made extensive preparations for above named celebration and am now prepared to furnish many useful and desirable presents for both old and young, consisting of Rattan, Reed and Carpet Chairs, Plain Rockers, Beautiful Lamps, Pictures, Wall Pockets, &c.; Children's Sleds, Wagons, Shoo-Flys, Tables and many other articles too numerous to mention. I have also received a full line of Furniture, consisting of Suits, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Lounges, Extension Tables, Chairs, &c., &c. And I furthermore proclaim that these goods will be sold low, and you will wrong yourself if you do not call to see them. Next door to Stam's Hall.

Louis K. Stam.

Dec. 16, 1886.

FOR THE

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS!

WE HAVE

The Largest and Finest Line of Pocket and Table CUTLERY even see in Kent county. Our stock of SCISSORS, SHEARS and RAZORS is complete.

Call and see at

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO'S.

Our Tin, Toilet & Chamber Setts

ARE VERY PRETTY,

and in many cases suitable Presents.

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

You Ought To See

AT J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S HARDWARE

Their Line of both

HEATING & COOKING STOVES

It embraces numerous styles, sizes and qualities. Their prices are as LOW as can be given by any dealer. They take pleasure in showing their stock.

EXTRAORDINARY NOTICE

Is called to the

Imperial Burner,

abroad and at home. It is acknowledged by wisest minds to be most perfect in material and construction, and satisfactory in results of any known coal oil burner. Nothing can be added to it.

IT IS PERFECT!

The nearest approach to solar light ever achieved.

The Wick Never Requires Cutting

The Burner Cannot Get Out of Order, and is easily managed by any person of ordinary intelligence. Certain Lamps and Burners are advertised to give 60 candle power. In comparison with such the IMPERIAL BURNER gives

75 Candle Power

A LARGE STOCK OF

LAMPS AND LAMP GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

Louis K. Stam.

Prices Reduced

—ON—

FLOUR

—AT—

LIEBERMAN'S

MELITOTA.

I have this day *Reduced* the price on all my brands of

FLOUR.

Flour sold at manufacturers' prices, and delivered free of charge to any part of the county.

Call or write for prices.

Telephone call 36.

Respectfully,
N. LIEBERMAN,
June 10. Melitota, Md

FOR A

RELIABLE DENTIST,

Making but Moderate Charges, visit

DR. PHELPS,

GALENA, MARYLAND.

Worthless teeth removed without pain. Examine his samples of beautiful artificial teeth. Full set for $5. Oct. 14, 1886.

THE COLUMBIA
BOLSTER SPRING

—FOR—

FARM AND PEACH WAGON

TO CARRY

from 2000 to 6[illegible]

For sale by

[illegible]

For Job W[illegible]

—OF—

ALL KIN[illegible]

LETTERHEADS,
BILLHEADS,
ENVELOPES,
POSTERS,
PROGRAMM[illegible]
CIRCULARS,

Remember that the

Transcript

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