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25c. spot cash will buy 6 yards 6¼ Apron Gingham.
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9½c per yard, a job lot best 12½c Percales.
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[Dedicated to Mrs. Jefferson Davis.]

They marched out in the morning with the battle flags unfurled,
Their brave hearts gayly singing, "We can conquer all the world;"
In their souls the love of freedom like a flawless gem impearled.

They marched out in the morning to the beating of the drum,
The glory for the many and the certain death for some;
Right was calling—and they answered, "We are coming—we have come."

They marched out in the morning with a quick and martial tread;
They never once looked backward, for their farewell word was said—
That first battle was not bloodless, for the women's hearts all bled.

They marched out in the morning in the sunlight and the dew,
The eager drums were calling and the mighty bugles blew;
They met death's bloody river—and too many waded through.

They rushed into the battle, in that mass of hissing hell;
Oh, these laughing Southern soldiers, how they fought and how they fell!
All their glory, all their story, let the voice of history tell.

When they came back in the evening from the hurry and the heat,
They came back gravely, slowly, through the silence of defeat;
Broken hearts and broken weapons at a weeping country's feet.

They came back in the evening, for the fighting was all done;
They bowed their beaten banners to the sadly sinking son;
They came back in the evening—patriots, heroes, every one.

Folded flag and silent bugle of the men that marched away,
We are here, the sons and daughters of the veterans in gray;
It is evening in the silence, let us kneel and let us pray!

—*Margaret Hunt Brisbane, in New Orleans Times Democrat.*

STATE TAX COMMISSIONER'S

Interesting Kent County Figures in His Report.

The Report of Tax Commissioner Robt. P. Graham is on the TRANSCRIPT's table, through the courtesy of that officer The total amount of the State tax on corporations for the year is $526,072.41.

Items pertaining to Kent county corporations are these:

Name of Corporation.	Aggregate value of Shares of Stock.	Assessed value of Real Property.
Chestertown Nat'l Bank...	$63,000	$3,860
Kent Co. Savings Bank....	2,800	
Sec. Nat'l B'k of Chest'w...	50.250	6,250
Ches. Elec. Light & Pow. Co.	4,800	
Chester River Steamb't Co.	110,000	37,940
Chestertown Water Co....	6,900	
Crumpton Packing Co.....	1 000	1,000
Stam's Hall Co.....	20,000	10,000
Enterprise Pub. Co.....	1,500	
Lankford Creamery Co.....	370	
Locust Grove Creamery Co.	1 573	
Millington Bld'g & Loan Co.		200
Massey Creamery Co.....	125	125
Rock Hall Co-operation Co	435	150
Rock Hall Land & Imp. Co.	12,443	12,443
Still Pond Wharf Co.....	500	500
Tol. Beach Imp. Co.....	189,750	64,585

The gross receipts of the Chestertown Light and Power Company is given as $5,447,10; amount of taxes, $4,085.

HOW TO LIVE CHEAPLY.

New York Experiments With a One-Cent Restaurant.

In an attempt to show how cheaply the human body can be palatably nourished, a unique one-cent restaurant has been opened at City Hall place and Pearl street. The experiment is to be conducted under the charge of Benard Macfadden. This is the bill of fair for the first week.

Large bowl of pea soup	1c
Large bowl of steamed hominy	1c
Large bowl of steamed oats	1c
Large bowl of steamed barley	1c
Any of above named dishes, with butter or sweetened, and with a slice of whole wheat bread and butter	5c
Beans prepared in milk, with whole wheat bread and butter	5c
Peas, with whole wheat bread and butter	5c
Potatoes, with bread and butter	5c
Pot roast and potatoes, with bread and butter	10c
Food coffee, with cream	5c
Food coffee, with milk	3c
Date whole wheat meal pudding	5c

Any of the one-cent portions contain food elements which are said to be sufficient to supply the nourishment required in a full meal. Two or three of these one-cent portions per day, if varied according to appetite, "should maintain the weight, strength and health of an ordinary individual for an indefinite time. If such extreme economy is necessary."—*New York Herald.*

NOT KENTUCKY OYSTERS.

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"This story of a lot of oysters being drownded off the Virginia coast by fresh-water floods sounds fishy to me."

The gentleman from Kentucky shook his head. "An oyster is not a fish, suh, if you will allow the correction, he said; "but there is nothing surprising in the statement. The foolish oysters, suh, probably endeavored to drink the water, suh!"—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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