The Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SATURDAY, - - DEC. 22, 1894

To Christmas Buyers.

A word to the numerous readers of the NEWS we want to have now about WHERE TO BUY. Thousands of dollars—even in these hard times—have been spent this week, and thousands more will be spent by our readers for Christmas goods. WHERE to buy and WHAT to buy are both questions of importance. The last we are not competent to discuss. The first is a subject upon which we have very decided views, and which has heretofore been referred to in these columns. Every Kent countian should be interested in the prosperity of his county, and every intelligent reader knows that one of the prime factors in a community's welfare is that of *sustaining home* institutions. It is therefore the duty of purchasers of Christmas goods to patronize their home stores as far as possible. In some cases, it is true, that the desired article may not be obtainable outside the city, but this is the exception. Take, for instance, the community of Millington and neighborhood. We venture the assertion that the well appointed stores and business houses of that town are prepared to meet any reasonable demand. So with Galena, Masseys, Still Pond, Kennedyville, Crumpton, Chesterville, Locust Grove, Betterton, Lynch's, Worton, Melitota, Fairlee, Lankford, Pomona, Edesville, Crosby, Overton, Rock Hall and Chestertown. Some of these stores rival the best city establishments in the extent of their lines of goods, and prices in most cases are just as low and sometimes really lower at retail than the city house. We have known of articles purchased in Chestertown—of a costly and fine character—*for shipment to friends in the city, because they could be bought at a less price here* from our retail dealers than in the city. This is easily explained. The city retailer buys from the same wholesale houses that the merchants of Chestertown and the other towns above named buy from, and the difference in the cost of running the city establishment over the country town is so great that the country dealer can sell his goods at less prices.

It is, therefore, to the immediate pecuniary interest of buyers to deal at home. And more than that, it helps your town, your neighbor, and the whole county, to spend your money in your own community. Again, it is your *duty* to spend your money at home because it is from these home people comes those reciprocal advantages—helps and friendships—which lifts a community from nothingness to prominence in the world.

"A MERRY CHRISTMAS!" is the wish of the NEWS to every one of its readers.

We are now upon the very eve of the joyous season. Let's try to forget our cares and misfortunes—for the time being, at least. Look upon life's brightest side!

Above all, forget SELFISHNESS! This is one of the meanest traits in human nature at *any time*. It is meaner still when exhibited at Christmas time. The thought that this great festival commemorates HIM who *gave himself* to save a world, should be sufficient inspiration, at least once a year, for the meanest to do a good deed.

The HAPPIEST man at Christmas time—and, indeed, at all times—is the one who does the most to make *others* happy. Good wishes or long prayers for those who need food or raiment, or shelter or fuel, is simple mockery if you are able to do more. The real Christian is he who does the practical charities so much needed in these times of sore distress.

A sweet little poem will be found on the first page of the NEWS. We repeat one verse—

The Christmas bells will sweetly ring
The song that the angels love to sing;
The song that came with the Saviour's birth:
"Peace, good will and love on earth!"
Dear little children, ring, I pray,
Sweet bells in some lonely hearts to-day.

Our brethren of the press—many of them on the Eastern Shore—recognize the Christmas season by special editions. One of the most creditable of these now upon our table it that of our neighbor of the *Transcript*. Its publishers, Messrs. Collins & Hopper, issued last Tuesday a "Xmas Bulletin" of eight pages, five columns each, the front being illustrated with a large picture of "Old Kriss," and the whole printed in blue ink. We heartly congratulate the publishers on the general character of their holiday paper, and especially upon the neat manner in which it is gotten up and printed.

The Easton *Gazette*, our enterprising Republican cotemporary of Talbot county, issues a holiday supplement of thirty-six columns, beautifully illustrated, and filled with interesting articles and advertising and printed in blue. The *Democrat* also issues a 4-page Christmas number, which Bro. Todd says has a circulation in immensity equalled only by the *Easton Democrat!* May it continue to prosper.

The *Westminster Advocate* issues a special number of thirty-two columns, which is in keeping with the high character of the regular edition.

Senator Bennett Red Hot!

State Senator Pinkney J. Bennett, of Carroll, who was one of the most independent of all the Senators in the last session on every subject, is out in red hot sentiments in favor of a new assessment. He don't care whether Gorman favors it or Brown opposes it, he says the people want it—especially the *farming people*—and its the city "tax dodgers" that oppose it; and further—

"*The people will have it.* No man can be elected Governor whose record is not clear, positive and distinct on this question. The only issue for the next campaign is the assessment issue. The people also have determined as to the *kind* of an assessment they want. We country people demand the passage of a law that will open up the vaults of the banks, trust companies and corporations, as the law now in force opens the doors of the farmer's stables and barns and makes him pay on every hoof he owns."

Queen Anne's "Recognized."

Mr. Robert J. Catlin, who recently removed from near Chester bridge to Centreville, has been appointed auditor of the stationery department in the United States Senate. This is one of the best offices in the power of a Senator to bestow, and it was through the influence of Senator Gibson that he secured this desirable place. The salary is $2,000. Politically Mr. Catlin has always been considered a close friend of "the Browns."

MAJOR SPRIGG HARWOOD, of Anne Arundel, one of the oldest and also one of the most popular of the county clerks in Maryland, died in Annapolis last Sunday

THE Princess Anne *Marylander* states that Congressman-e'ect Miles was out on the street for the first time last Monday. He is gradually recovering his strength.

Politics and Politicians.

The Baltimore *Evening News* has one of the "livest" political writers of any newspaper in the State among its staff contributors. In a recent edition is mentioned the presence at the Carrollton of an unusual number of prominent Democrats of Queen Anne's county. It says:

"Mr. Wm. W. Busteed, editor of the *Centreville Observer*, has been several times a member of the house of Delegates, and is one of the best known Democrates in the State. He is also noted for his independent views, and when a member of the Legislature has always ranked as one of the most decided opponents of ring methods in that body. He is now a candidate for the State Senate, with the chances decidedly in favor of his nomination without serious opposition. In speaking of the cont-st over the Democratic nomination for Governor, he said:

"The feeling in favor of reassessment is as strong as ever among the people of the State, and I think that if Senator Hayes should come out as a candidate and make a fight for the nomination he would sweep the counties like a cyclone and capture the nomination with ease. The quiet Democrats in the counties have for so long identified the entire question of reassessment with Mr. Hayes that they always think of that subject in connection with him, so that in my opinion no combination could be formed which would defeat him should he decide to make a fight. In my judgment, he is to-day the strongest candidate in the Democratic party so far as the question of the nomination is concerned."

The Great Issue.

The question of a new assessment is the paramount issue in most of the counties. The Democrats generally favor it, and say the adoption of such a plank in the Democratic platform is vital to success. The farmers feel that they are grievously overburdened in the assessments now laid upon real estate and it has been so long since the last general revaluation that there are great inequalities. They think it high time also that the vast personalties of corporations and individuals now escaping taxation should be made to assist in bearing the tax burdens.

In Kent county there is as yet apparent no special desire for a new assessment. This seems to be based upon the principle that "it is better to endure the ills we have than fly to those we know not of."

As an index to the sentiment in Worcester county the following is taken from the Snow Hill *Messenger*, one of the ablest and most reliable Democratic journals on the peninsula. It says in its last issue:

"The Hayes Bill should have become a law at the last session of the Legislature, but the tax dodgers killed it; re-assessment still lives, however, and judging from the interest the rural population of the State is taking in the subject the matter will be put before the next Legislature in such a way as to compel the enactment of a new assessment law. The people are in the saddle, and they propose to ride over any newspaper or set of men who try to impede their progress toward the goal of a new assessment."

Mr. George M. Stonebraker, ex-member of the House of Delegates and one of the leading Democrats of Washington county, was at the Carrollton Hotel yesterday, says the *News*. Mr. Stonebraker thinks the Democratic party in Maryland is in a bad way at present, but hopes that things political will be in better condition next year and an old-time Democratic victory will be won. "It all depends on the party leaders," said Mr. Stonebraker. "If they allow the people to make the nominations there will be no trouble. Wise, unselfish and patriotic leadership is what the Democratic party needs now more than anything else. If we have it, we can win with ease."

A Local Candidate.

Mr. Morris Ascher, of the Fifth district of this county, desires us to say that he is a candidate for county commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy in the primaries of next year. Mr. Ascher says he will faithfully serve the whole people if he should be so fortunate as to be chosen. He is one of the "never faltering Democrats" of the Old Fifth.

"Interviews" About Gorman.

The *Evening News* of Tuesday says: The Washington Star, speaking of the Gubernatorial race in Maryland says:

"So far, Mr. Rayner is the most prominent Democrat mentioned for the nomination on that side. There is a prospect, however, of other announcements, and of a lively contest for the honor. It seems to be accepted as definitely settled that Gov. Brown's expressed decision not to run again cannot be shaken.

"This contest in Maryland next year is likely to attract national attention by reason of the fact that the field is the one on which Mr. Gorman has so often appeared as the leader of the Democratic forces. Within the past 12 months, however, divisions have appeared in the party counsels there, and in this last contest Mr. Gorman took no part at all. He expressed hope for Democratic success, but owing to disputes that had grown out of his course on the tariff question in the Senate he concluded not to appear in the campaign. The nominations and the platforms, therefore, were made without a spoken or written word from him on either subject.

"This leads to the question, general in political circles now, as to whether Mr. Gorman will again pursue a hands off policy. Nobody seems to be authorized to answer it. Mr. Gorman himself is silent. Attacks on him in several Democratic newspapers in the State are kept up. The machine is still the subject of their objurgation, and Mr. Gorman is characterized as being the head and front of the machine. His power in the State is confessed, and heretofore his support has meant everything to the party's candidates. Will existing conditions change so as to bring him actively forward in next year's fight? And, if not, what may be expected as the result of another year's passivity on his part?

"A well-known Maryland man, not assuming to speak for Mr. Gorman, but well qualified to discuss the subject, said to a representative of the Star to-day:

"Mr. Gorman's position is a delicate one, and he appreciates the fact. I don't think he is taking any part in the preliminaries nor can he, in my judgement, be induced to do so. It is a free field and an open fight for the nomination, so far as he is concerned. Neither Mr. Rayner nor any other aspirant for the Democratic nomination for Governor will find any stumbling-block put in his way by Mr. Gorman. Mr. Gorman has no candidate for Governor. After the nomination is made will come, of course, the question of election. Then Mr. Gorman will have to be considered. But don't understand me as intimating that Mr. Gorman intends then to hold the candidate up with a threat of opposition at the polls. What I mean is that then purposes of the campaign will have to be frankly avowed. If Democratic unity and success are the object, then Mr. Gorman's co-operation will be hearty and immediate. If the aim is to destroy Mr. Gorman, by setting up a State organization pledged to his retirement from politics, then the question answers itself. No man can reasonably be expected to assist in taking his own head off.'

"'What is your prediction?'

"'My prediction is that there will be unity. The State is close at best, and just now, when a wave of depression has swept over the party everywhere, the services of every man are necessary.

"'Is Democratic sentiment still much affected in Maryland because of the Gorman-Cleveland episode?'

"'I think a change on that subject is slowly working among the people, and in Mr. Gorman's favor. At first there was a good deal of feeling against him. Mr. Gorman himself recognized this, and because of it remained inactive last year. But his version of the matter is making its way. That version is that he could not permit the President's charge to go unchallenged. He owed it as much to his State as to himself to take notice of it. As he regarded the matter, he had acted as a Senator from Maryland, and not as an individual, and hence any arraignment of that action was in a measure an arraignment of the people whose commission he held, and whose interests he had felt himself trying to maintain."

YESTERDAY was the first day of winter and the shortest day in the year. The thermometer registered 28°.

TO-NIGHT!

A meeting of all persons interested in the RELIEF OF THE POOR will be held in the Court House TO-NIGHT (Saturday), at 7.30. Ladies especially invited. Come. COMMITTE'.

ORPHANS' COURT.

TUESDAY NEXT, being Christmas Day, the Orphans' Court will meet WEDNESDAY, Dec. 26. 1t. JAMES T. DIXON, REGISTER.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S

Meeting on WEDNESDAY, 26th instant, instead of Tuesday. By order of board 1t. T. WATERS RUSSELL, CLERK.

CLIP YOUR HORSES:

I am prepared to do this work in first-class style, have a Machine Clipper and three years experience. I will be in Chestertown, at the Voshell House, EVERY TUESDAY, on and after the 2nd Tuesday in January. Terms $2 per head. J. E. NICKERSON, d22-3t.* BARCLAY.

Don't Fail to Get One

—OF—

FRANK MOCH'S

ARTISTIC CRAYON PORTRAITS

FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT!

Nothing is more suitable. His work is the most life-like, and the material insurpas ed. His stay in Che-tertown has been very successful, and it should not be neglected to give him a trial. Every one speaks in the highest commendation of his work. 1t.

FOR RENT:

THE DWELLING HOUSE, adjoining my store-room, on the corner of Queen and High Streets, for 1895. For particulars apply to GEORGE BRICE, d8-3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT:

MY 11-ROOM HOUSE on Spring Ave. Water in Kitchen and Hydrant in yard. Connected with sewer. Rent, $200 00. d1-3t.* WILBUR ELIASON.

FOR RENT FOR 1895.

The HOUSE on Maple Avenue, Chestertown, Md., now tenanted by Mr. Carroll C. Perkins. Apply to E. J. KENNARD, n24-4t. Lynch's, Kent Co., Md.

FOR RENT FOR 1895.

"THE ROCKWELL HOUSE" can be rented entire, or the restaurant can be rented for an office or Store-Room, the balance of the building for a Dwelling, and the Stable separately. This is a first-class location for a Restaurant. Apply to J. H. SIMPERS, n24-4t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT for the year 1895:

The STORE-ROOM now occupied by J. L. McFeely & Co., adjoining the Chestertown National Bank. THOMAS W. ELIASON, n10-4t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT:

The ROOMS adjoining the office of the undersigned. d1-4t. THOMAS W. ELIASON.

COUNTY

Commissioners' Notice

—FOR—

PROPOSALS

TO REPAIR THE

Roads and Bridges

AT LOWEST COST!

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEREBY give notice that SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at their office

From TUESDAY, 25th instant, Until 2 o'clock January 8th, 1895,

to REPAIR the ROADS and BRIDGES in the several election districts respectively except Bridges held jointly by Kent and other counties, according to specifications which will be furnished upon application, by either of the said commissioners or their clerk.

Proposals will be received and considered for said work by sections, as named in said specifications or for the entire work by districts, and contracts awarded to the

LOWEST RESPONSIBLE BIDDERS,

the Commissioners reserving the right to reject any and all proposals.

Contractors will be required to enter into satisfactory bond with the County Commissioners for the performance of said work to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, in a sum equal to the contract price. The work to be constructed for is to be finished on or before the

20th day of JUNE Next.

Payments for said work to be made as follows: Four-fifths of contract price to be paid at such times and in such sums as the work progresses, as the Commissioner in charge thereof may recommend, the remainder to be paid in January, 1895, without interest.

THOS. SHALLCROSS, PRES'T;
ROBERT C MORGAN,
GEO. W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
HORACE A. WILLSON,
COMMISSIONERS.

Test:—T. WATERS RUSSELL, CLERK.
Dec. 22-2t.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

OUR GRAND OPENING

MET EVERY EXPECTATION!

COME AND SEE THE

LARGE STOCK,
FINE GOODS,
LOW PRICES.

A Large Variety to Select from. We Can Please You. Come and inspect our Stock.

C. F. STAM,

Dec. 15, 1894. DRUGGIST.

ORDINANCE No. 58.

Adopted by the Commissioners of Chestertown

DECEMBER 10th, 1894.

That no dog shall be allowed to run at large upon the streets, roads and alleys of Chestertown, unless the dog be muzzled with a wire muzzle over the mouth sufficiently strong and firmly held in place to prevent the dog from biting.

That the bailiff is hereby authorized and instructed to kill any dog found running at large upon the streets, roads or alleys of Chestertown, which is not muzzled in accordance with this ordinance.

By order, TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

Town Taxes!

All Corporation Taxes for 1894 are over-due, and if not paid by JAN. 1, interest will be charged. PROMPT SETTLEMENT is earnestly requested.

M. WILBER THOMAS,
d15-tf. COLLECTOR.

SALE OF FURNITURE!

THE undersigned having determined to discontinue the hotel business he will sell at public sale at the Armstrong or Gilpin House in Chestertown,

On THURSDAY, Dec. 27, 1894,

BEGINNING AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

Lot of Household and Kitchen

FURNITURE.

—including—

Beds and Bedsteads, Chairs, Tables, Bureaus, Washstands, Queensware, Dishes, Glassware, and other articles necessary to a well equipped hotel.

Also one Dayton Wagon, one Gem Organ.

TERMS:—All sums under $10, cash; over that amount nine month's credit on note with good security.

JOSEPH E. GILPIN.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. d22-ts.

GOOD NEWS TO BUYERS!

MRS. D. GRUBER

Up Town.

We Have the Best Line of Candies

to be found anywhere in town. Read these prices, call and examine the goods:

Best Special French Mixture, -	8 1-2c.
3 pounds for 25 cents.	
Best Broken Mixture - -	8 1-2c.
Best Plain Drops - - -	8 1-2c.
This candy is certainly nice, fresh and pure.	
Fine French Candy - -	40c.
Mixed Nuts, - - - -	15c.
3 pounds for 30 cents.	

—DON'T FOGET OUR—

BAKERY.

FINE BREAD, BIG LOAVES,

FRESH BUNS, PIES,

CAKES, &c., every day.

Call and be convinced.

d22. MRS. D. GRUBER, Up-town Bakery.

W. R. ALDRIDGE

—HAS THE—

PRETTIEST FINEST

AND MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

Christmas Goods!

USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL

Ever yet exhibited by him at the Holiday Season. Call and see the handsome line and Low prices.

WM. R. ALDRIDGE,
d22. CHESTERTOWN.

REMOVED.

THE CHESTERTOWN LAUNDRY

having fitted up the building lately occupied by the Dilhoffer Laundry, on

MAPLE AVENUE, BELOW CROSS ST.

where we shall be glad to see all our friends as we are better prepared to do all kinds of Laundry work in the neatest and best manner and at the shortest notice. We extend our thanks to our many friends and patrons, and by trying to please all hope to have a continuance of your favors. Work called for and delivered when requested.

UPHOLSTERING done at short notice.

INFORMATION is wanted of the whereabouts of MRS. SOPHIA McCUNE (nee Williams) or descendants, who lived at or near Chestertown, Md., about ten years ago. Address MRS. MARY A. WILLIAMS, dec15-3t. 1339 Eastern Avenue, Baltimore, Md.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN to the STOCKHOLDERS of the CHESTERTOWN NATIONAL BANK, that their regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of SEVEN DIRECTORS for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House in Chestertown, on TUESDAY, January 8th, '95, at 11 o'clock A. M.
d15-4t. HARRY RICKEY, CASHIER.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS!

All persons owing the undersigned are requested to come forward and settle the same, either by cash or note. I must have a settlement by Jan. 1st, 1895, as I shall thereafter conduct a strictly cash business.

A. H. MALSBERGER,
d15-3t.* MASSEYS, MD.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Thomas G. Wroth and William E. Keyser,
versus
J. Thomas Blackiston,

In the Circuit Court for Kent Co., in Equity.

ORDERED this 18th day of December, 1894, that the sale of the Personal Property mentioned in the Report of Sale filed in the above entitled cause, made and reported by THOMAS C. WROTH and WILLIAM E. KEYSER, under power contained in a Chattel Mortgage from said J. Thomas Blackiston to the said Thomas G. Wroth and William E. Keyser, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 23d day of January next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 8th day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,254.97.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
True copy, Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
Dec. 22, 1894—4t.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Hope H. Barroll, Attorney,
versus
George T. Dawson.

In the Circuit Court for Kent Co., in Equity.

ORDERED, this 14th day of December, 1894, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of February, next;—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 18th day of January, next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $50.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
True copy, Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, CLERK.
December 15, 1894—4t.

THE MARTHA FORD is not more expensive than other Tobacco's, and the tags are redeemed with nice presents.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY!

UNDER and by virtue of authority of the Orphans' Court for Kent County, the undersigned as administrators of the late H. K. Hill, will sell at Public Sale, on the farm near Kennedyville, known as the "Glum Farm,"

On SATURDAY, Dec. 22, 1894,

beginning at 11 o'clock A. M., all the remaining Personal Property belonging to said estate, without reserve, as follows:

2 FINE BROOD MARES,

about seven years old;

1 COLT, two years old coming Spring;

1 Pair GOOD MULES, about 10 yrs. old;

2 Farm Wagons, 1 Dearborn,

2 Sets Wagon Harness, 1 Set Dearborn Harness; Lot of Poultry and Kitchen Furniture, and numerous other articles.

Also, about 15 Tons of GOOD HAY.

TERMS:—All sums of and under $10 cash; over that amount a credit of Eight Months on Note with approved security, payable at Second National Bank of Chestertown.

RACHEL HILL,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
d8-ts. Administrators.

Also, at the same time and on the same terms there will be sold

3 HORSES,

seven years old each, and TWO COLTS, three yrs old coming spring, belonging to Mr. James Archibald. Sale positive.

J. FORD CAULK, AUC'R. d8-ts.

VENDUE!

BY virtue of competent authority, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale on the farm belonging to A. J. Hynson, where David B Kendall now resides, located in Queen Anne's county, near Chestertown, at 10 30 o'clock A. M., on

THURSDAY, 27th of December, 1894

The following Valuable Personal Property:

FARM STOCK and IMPLEMENTS

AS FOLLOWS:

1 Bay Mare, "May," 1 Bay Horse, "Rodney," 1 Bay Horse "Mike," 1 Bay Horse "Dexter," 1 Sorrel Horse "Joe," 1 Roan Colt "Punch."

Red Cow "Lil," Red Cow "Buff," Red Cow "Maud," Roan Cow "Spot," Alderney Cow "Ollie."

1 Farm Wagon, 1 Dearborn, 1 Binder, 2 Plows, 3 Cultivators, 6 lots Plow Gears, 2 Shovels, 2 Baskets, 1 Twin Harrow, 1 Set Wagon Harness, 1 Grindstone, 1 Peach Culler, about 150 Bushels of Corn in the Ear.

THE TERMS OF SALE are: CASH. No property to be removed from the premises until the terms are complied with.

JOHN D. URIE, ATT'Y.
Dec. 15, 1894—ts.

We consent to the above sale and desire the property to bring its full value

DAVID B KENDALL,
JOHN W. KENDALL.

Tax Collector's Sale of Town Property.

BY VIRTUE of authority conferred on me as collector of corporation taxes of Chestertown, I have seized and levied upon the property of John E. Dent, and described as follows:

All that LOT of LAND

on Cannon Street, in Chestertown, adjoining S. Anderson and W. H. Barrett, improved by

Dwelling, Stable and Carriage-House,

AND OTHER OUT-BUILDINGS,

as per deed from J. W. Corey and S. M Usilton, administrators of John N. Usilton, known as part of lot No 94 on plat of Chestertown, dated June 27, 1887, Liber S. B., No 9, folio 415; also deed dated Dec. 31, 1881, from J. N. Usilton and wife, in Liber S. B., No. 3, folio 20,

And I hereby give notice, that

On SATURDAY, Dec. 22d, 1894,

AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M.,

at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Md., I will sell the same to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy taxes due and owing me, with interest and costs due and to become due,

1893, assessed at 1,148 @ 25 cents $2.87

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY,
d1-ts. Late Collector

Late Collector's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of authority conferred upon me as collector of Corporation Taxes of Chestertown, I have seized and levied upon the following property in Chestertown:

All that Lot of Land

being part of Lot No. 39, lying at the northeast end of Cross street, Chestertown, Md., and contained within the following lines, that is to say: Beginning for the same on the east side of said street, and at the fence running due to said street which divides the lot of Joseph Wickes from the lot of S. C. Hamilton, and running from thence by and with Cross street in a southwest direction, 19 feet, and thence in an eastern direction 20 feet toward the garden of Joseph Wickes; thence by and with said Wickes line, 19 feet, 6 inches, in a northeast direction to the before mentioned division fence; thence by and with said fence to beginning, forming a parallelogram 19 feet 6 in by 20 feet, as per deed to Wm. Perkins from Joseph Wickes, May 28, 1878, recorded in Liber J. K. H., No 1, folio 181, &c., and assessed to Francis A. Perkins.

1887 assessment	$1,123 @ 35c	$3.91
1888 "	1,123 @ 35c	2.81
1889 "	1,123 @ 30c	3.37
1890 "	1,123 @ 30c	3.37
1891 "	1,123 @ 30c	3.37
1892 "	1,000 @ 25c	2.50
1893 "	1,000 @ 25c	2.50

And I hereby give notice, that on SATURDAY, January 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, I will sell said property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy taxes due and owing me as follows:

together with interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY,
d22-4t. Late Collector.

Ladies' Coats

—AND—

WRAPS!

Greatest BARGAINS Yet!

25 Per Cent. Discount to Close Out This Line!

DON'T MISS THE PLACE—
BERGEN!
BERGEN!
BERGEN!

What is nicer than a Beautiful Coat or Wrap for a Christmast Present? Come and see the Great Inducements we are offering.

NO. 212.

A BOX OF CIGARS for 25 CENTS

CAN BE BOUGHT AT

WM. S. McDONENLL'S.

NEW LOT OF TOBACCO AT 25 CENTS

CIGARS WITH MATCH ON END—Selflighters.

Nearly opposite the Chestertown National Bank he also keeps a fresh line of

CONFECTIONERY

MILL AND MILL SEAT,

WOODLAND,

And Small FARM

AT PUBLIC SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in equity, directing a resale of the property hereinafter described, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale

On SATURDAY, Dec. 22d, 1894

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON,

AT the COURT HOUSE DOOR, CHESTERTOWN, Kent County, Maryland,

All that Mill, Mill Seat, &c.,

KNOWN AS

'Riley's Mill,' 'Broad Neck,' 'Murphy's Mill,'

situated near the headwaters of Morgan Creek, at Goose Hill, Kent county, containing about

30 Acres of Land,

more or less, in Grass Lots and Pasture Lands and Pond. The IMPROVEMENTS consist of a

THREE-STORY

Brick Mill Building

31x23 feet, with one run of Wheat Burrs and one run of Corn Burrs, and all necessary Machinery.

THE WATER POWER

is from a never-failing stream, with a head of about fourteen feet of water. The present overshot wheel is eleven feet in diameter. A Frame Stable and Hay Loft, 20x28 feet; a Frame Carriage House, 19x22 feet.

—No. 2.—

A SMALL FARM,

adjoining the Mill Property, containing

ABOUT 30 ACRES OF CHOICE LAND,

conveniently divided into fields, and would make a comfortable home for one of small means who wished to engage in growing Fruit, Vegetables, &c., for the home market.

THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE A

Two-Story Frame Dwelling House,

with Kitchen, having a front of 60 feet and a depth of house of 20 feet, and Kitchen 15 feet. A shed attached to Kitchen, with a Pump of splendid water under shed; a large Garden back of house and lawn of beautiful shade trees in front.

There are about 50 APPLE TREES and 1,000 PEACH TREES, thrifty and in bearing, on the place.

—No. 3.—

THE WOODLAND

CONTAINS

ABOUT THIRTY ACRES,

finely set in Hickory Oak and Chestnut TIMBER, adjoining the farm of Mr. Josiah Massey, with right of way over the mill-dam to the public road leading from Chestertown to Riley's Mill, and offers a rare opportunity to those who are without Woodland to purchase.

The public road to Riley's Wharf, on Morgan's Creek, runs through this property.

This property is divided by the public road, and it will be offered separately and as a whole.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance in three equal instalments in one, two and three years, bearing interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

CHARLES T. WESTCOTT.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, AUC'R. d 1-ts

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OUR STORE IS NOW STOCKED WITH A LINE OF

Fresh Groceries,
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Grand Display of FURNITURE,

Including PRETTY ROCKERS, HIGH CHAIRS, BEDSTEADS, Etc.

Come and inspect our Big Stock.

H. S. COOK,
Dec. 15, 1894. MILLINGTON.

Auction! Auction Sale of

J. L. McFEELY'S

—LARGE STOCK OF—

HARDWARE, &c.

NEXT THURSDAY.

HAVING failed so far in finding a purchaser for the whole stock of goods in the Hardware Store of J. L. McFeely & Co., in Chestertown—adjoining Chestertown National Bank—I will now

Close Out All of Said Stock by Auction.

THE STORE IS NOW OPEN AND MR. J. LLOYD McFEELY IS AUTHORIZED TO SELL EVERY ARTICLE at a SACRIFICE BY AUCTION.

The stock consists of Builders' and Farmers' Hardware, Sporting Goods, Household and Kitchen Utensils, Stoves, &c.

Call and secure some of the Bargains before they are disposed of. Sale to commence at 2 P. M. Thursday, Dec. 6.

JEFFERSON D. BACCHUS,
d1-tf. TRUSTEE.

N. B.—The stock will yet be sold as a whole, and s a rare chance for business.

Make Hay While the Sun Shines!

Plymouth Rocks,
Indian Games,
Golden Wyandottes,
Brown Leghorns,

Poultry Exchanged for Shoats

I will exchange any of the above Pure Bred stock for Medium-sized Shoats. Stock can be seen at Mr E. T. Willis' residence on Cannon street.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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A FRESH STOCK CANNED GOODS of all kinds. Prices down to the bottom.
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Desirable STOCK OF STORE GOODS,

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As assignee under a deed from Mary M. Greenwood, I intend to dispose of the above named stock between now and Jan. 1, to the highest bidder, for said Stock and Fixtures asta whole. If not disposed of will be sold at Auction.

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TOILET GOODS, BOOKS,
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Call and see. We will do our best to please.

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New Carpets!

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Dec. 8. Chestertown, Md.

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Our past offerings have had decided effect, but as it is about the close of the year and in consideration of the financial depression of our people we conclude these more startling prices: MEN'S SUITS, all wool, $8.00; also, a nice line from $4.00 to $6.00, and besides these we carry a full stock of Fine Custom Suits in Cheviots, Worsteds, Tricots and Cassimeres. Regent Clay, a Black Worsted, $10. MEN'S OVERCOATS for $4, $6 and $8, in Beaver, Melton, and Kersey, all shades. In addition to them we have just received from our New York manufacturers a big lot of Blue and Black Meltons and Kerseys, Satin and Cassimere-lined, which we offer at $10, only about one-half actual value. YOUTH'S BOYS' and CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS from $1.75 to $3 and $4. BIG BOYS' SUITS, age 14 to 19 years, at $2.50, $4 $5 and $6. CHILDREN'S SUITS, age 4 to 14 years, such as Reefers, Zouaves and something special for the little fellows, prices from $1.25, $2, $2.75, $3 and up to $5. MEN'S PANTS from $1 to $5. Also, a big line of CHILDREN'S PANTS from 25c. to 90c, extra strong. All the above lots are complete, yet we have some odds and ends that will be sold at a great loss. You will do yourself a great injustice to buy without first examining these goods. Yours, respectfully,

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NECKWEAR,
HATS,
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Just received 5,000 pounds Candy of all grades at Wholesale Price. Also, the Largest Stock of Toys and Fancy Goods, suitable for Christmas Presents, ever shown in this town.

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Cold Weather is coming. There is no better time than the present in which to buy your Winter Clothing as the stock is at its full-t and the prices we are sure will interest you. Men's Suits $2.50 to $10.00. Youth's Suits (long pants) $2.50 to $6.00; Boy's Suits (knee pants) 50c. to $5.00; Men's Pants, 47c. to $3.60; Boy's Pants, 9c. to 90c.; Boy's Overcoats $1.25 to $6.00; Men's Overcoats, $1.00 to $8.00; Men's Odd Coats, 75c. to $3.25.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
A few hints to buyers of Good Quality Boots and Shoes. Men's Shoes, $1.00 to $3.00; Ladies' Shoes, $90c. to $2.50; Misses Shoes, 65c. to $1.45; Children's Shoes, 24c. to $150; Men's Leather Boots, $1.50 to $2.50; Boy's Leather Boots, $1.25 to $1.60; Men's Rubber Boots, $2.50; Boy's Rubber Boots, $2.25

HEADWEAR! HEADWEAR!
Some Good Things that may be found in our Hat and Cap Department: Men's Derby Hats, $1.25 to $3.00; other styles Men's Hats, 25c. to $1.35; Boy's Hats, 25c. to $1.00; Men's and Boy's Caps, 10c. to 50c.

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