This great treasury of the State is is now being abused. The demand for oysters has expand

over the world. The keen competition for them thus excited impels those who take them to extra efforts, and the quantity taken every year is only will, in a few years, supplant our own. out .- Easton Ledger. Thus while we rely upon the operation of nature to supply the demand made upon our store of oysters for consump. tion, for manufacture and for foreign the present generation will see the and go for bargains. oysters of the Chesapeake utterly ex in the manner of treating them.

When they are all destroyed capi ad for particulars. tal will come in and purchase the privelegs of raising oy ters, and the people will lose the inestimable right of free fishery, which in Maryland ought for all future time to afford a to day, under conditions favorable to means of support for a race of hardy observation. The sun sets this evenand honest free laborers who call no ing a few minutes before 5 o'clock residence Friday last of pneumonis, work. And what they do, they can man master, who pay themselves their and the moon rises at the same hour, aged 83 years. We saw Capt Hopkins not do well.

Body that prompt and efficient steps shadow leaving the moon about an felt better in his life and thought the are necessary by you to avert this im- hour later. If the weather is clear extra exercise in his business as col pending and certain calamity. We the sight will be an interesting one: lector gave him was the cause of it. believe that we outht, with Virginia, The phenomenon will be visible When he was applying for the position is to take Boschee's German Syrup to retain for our own people the mon. throughout North and South America of collector he was opposed by several shich any druggist will sell you as opoly of the oyster industry on this and in Europe, Asia and Africa. continent. You can do it for the people of Maryland, the legislature of Virginia must protect their own people. We urge you,

exp rtation of seed oystors from this from reports of county correspondents State. The bill entitled "An Act for in Maryland are given as to winter Preservation of Oysters and to Regu. wheat and rye. Harford countylate the Planting and Taking of the Of a very promising appearance; a same in this State," prepared and pre- good prospective yield is indicated. sented by the Maryland Virginia Oys- Queen Anne's-Looks well a good ter Exchange of Baltimore City to the stand. Culvert-Wheat is reduced last General Assembly of this State, in area owing to low prices; looks was an effort in this direction, which well. The corn crop of Maryland is we commend to favorable and prompt reported as follows: Average, 719,consideration.

Second. To provide State aid toward 737, 760. replenishing the exhausted or declining oyster heds of the St.te.

The commercial and agricultural interests of the State have been assisted by grants of millions of dollars -this great interest has been permitted to languish until it is about to per- engagement with the dredgers a ish for want of protection and assistance. We pray you to afford both Fronce was so badly torn by bullets

thousand dollars, to be expended by the fight, hence her being frezen. competant authority in planting the seed oysters of the State in beds which need replenishing, will afford a market for seed oysters prohibiting from being exported, and will rapidly restore the State oyster beds. A tax per bushel on oysters planted by the own people will repay the money ex. endar for 1888 and 1889 and each which, if honestly guarded and expended, will, in time, produce immense areas of productive oyster beds for the use of our own people. We,

Your memorialists respectfully re taking State-planted systems only to present that they are citizens of Mary. our own citizens upon a payment of a and whose fortunes are bound up in tax per bushel upon oyste's actually

oyster interest in this State is second couly to that of agribulture; that eleven counties of the State are interested cry the sum advanced for the planting that the fund thus raise.

The steamer Ida may the sum advanced for the planting that the fund thus raise. in the oyster fishing, and a large por. of oysters, and second be kept as a the oyster fishing, and a large por. of oysters, and second be kept as a Mr. John Spencer, a former resi-tion of their population derive their perpetual trust to keep replenished dent of this county, died in Florida, support directly from the public oys. and in good condition the public oys. on the 12th inst. And as, &c.

#### Orphans' Court.

This court met pursuant to adjournalone supports more than one-tenth of ment. Present—John Dodd, chief jus. working order. They held their first the entire population of the State; tice; Edwin S. Valliant and James R. night session Monday. that large areas of the State along the Sudler, associate justices. Ordered, put up in cans and sent into the mark. ceased, first preference administration ets of the world, thus affording rem- account, and order for dividend in the land employed; that the success and received, filed and recorded. Ordered, profit of the industry of canning fruits that the interest account, account of and vegetables are dependent on the sperate debts, first and final adminisemployment of the same capital, plant trator account and distribution of the and labor in the winter season in the personal estate of Lawrence Hart, deoyster cauning industry, and that ceased, be received, filed and recordwithout the latter the former would ed Ordered, that the first a iminist the "old mill" at Wye Mills, and put be soon crushed by competition from tration account of Robert B. Roberts, in roller process machinery. various other parts of the country; that the Ch-sapeake and its tributaries afceased, be received, filed and recorded. ford conditions of soil, water and ci tralered, that the will of Martha I his annual report gives an exhaustive mate most favorable to the production | Elbin, deceased, being duly admitted expose of the Hulless oat swindle.

Mr. William E. Temple, son of exdrowning while skating on the mill thick pond at Church Hill on Friday last. He in company with some friends was nu sery and maintenance of free lab skating on the pond when his skate orers-working for themselves without cut through the ice, throwing him islature. down, causing the ice which was thin to give way and drop him into water about seven feet deep. He went several of our Circuit Court, will be held on up broke the ice with his head. His numbers 70. head and face is badly cut. Two large being rapidly and surely depleted and cuts on top of the head and some five destroyed by the manner in which it or six on the face, one of the latter be only routine business before it. The ed with the extens on of railroads and Finley and Weedon. Only for the Baltimore oysters are now used all prompt assistance of those who were over the world. The keen competition with him he would have drowned.

#### The First and Last Comptroller.

The East Comptroller of the Treas-'imited by the ability of those who ary of Mary and was Philip Francis to the end of the season; many of them 20th, 1853. The last Comptroller was the time for metchants to make extra- islature and three for the county are now utterly destroyed, and the J. Frank Turner, of Labot county ordinary efforts to sell. The way to commissioners and all renumerously rest will, in a few years follow, with who held office from January 22d accomplish that is to offer inducement signed. the decision of a law of nature to hast 1884, to January 19th, 1888, And to buyers, and patronize the press. en the extinction of the oysters of the Thomas and Turner-the first Comp-Chesapenke. The young oysters are troller and the last one, are now busi taken in the Spring, exported to North ness partners in Easton-37 years hibition at Church Hill fast night. cause unknown to the writer themus. ern water, and there planted, and thus having empsed between Mr Thomas Refreshments were served by the was nonest. It was postponed ont

#### New Advertisement

Jos. S. Morris, give notice of his planting, and while we open our fish | clearing sale of winter goods in this eries to all of our citizens under cer issue. He says; ne finds it more pro tain regulations and resolutions, we fitable to sell goods in the latter part utterly neglect to assist nature to re. of their season at cost, than to carry stere the waste of consumption. The them over at a profit . He is offering oysters are going as the bison, the deer big inducements to cash buyers in and the salmon have gone before, and ready made clothing. Read his ad-

R. E. Greaves, Constable, advertises tinct unless an entire change is made the personal property of U. I. B. Mithell, for sale in this issue. See

#### An Eclipse of the Moon.

The moon will be totally eclipsed own wages with the product of their partially shadowed. At 1 1 mi utes in Centreville on Tuesday, Januar own toil. We represent to your Honorable and lasts until 9 minutes past 7: the nealthy appearance. He said he never of the family of throat and nose and

#### Maryland Crops.

In the report of crops for the past First. To prohibit and prevent the Department, the following extracts year, just issued by the Agricultural 073, bushels, 19415,000; value, \$8.-

#### Disabled.

The schooner Frolie, of the oyster navy, which guards Eastern bay and its tributaries is now lying frezen in the ice near kent point. In their short time since, the mainsail of the that it blew away on Thursday last An appropriation of five hundred the first heavy wind they had since

#### Handsome Calender.

The handsomest calender we have seen this year, is that of the New York Life Insurance Co. presented to us this week by its agent in this coun-State and taken from the beds by our ty, Mr. W. H. Gibson, It is a calpended five fold and farnish a fund page has a sketch in colors of some of the most preminent buildings in New

#### Weather.

The weather this week has been therefore, pray you to pass laws: The weather this week has been First. To prohibit the exportation cold and stormy. Wednesday afternoon and night we had Snow rain and ing was the order of the day.

#### GENERAL LOCALS.

CULLED FR. M THE COUNTY, The pestmaster at Hayden's station

The steamer Ida made her trip to

Mr. J. E Elliott, lost his youngest child on Wednesday evening last, aged

6 months 20 days. The Maryland Legislature is in

water are devoted to the cultivation that the account of sperate debts due of fruits and vegetables, which are the estate of William L. Arrigdale, de with horns 1 meh long.

Surfer, associate justices. Ordered, in this county, had a lamb born ed in this community:

unerative return for the labor and personal estate of said deceased, be sene, generally wind up by having home. land employed; that the success and received, filed and recorded. Ordered, their pictures taken in oil. T. O. Butler, a brakeman on the Q.

A. and K. R. R., had a leg broken : Vandyke station on the 17. J. T. F. Brown is going to remodel

The commissioner of Agriculture in the long needed boat return.

The trustees of the M. E. Church of this town passed resolutions of res- \$1 reward for finding. I-Speck. peets on the death of the late W. S.

Our people have filled their ice

Col. Wm. McKenny, gave a terrapin supper on Friday night last, to our Congressman and members of the leg-

The intermediate or January term long as the tides cbb and flow and as feet under the ice and when he came Monday next. The appearance docket The levy court on Tuesday, had

> ing to large that it had to be sewed appointment of constables for the 6th useful organization. They wear hand | 3tds up by his attending physicians Drs. and 7th district was again postponed, A large delegation went from this

this county, to a State position, This is the dull season of the year seek for them. Our national cyster Thomas, of Taibot county, who held in the mercantile business; a relapse beds are ransacked from the beginning office from Dec. 18th 1851, to April from the holiday rush. It is, therefore, lated here for signers, 4 for the Leg-

The ladies of the P. E. Church, at tend to establish arival industry which going in and Mr. Turner's coming Ledies Aid Society. They will give carly in February. supper and refreshments this evening

> at the Town Hall. Our creek presents a lively and ani mated scene every afternoon and even ing crowded with Jadies, gentlemen and children ice boating, sleding and skating. May their enjoyment continue

> The State live stock sanitary board in its annual report to the Governor. says . "No cases of pleuro-pneumonia were found in Queen Anne's county. The report says the swine plague has caused a loss of \$500,000 in the State. The loss in this county is put at \$41,-

of Kent Island district, died at his there, your, lungs cannot half do their younger men, and he said to the commissioners as a last appeal: I am getting old, and if you are going to do anything for me, now is the time to do it, as I may be dead before the next appointment is made, and these young production of pig iron in this state in jest often prove true."

READ THIS. year, we will furnish all necessary stationary and stamps needed which the public shall know whiftlers .- Transcript them. Don't be afraid you can't write for the press, give us the fact and we will finish it. Address all communications "THE NEWS," Queenstown, Md.

PoolReom. Second To appropriate a sufficient sleet. Thursday we had a regulars the pool room over the Newsoffice sum to purchase seed oysters and plant olizzard from the north west, the them on the public oyster beds and roads were covered with ice and slightare fond of the sport are invited to call when in town.

#### WINCHESTR ITEMS.

FROM TWO CORRESPONDENTS.

Mr. R Stallman formerly of this

ranging from \$1 to ;3 per pair. The oystermen are anxious awaiting the reopening of the river, as i

their only hope for a living. The citizens of Winchester are a bout to organize a lodge at Quail's Hall an order of the Heptasophs. Already about 17 has joined. Let the Mr. R. G. Duckett, of Spaniard's good work prosper, as it's badly need-

People who light the fires with kero- cold weather keep's the pedestrians at

Quail's Hall, Wednesday, the 26th., McConnor, one at the suit of D. E. for the benefit of the Y. M. I. P. N. McSherry, against the goods and chatjoyed by all present.

no ice will keep her from coming. Let mand at law and in equity, of the said the long needed boat return.

near Perry's Corner, on January the Standard Mower, 1 Cultivator, 16th inst. The owner can find them at Morris Bazaar. The finder requires | 1 Small Plow, 3 Pumps and

The "Sally Winders," as they are called but are not of that name, held register 1 m. E. Temple, of this counhonses, with the best ice we have had an oyster supper in Quail's Hall, Lot of Phosphate, 1 Work for it. A fair margin all around and a guarantee for all is the motto we carry. ty, had a very parrow escape from for several years, it is about 4 inches Wednesday evening. There was a large crowd in attendance notwiths anding the inclemency of the weath- Spire, 2 Old Machines. Oneer, and the supper proved a decided success. 20 gallons of oysters, besides half interest in Canoe. a large quantity of other edibles were readily disposed of at 25 cents a meal. If the weather had of been favorable for traveling there would not have at 1 o'clock, p. m., at Queenstown, I been sufficient food provided. The will offer for sale the said, Property members in good standing with a for cash, fair prospect of becoming a strong and some regalia something like the odd fellows. They wear a badge with a cut of a ship under full sail, on the county to Annapolis on Tuesday, to breast of the coat. After supper some see the Governor in behalf of the appointment of Mr. W. E. Temple, of its work and objects in short speeches, it is only in its mfancy being only

On Tuesday evening a number of ladies and gents, met at Quail's Hall Church Hill, gave a stereoptican ex. to have a select dance, but fram some

There is still another organization on foot here, to be known as the young. Mens Protective Union. It's object is to knock the props from ander whiskey. Let them rip.

Our young folks have been having a jolly time on the smooth bosom of without serious accident. Our people Winchester creek, with ice boats and need enjoyment and relaxation and skates. Who says Winchester i A. C. X.

### Give Them A Chance!

That is io say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very won derful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading

When these are clogged and chok-Capt. James Hopkius, tax collector with matter which ought not to b

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneu monia, catarrh consumption or any ung obstructions, all are bad. Al night to be get rid of. There is jus one sure way to got rid of them. Tha 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything lse has failed you, you may depend pon this for certain.

The remarkable increase in the ones can afford to wait. "Words said during the year 1887, as shown from the reports of the American Iron and Steel Association, will surprise those who have not paid special attention ter goods of 25 per cent., on to this industry. This increase is no modium and 15 We are bound to improve the less than 116 per cent, as against an News this year. We want to make increase of 26 per cent. in Alabama, it a family necessity and a doubly to which public attention has been so welcomed visitor in every house- vigorously directed. Of course the have a few pair Mens leather hold in our county. To do this it product is comparatively small as is very necessary to have the news compared with the output in some of from all parts of the county. Now the other Southern states, but the have a small line of Holiday we cannot be everywhere at once figures show that the people of Mary therefore we need assistance. We land are waking to a realization of Goods left at 25 per cent. disct. want some lady or gentleman at the undeveloped resources of the state. Stevensville, Winchester. Cen- By judicious investment of capital treville, Carmichael, Church Hill. and energetic industry there is no Crumpton and Hope, to send us reason why Maryland should not go weekly the news items of their far to the front in the production of begin the cutting prices before neighborhood. To any one who pig iron and gather in a rich reward will do this during the present in return. Baltimore Herald,

Ducks have been more abundant during the year, and at Christmas this winter than last. Messes. Rob '88 we promise to remember them Wickes and brothers, of East Acck in a such generous way that they Island, have bagged large numbers We cordially invite you to will never regret having helped On last Tuesday they bought two us and the people of this county, hundred pairs to town Ducks have come and see us and get our by spreading our county local been killed this season right off Ches prices, that you may be connews. Any one wishing to help tertown. Capt. Henry Thompsous, can send us a letter at once, last week killed five at one should sign their full name and address firing from the Gratitude steambon also their non de plame under wharf. They were black-heads and

#### BALTIMOREMARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Fultz	78(2)8
Longberry	80@8
Corn, White,	50(a)5
Yellow	51(a)
Oats,	30@3
Rye	47(@5
rish Potatees	30@5
	@1,20 Pbl

#### ROAD PETITION.

To the Honorable County Commission-

ers of Queen Anne's County. Mr. R. Stallman formerly of this place has returned from South, bringing with him the news of a total loss to our loving orange crop.

Large quantities of ducks are being killed by our sportsman and prices ranging from \$1 to 23 per pair. about a quarter of a mile long.

THOMAS QUIMBY,

W. M. ARMSTRONG,

JOHN DODD,

12,2415
R. C. FORMAN.

#### Constable's Sale.

By virtue of four Writ of Fiere Fa-cias, issued by Isaac Winchester, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, ia and for Queen Anne's county, at the suit of W. W. Nelson, one at the suit of William C. An Oyster supper was held at McConnor, one at the suit of John H. Mitchell, to me directed, I have seized The steamer Gratitude will resume and taken in exe ution all the estate her trips about February the 1st., if title, interest, property, claim and de-

A pair of gold errings was found I Gray Mare, 1 White Cow, 1 Stalks, 2 Boxes of extras for Bench, 1 Box of Castings and

And I hereby give notice that on Saturday, February the 11th, 1888, society is a beneficial one composed so seized and taken in execution, by of working men, and now numbers 50 Public Auction to the highest bidder

R. E. GREAVES. Constable.

#### NOTIGE TO LICENSED TRADERS.

CLERK's OFFICE, Jan. 4th. 1888. This is to notify persons who have changed or are contemplating changing the name or style or their firm or copartnership, ei ther by a reduction of the number constitu-ting said firm or an addition thereto also those making an absolute transfer or sale Twere are 6 petitions being circu- or their license to another, that the State law requires such transfer or notice to be made on the license record or this office, and makes it the duty of the sheriff and Constables to make "diligent inquiry of all or they have the proper license or not. 1,14t2 WILLIAM DEVER, CLERK.

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