The Cecil Whig

ELKTON, MARCH 14, 1874.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Tuesday next, 17th, is St. Patrick's day. Look out for squalls.

—The Elkton Building Society will meet this evening in the room in the Hall, back of the office of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

—The American Mechanic of North East propose having a flag presentation and entertainment on this (Saturday) evening, at their Hall.

—Miss Hannah Harland, late assistant teacher of Liberty Grove School, has left her field of labor on account of the Summer term being such as not to permit an assistant.

—Rt. Rev. Bishop Becker, of Wilmington, Del., was in town on Sunday last, and preached at the Immaculate Conception Church, in the morning and also in the evening.

—The nor'wester that has been blowing for a week, has given our usually calm weather denizens a taste of what the inhabitants of the prairies of Iowa and Minnesota have to endure, with the thermometer sometimes at zero.

—Taylor's cotton factory at Stanton, Del., was burned on Thursday, 5th inst., with all its contents, except about $500 worth which was saved. Loss $40,000 or $50,000. The fire is supposed to have originated by a spark from anoverheated shaft in the second story.

—The Spring term of the Circuit Court commences on Monday next, 16th inst. It will not be necessary for the Petit jurors to attend till Tuesday, the first day being consumed in calling the docket and marking cases for trial. The Grand Jury is empanneled on Monday and proceeds to business.

—We call special attention to the advertisement of Mr. Jas. McCormick, who is a deserving candidate for the patronage of our farmers. We would also direct the attention of the same class to the advertisement of the celebrated bone men, Messrs. Waring. With plenty of pure bone, and good tools farming can be made to pay.

—Windy. Boreas has been asserting his authority since March entered in with so many smiles and promises of fair weather and Summer skies. Leo suddenly pounced down on the lamb, which the month brought in her arms as a love offering, and has expended an amount of rage and bluster in devouring the gentle thing, altogether unwarranted, it would seem for so insignificant an exploit.

—An eccentric lady, a resident of this town, has kindly, privately, offered her services to the band of praying women as soon as they organize and commence operations. She states her inability to sing in the following language: "My voice is so horrid that if I were to sing in front of a bar-room the inmates would think that it was 'a voice from below,' summoning them to their everlasting place of business."

—Miss T. S. Brooke will give lessons on the piano and in singing, if she can obtain a sufficient number of pupils to justify her remaining in Elkton. Those who value the advantages of highly trained and cultivated skill, would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity. It is one not often presented here. Miss Brooke will give instruction at the Howard House.—Terms:—Singing lessons, $20 per quarter. Piano lessons, $10 per quarter.

—The one-half of the Sewing Machines that have been sold over the country are dear at any price, and often cost as much as a first-class Machine; and it will always be so as long as the people listen to Agents who sell and peddle them about in wagons. Customers who desire to see for themselves, would do well to call on JOHN WILKINSON, Whig Building, Elkton, who sells nothing but first-class Machines, and will not talk you into any inferior article; and if it should not suit to pay cash, will make terms to suit all customers.

Land Sale.—J. B. Ash, Auctioneer, sold on Monday last, at the store of Mr. C. S. Abrams, at Woodlawn, Cecil co., Md., for W. J. Jones, Trustee, a small farm near Battle Swamp, containing 78 acres and 10 perches of land, formerly the property of the late Theodore Physick, to Mr. Jno. J. Abrams for $43 per acre.

Lectures.—Rev. Alfred N. Gilbert, of Baltimore, will deliver two lectures for the benefit of the new Christian Chapel, near Chestnut Hill: One at Newark, Del., on the evening of 19th instant, at the M. E. Church. Subject—Scenes in the Holy Land—being a narrative of personal experiences; and one at Elkton, on the evening of the 20th instant. Subject—walks about Jerusalem—also from experiences. Doors open at 7; services at half-past 7.

The Old Jail.—This vestige of the past is fast disappearing from view. Thursday witnessed the complete demolition of the walls enclosing the rear portion, and Messrs. Constable and Blake, who occupy the front, though not quite driven to the wall, have barely a roof remaining over their heads. The structure of the walls exhibits workmanship of the first order. The best of material, real mortar, hard brick, adamantine rock and unyielding iron are wrought together in a superior manner. If any of our poetical geniuses are racking their brains for a fit subject whereon to lavish their rhymes, the destruction of this land mark of a day gone by, will furnish a fruitful theme.

Fatal Accident.—Just before noon on Saturday last, as the P., W. & B. express train, north, which passes through this city at 12:20, was this side of Iron Hill, it struck a man walking on the track. He was badly injured, and the train being stopped, was picked up and brought to this city, where he died soon after his arrival. The name of the unfortunate man was ascertained to be George Wingate, and he appeared to be "tramping," on his way from Baltimore to Philadelphia, his avocation in the former city being that of a butcher. An inquest will be held by the Coroner this evening. Wingate was accompanied by another man and the two were walking Northward, with their backs to the train, at the time. It was snowing quite heavily, and a down freight train was approaching, which probably confused Wingate. His companion escaped by a leap into the ditch.

Wilmington Commercial.

The Danger of Walking on the Railroad.—The Court of Appeals has recently decided the case of Louis Frech against the P., W. & B. R. R. Co. It will be remembered that Frech while walking on the track of the Port Deposit branch road, was struck by the cars and his arm cut off. The Court of Appeals say that a "man walking on the railroad track as Frech was, was there *unlawfully*, and the agents of the railroad company, in charge of the train, having given all the usual and proper signals to warn persons of their approach, were not required to stop the train on discovering Frech on the track. Having the right to a clean track the company's agents were justified in acting on the reasonable supposition that the plaintiff would be guided by his own sense of danger, and would leave the track before overtaken by the train, after the signals of danger were given."

Wilmington M. E. Conference.—This Conference, which has been in session at Salisbury, Md., adjourned on Wednesday, to meet in Smyrna, Del., next year. The following are among the appointments made:

Wilmington District. T. J. Thompson, P. E.—Asbury, E Stubbs; St. Pauls, J. B. Merritt; Union, T. E. Martindale; Scott, J. O. Sypherd; Grace, James E. Smith and J. N. Foreman; Brandywine, W. N. Warner; Mount Salem, J. France; Newport, J. D. Warner; Mount Salem, J. France; Newport, J. D. Rigg; Chester Circuit, H. Sanders; Mount Lebanon, J. E. Kidney; Claymont, G. H. Campbell; New Castle, J. B. Maun; Red Lion and Glasgow, H. H. Bodine; Christiana, T. B. Hunter; St. George's and Port Penn, J. Allen; Delaware City, D. R. Thomas; Bethel and Summit, C. F. Shepperd; Chesapeake, G. R. Bristor; Manor, to be supplied; Newark, J. Brindle; Cherry Hill, J. W. Weston; Elkton, E. Miller; North East, J. D. Curtis; Elk Neck, J. W. Layfield; Port Deposit, Charles Hill; Rising Sun, J. D. Kemp; Zion, T. L. Thomkinson; Charlestown, J. Cook. Alfred S. Cook, Professor of Wesleyan Seminary.

Dr. L. C. Matlack is sent to Middletown, and B. F. Price returned to Cecilton.

Education.—In the education column of *The New York Tribune* we find the following:

"*The St. Louis Democrat* says pertinently if rather bitterly: 'The object now seems to be to so arrange the schools and households of the land that the teacher may simply sit in judgment upon the manner in which the child has been taught at home. Children go to school, not to learn, but to show the teacher how much they have been taught during the preceding evening at home.'"

There is a suspicion among parents that this disease, which afflicts the St. Louis teachers, has appeared in a mild form in this locality. Perhaps this is the right mode of keeping school, it certainly is not teaching. When we consider how many parents are incompetent or unwilling to teach their children at home, we think Mr. Beecher should put down the time spent in school among his "wastes of life." We know the teacher's life is an irksome one, and that he needs the support and sympathy of the community, but reform is certainly needed in the direction pointed out by the St. Louis paper.

Ten Nights in a Bar-room.—Our Elkton Amateur Dramatic Company acquitted themselves on their first appearance on Tuesday evening in the above play with a great deal of credit. The Hall was crowded to its utmost capacity to witness the debut of the young artists, and every one present was most agreeably disappointed, as well as entertained. The parts were well represented, the young actors carrying through the play with much spirit, displaying commendable coolness and presence of mind. Not a single hitch or blunder occurred throughout the entire piece. If space would permit we would like to give the young comedians a more extended notice, and where all performed their parts so admirably it would seem like injustice to particularize any one, but the company will pardon our seeming partiality, we are sure, if we venture an extra word of praise for the youngest member, Miss Lizzie Hutton, who took the part of little Mary Morgan, the drunkard's daughter. Nature has bestowed one of her best gifts on Lizzie in a remarkably clear and metalic voice, the tones of which could be heard distinctly in the most remote parts of the Hall, without the least effort on her part to pitch it higher than an ordinary key.

A repetition of the piece is promised in about two weeks. We have no doubt that equal success will attend a second exhibition. Temperance plays, temperance prayer meetings, temperance organizations and temperance legislation are all the rage now-a-days.

Death of a Former Citizen of Cecil County.—*The Oxford Times*, of March 11th, published in the village of that name, in Chenango county, New York, contains the following notice of the sudden death of Thos. M. Bacon, who for many years was a citizen of this county and Harford county. During all his long sojourn in Cecil the deceased taught school and was considered one of the best teachers in the county. His great fault as a teacher was his too irritable temper, but he had many redeeming traits to offset this single defect.—Numbers of the middle aged men of the county will remember him as their teacher. The deceased left Havre de Grace several years ago to live with his brother in New York, where he recently died aged 70.—He had reached the age allotted to men by the Psalmist, and after a life usefully spent was suddenly gathered home to his fathers:

SUDDEN DEATH.—Thomas M. Bacon died suddenly, of heart disease it is supposed, on Friday afternoon last, at the residence of his brother, Cyrus A. Bacon. He had been as well as usual that day, had been over to the store twice, and at about half-past four sat in a chair at the house reading. Suddenly he complained of palpitation of the heart, and Mrs. Bacon stepped into an adjoining room for some camphor, when she returned his head had dropped to one side, and he expired soon after. Deceased was a widower, having lost his wife several years ago, he was 70 years of age last July. Previous to his coming to Oxford, about three years ago, he resided in Havre de Grace, Maryland. He was a member of the Maryland Legislature several terms, principal of an Academy, and Justice of the Peace. He took an active part in politics, and about war times addressed many out-door Union meetings, to this he attributed the partial losing of his voice with which of late years he had been afflicted.

Proceedings of the School Commissioners.—The School Commissioners met on Tuesday last and the following business was transacted:

Resolved, That in the judgment of this Board, the Legislature of our State should make an appropriation *for the erection* of a suitable building for the use of the State Normal School.

Mr. Jas. Biggs having tendered his resignation as Trustee of the Cecilton School, the Board refused to accept it and requested Mr. Biggs to continue as Trustee. Mr. Richard Semans was appointed Trustee for the Cecilton School, vice Mr. Robert Blackway, resigned; and Mr. Samuel Slicer, vice Wm. Hamilton, resigned, for the Butler School. Messrs. G. Biddle and S. J. England were appointed a Committee to visit the Cecilton School House and report what repairs are needed.

Resolved, That inasmuch as A. Wayman, teacher of the Colored School, at Chesapeake City, has given satisfaction to the Trustees and patrons of the school, and in the judgment of the examiner, is fitted to teach the pupils of that school, and at the request of Mr. G. Biddle, his salary for the past term be paid.

Resolved, That Col. G. R. Howard and the Secretary be requested to have the room of the School Board repaired and thoroughly cleaned, the wood work painted, the walls whitewashed, and the matting removed.

The Board were, most of the time, engaged in the examination of the quarterly accounts of the Schools, which were passed and paid as follows:

First District,	$ 883 65
2nd. "	1,266 55
3rd. "	1,178 09
4th. "	1,135 05
5th. "	1,317 08
6th. "	1,368 32
7th. "	1,074 11
8th. "	898 40
9th. "	705 11

Miss Annabel Smith was appointed assistant teacher in the Cherry Hill School; and Miss Lou Pass for the Jackson School.

☞A supply of fresh garden and other seeds just received by James McCormick, Port Deposit. [1642.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.—The Orphans' Court was in session on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.—Present—Hon. James McCauley, Chief Judge; Hon. James M. Evans, Hon. James A. Lewis, Associate Judges.

Sundry claims against deceased persons examined and passed. The following Bonds were duly examined and approved:

Bond of Chas. K. Biles, Admininistrator to Perry Wilson. Bond of James L. Steele, Guardian to Samuel McCauley and others. Bond of Andrew J. McVey, Administrator to John Taggart. Bond of Elizabeth Atkinson, Guardian to John J. Overley and others. Bond of James A. Lackland, Administrator *c. t. a.*, to Hasson Lynch. Bond of Emma J. Biddle and Jacob J. Biddle, Administrators to George Biddle. Bond of Geo. K. Logan, Administrator to William F. Buckland.

The following Inventories, list of Debts and Sales, were examined and passed.

Inventory of the goods and chattels of Perry Wilson. List of debts of John Taggart. List of debts of Enoch M. Ferguson. List of sales of Thomas Brophey.

The following accounts were duly examined and passed:

First account of Thos. P. Dixon, Administrator *c. t. a.* of John B. Morton. Second account of George Gillespie, Guardian to Samuel Henry, and L. Cather. First account of J. J. Buck, Guardian to James Crawford. Account of Margaret A. Nesbitt, Guardian to Laura V., Charles H., and Edwin R. Nesbitt. First account of J. J. Buck, Administrator *c. t. a.* of Hannah Crawford and distribution struck on same. Account of James W. Clark, Guardian to Wm. T. Clark. First account of Vincent S. Caleb, Guardian to Florence A. Caleb. Third and final account of E. W. Janney and Lydia M. Rossell, Administrators of John S. Rossell and distribution struck on same.

Court adjourned at 3 o'clock to meet in special session next Tuesday, March 17th.

Proceedings of the County Commissioners.—The County Commissioners were in session on Tuesday and Wednesday, engaged in current business, the appointment of Road Supervisors occupying most of the time the Board was in session. The following are the names of Supervisors appointed for the ensuing year:

FIRST DISTRICT.—David Statts, John Redgrave, John Wroth.

SECOND DISTRICT.—B. M. Crawford, B. F. Hanson, Andrew Beaston, John Conery, Henry Nungesser.

THIRD DISTRICT.—Dr. H. H. Mitchell, Geo. W. Denny, David Ward, James Lambert, Robert A. Scott, John Lockley, Jas Yates, John McKnight, Edward Simpson, W. F. Baldwin, John T. Lee, W. B. Moore, Edward Sweetapple, Nicholas Larzalere, John Bedwell, Sr., Thos. N. Biddle, Frank Suter, John W. Holt, J. W. Simpson, G. C. Weaver, Patrick Brennen, J. H. Simpers, Benj. Miller, C. P. Harding, Torbert Scarborough, John McCreary, William Otly, J. T. Gamble, James Dowell.

FOURTH DISTRICT.—John Crossmore, Alexander Richie, James Crow, Alexander Scott, F. A. Burnite, John Egnor, Charles Anderson, Levi Todd, D. W. Morrison, John McCleary, Samuel J. Gatchell, W. B. Kirk.

FIFTH DISTRICT.—W. J. Wilson, A. Hyland, T. McKinney, Thos. B. Gainor, Charles J. Bayard, B. Groves, Charles McNamee, Jesse Stoops, Samuel Logan, (of Thos.), John W. Oldham, N. Milburn, Stephen Atkinson, John T. Holt, Abraham Ringland, Elisha Harris, Samuel Logan.

SIXTH DISTRICT.—Mathew Morrison, Andrew Pearce, W. W. Moore, William Watkins, James M. Evans, Robert A. Evans, W. W. Wiley, J. Frank Reynolds, Isaac Reynolds, John Hamersmith, James Clendenin, T. Braden Gillespie, Jonathan Reynolds, George Gillespie.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.—Richard Rutter, Jas. McMullen, John J. Alexander, John Sheridan, John Wier, Jas. Graham, John Linton.

EIGHTH DISTRICT.—John T. Smith, William Pearce.

NINTH DISTRICT.—G. W. Oldham, T. H. Vanpelt.

The Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday next.

Report of Liberty Grove School.

WINTER TERM ENDING FEBRUARY 27, 1874.

Our examination the last week of February, was a mite in the stirring events of Liberty Grove. The Presbyterians held a protracted meeting in the school room, adjusting by skilful mechanism of the hearts of our children, as well as those of larger growth; while we, with similar tools, (though less sharp) directed our aim to the heads, and hope that our joint efforts will produce the Bible measure of harvest.

The following scholars attended every day: Theodric Taylor, Annie Taylor, Louie Saunders, Charles Sheldon and Jas. Rowland. The last named young man has been waiting nearly a year for a certificate awarded to him by the Honorable School Board, for full attendance during the scholastic year 1873.

Class No. 1 in Geography, consisting of twenty-five members, averaging ten, drew for the prize, Ella J. Saunders being *the one*. Class No. 2, eight members, after testing closely, James Rowland came off with the honorary 10.

History Classes Nos. 1, 2, 3, averaged 9. Grammar No. 1, of fifteen was examined by Mr. Squier, for two hours; no decision as regards special merit, but Jas. Graham's replies evinced more reasoning ability. No. 2 did not submit to an examination.

Arithmetic Classes Nos. 1, 2, averaged 9¼. No. 3, James Rowland, Carter Philips and Theodric Taylor received 10.

Dictation Classes No. 1, Stephen Caldwell. No. 2, Lizzie McDowell. No. 3, Louie Saunders.

Reading Class, conducted by the patrons, assisted by Mrs. Martha J. Saunders, (ex-teacher of Cecil county) and graduate of Millersville Normal School, decided that John McDowell's superior talent as a reader was due to nature rather than Miss Biddle's training.

Mental Arithmetic Classes Nos. 1, 2, 3, progress 8.

In Drawing, Millard McDowell, Eri Philips and John Keene, exhibited great proficiency.

Penmanship average, 8. Conduct 8, except George Wright and Annie Taylor, averaging 10.

The last day of the examination was attended by a majority of parents, and our Local Board, ever faithful stewards, were present. Before adjourning Mr. R. A. Saunders moved that the patrons and Local Board should express their high appreciation of Miss Hannah Harland, by rising. Thus closed the Winter term exercises of Liberty Grove School.

March 5th, 1874. P. L. G. S.

Rising Sun Items.

Sale of Money—Liming Land—Moving—Gone—Fox Hunting—Improvements—Plowing, &c.

At the annual meeting of the Building & Loan Association, held March, the 2nd., the old officers were re-elected, except two directors. Money was loaned at 8a9 per cent premium.

Farmers are coming back to lime again. Passmore & Co., have orders for 7,000 bushels. The price has also been reduced to 17 cents per bushel.

Moving is now the order of the day, and unfortunately the weather is horrible and roads awful.

Game is still very plenty; "Wild Bill" still bags the animals in astonishing quantities.

Fox hunting has been all the go lately; the hunters have extra good luck. Riale has always one or two foxes on hand; his bag hunts are our chief excitement and only amusement.

In the way of improvements, Miss Sarah J. Clayton has built a portico and bay window to her house, also is placing a new fence around the property; this will be quite an addition to the looks of the Hall square.

Many of our farmers have been plowing for spring crops; others deprecate this mode of farming and await the Spring time.

One of the best preparations for a good wheat crop is a liberal application of Ground Bone, on the Corn or Oats. For Pure Ground Bone, see WARING & BRO.'s advertisement in another column.

—An anti liquor meeting was held in the Baptist Church at Harrisburg. All those present resolved to attend the conference of those opposed to local option with the Legislative Committee on Vice and Immorality, in the Hall of Representatives, at night. One of the speakers remarking that the liquor men "were moving heaven and earth" to effect the repeal of local option, he was corrected by another, who said that "it was rather hell and earth. He did not think heaven had anything to do with it."

☞Farmers and Gardeners would do well to procure their seed for Spring planting of Jas. McCormick, Agricultural Warehouse, Port Deposit. [1642.

Shoes for the million. No one need be shoeless. Get 'em at McCRERY & BOULDEN'S.

☞For the best Hay and Fodder Cutter go to MICHENER, Colora, Md.

The Winter Weather of the present week has made the fine Heavy Goods at the GLASS FRONT very reasonable; and the astonishing low prices at which they sell make it a strong inducement to lay in a stock which will be of service next fall and winter.

Beef! Beef!—By the pound, at William A. Wright's, the best ever offered in Elkton; said beef having been fed on grain for fourteen months; will be in market on Monday next, at the old stand, weighing 3,300 lbs., fattened and raised by William Reed, near Bay View. Do not fail to get a Roast or Steak.

☞The young folks say, if I live until I am gray I will never use any but MOORE'S "Wilmington City Soap." 1

Dried Fruits, Canned Fruits, Macaroni, Tapioca. A full line of fine groceries at McCRERY & BOULDEN'S.

If you want Sewing Machines Cheap go to J. WILKINSON, *Whig* Building, Elkton. You can get Silks, Cotton, and Threads of all kinds, and any thing connected with the business at city prices.

Spring Style Hats for Men and Boys at McCRERY & BOULDEN'S.

The Saw and Planing Mill of DAVIS & MILLER are in active operation, and from the amount of Lumber they are receiving they evidently expect a lively trade this season. By a new arrangement they now receive Lumber direct from Williamsport and Lock Haven by railroad, which enables them to keep a full stock of Dry Lumber at all times.

New Goods opening this day. Call and see the prices at DRENNEN & BRO.'s.

☞MICHENER, at Colora, sells the best Corn Sheller.

A RARE CHANCE.—In another column will be found an advertisement of the Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co., for agents to sell their unrivaled machines. To young men of address and energy, this offers a splendid field for remunerative employment. [7—2w

☞If you want the best Plow, go to MICHENER, at Colora.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Children often look Pale and Sick

from no other cause than having worms in the stomach. BROWN'S VERMIFUGE COMFITS will destroy Worms without injury to the child, being perfectly WHITE, and free from all coloring or other injurious ingredients usually used in worm preparations.

CURTIS & BROWN, Proprietors, No. 215 Fulton, New York.

Sold by Druggists and Chemists, and dealers in Medicine at TWENTY-FIVE CENTS A BOX. [July 5—1y

United States Internal Revenue,

DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 2nd Division, 1st District, Md.

Harford, Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's Counties constitute the THIRD DIVISION of the FIRST COLLECTION District of Maryland. All persons in these counties requiring U. S. Licenses, will apply to

L. A. C. GERRY, Deputy Collector, 2nd Division, Port Deposit, Cecil county, Md.

July 12—1y

HOUSEHOLD PANACEA —AND— FAMILY LINIMENT.

Why Will You Suffer? To all persons suffering from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cramps in the limbs or stomach, Bilious Colic, Pain in the back, bowels or side, we would say, THE HOUSEHOLD PANACEA and FAMILY LINIMENT is of all others the remedy you want for internal and external use. It has cured the above complaints in thousands of cases. There is no mistake about it. Try it. Sold by all Druggists

Feb 14, 1874—3m

MEDICAL SCIENCE PERFECTED.

DR. SWAYNE'S CELEBRATED

WILD CHERRY SYRUP.

A Remedy that has Stood the Test for over Thirty Years.

For Colds, Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, Wasting of Flesh, all Diseases of the Throat, Breast and Lungs. | A Cough or Cold If neglected, may result in

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Your Remedy is DR. SWAYNE'S "WILD CHERRY SYRUP."

It soothes the irritation of the mucus membrane which lines the air passages, and gives so much distress, causing tickling or rising in the throat, promotes expectoration, loosens the tough matter which clogs up the vessels of the throat and lungs, thus enabling the patient to breathe free and natural. It stimulates the power of digestion, and has performed very many cures, when to all human probability it could not be possible.

Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

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For the Liver. Most perfect purgative Aperient, anti-Bilious and Cathartic Medicine, for headache, piles, fits, fevers, disordered liver, costiveness, and to purify the blood, and cleanse the stomach and bowels of all impurities.

Price 25c.; 5 boxes $1.00.

☞For sale by Druggists and Merchants throughout the country, and at FRAZER'S Drug Store, Post Office building, Elkton, Md.

Thirty Years' Experience of an Old Nurse.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best Female Physicians and Nurses in the United States, and has been used for thirty years with never failing safety and success by millions of mothers and children, from the feeble infant of one week old to the adult. It corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind colic, regulates the bowels, and gives rest, health and comfort to mother and child. We believe it to be the Best and Surest Remedy in the World in all cases of DYSENTERY and DIARRHŒA IN CHILDREN, whether it arises from Teething or from any other cause. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. [July 5—1y

Swayne's Ointment. TETTER, Itching Piles. Every form of dry, scaly, crusty tetter, and all SKIN DISEASES. Is the only remedy to be relied on to cure effectually Tetter in all its various forms. CURES ITCHING PILES. A Tried and Sure Remedy. Sold for 50 cents per box. Sent by mail for 60 cents, postage paid. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, 220 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia. Sold by all Druggists and at FRAZER'S Drug Store, Post Office building, Elkton.

GRAY HAIR, BALDNESS, DANDRUFF. Any Disease of the Scalp.

NO DISCOVERY CAN COMPAR WITH LONDON HAIR COLOR RESTORER. It Promotes the GROWTH, restores the COLOR, and increases the Vigor and BEAUTY of the HAIR. *Does not stain the skin a particle or soil anything.*

The only known Restorer of Color and Perfect Hair Dressing Combined.

All Druggists sell it. Price 75 cents a bottle. Sold at FRAZER'S Drug Store, Post Office building, Elkton. Principal Office for the U. S., 220 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia. [Feb 7, 1874

103, 105, 107 North Second Street,

Philadelphia, February 18th, 1874.

We beg to inform you, that we are prepared to offer for your inspection, our usual assortment of

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We shall be happy to wait on you at our Store, or receive your orders. Yours, very respectfully,

Feb 28, 1874—4w H. WARD.

REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT.

A SMALL HOUSE IN WEST ELKTON. Inquire of GEORGE TURNER.

Feb 28, 1874—3w

FOR SALE OR RENT.

A SECOND-HAND PIANO. Cheap. Inquire of EDITOR OF THE WHIG.

Mar 7, 1874—3w

FOR SALE OR RENT.

The HOUSE, on Main street, Elkton, now occupied by Mr. W. G. Carter, and owned by W. P. Ewing. Terms moderate. Possession given March 25th, 1874. Apply at THIS OFFICE.

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FOR RENT.

The STORE ROOM in 1st story of the new Hall, at Cherry Hill. The room is large, handsomely finished and in the midst of the most active manufacturing district in the county. Apply to D. C. WORK, Cherry Hill, Md.

Feb 7, 1874—tf

FOR RENT.

A HOUSE, on High street, Elkton, now occupied by James Dentry. Possession given on the 25th of March, next. Apply to THOS. C. CROUCH.

Jan 24, 1874—tf

FOR RENT IN ELKTON.

STORE HOUSE AND DWELLING, jointly or separately, opposite the Court House. Possession on the 25th March ensuing, 1874. Apply to B. F. MAY, Balt'more, or E. E. EWING, Elkton.

Mar 7, 1874—1m

FOR SALE.

A FARM OF 82 ACRES,

15 acres of which is Woodland; situated in Cecil county, Md., five miles from Elkton station the P., W. & B. Railroad, within half a mile of Elk River, with a right of way thereto.

There is good Ducking and Fishing close by.

The farm has a good FRAME HOUSE, and an Overshoot Barn, and other outbuildings, in good order, a stone Milk House and a good Spring of water within 15 yards of the house. There is also a small Peach and Apple Orchard.

The land is in a state of good cultivation, and under good fencing.

Apply on the farm to J. K. BYLES. Or J. T. ROBINSON, Owner, No. 422 S. Front Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Feb 28, 1874—2m*

TRUSTEES' SALE OF BUILDING LOTS IN ELKTON.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Cecil county, in chancery, the undersigned, as Trustees, will sell at Public Sale, at the Court House door, in Elkton,

On Tuesday, the 31st day of March, 1874,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., ALL THAT

Real Estate in the Town of Elkton,

of which Sophia Lort died seized. This property runs through from Main to Back street, bounded West by property of F. A. Ellis, Esq., and East by a cross street running from Main to Back street, and is divided into Ten Lots:

No. 1, Adjoins the residence of F. A. Ellis, Esq., has a front of 42 feet on Main street, and runs back 150 feet to a ten-foot alley, with the privilege of a 12-foot alley on the east.

No. 2, Adjoins the last mentioned alley, with the privilege of its use, has a front on Main street of 33 feet and runs back 150 feet to first mentioned alley.

No. 3, Adjoins No. 2, has a front of 36 feet on Main street and 150 feet on the cross street.

Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7, Each fronts 22 feet on the cross street, and runs back 150 feet, with ten feet alleys between them.

Nos. 8, 9 and 10, Have each a front of 31 feet on Back street, running back 201 feet to a ten feet alley, with eight feet alley between lots. No. 8 also has a front of 101 feet on the cross street.

No. 1 is improved by a comfortable two-story FRAME HOUSE, with Back Building, and by a Stable and other outbuildings.

☞A plat of the Lots can be seen at the Office of the Trustees.

TERMS OF SALE, prescribed by the decree, are:—One-third of the purchase money cash on day of sale; one other third in Nine, and balance in Eighteen months from day of sale. Credit payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to satisfaction of the Trustees.

W. J. JONES, L. M. HAINES, Trustees.

Mar 7, 1874—ts

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on his farm, near Rowlandsville, Cecil county, Md., on

Thursday, March the 19th, 1874,

the following Stock and Farming Implements, to-wit:

STOCK:

1 pair of MULES, 7 years old this Spring, very gentle and excellent farm animals; 2 BROOD MARES, with foal; 1 Family HORSE, trusty and gentle, safe for women and children to drive; 2 Yoke of good Work OXEN; 3 two-years old STEERS.

Farming Implements:

1 Combined Reaper and Mower, with Prop; an excellent Grain Fan, 1 Corn-Sheller, 1 four-horse Wagon with Lime-Bed, 1 Ox-Cart, 2 sets Stage Harness, 3 sets Lead Harness, Bridles and Collars, 1 Hay Wagon, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Ox Chains, Grain Cradles, Mowing Scythes, etc., etc.

Also, 50 bushels of Hungarian Grass Seed.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, Cash; on all sums over $10, a Credit of Seven months, on Note with good security, will be given, payable at the Cecil National Bank, without interest if paid when due; if not paid when due, interest from date.

☞8 Sale to commence at 12 o'clock precisely, and no postponement on account of weather.

Mar 7, 1874—2w T. EWING.

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Will on and after MONDAY, the 16th instant, Leave Pier No. 13 Light Street Wharf, Baltimore, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following places, viz: Buck Neck, Barnards, Veritan, Charlestown and North East; returning on alternate days, stopping at all the Landings

☞For FREIGHT or PASSAGE, apply on board.

mar 7, 1874—tf JOHN H. BROWN, Captain.

STOCK OF STORE GOODS FOR SALE.

The undersigned, wishing to retire from business, offers his entire

STOCK of GOODS For Sale,

consisting of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, BOOTS, SHOES and HATS, all which he will sell on very reasonable terms.

This Store is situated in the

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Feb 28, 1874—3w H. STEEL.

NOTICE TO Executors, Administrators and Guardians.

By section 10, Article 81, of the Code of Public General Laws, the several Registers of Wills in this State are required, annually, to return to the County Commissioners, a summary account of all property that shall appear by the records of the several Orphans' Courts to be in the hands of each Executor, Administrator or Guardian, so that the same may be taxed. The provisions of this law have not been strictly complied with lately, and I have been called on by the County Commissioners for Cecil county for such "Summary Account." In many cases it is impossible for me, from the records now in my office, to make a correct return of the amount in the hands of each Executor, Administrator or Guardian, and that no injustice may be done any one, I hereby give notice to all Executors, Administrators and Guardians to come forward and make a true exhibit of the property in their hands respectively, as such Executor, Administrator or Guardian.

R. D. JAMAR, Register of Wills for Cecil county.

Mar 7, 1874—3w

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