The Cecil Whig

ELKTON, MAY 16, 1874.

Local Affairs.

—Corn planting has been pushed rapidly this week.

—Mr. James Shobe offers his farm, near Upper Principio, for sale on accommodating terms.

—Mr. Frisby Tull will sell his farm stock and household goods at public auction, on the 4th of June.

—A special meeting of the Cherry Hill Building Association is called on Wednesday evening next.

—Gardening is a la mode in country and town, but the ground is becoming quite dry on the surface.

—The walls of the new building being erected by Mr. Jones, for the future *Democrat* office, are finished.

—Elkton, it is said, has a Gray mayor, which verifies the old adage that the gray mare is the better horse.

—The Good Templars of Elkton are requested to meet at their room in the Hall, on Monday evening next.

The *American Union*, Denton, Caroline county, says the peach crop in that section is destroyed, except a few varieties.

—Tableaux, pantomimes and music, will be on exhibition at the hall, on Tuesday evening next for charity's sake. See notice elsewhere.

—Shad have been very plenty this week, retailing from the wagons at 40 cents a pair for your pick, and less if you stoutly refuse to pay so much.

—May 30th is a decoration day, when floral tributes will adorn the graves of the brave fellows who gave their lives that a nation might survive.

—The beautiful artificial flowers to be used in the floral part of the entertainment for Tuesday evening next have been obtained from Mrs. Nelson. See her advertisement.

—There will be an exhibition of singing, dialogues, &c., at Chesapeake City, on Wednesday evening next, 20th instant, under the auspices of Good Templar's Lodge of that town.

—Under the genial rays of the warm sunshine of the past few days the trees are leaving out and flowers are spreading their variegated robes on every hand. Shade and ice have become a luxury.

—Quarterly meeting will be held at St. Phillips' A. U. M. P. Church, North East, on Sunday, May 17th. Love feast at 9 o'clock; preaching 10½ A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. REV. E. W. SCOTT.

—The Band were in tune on Wednesday night, and paraded the streets, discoursing music for the benefit of our citizens, "free gratis for nothing." They played remarkably well, considering the long recess the members have had.

—Mr. Cannan, to whom the contract for building Big Elk bridge at Parke, Smith & Co.'s fording, was awarded, as the lowest bidder, has since declined, and to Mr. Joseph Miller, the next lowest, the contract has been given. His bid was $2,200.

—A Grand Vocal Concert, under the charge of Mr. G. W. Milburn, assisted by a corps of artists, will be given in Mechanics Hall, at North East, on Wednesday evening, the 20th instant. The selections are varied to suit all tastes.

—There will be a town election at three o'clock this afternoon to complete the board of Town Commissioners, rendered necessary on account of the reported tie between Mr. Wells and Mr. Cruikshank at the former election. Better string the tickets next time.

—The Governor has appointed Joseph Golibart, Officer of Registration for the Sixth District of this county, vice Robert A. Evans, failed to qualify; also Daniel M. McClanahan, Justice of the Peace for the Seventh District, vice A. M. McClanahan.

—The drainage of the "new jail" is so imperfect that it threatens to make the building untenable. The sink fills up and the contents stands in the pipes or flows back. The consequence can be imagined. Wonder when that jail yard is to be fenced in?

—A horned frog sent all the way from Texas, in the mail, by our Fort Scott, Kansas, correspondent, may be seen at A. W. Mitchell's drug store. This distinguished stranger is quite a curiosity. He is said to be capable of living six months on air alone, which is a remarkably cheap diet.

—Six hundred stitches a minute guaranteed and every one perfect; about fifteen are all that can be done by hand in the same time. Who would waste their time and pick their fingers, when they can get a Sewing Machine for $10 cash?

J. WILKINSON, Agent.
Elkton, Md.

—It has been proved over fifty years ago, and circulars are now printed on the same subject; will be sent free to every family in the community on receipt of name and post-office address. It is most interesting to both male and female. Its agent is now located at Elkton, to reorganize the business. Address J. W., A. S. M. Co., box 106, Elkton, Md.

—Dusty streets are becoming familiar to our town folks. Bailiff Gilpin has been giving Main street a thorough cleaning up this week, putting things in order to receive the new Board. We hope the new Commissioners will be considerate to the *poor* property holders of the corporation in the matter of levying light taxes. But few will be exempt from this blessing if their magnanimity is confined to that class.

—The County Commissioners have exacted a promise from the School Board, that they will build no new school houses, or repair old ones for one year, and on the strength of this obligation the County Commissioners have agreed to levy 25 cents on the $100 for school tax. Before that time rolls round, under the above contract, the Elkton Public School bids fair to be taught in the groves like the old Grecian Academy. The skies of Athens were more favorable for that kind of school room than those of Elkton. The scholars didn't need any desks to protect books in those far off days either. They graduated fine scholars from that sylvan school house, nevertheless, which is encouraging for the prospect before Elkton.

Correction.—I take this method of correcting an error, concerning my injuring one of my scholars by choking him. The assertion is false. I called him to me to reprove him for laughing aloud; and when he came, he brought the poker and assailed me with it, and I took it from him and presented him to his father for correction; and as he was crying, his nose bled, and that is why his handkerchief was soiled. The name of the boy above alluded to is Oliver, son of Edward Thomas.

LULA A. FORMAN,
Teacher of Elkton Colored School.

☞Don't be Discouraged. Suppose you *have* "tried fifty remedies" and received no benefit, is there therefore "no balm in Gilead?" Verily there is. Your liver may be congested, your stomach half paralyzed, your nerves quivering, your muscles knotted with torture, your bowels constricted, your lungs diseased, your blood full of impurities—yet in one week after commencing a course of DR. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS you will feel like a new creature.

The Fishing Business.—The shad and herring fisheries of this county have been extremely prosperous the present season. Large quantities of shad have been caught and of the finest quality. Old fishermen pronounce the average of the shad larger and fatter than they have seen caught in these waters for many years previous. The weather has been most favorable for handling the catch and good prices and ready sale were obtained. Until within a few days the price per hundred for shad has averaged $15.

We made a flying visit on Wednesday to the Messrs. Wilson & Rutter's shore at the mouth of North East river, called the "Gridiron Fishery." While on the shore we saw them make one haul, which brought to shore eighteen hundred shad and ten thousand herrings. The shad were the largest and finest we ever saw caught in these waters. Taking the average of the haul, the majority of them would weigh four and five pounds. On Monday they caught forty-five hundred shad and on Tuesday nearly as many.

When we saw the large roe shad flapping and floundering by hundreds on the sandy beach, we thought what a splendid opportunity was here presented for Seth Green to obtain millions of roe, if the great piscaculturist had been present. There might, at little cost, be millions of shad roe procured at these fisheries about the head of Chesapeake Bay, every Spring; sufficient to stock all the shad streams in the country, and by putting a few hundred thousand of the fry in the upper waters of the Susquehanna, North East, Elk, Bohemia and Sassafras rivers the shad fisheries might in a few years be increased to what they were fifty or sixty years ago. Then thousands of the finest shad were taken in small seins at almost any favorable beach for fishing on those rivers. The former great abundance of those fine fish could certainly be again restored in a few years from the roe which is destroyed every Spring by the fisheries at the mouths of the rivers above mentioned. Let our Fish Commissioners attend to this business, and by furnishing the former abundance of these finest of fish, the public may be able to procure them at something approximating the old time prices which were often as low as *four* cents a piece, which was little more than a cent a pound for the finest fish that swims.

After sharing the proverbial hospitality of the fishing shore, in a dinner of the most delicious fried shad, the fish being conveyed fresh from the net to the frying pan, before a particle of its rich flavor was lost by too long contact with the atmosphere, and witnessing the landing of the three mile seine, we had our horse hitched to and started for Elkton, richer than when we arrived on the shore, by a pair of five pound shad, which one of our kind hosts had selected from the flopping hundreds of silver-scaled beauties, and presented us with. May his shadow never grow less, as Pat would say in such an emergency.

To enjoy in their utmost perfection a white shad or Eastern Shore peach, the latter must be plucked fresh from the topmost branch of the tree and eaten on the spot; and the former must be conveyed from the net to the frying pan, and cooked and eaten immediately. Unless you have enjoyed either the fruit or fish under these most favorable circumstances you have never realized all the real pleasure they possess for the gastronome.

On Thursday we learn that the largest haul of the season was made at this fishery, 2500 shad of uncommonly fine quality and 15,000 herring, being the product of one haul.

Rising Sun Items.

I. O. of G. T.—Centennial Tea Party—Town Election—Weather—Death—Building and Loan Association—Premium.

The following officers were installed for Cecil Lodge, No. 46, I. O. of G. T., on May 6th, to serve the ensuing term: W. C. T., W. W. Carter; W. V. T., Lizzie C. Kirk; W. R. S., E. K. Brown; W. A. S., M. E. Kirk; W. F. S., Cecil C. Stubbs; W. T., Jos. C. Bird; W. C., Rev. J. D. Kemp; W. Editress, Jennie Buckley. The Lodge is reported to be in a flourishing condition.

Our Centennial Tea Party was quite a success; realized about $75; had a good time; old folks looked well; will be long remembered for the antiquity of their dress and the strength of the tea.

On Monday last our Borough election was held for five victims to serve as Commissioners for the ensuing year. Four of the old Board were caught, and the fifth one tied, necessitating a new election for one and giving him another chance for municipal honors.

The present good spell of weather has started farming, and it is thought more corn has been planted the first of this week than in as many days for years.—The prospect for fruit is said to be very good in this vicinity by all who have examined the matter.

Mary Krauss, wife of Thomas Krauss, at Harrisville, departed this life on Monday morning, the 4th instant.

At the last meeting of the Building and Loan Association money sold at 7 and 9 per cent premium. The proposition to pay interest to withdrawing members was voted down, having only one vote in its favor.

At the late Sunday School Exhibition, Miss Emma Garvine received the premium Bible, she having disposed of fifty tickets. The affair was quite creditable and cleared about $40.

—We clip the following from *The Havre Republican:*

—For several days during the past week, immense schools of shad and herring came up the Bay and the Susquehanna from Spesutia to Port Deposit was literally alive with them. The consequence was, our fisherman had to slacken up and make fewer hauls than usual or they would have taken more than they had capacity to handle, as it was, the Baltimore and Philadelphia markets were glutted with fresh shad, and everything here available for striking herring was utilized, and the stock of salt and barrels exhausted in putting them up. This excessive catch had the effect to demoralize the market fearfully, and on last Tuesday, dealers refused to pay even five dollars for prime shad.

On Monday last Messrs. Sadler & Co., at their two floats, caught over 12,000 shad. The gillers too have done well. The run is now falling off and the season pretty well over; some are already cutting out. The season though short may be considered successful; more so than the last three or four years. The most of the firms have made considerable money, but the amount depends somewhat upon the price they realize for their salted stock.

The losses of the first two weeks of the season will very materially cut down the profits.

—The river continues in good rafting order.

—The trade on the canal continues brisk.

—Our fruit packing establishments are now busy making cans. Messrs. W. R. Young & Co., have already some 50,000 three pound cans made up.

—Mr. John W. Hedden, has leased Watson's island for the purpose of raising vegetables thereon. He expects to plant about one hundred acres this year.

If you are to use Wine or Liquor for medicinal purposes, or otherwise, go to SIMON'S Liquor Store and get it pure. 3 doors below Mitchell's Drug Store.

Ecce Homo!—Prime bread, brown bread, milk loaves, rusk, milk rolls, fresh every morning by 6 o'clock, on and after Monday next. JOHN LANG, "Old Toll Gate" Bakery, on Plank road, near Elkton. Bread will be conveyed to town every morning.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.—The Orphans' Court was in session but one day this week (Tuesday,) owing to the sickness of Chief Judge McCauley and Associate Judge Evans, the former not being able to be present.

Sundry claims against deceased persons were examined and passed.

The following bonds were duly examined and approved: Bond of E. T. Evans, administrator of James C. Wiley; bond of Susan M. Maxwell and James H. Maxwell, administrators of Thomas Maxwell; bond of John E. Wilson, administrator of Charlotte Miller.

The following Inventories, list of debts and lists of sales were duly examined and passed; Inventory of the goods and chattels of Rachel B. Brown; list of sales of A. E. Poe; list of sales of W. T. Buckland; list of sales of Isaac Grey; list of debts of Rachel B. Brown; list of debts of James Megee.

The following accounts in the estate of deceased persons were duly examined and passed: Final account of J. W. Abrahams, administrator of Robert K. Mortor; final account of E. T. Evans, administrator of James Coale Wiley; final account of Jos. Miller, administrator of Israel Valentine, and distribution struck on same; final account of James B. Groome, administrator *c. t. a.* of Abraham Vandergrift; final account of E. Thomas Evans, guardian of Clara B. Wiley; final account of Eliza M. Taylor, executor of William Taylor; final account of Benjamin J. Green, executor of James T. Bond, and distribution struck on same; first and final account of J. W. Steele, administrator of Patrick Blanfield; fourth account of A. E. R. Bennett, Noble Biddle and J. H. Steele, administrators of George W. Bennett, and distribution struck on same; first account of A. E. A. Bennett, guardian of Lizzie E. and George N. Bennett; second account of Joseph H. Steele, guardian of William J. Hudson.

Court adjourned to meet on Wednesday next, the 20th instant, in special session.

Proceedings of the County Commissioners.—The County Commissioners were in session on Tuesday and Wednesday—all the Commissioners present. From the minutes we extract as follows:

Ordered, that I. F. Vanarsdale superintend the masonry at the Smith & Parke bridge.

P. W. Ruley declined the appointment of standard keeper, and J. B. Ash was appointed.

The contract for building bridge over the Big Elk, at Smith & Parke's fording, was awarded to W. J. Cannan, for the sum of $1,070.

Ordered, that the road through J. W. Veazey's land be opened thirty feet wide, and that the peach trees be left standing where they do not interfere with travel or mending the road; also, that no alteration be made from graveyard to Quarter Lane.

The bond of Joseph Geisler was approved as Constable of Seventh District.

Ordered, that David Palmer tressle the iron bridge over the Elk, in the town of Elkton, according to his plans and specifications.

The following gentleman were appointed directors on the part of the county in the Bohemia Bridge Company for the year 1874:—William Lindsey, J. C. Cruikshank and Wesley Clayton.

The bond of Isaac S. Deford, Constable for the Fifth district, approved.

The following gentlemen were appointed to examine the road at Rowlandsville, with reference to the petition of the McCullough Iron Company, asking permission to lay a sidling across the same: W. J. Evans, F. M. Rawlings and H. H. Duyckinck.

Examiners appointed to view the proposed location of a road through the lands of ex-Sheriff Thomas and W. P. Howard: Dr. H. H. Mitchell, Daniel Bratton and John Partridge.

Walter Armstrong was appointed trustee of alms house, vice H. D. Miller, declined.

Ordered, that the clerk communicate with Robert Trimble in regard to repairing bridge at Mathews' mill.

Ordered, that Dr. H. H. Mitchell be permitted to straighten the road through his farm, in the Fourth district.

Proceedings of the School Board.—The Board met, agreeably to by-laws, on Wednesday last, all the members present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The Board of County Commissioners had an interview with the School Board and after a free interchange of views, they made the following proposal: That the Board of School Commissioners shall not build any more new school houses, except those now contracted for, and make no repairs than those absolutely needed for one year, and on this condition the County Commissioners would make a levy of twenty-five cents on every hundred dollars for the present year. On motion, the School Board accepted the proposal, with a view to reduce the permanent debt of the Board.

Commissioner George Biddle reported that the new desks for the Fredericktown school house were placed in the school-room in good condition. Report approved.

Ordered, that the bill of Messrs. J. W. Bond & Co., for desks to the school houses of North East and Fredericktown, amounting to $197, be paid by note.

Messrs. Richard McKee and Joshua F. Biddle made a statement to the Board concerning a new school house in Middle Neck, stating a new school house with outbuildings could be built for the sum of $500. The house to be 24x18, 10 feet high in ceiling, foundation wall 18 inches above ground, six windows with eighteen lights, 8x10 inches, double-hung shutters, twelve desks and a teacher's table. On motion these gentlemen were asked to see if they could contract for such a building at such a price, and report to the Board.

A petition from the patrons of Liberty Grove school was read, asking for the erection of a fence round the school house lot, and on motion this subject was referred to the President, to have the fence put up at his discretion.

The bill of W. J. C. Dulany & Co., for 150 copies of the amended school law, amounting to $15, was examined and ordered to be paid.

A communication was received and read from the Town Commissioners of Port Deposit, containing an apology on their part for having erected a pound or pen on the school house lot, in the town of Port Deposit, held jointly by the School Commissioners and the Town Council of Port Deposit, and the Masonic fraternity, without consultation with this Board, which was accepted by the Board with understanding that such pound or pen should be removed if the interest of the School Board required it.

The Board made their annual appointments of Trustees for the different schools, as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns.

On motion adjourned.

NORTH EAST, May 12th, 1874.

MR. EDITOR—*My Dear Sir:*—If not taxing your valuable paper too much, we will give you a synopsis of the business done on the *Dead River Grand Trunk Railroad* of this place.

We learn that the stockholders held a meeting, about the first of May instant, which resulted in a partial change in the *honorable* board of *Directors*. The meeting, we understand, passed off without any unusual excitement, considering the nature of the business. We understand the business for the company was quite lucrative for the last year, the freight carried in that time by the road, amounting to about thirty-five barrels of whisky, five barrels of ale, seven barrels of beer, one barrel of cider and a large number of boxes and baskets, which in all being about equal to the sale of twenty thousand passenger tickets. Of those who purchased tickets, and took passage on this road, several were precipitated from the train and lay by the road side, some of them suffering considerable injury from the wet and cold, and one passenger, it is reported, slipped from the train and was lost.

The *local* trade, we learn, has greatly increased, but public travel has almost ceased to exist on the road.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Children often Look Pale and Sick,
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CURTIS & BROWN, Proprietors,
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FOR ALL
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Strengthens, Heals, Purifies, Cures all Diseases of the Air Passages and Lungs.
How Many Sufferers.
Do we daily behold afflicted with coughs, bronchitis, asthma, blood-spitting, broken and impaired constitution, throat, breast and lung complaints. If such would only make trial of "*Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry*," quick and permanent relief would be the result. It heals the ulcerated lungs, stops night sweats, inducing a natural and healthy expectoration, and effects a speedy cure and at a trifling cost.
Has Stood the Test for Over 30 Years.
Prepared only by Dr. SWAYNE & SON, 330 N. Sixth street, above Vine, Philadelphia.
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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—5m

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If your Liver is Disordered, TRY THEM.
A few doses of which will be found to stimulate the Liver and Stomach to healthy action in removing a Billiousness, and producing regular evacuations of the bowels.
They are purely vegetable, and act specifically on the Liver as Blue Mass or Calomel, without any bad results from taking.
Price, 25 cents; five boxes, $1.00.
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TETTER.
ALL SKIN DISEASES.
Cured by Dr. Swayne's Ointment.
PILES, ITCHING PILES,
is generally preceded by a moisture like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable and often times distressing itching; particularly at night, after getting warm in bed. *SWAYNE'S OINTMENT* is a positive cure and preventive.
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MARRIED.

WARNER—DOUGHERTY.—On April 30th, in Baltimore, Md., by Rev. M. Beale, EDWARD J. WARNER and SUSAN A. DOUGHERTY, both of this county.

WRIGHT—MAXWELL.—At the Elkton M. E. Parsonage, on Thursday evening, May 7th, by Rev. E. Miller, WILLIAM A. WRIGHT and CADDIE L. MAXWELL, both of this town.

MILLER—HOLT.—At the Zion M. E. Parsonage, on the 14th of May, by Rev. T. L. Tomkinson, ANDREW T. MILLER, and MARTHA HOLT, both of Cecil county, Md.

THE MARKETS.

Elkton Markets.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY.

Wheat—white,	$1.60@$1.70
" —Red,	1.60@1.70
Corn,	77
Oats,	53@57
Rye,	80@85

Baltimore Markets.

FLOUR.—Western Super $5.13@5.50; do Extra $6@6.25; do, $6.50@6.75; do. Family $7.25@7.50; fancy do. $9; Patapsco Family $10.50 and Patapsco extra $10; Corn meal, City Mills $4.25@4.50.

WHEAT.—There is a fair demand for choice samples of Maryland, and for this description the market is steady, but other varieties are dull and nearly nominal; prime Maryland amber 175@177 cents; do. choice 178 cents and Western 165 cents.

CORN.—The market for Southern is firm, particularly for white; but Western is dull, and prices are favorable to buyers. Southern white 88 cents; do. fair do. 86 cents, and good to prime yellow 83@85 cents.

OATS.—The market is quiet but steady, with a slight recovery in prices. Mixed Western 62 cents, and bright do. 63½@65 cents, both on track.

RYE is in light supply, and the market is steady. Good to prime $1.03@$1.05.

Philadelphia Markets.

Flour dull, quotations barely maintained. Superfine $4.75@5.50; extras $6@6.25; Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio family extra $6.75@8.25. Wheat quiet and steady, red 150@172 cents; amber 172@175 cents; white 180@190 cents. Rye 98 cents. Corn dull, yellow 84@85 cents; mixed 84 cents. Oats steady, white 65 cents; mixed 62½c.

BALTIMORE HAY AND STRAW MARKET.—The supply of Hay is light, and the market is generally firmer. There is no Western offering, but we quote at $18@20; Pennsylvania at $23@24, and Maryland at $24@26, the latter for choice. Cecil county Timothy. We quote straight Rye Straw at $15@16; Oat at $15, and Wheat at $11—all per ton of 2,000 pounds.

THE PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET.—There was only a moderate demand for Beef Cattle this week, but with light receipts holders were firm in their views. Sales of fair and choice at 5@7¾c., the latter for extra, and common at 5@5¾c. Receipts, 2,200 head: Sheep attracted less attention. Sales of wooled at 5¾@6½c., and clipped at 5¾@7¾c. Receipts, 8,000 head. Hogs moved with less freedom, but the tone of the market was firm. Sales of corn-fed at $8.75@9. Receipts, 6,000 head.

THE FARMERS MUTUAL OF YORK, PA., is acknowledged to be one of the safest Mutual Fire Insurance Companies in operation. Its Agents do a large business in this county. Risks on farm property taken at low rates. E. E. EWING,
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AT ROCK RUN,
Are receiving almost daily ADDITIONS to their
LARGE STOCK OF GOODS,
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Purchasers may rely on getting the worth of their money.
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May 2, 1874—tf

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at less than regular prices, on our usual terms, which is Cash on Delivery to every person, without regard to responsibility. Rich and poor enjoy the same advantages. We have tried this system for fourteen years, and ready to prove that "a nimble sixpence is better than a slow shilling."
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It is useless to enumerate Goods—just call in and inquire for what you need, and you will be shown with the greatest of pleasure, as it is
NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS
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April 18, 1874—tf

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Which they offer for sale at lowest market rates.
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April 11, 1874—3m

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DOORS, SASH,
BLINDS and SHUTTERS,
MADE OF THE BEST KILN-DRIED LUMBER, and warranted in point of workmanship equal to any in the market.
Estimates for Contracts made on application, and a comparison of prices invited.
April 25, 1874—tf DAVIS & KEYS.

NORTH EAST
STEAM SAW MILLS,
&
Lumber and Coal Yard,
NORTH EAST, MD.
We, the undersigned, would respectfully call attention to our facilities for CUTTING
White Pine, Yellow Pine, Oak and Hemlock
BILL STUFF.
ALSO, OUR ASSORTMENT OF
Boards, Scantling, Joists and Pickets
stock in our yard, which we will sell at Reasonable Rates. We have also for sale several cargoes of
STOVE, EGG & NUT COAL
OF GOOD QUALITY.
☞SASH, DOORS and all kinds of Finishing Work furnished at Port Deposit prices.
DAVIS, PUGH & CO.
We have also on hand and for sale the NATIONAL BONE. [Sept 13, 1873—tf.

The demand for my Preparations for the Mouth and Teeth
becoming so great, it can hereafter be had at the Drug Stores of R. B. FRAZER and DR. H. H. MITCHELL, Elkton, Md.
May 9, 1874—1m H. C. REGISTER, M.D., D.D.S.

ORPHANS' COURT.

The STATED MEETINGS of the Orphans' Court of Cecil county will be held on the SECOND TUESDAY in every month. Executors, Administrators and Guardians, wanting their accounts stated, will please bring in the vouchers a few days before Court.

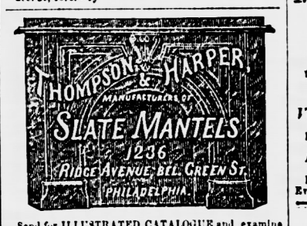
REUBEN D. JAMAR,
Nov 30, 1867—y Register.

PHILADELPHIA.

JOE GLADING,
No. 906 Arch St., Philadelphia,
Sells 36-inch Solid (French) HAIR BRAIDS, $6; Side Curls, $1; Combings made up, 50 cents an ounce.
April 11, 1874—3m

HILT & LUNING,
IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN
WALL PAPERS,
WINDOW SHADES,
Lambrequins, Cornices, Curtain & Picture Loops, Tassels, Bands, &c.,
406 and 408 ARCH STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
Paper and Shades hung by competent workmen in city or country.
N. B.—Store Shades made to order. [april 11—3m

CHAS. CAMBLOS & CO.,
BANKERS AND BROKERS,
No. 38 SOUTH THIRD STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
Dealers in Government Securities, Gold, Silver, &c.
STOCKS AND BONDS BOUGHT AND SOLD ON COMMISSION.
Particular attention given to investments.
dec. 20, 1873.—1y



Send for ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE and examine our prices before **purchasing**, as we claim to sell **lower than other establishment in the City.**
REMEMBER the NUMBER,
1236 Ridge Avenue, Philadelphia.
June 14, 1873.—1y

BLATCHLEY'S
TRADE MARK (B) Patented.
Improved CUCUMBER WOOD PUMP, Tasteless, Durable, Efficient and Cheap. The best Pump for the least money. Attention is especially invited to Batchley's Patent Improved Bracket and New Drop Check Valve, which can be withdrawn without removing the Pump, or disturbing the joints. Also, the Copper Chamber, which never cracks or scales, and will outlast any other. For sale by Dealers and the Trade generally. Inquire for Blatchley's Pump, and if not for sale in your town, send direct to
CHAS. G. BLATCHLEY, Manufacturer,
mar 14, 1874—5m 506 Commerce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

LADIES' SPRING and SUMMER
SUITS,
JACKETS,
AND
COSTUMES.
AGNEW & ENGLISH,
NO. 920 CHESTNUT ST., PHILA.
Invite attention to their Large and Elegant Stock of SILK, HERNANI, CASHMERE, POPLIN, ALPACA, MOHAIR, LINEN and LAWN SUITS.
Cloth and Cashmere Jackets,
Embroidered Linen, and
Lawn Polonaise,
Lace Polonaise, Bacques and Shawls.
Best Black Silk for Dresses, by the yard. Umbrellas, Fans, Embroidered Sashes, Pockets, &c. Fancy Goods.
Also, a full line of Ladies' Under Garments. (The only house on Chestnut street devoted exclusively to this class of Goods.) [may 9, 1874—2m

ALLEN'S
STANDARD MANURES
FOR ALL CROPS.
Reputation Established.
Send for Circulars, and see that our name is on the Bags.
Dried & Ground Fish Guano.
Super-Phosphate of Lime and Ammoniated Fertilizer,
(Formerly manufactured by T. H. Gray.)
FINE GROUND PRAIRIE BONE.
Rich in Ammonia and Phosphates.
No. 1 Peruvian Guano,
Received direct from the Government.
JOSIAH J. ALLEN'S SONS,
No. 4 South Delaware Avenue,
mar 7, 1874—3m&3mf PHILADELPHIA.

THE TROTTING STALLION

WINFIELD,
Sired by New Jersey, by George M. Patchem. Dam by Long Island Black Hawk, by Andrew Jackson, the sire of Kemble Jackson and grandson of old Imported Bashaw. New Jersey's dam, Patsey Anthony, was by imported Priam.
WINFIELD is a dark chestnut, 5 years old, of docile temper, perfectly sound, with all the style and finish of a thoroughbred. His colts, now coming one and two years old, are large and blood-like, showing equal in every respect to any produce with which they are compared.
He will make the Season at Elkton, for $25, payable in advance. Mares not proving in foal, can be returned the following season, free of charge, if owned by the same parties.
All communications to receive prompt attention, must be addressed to WM. A. WRIGHT, Agent,
Howard House, Elkton.
T. POOLE, Proprietor. [may 9, 1874—3m

NOTICE.

WM. GIBSON VALENTINE, next friend, &c.,
vs.
CHARLES B. VALENTINE, AND OTHERS.
In the Circuit Court for Cecil county. In Chancery.

ORDERED, This 20th day of April, in the year 1874, that the sale made and reported by James T. McCullough, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Nancy Ward, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of June, next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some paper printed in Cecil county, once a week for one month before the 20th day of May, next.
The Report states the amount of sales to be $120.00.

A. W. MITCHELL, Clerk.
True copy: test, A. W. MITCHELL,
April 25, 1874—1m Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice, that the subscribers, of Cecil county, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters Testamentary on the personal estate of
RACHEL B. BROWN,
late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, on or before the 14th day of April, 1875; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers. Given under our hands, this 14th day of April, 1874.
SARAH B. SCOTT,
ANNA E. B. TAYLOR,
Executrix of Rachel B. Brown, deceased.
Test—REUBEN D. JAMAR, Register.
April 18, 1874—6w.

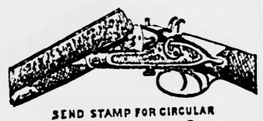
NOTICE.

ELIAS M. SERGEANT
vs.
MARY J. PENNINGTON.
In the Circuit Court for Cecil county. In Chancery.

ORDERED, This 8th day of May, 1874, that the sale made and reported by William J. Jones and L. Marshall Hanes, Trustees for the sale of the real estate mentioned in the proceedings in the above-entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 12th day of July, next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Cecil county, once a week for one month before the 12th day of June, next.
The Report states the amount of sales to be $350.00.

A. W. MITCHELL, Clerk.
True copy: test, A. W. MITCHELL,
May 9, 1874—1m Clerk.

THE PARKER GUN.



SEND STAMP FOR CIRCULAR
PARKER BRO'S.
WEST MERIDEN, CT.

Meetings of County Commissioners.

THE regular meetings of the County Commissioners will be held on the second TUESDAY of every month.

Persons having claims against the County, will please file the same in the Commissioners' Office, with a legal voucher; as no account will be allowed not properly chargable to the same.

Collectors and others having accounts to be stated or settled will apply to the Clerk during the recess of the Board. By Order

I. F. VANARSDALE, Clerk
Commissioners of Cecil County.
De 16, 1867—y

HARDWARE,
TIN-WARE AND STOVES.
JOEL S. EVANS. E. HAINES, JR.
EVANS & HAINES,
(SUCCESSORS TO J. A. KIRK,)
RISING SUN, MD.
Having recently purchased of J. A. KIRK his entire stock, we are now prepared to offer special inducements in the following articles:
Farmers' and Builders' Hardware,
STOVES,
Iron Springs, Axles, Bolts, Horse Shoes, Plow Castings,
OILS, PAINTS, VARNISHES, GLASS and PUTTY.
ALSO,
Manufacturers of TIN and SHEET-IRONWARE.
ROOFING, SPOUTING and REPAIRING
DONE IN THE BEST MANNER BY A SUPERIOR WORKMAN.