Business Locals, &c.

Scribner for July.

The July Scribner opens with the third of Dr. Brewers papers on "Bird architecture," including the nests of the Vireos, Titmice, Verdin, Tailor-birds and others, some of the most interesting being represented in the drawings. "A Few Antiques" is the title of an anonymous paper on certain parts of last year's Loan Collection for the Society of Decorative Art: the drawings, which are by Francis Lathrop, represent Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan's "Necklace in the Egyptian Style," and other ornaments, antique spoons in silver and gold, Danish and Norwegian mugs, Italian bass relief, etc.

"The Police of New York," by Ernest Ingersoll, describes the growth of the force from the "rattle watch" of 1658, consisting of eight men, to its present strength, 2,517. Accounts of noted arrests, of the police's system of dealings with tramps, anecdotes and illustrations. Among the cuts are sketches around Five Points by Vanderhoof, and a number of drawings by Kelly, including "Mustering the Rattle Watch," "A Leather-head Policeman, after the Revolution," "River Police of Duty," "Mounted Police Stopping Runaways," "Lodgingroom in Station-house," and "One of the Broadway squad." "The Structure of Oxford" is described and discussed by Ansley Wilcox, an American graduate of the University, with picturesque views of Magdalen, Merton, Exeter, New, Brasenose and other colleges. Each of the serials has an illusion, giving way to "Falconburg," Mr. Boyesens new novel of Norwegian and American life in the Northwest, which will begin in the Midsummer Holiday number.

The unillustrated material includes a paper on the popular query, "Is it going to rain?" by John Burroughs, who confesses that he was born with "a chronic anxiety about the weather;" while treating the subject from a literary stand-point, Mr. Burroughs does not fail to take note of its meteorological bearings. "Pomona takes the helm at Rudder Grange," by F. R. Stockton (the last of this droll series), contains some suggestions looking toward vigorous ways of dealing with tree-agents and Lightning-rod men. "Italy and the Pope," by Luigi Monti, makes clear the much-misunderstood relations between Victor Emmanuel and the Pope, with a running sketch of the formation of the kingdom of Italy. George P. Lathrop has a story about "Two Purse-Companions,"—otherwise, two college friends who agree that whoever shall first be worth a certain sum is to divide it with the other. The poetry of the number is by Maurice Thompson, Mrs. Dorr, and others.

In the departments, Dr. Holland discusses "Culture and Christianity," "Thin Living and Thick dying," and "Too Much of it." "The Old Cabinet" is about "Simplicity." "Home and Society" tells how to get "Pure Milk by the French method," and has suggestions about "Music and drawing at Home," and "How to make a Haggis." "Culture and Progress" is devoted to reviews of Henry James's last work, Bartlett's Americanisms," etc. "The World's Work" describes new practical processes. "Bric-a-Brac" includes the first pantoum (a peculiar form of verse adapted from the Malayan) ever written in this country.

McCormick's Self-Binder.

To the Wheat Growers of Howard County:—Your attention is respectfully called to the popular line of Harvesting Machines just received from the old and reliable firm of C. H. & L. J. McCormick, of Chicago, Ill. Samples of which are now on exhibition at Ellicott City. Their line consists of the McCormick Harvester and Self-Binder, the greatest invention of the nineteenth century. This machine has been thoroughly tested from Texas to Minnesota in all kinds and condition of grain and country and has proved itself in every instance a grand success. I will sell this machine on trial, satisfaction guaranteed or no sale.

McCormick's Harvester for hand binding—the only machine to which Self-Binder can be attached at any time in future. We ask nothing more of any farmer than that he shall try our Harvester in any field of grain.

McCormick's Advance Combined Reaper and Mower. The most perfect Reaper and Mower manufactured, having a five foot bar for reaping and a four foot bar for mowing. Two pinions are supplied with each machine—a large one giving slow motion of grain cutting and a small one, which gives a quick motion for mowing. Examine into its merits—this machine is king of *combined* machines—its sale leads all others in the north, west and south.

McCormick's Advance Dropper, a most valuable machine for small farmers, it gives general satisfaction.

McCormick's Prize Mower, the lighest draft and best grass cutter manufactured.

Many of the older farmers of Howard County are acquainted with McCormick's Reapers built years ago, and know them to be the most reliable machines ever sold in this country—and now as of old, they are constructed of the very best material and workmanship, and I shall sell them as they have always been sold, on their merits alone, and I feel assured that these machines will please the farmers of this county, and I solicit you to carefully examine into their merits and learn our prices and terms before purchasing this season. I shall keep a limited supply of repairs on hand—we have every part of these machines in stock at Baltimore so there will be no delay in case of brakeage, a very *important* point to the farmer.

Yours Respectfully,
M. B. PHELPS,
Clarksville, Howard County, Md.

To whom all communications should be addressed. [March 30-3m].

St. Nicholas for July

Opens brightly and seasonably with a story of Patriotic interest, by Charles H. Woodman, entitled The Girl who Saved the General; it is a stiring account of the heroic act of a young girl during the bombardment of her father's plantation in the Revolutionary War; and is illustrated by a telling frontispiece by Mr. H. F. Farney.

After this come several lively stories. There is The Barbecue, by Sarah Winter Kellogg, with a fine picture by Walter Shirlaw, and telling in a droll vein how a Fourth of July was celebrated down South by a tolerbul bad boy. Then comes Sneeze Dodson's First Independence Day, by Mrs. M. H. W. Jaquith, with a laughable picture, and a racy description of the observance of the day in an inland village; and the flavor of July fun is well kept up by the tale of A Boy's Experience with Tar Marbles on a very warm day, its three illustrations being by Jessie Curtis.

Besides these attractions, there is a profusely illustrated story entitled Too Many Birthdays; and a funny poem, The Yankee Boys that didn't number ten, with ten comical silhouette illustrations by Hopkins.

How the Weather is Foretold is clearly explained in an article by James H. Flint; Professor W. K. Brooks of John Hopkins University, in a liberal illustrated paper, discourses pleasantly about various Birds and their families; and the Story of Perseus, by Mary A. Robinson, gives a pleasant peep into the wonderland of ancient mythology.

The two serials,—Dab Kinzer, by Wiliam O. Stoddard and Under the Lilacs, by Louisa M. Alcott,—with striking pictures by Mary Hallock Foote and Sol Eytinge, have long and exciting installments in this number; and the poems of the issue are Rain, by Edgar Fawcett; Forty, less One, by James Richardson; and Meadow Talk, by Caroline Leslie,—the last two with capital illustrations. The Departments, For very little Folks, Jack-in-the Pulpit, Letter-Box, and Riddle-Box, are varied and attractive

Liver is King.

The Liver is the imperial organ of the whole human system, as it controls the life, health and happiness of man. When it is disturbed in its proper action, all kinds of ailments are the natural result. The digestion of food, the movements of the heart and blood, the action of the brain and nervous system, are all immediately connected with the workings of the Liver. It has been successfully proved that Green's August Flower is unequalled in curing all persons afflicted with Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint, and all the numerous symptoms that result from an unhealthy condition of the Liver and Stomach. Sample bottles to try, 10 cents. Positively sold in all towns on the Western Continent. Three doses will prove that it is just what you want.

Oct. 18, '77-1y.

Nothing Can be Worse Than to be Coughing Night and Day.

Use the great Remedy, DR. I. J. MARTIN'S PULMONARY BALSAM.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

MONDAY.

Both houses of Congress on Saturday passed a resolution extending the time for final adjournment from 12 M. to-day until four o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The conference report on the river and harbor appropriation bill passed both houses; it appropriates $8,361,700, of which Mew York gets $1,200,000. The army bill also passed both house; it fixes the strength of the army at 25,000 men. In the Senate, a report was made from the committee on elections that the evidence taken in the case of Senator Grover, of Oregon, did not sustain the charge that his election had been secured by bribery and fraud. The Senate also passed House bill increasing the pension of Gen James Shields to $100 per month.

In the House, Mr. Knott, chairman of the judiciary committee, presented his views in opposition to the adverse report on the Kimmel bill and the resolution of the Maryland Legislature on the subject of the presidential election. Most of the session was spent in discussing the internal revenue bill, and an amendment to establish an income tax was voted down—yeas 91, nays 139. Many democrats who otherwise would have voted for the proposition voted against it, fearing that it would imperil the passage of the bill.

TUESDAY.

Both houses of Congress yesterday passed resolutions for the appointment of committees to investigate the present depressed condition of the country. In the Senate, the life saving service bill was passed as it came from the House. A motion to reconsider the vote by which the "eight-hour" law was laid over till the next session was lost. The civil sundry appropriation bill was reported, and a large number of amendments adopted. An amendment appropriating $6,000 for the expenses of the commission sent to Louisiana by the President led to a long debate, Mr. Conkling, particularly, vigorously opposing the amendment, during which he referred to the commissioners as "tourists or visitors." The amendment was finally laid on the table—yeas 32, nays 22. An amendment was adopted appropriating $12,000 for the purchase of relics of George Washington from the Lewis family, of Clarke county, Va. At midnight the Senate was still engaged on the civil sundry bill.

In the House the bill reducing the tax on tobacco occupied the entire morning session, and a number of amendments were adopted, including one abolishing the tax on luciter and friction matches. The bill finally passed—yeas 130, nays 108. [Its principal provision is to reduce the tax on tobacco to sixteen cents a pound, and is to go into operation September 1, if the Senate should pass and the President approve it.] At the evening session a resolution was adopted requesting the Senate to give leave to Hon. Stanley Matthews to testify before the Potter investigating committee. The House at midnight proceeded to business on the Speaker's table.

WEDNESDAY.

Both houses of Congress rescinded the resolution to adjourn finally at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and then adopted a resolution to adjourn at 6 o'clock this afternoon. In the United States Senate, Mr. Kirkwood, from the conference committee on the post route bill, reported that the committee had been unable to agree, the House conferees refusing to agree to the amendment for the admission of foreign books through the mails free of duty. The sundry civil service appropriation bill was finally passed, after being variously amended. One of the amendments appropriates $5,500,000 in gold coin to pay the Halifax fishery award, and another directs the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the Southern mail contractors for services rendered prior to the war. At the evening session a resolution was passed authorizing the committee on military affairs to sit during the recess, for the purpose of considering the revision of the army regulations. A number of bills of an unimportant character generally were passed. The Senate then adjourned until 11 o'clock this morning, when the conference report on the sundry civil bill is expected.

In the House, Senate bill granting a site for a dry-dock in Baltimore was passed. Senate substitute for House bill repealing the resumption act failed to receive a two-thirds vote, and the bill, therefore, failed. Mr. Butler submitted his views in regard to the Kimmel bill At the evening session the House non-concurred in Senate amendments to the sundry civil bill, and a new conference committee was ordered. At ten o'clock the House adjourned until this morning.

The Maine democratic convention met at Portland yesterday. Chas. W. Larrabee presided. Resolutions were adopted in favor of the payment of the national bonded debt as rapidly as possible, opposing any further issue of government bonds, and while opposing an irredeemable paper currency, believing in a currency for government and people, the laborer and the bondholder alike, and in favor of the gradual substitution of greenbacks for national bank bills, indorsing the action of the majority of the House of Representatives in their investigation of the electoral frauds, and denouncing generally the policy and practices of the republican party. Alonzo Garcelon, of Lewiston, was nominated for Governor.

The mayor of Montreal, Canada, states that every precaution will be taken to preserve the peace of the city on the 12th of July next, in view of possible Orange and Catholic conflicts.

THURSDAY.

The session of Congress was prolonged until an early hour this morning, when both houses finally adjourned. In the Senate, House bill was passed making it unlawful for any attorney, agent or other person to receive for his services in a pension case more than $10, and providing that no fee contract shall hereafter be filed with the commissioner of pensions. A bill was passed fixing the second Tuesday of October next for election of members of the Forty-sixth Congress in West Virginia, and in North Carolina on the second Tuesday in November. [The same bill passed the House.] House bill for the payment of customs duties in legal-tender notes passed to a second reading, when objection was made to a second reading, and the Chair decided in favor of a point of order against further progress on the bill, which defeated it for the session. At the evening session a resolution was passed authorizing the committee appointed to examine into the alleged connection of Senator Matthews with election frauds in Louisiana to hold its sessions at such places as deemed most convenient. The conference report on the civil service bill was presented and adopted in both houses.

In the House, a motion made by Mr. Ewing to suspend the rules and pass a bill to retire national bank notes and substitute treasury notes for them, was rejected by a vote of yeas 109, nays 114. The bill for the payment of customs duties in legal tender notes was passed—yeas 153, nays 53. Senate bill to create an auditor of railroad accounts passed—yeas 187, nays 13. At the evening session of the House, a bill was passed fixing the pay of letter-carriers. Senate bill repealing the act to enforce the stipulations of the Venezuelan convention was passed. The post route bill was also passed.

FRIDAY.

The Vermont democratic convention met at Montpelier yesterday, Hon. Geo. L. Waterman, chairman, and nominated Hon. H. H. Bingham for Governor, and George E. Royce for treasurer. Mr. Bingham made a spicy speech accepting the nomination. Resolutions were passed congratulating the country on the restoration of home rule in the South and the overthrow of miltary domination, favoring "one currency for all and the gradual substitution of greenbacks for national bank bills," and, in view of the overwhelming majority for the democratic candidate for President, that the thanks of the people of the United States are due to the men who originated the present investigation of the electoral frauds, that the revelations has already made before the committee criminating the Secretary of the Treasury and the republican Senator from Ohio leave no room to doubt the wisdom of this investigation, and that while they would sanction no assault upon the official title of President Hayes, they urge the prosecution and punishment of all who aided the frauds by which the presidency was wrested from the democracy.

VARIOUS CAUSES—Advancing years, care, sickness, disappointment, and hereditary predisposition—all operate to turn the hair gray, and either of them inclines it to shed prematurely. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR will restore faded or gray, light and red hair to a rich brown or deep black, as may be desired. It softens and cleanses the scalp, giving it a healthy action, and removes and cures dandruff and humors. By its use falling hair is checked, and a new growth will be produced in all cases where the follicles are not destroyed or glands decayed. Its effects are beautifully shown on brashy, weak, or sickly hair, to which a few applications will produce the gloss and freshness of youth. Harmless and sure in its operation, it is incomparable as a dressing, and is especially valued for the lustre and richness of tone it imparts. It contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil or color white cambric; yet it lasts long on the hair, and keeps it fresh and vigorous. For sale by all dealers.—*Adv.*

MERE IGNORANCE.—It is absurd to assume that manual labor is derogatory to the dignity of a lady. The idea is based upon mere vanity, and leads to idleness and all the evils attendant thereupon. It betrays ignorance of human nature and of the prime factors of human happiness, and is condemned alike by history and common sense. Homer tells us of princesses drawing water from the springs, and washing with their own hands the finest linen of their families.

Sales.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
IN HOWARD COUNTY

AT MORTGAGE SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a power contained in a Mortgage from Dye W. Worthington and wife to Elizabeth A. Sutton, dated the 5th day of March, 1873, and recorded among the Land Records of Mortgages of Howard County in Liber W. W. W., No. 5, folio 61, &c., and now assigned to me by the said Elizabeth A. Sutton by assignment in writing duly made, I, as Assignee under said assigment, will offer for sale at Public Auction, on

Saturday, July 6, 1878,

at 11 o'clock A. M., on the premises, that valuable farm described in said Mortgage, containing

90 Acres of Land

more or less, lately occupied by said Dye W. Worthington, (now occupied by Mr. Brown as tenant) and lying on the north side of the Frederick Turnpike Road about one-fourth of a mile therefrom, near the 19th milestone at West Friendship.

The land is highly productive, of easy cultivation, well watered, and divided into convenient fields. Improvements consist of a comfortable DWELLING and all needful outbuildings and Orchard of choice fruit.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH—$300 must be paid as soon as property is knocked off.

JOHN M. WARFIELD,
Assignee of Mortgage.
I. THOMAS JONES, His Attorney.
June 15-4ts.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Howard County passed in the case of Virginia Bodman vs Thomas O. Young, the Undersigned, Trustee, will expose at Public Sale to the highest bidder at the Court House Door, in Ellicott City, on

Tuesday, July 16, 1878,

all that HOUSE AND LOT OF LAND in the village of Hilton, on the Columbia Turnpike, which was devised to Thomas O. Young by Thomas Young, deceased, by his will recorded in Liber W. G., No. 1, folio 389, among the records of the Orphans' Court of Howard County.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half in CASH the balance in six and twelve months with interest from date of sale secured to the satisfaction of the trustee by bonds or notes with security, or the whole in CASH at purchasers option.

WM. M. MERRICK, Trustee.
E. A. TALBOTT, Auctioneer.
June 15-5ts.

FOR SALE.

One second hand KIRBY MOWER, has been used very little, will be sold at a bargain. Also one four-horse BROAD TREAD WAGON in good order.

Apply to
E. A. TALBOTT, Ellicott City.
April 27-tf.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of E. SEMOUR DUVALL, late of Howard County, deceased, are requested to settle the same with Mr. Edwin Warfield, Register of Wills for Howard County, who is authorized to transact all business in the matter of the settlement of the estate of said deceased.

MARY J. DUVALL, Administratrix.
March 9-tf.

NOTICE.

THE **ORPHANS' COURT** will meet on the FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH for the transaction of business,

By order,
EDWIN WARFIELD, Register.
June 4 '70-1y.

NOTICE.

THE **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** will meet on the FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH for the transaction of business.

By order,
DYE W. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.
Dec. 13, '69-1y.

Legal Notices

ORDER NISI.

John G. Rogers, Attorney or Agent,
vs
Aaron L. McKenzie and H. Eliza McKenzie, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Howard County. In Equity, March Term, 1878.

ORDERED, this 31 day of June, A. D. 1878, that the sale made and reported by John G. Rogers, the Attorney or Agent named in a Mortgage from Aaron L. McKenzie and H. Eliza his wife, of the premises thereby mortgaged, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary, be shown on or before the **3d day of August, 1878**; *Provided*, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed at Ellicott City once in each of three successive weeks before the 3d day of July next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $500.

L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.
June 8-3ts

ORDER NISI.

Mary Timanus and others
vs
Anna G. Timanus and others.

In the Circuit Court for Howard County. In Equity.

ORDERED, this 13th day of June, 1878, that the sale made and reported by Henry E. Wootton, Trustee for the sale of the property mentioned in this cause, be ratified and confirmed on or before the **15th day of August next**; *Provided*, a copy of this order be published in some newspaper published in Howard County once in each of three successive weeks on or before the 15th day of July next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $4310.

L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.
June 15-3ts.

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration C. T. A., on the personal estate of

HENRY W. RICHARDSON,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **23d day of November next**; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 10th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

MARSELENA RICHARDSON,
May 25 6ts. Administratrix, C. T. A.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of

GEORGE GRAHAM,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **11th day of December next**; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 4th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN NORWOOD,
June 8 6ts. Administrator.

Executrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

JAMES O'DONNELL,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, on or before the **11th day of December next**; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 4th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

MARY O'DONNELL,
June 8-6ts. Executrix.

Ellicott City.

NEW STORE.

THE undersigned has opened a New Store, between the Patapsco and Railroad Bridges, Ellicott City, where he will keep on hand

A CHOICE SELECTION OF

DRY GOODS

OF ALL KINDS,

GROCERIES, LIQUORS,

Notions, &c.,

OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY.

☞Public patronage respectfully solicited.

WM. W. RADCLIFFE
May 3, '73-1y.

UNDERTAKING.

A Large Supply of

MAHOGANY & WALNUT COFFINS,

Made of the Best Material and Trimmed in the Richest Style, always ready at

FORT'S OLD STAND,

Directly opposite the TIMES OFFICE.

Hearses, Hack and Carriages,

Furnished at the shortest notice.

Charges greatly reduced.

N. B.—Furniture made to order. Repairing neatly and cheaply done. [Nov. 27, '69-tf.

Merchant Tailoring!

HENRY BUETEFISCH

Would respectfully announce to the citizens of Ellicott City and vicinity, that he has commenced the

Merchant Tailoring Business

at No. 61 Howard St., Ellicott City, and will keep on hand

Ready-Made Clothing for Men & Boys

Also Cloths, Cassimeres, &c., which will be made to order in the latest style. Being an experienced practical tailor, he feels justified in guaranteeing satisfaction to all who may be pleased to patronize him.

Feb 19 '70-tf.

JOB PRINTING of every kind done neatly, cheaply and after the latest Styles at the TIMES OFFICE.

HORNER'S FERTILIZERS for sale by D. SPRECHER.

FINE LOT of saddles for sale at W. F. Mayfield's.

Ellicott City.

ATTENTION!

New Apothecary

AND

Drug Store

IN

ELLICOTT CITY, MD.

THE Subscriber has opened an entire New Stock of goods in his line comprising an extensive and universal supply of Imported and American Chemicals, Medicines, Drugs, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass of all sizes, Putty, &c.

—ALSO—

A rich and stylish variety of Extracts for the handkerchief, superior Imported and American Toilet Soaps, fine Colognes, superior Hair Oils, Hair Brushes of the most fashionable styles, Tooth Brushes, Flesh Brushes, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

A full supply of fine and common Cutlery, together with other articles confined to this department of the trade.

—ALSO—

A complete assortment of stylish Stationery, Paperette, Pocket and Memorandum Books, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

The best stock of Virginia and other brands of Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Imported and American Segars of all grades, and a variety of Garrett's and other kinds of Snuff.

—ALSO—

A full and handsome supply of Lamps, Lamp Burners, Chimneys, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

A general supply of all the popular Patent Medicines now in use.

☞ Physicians, Farmers and others can be supplied with the very best articles and at the most moderate CASH rates.

All Medicines carefully compounded and prescriptions neatly and promptly put up at all hours of the night.

S. W. MIDDLETON.
May 11, '78 3m.

D. SPRECHER.

Farmers can find a good Market for what they have to sell or wish to buy at D. Sprecher's,

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats & Caps, Ready Made Clothing, Cloths,

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE.

GROCERIES

OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

Sugar, Coffee, Tea, spices, &c., and also Green Groceries and Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, &c. Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods. Heavy Goods delivered.

Also Agent for Howard County for Horner's celebrated Fertilizers, viz: Horner's Maryland Super-phosphate; Horner's Pure Dissolved Bone; Horner's Pure Bone Meal; Horner's Pure Bone Dust.

Farmers! Remember you run no risk in loading at D. Sprecher's as his Fertilizers are kept at a distance from the cars.

Furnished at the lowest possible rates. Store in former Union Hotel and Warehouse in yard of same.

Also Plaster and always keep on hand the best quality of *Lump White Wash Lime, Garden and Field Seeds* always on hand in season. Also Agent for the *Sweepstakes Thresher, Eclipse Engine*, Horse Powers, the *Hagerstown Wheat Guano and Seed Drill, Horse Rakes, Plows, Mastickators* and *Straw and Fodder Cutters*, &c.

March 14, '74-tf.

BIERLY BROS.,

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS

IN

BOOTS, SHOES

AND

GAITERS,

BOOTEES,

LADIES', MISSES' and CHILDREN'S

SHOES, &c., &c.

A large assortment kept constantly on hand. All Kinds of Light and Heavy Work, executed according to order. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call and examine at our Store on MAIN STREET, nearly opposite the Howard House.

Dec. 23, '71-tf.

J. W. LANKFORD,

TIN AND SHEET IRON WORKER,

ELLICOTT CITY, MD.

Roofing, Spouting and repairing of Stoves, Ranges and Furnaces, neatly and cheaply done.

☞SHOP nearly opposite TOWN HALL.

March 2, '78 3m.

CUCUMBER PUMPS!

THE undersigned has on hand a large supply of

CUCUMBER PUMPS

of all makes, including **Wilson's** celebrated Pump, which he offers for sale at Baltimore prices.

E. A. TALBOTT.
Jan 1 '73 tf.

NATHAN SHIPLEY,

LAND SURVEYOR.

Surveying at prices to suit the times.

P. O. ADDRESS,
COOKSVILLE, HOWARD COUNTY, MD.
Feb. 23, '78 3m.

FOR SALE.

A large lot of **PURE ANIMAL BONE** dissolved in Sulphuric Acid by J. J. Turner & Co.

E. A. TALBOTT.
Aug. 26-tf.

EMPIRE WRINGER price $8.00. Satisfaction guaranteed. Kept constantly on hand and for sale, at retail only, by

E. A. TALBOTT.

Hagerstown or Keller Drills with Hull's improved Fertilizer feed. Also the Buckeye Drill for sale by

D. SPRECHER.

MAGISTRATE'S AND CONSTABLE'S BLANKS of all kinds for sale at the TIMES OFFICE.

Just received a CHOICE lot of TIMOTHY SEED by

E. A. TALBOTT.

THE BALL PLOW, the best in use, for sale by

D. SPRECHER.

HORNER'S FERTILIZERS for sale by D. SHRECHER.

PRIME SEED OATS for sale by E. A. Talbott.

Ellicott City.

THOMAS H. HUNT,

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

BOOTS SHOES & NOTIONS, &c., &c., &c.

Respectfully informs the Public that he has constantly on hand a fine and well assorted Stock, embracing

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods, Cloths, Cassimeres, Cassinetts, Linen, Muslins, &c., &c.

Hardware, Drugs, Liquors, Cutlery, and a general assortment of Hardware.

☞*Country Produce bought and sold.*

CALL AND EXAMINE.

Jan. 1 '70 1y.

LIVERY STABLE!

Coal Yard!

FERTILIZER AGENCY!

JOSHUA W DORSEY,

☞OPPOSITE PATAPSCO HOTEL.☜

Sept. 5 '71 1y.

TAKE NOTICE.

GENTS' BOOTS Five Dollars to Six Dollars. Boys' Boots and Shoes

One Dollar to Two Dollars

LADIES' GAITERS $1 TO $2.50.

MOROCCO BOOTS $1.50 to $2.50.

Children's Boots 50 Cents to One Dollar and a Half.

SLIPPERS AT ALL PRICES AT

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Main St., near the Howard House.

July 5 '73 tf.

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Metallic and Wooden Coffins

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