CASTORIA

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

CASTORIA

THE BOYLESS TOWN.

A cross old woman of long ago
  Declared that she hated noise;
"The town would be so pleasant, you know
  If only there were no boys."
She scolded and fretted about it till
  Her eyes grew heavy as lead,
And then of a sudden, the town grew still,
  For all the boys had fled.

And all through the long and dusty street
  There wasn't a boy in view;
The base ball lot where they used to meet
  Was a sight to make one blue.
The grass was growing on every base,
  And the paths that the runners made;
For there wasn't a soul in all the place
  Who knew how the game was played.

The dogs were sleeping the livelong day—
  Why should they bark or leap?
There wasn't a whistle or call to play,
  And so they could only sleep.
The pony neighed from his lonely stall
  And longed for saddle and rein;
And even the birds on the garden wall
  Chirped only a dull refrain.

The cherries rotted and went to waste—
  There was no one to climb the trees;
And nobody had a single taste,
  Save only the birds and bees.
There wasn't a messenger boy—not one
  To speed as such messengers can;
When people wanted their errands done
  They sent for a messenger man.

There was little, I ween, of frolic and noise;
  There was less of cheer and mirth;
The sad old town, since it lacked its boys,
  Was the dreariest place on earth.
The poor old woman began to weep,
  Then woke with a sudden scream:
"Dear me!" she cried, "I have been asleep;
  And, oh, what a horrid dream!"

—Robert Clarkson Tongue in St. Nicholas.

THE TOWNS OF CRETE.

A writer in the St. Petersburg Viedomosti gives the following account of the towns of Crete: "Candia, Retimo, Khania, are of the 'Crete of the hundred towns,' the only three cities existing, and in using the word city every attenuation must be understood. Candia, situated at the mouth of a little river, the Geofiro, was built in the ninth century by the Saracens on the site of Heraklion, one of the ports of Cnossus. The distance between Cnossus and Candia is under an hour's walking, and in antiquity the two places were connected by walls, which recalled those between Piræus and Athens. In the time of Venetian sovereignty Candia enjoyed great prosperity.

Today its aspect its essentially Turkish on account of its houses, its mosque, its minarets and its bazaars, in which are exposed all the products of the east. It is surrounded by a bastioned wall, almost triangular in shape. Within there is another wall separating the old town from the new, the latter being nearer the river. The fortifications date from the Venetians. But war and earthquakes have left little or nothing of the city's ancient splendor. Tournefort has called it only the carcass of a city. Its chief monuments are the remains of the Church of St. Francis and the old Latin Cathedral of St. Titus. Its population is between 13,000 and 14,000, mostly Mussulmans. The port is protected by two moles, but the sand has been allowed to silt up so much that only very small vessels can enter. Its chief trade is with Triest, which takes from it raisins and oil in return for soap.

Khania comes next to Candia, with a population of 11,000 equally divided between Christians and Mohammedans. Khania is the ancient Cydonia. The modern town dates from 1252 and is the principal port of the island, the commercial capital and the residence of the foreign consuls. Not far from Khania is the admirable anchorage of Suda bay. Retimo, the third town, is 55 miles southwest of Candia. Its population is not above 3,000.

There are always small pieces of soap left in every household. Collect them, and add half their weight in oatmeal; now put your soap in a saucepan with a little water, to dissolve. Keep stirring till all is melted, then add the oatmeal, and when it is well mixed turn it out on to a piece of wood to cool. Divide it into small cakes with a sharp knife, and leave it three or four days to thoroughly set, before using.

The Mosque of St. Sophia, at Constantinople, was built over a thousand years ago, and the mortar used was perfumed with musk. The musky odor is still perceptible.

Tillage of Crops.

From Troy (N. Y.) Times.

All tillage of crops should be shallow. The time to go deep is when the ground is plowed in the fall. Deep tillage of a growing crop serves no good purpose whatever, while it is very injurious to the plants. It is folly to move the soil in which the roots of a plant are growing unless it is desired to check the growth of the plant. What is needed is intelligent shallow tillage. After every rain the crust that forms on the surface must be broken up, and any implement that runs one or two inches deep will accomplish that purpose. During a drought the surface of the soil gradually packs and forms a crust, and hence surface or shallow cultivation is as necessary as after a shower.

Shallow cultivation will destroy weeds quite as effectively as deep, while it can be done with less than a fourth of the labor. The time to destroy weeds is just when they appear above the surface. Thorough tillage includes the destruction of all weeds as soon as they appear. Neither weeds nor grass of any sort should be allowed to rob the soil of one atom of its fertility. This involves watchfulness and labor, but not hard labor if the right kind of tools are used and used in time.

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100 pairs Shoes and Slippers ⅓ to ½ the regular price. 10 to 15 pieces of Dress Goods, to go for half price. 1500 yards of best Calico at 5 cents. 1000 yards of good Gingham at 5 cents. We have a number of Jobs to close out, and if you will call we will soon convince you that our words are true and that we have the goods to deliver. Hats 5 and 10 cents, were 25 and 50 cents.

Come and see us and you will not regret it. Though we're thankful for past favors we hope to see you during the spring trade.

Coupons, given out until May 1st, 1897. Come and deal with with us and secure some of the prizes before closing the deal, as none will be given out after that date.

Respectfully,

ap-16-96 GEO. C. ANDERS

NOTICE.

I wish to inform the public that I have secured the assistance of Ex-Sheriff E. B. ARNOLD, of Smallwood, to sell my

FERTILIZER in that Section of the County.

I desire to say to my friends and patrons that my FERTILIZERS have given the best of satisfaction for eight years and my prices are in keeping with the times.

Yours respectfully,
CHARLES SCHAEFFER,
successor to H. S. Roberts & Co., manufacturers of High Grade Fertilizers,
ap-3-tf Westminster, Md.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Md., letters of Administration on the estate of

EPHRAIM BANKERT,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th day of December, 1897; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 4th day of May, 1897.

ANNA M. BANKERT,
my-8-4t Administratrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of

SAMUEL MATHIAS,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th of December, 1897; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 4th day of May, 1897.

JACOB L. MATHIAS,
my-8-4t Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

JAMES H. SHIPLEY,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 3rd of December, 1897; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of May, 1897.

FRANCIS W. SHIPLEY,
J. WILBER SHIPLEY,
my-8-4t Administrators.

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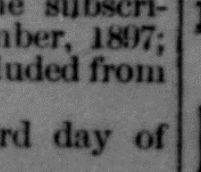

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This wheel is worth more than the price we ask for it, and we are willing to have you bring an expert machinist with you when you come to look at it, and we will abide by his decision. It is made of weldless steel tubing; connections—drop-forgings and selected steel, wheels—28-inch with selected Washburn & Moon piano wire spokes, hubs turned out of bar steel, bearings turned from bar stock and properly hardened, balls large size, cranks 6½ in. round, tapered; drop-forgings, tread 4½-in., sprockets—drop-forged front and detachable rear. Everything first-class. This is not what is termed a cheap wheel but a good wheel cheap. Come and look at it whether you wish to buy or not.

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Lot 2.—50c. Ladies' Fur Top House Slippers, sizes 4 to 8, worth 75c, at 50c.

Lot 3.—60c. Kangaroo Spring Heel, lace, sizes 6 to 8; Kangaroo Spring Heel, button, sizes 6 to 8; Goat Skin Spring Heel, button, sizes 6 to 8, worth $1.00, at 60c.

Lot 4.—63c. Misses' Dongola Sandals, sizes 12 to 2; Littleman's Buff Spring Heel, button, sizes 11 to 2, worth $1.00, at 65c.

Lot 5.—75c. Old Ladies' Comfort Congress Shoes, sizes 4 to 8; Misses' Kangaroo, lace, sizes 12 to 2; Misses' Goat Skin, button, sizes 12 to 2; Misses' Kangaroo, button, sizes 12 to 2; Boys' Kangaroo, lace, sizes 13 to 2, worth $1.25, at 75c.

Lot 6.—85c. Ladies' Kangaroo Shoes, 3 styles of toes, button, sizes 4 to 8; Ladies' Kangaroo Shoes, lace, sizes 3 to 8, worth $1.25, at 85c.

Lot 7.—$1.00. Ladies' Dongola, patent tip, button, sizes 3 to 8; Misses' Kangaroo Spring Heel, button and lace, sizes 11 to 2; Misses' Dongola Spring Heel, button, tip of same, sizes 13 to 2; Ladies' Dongola Common Sense Oxfords, sizes 3 to 8, worth $1.50, at $1.00.

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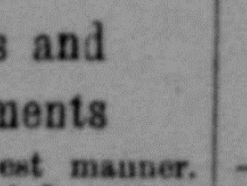

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MAIN LINE AND CONNEC

Taking effect Sunday, Feb. 21st, 1897

TRAINS WEST

LEAVE	1. A M *	11. AM. †	15. AM. †	23. PM. †	29. P M †	53. A M ‡	55. [illegible] ‡
New York Philadelphia							
Washington							
Baltimore	4.30	8.1	10.17	4.18	[illegible]	9.[illegible]	2.3[illegible]
Arlington		8.[illegible]	10.39	4.30	6.[illegible]	9.[illegible]	[illegible]
Mt. Hope		8.39	10.42	4.34	[illegible]	9.[illegible]	3 0[illegible]
Pikesville		8.[illegible]	10 49	4.[illegible]	6.[illegible]	10.[illegible]	[illegible]
Owings Mills		8 57	11.02	4.[illegible]	6 58	10.15	[illegible]
Glyndon	5.11	9.10	11.14	5 07	[illegible]	10.2[illegible]	3.31
Emory Grove		9 11	11.1		7. 0	10.2[illegible]	3.3[illegible]
Finksburg		9 20	11.2[illegible]	5.16	7.[illegible]	10.4	3. 7
Carrollton		9 37	11 3[illegible]	5.[illegible]	7 39	0.55	4 0
Westminster	5.4[illegible]	9 52	11 5	5.42	7 [illegible]	11.12	4.16
Avondale		9 59	12.0[illegible]	5.49	[illegible]	11.20	4.[illegible]
New Windsor	5.53	10.10	12.1[illegible]	6 01	[illegible]	11.33	4.[illegible]
Linwood		10.15	12.16	6 06	[illegible]	11.40	4.45
Union Bridge	6.00	10.20	12 20	6 12	[illegible]	11.45	4.50
Middleburg		10.27	P M.	6 1[illegible]	M	AM.	P M.
Bruceville	6 [illegible]	10.29		6.20			
D. P. Creek		10.33		6.[illegible]			
Rocky Ridge		10.40		6.[illegible]			
Thurmont	6.25	10.53		6.46			
Edgemont	7.05	11.4[illegible]		7.[illegible]			
Waynesboro	†7 30	12.09		7.51			
Chambersb'g	†8 1	12:[illegible]		8 27			
Shippensburg	†						
Hagerstown Williamsport	7.30	12 15		8.[illegible]			
	AM	P M.		PM			

Passengers for and from Cherry Run, Williamsport, P. V. and intermediate points, from and for stations east of Hagerstown change at Hagerstown.

EMMITSBURG R. R. Trains East will leave Emmittsburg daily, except Sundays at [illegible] and 10.00 A. M. and 2.55 and 4.[illegible]0 P. M., arriving Rocky Ridge at 8.20 and 10.3[illegible] A. M. and 3.[illegible]5 and 5 20 P. M. Trains west will leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at [illegible] and 10.[illegible]0 A. M. and 3 [illegible]1 and 6.3[illegible] P. M., arriving at Emmitsburg 8.56 and 11.10 A. M. and 4 01 and [illegible] P. M.

FREDERICK DIVISION PENNSYLVANIA R. R. (Daily except Sunday.)—Trains for Frederick leave Bruceville at 8 38 A. M. and 9 5[illegible] and 10 40 A. M. and 5.24 and 6 25 P. M. Trains for Taneytown, Littlestown and leave Bruceville 8.50 A. M., and for Wrightsville and intermediate points at 3.45 P. M.

Through Trains for Hanover and Gettysburg and points on Baltimore and Harrisburg Division leave Baltimore daily, except Sunday, at 7.[illegible]2 A. M. and 3.32 P. M. Through cars for Gettysburg and intermediate points leave Baltimore also daily, except Sunday at 10.17 A. M.

J. M. HOOD, General Manager.
B. H. GRISWOLD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

TRAINS EAST.

LEAVE	22. P M *	4. AM. †	8. AM †	12. P M †	18. P M †	52. A M ‡	[illegible] ‡
Williamsport Hagerstown	4 15		7.02		2.[illegible]7		
Shippensburg			6.00		1 25		
Chamb'rsburg			6.31		1 [illegible]0		
Waynesboro			7.05		2 19		
Edgemont	4 40		7.36		[illegible]41		
Thurmont	5.16		8.1[illegible]		3.[illegible]1		
Rocky Ridge			8.26		3.31		
D. P. Creek			8 3[illegible]		3.38		
Bruceville	5.[illegible]8		8.37		3.44	6.45	
Middleburg			8.39		3.46	6.47	
Union Bridge	5.45	6.0[illegible]	8.45	12 [illegible]0	3.[illegible]5	6 5[illegible]	4 [illegible]5
Linwood		6.11	8.49	[illegible]4	4 [illegible]0	7 02	4 [illegible]9
New Windsor	5.52	6.20	8.54	2 59	4 [illegible]6	7 [illegible]9	4 15
Avondale		6 3[illegible]		[illegible]9	4 17	[illegible]	[illegible]6
Westminster	6 06	6.47	9.11	[illegible]16	[illegible]	3	[illegible]
Carrollton		7.05	9.2	[illegible]	9		4.[illegible]9
Finksburg		7.[illegible]0	9.3	1 41	4 [illegible]1	[illegible]4	5 [illegible]3
Emory Grove		7.3[illegible]		1 5[illegible]	5.[illegible]0	8 5	5.[illegible]5
Glyndon	6.35	7.40	9.43	1 51	5.[illegible]1	8.2[illegible]	5.1[illegible]
Owings Mills	6.44	7.52	9.52	2.[illegible]1	5.1	8.33	5.[illegible]9
Pikesville		8.03	10.0[illegible]	2.1[illegible]	5 25	[illegible]43	5.40
Mt Hope		8.11	10.05	2.18	5 [illegible]3	[illegible]12	5 [illegible]8
Arlington		8.14	10.[illegible]7	2 21	5 [illegible]6	[illegible]5	[illegible]1
Baltimore	7.17	[illegible].40	10.27	2.42	5 59	[illegible]20	6.[illegible]5
Washington							
Philadelphia New York							
	P M.	AM.	A M	P M.	P M	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Sunday.

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