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SMALL FRUITS
AND FRUIT TREES.

I HAVE a limited stock of the following SMALL FRUITS and FRUIT TREES, that I now offer at as low a price as can be bought of any reliable nurseryman:

DWARF PEARS—Dutchesse D'Angouleme, Louise Bon. D'Jersey, Beurre Giffard, Beurre Easter.

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The above stock I will guarantee to be as good if not better than can be found in any nursery. For price, &c., call on or address

R. S. EMORY,
sep18-6t. Chestertown.

Bulbs for Fall Planting.

THE following, imported direct from Van Waveren & Co., Haarlem, Holland, will be ready Sept. 15th, 1869:

HYACINTHS—double and single, named and unnamed of all colors and prices.

TULIPS—Double, Single, Parrott & Bizard.

CROCUS—of all colors.

IRIS—Hispanica and Anglica.

ANEMONES—double and single.

RANUNCULUS.

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS—named varieties.

IXIAS and CROWN IMPERIALS.

As the stock of some varieties is quite limited orders, accompanied with cash, will be received and filed, to be filled in rotation as received.

All roots of the best variety. Prices on application. Also, a fine stock of Plants for window culture in winter. Boquets and baskets of cut flowers prepared at short notice.

W. F. MASSEY,
aug21-tf. Queen St. Garden.

LOOK AT YOUR DRILLS
AND SEE WHAT THEY NEED.

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT

ARE NOW READY to repair Grain Drills of all kinds. They have on hand all extras for the Bickford & Hoffman, from a Driving Wheel down to the smallest piece. Steel Points and Brushes inserted at short notice. We also give especial attention to re-leathering Funnels with oil-tanned leather.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention and carefully sent as directed.

As we furnish the repairs for Drills at a small per cent. the cash will be required in all cases

BLACKSMITHING, of all kinds, done at short notice, and in the best manner.

ag28a3m. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

COAL FOR SALE.

I WILL FURNISH COAL AS CHEAP as can be sold in this place the coming season. If I do not those who subscribe will not be required to buy. Having been in the Coal trade for several years, and intending to have a large supply on hand for the coming season, we think we can supply, and will supply all subscribers as cheap as they can buy.

Having been well patronised, and thankful for the past, we solicit a renewal of your patronage, and will guarantee to give entire satisfaction to all who may buy from us.

I am the only one that keeps a YARD. I know that there are those who have a load or two to make all they can out of it, without regard to the accommodation of the public generally. I want, and if liberally patronized will keep a supply on hand for all who may wish to purchase.

WM. H. HAMILTON,
jy17-tf. Chestertown.

Notice to Farmers AND HORSEMEN.

YOU CAN BE SUPPLIED AT THE
"PEOPLE'S HARNESS STORE,"
with everything in my line of business at CITY PRICES. We have a fine stock of

NEW HARNESS

now on hand, which we are selling at very low figures. A good stock of

SADDLES

which I can guarantee. BITTS of all styles, and SPURS of all kinds.

We also keep the best assortment of Wagon and Plough COLLARS in the County.

My stock consists, not merely of a few articles, but an assortment of everything connected with this business. Give me a call.

REPAIRING done in the best manner, and at the shortest notice.

JOHN F. HOWARD,
Oct. 24. Opposite the Court House

Please Take Notice!

THE undersigned earnestly requests all persons indebted to him to make immediate settlement, as he is greatly in need of money at this time. He hopes this appeal will be promptly responded to, and that no harsh measures will be required to enforce settlement in any case. Payment in all cases is desired by the 25th of September, or the 1st of October next at the latest. JOHN F. HOWARD.

Aug. 28, 1869—5t*

Newark Academy,
NEWARK, DELAWARE.

PROF. EDW. D. PORTER, A. M., PRINCIPAL

A first-class Mathematical, Classical & Scientific

BOARDING SCHOOL

FOR BOYS AND YOUNG MEN,

will commence its one hundred and first Academic year September 1st, 1869.

For full information send for Circular.

July 31, 1869—3m.

West Nottingham Academy.

ONE mile from Colora Station, on Phila. and Balt. Central Rail Road. Location healthy. The course of study extensive, embracing Classics, Mathematics, Modern Languages and Commercial course.

Surveying taught practically.

Expenses for board, tuition and washing for school year of ten months in English, $200.

Send for a Catalogue to

REV. S. A. GAYLEY, A. M.,
PRINCIPAL,
jy31-2m. Colora, Cecil county, Md.

EDWIN CROUCH, JR.,
MILLINGTON, MD.,

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF
Schuylkill Lime,

Delivered at any landing on Sassafras or Chester Rivers. mh6-tf.

CARRIAGE WHIPS of all kinds and lengths, of the best quality. The goods warranted as represented; an assortment equal to a City establishment, just received at the "People's Store." WM. A. VICKERS.

Twilley, Joshua T
Trew, Wm G
Thomas, Henry M
Taylor, Thomas
Trew, Philip E
Trew, Thomas B
Trew, Joseph S
Taylor, Samuel
Toulson, Thomas W
Thompson, James H
Thomas, J Evan
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Trew, Bartus
Thomas, Kinsey
Taylor, James F
Titter, George W
Turbert, Samuel D
Thomas, Richard S
Taylor, Alexander
Thomas, Wm A
Thompson, James T
Turkheimer, Moses
Toulson, John W
Urie, Wm T
Usilton, Richard S
Usilton, Henry C
Usilton, Wm B
Usilton, John N
Usilton, Albert L
U
Usilton, Samuel S
Usilton, John C
Urian, Howard T
Usilton, Gustavus L
Usilton, Washington R
Vanhorn, Louis V
Vannort, Wm
Vandegrift, John
Vannort, Wm J
Vickers, George
Vickers, Wm A
V
Vickers, Harrison W
Vernon, John A
Vickers, James M
Vandyke, James M
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CHESTERTOWN, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1869. No. 20.

REAL ESTATE.

BY VIRTUE of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, sitting in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at PUBLIC SALE

ON TUESDAY,
The Twenty-eighth of September, 1869,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
at the "Voshell House" in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland,

THE FARM

situate in Quaker Neck, in said county, usually known as the

HIRAM BROWN HOME FARM,

and of which the late Cornelius C. Brown died seized.

This farm is most advantageously LOCATED ON CHESTER RIVER, at the head of Comegy's Bite, and the North East Branch of Langford's Bay. It contains

283 Acres of Land,
MORE OR LESS,

about two hundred and forty acres of which are arable, and the residue is in

WOOD AND TIMBER,

with a narrow fringe of Marsh on the Water courses. The soil is good, and has been improved by the use of lime and clover.

The situation is desirable, being convenient to Schools, Churches, &c.; is within eight miles of Chestertown, and not more than three and a half miles from the Public Steamboat Landing on Chester River, and with these are combined all the advantages of our most favored water situations, such as Landings on the farm, proximity to Fishing Grounds, Oyster Beds and Ducking Points.

The Improvements

ARE A TWO-STORY
FRAME DWELLING,
with a Kitchen attached, and the usual OUT-BUILDINGS all in good order.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms of sale prescribed by the Decree are as follow:—The purchase money to be paid in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

RICHARD HYNSON, Trustee.

N. B.—The Trustee, by direction of the decree for the sale of the real estate of the late Cornelius C. Brown, hereby notifies his creditors to file their claims, with the vouchers thereof, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, within four months from the day of sale of the said estate.

R. HYNSON, Trustee.

Sept. 4, 1869—tds.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT Trustee's Sale.

UNDER a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in Equity, the undersigned as Trustee will offer at Public Sale

ON WEDNESDAY,
The Twenty-ninth of September, 1869,
At Eleven o'clock, A. M.,
at the Hotel in Kennedyville, in Kent County, Maryland,

THE VERY DESIRABLE ESTATE

OF THE LATE WM. HENRY PRICE, SITUATED IN SAID COUNTY.

This Estate is called

"STONETON,"

and is most eligibly located on Sassafras river, within two miles of Betterton Wharf or Landing on said river, from which there is a daily communication by steamers to and from the cities of Baltimore and Philadelphia. It contains at least

283 ACRES.

About 220 acres are arable, and the balance is in Wood, Timber and Marsh.

The soil in its natural quality and fertility will bear a most favorable comparison with the best and most desirable lands in this county, and is now in good heart; and well adapted to grain, grass, fruit and vegetables.

This estate offers rare inducements to purchasers, having a natural soil, than which there is none better, and a ready, safe and cheap access to the markets of Baltimore and Philadelphia, nor is without the other advantages of our most desirable water situations; proximity to the fine ducking and fishing grounds on the Susquehanna and Sassafras Rivers. Lloyd's Creek Bar, famous for its fine Canvass Back and Red Head Shooting, is a part of this estate. It is also convenient to places of public worship, &c., and not far from the growing and flourishing villages of Still Pond and Kennedyville. To the latter village the Kent County Railroad will be completed within the next two months. The neighborhood is healthy, and distinguished for its enterprise and hospitality.

THE IMPROVEMENTS
are a Frame
DWELLING

of two stories, with a Kitchen attached, the necessary Out-buildings, and several Tenant Houses—all in good order. A PEACH AND APPLE ORCHARD in bearing, and an excellent Shad and Herring Fishery.

TERMS OF SALE:

These are the terms of sale prescribed by the decree: $2,000 to be paid on the day of sale, or on the final ratification of the sale; the residue in four equal annual instalments from the day of sale—to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

RICHARD HYNSON, *Trustee.*

Sept. 4, 1869—tds.

PHOTOGRAPHIC PORTRAITS.

I HAVE FITTED UP A

PHOTOGRAPHIC ATELEIR,

On the Corner of Main and Front Sts.,
CHESTERTOWN,

Furnished with the most complete set of Apparatus to be found in any establishment in this State.

CAMERAS from the size of the smallest Miniature to full life size.

Having spared neither money nor pains in fitting up my rooms, I am prepared to make SUPERIOR PICTURES in every style of the art, and at a reasonable price.

A large number of Pictures constantly on exhibition. Call and see them.

sep4-3m. R. C. CRAWFORD.

Valuable Farm AT PRIVATE SALE.

MR. JESSE WILSON will sell at private sale his Farm in Kent county, Maryland. It adjoins the lands of Mr. Wm. Cochran and James W. Greenwood, and contains about

155 ACRES.

All but about six acres are arable. There is no waste land upon it. It is divided into four fields, two Peach Orchards and an Apple Orchard. The improvements are good and sufficient for the purposes of the farm. It is one of the most desirable and advantageously located farms in Kent county

For further particulars consult R. HYNSON, Esq., Mr. Wilson's attorney, Chestertown, Md.

Sept. 11, 1869—3t.

FOR SALE.

OWING to business requiring my presence in another State, I will offer my FARM at private sale. It is situated on the Kent shore of Chesapeake Bay, between Worton and Fairlee Creeks, nearly opposite Poole's Island, and about eight miles from Chestertown.

The Farm contains

389 ACRES OF CHOICE LAND,

well improved. A fine modern built BRICK HOUSE of eleven rooms, large Hall, front and rear Porches. Two Tenant Houses, two large Granaries, Stabling for eleven horses, and Shedding for thirty head of stock.

A PEACH ORCHARD

of Selected fruit, containing

9,800 THRIFTY TREES,

now two years old. The FARM STOCK and IMPLEMENTS, which are all new, will be sold separate or together on liberal terms.

sep4-4t. WM. OVEREND.

A VALUABLE FARM —AT— PUBLIC SALE.

AS ATTORNEY FOR WM. T WALLIS, the undersigned, on

WEDNESDAY,
The Twenty-ninth of September, 1869,

at 12 o'clock A. M., at the hotel in Kennedyville, Kent county, Maryland, will offer at public sale his farm in said county.

This farm contains

137½ Acres of Land,

nearly all arable. The soil is naturally good, and has been made very productive by the use of lime, clover and plaster, and is well adapted to grain, fruit and vegetables, and also to clover and other grasses. It is divided in five fields, and two lots of six acres each. Each field is well watered, except the one near the house. All the fencing is good.

THE IMPROVEMENTS are a

Peach Orchard of 2,000 Trees.

one year old, which have been carefully selected from the most approved and saleable varieties; FIFTY APPLE TREES in bearing, and a good selection of Cherries Grapes, &c.

THE BUILDINGS

are nearly new and in good order. The Dwelling is frame and two stories, with three rooms, a Hall and Pantry on the first floor, and four rooms on the second, and a garret room. The Out-buildings are amply sufficient for all the purposes of the farm.

This farm is most eligibly located, being convenient to Churches, Schools, Mills, &c. It lies directly on the Stage road from Middletown to Chestertown, within a mile of the growing village of Kennedyville, where a depot on the Kent County Railroad has been located, which road is now under construction, and will be completed to that point in a few months. It is also convenient to Steamboat Landings on the Sassafras and Chester rivers, and to other important points in the county.

This farm is positively for sale, and will be sold on liberal terms in order to secure a fair price. They will be made known on the day of sale.

RICHARD HYNSON,
Attorney for Wm. T. Wallis.

Chestertown, Sep. 4—ts.

FOR SALE.

Two Farms in Middlesex Co., Va.,

Lying on the Rappahannock River,

CONTAINING 500 ACRES EACH.

The arable land of each farm is about 250 acres, all under good fence, and first quality River lands. Soil loamy and particularly adapted to Fruit Trees and Truck.

The Improvements

on one Farm are of the amplest kind—on the other there is a House of three rooms, and a large new Barn. All the arable land has been marled from beds on the property. These farms will be sold separately or jointly on reasonable terms, and at low figures. For particulars apply to

J. L. SMITH,
Locust Hill P. O., Middlesex county, Va.

Aug. 21, 1869—6t*

Festival! Festival! Festival!

GUIDING STAR LODGE, No. 79, I. O. of G. T., will open at their Hall in Still Pond, a FESTIVAL of three days duration, commencing Sept. 30th, at 6 o'clock, P. M., with a grand Instrumental and Vocal Concert—for this the services of a Gentleman and Lady of musical profession have been secured, with the assistance of the accomplished singers of Still Pond Choir.

The tables will be bountifully supplied with all of the substantials and delicacies of the season; such as Meats, Oysters, Ice-Cream, Cakes, Confectionery, Fruits, &c.

There will be every effort on the part of Managers and Members to make this one of the most interesting entertainments of the season.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Bring the children with you, as there will be much to interest them.

All Lodges of I. O. of G. T. in this and adjoining Counties are respectfully invited. We desire each to be represented by committee if not otherwise.

NOTICE.—The members of Guiding Star Lodge, No. 79, I. O. of G. T., are all earnestly requested to attend promptly at each regular meeting night, as business of importance requires it. J. F. WILSON, Sec'y.

Sept. 18, 1869—2t.

Kent County, to wit:

I hereby certify that Jas. White of Kent Co., brought before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for Kent county, this 13th of Sept., 1869, one WHITE SOW and ten Pigs, without flesh marks; one BARROW SHOAT with crop and slit in the right ear. Given under my hand. JAS. GRAVES, J. P.

NOTICE.—The owner or owners of the said Hogs are requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away.

sep18-3t. JAMES WHITE.

A DESIRABLE FARM AT TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a Court of Equity, the undersigned as Trustee will offer at Public Sale to the highest bidder, on

TUESDAY,
The Twelfth day of October, 1869,

at 11 o'clock, M., at the "Voshell House," in Chestertown, the FARM of Thomas A. Meredith, lying on Chester River, containing

186 ACRES,

TWO ROODS & ELEVEN PERCHES

adjoining the lands of William T. Spry and J. F. Newnam, Esqs. The soil is good and adapted to the different kinds of grain, and a portion good for truck. About one third new land.—Grass and clover grows finely. The land has all been limed.

This Farm has many advantages. It is

SITUATED ON CHESTER RIVER

and has on it a

Fine Fishing Shore

AND THREE LANDINGS.

It is about two and a half miles from Chesterville; three miles from the Railroad Depot at Millington, and two miles from Crumpton, convenient to Schools, Churches, &c.

A Peach Orchard of 500 Trees,

well selected and seven years old.

There are five fields, under fair ordinary fencing, and sufficient Timber for fencing.

THE DWELLING

is a good one-story Frame, in good condition, with two rooms below and two above. A good Kitchen is attached. There is a Stable, Corn House and Granary. Mr. Thos. A. Meredith, who resides on the farm, will shew it to whoever may call.

THE TERMS OF SALE:

One-half cash on the day of sale; or in sixty days, at the option of the Trustee; one-fourth on the first day of January next, and the balance on the first day of January, 1871, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with security to be approved by the Trustee.

GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee.

Chestertown, Sept. 18, 1869—ts.

[Middletown Transcript copy 1awtds.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned will expose to public sale at the Voshell House in Chestertown on

TUESDAY,
The Twelfth day of October, 1869,

at Eleven o'clock A. M.,

all that Farm lying in Worton, containing

57 Acres, 1 Rood and 24 Perches.

The soil is good, and produces well. There are 500 Peach Trees in full bearing, and 400 set out last spring; 50 Apple Trees, three years old.

THE DWELLING

is in ordinary condition. The Out-buildings are about 4 years old. This property adjoins the lands of Dr. Thomas G. Wroth, John Gale, Esq., and others. It lies about one mile from Worton Heights, and is convenient to Churches, Schools, Post Office and Mills, and is about six miles from Chestertown. There is a fine well of drinking water on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE:

The terms of sale are—one-third cash or in sixty days; the balance in six and twelve months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale,—payable in two equal instalments.

The tenant, Mr. George Fowler, will show the premises. The terms may be modified.

GEORGE VICKERS, TRUSTEE.

Chestertown, Sept. 18, 1869—ts.

[Cecil Democrat copy tds.]

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF Real Estate.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, sitting in equity, the undersigned as Trustee, will offer at Public sale on

TUESDAY,
The Twelfth day of October, 1869,

at 12½ o'clock P. M., at the Voshell House in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, a small tract or parcel of land, situated about one quarter of a mile from Urieville in said county, on the main road from Urieville to Lynch's Corner, and adjoining lands of John Lusby, Miss Susan Raymond and others, and containing

37 ACRES,

2 Roods and 37 Perches,

more or less, and being a part of the land of which Joseph Cotton died seized.

TERMS OF SALE, prescribed by the decree are as follows—The purchase money to be paid in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with security to be approved by the Trustee.

GEORGE VICKERS, TRUSTEE.

Chestertown, Sept. 18, 1869—ts.

FALL MILLINERY.

MISSES MIDDLETON & WYATT respectfully inform their customers that they have just returned from the city with a beautiful assortment of Fall Millinery, which they will sell at the lowest prices. The Ladies will please call and examine.

Chestertown, Sept. 18—tf.

LOST, on the 11th instant, on the road between Chestertown and the head of Still Pond Creek, most probably at the latter place, a bundle of papers, consisting of notes, bills, receipts, &c. The finder will confer a great favor by returning them to me.

s18-3t. JOHN W. RASIN, Chestertown.

TO RENT, at Harmony, Kent county, Md., for the year 1870, a NEW STORE and DWELLING HOUSE attached. It is a good business stand. Also, a BLACKSMITH SHOP and DWELLING.

Apply to WM. ARCHIBALD.

Sept. 18, 1869—3t*

FOR SALE, A YOKE OF SUPERIOR OXEN, well broken, and a VERY FINE HORSE four years old next Spring.

JOHN W. HADAWAY,
Sept. 11—3t. Broad Neck.

How They Had Him.

When I was young and tender too,
I had to mind and had to do
Whatever mother bade me;
She used to have a walnut stick
Which kept me on the double quick,
And there was where she had me.

When older grown and quite a beau
Among the girls, I used to know
A Miss Priscilla Cadmy;
And with the help of smiles and nods
I fell in love at forty rods,
And there was where she had me.

When I was older, say sixteen,
I thought it time to have a queen,
And asked her if she'd wed me;
She said she didn't much object,
Or words to something that effect,
And there was where she had me.

But when to make the matter straight,
I went up to negotiate
Affairs with Colonel Cadmy,
He said he "didn't care to sell,"
He told me I might go to—Well,
And there was where he had me.

I drowned my sorrow in the cup
Until I got my dander up,
(I couldn't have been madder,)
When she proposed that we be one
In spite of pa—the thing was done,
And there was where I had her.

Two lovely urchins on my knee
I'm proud to say belong to me,
(That is to me and madam;)
For when we left our native sod,
We spent a year or two abroad—
And there was where we had 'em.

IDLE WORDS.

An idle word: it has passed from the lips of the speaker, and is forgotten, but its influence still lives. Little did the thoughtless speaker imagine that the careless word so lightly spoken would cause such bitter sorrow; that months, nay years afterwards, when the heart is longing for human sympathy, it would be recalled and cause many a silent tear to flow. The pebble suddenly thrown into the still waters of the placid lake, causes the ripples to widen and extend long after it has sunk from sight. So with the idle word; it sinks into our heart, but its influence may be felt in all our after life. Kind and gentle words; they fall upon the heart like dew upon the earth, calling into life all the nobler impulses of our being. Let us, then, strive to cultivate what Sterne calls the "sweet, small courtesies of life." In the social circle, and around the domestic hearth, let kind and gentle words be breathed, banishing discord, and diffusing only light, and love, and joy. Let the sorrowing and afflicted ones of earth be cheered, and their pathway brightened by pure words of sympathy and love. Win the thoughtless and the wayward from the tangled paths of error, and point them to a purer and higher life. "Kind words can never die." Scatter them lavishly on every hand, and like bread cast upon the waters, "ye shall find it after many days." Let us be watchful that no careless word of ours shall give another pain, but let us so live that when the golden links of friendship are broken one by one, and our loved ones pass from sight, to the better shore of the spirit land, we may not be saddened by the memory of words unkindly spoken.

"I DON'T CARE."—Yes you do, and there's no use trying to deceive yourself with the sophistry of these words. The best and noblest, truest and most generous part of your nature does care for the cutting, unkind words you have uttered to one that you loved, in a moment of pique. You may carry yourself ever so proudly and elegantly; you may never drop a look or word of the sweet dew of healing on the wound you have made, in a nature as proud, as sensitive as your own; but to your honor be it said, you are better than your words, and away down in your heart lurks shame and repentance and sorrow for them. You may carefully hide them both, and in a while they will be gone; for oh! it is very easy to make one's self bitter and proud and cold—very hard to keep one's self sweet and mellow and charitable; but there must be some struggling before you can do a mean and ungenerous thing to one who loves you, and have your heart endorse your "I don't care."

ALL ABOUT DIMPLES.—Dimples are the perpetual smiles of Nature—the very cunningest device and lurking place of Love. When the earth is dimpled by hills and valleys, it always seems to laugh; when the ocean is dimpled by the breeze, it sparkles with joy beneath the sunshine of Heaven. We cannot look for frowns on a dimpled face; frowns and dimples will not associate together. How very soft, how roguish, how beautiful are the dimples in the elbows and shoulders, the pretty hands and the feet of the rosy babe. Mothers dote upon those darling dimples, and delight to kiss them. But perfectly enchanting dimples, at least to the eyes of an enthusiastic young man, are those which come peeping out of the cheeks, around the mouth of "sweet seventeen," when sweet seventeen essays some archprovoking sally, peeping out and flying away the moment after, coming and going with the most bewitching coquetry.

GOOD-NATURED PEOPLE.—Be good-natured if you can, for there is no attraction so great, no charm so admirable. A face that is full of the expression of amiability is always beautiful. It needs no paint and no powder. Cosmetics are superfluous for it. Rouge cannot improve its cheeks, nor lily-white mend its complexion. Its loveliness lies beyond all this. It is not the beauty that is but skin deep.

Two Englishmen travelled three days together in a stage-coach without exchanging a word. On the fourth day one of them ventured to remark that it was a fine morning. "And who said it wasn't?" was the reply.

EXCITING SCENE—*Chasing a Suicidal Sweetheart.*—A young lady who lives on the Heights, in Cleveland, recently attempted to commit suicide by drowning, but was prevented from doing so by the person whom she charged with being a base deceiver. The knowledge of a rival excited jealous feelings in her bosom.—She declared she would drown herself.—Meeting the object of her affection, she told him of her resolution, and then demanded a positive answer as to his future intentions. Feeling inclined to test her affection, the answer of the young man was very unsatisfactory. The conversation occurred in the road and near the river, as he was coming from work in the evening. Maddened by the evident intention of the young man to give evasive answers, she repeated her threat about jumping into the river, and started down the hill, toward the Central way bridge, as though she was deeply in earnest. She never looked back, doubtless thinking such an act would weaken her courage and strengthen the apparent incredulity of the man. He finally concluded that she meant "business," and hastened after her, reaching the river just in time to save her from a good ducking, and probably death. As she approached the water, each successive step was made with greater velocity than the preceding one. Several persons were attracted to the spot by the unusual sight of a woman running at full speed, followed by a man, and it was from one of the spectators that this version of the story was obtained. He states that both were well nigh exhausted by the run, and the man, who was disposed to treat the affair lightly at first was the most serious looking of the two. The girl, of course, was taken towards home, stopping at Hart's drug store on the way, with the young man, to get a glass of soda water, cool off, and arrange her disheveled hair and apparel. She is a good girl and belongs to a well-to do family. A reconciliation took place in the drug store, and we expect ere long to see a marriage notice of two familiar names on the Heights.—*Cleveland (Ohio) Plaindealer.*

GOOD EXAMPLES.—A paragraph is going the rounds of the papers to the effect that one of Commodore Vanderbilt's daughter's has actually condescended to teach her daughter how to mend stockings.—There is no doubt that the lady in question is a woman of good sense, who is aware that riches are particularly liable to take wings and fly away from American holders, but where the wonderful condescension comes in, remarks the Cincinnati Gazette, we cannot see. Every male member of the royal house of Prussia is obliged to learn a trade, that he may be able to support himself should want overtake him; Queen Victoria's daughters are said to be proficient in all departments of housekeeping. In the eyes of those silly females whose ideas of happiness is concentrated on the possession and profuse expenditure of money, all knowledge of the kitchen and the needle may seem vulgar, but every sensible person must know that it is just as becoming a man to boast of his entire unacquaintance with business and manly pursuits as for a woman to effect contempt for, and ignorance of the duties of her peculiar sphere. It would be well if those who are astonished at the homely industry of the Vanderbilts would learn a practical lesson from their example.

MR. SEWARD IN OREGON.—The Hon. Wm. H. Seward and party left Portland, Oregon, on the 10th instant, for San Francisco. A reception was tended him by the citizens of Portland, and Mr. S. responded in a brief speech, which is thus referred to:

"He denominated California the commercial centre, Washington Territory and Alaska the prospective ship-yards, and Oregon the future granary and workshop of the Pacific coast. He referred to the loss of the nation by the death of Secretary Rawlins, and said he was distinguished by honorable and effective services in the late civil war, and had just entered upon a civil career which promised to be equally brilliant and useful. He paid a high tribute to the memory of the late Senator Fessenden, long his compatriot in the Senate of the United States and in the cabinet. He said his most cherished hope was that the intercourse between the States of the Union would henceforth be conducted with moderation and harmony, and that the foreign relations of the United States would continue to be guided with the dignity and justice required for the advancement of civilization throughout the world.

OUR CORNUCOPŒIA.

1776 and 1869.

1776.

Farmer at the plough,
Wife milking cow,
Daughter spinning yarn,
Son threshing in the barn,
All happy to a charm.
And all dues settled.

1869.

Farmer gone to see the show,
Daughter at the piano,
Madame gaily dressed in satin,
All the boys learning Latin,
With a mortgage on the farm,
And all dues unsettled.

SELFISHNESS is poverty—it is the utter destitution of a human being. It can bring nothing to his relief; adds soreness to sorrow; sharpens his pains; aggravates all the losses he is liable to endure; and when goaded to extremes, often turns destroyer, and strikes its last blows on himself.

"BOB how is your sweetheart getting a long?" "Pretty well, she says I needn't come any more."

PRESIDENT GRANT'S POPULARITY.—The gradual decline of President Grant in American opinion is noteworthy, for there is little evidence of any strong political reason. He is very lenient to Conservatives, but that may be wise; and he has failed to oust the politicians by trade, but that may not be his fault; and he writes rather indiscreet letters, but the letters are sound enough in principle. Nevertheless, it is certain that, for some reason not quite perceptible over here, *a tone of contempt toward the President is becoming apparent in both parties.* The idea seems to be that he is a bored man, who does not care about politics at all, but wants to be amused, and is not amused by incessant receptions of office-seekers, and people intent on giving advice, and financiers who worry him about questions he knows nothing about. That state of mind is quite intelligible—it was Napoleon's, for instance, always—but there seems to be something else. Is it possible—the idea looks absurdly inconsistent with his career, but still it is expressed in quarters not given to railing—that Gen. Grant is when not called on for real work, just a little frivolous?—*London Spectator.*

TERRIBLE CONDITION OF SPAIN.—The correspondent of the *Pall Mall Gazette,* who writes from Barcelona, declares that the Spaniards are utterly disgusted with their system of justice, and will remedy it, if no other remedy is obtained, by lynch law. Even criminal justice is corrupt, men lingering out their lifes waiting for trial, because the judge will not admit them to bail without a bribe. In Andalusia, a kind of territorial socialism prevails, produced by overgrown estates and absentee landlordism. Four men own most of the province, and the biggest of them lives his life in St. Petersburg.—Brigandage is beginning to prevail everywhere. Prim has ordered all Generals to shoot Carlists, and has pardoned two officers who murdered nine persons who had fowling pieces, but were not resisting or attacking in any way. Add that the treasury is insolvent, the parties without leaders, and the trees coming down so fast that there is drought every three years, and our readers may have a faint idea of the state of Spain. It is the red revolution which is coming there.

THE LARGEST VINEYARD IN THE WORLD.—California claims to have, in the Buena Vista estate, near Sonoma, the largest vineyard in the world. Some of the most noted vineyards in Europe do not exceed twenty or thirty, or sixty or seventy acres. The Buena Vista has 800 acres suitable to the vine, and 450 acres actually covered now. There are on the estate some vines planted thirty years ago, but the bulk of them were set out from 1854 to 1858, and additions have been made every year since. This year the grape crop is light. The vintage season will begin in mid October and continue nearly to the end of November, during which time this estate will employ about a hundred men: Chinamen, of course. California champagne is the principal manufacture of this vineyard, and the inventory of last November showed a stock of 126,000 gallons of sparkling wines, with 40,000 bottles of champagne, on hand at that time.

GO TO FARMING.—A good living is what comparatively few men succeed in making in village or city life, and yet nothing is more easy of accomplishment on the farm. Besides, there is a pleasure in cultivating and embellishing the earth, improving and increasing its products, thus adding to the aggregate of human happiness. Why, then, should young men hesitate to be farmers? It is both profitable and honorable. It is the nearest approximation to independence that man, as a member of society, can make. A gentleman farmer—and all farmers are, or should be, gentlemen—belongs to an order of nobility that is not indebted to place holders for its installation, and may if he chooses, be ranking among the greatest benefactors of the human race. Let all idle young men go to work on farms, and quit seeking third or fourth rate clerkships. In short go to farming and quit begging.

HAVE COURAGE.—Do not lose your faith in human excellence, because your confidence has been sometimes betrayed, nor believe that friendship is only a delusion, and love a bright phantom which glides away from your grasp. Do not think that you are fated to be miserable because you are disappointed in your expectations, and baffled in your pursuit. Let no chilling influence freeze up the fountains of sympathy and happiness in its depths; no cold burden settle over its withered hopes like snow on the faded flowers, no rude blasts of discontent mar and shriek through its desolated chambers.

A LARGE FORTUNE.—A Miss Grey, of Washington county, N. Y., a milliner, thirty years old, was engaged to a young Englishmen a few years ago. He died before the time fixed for their marriage, and left her seventeen millions of dollars. The natural heirs of the young man contested the will, but in vain, and the young lady is to receive the first installments of her large possessions in December next. Five millions of dollars are to be sent her then, and the balance as soon as possible.

"I SAY, fellows," remarked an idler to several of his companions, "let's see who can tell the biggest lie." "All right," said one; "I'm the biggest fool living." "Oh, pshaw!" exclaimed the first, contemptuously, "we agreed to tell nothing but lies, and you commence by telling the truth."

"MY SON," said a man of doubtful morals, putting his hand on the head of a young urchin, "I believe Satan has got hold of you."

"I believe so, too," the urchin replied.

IF you and your sweetheart vote upon the marriage question, you for it, and she against it, don't flatter yourself as to its being a tie.

"I go through my work," as the needle said to the idle boy. "But not till you are hard pushed," said the idle boy to the needle.

SAWDUST pills would effectually cure many of the diseases with which mankind is afflicted, if every individual would do his own sawing.

AN experienced old gentleman says that all that is necessary for the enjoyment of love or sausages is *confidence.*