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The Kent News.

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AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Fall Plowing for Potatoes.

Ever since the period of the appearance of potato rot in this country farmers have been studying, more or less closely, the potato crop, and we believe we speak within the bounds of truth saying, that all who have had the best opportunity to judge have decided that the application of mineral manures will give the best results, and the use of strong horse, or other fermenting manures, the poorest return. Especially does this prove true in seasons when rot is most prevalent. In New Jersey the green sand marl used lavishly supplies all the mineral elements. In other localities, where this cannot be obtained, ashes, lime, plaster and superphosphate of lime are employed with certainty, when properly applied in sufficient quantities.

All strong soils yield a better crop of potatoes when plowed, and completely pulverized in autumn, and we suppose this to be mainly due to the elimination of the mineral elements, consequent on the comminution of the soil, and its exposure to atmospheric influences during winter. In the spring the more thoroughly the ground is again plowed, the better for the crop.

Corn Fodder.

A ton of well saved corn fodder is worth, if well used, nearly the price of a ton of hay, and yet how rarely it is well saved or well spent. Exposed after husking to all the storms of October, it is tardily housed in November, and, musty and mildewed, washed and weather beaten, it is not only the poorest fodder, but absolutely injurious to stock, to which it is thrown in the roughest and most careless way in the barn yard. Then it is trampled down in the snow and mire, and next spring is cursed as the greatest nuisance the farmer has to contend with. But let cornstalks be shocked up carefully, spread well at the butts of the shock, and tied closely at the top until the corn is husked, and then put up in convenient bundles, and again set up so that the rain cannot penetrate the shocks, and as soon as cured be carefully stacked, or put away beneath a tight roof, and it becomes agreeable-looking, sweet-smelling, nutritious fodder, which will be readily eaten by all kinds of stock. If it is cut up with any one of the various fodder cutters into short lengths, or even chopped up with an axe on the barn floor, wet and sprinkled with a little salt and a handful of bran, it will be entirely consumed; and the manure heap in the spring will be altogether free from the objectionable, unrotted, and tangled stalks, while it will be equally enriched by their fertilizing remains. In this way the supply of feed will be economized, often leaving hay to spare for sale, or permitting the number of feeding stock to be doubled, and besides, what is often a source of trouble and annoyance may be turned to good account and money made out of it.

What a Young Lady Did.

The Delaware county (Pa.) *American* gives the following account of a young lady's success in poultry raising:

"In Concord, a farmer's daughter, during the past year, had the care of his poultry yard. In the spring she commenced with about sixty fowls of the common breeds including one Dominique rooster and several hens of that stock.—She also had two roosters of the Partridge Cochin breed. From these she raised 350 chickens. When young she fed on cracked corn, but when fattening gave them whole corn and Indian meal. During the season she sold eggs to the amount of $90, and from September 20th to January 17th she got ready for the market 150 pairs of chickens, which she sold for $260. She thinks the Dominique much the best for market, but they are not hardy when young. She has some hens of the Partridge Cochin breed which weigh 6, 7 and 8 pounds each.

It will be seen from this statement what may be done by proper attention to poultry, the profits being perhaps larger than any branch of farming. It also shows that the business is one in which females may engage with success. The time occupied in caring for sixty to a hundred hens doesn't average more than an hour or two a day. The exercise is light and pleasant, and the change from household duties rather agreeable than otherwise. Indeed, we consider the poultry business as an occupation both profitable and interesting. Gathering eggs, setting the hens, watching the hatching and tending the young, has a charm which, in connection with the profit, is calculated to please every lover of nature's great working world."

To Keep Plows from Rusting. (?)

A correspondent from Stony Creek writes to know how to keep plows from rusting.

If there is any one subject upon which we feel perfectly at home it is the treatment of plows. It is a matter to which we have devoted the best years of our life, and our agricultural friend has just struck the right source of information. In the fall of the year, after you have got through fooling around with your plow, it should be carefully taken apart and the pieces numbered so that it can be put together at a moment's notice in case of fire. The sills and sideboards should be carefully oiled over with codliver oil and put away in a dry place where the moths will not trouble them. The hemmer and tucker should be put in a secure wooden cask and covered with strong lye. This will keep the roots moist and prevent shrinkage. A too common fault is to expose to the air, and thus prevent from coming to maturity as rapidly as they otherwise would. Take the other portion of the plow, rub thoroughly in a good suds, wring out and place upon the line until entirely dry. Then put up in tin or cut glass cans and place in a cool, dry cellar, and in the spring they will be found possessing body, aroma and sparkle, and free from the slightest tendency to sour.

To Pickle Onions.—Choose small, sound silver onions, as equal in size as possible. Top and tail them, but do not take the tops close, as the air will soften and spoil the onions. Scald them with brine. Repeat this on the second day, and, when cool, peel the onions as quickly as possible, throwing them into vinegar as they are done, to prevent their blackening. Boil vinegar enough to cover them, with sliced ginger, black and white pepper, and mace; when cooled, pour it over the onions. Cork them well, and dip them well in bottle resin.

Speaking of hard times the Dayton (Ohio) *Journal* undertakes to show that in the city of 39,000 inhabitants, $2,300,000 is spent in whisky, malt liquors and tobacco, (of which $1,000,000 goes for whisky,) while only $[illegible] to support for bread.

Selecting Seed Corn.

A practical farmer, who selects his seed corn in the fields, tells the *New England Homestead* that he has always made it a point to take it from stalks which have more than one ear, and he adds that by this method "he has noticed a decided increase of stalks, that have two or more ears on, and this year neighbors have asked the privilege of selecting seed from his corn, having noticed the superiority of his corn in this respect over their own."

Michael Sullivant, the great Illinois farmer, lost 10,000 acres of corn by frost, and has only half a crop on 15,000 acres. He has discharged 150 farm laborers."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Depth of the Atlantic Ocean.

The main theatre of the sounding operations has been the Atlantic Ocean, which from its relation to the leading commercial nations, and for intercontinental telegraph purposes, has been more carefully surveyed than any other great body of water. Open from pole to pole, participating in all conditions of climate, communicating freely with other seas, and covering 30,000,000 square miles, it it believed to represent general oceanic conditions, and to contain depths nearly, if not quite, as great as the other ocean basins of the world, although but little is known, it is true, in this respect of the Indian, Atlantic and Pacific seas. The general soundings would indicate that the average depth of the Atlantic bed was not much more than 12,000 feet, and there seems to be few depressions deeper than 15,000 or 20,000 feet, a little more than the height of Mount Blanc.

Dr. Thomson sums up the general results of the Atlantic soundings as follows: In the Arctic sea there is deep water reaching to 9,000 feet to the West and Southwest of Spitsbergen. Extending from the coast of Norway, and including Ireland, the Faroe Islands, Shetland and Orkney, Great Britain and Ireland, and the bed of the North sea to the coast of France, there is a wide plateau, on which the depth rarely reaches 3,000 feet, but to the west of Iceland and communicating doubtless, with the deep water in the Spitsbergen sea, a trough 500 miles wide, and in some places nearly 12,000 feet deep, curves along the east coast of Greenland. This is the path of one of the great Arctic return currents. After sloping gradually to a depth of 3,000 feet to the westward of the coast of Ireland, in lattitude 52 deg., the bottom suddenly dips to the depth of 10,000 feet at the rate of about 15 to 19 feet in the 100; and from this point to within about 200 miles of the coast of Newfoundland, when it begins to shoal again, there is a vast undulating submarine plain, averaging about 12,000 feet in depth below the surface—the "telegraph plateau."

A valley about five hundred miles wide, and with a mean depth of 15,000 feet, stretches from off the southwest coast of Ireland, along the coast of Europe, dipping into the Bay of Biscay, past the Strait of Gibralter and along the west coast of Africa. Opposite the Cape de Verd Islands it seems to merge into a slightly deeper trough, which occupies the axis of the South Atlantic, and passes into the Antarctic Sea. A nearly similar valley curves around the coast of North America, about 12,000 feet in depth off Newfoundland and Labrador, and becoming considerably deeper to the Southward, where it follows the outline of the coast of the States and the Bahamas and Windward Islands, and finally joins the central trough of the South Atlantic, off the coast of Brazil, with a depth of 15,000 feet.

Chinese Justice.—The thirty or forty Chinamen who work on Mr. Cragin's plantation, in Terrebonne parish, Louisiana, a short time since tried one of their number who had stolen several hundred dollars from another of the colony. They found him guilty, suspended him by the hands to the joists of the house, and whipped him, after which they cut off both his hands and feet and buried him alive. The colored people on the place were afraid to interfere. The parish authorities have the matter in hand.

Thousands of Promising Youths, of both sexes, go down to untimely graves, from general debility and weakness, who might be saved by fortifying their systems with Iron. The Peruvian Syrup is an Iron Tonic prepared expressly to supply this vitalizing element, and is the only preparation of iron that will assimilate at once with the blood.

August Flower.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effect; such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, impure blood, heart burn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of the blood after eating, low spirits, &c. Go to the Drug Store of C. F. STAM & BRO., and get a 75 ct. bottle, or a sample bottle free of charge. Try it.

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June 29, 1872.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Careful attention will be paid to any legal business of Kent and neighboring counties which may be entrusted to him. jan6-y.

C. T. WESTCOTT,

Attorney and Counselor at Law

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Special attention given to the collection of claims in the counties of Kent, Cecil, Queen Anne's and Caroline. ag17y.

THOS. S. BORDLEY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Office on Court Street, adjoining the Drug Store of Messrs. C. F. Stam & Brother.

Particular attention given to the collection of Claims. f8-6.

M. deK. SMITH,

Practical Surveyor.

Office in the Court House, Chestertown. aug9-3m.

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Sewing Machine

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Self-Threading Shuttle — Simplicity.

IT IS A SIMPLE MACHINE, having but few working parts, and always ready to work. The simple manner in which the Machine is threaded, makes it easy of accomplishment by the most inexperienced. There being NO HOLES to thread either above or in the Shuttle.

The Shuttle requires no threading, being ready to work as soon as the Bobbin is placed in it. If the Machine accidentally turns backward, it does no harm and breaks no threads or needles.

SAMPLE MACHINES may be seen at the Millinery Store of Miss MAGGIE J. WYATT, Chestertown, and all orders addressed to the undersigned at Hanesville, Post Office, will be promptly attended to.

JOHN BELL, Agent.

Oct. 18, 1873—y

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SEWING MACHINES!

"The Family Friend."

FOR SALE BY

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CHESTERTOWN, KENT CO., MD.

OIL, NEEDLES and ATTACHMENTS for sale by C. F. STAM & BRO., Druggists, Chestertown, Md. n8y.

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LARGEST STOCK

And Lowest Cash Prices.

J. H. SIMPERS

HAS JUST OPENED

A LARGE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c.

HEAVY BOOTS for Men and Boys.

Shaker and Canton Flannel, Heavy all Wool Red and White Flannel,

Cassimeres, Kerseys, Tweeds, Blankets and Shawls. The latest styles in Fall Hats for Men and Boys.

These goods have been bought since the Panic and are offered at VERY LOW PRICES.

J. H. SIMPERS.

Chestertown, Oct. 18, 1873.

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These Cider Mills are recommended as very superior. Further description furnished upon application.

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Jan. 27. C. F. STAM & BRO.

Kent County Rail Road.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after Thursday, Oct. 23rd, Trains will run as follows:

GOING EAST.

Leave Chestertown	6.45	A. M.	
" Worton	7.00	"	
" Lynch's	7.10	"	
" Still Pond	7.20	"	
" Kennedyville	7.40	"	
" Black's	7.52	"	Q. A. & Kent R. R.
" Lambson's	8.05	"	1.30 P. M.
" Massey's	8.17	"	1.40 "
" Morris'	8.25	"	1.55 "
" Vandyke's	8.34	"	2.10 "
Arrive at Townsend	8.45	"	3.55 "
" Wilmington	10.15	"	5.20 "
" Philadelphia	11.45	"	8.10 "
" Baltimore	1.05	P. M.	

GOING WEST.

Leave Baltimore	7.25	A. M.	2.55 P. M.
" Philadelphia	8.30	"	5.15 "
" Wilmington	10.10	"	6.35 "
" Townsend	11.45	"	8.00 "
" Vandyke's	12.00	"	8.15 "
" Morris'	12.10	P. M.	8.25 "
" Massey's	12.20	"	8.36 "
" Lambson's	12.35	"	
" Black's	12.45	"	
" Kennedyville	1.00	"	
" Still Pond	1.10	"	
" Lynch's	1.18	"	
" Worton	1.28	"	
Arrive Chestertown	1.40	"	

All trains daily, (Sundays excepted)

All Freights must be at the various Stations at least thirty (30) minutes before the starting of trains, otherwise they will lay over twenty-four hours.

E. S. TAYLOR, Sup't.

Oct. 25, 1873—tf.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

On and after TUESDAY, October 21st, 1873,

The Steamer GEO. LAW

Will leave Baltimore from Pier 7, Light St., EVERY

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday,

at 7½ o'clock, A. M., for

Kent Island, Queenstown, Grey's Inn Creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's and Chestertown.

Returning, leave CRUMPTON every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 6½ A. M., for Baltimore, making all the stops on river, arriving in Baltimore at 1½ P. M.

OFFICE—Pier No. 7 Light St. Wharf.

Freight received Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays till 6, P. M. All Freight must be prepaid at Office in Baltimore.

R. A. BRAINARD, Agent Chester River Steamboat Company. Oct. 25, 1873—tf.

For Sassafras River.

THE STEAMER TRUMPETER

NOW being in complete order, will resume her trips on SATURDAY, the 1st of March, leaving PIER No. 5, LIGHT ST., *EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 10½ A. M.,*

FOR GEORGETOWN,

arriving in Georgetown at 4, P. M.

RETURNING, will leave Georgetown at 8, A. M., the alternate days, arriving in Baltimore at 2, P. M., touching at

Buck Neck, Barnard's, Betterton, Turner's Creek, Cassiday's, Shallcross' and Fredericktown,

GOING AND RETURNING

We sincerely trust that the friendly relations hitherto existing between the Steamer TRUMPETER, her patrons and the public generally, may continue. For the fulfilment of which we will ever be found doing our very best.

WM. CUNDIFF, Master. March 1, 1873—tf.

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In which I cannot be undersold.

A DISCOUNT of 10 per cent. allowed on

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WHITE LEAD, PAINTS, OIL, VARNISH, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, GLASS, &c.

JOS. E. WEER, May 18, 1872. Kennedyville, Md.

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DOROTHEA GRUBER,

AT the old Bakery (up town,) respectfully informs the public that she is prepared to furnish

BREAD, RUSK, BUNS, PIES

Biscuits, &c.,

FRESH FROM THE BAKERY, together with every description of Cake, such as

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It is the fruit of long and patient investigation by the inventor, who has made it his constant study for over twenty years. He has secured several patents for Mills, and has always been rewarded with the best of success. But not feeling satisfied with his former attainments, he determined to reach the climax, and he now believes that his new invention will warrant him in exclaiming in the joy of his heart, like the philosopher, Phythagoras—EUREKA!—signifying in the Grecian language, "I have found it." This has given the name to this new Mill.

In this Mill are all the former improvements to which have been added several more, adding still greater advantages than were at first anticipated, or even thought possible by the inventor himself. It embraces the three great essentials necessary in every invention:

It combines ECONOMY, UTILITY and PRACTICABILITY!

THE "EUREKA" MILL

is small and lighter, and is capable of doing more and better work in a given time than any other Mill ever invented.

IT IS THE ONLY MILL

that will successfully remove from wheat all such pests as Cockle, Garlic, Oats, Rye, &c.

Should an extra quality of grain for seed or gristing purposes be required, it can be so arranged as to catch in one box perfect grain, and in the other, grain fit for market or mill. Here is made a great saving usually lost sight of; for nearly one quarter of the grain cleaned in the common Mill is lost when sown, on account of shrunken kernels and inferior grain. The Eureka Mill saves all this, and gives seed every kernel of which will grow when put into the ground, and this saving will, in a short time, pay for the Mill.

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Furs.—I will pay the *very highest Cash price* for Mink, Otter, Muskrat, Fox, Opossom, Coon, Rabbit Skins, and Rags.

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Thanking our customers for their past patronage, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. UNDERTAKING will receive our special attention as heretofore.

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May 18, 1872.

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ALSO, THE

'M. F.'—Manufacturer's Favorite,

Having a space of nearly twenty inches under the arm—a positive feed on three sides of the needle. Without Cam, Cog Wheels, Compound Cranks, Wire Springs or Revolving Shafts.

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GOLD SEAL BRANDY,

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Apple Jack, Jamaica Rum, Scotch Whiskey, Catawby Wine, Old Port Wine, Champagnes, Segars, &c.

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