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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - APRIL 13, 1878.

FROM THE CITY TO THE COUNTRY.—As winter begins to melt into spring the tramp begins to melt out of the city into the country, and the registers of the lodgers at the city police stations are growing shorter as the days grow longer. The number of tramps during the past winter who have been regular lodgers at station-houses has been decidedly less than during the winter previous, but this fact is accounted for not on the ground that there have been fewer tramps in the city, but solely on account of the mild winter. Among the many haunts in the city where the tramps spend their time during the intervals between the hours that they are turned out of the station-houses and nightfall one or two on Thames street, Fell's Point, are somewhat notable. One of these was recently joyful over the fact that one of the clan had received $150 from a relative in England, and many a celebration was had over the event at the expense of the fortunate tramp. It has been a daily practice at this place for the tramps, when hunger came on, to "draw straws" to see who should go out begging, or "bumming," as they call it. The unlucky one would go out and beg for the crowd, and on his return an even division of spoils would be made. Generally money enough could be collected among the crowds to buy ten cents 'worth of coffee, and as water is plentiful in that neighborhood a hearty meal for a tramp was usually the result. Tobacco was generally picked up around the State warehouses in leaf. But coffee and water are hardly strong enough tonics for the tramp's system, and he is often driven to his wit's ends to obtain something stronger. A very common device at this clan was for one tramp to strip off his coat and hand it to a fellow-tramp, who would "spout" it at a junk shop for 50 cents or thereabouts; tramp No. 1, a few moments afterwards, would step into the junk shop in his shirt sleeves and tell the proprietor that he had bought the coat from a thief who had stolen it from him (the tramp.) The proprietor, rather than incur any trouble in the matter, hands over the coat, the tramp walks off, joins his fellow, and the two adjourn to a place and "smile" at the junkman's expense. During the winter, as no soup-houses have been open, the tramps have had to rely upon their own efforts to obtain food and drink, and some of them have exhibited an ingenuity worthy of a better cause. They have begun to leave Baltimore for the country, and are now frequently to be met with on the suburban roads.—*Balto. Sun.*

DEATH IN THE SNOW.—The Denver (Col.) *News* gives a heart-rending account of a mother and her two children frozen to death in a snow storm. It says: Mrs. Hardin, living near Bijou Basin, had been left alone with her two children just before the storm came on. Mr. Hardin, her husband, was called away, not thinking on his return he would find himself robbed of wife and children by the dread storm king. The snow drifted and the wind howled about the house where the family where sheltered. There was little or no provisions in the house and the fire was dying out. To add to this the supply of matches had given out, and all the efforts of the mother to infuse life into the dying embers in the stove proved fruitless. The snow fell through the chimney and smothered the fire, and after an hour's effort to keep herself and children warm the mother, growing distracted brooding over the possible result of the storm and wondering at her husband's long absence, gathered her children in her arms and ventured out into the storm, intending to make an effort to reach the house of her father-in-law, which was three miles distant. The struggles of the heroic mother will never be known, for the next day her lifeless body was found buried in the snow, clasping in its deadly embrace, the forms of the two children, who had shared her fate. The unfortunate ones must have become blinded by the fast-falling snow, and overcome by the bitter cold wind had sat down to rise no more.

PROPOSED STATUTE OF GEN. LEE.—The Boston *Herald* states that two citizens of Winchester, Mass., have determined to present an equestrian statute of General Lee to the State of Virginia to be erected upon the Capitol Square at Richmond. The *Herald* says: "The base and pedestal are to be of Maine and Virginia granite, trimmed with Tennessee marble; that the contract for furnishing the material has been awarded to Stephen Milmore, brother to the sculptor, and that he has been paid thereon the first installment of $800." The Virginia authorities, however, have heard nothing of the proposed present, but have written to Boston in regard to the matter.

"TO DO AS FOLKS OF FASHION DO," in one respect at least, you must use *Glenn's Sulphur Soap*, which is immensely popular among the elite of society, and deservedly so, for it is the most salutary of beautifiers and purifiers. Sold by all druggists. Hill's Hair & Whisker Dye, Black or Brown, 50 cts. a6-4t.

NEW YORK artists are discouraged.—There was a time when they could pour molasses and Venetian red over canvas and sell it to the West for a landscape, but the West has learned how to do it, and makes her own paintings now.—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE proof of the value of any article is its popular use, and the testimony in its favor. The sale of *Leary's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry and Tar*, the great remedy for coughs and colds is immense. Only 35 cents. a6-2t.

"AUSTRALIA," says Mr. Train, "is a strange country. Some trees there shed their bark instead of their leaves, oysters grow on the outside of the shell, and one animal lays eggs, suckles its young, is web-footed and roosts in a tree."

A SPLENDID breakfast on the table surrounded with a family of coughs. They used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and that family now keeps it on hand always, and recommends it; only costs 25 cts. a bottle.

FOR SPRAINS.—Take one part of blue clay and two parts vinegar, and make into paste, and bind on at night with a wet towel. One application is generally sufficient.

A GENTLE HINT.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup or any other disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial, 10c.; regular size, 75c.

THE AMERICAN FACADE AT THE PARIS EXPOSITION.—The American *Advertiser*, published in Paris, gives the following description of the American annex at the exposition: "The building will consist of two stories, surmounted by a belvedere. The style is handsome, being such as is to be found in many country villas in the environs of New York. The rooms in the building will be occupied by the various commissioners and reporters connected with the American section, and one of the balconies will afford an almost unique point of vantage for viewing the American annex from above. Down stairs there will be a handsome reception room, where American visitors will find a hearty welcome. So much for the utility of the construction. Now let us come to its national character. The spaces between the windows, along the facade, are divided into thirteen panels, on each of which will be represented on an ornamental escutcheon the arms of the thirteen original States of the Union. Then along the cornice the remaining States which have since been added to the Union will be represented by their escutcheons and armorial bearing. To judge from the drawings which we have seen Mr. Pettit's design will be very handsome and effective. The American department will certainly not be lacking in signs of nationality, for the screens which are to be fixed on the roof of the annex to break the glare of the sun will each bear the devices of a State, and in the centre will be a screen representing the national arms of the United States."

THE WONDERFUL TORPEDO.—Noting the fall of Russian bonds in European markets in consequence of the warlike attitude of England and the rivalry of the two powers in providing themselves with torpedoes, the New York *Times* is reminded that in the first outbreak of the Paraguay-Brazilian war an enterprising speculator offered his services to the Paraguayan government for a handsome consideration in blocking the advance of the Brazilian fleet upon the rivers by means of torpedoes. This done, he instantly sent word to his partner in New York to come down at once and offer *his* services to Brazil for the removal of the torpedoes, whose whereabouts was to be indicated by a special signal. In this way, says the *Times*, the one partner continued to plant them and the other to pull them up during the whole of the four years war, after which those enterprising Yankees, having earned upwards of $100,000 by their united exertions, wound up by selling the still unexploded torpedoes to the government of Nicaragua.

COMPTROLLER KELLEY, of New York, urges the release of Boss Tweed. Mr. Kelley says that the attorney general promised to release Tweed if he confessed and surrendered his property. He has confessed and offered to give up his property, and Mr. Kelley maintains that it is breach of trust by the State to hold him any longer; that his further detention is neither beneficial to the State as an example nor serviceable to the city, and that Tweed's testimony after his discharge would be very important, as it involved millions of dollars.

A PARTY of lynchers, down South, postponed the hanging five minutes, to allow the victim time to finish smoking a cigar. This proves that the use of tobacco prolongs life.

A SWEET-VOICED woman has no advantage over a shrill-voiced one in blowing the dinner horn or in driving pigs out of the front garden.

By Universal Accord, AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS are the best of all purgatives for family use. They are the product of long, laborious and successful chemical investigations, and their extensive use, by Physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, proves them the best and most effectual purgative Pill that medical science can devise. Being purely vegetable no harm can arise from their use. In intrinsic value and curative powers no other Pills can be compared with them, and every person, knowing their virtues, will employ them, when needed. They keep the system in perfect order, and maintain in healthy action the whole machinery of life. Mild, searching and effectual, they are specially adapted to the needs of the digestive apparatus, derangements of which they prevent and cure, if timely taken. They are the best and safest physic to employ for children and weakened constitutions, where a mild but effectual cathartic is required.
FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS. 4

SEED! SEED!

GREAT REDUCTION in the PRICE OF *GARDEN SEED!*

All of LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED IN TEN CENT PAPERS

At FIVE cents each!

BEANS.—Early Brown, Early Valentine, Mohawk, Large Lima, White Wax.

CABBAGE—Early York, Jersey Wakefield, French Oxheart, Flat Dutch, Drumhead and Savoy.

CELERY—Large Solid White.

CORN—Extra early Adams, Evergreen Sugar, and Early Sweet.

CUCUMBER—Early Frame, White Spine and Long Green.

EGG PLANT—Large Early and Black Pekin.

LETTUCE—Silesian, Early Cabbage, Royal Cabbage and the celebrated HANSON, originated by Col. Hanson of this town.

WATERMELON—Mountain Sweet, Ice Cream, and Black Spanish.

PARSNIP—Fine Sugar or Hollow Crown.

PEAS—Extra Early or Dwarf Blue, Imperial, Black eye, Marrow, Tom Thumb, Champion of England, and McLane's Little Gem, by the pint, peck and bushel.

RADISHES—Early Scarlet, French Breakfast, Lady Finger and White Olive.

TOMATOES—Extra early, Cluster, Large Red, Trophy, Tilden and Feejee.

Potatoes! Potatoes!

Maine Early Rose, Kent Early Rose and Sweet Potatoes.

Osage Orange Seed

Fresh and genuine, by the lb. or bushel.

NOTICE.

All these seed have been selected with the greatest care, and we are confident they will give entire satisfaction.

In consequence of the hard times we are selling them at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Call and examine our stock.

COLIN F. STAM,
DRUGGIST,
CHESTERTOWN.

March 16, 1878.

PERCH and Shad Net CORKS, Cotton Rope, all sizes, Seine Twine, &c.
feb16. J. K. ALDRIDGE.

VEGETINE

For CHILLS, SHAKES, FEVER and AGUE.

TARBORO, N. C., 1878.

DR. H. R. STEVENS:—Dear Sir: I feel very grateful for what your valuable medicine, Vegetine, has done in my family. I wish to express my thanks by informing you of the wonderful cure of my son; also, to let you know that Vegetine is the best medicine I ever saw for *Chills, Shakes, Fever* and *Ague*. My son was sick with measles in 1873, which left him with *Hip-joint* disease. My son suffered a great deal of pain, all of the time; the pain was so great he did nothing but cry. The doctors did not help him a particle, he could not lift his foot from the floor, he could not move without crutches. I read your advertisement in the 'Louisville Courier-Journal' that Vegetine was a great Blood Purifier and Blood Food. I tried one bottle, which was a great benefit. He kept on with the medicine, gradually gaining. He has taken eighteen bottles in all, and he is completely restored to health, walks without crutches or cane. He is twenty years of age. I have a younger son, fifteen years of age, who is subject to *Chills*. Whenever he feels one coming on, he comes in, takes a dose of Vegetine and that is the last of the *Chill*. Vegetine leaves no bad effect upon the system like most of the medicines recommended for *Chills*. I cheerfully recommend Vegetine for such complaints. I think it is the greatest medicine in the world.

Respectfully, MRS. J. W. LLOYD.

VEGETINE.—When the blood becomes lifeless and stagnant, either from change of weather or of climate, want of exercise, irregular diet, or from any other cause, Vegetine will renew the blood, carry off the putrid humors, cleanse the stomach, regulate the bowels, and impart a tone of vigor to the whole body.

VEGETINE
For DYSPEPSIA, NERVOUSNESS, And GENERAL DEBILITY.

Bernardstown, Mass., 1878.

We, the undersigned, having used Vegetine, take pleasure in recommending it to all those troubled with *Humors* of any kind, *Dyspepsia, Nervousness*, or *General Debility*, it being the Great Blood Purifier. Sold by R. L. Crowell & Sons, who sell more of it than all other patent medicine put together. MRS. L. F. PERKINS, MRS. H. W. SCOTT, JOSEPHUS SLATE.

VEGETINE is the great health restorer—composed exclusively of barks, roots, and herbs. It is very pleasant to take; every child likes it.

VEGETINE
For NERVOUS HEADACHE And RHEUMATISM.

Cincinnati, O., April 9, 1877.

H. R. STEPHENS, Esq.:—Dear Sir: I have used your Vegetine for *Nervous Headache*, and also for *Rheumatism*, and have found entire relief from both, and take great pleasure in recommending it to all who may be likewise afflicted.

FRED. A. GOOD, 118 Mill St., Cinn.

VEGETINE has restored thousands to health who had been long and painful sufferers.

VEGETINE.
DRUGGISTS' TESTIMONY.

MR. H. R. STEVENS,—Dear Sir: We have been selling your remedy, the Vegetine, for about three years, and take pleasure in recommending it to our customers, and in no instance where a blood purifier would reach the case, has it ever failed to effect a cure, to our knowledge. It certainly is the *ne plus ultra* of renovators.

Resp'y, E. M. SHEPHERD & CO., *Druggists*, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Is acknowledged by all classes of people to be the best and most reliable blood purifier in the world.

VEGETINE
PREPARED BY
H. R. STEVENS, Boston, Mass.

VEGETINE is sold by All Druggists.

PROPOSALS
FOR
A NEW BRIDGE.

PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Board of County Commissioners until

TUESDAY, the 23rd inst.,

for furnishing the materials and

Building a New Bridge

over Witchcote's Run, on the public road from Worton Heights to Fairlee in the Third Election District, according to the following dimensions, &c., to wit:

The Bridge to be built of White Oak material, with Port Deposit stone abutments and wings; walls and wings to be 3 ft. in the ground and 5 ft. above ground, resting on white oak board 2 in. thick for a foundation, and to be 18 in. thick; wings on N. E. end 10 ft. long and on S. W. end 8 ft. long; all well cemented with first-rate cement.

Bridge to be 16 ft. span, 14 ft. wide, resting on 5 sleepers or joists 4x10 in., to be cemented in the wall; flooring to be 16 ft. white oak boards, 2 in. thick, with substantial railing on each side.

Proposals must state price and the time required to finish said Bridge, and if accepted approved security will be required of the contractor for the faithful performance of the contract.

By order of Board,
T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk
apr6-3t. to Co. Comm.

BRIDGE NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that thirty days from the date hereof they intend to petition the Hon. Board of County Commissioners to appoint commissioners to determine whether the public convenience requires the erection of a

Substantial Bridge

ACROSS A BRANCH OF MORGAN'S CREEK

that crosses the public road near Urieville Mill in the Second Election District, and to locate the place therefor.

S. A. MERRITT,
JACOB HIGHLEY,
WM. F. ROEDER,
March 30—5t. and others.

ROAD NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that *thirty days* from the date hereof they intend to petition the Hon. Board of County Commissioners to appoint commissioners to examine and locate a

Public Road

IN THE FIRST ELECTION DISTRICT OF KENT COUNTY

commencing at the lane of S. Hurlock, Esq., on road from Millington to Massey's and running by and with said lane, crossing "Pudding Branch;" thence directly to west corner of Jno. F. Whittington's land; thence in a stiaight line between the lands of said Hurlock's and Mrs. Delany's and said Whittington's land, thence across Cypress Branch and between said Hurlock's land and the land of Henry Burns to or near the school house on the road from Mann's corner to Dulaney's chapel. SAM'L HURLOCK, JONATHAN HODGSON, JNO. F. WITTINGTON,
a6-5t. and others.

ROAD NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that, thirty days from the date hereof, they intend to petition the Hon. Board of County Commissioners for Kent county, to

Locate the Private Road

leading from the main road at Locust Grove, through the lands of Rob't Comly, Stewart Matthews, and William O. Shallcross, to Shrewsbury Neck road, in First Election District, and to make the said road a public one.

OWEN HAYES,
C. H. J. SPARKS,
E. ANDERSON,
March 16, 1878—5t. and others.

MUSLINS at 6c., Calico 5c., Canton Flannel 6¼c., best Cotton 6c., lowest prices on all kinds of goods.
26. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

FRESH HOMINY and New York Buckwheat, at Thompson's, Up Town.
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THOS. W. WICKES,

JUST RECEIVED

SEEDS

From Jerome B. Rice, Cambridge Valley Seed Gardens, N. Y., consisting of

Tomatoes, Cabbage, Celery, Peppers,

CAULIFLOWER, and the new variety of

HANSON LETTUCE

the best in the world; the heads are very large size, deliciously sweet, tender and crisp, even to the outer leaves; color green outside and white within; free from any bitter or unpleasant taste; not recommended for forcing, but has no superior for family use.

EARLY ROSE SEED POTATOES.

Isn't it Strange?

That those who exhibit sound sense in most affairs of life, frequently purchase seeds from questionable sources, when they can obtain RICE'S at the same price from THOS. W. WICKES.
March 9, 1878—2m.

KENT CO. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF KENT COUNTY will meet at their office in CHESTERTOWN, on

TUESDAY,
The 2d day of April, 1877,

at Ten o'clock, A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour

EVERY TUESDAY,
UNTIL THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT.

All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since the recent General Assessment are particularly requested to attend at an early day and have their assessments adjusted.

After Tuesday, May 21st,

no alteration will be made in the assessments during the present year.

All persons having accounts against the County are requested to present the same on or before

TUESDAY, the 21st day of May next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy for this year. All accounts properly chargable to the County are required to be made out in a fair and clear manner and itemized—to be rendered under oath.

PENSIONS.

ALL APPLICATIONS for Pensions must be made in writing, stating condition and circumstances of the applicant, and signed by three or more free holders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

By order,
T. WATERS RUSSELL,
Clerk to Kent Co. Commissioners.
March 16, 1878—td.

NEW GOODS
JUST RECEIVED.

BRENNEF'S SUGAR CURED COOKED CORN BEEF.
FISHER'S MINCE MEAT,
Pine Apple Cheese,
Canned Peaches, Pears, Pine Apple, Corn, Tomatoes, Lobster, &c.
French Mustard, Chow-Chow, Catsup and Pickles.
FRESH SWEET ORANGES, LEMONS and PRUNES.

CANDIES
OF ALL KINDS, FRESH.

The Celebrated Star Cough Candy,
Said to be a Sure Cure for Colds.

Also,
Dried Peaches and Apples, Nuts, Figs, Raisins, Dates and Citron.

V. BURGESS,
feb2-tf. Opposite the Bank.

Wilmington Color Works.

ESTABLISHED 1847

JAMES BRADFORD,
MANUFACTURER OF

Pure Colors, White Lead, Zinc,

Paints, Poco Brown and Putty,
Bradford's Ready Mixed Cottage Colors,
OILS, VARNISH and TURPENTINE,
WINDOW GLASS, &c., &c.
No. 6 & 8 EAST THIRD STREET,
mh16-y. *WILMINGTON, DEL.*

The UNDERTAKING BUSINESS,

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

Is still continued, and I hope by *personal* ATTENTION and supervision, added to practical experience, to give *entire* satisfaction to those who favor me with any business in this line.

Also, Broken or Defaced Furniture will be repaired, cleaned or varnished at short notice.

My charges for all work will be as low as possible, and I solicit a liberal share of patronage. My best reference will be with those who have employed me in the past. Respectfully,
jan13-3m* JOHN N. DODD.

Lumber! Lumber!

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Shingles, Pickets, Siding,	Laths, Scantling, Weatherboarding,
Dressed Boards,	Dressed Plank,
Cypress Fencing,	Va. Pine Boards,
Va. Pine Joist,	Bill Stuff, Railing,
White Pine Cull Boards,	
" Barn "	
Va. Pine Flooring, Doors and Sash.	

I invite the attention of buyers to my large stock of Lumber, and am confident of my ability to meet the lowest Baltimore quotations. Give me a call before buying. T. W. ELIASON, JR.
March 16, 1878.

TRADE MARK

J. E. TYGERT & CO.
Manufacturers of
Star Bone Phosphate
AND
Pure Ground Bone.
Also dealers in Fertilizing material of all kind.
OFFICES: 42 South Delaware Av., Philadelphia. Smyrna, Del. mar9-7m.

A FULL LINE OF Green, Black and Mixed Teas, at T. W. ELIASON, JR'S.

BLACKWELL'S Pure Durham TOBACCO. For sale by JAS. A. SHAW.

YOU can buy nice Brown SUGAR at 10c. per lb. at *Thompson's*, up town.

Notice to Farmers,

CORN PLANTERS AND TRUCKERS!

Why not DOUBLE THE YIELD of your Crops by the use of

READ *The following testimonials of only a few in our possesion,* *showing the Wonderful results of our* **STANDARD:**

NEAR CHESTERTOWN, MD., Feb. 20, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—Gentlemen: I used your Standard Phosphate in the spring of 1876 on corn, applied one handful to three hills, which gave me an increase of fully one-third if not more; I think it acted as well or *better* for me on corn than any I have ever used, and the 9 tons I bought of you the following fall for wheat done quite as well as two other High Grade Phosphates which cost more money, all applied the same. JOSIAS RINGGOLD, JR.

NEAR CHESTERTOWN, MD., Oct. 3, 1877.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—I used your Standard Bone Super Phosphate last spring, carefully tested with two other high grade corn fertilizers, and I say your Standard is preferred, as it produced more corn, and there was no burning or frenching where applied. I will want some this fall for wheat.
Yours, truly, THOMAS C. PARSONS.

NEAR CHESTERTOWN, MD., Oct. 1876.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—I take pleasure in saying that your Standard Bone Super Phosphate that I used last spring on corn gave me, as well as other farmers in my neighborhood, full satisfaction, and I must say my crop was greatly increased. Applied one handful to three hills. I believe it to be a High Grade Fertilizer, and I want some this fall for wheat. S. LECATES.

NEAR CHESTERTOWN, MD., March 13, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—I used in the spring of '76 two tons of your Standard Phosphate, for corn. I also used one other kind that cost me more money. Both applied, one handful to two hills, and I consider yours paid me, and did quite as well as the other article. Five tons on my wheat last year was equally satisfactory. JAS. M. J. BYRON.

CHESTERTOWN, Feb. 7, 1877.

In riding to my farm last summer, I passed immediately along one of the corn fields, and observed particularly that in one place along the road the stalks were large, stronger than on any part of the field along which the road passed: I mentioned the fact to Mr. P. Stokes, my tenant, and he told me that the larger growth of corn was where he had used Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son's Standard Bone Super Phosphate. I subsequently noticed that the ears of corn were larger at the place referred to than elsewhere. We used only a ton as an experiment, never having, previously, used any Fertilizer on corn. GEORGE VICKERS.

Morgan's Creek, Near Chestertown, Md., Feb. 25, 1878.

MESSRS. T. R. HUBBARD & SON:—Gentlemen; The ton of Phosphate bought of you last spring, applied to corn one handful to 3 hills, gave me entire satisfaction. I used it along side good Compost Manure broad cast, but the corn was much better where I used the Phosphate, and so far as I have tried both upon wheat and corn I think it as good as any in the market. JACOB BARKMAN.

Quaker Neck, Near Chestertown, Md., Nov. 4, 1876.

MESSRS. T. R. HUBBARD & SON:—Gents: Your Phosphate I used last spring on corn on low stiff land; applied one handful to three hills; it gave me a good yield, and besides there was none frenched where I used it, and had I applied it on my entire crop, I feel confident that I should have been richly paid, and I shall expect to use it more freely another season.
Respectfully, Yours, ISAAC CORDRAY.

EDESVILLE, MD., Feb. 25, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—Gentlemen: I used last spring ½ ton of your Standard Bone Super Phosphate on six acres of low stiff land applied to corn in the hill which gave me twenty-seven barrels of good corn. Have never before gathered from the same piece of ground over four barrels. I left out two rows to see what the difference would be, and the result was I got no corn from them nor scarcely any fodder, and I am confident that the increase of fodder of the six acres more than paid for the Phosphate. I want a ton for corn this spring.
Respectfully. OWEN CONNELLY.

EDESVILLE, KENT CO., MD., Mar. 4, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—Gentlemen: Where I used your Standard Bone Super Phosphate last spring on my corn, applied one handful to three hills, made me as much again as where I did not use it. Hence it paid me well and I will want some more this spring. Respectfully, JAS. H. EDES.

HANESVILLE, Md., Jan. 1, 1877.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—I am glad to inform you that your Standard Bone Super Phosphate done well for me last Spring. Applied to corn, one handful to three hills, it paid me, and besides, did quite as much good as two other kinds used at the same time and same way, and yours cost me $6 less per ton.
Respectfully, R. G. NICHOLSON.

Hanesville, Kent Co., Md., Jan. 30, 1878.

MESSRS. HUBBARD & SON:—In answer to your inquiry, as to result of application I made of your Phosphate upon corn, last spring, permit me to say it was entirely satisfactory. I used other Fertilizers, for which I paid more, applying the same quantity, about 200 lbs. per acre, but saw no difference in the crop.
Very respectfully yours, &c., JNO. W. COREY.

Still Pond, Kent Co., Md., Feb. 28, 1877.

MESSRS. T. R. HUBBARD & SON:—Gentlemen: Where I applied the two tons of your Standard Phosphate last spring to corn at the rate of one handful to three hills was entirely satisfactory, it produced me the best corn I had on low land; I had no trouble of its Frenching as heretofore; it paid me the best of any I have ever used.
Respectfully, WM. L. BOWERS.

WORTON STATION, Feb. 4, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—Gentlemen: The result of your Standard Bone Super Phosphate applied to corn last spring, one handful to three hills, did for me what I thought impossible: it produced for me 40 bushels of corn to the acre, where I have never before gathered 30, and in fact have been in the habit of cutting it down heretofore for feed, as it was never before worth gathering. I also used one other high grade Phosphate, same proportion, and stable manure, broadcast, but they did not at all compare with yours in yield of corn, and cost me more money.
Respectfully, J. W. IVENS.

NEAR GALENA, Md., Feb. 25, 1878.

Messrs. T. A. Hubbard & Son:—Dear Sirs: In answer to your inquiry, regarding your Phosphate, I can say it has given entire satisfaction, as I have tried it on my wheat, corn and potatoes. I believe it has paid me as well as any I have ever used. I intend using it again this spring on my corn.
Yours, respectfully, E. B. WOODALL.

GALENA, Kent Co., Md., Jan. 11, 1877.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son:—Gentlemen: In reply to your card of Oct. 28, 1876, would say, that I used your Standard Bone Super Phosphate last spring on land that had been planted three consecutive years in corn, which yielded as much again corn as where I did not apply it, the land being equal.
Very respectfully, GEO. W. CHRISFIELD.

Locust Grove, Kent Co., Md., Feb. 2, 1878.

MESSRS. T. R. HUBBARD & SON,—Dear Sirs: Where I used your Standard Bone Superphosphate on my Corn last Spring, one handful to four hills gave me entire satisfaction—did quite as well as good barn-yard manure alongside broadcast. I am confident that your Standard is as good as any Phosphate in the market.
Respectfully, SAM'L J. HILL.

MASSEYS, March 22, 1878.

Messrs. T. R. Hubbard & Son,—Gents: I used one ton of your Standard Bone Superphosphate last spring as an experiment upon corn; applied one handful to three hills on stalk ground. The result was entirely satisfactory, and I am confident that it increased my crop fully one-third. You will please ship me 2½ tons more to Masseys on receipt of this, and oblige, yours truly, R. C. JOHNSON.

☞ For Queen Anne's certificates see Centreville *Observer*.

☞ To avoid disappointment and delay we advise that all orders be sent in early.

ADDRESS:

T. R. HUBBARD & SON, Manufacturers,
CHESTERTOWN, KENT CO., MD.

March 16, 1878—8t.

HERE WE ARE!

J. M. Vandyke & Sons

HAVE this week opened

A NEW STORE

with New Goods, in the old Canady stand, between Bordley's Corner and Wickes' Drug store, and will be pleased to have our old friends and the public generally call and see us, as we think we can please you. Our Goods are selected with care and consist of

DRY GOODS,

NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES,
GROCERIES and PROVISIONS,
QUEENSWARE,
TOBACCO AND CIGARS, &c.

Also a good variety of

MEN'S CHEAP CLOTHING.

All these goods will be sold for the Cash at a small profit. Come and see.

☞ We would say to those that owe us, don't pass us by. Come and see us, we will not be hard on you. Don't spend your cash with others when you owe us.

As we have a good deal of money out for goods we must sell now for cash or its equivalent.

J. M. VANDYKE & SONS,
Adjoining Wickes' Drug Store.
Dec. 22, 1877—6m.

SALT

A LARGE lot just received and for sale by the sack *at close city rates*
by T. S. WICKES.
Chestertown, November 21, 1877.

NEW GOODS are being daily received ☞ By T. W. ELIASON, JR. ☜ And his prices will always be found to be as low as the lowest. mar10

FOR GOOD GOODS, at lowest prices, call at the store on Cross Street, opposite Lambert's Carriage Shops.
n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON.

GRAIN, COAL, **LIME.**

An UNLIMITED QUANTITY of

CORN, WHEAT and OATS *WANTED,*

for which the highest cash market price will be paid, delivered at any station on the Kent co. R. R., Queen Anne's & Kent R. R., on Chester River, Sassafras River or Lankford Bay.

Also, dealer in LEHIGH, SCHUYLKILL and BITUMINOUS

COAL.

Schuylkill, Wrightsville, North River and

SHELL LIME.

Can fill orders by rail or water at short notice.

Large lots will receive special rates.

☞ CASH PAID for POULTRY dry picked for Philad'a market, and OYSTERS in the shell.

B. F. FLEMING.

☞ FOR SALE—Twenty thousand NEW PEACH BASKETS, at extremely low figures. n24-tf.

A FULL STOCK of W. W. BRUSHES, LIME and HAIR *At THOMPSON'S, Up Town.*
Feb. 16, 1878.

SHOES! SHOES! New Stock Men's Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes, for sale cheap. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

HOSIERY, Gloves and Notions at bottom prices, at
17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S

BLACK DRESS SILKS at $1 and $1.25 per yard.
Nov. 10. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

The PLACE to Buy!

CLOTHING.

The Time to buy, Now!

A Large Winter Stock to be CLOSED OUT CHEAP!

S. MERRITT

Will continue the Clothing business and will be pleased to have all the customers of the late firm continue their patronage.

In order to reduce our stock of WINTER GOODS we are

NOW SELLING

MEN'S, YOUTHS' and BOYS' CLOTHING,

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

AND HATS and CAPS, AT

VERY REDUCED PRICES

FOR THE CASH!

We have the Greatest Bargains for sale that we have ever had, embracing all grades from the finest to the low grades, all cut and made up in the best manner.

We call Special attention to recent purchases of

OVER-COATS

in price ranging from **$3.50 up.**

BOYS' SUITS from	$3.00 up.
YOUTHS' " "	$3.50 up.
MEN'S " "	$5.00 up.

And in fact everything *as low if not lower than the same can be purchased in the city.*

Call early if you want BARGAINS!

As these goods must be sold to make room for Spring purchases.

S. MERRITT,
Opposite the Court House,
CHESTERTOWN.

Jan. 12, 1878.

J. M. LAROQUE'S ANTI-BILIOUS BITTERS
W. E. THORNTON PROPRIETOR. BALTIMORE.

A POSITIVE CURE for Headache, Dyspepsia, Nervousness, Constipation, and all bilious diseases may be found in J. M. LAROQUE'S ANTI-BILIOUS BITTERS. 25 cents a paper. $1.00 a bottle.
W. E. THORNTON,
Baltimore and Harrison Streets, Baltimore.

J. M. LAROQUE'S ELIXIR OF CALASAYA BARK, a pleasant Cordial, which strengthens the weak and debilitated, is an excellent preventive of Fever, Fever and Ague, &c., and a great Tonic, especially applicable to those nervous diseases incident to females. $1.25 a bottle.
W. E. THORNTON,
Baltimore and Harrison Streets, Baltimore.

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE FLORIDA WATER OF J. M. LAROQUE, delightfully refreshing and purifying, supersedes Cologne and Bay Rum. An indispensable requisite for the bath and toilet. Price reduced to 50 cents a bottle.
W. E. THORNTON,
Baltimore and Harrison Streets, Baltimore.

PEARLY WHITE TEETH, ROSY RED GUMS, A FRAGRANT FLOWERY BREATH, are the invariable results of the use of J. M. LAROQUE'S LIQUID ODONTINE, the standard Tooth Wash of the elite and fashionable. 50 cents a bottle.
W. E. THORNTON,
Baltimore and Harrison Streets, Baltimore.

RICHMOND, VA., March 6th, 1878.
Mr. W. E. THORNTON:—Dear Sir: Your LAROQUE ANTI-BILIOUS BITTERS have proved decidedly beneficial to me. Having used them for Dyspepsia, I am glad to recommend them to all who suffer with that terrible disease. Very respectfully,
A. T. VIANI, No. 1904 Main Street.

W. E. THORNTON, Sole Proprietor,
Baltimore and Harrison Sts., Baltimore, Md.

WANTED,

EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT

WM. C. A. THOMPSON

☞ HAS REMOVED ☜

To the CORNER STORE Up Town, lately occupied by Mr. James Wood, where he will be glad to see his friends and the public in general. Will keep on hand as usual a full assortment of

DRY GOODS,
BOOTS & SHOES,
GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
NOTIONS, &c.

Which will be sold at the VERY LOWEST PRICE for cash or trade.

Remember THOMPSON's object is to keep a LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

☞ Country Produce wanted for the cash or trade.

Stop and take a look and then you can see for yourself. Respectfully,
WM. C. A. THOMPSON.
Jan. 12, 1878. Up Town.

WHITE AND RED FLANNELS, 15, 20, 25 and 30 cts; Canton, 8, 10, 12 and 15 cts. Best in town for the price. Come and see at
n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

Chester River Steamboat Company.

On and after April 2d, the new

Iron Steamer B. S. FORD

Will leave Balt. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10, A. M., for Chestertown, stopping at Kent Island, Queenstown, Quaker Neck, Booker's & Rolph's.

Returning, leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 A. M., making the above stops.

Will stop at Grey's Inn going to Baltimore on Mondays and returning on Saturdays.

Steamer GEO. LAW

will leave Baltimore every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, for Crumpton, at 10, A. M., stopping at Kent Island, Queenstown, Grey's Inn Creek, Quaker Neck, Booker's, Rolph's and Chestertown.

Returning, leave Crumpton every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 A. M., making the above stops.

mh30. H. A. ALBERT, Sec'y.

For Sassafras River!

The Steamer TRUMPETER

Will resume her trips Thursday, Feb. 28, leaving Georgetown at 7½ o'clock A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving in Baltimore at 2 o'clock P. M.

Returning will leave Baltimore at 10½ A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for all landings on Sassafras River, and BUCK NECK. The Stage from Chestertown will make close connection as usual.

The TRUMPETER is in fine condition and no effort will be spared that will contribute to the comfort and pleasure of passengers

A. L. COLMARY, Master.
Feb. 23, 1878—tf.

It has gained a Great Reputation!

J. F. LEARY'S Compound Syrup OF Wild Cherry AND Tar

COMBINED WITH GUMS AND BARKS *Obtained from Germany.*

J. F. LEARY, after much labor and expense, has succeeded