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The Kent News.

SATURDAY - - - - - - MAY 4, 1878.

THE HOG.

Somehow I don't feel natural--something about me is irregular, and I can't seem to figure just what it is. I guess, however, I feel poetic—feel a hankering to write on something that has a pile of sentiment in it; and I can't think of a subject that fits me so well as a hog—so I propose to mount the critter.

The hog, to begin with, is—a hog. I've looked carefully over Webster and Worcester, Barnum's Autobiography, Ben Butler's speeches, and the evidences before the Credit Mobilier Committee, in all of which there is a description of the hog; but I can't find a definition anywhere that comes so near reaching from the point of the critter's tail to the end of his snout, as the word hog. There isn't, in fact, a square inch on the legitimate hog that I could ever find which this definition don't cover all over. The original hog has *fore* legs and *four* legs, and these are all the legs he has; but he's hog enough to take more if he could get 'em. He uses his legs to go to swill, and to go to bed. His principal exercise is going to bed and going to swill.

This critter's bump of get-all-you-can is some considerable big; it starts from his shoulders, and swells largely to the end of his nose, but don't go any further in that direction, because there isn't any more hog that way to swell on; if there was, it wouldn't stop so abruptly.—It is too full of the elements of growth, however, to rest there, but turns short about and runs on the other side of the critter to his posterior finis; thence running to the point of beginning, continuing as much get-all-you-can as there is hog, be it the same more or less. A genuine hog may be detected by the straight-out character of his hair. Hair of a good quality, and of any self-respect never selects a hog to grow on. Nice hair hates a hog about as bad as a Jew does.

I think a hog goes to greater extremes to preserve his identity than anything I ever knew. He looks and acts hoggish clean to the tip end of his tail, which is certainly the furtherest *extreme* he can reach. The end of a pig's tail, it seems to me, looks meaner than anything I ever saw, except the hog himself. I never could see the policy of ending up a hog with such a tail as he carries. It don't seem to me of any earthly use, either to the hog or any body else. Most tails are used to brush off the flies, or for ornaments; but that tail isn't constructed for brushing off flies, its to narrow, it wouldn't hit a fly once in a hundred times if it tried to, and darn me if its ornamental. All it does is to curl itself up and set there, just as if it was proud of its position. I can't see that it has anything to be stuck up about; there are a good many nicer locations than it occupies, I think.

But the genuine hog isn't the only hog in this world. We have the bogus hog, which is very similar to the genuine; but he don't have but two legs. He is too mean to have more than two legs. You can find the bogus hog pretty regularly, about noon, in some gin-mill, indulging in five cents' worth of ale, which he pays for, and two dollars' worth of lunch which he don't pay for. On Sundays he harnesses up in his good clothes, and steals the gospel by occupying the pew which you rent. You feel delighted to accommodate him in this way for six months, or such a matter, but, after he has worshiped at your expense for a year or two, you begin to get a little fatigued. He's pretty sure to get around about the time the *Wild Oats* comes, and he's just as sure to sit down and read it an hour when you want it yourself. He thinks the *Wild Oats* a first-rate paper, and hopes it will prosper! He's a regular reader of all the papers he can get without paying for them, and seems to enjoy it hugely; but he often expresses his astonishment that some paper don't provide itself with a new set of type! He's a mighty liberal critter; he'll give a three-cent piece to a starving widow, any time, unless he happens to have change, which, by the way, is generally the case. The bogus hog is right in his glory on a railway car; he'll occupy at least two seat, and let an old and feeble woman stand for the want of one, unless some mild-mannered gentleman politely threatens to press the end of his nose down to a level with his face, in which case he grunts, and begins to wind in his legs and relieve one seat from the pressure of eight or ten feet of feet. Sometimes he pleads sickness as a reason for requiring the use of two seats, but you needn't be afraid to bet that his appetite is in a fair state of vigor, and that he'll eat three chickens, six sand-wiches, a dozen oranges, and five loaves of bread before he's gone fifty miles.

I guess, may be, you may have observed that the hog isn't a favorite of mine; but I'll say right here that for intimate association, to sleep with, and to do business with, I prefer the genuine, original hog to the bogus, by all odds. And now, if you'll dress up in your spectacles, and look pretty sharp, you'll see a period after the words "No more hog at present."

DAVE WOOD.

IT has been customary in old communities to suspend pieces of stick sulphur around the necks of children as a protection against contagion in epidemics. A thorough washing with *Glenn's Sulphur Soap* has been found a much better preventative. Sold everywhere. Hale's Hair and Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50 cents. m4-4t.

THE New York *Herald* does not agree with Mr. Froude in his argument to prove that Christianity is declining. It points to the fact that the works of Paine, Rousseau and Voltaire are not to be found on the shelves of the libraries of the people, and also to the fact that Bob Ingersoll was only listened to to be laughed at, and wherever he went he failed to secure disciples or awaken any faith in his doctrines. The *Herald* is right for once.

SENATOR LAMAR, of Mississippi, sent the following sentiment to the Augusta (Ga.) St. Patrick banqueters: The typical Irishman: His home—the world. His friends—all the peoples. His faith—his own. No clime to him so cold as will not produce a shamrock; no soil so barren as will not produce a shillalah. Foremost at a fight, a frolic or a funeral, his generous nature finds a blow for the bad, a smile for the glad, or a tear for the sad."

An Undeniable Truth.

You deserve to suffer, and if you lead a miserable, unsatisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is but one excuse for you,—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's August Flower will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sales now reach every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

THE Hon. S. S. Cox delivered a lecture in Washington recently on "The Poetry of Mechanism." Referring to the Pantheon, he concluded as follows: "If I were permitted, in a loftier Pantheon, to make a niche for the tenth Muse, it should be for the Muse of Mechanism, meditating upon the miracles, mutations and magnificence of the material Universe, and lifting a song, in which all should join, of praise to Him who is the Fountain of all force and the Giver of all grace."

IF you are coughing or not, and feel the presence of a cold in the system, use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and feel immediate relief. Price, 25 cents a bottle.

CHINESE WHEAT FIELDS.—Some of the Chinamen who have been forced to return to their native country learned while here to prefer wheat to rice as the staple article of food, and for some time paid considerable attention to its cultivation. It is now said that their home production is increasing so rapidly that there will soon be a surplus for export. So careful and close is Chinese agriculture that the wheat never yields less than forty bushels to the acre, and 25 cents a bushel pays well.

Various Causes—

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

FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS. 3

THE ONLY PERFECT

COMBINED MACHINE,

With different bars for Reaping and Mowing, is the

McCormick Combined Advance.

☞Farmers should examine carefully into its merits.

The Best is always the Cheapest. 3t.

SUN GUANO.

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The above goods has been on this market for several years as a Corn Fertilizer, and in neighborhoods where it has been well tested it is generally regarded as second to none.

FOR SALE BY

T. W. ELIASON, JR.,

At the LOW PRICE of

$32 PER TON,

on 10 months time, delivered here or on board of vessel in Baltimore.

Black Residuum,

Guaranteed to Prevent Corn from Frenching.

Will pay the Farmer whose land generally frenches the Corn two or three hundred per cent.

☞Have yet to hear of the first failure where a fair trial was made.

☞For sale at the low price of

$12.50 Per Ton,

By T. W. ELIASON, JR.

April 6—tf.

HORNER'S

Ammo. Super Phosphate.

Soluble S. Carolina Phosphate,

TWO GRADES.

For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

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WHITELOCK

VEGETATOR!

For OATS, CORN, GRASS, POTATOES and other Vegetables.

Dissolved Bones,

Warranted entirely pure.

W. WHITELOCK,

a6-2m. 44 South St., Baltimore.

PUBLIC LOCAL LAW

OPERATIVE IN KENT COUNTY.

CHANGE of VOTING PLACE

CHAPTER 220.

AN ACT changing the place of voting in the Third Election District of Kent County, Maryland, from "Worton Heights," or "Hanesville" to Smithville in said Election District.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the place of voting in the Third Election District of Kent County, Maryland, be and is hereby changed from "Worton Heights," or "Hanesville" to Smithville in said Election District.

SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

☞We hereby certify, that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of Assembly passed January Session, 1878.

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary of Senate.
M. Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk of House of Delegates.

April 27, 1878—3t.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

COME AND SEE!

MY large and well selected stock of COLLARS, BRIDLES, HARNESS, and the best WHIPS in town.

☞Full stock of everything in this line. Hard times has made low prices. Harness of all kinds made to order.

I invite those who need anything in my line to call and examine my stock.

Thankful for past favors.

Mar. 9. J. F. HOWARD

CHURCH HILL MILL.

FLOUR, MEAL, FEED.

HAVING leased the Church Hill Mill I am prepared to make FLOUR of finest quality, and will furnish it in large or small quantities to persons in Chestertown or neighborhood.

Also, MEAL, CHOP STUFF and all kinds Mill Feed, at lowest prices.

All orders promptly filled.

jly. GEO. B. KRALL.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, at MING'S.

Spring and Summer!

1878.

Important Announcement!

"PRO BONO PUBLICO."

J. FRANK CONNELLY

Having just returned from the "Monumental City," is able to offer to the citizens of Kent and adjoining counties the

FINEST, BEST and CHEAPEST STOCK OF

CLOTHING

ever before on exhibition, and at prices that are surprising.

We are selling

BOYS' SUITS worth	$7.00	at $5.50
YOUTHS' "	$14.00	$11.00
MEN'S "	$10.00	$8.00

Gents' Furnishing Goods.

We flatter ourselves to say that we have the finest and best selected stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods ever before offered to the public.

We are selling the celebrated CROWN SHIRT at $1.25.

BOOTS and SHOES.

We have added to our stock of Clothing a fine stock of BOOTS AND SHOES for Spring and Summer wear.

☞Don't fail to visit our establishment before purchasing, as an examination of our stock will convince that what we say is not to be doubted, as we are determined not to be undersold.

☞No trouble to show goods.

Most respectfully,

J. FRANK CONNELLY,

Apr. 20, 1878. CHESTERTOWN.

CLOSING OUT

SALE

OF

Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes.

OUR

ENTIRE STOCK

MUST POSITIVELY BE SOLD BY

May 1st!

☞CALL AT ONCE and make your purchases. Your LAST CHANCE for Cheap Goods.

Will positively sell our entire stock

At and Below Cost.

Among the Cheap Goods are to be found:

Finest Light Spring Shades of ALPACAS 15c.; Price elsewhere 25c.

Figured DRESS GOODS, new Spring shades, 20c.; price elsewhere 30c.

BED SPREADS from 50c. up.

MUSLINS at all prices, cheaper than ever.

TOWELS 5c.

TABLE LINEN 25c.

SHOES

Fifty per cent. lower than any Store in Town,

And a thousand other articles to be sold positively

AT AND BELOW COST.

We intead vacating store May 1st.

JOSEPH ROSE,

BORDLEY'S CORNER, No. 1,

Adjoining Clothing Store of T. S. Bordley.

March 23, 1878.

A FULL STOCK of W. W. BRUSHES, LIME and HAIR

At THOMPSON'S, Up Town.

Feb. 16, 1878.

1878

SPRING GOODS!

Spring Goods!

J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.,

Chestertown, Md.,

Have opened for the Spring trade a larger and more complete stock of goods than ever before at prices that will compete with any.

DRY GOODS.

Calicoes in beautiful styles, from 5c. per yard up. Blch'd and unblch'd Muslins all widths and prices; plain & plaid Dress Goods, Alpacas, Poplins, &c. Linen Dress Goods, Cassimeres, Cottonades, Flannels, White Goods, Victoria Lawn, Wh. Pique, Percales, Cretonnes, &c.

NOTIONS.

Gents', Ladies', Misses' & Children's Hosiery in great variety, at all prices; Silk & Linen Hdkfs; Towels, Bed Spreads, Table Napkins, Hamburg Edging, very cheap. Trimming for Linen Dress Goods; Gents' White Shirts, &c.

Shoes! Shoes!

Would call special attention to our stock of SHOES. Will compare favorably with any in town, both as to quality and prices. Men's & Boys' Congress Gaiters, Box Toe Gaiters, Men's & Boys' English Ties, do. Plow Shoes; Ladies' & Misses' Kid Fox Button and Lace Gaiters; do. Peb. Button Bals.; children's Peb. Button & Goat Lace Bals.; Gents' & Ladies' Morocco Slippers; Ladies', Misses' & Children's peg'd grain Balmorals.

HATS, Wool and Fur,

of latest Spring styles, for Men and Boys.

OIL CLOTHS—Floor, Table and Stair.

MATTING—white and checked.

GROCERIES, Crockery-ware, &c.

We have a large stock, bought at close figures, which we offer at small profits, and will make it to the advantage of cash buyers to call and examine goods and prices before purchasing.

April 13. J. H. SIMPERS & BRO.

Business Notice.

THE Firm of W. W. PARKS & SONS having been dissolved by mutual consent, the undersigned will conduct the

Dry Goods and Grocery BUSINESS,

at the stand of the late firm as before. They are thankful to the generous public for such liberal patronage as was extended the late firm, and hope by undivided attention to business, integrity of purpose and due manifested interest in their customers' welfare, to merit a continuance of same. In consideration of these former favors pledge themselves ever to protect their customers' interest.

Our aim shall ever be to purchase goods at the closest figures and sell at a small profit, so as to give the purchaser the most value for the least money possible.

Don't forget to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. No trouble to show goods. Come one, come all! for we intend to be

Truly, the purchasers' friend,

PARKS BROS.

To my Friends and the Public

Thankful for the liberal share of patronage received during the last ten years, I solicit a continuation of the same for my sons, who will deal justly with you in every respect, and will not relax any effort to please. All accounts will be left with my sons for settlement, which I hope will be at your earliest convenience, either by note or cash.

Yours, respectfully,

apr6-4t. WM. W. PARKS.

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 transfered any assessable property since the reent 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.

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 straight 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,
and others.

a6-5t.

Lumber! Lumber!

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Shingles, Pickets,	Laths, Scantling,
Siding,	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.

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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 possession, 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 ¾ 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 got 10, 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.

ESTABLISHED 1848.

HORNER'S

CONCENTRATED

SUPERPHOSPHATE

FOR ALL CROPS,

It is made of the best and most concentrated materials, possesses all the virtues of PERUVIAN GUANO and BONE DUST combined, and is well adapted to Wheat, Corn, Oats, &c., producing abundant crops where all others fail. Having a large percentage of Soluble and Precipitated **Phosphoric Acid and Ammonia**, it is without doubt **the richest Commercial Fertilizer in the country.**

HORNER'S

BONE-DUST

Made only of Slaughter-house Bones, contains a larger percentage of AMMONIA and BONE PHOSPHATE LIME than any other brand in the market.

WE OFFER

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

For the Detection of any Impurity in our Manufacture of Bone.

We do not steam or bake our Bones, or otherwise treat them so as to destroy the animal matter, which is rich in Ammonia.

THE BEST ARTICLE in the MARKET

HORNER'S

SUPERPHOSPHATE LIME,

OR

DISSOLVED BONE,

MADE OF PURE SLAUGHTER-HOUSE BONES.

It is richer in **Soluble Phosphoric Acid and Ammonia** than any similar article in the market.

Samples and Prices sent on application.

Joshua Horner, Jr., & Co.,

Cor. Bowly's Wharf and Wood St.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

For Sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR

MEN'S BOOTS, extra quality, and very cheap. Call and see them, at

n17. J. B. SAPPINGTON'S.

CORN! CORN! CORN!

AND

SPRING CROPS.

HORNER'S

AMMONIATED

Raw Bone Superphosphate

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