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Kent News.

CHESTERTOWN:
SATURDAY MORNING.....August 5, 1882.

LIKE A RIVER.

H. C. DODGE.

You water notice, if you can,
How like a river is a man:
Both "bust a bank" and "run" away
And take the "rocks" with them, they say;
But "rise" from off a "bed of springs"
O'er which a "sheet" of water clings.
They both sometimes are "deep" in "pools,"
But have "lines taut" by "rods" in "schools"
Of fishes where is "hook"-ey played,
And both have "bill-owes" never paid.
A river's "mouth" is near a "bar,"
So is a man's, and both "mouths" are
With "schooner's" filled; both "overflow"
And both get "high" and "dry" and "low."
Sometimes both have a "swollen head"
And "black ice" from a "fall" it's said.
They both are "docked;" both "go to see"
And both are "fresh" as they can be.
Both men and rivers spray. Each cracks
"High-water" up for "cat-aracts."
Rivers have sluice-ways not a few,
And man, alas, has loose ways, too.
You wade a river when you can
With fish scales; so you've weighed a man.
A river's tide may run away;
A man that's tied must shore-ly stay.
A river's bottom oft is struck
And—well, we all have had that luck.
Rivers and men are "shallow" quite
And on their "billows" rest at night.
Both often "freeze;" they both are "jumped"
And when they're "sounded" they are "bumped."
They both get "drunk;" they both get "jammed,"
And both, alas, sometimes get "dammed."

—Whitehall Times.

Farms Fifty Years Ago.

Fifty years ago the farmers depended almost wholly on products of their farms for the supply of their tables, and largely for their clothing. A writer in the Boston Journal thus sketches the raising of the raw material for garments and the process of manufacturing them at the farm-house:

Every farmer kept a flock of sheep, and wool constituted a large proportion of the clothing of the family. It was carded, spun and wove at home, and made into garments for both sexes. The best clothing for the men and boys were made of what is called "fulled cloth." This was made at home, of the finest material, and taken to the mills known as "fulling mills," where it was put through a process of thickening, dyeing and finishing. The women used to wear gowns of cloth which was called "pressed woolen." This was simply home-made flannel, taken to the mills above named and pressed so as to present a glossy surface.

Every farmer had a small patch of flax. This was pulled and spread out in rows on the ground, "rotted," and then "broken" and "swingled," and was thus prepared for the combing, carding and the "little wheel," as the machine was called on which flax was spun, to distinguish it from the larger machine for spinning wool.

It was woven into cloth for table covers, towe-ling, sheeting and shirting. The "tow," which was the coarse portion combed out on the "hetchel," was spun into coarse yarn, of which a cloth was made for summer suits for the men and boys.

The tow shirt, so commonly worn, was, when new, an instrument of torture to the wearer, as it was full of prickling spines left from the woody part of the stalk.

The tailor of the old days, with his goose, traveling from house to house, to make up the clothes for the men and boys—or to cut and fit them for the gossiping "tailoress" to complete—is not known to the present generation.

Save the Poultry Manure.

Poultry manure, being nearly free from water, is more concentrated than that from the stable, and being rich in ammonia, decomposes very rapidly. It should never be used alone, but can be properly prepared with road dirt, muck or plaster. One part of hen manure should be composted with two parts dirt, and the whole intimately mixed. To this should be added two quarts of plaster for each bushel of the mixture. There are two methods of preserving this manure. One is to mix as above and keep perfectly dry; another and an excellent method is to keep the mixture always moist with strong soapsuds, not clear water which not only hastens the process of decomposition, but fixes the active principles by direct union with the fat acids. Wood ashes are unfit for mixing with poultry droppings, as potash in the caustic state rapidly liberates ammonia. Nor should lime be used, for the same reason. Either can be added, however, just previous to application, if the soil is heavy; but it is better to use no lime in this connection where the soil is light. Hen manure should never be placed in contact with tender seeds, but rather beneath them where it will be appropriated by the roots at the proper time. As a "starter" for corn nothing equals a handfull of the above mixture in a hill, and mixed with stable manure it greatly facilitates the growth of all plants. After the plants are well under way they may, with benefit, be treated to a good handful scattered around the hill, but plenty of plaster is always a useful assistant in its application. Hen manure is a different material from Peruvian guano. Guano is derived from birds that feed on fish, while poultry manure comes from birds fed largely on grain.

Pickles Which Will Keep.—To 100 cucumbers add one pint of fine salt, dissolved in boiling water and poured on them hot. Let it stand 24 hours; turn off and rinse. Then dissolve in boiling water a piece of alum of the size of a small egg, and pour it on the cucumbers. Let it stand six hours, pour off and rinse. Then scald sufficient of the best cider vinegar to cover, spiced with half an ounce each of cloves, cinnamon and white mustard, with a cupful of sugar. Put this upon the cucumbers boiling hot, and you have nice brittle pickles, with no more trouble than when they are packed in salt.—*Country Gentleman.*

How to Treat Bites and Stings.—Apply instantly, with a soft rag, most freely, spirits of hartshorn. The venom stings being an acid the alkali nullifies it. Fresh wood ashes, moistened with water and made into a poultice, frequently renewed, is an excellent substitute, or soda or saleratus, all being alkalies. To be on the safe side in case of snake or mad-dog bites, drink brandy, whiskey, rum or other spirits, as free as water, a teacupful or a pint or more, according to the aggravation of the circumstances.—*Journal of Health.*

The Country Gentleman, in reply to a question as to the largest yield of wheat, states that David Shank, of Union Springs, N. Y., many years ago, realized 120 bushels from two acres, and that J. Blackmer, of Wheatland, N. Y., about the same time, raised 68 bushels and some quarts from an acre. The largest increase from the seed is to be obtained by this seeding on rich ground in drills, accompanied with repeated cultivation of the soil.

A cablegram from Alexandria says that "The American admiral performed a graceful act yesterday. He steamed around the British fleet, and his men cheered each ship in succession," and the Chicago Tribune says that "The admiral is indeed a brave man. Any one who will go right out on the water in an American man-of-war does not know what fear means."

In France when vinegar is to be made, clean barrels are rinsed with old vinegar before the new substance is put in. The rinsing is said to make vinegar in about half the time required without it. Adding a little strong vinegar to fresh cider will also help to expedite the acetous fermentation.

Nobody enjoys the nicest surroundings if they are in bad health. There are miserable people about to-day to whom a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic would bring more solid comfort than all the medicine they have ever tried.—*News.*

The BEST is the CHEAPEST!

WHEELER & WILSON'S
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Runs lighter, runs faster, makes less noise, and is more durable than any other machine in the market.
Old Machines from $5 to $10.
All orders left with E. C. Reiche under the Voshell House, will receive prompt attention.
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Is a sure cure for Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus and Cholera Infantum, and elegant for Children Teething; has been tried and proven so by several families in this town and county, and can be obtained at 50 cts. per bottle, at
jy22. THOMPSON'S, Up Town.

The story of Mrs. Lincoln writing, when a young girl, a letter in which she expressed a determination to become the wife of a President, is confirmed by the production of the document, now in the possession of Gen. Preston, of Lexington, Ky. It was addressed to a daughter of Gov. Wickiffe, and contained a playful description of the gawky young Lincoln, to whom she was betrothed. She said: "But I mean to make him President of the United States all the same. You will see that, as I always told you, I will yet be the President's wife."

The champion swindler has been doing Western Maryland. He sells a "sure death" to potato bugs, charges fifty cents down, and the balance, $1.50, when the article is delivered. The article has been delivered, and consists of two square blocks of wood. One is inscribed, "Put the potato bug on this block;" the other, "Hit the potato bug with this block." Farmers are waiting for the swindler to call for his balance. He never calls.

Fortune for an Actor's Wife.—By the will of the late Joseph Swift, of Philadelphia, his two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Blanch and Mrs. Chas. R. Thorne, the latter the wife of Mr. Charles R. Thorne, Jr., a popular actor, come into the possession of an estate valued at from $750,000 to $1,000,000.

Fond of the Heathen Chinese.—Only a few days ago the marriage of an estimable young lady of Augusta, Ga., to a Chinaman of that city was announced. Sunday afternoon last, in the same city, Thomas Willey, a full-blooded Chinaman, led to the altar Miss Anna Niece, a respectable white girl.

Mr. Garfield's former residence in Washington is to be bought by the Ohio Republican Association, of that city, for $15,000, and is to be used as the Washington headquarters of Ohio Republicans.

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This, when mixed at home, makes ONE TON of SUPERIOR PHOSPHATE, equal in plant-life and as certain of successful crop-production as many high-priced Phosphates
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Powell's Chemicals have been thoroughly tried, give universal satisfaction, and we offer leading farmers in every state as reference.
Send for pamphlet giving full information of analytical and selling value of all fertilizing material.
What the leading Agricultural Journals of the Country say of us:
American Agriculturist, N. Y., Feb., 1882: "The above firm is of best repute in its own city and their guarantee is good."
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Sample Drills can be seen at either place and full supply of Repairs at list prices.
Resp'y, T. R. HUBBARD & SON,
my6-4m. Chestertown, Md.

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SPECIAL NOTICE
I desire to inform my friends and the public generally that I now have the
Handsomest Hearse on the Eastern Shore
which was specially built for me, and am better prepared to attend to any business entrusted to me than ever before, always keeping in stock a full line of Funeral Furniture, such as
METALLIC CASKETS,
which for beauty of design and fine finish cannot be excelled. We respectfully invite one and all to call in and examine these caskets and see for themselves the advantages we claim.
CLOTH COVERED WORK,
plain and in combination, always on hand and made to order. Also, full line of Wood Caskets, Burial Cases and Coffins, from the lowest to the finest grades manufactured in this country.
Our Dry Goods department is complete, and open for inspection, in which will be found Satins, Silks, Cashmere, Merino, Dobourg, Cloth and Stamped Satin. Also a full line of Burial Robes for children, ladies and gentlemen, which will be furnished for less money than the goods would cost to have them made.
Our *ICE CASKETS* are of the latest improved style, and are furnished to our customers free of charge, except for incidental expenses, such as ice, &c. Bodies are also kept by embalming, which science we have studied carefully, and guarantee satisfaction.
Our charges are moderate, work good, and always prompt and polite in attendance, and can refer to over 200 of the best families in this county with whom we have had business relations, to substantiate the above facts.
People at a distance need not hesitate to employ us, for our charges will be satisfactory, and we are as able as any other house to wait for the money. Thankful for the very kind and generous support I have received in the past, I hope to continue in your confidence and appreciation.
Respectfully, E. C. REICHE.
N. B.—Having incurred considerable expense, parties indebted will please come and settle by cash or note, as I have not the face or desire to be always dunning for money. E. C. R.
Dec. 31, 1881—tf.

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INSURES NOTHING BUT
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Insures against loss by FIRE and LIGHTNING.
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ASSETS (Net) - - $1,394,087.83.
Statement January 1, 1882:

United States Bonds	$222,950 00
Other Stocks and Bonds	268,720 00
Loans on Bonds and Mortgages, (1st lien)	459,216 95
Real Estate owned by the Comp'y	181,203 57
Loans on Collaterals, (valued at $119,050 00)	69,105 85
Cash in Company's office & banks of deposit	151,414 88
Interest and Rent due & accrued	17,977 77
Premiums in due course of collection	116,714 65
Total assets	$1,427,303 67
LIABILITIES.	
Losses adjusted but not due $5,468 84	
Losses unadjusted 27,645 00	
Miscellaneous 102 00	33,215 84
NET ASSETS, for protection of Policy holders	$1,394,087 83
Capital Stock $300,000 00	
Re-insurance Reserve (full N. Y. Standard) 879,395 36	1,179,395 36
NET SURPLUS over capital, reserve and all liabilities	$214,692 47
The company has paid for losses since its organization	$3,488,755 20

J. A. SHERMAN, Pres't.
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We are not an Association by an *Insurance Co.* paying in full *the face of our policies.*
We insure no horse or mule of less value than
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BOOTS & SHOES I am selling at cost.
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Give me a call and convince yourself that this is a Cheap Store, and where you can find everything kept in general stock.
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I am determined to sell at VERY CLOSE FIGURES for cash or Country Produce, and invite my friends and the public to give me a call.
SPECIAL!—In exchange for goods I will take LIVE STOCK—Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, &c.
Come and see me, opp. the Bank.
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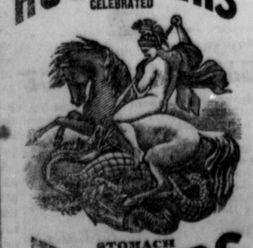

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Muzzle and Breech-Loading Guns, Revolvers, Ammunition, Leather Goods, Glass Balls, Glass Ball Traps, &c.
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Adapted to all requirements, and priced to suit all Purses.
LEADING FEATURES:—Double wood doors, Patent wood grate, Adjustable Damper, Interchangeable Automatic Shelf, Broiling Door, Swinging Hearth-Plate, Swinging Flue-Stop, Reversible, Gas-burning, Long Cross Piece, Double Short Centers, Heavy Ring Covers, Illuminated Fire Doors, Nickel Knobs, Nickel Panels, etc.
Unequalled in Material, in Finish and in Operation.
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THE Barber Shop at the old stand, corner of High and Court streets, attached to the Masonic Hall building, formerly conducted by Woolford & McCoy is now conducted by WOOLFORD Prompt and polite attention shown to all customers. tf.
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No. 11 North High Street,
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STEAMED OYSTERS a Specialty.
LODGING AND ROOMS furnished in best style.
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FISHING TACKLE
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Everything in Fishing and Oyster line Powder and Shot, and a complete assortment of General Hardware. fe7-y.

FORD'S BAZAR,
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The Great Bazar for useful and Fancy Household Goods.
Fine Triple Plate Silver Ware.
Fine Rolled-Plate Jewelry,
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LARGE STOCK OF
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Give me a call before sending your orders away from home, and the probabilities are that I will *save you money*, either in cash or quality of material.
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WHERE can be found such articles as are usually kept in stock in a well conducted Grocery.
Our stock comprises
SUGAR, COFFEE,
TEA, SALT SHAD, HERRING, MACKEREL, Pickles, Syrup, Molasses, Soaps, Notions, Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes, and in fact you may get most anything you call for.
COUNTRY PRODUCE wanted at all times. Highest prices paid, at
WHALAND'S,
GROCERY STORE, UP TOWN
Feb. 5, 1882—tf

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CHESTERTOWN,
Is prepared to make MARBLE MONUMENTS and TOMBSTONES, of any pattern, and warranted not to fade after put in place.
He flatters himself that his work and prices offer extra inducements to persons wanting anything in his line.
Call and examine specimens of work at his Yard near the Market House.
April 9, 1881—y.

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Watchmaker and Jeweler,
HIGH STREET, CHESTERTOWN,
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JEWELRY,
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Also, an assortment of Rogers' Silver Plated Ware, from the Meridan Factory, Conn. Call and examine my stock, as these Goods have been carefully selected, and among them will be found many BEAUTIFUL AND APPROPRIATE PRESENTS. Jan. 1, 1881.

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Slaked or Quick Lime
for Building purpoes, at the following rates at the kiln: slaked, 6c. per bushel, quick, 12c. per bushel.
oc15-tf. WM. PERKINS.

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And EXCHANGE STABLES
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THE undersigned has just opened a large Livery and Exchange Stable, and having a number of excellent vehicles and fine drivers, is prepared to accommodate the public with first-class teams at moderate prices. Orders left at my residence will be promptly attended to.
ag7-tf. CHAS. H. DAVIS.

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Cigars.—We honestly believe we have the finest 5c. Cigar in town. Try the "H. B. Venanor," or "Hobby." We have also a tip top 2 for 5. SPARKS.
Confectionery of all kinds from the old reliable house of Clark & Jones, than which there is none better in any city. Foreign Fruits in season. SPARKS, opp. Court House.
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Clocks, Lamps, Chimneys and Fixtures of all kinds, at SPARKS'.
Fine Tea Sets lower than you can buy them elsewhere. Call and see for yourself. SPARKS.
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Pure Spices, Pickles, Chocolate, Cocoa, Corn Starch, Jellies, Chow-Chow, Extracts, Blacking, and lots of other goods. Call and get bargains. SPARKS, opp. Court House.
June 17, 1882.

THE PLACE
To Buy Harness.
MY WHOLE STOCK AT
THE VERY LOWEST PRICES!
Great reductions have been made for this Spring's trade. I can suit all, and guarantee satisfaction. After 14 years' experience in the harness business I feel that I can and will give satisfaction in all dealings.
Call and examine my stock of
COLLARS,
BRIDLES,
HALTERS,
HARNESS,
SADDLES,
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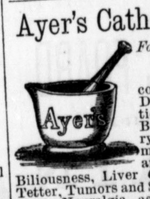

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