

The Farmers' Column.

County Roads.

A friend handed us the article below, with the request that we give our country readers the benefit of the useful suggestions it contains, and which, he advises us, are opinions he has always entertained. We, with pleasure, invite attention to the article:

"It is related that Demosthenes, when asked what was the first principle in oratory, replied 'action,' the second 'action,' the third 'action.' In as much as all persons will admit that a dry road is better than a wet one, if a similar question with regard to roads were asked, the reply from an experienced road maker would doubtless be, firstly 'drainage,' secondly 'drainage,' and thirdly 'drainage.' The next would be, what is the best form of the road bed, and the best means for accomplishing the object of keeping it in proper form?

"The writer, after an experience of over thirty years as supervisor of roads, is fully satisfied that all dirt roads, of whatever soil composed, (except sand,) should be highest in the middle, and have a regular slope to the side drains; and if the distance between the drains is about 25 feet, he would have them 2½ feet (at least) below the crown or centre of the road. It is also important, on hilly parts of the road, to have breaks of stone or brush (the latter being a good substitute if stone cannot be had) at suitable distances apart, to prevent the water from following the ruts and assisting in forming them. With this form of a road bed, the breaks need not be high if properly made, and will be very little obstruction to travel. If ruts are kept from forming, a large proportion of the water from rains will run directly off to the side drains, and not stand on the road to form mud holes. Should the road be flat or concave, and there is no inclination of the ground lengthwise of the road, the water having no outlet, it must remain and form miring places.

"The only plausible objection that the writer has even heard made against the rounded form of a road bed is, that by 'putting so much loose earth into the road, the mud in wet weather is made that much deeper.'

"Now, admitting, for argument's sake, such to be the case for a little while after the loose earth is placed there, yet, as we are striving for permanent improvement and facilities for repair, the objection is plausible only, and not real. For when that earth has become dry and packed by the travel on it it will become as hard as before being moved. Again, there will not be as much water absorbed by the earth, as the greater part of it will have passed off into the side drains. And, furthermore, in the spring, when the frost is out, and after rains, the highest part of the road will dry first, and the travel will take that part, be it on the right or left hand, or in the middle of the road.

"In building a house, the roof is constructed so as to carry off the water, and a farmer, when securing his hay, grain, &c., instead of making the stacks flat on top, or a little concave, generally aims to have it higher in the middle to carry off the water and not permit it to go through the bottom of the stack. Does not the parallel with regard to roads 'go on all fours?'

"In forming the road bed, the writer believes that the most economical plan is to do nearly all the work of moving the earth by horse-power. Two good horses or mules to plow out the side drains, and two one-horse cast iron scoops to be operated by the plowman, will, under favorable circumstances, move more earth than twenty men can with shovels and hoes. In addition to the above force, three or four men to remove stones, stumps, roots, &c., level the earth moved by the scoops and finish the side drains, are believed to be sufficient.

"For repairs, after the road bed is formed, (or it may be used under favorable circumstances in forming it,) the writer constructed a scraper, similar to such as, he was informed by a friend from New York, were used in that State, each supervisor being required to have one. In preserving the form of the road bed and filling up ruts, it will, in his opinion, do as much work, and do it better, than 100 men can with shovels and hoes. For two horses, it is made with a head-piece of 12 inches wide and 3½ inches thick, and 5 feet long, having a plate of iron bolted on the front side and extending about 1½ inches below the wood. To the head-piece attach the tongue and hounds by three strong bolts to and through it, the heads of the bolts being countersunk in the wood on the under edge, the tongue and head-piece to form an angle of 65 degrees with each other at the right and forward end of the scraping part. That part should be verticle when in use, and as the front end of the tongue, when the team is attached, will be lighter than the back end, it should be allowed for when attaching it to the head-piece. It is also necessary to have a lever some 7 or 8 feet long attached to the back part, to act as a rudder to keep it in position. If four horses are used, the head-piece may be 7 feet long.

"It is not claimed that this or any other plan will make a turnpike out of earth, as continued wet weather, with constant travel, together with freezing and thawing, will make bad roads at those seasons when they occur; yet, if the foregoing system is carried out, the writer firmly believes that, in the language of an acquaintance who was at one time opposed to it, but who is now convinced of its correctness, 'we shall have better roads longer in the year.'

"After getting all the railroads and turnpikes that we possibly can, there must still be left a far greater proportion of earthern roads, and which will be the more traveled from such improvements. It is of course our interest, therefore, to keep them in the best condition for use, and with all the means which are in our power. It needs no argument to prove that the wear and tear of vehicles, the straining of horses and the difficulty of getting produce to market, constitute a vastly heavier tax upon the community, than a reasonable sum of money judiciously expended upon our country roads. —Caleb Stabler, *in Rural Messenger.*"

How to Drive a Young Horse.—In teaching a young horse to drive well, do not hurry to see how fast he will trot. Keep each pace clear and distinct from the other; that is in walking make him walk, and do not allow him to trot. While trotting be equally careful that he keeps steady at his pace, and do not allow him to slack into a walk. The reins while driving, should be kept snug, and when pushed to the top of his speed, keep him well in hand, that he may learn to bear well upon the bit, so that when going at a high rate of speed he can be held at his pace; but do not allow him to pull to hard, for it is not only unpleasant, but it makes him often difficult to manage.

Temperance puts wood on the fire, meal in the tub, money in the purse, credit in the country, contentment in the house, clothes on the children, vigor in the body, intelligence in the brain, and spirit in the whole constitution.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, and to me directed, at the suit of Comegys Cosden, against the goods and chattles, lands and tenements of Ebenezer Neal, Samuel George Neal, Levin Neal, and Delmira Neal, lessees, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Samuel George Neal, in law and in equity, of, in, and to, the following property:

TWO ACRES OF LAND,

with the improvements thereon, situated in Quaker Neck, Kent county, Maryland, being the same land and premises which were devised to the said Samuel George Neal by Samuel Clark, by his last will and testament, now of record in the office of the Register of Wills for Kent county aforesaid, taken as the property of the said Samuel George Neal:

And I hereby give notice, that on

Wednesday, 8th day of November

1871, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in front of the Court House door in Chestertown, I will sell at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above property so seized, levied upon and taken in execution, to pay and satisfy the above writ, debts, interest and costs, due and to become due thereon.

R. W. CALDER,
Oct. 14, 1871—tds. (5.00) Sheriff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of Administration, on the personal estate of

WILLIAM T. ADKINSON,
late of Kent county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 3d day of June, 1872; otherwise they may be excluded by law from the benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 3d day of October, 1871.

BENEDICT B. ADKINSON,
Oct. 7, 1871—4t. Administrator.

Money Saved! Money Saved!!

By enclosing **ONE DOLLAR** (1.00) a three cent stamp and sample of goods, and getting in return ONE PAIR of *OUR OWN KID GLOVES,* in all the Fall shades and colors.

The only place to get them is at

W. H. RINGGOLD'S,
95 N. Charles Street,
3 doors South of Mulberry.

ONLY ONE DOLLAR PER PAIR, and every pair *GUARANTEED.*
Balt., Sept. 16, 1871.

C. F. Stam & Bro.,

APOTHECARIES,

Cor. High and Court streets,

CHESTERTOWN, Md.,

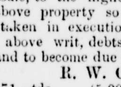
Have just received a large lot of

WINDOW GLASS, of all sizes,

which they are selling very cheap.
Sept. 30, 1871.

FALL ARRANGEMENT.

Chester River Steamboat Company.



On and after TUESDAY, October 2d, 1871, the **STEAMER GEO. LAW** will leave CRUMPTON every *Monday, Wednesday* and *Friday,* at 6:45 o'clock, stopping at Chestertown, Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Gray's Inn 9:30 A. M., Queenstown 10 A. M., and Kent Island 10:30 A. M., arriving in Baltimore by 1 o'clock, P. M.

Returning, leave Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10½ o'clock, A. M., making the above stops.

Freights received on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and in all cases must be *Pre-paid.*

A. T. JOYNES,
Sept. 30, 1871. Agent.

Chestertown Clothing Emporium!

AND

BOOT, SHOE,
And Furnishing Goods Store,

High St., opposite Eccleston property.

L. Hecht, successor to L. Hecht & Bro., takes this method of informing the patrons of the late firm and the public generally that he has now on hand a full stock of NEW AND FASHIONABLE CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, GENTS. FURNISHING GOODS, &c., of the very best material, and most fashionable styles, bought at the lowest cash prices, and will be sold a *little lower* than ever the same class of goods were offered in this market.

☞ SUITS MADE TO ORDER, of the best quality, in Fashionable Style, and a fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

For the liberal patronage extended to the late firm by the citizens of Kent and Queen Anne's, he respectfully returns his thanks; and flatters himself that in the use of the superior facilities he now possesses, to be able to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom. An early call is solicited.

LIEBMAN HECHT.
Chestertown, Sept. 2, 1871.

Drills and Hoes! Drills and Hoes!!

We would call the attention of the farmers to the Extras and Repairs of the Bickford & Hoffman Drill. Any piece, especially Steel Points, supplied. All other Drills repaired by

CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

The especial attention of the farmer is also called to our *Steel Hoe* for cutting off corn, which has been improved, being much lighter and more durable than heretofore.

We shall expect the cash in all cases for Drill work. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.
Sept. 2, 1871.

Natural Mineral Waters

For the Debilitated.

VICHY,
KISSENGEN,
CONGRESS,
AND OTHER WATERS.

For sale at
Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

FINE POMADES AND HAIR OILS.
For sale at *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

GALENA SEMINARY.

Boarding and Day School,
Galena, Kent County, Md.

E. L. BENNY, Principal.

The next scholastic year of the above Institution will commence on Monday, Sept'r. 4th, and close the following July.

Pupils can enter at any time, but those wishing to compete for Medals must enter the first day, continue punctual in attendance, and faithful to all the Rules throughout the year.

For Circulars and other particulars, apply to Editor of Transcript.
Aug. 26, 1871—tf.

FERTILIZERS.

I invite the attention of my friends and the Farmers generally to the following well known Fertilizers:

Bower's Complete Manure,
Patapsco Guano,
Bowen & Mercer's Super Phosphate,

Stocks of which I expect to keep on hand during the season.

I also solicit orders for

W. WHITELOCK & CO'S. VEGETATOR,
J. J. TURNER & CO'S. EXCELSIOR,
J. J. TURNER & CO'S. PHOSPHATE,
MORO PHILLIPS & CO'S
SUPER PHOSPHATE.

☞ Special arrangements for time can be made with me.

I can deliver any of the above Fertilizers at any point a customer may desire.

T. W. ELIASON, Jr.
Chestertown, Aug. 26, 1871—2m.

New Firm in the Lumber Business!



Having purchased the entire stock of Mr. Wm. Vannort in the Lumber Business, we intend to keep at his old stand a full and complete assortment of

BUILDING MATERIAL;

AND A LARGE STOCK OF LUMBER, to which we invite the attention of consumers, comprised in part of Select Cullings, 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4 White Pine, 5-8 Siding. Yellow Pine Dressed Flooring,
White Pine Scantling and Bill Stuff,
Hemlock Joist, Scantling & Bill Stuff,
White Pine and Hemlock Fencing,
White Pine and Cypress Shingles,
Laths, Pales, Window Sash glazed, and Window Shutters.

We hope, by attention to our business, to merit a full share of public patronage.

We will also continue the

CARPENTERING
AND
Undertaking

business with unabated vigor.

JOHN T. DODD & SON.
July 15, 1871—tf.

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY

AT

Private Sale.

The subscriber will sell at private sale his

Valuable Grist Mill

at Centreville, Queen Anne's County, Md.

This property is one of the most valuable of the kind on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, being a first-class stand for business, of which it has a large patronage, and being now in good order and condition. It is situated near the terminus of the Queen Anne's and Kent Railroad at Centreville, and within one mile of a Public Landing on Chester River.

There is attached to the property a few acres of fine Meadow land and Garden ground.



A DWELLING HOUSE is attached to and is part of the Mill house, and is of sufficient size for any ordinary family.

To a man of enterprise the property offers a first-rate business. The terms will be made easy and accommodating.

For information inquire of Wm. P. Sewall, on the premises; S. W. DeCoursey, Beverly, New Jersey; J. K. Hines, Chestertown; Lloyd Tilghman, Centreville, or the subscriber.

T. Dec. RUTH.
July 22—tf. Chestertown, Md.

NEW STOCK.

Ladies and gentlemen, young and old;
Youths and maidens, timid and bold;
And children! all call at the store of

Jas. H. Smith,

NEXT DOOR TO T. W. ELIASON & SON,

and examine his Stock of Christmas Goods, embracing in part a fresh and complete

STOCK OF CANDIS,
French, Medium and cheaper grades:
FRUITS;

A large quantity of the best Currants, 500 lbs. best Rasins; Oranges, Apples, Lemons, Prunes, Tamarinds, Dates, and the different

Varieties of Canned Fruits,

Chow-chow; Pickles of every variety;

NUTS

of all kinds;

ALMONDS, WALNUTS, PECAN, &c.

Sauces and Jellies; Crackers of all kinds;

FANCY GLASSWARE,

BOTH ORNAMENTAL AND USEFUL.

Fine assortment of

WAX AND OTHER DOLLS; TOYS;
CIGARS & TOBACCO.

My stock has been selected with care; it is fresh and good; and if the citizens of the county will give me a call will soon be sold.

JAMES H. SMITH.
Chestertown, Dec. 11, 1870—tf.

COAL.

Now is the time to get in your Stock of Coal.

Persons wanting any can have it delivered on their shore in lots, without extra charge, by applying at once to

TURNER BROS.
Betterton, Sept. 23, 1871.

NEW GOODS.

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September 9th, 1871.

I invite the attention of my customers and the public generally to a large assortment of New Goods to be opened during the early part of the coming week, embring, in part, a large assortment of

CASSIMERES,
KERSEYS,
CASSINETTS, &c.

FLANNELS,

RED and WHITE, PLAIN and TWILLED.

MERRIMACK, COCHECO & AMERICAN CALICOS, 12 1-2 Cts.

BLACK ALPACAS,

30, 50, 75 and $1.

LADIES, MISSES, CHILDRENS AND INFANTS

Balmoral Boots and Shoes,

BARGAINS IN FIRST-CLASS WORK.

Carpets, from 30 cts. to $1.

Floor Oil Cloths, from 40 to 90 cts.

PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR, at Baltimore prices.

FINE and GROUND ALUM SALT, at Baltimore prices.

SYRUPS and MOLASSES, SUGARS, COFFEES, &c

T. W. ELIASON, JR.
Sept. 9, 1871.

Attention

The most elegant mode of *perfuming* clothing is by placing them in contact with odoriferous substances. This end can be attained by purchasing at the Drug Store of T. W. WICKES the most popular and prevailing perfumes now used. You can also find at his store a most elegant assortment of Combs, Brushes, Soaps, and Fancy Articles, all of the finest quality, and at city retail prices. The Bachelor Hair Dye, which is used so extensively in Europe and this country, and which has been satisfactorily proven by men of science and taste to be the best Hair Dye in the world, is sold by T. W. Wickes. Natural Mineral Waters for the debilitated, such as Vichy, Kissengen, Saratoga, and other waters. Spices, Ginger, Cloves, Cinnamon, Allspice, Mustard, Mace, Black and Red Pepper, Nutmegs, and *ground* Sage. Extracts for flavoring, of all varieties. Fine Cigars and Chewing and Smoking Tobacco. Jan. 7, 1871.

NOTICE.

Cut this out and keep it for Reference.

When you visit the city go to

W. H. RINGGOLD'S,
95 N. Charles Street,

UNDER SHIRTS AND DRAWERS,
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS.

He can sell them

Cheaper than any one!

And you can

Pay your expenses in your purchases!

☞ Don't fail to go: he has the very article you want.

Do not forget the Number!

W. H. RINGGOLD,
95 N. Charles st., 3 doors South of Mulberry.
Baltimore, Sept. 24, 1870.

Removal.

CIGARS & CONFECTIONARY.

Richard B. Russell

Has removed to the store lately occupied by Wash. Hudgins, nearly opposite the Voshell House, and is

Manufacturing Cigars

with a view to supplying the store-keepers as CHEAP AS THEY CAN BE BOUGHT IN THE CITY!

Chewing Tobacco of all grades,

both natural and sweet; and also Fine Cut.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF
Smoking Tobacco,
SNUFF AND PIPES,



A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

CANDIES

AND

FRUITS.

FRESH BREAD EVERY AFTERNOON FROM THE BAKERY OF MRS. GRUBER.

☞ A good smoke or a good chew may always be had at

RICHARD B. RUSSELL'S.
Chestertown, May 20, 1871—tf.

"RISING SUN" SALOON,

On Bridge St. near Cross, Chestertown,

Is fitted up for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen with all the delicacies usually found in the the Saloons of the city.

In the Ladies' Saloon, Ladies will be served with Cake, Ice Crem, Oysters in all styles of cooking, Terrapins, Crabs, Beef-Steaks, Fried Ham, all the delicacies of the season, at the short notice.

In the Gentlemens Saloons, Gentlemen will in addition be served with choice cigars.

☞ Parties will be supplied with everything needful for refreshment tables—and Ice.

☞ Families supplied with Oysters, Ice Cream, Water Ices, Custard &c., by the gallon upon reasonable terms.

ICE

In large or small quantities for sale, and delivered every morning to regular customers in Chestertown.

The long experience of the subscriber as a caterer, justifies him in asking a liberal patronage from the public.

WILLIAM PERKINS.
13-'68. Proprietor

ATTENTION.

Thurston's
PEARL TOOTH POWDER

Whitens the teeth, strengthens the gums, purifies the breath, and is the most perfect Tooth Powder made. For sale at
Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE*

VINEGAR BITTERS



J. Walker, Proprietor. R. H. McDonald & Co., Druggists & Gen. Agents, San Francisco, Cal., and 34 Commerce St., N.Y.

MILLIONS Bear Testimony to their Wonderful Curative Effects.

Vinegar Bitters are not a vile **Fancy Drink,** Made of **Poor Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits and Refuse Liquors,** doctored, spiced and sweetened to please the taste, called "Tonics," "Appetizers," "Restorers," &c., that lead the tippler on to drunkenness and ruin, but are a true Medicine, made from the Native Roots and Herbs of California, **free from all Alcoholic Stimulants.** They are the **GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER and A LIFE GIVING PRINCIPLE,** a perfect Renovator and Invigorator of the System, carrying off all poisonous matter and restoring the blood to a healthy condition. No person can take these Bitters according to directions and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and the vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

They are a Gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing, also, the peculiar merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver, and of all the Visceral Organs.

FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS, whether in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood or at the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters have no equal.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these **Bitters** have been most successful. **Such Diseases** are caused by **Vitiated Blood,** which is generally produced by derangement of the **Digestive Organs.**

DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms are the offsprings of Dyspepsia.

They invigorate the Stomach and stimulate the torpid Liver and Bowels, which render them of unequalled efficacy in cleansing the blood of all impurities, and imparting new life and vigor to the whole system.

FOR SKIN DISEASES, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-Worms, Scald Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin, of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters. One bottle in such cases will convince the most incredulous of their curative effect.

Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.

PIN, TAPE, and other **WORMS,** lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.

J. WALKER, Proprietor. R. H. McDONALD & CO., Druggists and Gen. Agents, San Francisco, Cal., and 32 and 34 Commerce Street, New York.

August 5 1871—y

NOTICE.

JOHN P. RINGGOLD,
in consequence of extending the Fountain Hotel, has REMOVED his

HOSIERY AND UNDERGARMENT STOCK

from 175 West Baltimore Street, to

No. 18 N. CHARLES St., near Fayette.

New Scarfs for Ladies.
BALBRIGGAN HOSIERY.
OPEN WORK HOSIERY.
LACE & LISLE THREAD HOSIERY
PURE SILK HOSIERY.
MISSES' SILK HOSIERY.

☞ *We are determined to sell cheap.*

RINGGOLD'S HOSIERY BAZAR,
18 North Charles street.

RINGGOLD'S BAZAR,
18 North Charles St.,
Near Fayette.

MISSES' MERINO SHIRTS 37½ cts.
BOYS' MERINO SHIRTS 50 cents.
Large stock of Ladies thin UNDERWEAR from auction, cheap.
Don't fail to see our FANCY HOSE, the largest assortment in the city.
Cartwright & Warner's UNDERGARMENTS, all qualities, and cheap.
Baltimore, May 6, 1871.

GROCERIES,

WINES AND LIQUORS.

NOTICE.

To all lovers of good Brandies, Wines, Teas and Groceries.

I am prepared to offer great inducements to customers, wholesale and retail. Keep constantly on hand a large and well selected Stock of Goods, consisting in part of

Green and Black Teas, of choice chops; offees—Java, Laguyra, Rio, &c.

English and American Pickles, Capers and Condiments, Olives, Italian Maccaroni and Vermecilla. Frehs Canned Fruits of all kinds; Canned Meats and Fish; Foreign and Domestic Preserves and Jellies. I have on hand a fine stock of

Old Brandies, Wines, Whiskeys, Gin,

which I offer to Hotel keepers at the very lowest prices, and ask a call.

THOMAS M. GREEN.
88 *W. Baltimore Street, near Holiday.*
Sept. 25, 1869—y.

Buy the first national white lead. It is the cheapest, most durable and brilliant of any Lead in the market. For sale by

C. F. STAM & BRO.,
May 6, 1871—y. Chestertown, Md.

Medical Card.

Dr. T. S. HOLTON having located in Chestertown, respectfully offers his professional services to the public.

He may be found during business hours, when not professionally engaged,) at Mr. T. W Wickes' Drug Store.
Chestertown, Feb. 4, 1871—tf.

GEO. W. BROOKS & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Lumber, Shingles, Fencing, Laths, &c.
East Falls and Eastern Avenues,
June 3, 1871— 1y BALTIMORE.

Cider Vinegar,
RELIABLE FOR PICKLING,
on hand and for sale by
THOMAS S. WICKES.
Chestertown, August 19, 1871.

RHEUMATISM NEURALGIA

$5000 WILL BE PAID.

To any person producing any Medicine showing half as many living, permanent cures as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy. *Used inwardly only.* A pleasant Medicine, free from injurious drugs. Warranted, under oath, to have permanently cured 95 in every 100 patients treated in the past ten years. (See testimony.) It is the scientific prescription of Professor Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, A. D. 1833,—now one of Philadelphia's oldest regular physicians, and Professor of Chemistry and Toxicology,—who has made Neuralgia, Chronic and Inflammatory Rheumatism the specialty of his entire professional life—a fact vouched for by the signatures accompanying each bottle, and other testimonials of many prominent renowned physicians and clergymen. To protect sufferers from poisonous quack nostrums and useless expenditure of money, a legal signed guarantee, stating exact number of bottles warranted to cure, will be forwarded gratis to any sufferer sending by letter a full description of affliction. In case of failure to cure, amount paid positively refunded. Medicine sent anywhere by express, collect on delivery. Afflicted invited to write for advice; all information and medical advice sent by letter gratis. Address DR. J. P. FITLER, 29 South Fourth street, Philadelphia, Penna. The Remedy is sold or obtained by Druggists. For sale by

S. J. Wickes & Co., Grey's Inn Wharf;
Parrott & Busick, Still Pond X Roads;
T. W. Wickes, Chestertown.
Feb. 25, 1871—y.

Pure Spices.

Ginger, Cloves, Cinnamon, Mace, Allspice, Nutmegs, Sage, Mustard, Black and Red Pepper: all can be obtained, ground, at *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

SAVE YOUR MONEY!

There is no class of remedial agents so extensively or so justly used as Medicated Plasters. The timely use of one of Alcock's or Wells' Strengthening Plasters will prevent much suffering and sickness, especially if predisposed to weak lungs or any affection of the chest or back. They afford great relief in Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, etc. For sale at
Jan. 7. *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

C. H. BAKER,

COUNSELOR AND ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHESTERTOWN.
Office on High Street, opposite Masonic Hall,
Jan. 28, 1871—tf.

Hall's Vegetable
HAIR RENEWER.
CHEVELIER'S LIFE FOR THE HAIR
MONTGOMERY'S HAIR RESTORER.
STONEBRAKER'S HAIR RESTORER
BURNETT'S KALLISTON.
For sale at *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

FOOD FOR THE SICK.

Corn Starch,
FARINA,
RICE FLOUR,
TAPIOCA,
SAGO,
SEA MOSS FARINA.
For sale at *WICKES' DRUG STORE.*

H. McCoy. Wm. I. Rasin

McCOY & RASIN,
General Commission Merchants,
No. 73 South Street,
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Feb. 13, 1870— y.

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