Farm and Household.

CRIBBING HORSES.

In regard to the cribbing of horses, the Western Rural has this to offers as the reason and a remedy: "The horse should be placed in a stall where the manger is lower than the knees, and the lowest part of the hay-rick, as window or air hole, is higher than the top of his withers. The arrangement of the muscles of the neck and jaw is such that he can only practice the cribbing when these can be brought into exertion at a certain leverage. Therefore remove all the objects within the heights mentioned, as he cannot crib when stretching his neck up or down. When young horses are continually licking licking their manger, which generally precedes the habit of cribbing, the above arrangement should be made forthwith, and some salt constantly kept before them, without being mixed among their food, and the habit may thus in the start be effectively prevented."

POTATOES UNDER STRAW.

Several years ago, says the American Agriculturist, there was much said about growing potatoes under straw, and we published at the time several reports from those who had tried the method with success. Interest in the subject appears to be renewed, to judge from inquiries.—The method is very simple; the land is prepared in the usual manner and the rows marked off; the sets are dropped along the rows and very slightly, or not at all, covered with soil. The whole field or bed, is then covered with 8 or 10 inches thickness of old straw. Nothing more is required until digging time unless some strong weeds should make their way through the straw, and these may be pulled. It is claimed that the yield is larger and the potatees are much handsomer than those treated in the usual manner.

HENS AND CHICKENS IN THE FRUIT YARD.—Poultry get a good part of their living from insects, provided they have the opportunity. The fruit yard, to our sorrow, is often too much frequented by noxious insects. By bringing together of the fowls and vermin, double good is accomplished, the former are fed and the latter are destroyed. Chickens are very fond of fruit, and will devour it soon after it drops from the trees, and in this way both the worthless fruit and the insects usually contained in it will be consumed. One of the most successful fruit growers we are acquainted with keeps poultry under his trees at nearly all times, and feels that they do much to make his fruit what it is—fair to the eye, pleasing to the taste, and filling to the pocket-book.

THE FACE.—To wash properly, fill the basin two-thirds full with fresh soft water, dip face into the water and then the hands; soap the hands well and rub to a gentle friction over the face, dip the face in the water the second time and rinse off thoroughly, wiping with a thick but soft towel. Pure soaps do not irritate the sk.n. The best are castile, curd, glycerine and other neutral soaps. Medicated or highly colored or perfumed soaps should never be used.

ANY land that will grow good corn or wheat will grow raspberries. Plow the ground well, and give it a liberal coating of manure before planting. Plant black-caps seven by three feet, and the red varieties six by three feet, if set in rows, and five feet each way if set in hills, so that they can be cultivated each way.

THE moisture in which one kind of seed would flourish, would be destructive to another class, causing them to rot instead of forcing growth. The heat necessary to start one class of seeds would dry up and utterly destroy the germ of another class. The application of rules requires a mixture of common sense and observation.

IN the process of dressing hogs for English bacon the hair is removed by being singed, instead of being scalded off, therefore the animals must not be too fat and chuffy.—Hogs suitable for making this singed bacon, for which there is a growing demand, are a cross with the pure Berkshire.

HOW SWAMP MUCK MAY BE USED.—Muck dug in the winter will freeze and fall into a fine powder. If put in heaps, with lime or ashes, it will heat and ferment, and will not freeze, but will be changed to a loose texture, and can then be handled with ease. In this condition it is best fitted for use in composts as an absorbent, or to put on the land.

THE farmer is blessed with one advantage. He eats no oleomargarine or soap-stone butter, nor is he compelled to use decaying vegetables, stale eggs, or watered milk. When he feels as if he would like to have the best he has only to raise it himself.

TO REMOVE SUNBURN.—Scrape a cake of brown Windsor soap to a powder, and one ounce each of *eau de Cologne* and lemon juice; mix well and form into cakes. This removes tan, prevents hands from chapping, and makes the skin soft and clean.

IN Germany the dairyman sends his butter through the mail to the consumer's table. In winter it is sent in parchment paper and wrapped in common paper; in summer in tin cans or wooden boxes made expressly for that purpose.

MILK is almost necessary at times for poultry, as it contains all that is needed to strengthen and invigorate. It will pay to feed milk to fowls instead of selling, and especially when eggs are high.

CRUDE unfermented manure and much moisture, tends to produce a soft rapid growth in young trees late in the season, rendering them liable to injury from severe cold.

WHEREVER sheep feed, new, sweet grasses flourish and weeds are destroyed. If farmers fully appreciated how great a benefit sheep are to land, they would raise more of them.

THE LARK ASCENDING.

GEORGE MEREDITH.

He rises and begins to round,
He drops the silver chain of sound,
Of many links, without a break,
In chirrup, whistle, slur and shake,
All intervolved and spreading wide,
Like water-dimples down a tide
Where ripple ripple overcurls
And eddy into eddy whirls;
A press of hurried notes that run
So fleet they scarce are more than one,
Yet changingly the trills repeat
And linger ringing while they fleet;
Sweet to the quick o' the ear, and dear
To her beyond the hand-maid ear,
Who sits beside our inner springs,
Too often dry for this he brings,
Which seems the very jet of earth
At sight of sun, her music's mirth,
As up he wings the spiral stair,
A song of light, and pierces air
With fountain ardor, fountain play,
To reach the shining tops of day,
And drink in everything discerned,
An ecstacy to music turned.
Impelled by what his happy bill
Disperses; drinking, showering still,
Unthinking save that he may give
His voice the outlet there to live
Renewed in endless notes of glee,
So thirsty of his voice is he,
For all to hear and all to know
That he is joy, awake, aglow,
The tumult of the heart to hear
Through pureness filtered crystal-clear,
And know the pleasure sprinkled bright
By simple singing of delight,
Shrill, irreflective, unrestrained,
Rapt, ringing, on the jet sustained
Without a break, without a fall,
Sweet-silvery, sheer lyrical,
Perennial, quavering up the chord
Like myriad dews of sunny sward
That trembling into fullness shine
And sparkle, dropping argentine;
Such wooing as the ear receives
From zephyr caught in choric leaves
Of aspens when their chattering net
Is flushed to white with shivers wet;
And such the water-spirit's chime
On mountain heights in morning's prime,
Too freshly sweet to seem excess,
Too animate to need a stress;
But wider over many heads
The starry voice ascending spreads,
Awakening, as it waxes thin,
The best in us to him akin;
And every face to watch him raised
Puts on the light of children praised,
So rich our human pleasure ripes
When sweetness on sincereness pipes,
Though nought be promised from the seas
But only a soft ruffling breeze
Sweep glittering on a still content,
Serenity in ravishment.

For singing till his heaven fills,
'Tis love of earth that he instills;
And ever winging up and up,
Our valley is his golden cup,
And he the wine which overflows
To lift us with him as he goes;
But not from earth is he divorced,
He joyfully to fly enforced;
The woods and brooks, the sheep and kine,
He is the hills, the human line
The meadows green, the fallows brown,
The dreams of labor in the town;
He sings the sap, the quickened veins,
The wedding-song of sun and rains;
He is the dance of children, thanks
Of sowers, shout of primrose banks,
And eye of violets while they breathe;
All these the circling song will wreathe
And you shall hear the herb and tree;
The better heart of men shall see,
Shall feel celestially, as long
As you crave nothing save the song.

Was never voice of ours could say
Our inmost in the sweetest way
Like yonder voice aloft and link
All hearers in the song they drink;
Our wisdom speaks from failing blood,
Our passion is too full in flood,
We want the key of his wild note
Of truthful in a tuneful throat;
The song seraphically free
Of taint of personality,
So pure that it salutes the suns
The voice of one for millions,
In whom the millions rejoice
For giving their one spirit voice.

Yet men have we whom we revere,
Now names, and men still housing here,
Whose lives, by many a battle-dint
Defaced, and grinding wheels on flint,
Yield substance, though they sing not, sweet
For song our highest heaven to greet,
Whom heavenly singing gives us new,
Enspheres them brilliant in our blue,
From firmest base to furthest leap,
Because their love of earth is deep,
And they are warriors in accord
With life to serve and pass reward,
So touching purest, and so heard
In the brain's reflex of yon bird:
Wherefore their soul in me or mine,
Through self-forgetfulness divine,
In them, that song aloft maintains
To fill the sky and thrill the plains
With showerings drawn from human stores
As he to silence nearer soars,
Extends the world at wings and dome,
More spacious making more our home,
Till lost on his aerial rings
In light, and then the fancy sings.

—*Fortnightly Review.*

HOBART PASHA is the son of the Earl of Buckinghamshire, and a descendant of Hampden. He was born in 1822; in 1836 he entered the English navy; as a midshipman he distinguished himself in the suppression of the slave trade; in 1845 he was made a lieutenant of the Queen's yacht; he afterwards commanded the Diver in the Baltic, and was twice mentioned in the orders of the day; in 1861 he took command of the Don, and several times forced the Federal blockade of the Confederate ports; he 1867 he entered the Ottoman naval service, and was shortly afterward created a Pasha and an Admiral, and last January he was made a marshal of the Ottoman Empire. That Hobart Pasha should stand by the Turks in their hour of need is to his credit. He is a sailor, and not a politician. In the corrupt atmosphere of Constantinople he has remained true and honest. He is now in England, where both he and his wife, who is termed the Honorable Mrs. Hobart Hampden, have been exceedingly well received.

Despatches received in Liverpool from Melbourne announce the massacre in New Guinea of a number of missionaries. On the 7th of March they were attacked by the natives at Kato, in the district of Port Moresby, Hulu, and four of them, with two of their wives, four children and two tervants, were killed. No provocation was given, but it is stated that perpetrators of previous massacres not being punished is looked upon as the man cause of the outbreak.

[Troy, (N. Y) Morning Telegram and Whig.]

RUBBING THE MIDNIGHT OIL.

In the Philadelphia *Times* of recent date, we notice an item referring to the miraculously quick cure of a prominent druggist of that city, Mr. J. M. Higgins, Germantown Road and Morris street, who had an awful attack of rheumatism of the knee. He applied St. Jacobs Oil at night, and next morning was well and in his store as usual.

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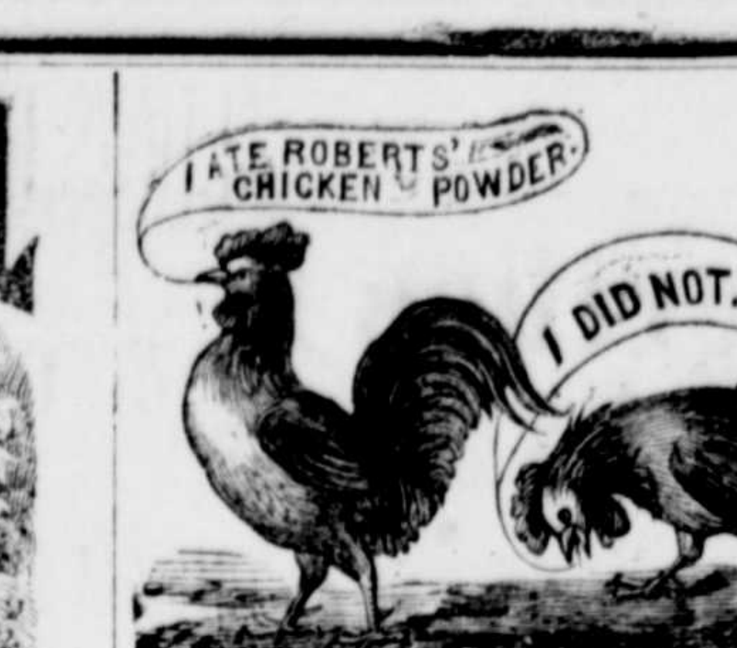
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Dec. 3, 1875—tf.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Letters of Administration C. T. A. on the personal estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

ROBERT J. LUSBY,

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 subscribers on or before the 18th day of October, 1881; otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 12th day of April, 1881.

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Feb. 26, 1880—3m. Chestertown

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GOING NORTH. LEAVE	Passenger No. 1. Daily. A. M.	Mixed No. 3. Thursdays only. P. M.
Chestertown	8 00	2.00
Worton	8.15	2.20
Lynch's	8 25	2.30
Still Pond	8.30	2.40
Kennedyville	8.45	3.00
Blacks	9.00	3.15
Lambson	9.15	3.30
Masseys	9.30	3.45
*Delanys	9.45	4.00
*Bingham	9.55	4.10
arr Clayton	10.05	4.30
leave "	10.36	5.04
" Middletown	11.10	5.30
" Wilmington	12.07 p m	7 04
arr Philadelphia	1 16	8.25
Baltimore	3.28	9.20
New York	4.45	3.45 a m....

GOING SOUTH. LEAVE	Passenger No, 2. Daily except Thursdays. A.M.	Mixed and Pass'gr No.4 and No. 5 Thursdays only. A. M.	P.M.
New York	8 15	4 20	1 00
Baltimore	9 45	7 00	3 00
Philadelphia	11 45	8 10	5 15
Wilmington	1 05 p.m.	9 25	6 30
Middletown	2 06	10 02	7 35
arr Clayton	2 30	11 02	8 02
leave "	2 40	11 10	8 10
" *Binghams	2 55	11 25	8 25
*Delanys	3 00	11 40	8 35
Masseys	3 15	11 55	8 56
Lambson	3 30	12 10 p. m.	9 05
Blacks	3 40	12 20	9 15
Kennedyville	3 50	12 35	9 25
Still Pond	4 00	12 45	9 30
Lynchs	4 05	12 50	9 40
Worton	4 10	1 00	9 45
arr Chestertown	4 30	1 15	10 00

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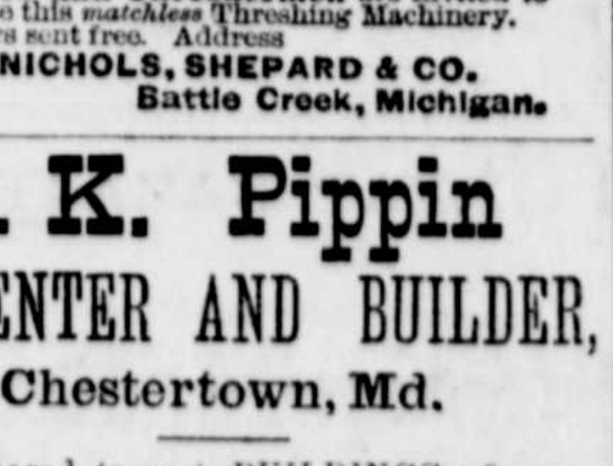


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ALLOW ME to tender my sincere thanks for the past patronage of the public, and hope to receive their approval and patronage this present year. I am prepared to cut and finish every design in the marble business.

I have a very handsome assortment of my own finished

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Some of the Latest Designs,
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A large assortment for children, different patterns, some as low as $6.00, lettering included. Some fifty different patterns for grown persons, handsomely finished, some of them as low as $15.00, lettering included. Also, a fine line of different patterns, expressly for the

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very thick and heavy and handsomely finished of the best marble.

Marble Posts, marble Vases with Pedestal, Marble Coping, Tombstones and Monuments, of all sizes and styles.

Marble or Sandstone worked to order. I warrant all my work not to color or blister—time has no effect on it. I set up all of my work, thus relieving the purchaser of all trouble or risk.

Come one, come all, that are in want, and examine my work and learn my prices. I will be thankful. Don't send the money out of your own neighborhood.

Call and see me. I do not like to canvass for work, for I think it too sad a business to barter with relatives or friends.

My work can be seen in all the cemeteries of Kent and the adjoining counties.

March 11, 1880—8m. W. REGISTER.

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VIA BURLINGTON ROUTE VIA
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Now on sale and during the season, first-class EXCURSION TICKETS, from Chicago and local points, to DENVER, COLORADO SPRINGS, and PUEBLO, AND RETURN, by six (6) DIFFERENT ROUTES, at wonderfully low rates. These tickets will be good going west within fifteen (15) days from date of sale, and to return until October 31st following.

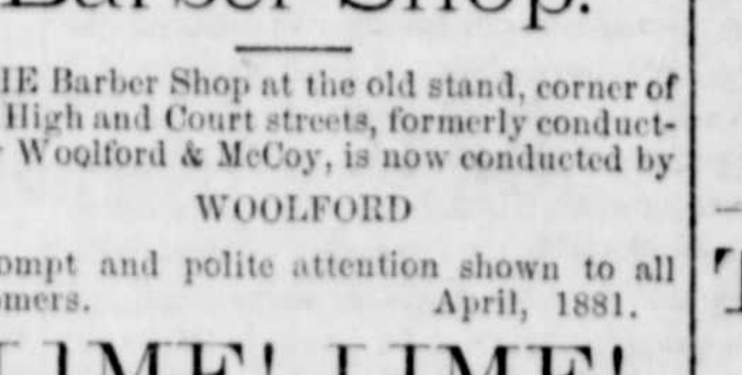
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Oct. 14, 1880.



Barber Shop.

THE Barber Shop at the old stand, corner of High and Court streets, formerly conducted by Woolford & McCoy, is now conducted by
WOOLFORD

Prompt and polite attention shown to all customers. April, 1881.

LIME! LIME!

THE undersigned is now selling the best burned

Shell Lime,

and landing it anywhere on the Cheer and Sassafras Rivers, or their tributaries, at low rates for cash or good note on short time.

WM. PERKINS.

LIME! LIME! LIME! LIME!

Shells! Shells! Shells! Shells
30,000 bushels of each for sale.

THE undersigned is prepared to furnish LIME and SHELLS to the citizens of Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil counties; and will land the same on the Chester and Sassafras rivers, or any of their creeks where there is a depth of five feet of water, of the best quality and at the lowest prices.

WILLIAM PERKINS,
Rising Sun Saloon.
Chestertown, Md., Oct. 22, 1878—tf.

DOOR MATS—very cheap—at
THOS. L. HINES & CO'S.

Kent County Commissioners'

ANUAL NOTICE.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Kent County, will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

TUESDAY,
The 1st day of March, 1881

at 11 o'clock A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour

EVERY TUESDAY.

Until the 17th day of May next,

for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments.

All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have the assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 24th of May next, NO ALTERATIONS OR CORRECTIONS in the Assessments will be made for the present year.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS against the County are requested to present the same on or before

TUESDAY,
The 7th day of June next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the Levy of this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are requested to be made out in a clear manner and itemized, and rendered under oath.

☞ ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PENSIONS must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant, and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—ALL PERSONS NEGLECTING to have their assessments corrected are hereby notified that no allowance for taxes paid in error in consequence of such neglect will be made.

THOMAS P. DIXON,
C. P. LOPER,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
RICHARD C. SMYTH,
T. ROMIE STRONG.
Attest:
T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk
March 3, 1881.

WHOLESLAE & RETAIL.

Those in want of cheap and good goods will do well to call and examine before purchasing in the city. We think our prices will compare favorably with the lowest city prices. We have on hand and are receiving the following:

CARRIAGE, COACH, WAGON and CART
Rims,
Hickory Spokes, Oak Wagon and Cart Spokes,
CARRIAGE, WAGON AND CART HUBS.
arriage Shafts,
Poles with ir cles,

Neck Yokes, Double and Single Trees, Cultivator and Plow Handles; Pick Handles, Shovel, Fork, Spade, Hoe, Rake, Ax, Brush and Hatchet Handles, *Wholesale and Retail*, by
March 10 J. K. ALDRIDGE.

GENTS. ENGLISH Super Stout Half Hose;
" " " Fine " "
" FINE LAUNDRIED SHIRTS.
For sale by *T. W. ELIASON, Jr*

Examiners' Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED hereby give notice that under and by virtue of a Commission issued to them, by the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent County, to view and determine whether the public convenience requires that a

PUBLIC ROAD SHALL BE OPENED,

as set forth in a petition of sundry citizens of said county, as follows: Beginning at or near School-house No. 6, and running the division line between E. J. Watson's (formerly the Worrell) farm, and Thomas S. Wickes's (formerly the Whaland) farm, and the division line between William H. Stewart's and Mary J. Dood's lands, to the Worton road; thence down the Thomas' (now Lecates's) lane, and through the land of Stephen Lecates—thence with the division line between Josiah Lusby's and the land of the heirs of John Lusby, to School-house No. 4: Hereby give notice that they will meet at School-house No. 6, on

WEDNESDAY,
The 15th day of June next,

at 10 o'clock A. M., to discharge their duties under said commission.

JAMES W. HURTT,
WILLIAM S. WALKER,
SAMUEL H. CRAWFORD,
May 12, 1881—tdm [N] EXAMINERS.

W. H. LAMBERT & CO.

WE hereby notify our friends and the public generally, that we have opened a

NEW STORE

at the room recently occupied by Mr. S. Merritt, alongside of Mr. J. K. Aldridge's hardware store.

We hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

W. H. LAMBERT & CO.

GARDEN SEED.

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF
LANDRETH'S
CELEBRATED
Garden Seed

Of the finest quality, all FRESH. Also,
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For sale at Lowest Prices, by
T. W. WICKES,
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THE best New York Buckwheat Flour for 4 cts. per lb. at 85 cts. per bag.
J. A. PERKINS.

TO WHEELWRIGHTS who are needing goods we offer a fine stock.
THOS. L. HINES & CO.

GO TO THOS. L. HINES & CO'S. and examine his Fire-place Heaters and Cook vos Sept. 16.

SHEEP SHEARS, SHEEP SHEARS.

IF you want a good pair of Sheep Shears, call at JOHN K. ALDRIDGE'S.

WE are still ahead in good cheap CLOCKS
SPARKS.

Ladies' Shoe Store.

A NEW stock of SHOES for Spring and Summer wear, just received at
MRS. KATE GILL'S.

WM. LEA & SONS and C. A. Gambrill & Co's. Best Grades of Flour.
For sale by T. W. ELIASON, JR.

GENUINE Imported dLucca Cream Sald Oil, the finest bran manufactured—for sale by C. F. STAM.

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