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Bananas, Apples, Grapes, Sweet Potatoes,

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REFERENCES:--Nathan Robbins, President F. H. National Bank, Boston; W. L. Snyder, West Washington Market, New York; S. G. Simkins, Felton, Del.; J. L. Carman, Crisfield, Md.; E. W. Barnes, Metompkin, Va. April 28—3m.

Maj. Gen. WM. E. W ROSS,

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March 24, 1887—4m.

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MEMBER NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE,

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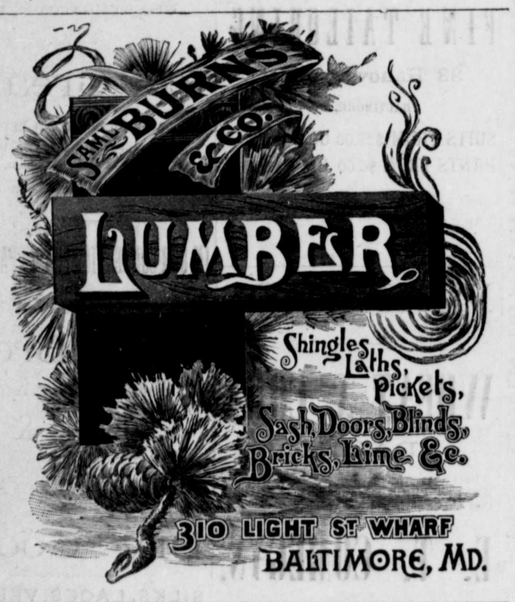
BALTIMORE, MD.

Investment Securities a Specialty.

DIRECT WIRES.

ONE-EIGHTH COMMISSION.

March 31, 1887—y.



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HARD AND SOFT COAL,

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FERTILIZERS,

All Kinds Agricultural Implements

such as

FEED CUTTERS, CORN SHELLERS,
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Vault Doors,

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SAMUEL B. FOARD,

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Highest CASH Price Paid for

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AT ALL TIMES.

Give us a call before selling.

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Oct. 14, 1886.

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GARDEN SEED.

LARGE STOCK! FRESH SEED!

CHOICE VARIETIES.

LOW PRICES!

COLIN F. STAM,

March 10, 1887. Druggist.

ONION SETS!

May be planted now. We have a CHOICE LOT of SILVER SKINS, which we are selling CHEAP.

STAM'S DRUG STORE.

March 10, 1887.

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES, and will make it to the interest of buyers to call and examine goods and prices before purchasing.

J. H. SPERS

NOTHING BUT SHOES

Our remarks are concerning

SHOES,
SHOES,
SHOES.

It must be understood, though, that Men's Long Boots, from the Finest to the Heaviest, are included in—

SHOES,
SHOES,
SHOES.

With the flowers that bloom in the spring—and a trifle earlier—we wish to call attention to Gentlemen's Fine Dress Shoes. We Take Measures, and have Made to Order, a gentleman's Shoe, Neat Fitting, of the Latest Style, and the Finest French Calf. We also keep in stock Dress Shoes that can be sold from $1.25 up. Remember that we make a specialty of

SHOES,
SHOES.
SHOES.

Men's Plow Shoes, Strong and Substantial, we have a large stock of and sell at bottom figures. We claim that we cannot be undersold because we deal in nothing but

SHOES,
SHOES,
SHOES.

Our Ladies' Fine Shoes are more Stylish and Elegant in Finish than you would think unless you see them. Our trade in this line is constantly increasing. The tasteful ladies of this beautiful and flourishing county, are finding out, as time goes by, that we supply a perfectly lovely Shoe—something dainty enough and stylish enough for a princess, if the princess really knew a good thing when she saw it, in

SHOES,
SHOES,
SHOES.

We will not spin out this story any longer. At the same time we shall hope and expect a call from you before you buy your Shoes this spring. To our country friends from all the districts, we extend a specially cordial invitation.

M. T. GOSLEE,

NEW STORE,

UNDER NEW TOWN HALL.

SHAFER & MEDDERS,

KENNEDYVILLE, MD.,

Would respectfully invite all in need of

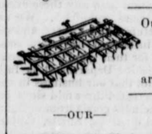
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

to call and examine their stock.

We are the only agents in Kent county for the OLLIVER CHILLED

Plows & Castings

and we keep a supply constantly on hand. No Castings are genuine except those sold by us or our agents.



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TWO-ROW CORN PLANTER,

with or without check row attachment, and with or without fertilizer attachment, has stood the test for years.

OUR IRON FRAME CULTIVATORS stand upon their own merits. The quality and price have sold hundreds of them. We are also selling the Little Diamond Wheel Cultivator. The best in the market.

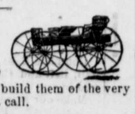
HAY RAKES AND TEDDERS

save time and trouble. WE SELL THEM.

Threshermen should get our prices on ENGINES & THRESHERS before buying elsewhere.

—OUR—

FARM WAGONS AND DEARBORNS



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receive our personal attention. REPAIRING promptly attended to. Horse-Shoeing a specialty. All orders by mail or telephone will receive prompt attention. m24-y.

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Garden Seed!

ANY THING YOU WANT IN THE SEED LINE.

We will sell you one paper or a bushel of Seed, and all Fresh and the Most Reliable kinds.

COLIN F. STAM

March 10, 1887. Druggist.

LIME! LIME!

No. 1 Wood Burnt Lime,

—FOR—

BUILDING AND WHITEWASHING

LOWEST PRICES

J. B. SAPPNGTON.

FLY FANS! Fly Fans!

Fly and Mosquito Wire, Wire Screen Doors and Frames, Window Screen Frames and Adjustable Window Screens. Better and cheaper than ever, at

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BEFORE purchasing your Underware, call and see what we have in that line. Gents' Undershirts from 25c. to $2.00; Ladies' and Children's Vests at popular prices.

J. H. SIMPERS.

REFRIGERATORS, Ice Chests, Water Coolers, Ice Cream Freezers, for sale by

J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

Government Inspectors Dissect Five Cows at Calverton.

Dr. Wray, United States inspector, and Drs. Clement and Trombower, assistants, held post mortems on five cows yesterday, in the slaughter yards of Charles Rohr & Sons, at Calverton, there were present also Dr. Martenent and Assistant Health Commissioner Dr. Jas. F. McShane, the latter being especially invited to represent the health department and to learn the correctness of the diagnoses made by the United States officers. Of the five cows slaughtered one suffered from acute pleuro-pneumonia and showed outward signs of sickness. When she was dissected it was found that her lungs were totally changed from the true color of health; the pleura showed adhersions, and pneumonic degeneration was shown in every lobe except one, which seemed perfectly sound, and which if detached would have been pronounced even by an expert to have come from a healthy animal. Four were chronic cases. The animals seemed in perfect health before being killed. Two of them were plump and sleek, and appeared to be in the primest condition, and were large milkers. In every case the dissection proved that the animals were suffering from chronic pleuro-pneumonia, and it ceemed impossible that they could have shown such favorsble exteriors. The same proportionate degeneration of a man's lungs, it was said by the physicians, would inevitably produce the extremest emanciation. Signs of tuberculosis was also displayed. Dr. Wray was anxious that it should be known that the diagnoses were unerring, as it is almost impossible to convince the most expert practitioner not a student of this disease that cows apparently healthy may be afflicted with a disease so effectively contagious as this. In acute cases the cows stop giving milk, but when they enter the chronic stage they are often good milkers. It is not absolutely ascertained that the milk is harmful, though its quality is often inferior in fatty matters,

The New Civil Service Rules.

A department official, who is in a position to know what he talks about, says in connection with the new civil service rules regarding promotions: "If this new regulation is strictly carried out, at least seven-eighths of the old government employes will lose their positions. You see," said this official, "if I want to promote a $900 clerk in my division I must now order all the clerks of that grade under my charge before the department board. When the result of the examination is received from the civil-service commission I can select any one of those who passed for the advanced position. Those who fail to pass are given six months' time in which to prepare for a second and final examination. If they fail then they are to be dismissed. I venture to say that seven-eighths of the people in the government service could not pass a civil service examination outside of those who have received civil service appointments. This is one of the most proper steps taken yet in the direction of civil service reform. It is only fair, if appointments are to be made only after a prescribed examination, that those already in government service, whose appointments were doubtless merely rewards for some political service, should be placed on the same footing as outsiders. The quotas of many States are filled, and no more appointments can be made from them. Good people, whose names appear on the eligible register for a year and then are dropped, are for this reason kept out of the service. There are many people from the same States in the departments who could not pass the examinations. The new rules will make them burn the midnight oil to prepare for a possible examination. It will furnish many vacancies in any event, and as it will only be ridding the service of poor clerks and securing good ones in their places, I welcome the new rule."

What the American Novelist Thinks of His British Assailants.

W. D. Howells, in Harper's for June.

We do not really suppose that the inhabitants of the British Islands are all satisfied with their literary criticism: we suspect that many of them must have their misgivings when the *Saturday Review*, for example, calls names and makes faces because some one has, for instance, deplored the survival of the English aristocracy in our time. They must some of them feel that it is not a wholly terrible spectacle; that however right the *Review* may be, its behavior is a little ridiculous. But those islanders are very curious, and in some things quite remote; they may still think the tomtom a powerful argument, and the gourd-rattle the best means of carrying conviction to the minds of men. They may even admire the solemn port of the *Academy* when it knits its classic front and tells an American novelist that "he is, to say the least, presumptuous" in questioning the impeccability of English fiction. What he would be, if the *Academy* were to say the most, one shrinks from guessing; but apparently the British aristocracy, which read the British novel so little, and the British novel, which derides the British aristocracy so much, are twin monuments whose perfection no foreigner may doubt, under pain of British criticism's high displeasure. * * * *

So far as we know, this is not now the carriage of criticism toward authorship in any country but England and her literary colonies. Self-restraint, decency, even politeness, seem to characterizes the behavior of critics elsewhere. They may not like an author's work, but they do not for that reason use him with ignominy or insult. Some extreme friends of civilization have insisted that a critic should not write of a book what he would not say to the author personally about it; but this is not possible; it is at least premature, if not a little unreasonable.

New York to Liverpool in Four Days.

The Arrow Steamship and Shipbuilding Company, of New York, are about to construct the ways for their first steamship, the Pocohontas. The completion of this vessel and others to follow will, it is stated, mark an era in the Transatlantic trade, since they are to be constructed upon a new principle, and with an estimated speed sufficient to make the voyage from New York to Liverpool in a little more than four days. The steamers will not carry any freight, except possibly a few express packages. The Pocohontas is to be an iron and steel ship, and instead of being built on lateral lines, as has always been the custom, she will be built upon sixty-eight transverse steel walls or bulkheads, 7 feet 6 inches apart. These walls will have openings in them for the saloons, passages, tunnels, etc., with vertical longitudinal walls through them, thus making 1,060 watertight compartments, of which 500 are to be below the water-line. She will have twenty boilers, and the engines will be of 27,986 horse-power, and capable of giving a speed of 22 knots an hour. The dimensions of the ship are: Length, 540 feet; beam, 40 feet; draught, 25¼. When this ocean greyhound commences to run, it will be necessary for our own great Atlantic passenger lines to build boats which shall leave even the Pocohontas in the shade—if possible.—*London Iron.*

Lighting the Bartholdi Statue.

Arrangements have been completed for increasing and improving the illumination of the Bartholdi statue of Liberty on Bedlow's Island, New York. A strong lens will be placed in the torch; five additional electric arc lights will be placed around the base, making thirteen of such lights in all; and a number of glow lamps will be placed in the interior of the statue. The light to be placed in the torch will be one of the most powerful fixed lights in the world. It is intended more for the purpose of enhancing the grandeur of the statue than as an aid to navigation, as a light of much less power than the one selected would answer equally well for the latter purpose. The proposed work will be done under the supervision of Lieutenant John Mills, of the United States Engineers.—*Iron.*

In General Debility, Emaciation,

Consumption, and Wasting in Children, SCOTT'S EMULSION of pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites is a most valuable food and medicine. It creates an appetite for food, strengthens the nervous system, and builds up the body. Please read: "I tried Scott's Emulsion on a young man whom physicians at times had given up. Since he began using the Emulsion, his Cough has ceased, gained flesh and strength, and from all appearances his life will be prolonged many years. I have been in Hospital Service for the past twenty years, and never have used any preparation with greater satisfaction."—JOHN SULLIVAN, Hospital Steward, Reform School, Morganza, Pa.

Chester River Steamboat Company

DAILY EXCURSIONS TO BALTIMORE!

Commencing May 11th, the

Steamer EMMA A. FORD

Will leave Chestertown Daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck and Queenstown. Will leave Queenstown at 8 45 A. M., arriving in Baltimore at 11 o'clock A. M.

Returning, will leave Baltimore at 3 o'clock P. M., arriving in Chestertown at 7 15 P. M.

THE STEAMER B. S. FORD

will leave Centreville daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at the wharves in Corsica River, at Grey's Inn and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11.15 A. M.

Returning, will leave Baltimore at 2.45 P.M., arriving in Centreville at 7 P. M.

The Steamer CORSICA,

of the same line, will leave Crumpton every Wednesday and Saturday at 12 o'clock NOON, stopping at Chestertown and the river landings.

Returning, will leave Chestertown every Tuesday and Friday at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at Centreville and landings on Chester River.

FARE FROM ALL POINTS,

$1 ROUND TRIP.

SINGLE TICKETS 75 CENTS.

Tickets Good Until Used.

GEO. WARFIELD,
May 12, 1887. PRESIDENT.

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On and after Thursday, May 12th, 1887, the

Steamer PILOT BOY

Leaves Baltimore every Monday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock A.M, and 2.30 P.M.

Leaves Tolchester at 9 o'clock A. M. and 5.00 P. M.

Steamers will run after June 1st.

TOLCHESTER STEAMBOAT CO.,

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THE FINE ASSORTMENT OF

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Fancy Goods and Novelties and Hammered and Polished Brass, Gilt, Bronze, Plush Goods, Dressing Cases, Odor Stands, Albums, Shaving Sets, Satchels, Toilet Sets, Vases, Cups and Saucers, Mugs, &c.

In Toys we shall not have as large a stock perhaps as some others but will try and show you a nice assortment and at lowest prices.

In our Confectionery and Fruit department we claim to take the lead and have one of the best stocks to be found in the county, they will speak for themselves and prices will please you

Don't forget our Lamps. We have them at lower prices than ever. We will sell a nice Hanging Lamp for $2.50. Stand Lamps, Hall Lamps and every other kind of Lamp.

Fine Groceries, Canned Goods, English Pickles, Chow-Chow, Sauces, Jellies.

Triple-Plated Ware very cheap. Clocks, Clocks, Clocks, price them before buying.

These are a few of the many goods to be found in our stock. We have many other goods which space will not allow us to mention. Give us a call. H. A. SPARKS,
Dec. 9, 1886. opposite Court House

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Hog Cholera!

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HOG CHOLERA REMEDY

WILL POSITIVELY CURE & PREVENT

HOG CHOLERA.

It is not a new remedy, but has been tried and experimented with for two years, and found that if used when the hogs are first attacked, that it will cure the diseased hogs and prevent the contagion from spreading to the others in the same pen.

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Correspondence Solicited. Telephone Call 36.

PRICE, 50c. per Package; by Mail, 75c.

Feb. 10, 1887.

WITHIN C. SHORTLIDGE'S ACADEMY,

For Young Men and Boys, Media, Pa

12 miles from Philadelphia. Fixed price covers every expense, even books, &c. No extra charges. No incidental expenses. No examination for admission. Twelve experienced teachers, all men and all graduates. Special opportunities for apt students to advance rapidly.—Special drill for dull and backward boys. Patrons or students may select any studies or choose the regular English, Scientific, Business, Classical or Civil Engineering course. Students fitted at Media Academy are now in Harvard, Yale, Princeton and ten other Colleges and Polytechnic Schools. 10 students sent to college in 1883, 15 in 1884, 10 in 1885, 10 in 1886. A graduating class every year in the commercial department. A Physical and Chemical Laboratory, Gymnasium and Bal Ground. 1500 vols. added to library in 1883 Physical apparatus doubled in 1883. Media has seven churches and a temperance charter which prohibits the sale of all intoxicating drinks. For new illustrated circular address the Principal and Proprietor, SWITHIN C. SHORTLIDGE, A. M., (Harvard Graduate) Media, Penn'a.

Aug. 26—y.

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STEAM FEED AND GRIST MILL!

A New Departure in Still Pond. A Steam Grist Mill.

CAPACITY OF 50 BUSHELS AN HOUR.

Attachments for grinding Chops, Meal, and Oats. Operated Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. The public patronage solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed at all times.

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H. S. LAWTON.

March 10—2m.

WE ARE now taking orders for BINDER TWINE. J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.

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CHESTERTOWN, MD.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Quick & Slaked Lime.

Delivered at All Poin on the Penin ula, Staton and Side Track.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

ANNUAL NOTICE.

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

TUESDAY,

the 1st day of March, 1887

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

EVERY TUESDAY,

Until the 3d 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 their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, 10 the of Maynxt

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 this year. All accounts properly chargable to the county are required 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.

J. C. WHEATLEY, Pres;
JOHN F. ERNEST,
BEDFORD ROE,
SAMUEL F. COOPER,
WILLIAM MORRIS,
Attest— Commissioners.
T. W. RUSSELL, k.

Feb. 17, 1887.

Remarkable Success!

THE IMPERIAL BURNER

I herewith annex a few testimonials:

I never could find a lamp which would give a satisfactory light until I was furnished with the Imperial by Mr. Stam. W. J. SCOTT.

Eight burners light my hall brilliantly. They give me more light and less trouble than any burner I have ever used. COLIN F. STAM.

Mr. L. K. Stam—Dear Sir—The Eight Light Chandelier purchased of you, with the Imperial Burner has given perfect satisfaction, lighting up the entire hall, and was commented upon favorably by all present.

Yours, &c., T. A. HULME.

I am delighted with my lamp; never had so much satisfaction with light before.

H. W. VICKERS.

I have tried several different kinds of Burners in lighting my store, and find the Imperial excels them all; it gives more light and greater satisfaction than any I ever used.

M. T. GOSLEE.

Reference is also given to any one using the burner. It is not necessary for me to say any more regarding this burner, though I give the simple and only directions needed:

DIRECTIONS.—The Burner when sent out is wicked and properly trimmed. After that it needs no trimming whatever, or further attention than occasionally wiping off with a soft cloth. In lighting, never use paper. When the Lamp is lighted, turn up the wick gradually until the chimney is heated, then turn to full height. The chimney requres no wiping or other cleaning than rinsing in cold water, and allowing it to drain and dry.

These Burners can be bought at the Paint Store next door to Goslee's Shoe Store.

L. K. STAM.

Feb. 24, 1887.

FENCING,

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Cypress,

White Pine,

Hemlock,

North Carolina.

FOR SALE

For the CASH cheaper than can be bought in the city.

JOSEPH TURNER,

Chestertown, March 3, 1887. SCOTT'S POINT

BELTON, 2256.

SIDE-WHEELER, BUT TROTTING-BRED.

3-Year-Old Record, 2.31½, in 7-Heat Race. 4-Year-Old Record, 2.30.

Paced at Pimlico in 2.23, in a Field of 8 Horses.

PRIVATE TRIALS MADE TO ORDER

Foaled April 27th, 1882. Snip on nose; left fore and both hind ankles white and white around corner of right fore foot. Bred by Rob't Stoner, Paris, Ky.

SIRE—BELMONT, 64.

1st dam, Sallie D. ..... by Strathmore 408
2d dam ..... by King William
3d dam, The Willis Goodman Mare .....

Belmont, 64, by Alexander's Abdallah; dam by Mambrino Chief; second dam by Brown's Bell Founder, Belmont, sire of Cora Belmont 2.24¼, Dick Moore 2.22¼, Nil Desperandum 2.24, Nutwood 2.18¾, Wedgewood 2.19, Tremont 2.28½ Viking C.S. (5 yrs) 2.20½, Persica B.F. (3 yrs) 2 29¼

Alexander's Abdallah, 15, son of Hambletonian—dam, Katie Darling, sired Goldsmith Maid 2.14, Major Edsall 2.29, Rosalind 2.21¾, Saint Elmo 2.30, Thorndale 2.22¼, Mercer (W) 2.33½.

Rysdyk's Hambletonian, 10, son of Abdallah; dam Chas. Kent's mare—sired Administrator 2.29¼, Alma 2.28¾, Bella 2.22, Breeze 2.24, Bruno 2.29½. Chester 2.27, Lurcallou 2.26¼, Dexter 2.17¼, Drift 2.29¾, Effie Deans, 2.25½, Ella Madden 2.25¾, Enfield 2.29, Factory Girl 2.29¼, Gazelle 2.21, George Wilkes, 2.22, Hamperion 2.29¼, Harvest Queen 2.29½, James Howell 2.24, Jay Gould 2.21½, Jerome 2.27, Kisbar 2.27¾, Lady Agusta 2 30, Lady Banker 2 23, Lottery 2 27 Lottie 2 28, Marguerite 2 29, Mattie 2 22½, Maud 2 29¾, Nettie 2 18, Nutwood (W) 2 33½, Orange Girl 2 20, Scotland Maid 2 28¾, Sentinel 2 29¾, Small Hopes 2 26½, Young Bruno 2 22¾.

Mambrino Chief 11, son of Mambrino Paymaster—dam not traced—sir of Bay Henry 2 28½, Brignola 2 29¾, Lady Thorne 2 18¼, Mambrino Star 2 20½, North Star Mambrino 2 26½, Woodford Mambrino 2 21½.

Brown's Bell-Founder by Imp. Bell-Founder; dam by Mambrino; second dam by Imp. Messenger; third dam by Imp. Messenger.

King William, sire of King William 2 20¾, by Washington Denmark; dam, Queen, the dam of Lathaus Denmark.

Belton 2256 is a very compact, muscular colt, strikingly like his sire in head, neck and shoulders, but his back and hind-quarters are more like Strathmore. He has a rapid movement and bids fair to trot fast.

Belton will stand, beginning March 20th at Belton Farm, the following week at Robert Wright's stable, Chestertown, and alternate between these two places until April 17th, and then will make a stand at Belton Driving Park, and alternate between the Park and Chestertown until the close of the season, June 20th.

TERMS.--$50 for the Season.

PAYABLE AT THE END OF SEASON.

Mares not proving in foal can be returned the following season, and if the horse is in training or sold, owners of such mares will not be required to pay for service for the season of 1887. No Groom's Fee.

JOHN F. GODWIN, Owner.

Feb. 25—tj20.

FREDERICK FOUNTAIN,

—AGENT FOR—

R. J. BAKER & CO.,

BALTIMORE, MARYLAND,

MANUFACTURERS OF

HIGH GRADE FERTILIZERS

—AND—

Pure Chemicals for All Formulas.

ANALYSES:

Pure Ground Raw Bone	*Pure Dissolved Raw Bone*
5 to 6 per cent. Ammonia,	*3 to 3½ per cent. Ammonia,*
50 to 52 per cent. Bone Phos.	*32 to 36 per ct. Bone Phos*

It is no longer a question for the farmer to determine whether Fertilizers pay him or not it but remains for him to determine the kind and quality which pay him best. We make a specialty of furnishing in quantities to suit the purchasers every article used for the purpose of fertilizing the soil. We sell it separate or will manipulate and mix it to order according to any formula which may be required. Our brands of Ammoniated Bone Super Phosphates we guarantee to be made of the best and purest materials, and which have stood successfully the test and competition of 40 years, we respectfully commend to farmers who are not governed in their purchases by the low prices regardless of the more important considerations of quality. We have also a carefully prepared Fertilizer for Peach Trees, Corn and Oat Fertilizer, Bird Guano and Potash. Pure Dissolved South Carolina Bone Phos., Muriate of Potash, Kainit, Sulphate of Ammonia, Nitrate of Soda, Agricultural Salts, Ground Plaster, and all Chemicals used for fertilizing purposes.

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FREDERICK FOUNTAIN,
Feb. 17, 1887. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Our Peach Tree Guano! TRADE MARK Our Peach Tree Guano

The most successful growers of peaches are using fertilizers upon their orchards, and they believe it is necessary that the tree must be fed to produce yearly crops. A large crop one season necessarily reduces the quantity of fruit the next, without you supply to the tree what the fruit takes from it. A properly prepared and low cost Fertilizer is cheaper than fruit, therefore you must make a good profit if you feed your trees. Peach trees should not have applied to them any fertilizer containing sulphuric acid. Nearly all the Peach Tree Fertilizers are made with the objectionable article. Our Peach Tree Guano does not contain one lb. of sulphuric acid, and the wonderful results from its use prove our claim that it is the most successful Peach Tree Food upon the market. Ask the gentlemen mentioned below their opinion of these goods. Dr. John J. Black, New Castle, Del., author of the celebrated work upon the peach, pear and quince, says; "I think the condition of my trees warrants me in saying the application of your tree Fertilizer to them has been of advantage."

BETTERTON, Md., Jan. 12, 1887.

MESSRS. C. W. KENNARD & CO.—Gentlemen:—In the Spring of 1885 and the Spring of '86 I used your "Special Tree Guano" with very satisfactory results. My crop was nice both years. The summer of 1886 my crop was large and fine and what was very peculiar my peaches did not rot on the trees, which I attribute to your fertilizer. HENRY H. MCVAY.

WORTON STATION, March 4, 1887.

MESSRS. C. W. KENNARD & CO.—Gentlemen:—I used one ton of your "Peach Tree Guano" last Spring on our peach orchard with the most surprising results. The orchard is sixteen years old, and as the trees had not borne any peaches up to last year for over seven years, I advised Mr. Porter to let me cut it down, but we did not do so I am glad to say. We had a nice crop last year; the peaches were nicely colored and of fine size, We made three pickings from the trees; we counted the peaches in one basket and it contained only fifty-two peaches. I measured one, it was 10½ inches in circumference. The *Kent News* contained an account of the basket containing the fifty-two. For a large number of our peaches we got one dollar per basket, and the basket returned at the station. Another strange thing was; that the orchard kept its foliage longer and greener than any orchard I saw last fall. I certainly cannot help recommending your Peach Tree Phosphate and advise all growers to use it.

P. H. GEARS.

BETTERTON, Md., Jan. 12th, 1887.

MESSRS. C. W. KENNARD & CO.—Gentlemen:—We have used your 'Special Peach Tree Guano' with wonderful success on old peach trees, and in our nursery, the most remarkable result was on our June budded trees; we gave them an application when we budded in June, and where we made the heaviest application our trees were over five feet high in the following October.—Where we only used a small quantity the trees were about two and a-half feet high, an increase in size of one hundred per cent. We truly believe your "Peach Tree Guano" the best article made for peach trees, and the lowest priced; shall need more next spring. We will be pleased to answer any questions regarding its worth, and advise all nurserymen and peach-growers to use it.

Very respectfully,
H. H. MCVAY,
J. T. VANDEGRIFT,
Nurserymen.

A FEW NAMES OF PURCHASERS LAST SPRING:

Josias Ringgold, Chestertown, Md.;	J. H. Porter, Worton Station;	B. F. Beck, Lankford, Md;
Sam'l Vannort, " "	J. Rankin & Bro., Fairlee;	Thos. Hulme, Fairlee, Md;
H. W. Vickers, att'y, " "	W. T Baker, Edesville, Md.;	Chas. D. Brown, Pomona;
Henry Massey, " "	John Evans Church Hill;	Jos. Porter, Worton.

Black Residuum! Black Residuum!

Hand in your orders for this article early. It prevents frenching in corn, and destroys insect life in your peach orchard. We are always the lowest priced in fertilizers and chemicals. A trial will convince you. We were the first to lower the price of these goods.

CORN FERTILIZER.

C. W. KENNARD & CO.

Do you believe that Phosphate on Corn will pay? We know it will if you get a good article, and at a fair price. We lead in Low Prices. Our increasing trade convinces us that our customers are finding this out. Those who doubt call and see us. We give the opinion of one gentleman. Only have room for one testimonial. Plenty more in the office.

Testimonial of J. H. Toulson:

57¾ bu. per acre from Clover Sod and Manure; 67¼ bu. from our Corn Fertilizer per acre on Same Ground;

MESS. C. W. KENNARD & CO.:—It is with great pleasure that I state to you and others interested the success of your corn phosphate sold to me last spring. I put a field containing eighteen acres in corn in the spring of 1885, turned under a clover sod and manured heavily. My crop of corn was 57¾ bushels to the acre. I put the same field in the next spring. Planted it also in peach trees, and used your corn phosphate. The result was 67¼ bushels to the acre. The increase of fodder more than paid for the fertilizer. I did not put any phosphate between the peach trees running one way. The corn was so much poorer that my neighbors asked me why it was. I told them it was because I had not put any of Charlie Kennard's phosphate there. I have used the highest priced phosphate on corn of other makes, but your lower priced goods I consider the best. Your Special Potato Phosphate grew me fine sized, smooth potatoes, and a large crop. I shall always recommend your goods. Very respt., JAS. A TOULSON.

C. W. KENNARD & CO.