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C. G. WOODALL, Publisher.

—The weather of the early part of the week has been charming.

—The Chester River Fish Law, published elsewhere in this issue, has been approved by the Governor, and is a legal enactment now in effect.

—The new advertisement of Chapman & Lambert appears in this issue. It is one of the old firms of the county, which has attained a well deserved success.

—The Kent *Independent* has suspended publication. Mr. Chas. H. Moore leaves this week for Vermont to take charge of a marble quarry in which he is interested.

—Mr. Clyde Davis advertises in this issue material belonging to the *Independent*, lately published in Chestertown, which he has attached for wages due him and unpaid.

—The Sunday school of the P. E. church held a festival on Tuesday evening last. The festival was a success beyond the expectations of the ladies who originated it, —netting $107.

—Annie Rochester, colored, about 13 years of age, was before 'Squire Johnson recently charged with stealing. She was found guilty and sent to the House of Correction for sixty days.

—It is rumored that the Hon. Charles H. Gibson intends to become a benedict. His many friends will rejoice greatly thereat. All Charley needs to make him perfect is a good wife.—*Easton Democrat.*

—Prof. T. N. Williams, of Washington College, has been elected superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school, vice James E. Mirch resigned. Prof. Williams took charge of the school on last Sunday.

—Easter Sunday was marked at all the churches in Chestertown by beautiful floral decorations of pulpits and chancels. Large congregations were in attendance at each of the churches morning and evening.

—The fruit farm located near Lankford belonging to Dr. Price, reported in the last issue of the *Transcript* as sold by H. W. Vickers, Esq., to Mr. Joseph Price, was subsequently resold to Mr. Richard Groves, at the same figure at which it was bid in by Mr. Price.

—Energetic efforts are being made to make a success of the concert at Stam's Hall next Tuesday evening for benefit of the Church of the Sacred Heart. Miss Jeannie Rinn from Baltimore is expected to give valuable assistance. Home talent will be mainly relied upon, however.

—Miss Nellie Walters gave a very pleasant reception at the residence of Mrs. Willard Melvin, on Front street, in honor of her little niece, Daisy Walters, of Pocomoke City, Wednesday evening of last week. Refreshments were served and quite an enjoyable evening was spent.

—The congregation of the P. E. Church, Chestertown, called in a body on the pastor, Rev. S. C. Roberts, on Tuesday evening last and spent a very pleasant social evening. A great number of handsome presents accompanied the guests, expressive of the good-will and esteem in which the pastor is held. Among the presents were a handsome Brussels carpet with velvet rug, and more than $150 in money.

—The summer schedule of the Chester River Steamboat Co. will go into effect on and after Tuesday, April 10. The steamer Emma A. Ford will leave Chestertown daily (except Sunday) at 7 A. M., arriving in Baltimore at 11.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pier 7 at 3 P. M., arriving at Chestertown at 7.20 P. M. Steamer B. S. Ford will leave Centreville daily (except Sunday) at [illegible] A. M. Returning, will leave Pier [illegible] P. M. Schedule will be in next issue.

—County commissioners met Tuesday. Full board present.

The commissioner from each district reported and nominated the road supervisors for their respective district, which were appointed by order of the board.

The board also adopted sundry duties for regulation of general janitor for court house and grounds, and appointed Samuel Shuster at a salary of $150 per annum.

Board was further engaged in transferring property and in examining, approving and passing accounts for levy.

—Orphans' Court, Tuesday, April 3, 1888—Present, Judges Walker, Fisher and Moffett.

C. J. Scott, adm'r of Jos. P. Ireland, filed inventory of personal estate of deceased, and obtained order of sale.

W. E. Keyser and Vincent Lee returned appraisement of rental value of Perry Chambers, dec'd.

A warrant was issued to Thos. H. Horsey and Geo. M. Beasten to appraise the rental value of estate of Jos. P. Ireland.

Letters of admin. on the personal estate of Joshua Vansant, were granted to Hope H. Barrol.

Wm. D. Carter was appointed guardian to Clara, Robert N., Sallie and Effie Rash.

Death of Francis Baker.

On Sunday afternoon last, at his home in Quaker Neck, peacefully, after an illness extending through about two weeks, Mr. Francis Baker died, aged about 73 years. Mr. Baker had not been in vigorous health for a considerable period preceding his death. Up to the time of his death he retained consciousness, and gave a last farewell to those who gathered about his bedside.

Mr. Baker was a native of this county, and spent the whole of his long and active life here. He began life with limited means, but by energy and industry, accumulated a very considerable property. During his lifetime he divided a considerable portion of his estate among his children, of whom five survive him. They are Mr. James H. Baker, member of the late House of Delegates from his county, Mrs. Thomas Toulson, of Quaker Neck, Mrs. Dr. W. S. Maxwell, of Still Pond, Mrs. Chas. H. Price, of Still Pond, and an unmarried daughter. Mr. Baker was married four times, his first wife being a Miss Brown, his second, a Miss Currie, his third a Miss Bevins and his fourth Mrs. Price, who survives him.

His life was a quiet one, devoted principally to agricultural pursuits, in which calling he mainly accumulated his property. Mr. Baker was a good citizen, thoroughly respected throughout the county for his sterling integrity and uprightness. He was a Quaker in his religious belief, and it was his direction that everything in connection with his funeral and burial should be of the greatest simplicity. He was buried at Chester Cemetery on Tuesday, the Rev. Daniel Bates of the M. P. Church reading the burial service. The bearers were B. F. Beck, John A. Groves, Wm. H. Ayers, Arthur Kendall, Samuel Brown and John Redue.

April Jurors.

His Honor Judge Wickes on Wednesday of last week drew the following jurors for the April term of our circuit court, which begins on Monday, the 16th. The figure opposite each name designates the election district in which the juror resides:

5	Henry Bramble,	3	Samuel A. Reed,
1	David Stewart,	5	Spencer Harris,
5	Thomas W. Skirven,	3	Purnell Jefferson,
4	B. N. S. Wilkins,	4	William Morris,
1	Barney J. McCauley,	1	Thomas A. Jacobs,
1	Benj. F. H. Caulk,	5	Thomas A. Hulme,
3	James S. Harris,	2	William H. Bowers,
1	Jas. F. M. Woodall,	3	Richard S. Diehl,
5	Joseph E. Gilpin,	5	Harry S. Francis,
4	Thos. W. Ellison, Jr.,	2	James W. Hurtt,
1	Charles P. Loper,	2	J. Frank Willson,
1	Thos. J. Pennington,	2	James R. Stavely,
4	Josias Ringgold,	4	Robert G. Nicholson,
4	Samuel Merritt,	4	James A. Shaw,
5	Stevenson Constable,	2	Thomas Rasin, Jr.,
3	Thos. Gale of John,	4	John H. Simpers,
1	Wm. A. Miller,	3	Richard C. Smyth,
2	John S. Clayton,	1	Charles H. Wickes,
5	James P. Wickes,	2	Lewis C. Justis, Jr.,
1	Thos. R. Quimby,	4	Stewart Matthews,
5	John W. Skirven,	5	Azariah M. Kendall,
5	Edgar H. Strong,	5	Horace A. Willson,
2	Geo. M. Beasten,	5	William S. Thompson,
5	Wm. Tylden Brice,	5	James Rankin.

Recapitulation.—First district, 9; second, 8; third, 6; fourth, 10; fifth, 15. This showing presents another argument in favor of the district plan of drawing.

FRUIT-GROWERS ORGANIZE.

A Convention Held in Baltimore and an Exchange Established.

From Baltimore Sun of Tuesday.

A convention of fruit-growers of Maryland and Delaware, in connection with the East Baltimore Business Men's Association, was held yesterday at White Hall, Bank street, near Broadway, and the Maryland Fruit and Produce Exchange was organized, with the following officers: President, John W. Corey, of Kent; Vice-Presidents—Henry W. Murray, Anne Arundel; S. T. Earle, Queen Anne's; N. Barnard, Kent; P. A. Hall, Cecil; Jno. W. Cruett, Baltimore; Col. F. Carroll Goldsborough, Talbot; James Wallace, Dorchester; J. W. Kerr, Caroline; Thomas B. Todd, Baltimore county. Secretary, John P. Nicholson, Kent.

Among those attending were Norris Barnard, president of the Still Pond Agricultural Association; James Bates, president of the East Baltimore Business Men's Association; John R. Gould, representing Brown's wharf property. Those present from Kent county were James S. Harris, Alfred L. Corep, John C. Boshell, J. W. Copper, Samuel Mann, J. P. Nicholson, J. W. Corey, T. J. Vickers, J. C. Taylor, R. T. Turner, G. W. Rodenhiser, W. D. Pennington, Henry Krusen, W. P. Crosby, Joseph Rasin, T. J. Willis, A. J. Reese, B. F. H. Caulk; from Queen Anne's county, F. A. Emory, J. Hersey Hall, Samuel T. Earle; from Anne Arundel county, P. T. Burch, A. Rider, James R. Benson, Geo. Merritt, R. S. Cole; from Wilmington, J. P. R. Polk; from the East Baltimore Business Men's Association and the city, Capt. Jno. W. Cruett, Jno. N. Gardner, Alex. Y. Dolfield, Adolph Martini, Geo. H. Budeke, Dietrich Struven, Louis Beck, E. J. Codd, Dr. John F. Hancock, F. M. Ellerbrock, Dr. W. F. Edwards, Thos. E. Maasch, C. A. Wolf, C. S. Wehr, A. P. Crew, M. K. Frank, Solomon Kann, John Mahr, P. G. Leimbach, Jos. Greenfelder, Capt. W. C. Eliason, and Wm. B. Sands, of the *American Farmer.*

The Kent county delegation represented Fairlee Grange, No. 8, and the Still Pond Association. King's Creek (Talbot county) Grange, No. 75, sent letters endorsing the Exchange.

The committee on organization reported a constitution declaring the name of the Exchange to be the Fruit and Produce Exchange of Baltimore, and that it shall act as consignees and commission agents for agriculturists and others at rates not exceeding 3 per cent. The sales are to be made at auction, and each owner is to have one bid for self-protection. No wharfage is to be charged, and any shipper may ship to the Exchange, whether a member or not. In cases where shippers are not members the commission merchant must pay 1 cent for each basket or one and a-half cents for each box. The capital stock is to be $10,000, and the Exchange is to be operative when $5,000 is paid in. The shares are $10 each.

The following were appointed as directors: Cecil county, John P. R. Polk; Talbot, Gen. E. L. Hardcastle; Dorchester, Jas. Wallace; Calvert, J. B. Bond; Anne Arundel, George Earle, Jr.; Queen Anne's, Samuel T. Earl; Kent, J. W. Corey, J. T. Harris, Norris Barnard; East Baltimore Business Men's Association, Alex. Y. Dolfield, John W. Cruett, John Mahr. The basis of representation above was adopted as the rule.

Mr. John P. R. R. Polk gave an exposition of what the exchange is to be as modeled upon an existing similar institution of Delaware peach-producers called the Delaware Bureau of Information and Distribution. He said: "Your commission rates are about ten per cent. You send goods at haphazard, and cause gluts in one place and scarcity in another. The expansion of the peach industry can be comprehended when you are told that three millions of young trees have been planted on the Peninsula. My grandfather once caused a glut in Philadelphia with one steamboat load of peaches. All peach-growers must sell as one man. We have sent in one day 300 carloads or 20 trains or 200,000 packages of peaches to New York. We have headquarters at Clayton, where we are about to arrange a table, with telegraph operators, who will receive messages from 300 cities where we have agents. When the city's quota is full it is telegraphed down the Peninsula, and every farmer sees at once by a blackboard that he must not send goods to that town. Baltimore would be a link to make the chain of our business complete on the Peninsula, as many bay shore peaches come here for their natural market. Your local statistics showed $4,000,000 of goods sold. The saving in this if you had saved eight per cent. on commissions would amount to $320,000 to spend in Baltimore. On the new trees it would amoun to a half million of dollars."

Mr. Barnard said his orders for young trees were trebled in the last three years, and 400,000 four-year-old trees would bear that many baskets of fruit this year. Mr. Harris said twenty years ago the business was small, and 10,000 boxes of peaches glutted Baltimore. Baltimore can use daily 45,000 packages. More than that makes the market unsteady, and the fruit rots on the wharf or is jolted over the streets in wagons. This is to be avoided by having a wharf with car tracks contiguous. The gluts caused the now immense shipments to New York. All the farmers would rather send to Baltimore if they can have proper distribution, as the rates hither are cheap, while to New York they are dear by the Peninsula route. Three-fourths went to New York notwithstanding, for when peaches brought 20 cents here they brought 50 and 60 by going North.

The East Baltimore Association, through Mr. Dolfield, stated that they would take $3,500 of the stock.

The convention paid a visit to Brown's wharf, which is contemplated as the site of the exchange. It is offered for $3,500 the first year, $4,000 the next, and $5,000 thereafter. Hooper's and Henderson's wharves were also seen.

Kennedyville Farmers' Club.

KENNEDYVILLE, March 31, 1888.

The Farmers' Club of Kennedyville met and was called to order by Mr. Wm. Archibald. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. The committee on creamery reported progress. The committee on cannery also reported the work progressing. The excavation is now ready for the foundation walls. Notice was given that Mr. S. W. Lester, manager of the famous Troy creamery, Bradford county, Pa., will deliver a lecture at the Kennedyville hall next Saturday, April 7th, 2½ o'clock p. m. on "The Merits of the Cream-gathering Plan of Operating Creameries,—and All Other Processes." Let all farmers and their families, as well as all others interested in the advancement of this branch of agriculture, attend. D. U. D.

The Weekly Evening Post.

The New York *Evening Post* will begin on the third of May, to issue a WEEKLY EDITION, having for its principal aim the promotion of Revenue Reform, which has become the paramount issue in national politics. The existence of an actual surplus in the Treasury estimated to reach $140,000,000 on the 30th of June, 1888, and the further increase thereof under present laws, are a menace to all business interests, and a direct incentive to wastefulness and corruption in the appropriations of public money. The attention of the people having been strongly drawn to this subject by the President in his last annual message, the need of information and popular enlightenment on questions of revenue and taxation has been increasingly felt in all parts of the country.

It is the intention of the management to make a first-class weekly newspaper of 12 pages. Subscription price $1 per year. A free copy of the first number will be mailed anywhere on request. Send address on a postal card to THE EVENING POST, New York. 1t.

New Advertisements.

The following advertisements appear for the first time in this issue:

Chester River Fish Law.

Chapman & Lambert's general business.

Sale of pringing material of *Independent.*

Church notice.

SALESMEN WANTED—

To canvas for the sale of Nursery Stock! Steady employment guaranteed. Salary and Expenses paid. Apply at once, statingage. (Refer to this paper.)

CHASE BROTHERS COMPANY, ROCHESTER, N.Y

23-t|15.

FINE ENGRAVED THIN TUMBLERS—$1.50 per dozen. SPARKS, Under News Office.

W. N. E. WICKES

HAS THE CONTROL OF

LISTER'S PHOSPHATES!

H. S. MILLER & CO.'S PHOSPHATES,

PREPARED FROM BONE;

BOWEN & CO.'S S. C. ROCK,

ALKALINE & AMMONIATED PHOSPHATES.

The above Phosphates may be relied on for the various uses to which they may be applied, and will be sold at the Lowest possible figure.

☞ Circulars, &c., at the Store of Wickes & Bro.

☞ Will be delivered at any landing on the bay, river or R. R. station. m29.

The Chester River

STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

Until further notice, the Steamer

EMMA A. FORD.

Will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck Grey's Inn, Eastern Neck, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. wharf every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M., making the above landings.

STEAMER B. S. FORD

will leave Chestertown every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Centreville, Eastern Neck, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. wharf at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, Wednesday and Friday, for the above landings.

FARE:

$1 ROUND TRIP.

SINGLE TICKETS 75 CENTS.

GEO. WARFIELD, PRESIDENT.

March 22, 1888.

COAL AND WOOD.

BUILDING LIME, CEMENT,

—AND—

Plastering Hair.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS will do well to get our Prices on Lime, Cement and Hair before buying elsewhere.

J. D. BACCHUS,

f24tf. COAL AND WOOD DEALER

NOTICE! NOTIE!

The Rising Sun Saloon

IS now open for the Summer Trade. We are now making

THE BEST ICE CREAM

that the town or county can produce.

Frozen Custard, Water Ices, Cakes, &c., Beefsteak, Ham and Eggs, Coffee, Lobster, Canned Oysters, Turtle Soup, Ox-Tail Soup, Hard and Soft Crabs.

P. S.—We are also making a BOSTON CREAM that cannot be beaten. All lovers of good Ice Cream please give our Boston Cream a trial.

I have Harrison Jenkins, a very nice young man, who will receive all orders and act in my place when I am absent.

WILLIAM PERKINS,

May 19, 1887. Proprietor

A REMEDY FOUND AT LAST TO CURE

Hog Cholera!

LIEBERMAN'S

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.

Manufactured and sold by N. LIEBERMAN, MELITOTA, MD.

Correspondence solicited, Telephone Call 36.

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

Oct. 27, 1887.

C. WRIGHT SPRY

—WITH—

WRIGHT & LONEY,

Successors to Wright & Sparks,

FLOUR, GRAIN & COUNTRY PRODUCE

Commission Merchants,

No. 215. S. Charles Street, Baltimore, Md.

☞ REFERENCES.—Drovers and Mechanics Ional Bank, cor. Eutaw and Fayette, Sts n. 19, 1888.

SALTED FISH, Shad, Mackerel and Laborador Herring for sale by J. B. SAPPINGTON.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

ANNUAL NOTICE.

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

TUESDAY,

THE 6TH DAY OF MARCH, 1888,

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

EVERY TUESDAY,

Until the 8th 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, 15th of May next,

NO ALTERATIONS or CORRECTIONS in the assessments will be made for the present year.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE POOR OF KENT COUNTY,

will be appointed on the Second Monday—9th day—of April next.

COLLECTORS OF STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

FOR EACH ELECTION DISTRICT

—AND A—

KEEPER OF THE STANDARDS

—OF—

Weights and Measures

will be appointed on

Tuesday, 10th day of April next,

☞ All persons having ACCOUNTS against the county are requested to present the same on or before

Tuesday, 12th day of June next,

otherwise they may be excluded from the levy this year. All accounts properly chargable to the county are require d to be made out in a clear manner and itemized and rendered under oath.

All applications for pension 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.

WILLIAM MORRIS, Pres;
JOHN F. ERNEST,
EDW. W. HEPBRON,
SAMUEL F. COOPER,
JOHN DICKINSON,
Commissioners.

Attest—T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk.

Feb. 23, 1888.

ESTABLISHED 1876.

E. T. COMEGYS,

Dealer in Grain,

LOCUST GROVE, MD.

☞ Highest Market Price paid for GRAIN at all times, delivered at any point convenient to farmers.

Sept. 1, 1887.

DANVILLE

THOROUGHBRED RUNNING STALLION,

Will travel the spring season of 1888 in Kent.

PEDIGREE:

Danville was sired by King Lear, he by Planet out of Dam, Mary Minor; out of Nannie Harper by Imported Glencoe; out of Fannie Hill, by imported Monarch, son of Priam; out of Allegrante by Imported Young Truffe; out of Phantomia by Phantom, Derby winner.

TERMS.—For single mare to insure, $25. For two or more mares to insure, $20 each. For season, without insurance, $15. Single service, $5.

J. C. SUTTON, JR. LOCUST GROVE, MD

March 1—5t.

LAMPS.

NEW STOCK NOW OPENING.

HANDSOME HANGING LAMPS,
HALL LAMPS,
STAND LAMPS,
KITCHEN LAMPS,
HAND LAMPS.

You will find these the CHEAPEST GOODS we have ever offered.

H. A. SPARKS.

Feb. 23, 1888.

J. H. HILL, M. D.,

Millington, - - - Maryland.

Office and Drug Store on Cypress street. May be found at Mallalieu's Hotel at night. A supply of Medicines carried for out-of-town patients. d15-tf.

LIME! LIME!

No. 1 Wood Burnt Lime,

—FOR—

BUILDING AND WHITEWASHING

LOWEST PRICES

J. B. SAPPNGTON.

IRON Cultivators! Iron Cultivators!! and Extra Cultivator Points complete at J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S.

NOTICE.

THE RISING SUN SALOON is now prepared to accommodate the public with all the delicacies of the season, such as Spring Chickens, Soft, Deveiled and Hard Crabs, Beefsteak, Ham and Eggs, Turtle Soup, Terrapin Soupand Ox Tail Soup.

WM. PERKINS, Proprietor.

June 2, 1887

REMOVAL.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin has taken the dwelling house on High street adjoining the store of Mr. A. J. Cahall. He will be pleased to see his friends and patients at his new location, where, having more room, he will be able to afford many more comforts than in the past.

Jan. 6, 1887—tf.

NEW Stock of Horse-Collars and Bridle Halters, Traces and Plow-Lines at WROTH & ALDRIDGE

BOOTS!

BOOTS!

BOOTS!

SHOES!

SHOES!

SHOES!

EVERYTHING IN BOOTS.

EVERYTHING IN SHOES.

M. T. GOSLEE

Keeps A Shoe Store—Exclusively.

He does not keep a mixed store. He does not trade in molasses, kerosene or calico. But in the Shoe line he can supply what you want.

☞ HE COMPETES WITH CITY STORES AND CITY PRICES!

HE COMPETES IN FINE WORK, IN DURABLE WORK, AND IN PRICES.

He is Under the new hall

W. D. MILLER,

Fire and Burglar Proof

SAFES

Vault Doors, Bank Work.

5 S. Charles St.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

April 7—y.

DR. PHELP'S STATEMENT.

Healthful Teeth are a "Lifetime Joy!"

SINCE in practice here I have extracted diseased teeth for over 1,800 patients (cases recorded) WITHOUT GIVING PAIN. *The Safe* administration of *Ether and Chloroform* my specialty.

N. B.—☞ My services, for this purpose, at the call of physicians in surgical operations.

Why not have your decayed teeth filled?

W. G. PHELPS, D. D. S.,

Nov. 17, 1887. Galena, Md.

JACOB WOLF,

Dealer in WINES & LIQUORS.

OLD RYE FROM	$1.50 TO $2.00
" SHERWOOD,	2.50 TO 6.00
" MONTICELLO,	2.50 TO 6.00

CORNER OF LIGHT AND CONWAY,

opposite Chester River Steamboat Co.

May 19—6m.

IT HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED

TRADE MARK

Beyond a doubt that **Concentrated Animal Bone Fertilizers** are superior to low grade, or Acid Goods, as a means of growing Truck, such as Sugar Corn, Tomatoes, Potatoes, etc., and, as will be shown by the following Testimonials, **Our Corn,** as well as our **Special Truck Fertilizer** stands second to none on the market:

FOR CORN.

Mr. ALLEN WALLACE, of Sweedsboro', N.J., says I could tell the very row where I used your fertilizer on my field corn, and when I came to mow my grass, where the goods had been used, there was such a difference in the crop that some of my friends asked me why I mowed part of the field and let the other stand, when the truth of the matter was your fertilizer made the grass five or six inches higher; it was more marked from the fact that the corn rows ran diagonally across the field, and I could see the difference in the second mowing. I believe it to be grand, good stuff, and will use it again this spring.

Mr. J. CORDRAY LOUD, of Pomona, says for a number of years he had used our fertilizer on his corn; it prevents frenching and always paid him.

Mr. J. B. HANWAY, of Joppa, Harford county, Md., says in the spring of 1884 I bought 8 tons of your Special Truck Fertilizer for sugar corn and tomatoes, and liked it so well that I bought more heavily the next season, until last spring I bought 94 tons, and expect to use more than ever this season. Your goods has an excellent reputation with us.

Mr. JAMES R. MASSEY, of Harford county, says he made a test with our Corn Phosphate alongside dissolved Animal Bone and Oriole Super-Phosphate, and sold the corn to canners by the ton, and that our goods netted him $14 more to the acre.

C.C. BROWN & BRO., of Pomona, say they continue to use our Corn Phosphate because it pays them.

FOR TOMATOES.

Mr. WM. R. ALABAND, of Wyoming, Del., says I used your fertilizer on tomatoes by the side of Green Bone phosphate and Sun Guano. The Green Bone was cracked so high I put it next to the road to show off big, and the Sun Guano next and the last Hubbard's, away back, as its merits were kept quiet: but when visitors came to see my patch of tomatoes I always pointed out the ground on which all three kinds were, and Hubbard's got the credit of being far superior to the others. When picking time came it was all in all.

Mr. HERMON PYLE, of Harford, says I used your Truck Fertilizer on my tomatoes in connection with other standard brands. Where your goods went the vines keep greener, fruit was prettier, yielded more, and will use a car load or two this spring.

Mr. J. W. KNIGHT, of Webster, Harford county, says about the same.

Mr. J. H. COPPER, our county, says he h s used our goods on his various crops of truck w h satisfaction.

FOR POTATOES.

Mr. WM. M. BATTEN, of Sweedsboro', N. J., says for several years I had been paying $13 more per ton for Maples Potato Manure than for yours and in order that we might know whether the other was worth the difference, last spring we applied them both alike, marked the rows and dug the potatoes separately. There was a basket more to the row where your goods went: They were larger, smooth and nice potatoes. Will use yours exclusively this spring.

Mr. WM WOOD, of Hanesville, our county, says your fertilizer made for me as fine a crop of potatoes as I ever grew. The spot where applied was a poor piece of land that came in the corn field the next year, and you could see a decided difference in the corn where the potatoes had been. Never before had I seen such lasting and beneficial effects. My neighbors in looking at my corn noticed it.

☞ We ask but a fair and impartial trial of our Bone Super-Phosphates.

March 22, 1888. T. R. HUBBARD & SON, MANUFACTURERS, CHESTERTOWN, Md.

ATTENTION, FARMERS!

OUR GOODS THE BEST! OUR PRICES THE LOWEST!

The prospects for the present year are encouraging to the agriculturist. Corn commands a good figure and is likely to remain so. Wheat is a better price and is apt to improve. Fruit-growers are happy in the prospect of a full crop. The supply of canned fruits and vegetables is not large, the demand will therefore exceed the supply of the present season. Farmers, feed your crops with the proper food, *the best is the cheapest.* The reputation gained for our goods and the results obtained therefrom, classes them among the best. The secret of success is to make goods equal to any and to sell them at a low figure. THIS WE DO. Among the well-known brands that rank among the best, are our Peach and Vine Guano, unexcelled for Peach Trees; Climax, for Corn and Truck; Acme, for Corn and Truck, especially adapted for stiff land, prevents "frenching" in corn; also special phosphates for Oats, Potatoes, &c. Black Residuum for sale in quantities to suit—fine dry stock. The following testimonials (are among the many that we are now receiving) to which we call your attention:

TESTIMONIALS:

CHURCH HILL, March 1, 1888.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co.—Gentlemen: I have used the Peach Tree Guano manufactured by you. I have used it for the last two seasons and I am much pleased with the results. My orchard was fifteen years old when first applying your guano. It was in a very bad condition: had become to decay very much. I noticed a great improvement after one application of your goods. In the following spring, 1887, I again applied 400 pounds broadcast per acre. I had a medium crop of peaches, while some of my neighbors, with much better orchards, failed to get any, although full of bloom in spring. They did not use your guano. My orchard today is more promising than it has been for the last 6 or 8 years. I believe your Peach Guano has made it what it is to-day. I shall continue to use it while ever it gives me such good results. Wherever your Guano has been used in this section good results have followed. I also used your Corn Phosphate last spring with good results; got better returns than from any Phosphate I ever used. You are at liberty to publish this statement. — GUS. PORTER.

FAIRLEE, Dec. 17, 1887.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co.—Gentlemen: I used three-quarters of a ton of your Peach Tree Guano, and applied it to one-fourth of my orchard last spring. On the part fertilized I received more than five times as many peaches. I made this trial as an experiment, and am fully satisfied that it pays to use your fertilizer. There were very few peaches about me last year; many orchards did not have any. Six rows of one variety where I put the Phosphate were full of peaches this past year; and what is more surprising, the same trees were very full the year before. This result was very unusual last year and fully satisfies me that your Peach Tree Guano did the work. — R. C. SMYTH.

CHESTERTOWN, Feb. 28, 1888.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co.—The fertilizer that I bought from you last spring I used on my corn on the Pippin farm. This land had been put in corn two years previously and was in wheat two years before that, making 5 years in tillage. My crop of corn was excellent, greatly beyond expectations. You have my order for this spring, and I advise all farmers to use your goods; they are reliable and low-priced.

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JAMES A. TOULSON.

Tilghman's Island, Md., Feb. 29, 1888.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co.—Gentlemen: Mr. Sol. Seney and myself used your Peach Tree Guano last spring on our peach orchard. The result was fully up to our expectations. There are about one thousand trees in the orchard, and it is fourteen years old. We sold the orchard to a speculator for twelve hundred and seventy-five dollars, and he was satisfied with his profit. The orchard has made a fine growth for this year and is full of buds. I can highly recommend your goods. JOHN M. CECIL.

PRICK'S STATION, MD., March 1, 1888.

Messrs. C. W. Kennard & Co.—Gents: I used some of your Special Mixture on potatoes last spring, and grew a large crop and of a fine quality. I think it is a good mixture for truck.

Resp'y, E. B. WALLS.

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