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Returning, steamer leaves Chestertown for Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7.30 a. m. weather permitting, stopping at the above landings, arriving Baltimore 12.30 p. m.

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Returning, steamer leaves Centreville for Baltimore Saturday 7.30 a. m., weather permitting, stopping at all the above points, arriving at Baltimore 1.00 p. m.

Steamer will leave Baltimore Pier 7 Light street Monday and Wednesday, weather permitting, at 2 p. m. for Rock Hall, Quaker Neck, Rolph's, Chestertown, Buckingham, Sprys, Deep Landing, Crumpton. Returning, steamer will leave Crumpton 6 a. m., Tuesday and Thursday, weather permitting, stopping at the above landings.

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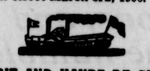

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, steamer leaves Baltimore at 2.45 P. M., for Tolchester, Betterton, Havre de Grace and Port Deposit.

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays leaves Port Deposit at 7.00 A. M., Havre de Grace 7.30 A. M., Betterton 8.45 A. M., Tolchester 10.15 A. M. Does not stop at Tolchester Saturday.

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, steamer will leave Fredericktown at 7 00 A. M., Betterton 8,15, A.M., Buck Neck 9.30 A.M., Gales 9.45 A.M., Tolchester 10.15 A. M.

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To best insure success one should, as a beginner, commence in rather a small way and gradually increase his herd as he grows in experience, the most costly of all schools. One will run up against many perplexing questions that will require all there is in him to master. We have all seen the plunger, even in the hog business. He in some manner became infected, as it were, with the germ and has figured out that if Mr. A. can sell a litter of pigs for several hundred dollars he can certainly do as well; also that if one will bring as much, 20 litters will bring 20 times this amount, and it all looks easy to him on paper.

He launches out, perhaps, with a good capital, buys many high-priced animals and soon he finds himself long on hogs and short on experience, soon finding himself out on a rough sea without a rudder to his ship, tossing about on the waves at the mercy of the storm, with the chances of being dashed against the rocks and lost. He is soon forgotten. History is full of such cases.

How different is the case of one who starts in a moderate way, is willing to begin at the bottom and build up a trade and a herd that will be a credit to him and to the breed he represents. He may be able to purchase but three or four sows to start with, yet he tries to get good ones—sows that are not only well-bred along the lines of popular breeding, but that are good individuals of the breed he selects. If he buys a boar to mate with them, he sees that he is still better than the sows, that he may improve even from the start.

He realizes that it is cheaper to have the best of animals for his foundation than to buy more and of a more common quality. He also realizes that there is a difference in popular strains of breeding, for, say what he will, this word fashion crops out even in the breeding of pigs.

There are certain strains of blood in every kind of live stock that command more money than others. This may be for the reason that certain strains produce more prize winners than others, and also are more valuable as breeders having the power to transmit sheir good qualities on their get to the third and fourth generations. One shouid, therefore, begin as near right as he can, with what knowledge he has, and what means he can command.—*A. J. Loveioy, before Nebraska Breeders' Association.*

FOR 16-CENT TAX RATE.

State Officers and Legislators Agree Upon That Figure.

The Sun Bureau, Annapolis, March 29.—The Finance and Ways and Means Committees, in conference, this morning with the Governor, Treasurer and Comptroller, determined to report a bill fixing the State tax rate for the years 1907 and 1908 at 16 cents on the $100. The bill making this levy was reported by Mr. Gorman from the Finance Committee and passed the Senate under suspensions of rules.

This tax is to be devoted exclusively to the public shcools, and it is expected to produce next year about $1,160,000 and a somewhat larger sum in 1908. Out of this tax the sum of $150,000 is to be appropriated for free school books, leaving something more than $1,000,000 for the general school fund.

The fixing of a tax rate of 16 cents, while it is 1 cent more than has been hoped for, is still the lowest direct tax rate since 1838, when the Sterling Loan bill was passed.

The present tax rate is 23½ cents, of which 16¾ cents is for public schools and free books, besides which about $25,000 is added to the book fund from the general Treasury.

The new rate means a reduction for school purposes of ¾ of a cent on the $100 and the discontinuance of the sum from the general Treasury. But because of the increase in the tax basis it is expected that the total sum appropriated for schools in 1907 and thereafter under the new rate will exceed the sum appropriated in 1905.

The reduction in the tax rate will be 7½ cents on $100. This reduction will save the taxpayers of the State something like $550,000 a year and Baltimore city about $300,000 a year.

Well Bred Horses.

Happy F., Happy Gill and Billy Bell, the three finely bred horses belonging to Jas. Merrick, Jr., of Sudlersville, which the late Charles Durham had in training at the time of his death, have been shipped away from Easton. Mr. Merrick sold Happy F. to Mr. Supplee of Brynn Mawr, the well-known horseman, who purchased Happy J. Happy F. is a four-year-old filly of fine figure. She is one of the most promising fillies in the country. Happy Gill, a four-year-old filly has been shipped to Sudlersville. where Mr. Merrick is interested in a track and stables recently constructed on the farm of Wm. D. Roe, Idlewile, near Sudlersville. Billy Bell, a two-year-old stallion by Happy J. has also been shipped to Sudlersville and will be put in training this year. Happy Gill will likely be entered in several peninsula races. She has great speed and will likely make things interesting in the 2.30 class.—*Easton Ledger.*

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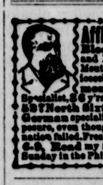

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