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So that towers massed in a city vast
May reek with the crowds they hold.

Drain off the oil from beneath the soil,
That the price might remain on high
Let the world forget the sovereign debt
It owes to the virgin ground.

Decrease your flocks and deplete your stocks,
That the pirce might remain on high,
While the cities teem and the millions dream
Of a home 'neath a country sky.

The city's lure to the countless poor
Is a shackle of strongest steel,
And the open door to a brighter shore
Ye never would dare reveal.

The food ye share and the clothes ye wear,
The coal that ye have to burn,
The things ye need and the beasts ye breed
Are the lessons ye have to learn.

So long as the sun in its course shall run,
And rain from the heavens fall,
The crops will grow and the food will flow
To the waiting mouths of all.

But not alone, on the breezes blown
And over the rolling plain,
Will the seed take root and the pale green shoot
Mature to the golden grain.

There is endless toil in the fruitful soil,
Ere the crops shall grow and spread,
And if man shuns, still, the field for the mill,
He'll bid high for his loaf of bread.

If strong men seek a wage by the week,
And disdain the call of the land,
Then supply shall fail and want prevail,
In face of the great demand.

—New York Times.

OUR POULTRY DEPARTMENT

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO OUR KENT COUNTY CHICKEN RAISERS GATHERED HERE AND THERE

The Kent hens and pullets are picking up steadily in laying. The irregular weather keeps them from doing their best.

While personally we have had no experience in the matter, it is pretty generally agreed that artificial light does not increase the number of eggs that a hen will lay in the course of a year, but the number of eggs that the hen will lay in the winter season is increased by means of illumination which lengthens out the short fall and winter days. This is an important consideration for eggs are high in price during the winter months and poultrymen are always desirous of securing the maximum egg yield. Later, we expect to try out this system thoroughly and hope to be able to give the Transcript reads some information as to its practicability.

Those who have given orders for early chickens should not be disappointed if the hatches are not up to standard. This has been a bad breeding season. With the hens kept closed in houses during the severe winter weather we look for nothing but a low fertility.

Many poultrymen will tell you that 15 eggs are too many to set at this season of the year. Of course buyers are prone to think that their chances are better if they get 15 eggs instead of 13, but breeders could give better satisfaction, especially early in the season, if they shipped thirteen eggs and no more. It takes a big hen and one with strong maternal instincts to cover 15 eggs at this season of the year. In the spring and summer months they can easily accommodate fifteen eggs.

Good buildings are a principal source of pleasure and profit on a poultry farm. They have an advertising value, indicating prosperity and drawing trade. A prospective customer, upon seeing neat, substantial poultry buildings, well painted and in good repair, at once receives a good impression of the breeder, his stock and his business; while if he sees a conglomeration of ramshackle, poorly built houses, in need of paint and repairs, the opinion is anything but favorable. A house that will keep the fowls comfortable and contented, and one that is built with the idea of sanitation, will aid in securing rapid growth, heavy egg production and freedom from disease, thus proving a direct source of profit. It is economy to use only good material in constructing poultry houses, as the additional interest on the investment in a well built structure is small compared to the depreciation in value and outlay for repairs in the case of a cheap, poorly built house. However, many beginners waste valuable material in houses not suited to their particular climate or purposes.

The epidemic of roup seems to have subsided in Kent county. While the disease was not widespread, many fowls went under from it.

The incubators on the Bramble Poultry Farm have started, to supply several large orders for early day-old baby chicks.

Where any considerable n umber of birds are brought together on limited grounds, disease is certain to appear among them sooner or later. The greater the number of birds kept on any given area, other things being equal, the sooner disease will appear, the more rapidly it will spread, and the greater will be the loss from it. All intelligently directed measures to prevent or delay the appearance of disease in a flock, all sane measures to limit its spread and encompass its eradication, constitute sanitation. Measures the purposes of which are to cure the sick birds or relieve them come under the head of therapeutics. On farms of considerable size, where attention is given chiefly to general crops, and comparatively few fowls are kept on a practically unlimited range, the loss from disease may be small, even though bad sanitation prevails; but on [illegible] poultry plants, where intensive [illegible] are adopted and the number [illegible] is large for the size of the [illegible] there can be no assurance of [illegible] exemption from disease unless reasonable sanitation is enforced. Any attempt to operate a large, intensive plant in insanitary buildings and yards, or under conditions that do not permit of sanitation, while it may succeed for a time, will result in loss oftener than otherwise, and in the end must inevitably fail.

Over at the Queen Annes Poultry Farm, things are humming these days. With orders for thousands of chicks on hand and orders for more arriving daily, Messrs. Truslow will surely have their hands full. The season promises to be a big one for them.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

B. S. Sutton & Son Doing Good Business At Blacks—A. S. Turner & Sons Planning Fine Garage In Chestertown—Other Notes Of Interest

A. S. Turner & Sons, who have the agency in this section for the Dodge automobile, are planning for a fine garage on High street, Chestertown, opposite the park. The building will be 252x45 feet and will be equipped with every convenience known to the automobile business. Work will be commenced on the rear building in the spring, while possession cannot be gotten of the store rooms in front until later.

One of the most progressive business firms of Kent County is that of B. S. Sutton & Son, up at Blacks. This firm handles the Maxwell autos and trucks and the Moline tractors, besides supplies of all kinds. This firm also handles all kinds of farming implements, etc. B. S. Sutton & Son have been doing business in Blacks for a great many years and the name of the firm stands for honesty and up-to-date methods. They are congenial and accommodating and have the confidence of a large number of customers.

The automobile business is booming in Kent. Cars are being sold as fast as the dealers can get them from the factories.

Mr. Sidney Turner, accompanied by Mr. Edward Blackway and Mr. Norman Cooper, who brought three Dodge cars from the factory to the firm of A. S. Turner & Son, Chestertown, this week, encountered some rough weather on the way from Detroit while passing through the mountains. When near Baltimore one of the gasoline tanks was punctured. The young men, observing the old adage that "necessity is the mother of invention," stuck a huge wad of chewing gum into the leak and proceeded to Baltimore, where the tank was repaired.

CHURCH NOTES

Rev. L. E. Barrett filled the pulpit of Chestertown M. P. Church in a very pleasing manner on Sunday morning during the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. L. Ward. Dr. Barrett's sermons have lost none of their power.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. J. F. Wooden, pastor. Sunday services: S. S. at 10 a. m., Wm. T. Hague, superintendent. At 11 o'clock the subject of "Stewardship" will be considered. Two laymen of Chestertown M. P. Church will assist the pastor in presenting this subject. The pastor desires a full attendance of the members of the church, especially all officials of the church. Preaching in the evening at 7.30.

The revivals at Bond Chapel having closed last Sunday evening, services will assume their usual order. Preaching at Bond tomorrow, Sunday, morning at 11 o'clock. In the afternoon S. S. at Mowbray at 2.30 p. m. Preaching at Mowbray in the evening at 7 o'clock. Everybody at Cliffs should rejoice at the reopening of these delightful evening meetings and be present to encourage their pastor.

There will be a union prayer meeting on Feb. 20, from 2 to 3 p. m., of the Women's Home Missionary Society and Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church.

Basketball Notes

Blue Ridge College defeated the W. C. five in a fast game at New Windsor last Thursday evening, the score being 30 to 18.

The Mt. St. Mary's basketball team is one of the fastest in the state. They defeated the W. C. quintet Friday by the score of 40 to 6.

Loyola College won from Washington College Saturday afternoon in one of the hardest fought games of the season in Baltimore, the score being 21 to 20. A large number of the W. C. Alumni were present.

A number of "championship" games are scheduled at Washington College for next Saturday, Feb. 28. Don't fail to see them. The games will commence at 7.15 p. m.

The closing games on the W. C. basketball schedule will be played this week. W. C. and Drexel met last evening, Friday, while the season closes with Penn Military Academy at Chester.

Killed By Kent Train.—Gilbert Henry, aged 20 years, employed by Mr. S. G. Fogwell, of upper Kent, was killed on Friday morning by the Kent freight train. Henry was driving a dearborn loaded with milk cans to the Massey creamery and when trying to get across the track at the Bibbstown crossing, near Massey, his wagon was struck by the freight train and he was killed. The horse was uninjured, but the wagon was wrecked.

State Tax Rate Reduced.—Governor Ritchie submitted to the Legislature last week his budget for the fiscal years 1921 and 1922, and did even better with the state tax rate than was anticipated. In the face of the mounting costs of wages and materials, which affect the state as well as private business concerns and individuals, he cut the rate 2 cents. For the 1921 fiscal year, which begins on October 1 next, the rate will be 34 5-6 cents, and for the 1922 fiscal year it will be 34 7-12 cents. The rate for the current and last fiscal years was 36 31-72 cents.

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$10.00 Men's Rain Coats	6.95
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$5.00 Ladies' Sweaters	2.98
Ladies' Knit Underwear	.59
35c Children's Drawers	.23
40c Children's Knit Waist	.29
$1.50 Children's Union Suits	.98
30c Men's Heavy Grey Hose	.19
30c Children's Black Hose	.19
25c Men's Jersey Gloves	.19
$2.00 Men's Heavy Work Shirts	1.45
$2.50 Men's Blue Overalls	1.50
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WILLIAM T. BAXTER,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of August, 1920, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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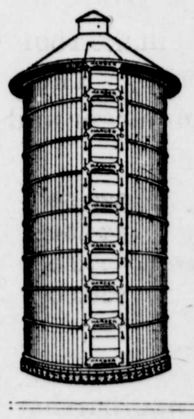

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