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HAVING purchased the stock of goods of Mrs. S. A. Biggs at Georgetown, I wish to announce to the public that I propose to keep a full stock of

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Corn and Tomatoes.

We are also prepared to fill orders for special mixtures for all crops, Potatoes, Oats, Asparagus, General Truck, Pear and Peach Trees, etc.

In consequence of the prevalence of late years of insects and worms destructive to the spring crops, we use in all of our Spring goods an insecticide which will tend to check the ravages of these pests.

All of these goods will be in first-class condition, and can be used in any machine without becoming pasty and sticky. Only the best materials obtainable will be used in their composition. They have been used by a number of our prominent farmers for the past eight years, and in all cases have given satisfactory results. We would be glad to refer intending purchasers of Fertilizers to the parties who have used them. All our brands of goods are prepared under the personal supervision of Mr. P. B. Hollis, who is well-known in this community as an experienced agricultural chemist.

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The T. C. Corsets are more popular than ever. Try them with the privilege of returning after four week's trial.
We are not dealing in Shoes but have a few pairs of Shoes and Rubbers left that we are almost giving away.

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SOME PEACH PROFITS.

What a Thirty-Acre Western Maryland Peach Farm Has Done.

Mr. W. B. Stattlemyer has this to say of the profits of his 30-acre peach farm in the Western Maryland peach belt. He says:

"Our peach orchard of 30 acres is situated in the Western Maryland peach belt, two miles from station, and has best slope for sure crop. The 30 acres were purchased in 1895 at $70 per acre and planted in peach trees at once.

"Among the preferable late varieties selected we planted the Salway, Crawford's Late, Heath Cling and Heath Freestone.

"Our trees cost $45 per thousand, though at the same time we would have been able to have procured the same varieties at some other nurseries for a great deal less. The shipping and planting cost us $60.78 for the 30 acres. We planted 100 trees to the acre, thus giving sufficient room for cultivation. Our outlay, including machinery and incidentals, thus far was as follows:

Land	$2100 00
Trees	135 00
Planting, etc	60 78
Machinery	170 07
Incidentals	4 04
Total	$2469 89

"For four years the orchard was cultivated thoroughly, while only slight crops were realized the third and fourth years.

"The fifth year we realized a fairly good crop, and during 14 years we secured six crops from the orchard. The average age of a healthy peach orchard in this section of the country ranges from 10 to 16 years, and generally a good crop is realized every other year.

"By careful records kept we find that the average amount of fruit grown upon each tree for the six crops was two and eight-ninth crates, or a little over two and a half bushels. Of course the quantity varies very much. A large healthy tree often yields five, eight, ten or even more bushels, but during the fourth year hardly any of the trees yield more than a peck apiece. Thus on an average each one of our trees produced 15 bushels during its lifetime. In fact, the orchards produced 44,364 bushels of salable fruit.

From the sale of these 44,364 bushels we realized a net gain, over picking, crating, shipping, commission, express, etc., of $46,361.07. The net profit per bushel would thus be a little over $1, but in fact this varies from 5 cents to $6 and $8 per bushel.

"Our expenditures were heavy, for the trees had to be well cultivated and fertilized during the 10 years of productiveness. Cultivation, including superintendence, amounted to $1320, while the fertilizer bills footed up $769. Our expenses included also interest on capital and taxes during the period of 14 years.

"The following gives an exact statement of expenditures and net returns:

Net returns for peach sales	$46,361.07
Land	$2,100 00
Trees	135 00
Planting, etc	60 78
Machinery	170 07
Cultivation	1,320 00
Fertilizers	769 00
Taxes	312 06
Interest	2,520 90
Incidentals	11 88
Total	7,399 69
Profits	$38,961 38

"Taking the difference between these two columns, we have an almost fabulous gain of $38,961.38. This may seem a large gain to one not acquainted with the business, but we feel confident that other peach-growers realized much larger returns from their healthy orchards than we did."

THE BOY ON THE FARM.

A Happy Solution by a Delaware Father as to Raising His Boys.

Much favorable comment has been heard relative to a communication in a recent issue of the TRANSCRIPT relative to "The Girl's Education." Many a father finds himself confronted by the puzzling problem of just what to do with the boy on the farm,—how to interest him, how to make him self-reliant and at the same time prevent any conflict of duties when there are more than one son. A Delaware farmer who presides over a family of four boys and three girls has solved the problem in this way,—He has decided that each one of the sons shall take charge of certain work so that there may be no clash, one with the other. The eldest one is to take charge of all the live stock on the farm, including the horses and cattle. The second one is to have charge of the swine, oftimes called hogs. The third one is to be the hewer of wood, and the fourth one to make and take charge of the fires in and about the house. The daughters are to be cared for by the mother, who is a very fine woman and a most excellent wife. This strikes us as being an excellent idea.

He Kept the Seat.

A man who had not been to church for a very long time finally harkened to the persuasions of his wife, and decided to go. He got the family altogether and they started early. Arriving at the church there were very few people in it, and no pew openers at hand, so the man led his family well up the aisle, and took possession of a nice pew.

Just as the service was about to begin, a ponderous looking old man came in, walked up to the door of that pew and stood there, exhibiting surprise that it was occupied. The occupants moved over and offered him room to sit down, but he declined to be seated. Finally the old man produced a card, and wrote upon it, with a pencil:

"I pay for this pew."

He gave the card to the strange occupant, who, had he been like most people, would have at once got up and left. But the intruder ajusted his glasses, and, with a smile, he read the card. Then he calmly wrote beneath it:

"How much do you pay a year?"

To this inquiry the pompous old gentl man, still standing, wrote abruptly:

"Ten pounds."

The stranger smiled as though he were pleased; looked round to compare the pew with others, admired its nice cushions and furnishing, and wrote back:

"I don't blame you. It is well worth it."

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N.Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also brought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

PHILIP F. RASIN.

Was arrested and Imprisoned as a Southern Smpathiser While a Member of the State Legislature From Kent.

In the death of Mr. Philip F. Rasin, on February 27th, aged 75 years, the county lost one of its most estimable and interesting citizens.

Always a warm sympathiser with the south, when the great crisis came in 1861, Mr. Rasin was a member of the State Legislature from Kent county and was one of those who espoused the great principle of States Rights, or that under certain conditions the individual states had a right to secede from the Union. The cotton states had seceded, Sumpter had been fired upon and the country was in a ferment. Baltimore city held a vast number of persons in warm sympathy with the South, while in the counties were found those who placed ther services upon the altar of the Confederacy. Criticism of Mr. Lincoln was not tolerated and the freedom of the press soon became a hallowed memory of the past.

With the thickening of the clouds arrests of southern sympathisers became the order of the day. Important personages whose loyalty became a matter of question were arrested wherever found. Charles J. Faulkner, of Virginia, minister to France; George W. Jones, of Iowa, minister to Bogota; and many others were arrested. A policy of general repression was followed. The *Daily News*, printed in New York by Ben Woods, was suppressed.

The inauguration of Mr. Lincoln intensified the element favorable to secession in Maryland. The fact that the National Capital was skirted by Maryland and that the population of Baltimore was largely against the administration caused all eyes to turn upon Maryland. The conditions were threatening and heroic measures were adopted. Annapolis, Baltimore and other places in the State were occupied by Union troops.

On June 27-1861, George P. Kane, marshal of police of Baltimore city, was arrested; on July 1st Charles Howard, William H. Gatchell and John W. Davis, Baltimore police commissioners, were also arrested and taken to Fort McHenry but were subsequently sent to Fort Lafayette and eventually to Fort Warren, in Boston harbor. The House of Representatives passed a resolution asking Mr. Lincoln for the "grounds, reason and evidence" for the arrests.

In August a rumor was started that an effort would be made in the Maryland Legislature to secure the secession of the State. Mr. Rasin, from Kent, and other Southern sympathisers were members of this body and prompt action was deemed necessary to head off the movement. Gen'l McClellan, on September 14th sent a letter to Major-Gen. John A. Dix, directing that he arrest forthwith T. Parkin Scott, S. Teackle Wallis, Henry M. Warfield, Thomas W. Hall. Jr. Nine members, and some of the officers of the Maryland House and Senate were arrested in conformity with orders sent out. Some of the names on the official list were: Henry May, M. C. George, William Brown, Mayor of Baltimore; William G. Harrison, Henry M. Warfield, Ross Winans, James U. Dennis, S. Teackle Wallis, R. M. Dennison, Philip F. Rasin, J. W. Maxwell and many others.

Nearly all of the minor officers of the Legislature subscribed to the oath of allegiance and were not arrested. Mr. Rasin would not subscribe and was sent to prison. He often talked of his wartime and prison experiences.

A man of fine address, commanding appearance and broad and generous impulses, Mr. Rasin was the centre of a wide circle of friends.

He died at the home of Mr. Charles Hill, near Kennedyville, and was buried at "Old Field Point" cemetery.

44,923 ILLITERATES.

26,616 Such Colored Voters And 18,307 Whites in Maryland.

The returns of illiterate voters in the counties of Maryland were completed by the arrival of the figures for Queen Anne and Talbot counties.

The estimate of 45,000 illiterate voters in the State was closely approximated, as the exact total is 44,723. Of these 26,616 are colored and 18,307 are white. As the total registered vote is 281,589, the returns show that nearly one out of each six voters is an illiterate one.

The complete returns for the State are given in this table:

Counties and City	Illit'e Vot's W.	Illit'e Vot's Col'd.	Illit'e Vot's Total.	Reg'd Vot's W.	Reg'd Vot's Col'd
Allegany	857	153	1,010	11,090	447
Anne Arundel	597	1,839	2,436	4,999	3,324
Baltimore City	3,974	5,557	9,531	95,569	17,650
Balto. county	1,429	1,434	2,863	18,007	3,088
Calvert	247	785	1,032	1,442	1,253
Caroline	526	584	1,110	3,094	1,021
Carroll	518	253	771	8,542	531
Cecil	427	569	996	5,845	1,064
Charles	285	1,478	1,763	1,904	2,067
Dorchester	1,000	1,249	2,249	4,873	2,403
Frederick	849	772	1,621	11,742	1,068
Garrett	352	12	364	3,901	30
Harford	331	742	1,073	6,369	1,541
Howard	265	529	794	3,270	983
Kent	342	1,067	1,409	3,156	1,877
Montgomery	526	1,224	1,750	5,234	2,288
Prince George's	628	1,583	2,211	4,642	2,664
Queen Anne	545	1,031	1,576	3,286	1,608
Somerset	856	1,300	2,156	4,321	2,305
St. Mary's	568	1,301	1,869	2,470	1,817
Talbot	322	1,056	1,378	3,515	1,974
Washington	824	275	1,099	10,969	644
Wicomico	1,036	791	1,827	4,365	1,319
Worcester	1,003	1,032	2,035	3,849	1,529
Totals	18,307	26,616	44,923	220,554	55,035

The returns from Queen Anne by districts is given in the following table:

Districts.	White.	Col'd.	Total.
First	157	130	287
Second	41	99	140
Third	63	232	295
Fourth	53	170	223
Fifth	116	199	315
Sixth	38	105	143
Seventh	77	96	173
Totals	545	1,031	1,576
Voters in county	3,296	1,608	4,940

Dig down to the *cause* of your sickness if you want to get well and stay well. Most likely it's indigestion. The irritating poisons of fermenting, putrid food, left in the stomach by indigestion, cause headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizziness, stomachache, nausea, irritability, and all the other well-known symptoms of indigestion.

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Dec. 14, 1898. Chicago, Ill.

We have a book on The Hair and Scalp which we will send free upon request. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address,
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Values Unprecedented. — 1 to 20 yds. Ladies' Dress Cloths, all wool. Among this lot are Remnants of goods formerly sold for 50c., 75c. and $1 per yard. Choice now 30 and 35c. per yard.

5 to 50 per cent. Saved. — Sizes 16 to 20 Child's Merino Pants and Vests. 15 to 20 doz. Choice of this lot of plain (not ribbed) 15c. each

Values Unequaled. — 50 to 60 pairs Boys' Fine Shoes, sizes 3 to 5½ that were $1.50 to $1.25 per pair. Your choice for $1.25.

NOT TRASH, Solid Throughout. — 40 to 50 pairs Hand Welt Lace Bals. and Gore Gaiters, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes. Your choice during this sale $2.50.

30 per cent. Saved. — 15 to 20 Remnants all wool and all wool filling, extra super Carpets in lengths varying from 10 to 20 yds. During this sale your choice for 50c. per yd.

Anti-Trust Prices. — Red Table Damask, 20c. value for 16c. per yard. Red Table Damask, 25c. value for 20c. per yd. Red Table Damask, 30c. value for 25c. per yard.

18 Cent Values. — Bed Ticking—Holds Feathers without sooping. 200 yards 18c value for 13c½.

25 per cent. Saved. — 200 yards 4-4 Brown Muslin for 5½c. from now till February 20th.

500 yards 16c. Quality. — 500 yards Jointless Fancy Mattings, bought for spring sales. Your choice for 12½c. from now till February 10th.

White Blankets,
Bed Comforts,
Lap Robes,
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25 Cents per pair. — Lot Child's Shoes with heels. Were sold at $1.00 and $1.25 per pair. 30 to 40 pairs 5 to 7. Your choice for 25c.

Soap, 3 for 10c. — One Thousand Bars to dispose of thus. 1 Bar Aromatic, 1 Babbits, 1 of Circus for 10c.

40 per Cen. Under Price. — Lot Ladies' (Medium Low Cut Sandals) Boston and Bay State Rubbers. Your choice ..... 33c.

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