

**BOULDEN & SCHOFIELD BROS.,**  
**NEW STORE,**  
 STILL POND, MD.

We are having big sales in Our  
**Matting Department.**

Another new lot coming in this week. Don't overlook these Mattings as we can save you money on them.

30c Matting for.....	25c
25c " " for.....	18c
20c " " for.....	12c

Cheaper Grades in Mattings if Needed.

\$1.50 Ladies Wrappers for.....	\$1.25
1.00 " " for.....	89c
95c " " for.....	80c
2.00 Bed Spreads for.....	1.50
1.50 " " for.....	1.00
Best 25c Bed Tic for.....	20c
Best 20c " " for.....	14c
Best 15c " " for.....	10c
75c Table Linen for.....	50c
50c " " for.....	30c
10c 4-4 Bleached Muslin for.....	7c
10c 4-4 Unleached Muslin for.....	7c
7c Calicoes for.....	5c
7c Apron Gingham for.....	5c

**We Are Selling \$1.50 Framed Pictures for 39c**

This is a beautiful line of Pictures. Any style frame you may desire. We have put out this week 100 of these beautiful pictures. This is the greatest thing ever offered in Still Pond. Don't miss these pictures.

**GROCERIES.**

10c can Tomatoes for.....	7c
10c " Corn for.....	7c
19c " Salmon for.....	15c
15c " Beans for.....	10c
15c " Salmon for.....	10c
3 " Babbitt's Lye for.....	25c

Don't overlook our HARNESS Department, as we are putting out nice goods in that line.

Yours respectfully,

**BOULDEN & SCHOFIELD BROS.,**  
 STILL POND, MD.

**LIME, LIME, LIME.**  
 MANUFACTURERS OF  
 Pure FLAME BURNT Land LIME.

Also High Grade Building and Chemical Lime. Write for prices in Bulk, Barrell or Ground Lime in Bags.  
**YORK VALLEY LIME CO.,**  
 ROUTE 34, YORK, PENNSYLVANIA.

**The Peerless Fertilizer Company**

—SUCCESSORS TO—

**WILBUR W. HUBBARD**

Is particularly well adapted this spring to supply you with what ever you may need in the way of Fertilizers, as we have a large stock of goods on hand bought right for the cash, and can do exceptionally well by you. Hence if you want to sow OATS, plant POTATOES or VEGETABLES, increase you crop of ASPARAGUS, plant TOMATOES, top dress your GRASS or WHEAT or fertilize your CORN.

The question is easily solved, because when you consider the way our Fertilizers have been made all these years and the sincerity of purpose back of them, you will not wonder why our trade has steadily grown for thirty-four consecutive years, but conclude (if you are not already a customer of ours) to buy them yourself.

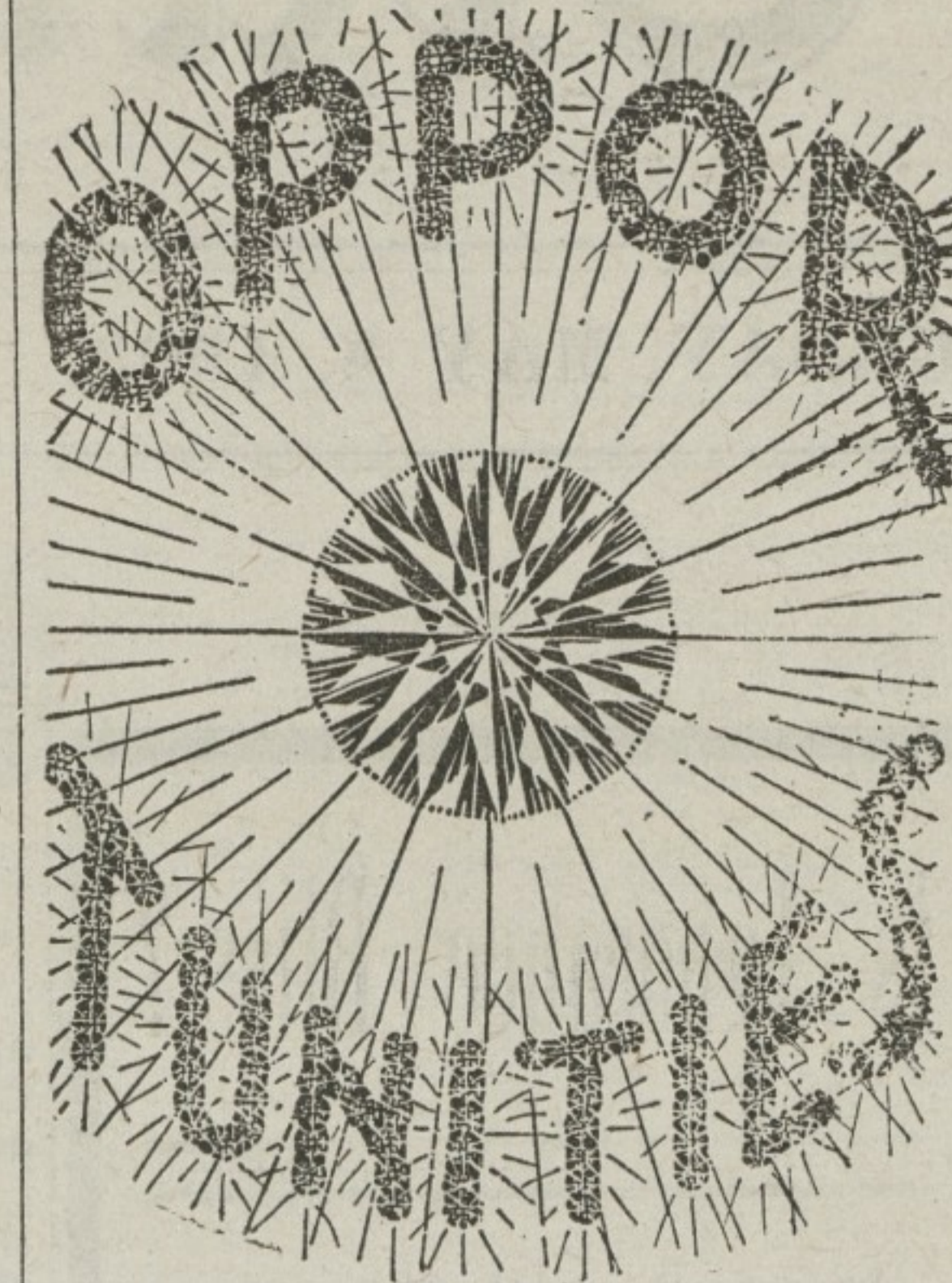
We have many customers who have dealt with us for over 30 years. We have in our office hundreds of voluntary testimonials which we would be glad to publish did space permit, and when you think here is a firm who have striven to make Fertilizers well, and also save money on your purchases, we hope that you will give us a chance to bid on your supply this time.

Very truly yours,

**The Peerless Fertilizer Co.,**  
 CHESTERTOWN, MD.

P. S.—If you have not received one by mail, please call at our office and get an almanac for 1909 and a souvenir box of matches.

**BRILLIANT OPPORTUNITIES**



For investing in DIAMONDS are now at hand. This is ordinarily the Jeweler's dull season. Whatever inducements he can offer now to stimulate trade, he puts forth. Just as a Spring Offering, we will sell about fifty fine white

**DIAMOND RINGS AT 25 PER CENT.** below their market value. Come in and see them and the many other bargains we have to offer.

Bring us your repairing and have it done promptly and in the right manner.

**J. H. SIDES, Jeweler,**  
 Chestertown, Md.

**OBJECTS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE J. O. U. A. M.**

**FIRST**—To maintain and promote the interests of Americans and shield them from the depressing effects of unrestricted immigration; to assist them in obtaining employment and to encourage them in business.

**SECOND**—To provide for the creation of a fund or funds for the payment of benefits in case of sickness, disability or death of its members, to members, their legal dependents or representatives, and to issue certificates of membership for the same.

**THIRD**—To uphold the American Public School System, to prevent interference therewith and to encourage the reading of the Holy Bible in the schools thereof.

**FOURTH**—To promote and maintain a National Orphan Home.

We recognize the landing upon our shores of the ignorant, the vicious and the lawless of the Old World as a constant menace to our institutions, and believe that it should be viewed with alarm by the loyal and patriotic citizens of the country.

We would place a flag upon and a Bible within every Public School-house of our land, that all might learn these to be a beacon light in every storm which may threaten our destruction.

**FERRO**  
 Marine Engines  
**1908**  
 MADE IN BOTH  
**Make and Break**

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**Jump Spark.**  
 Detachable Cylinder Head.  
 Large Hand-hold Plate in Crank Case.  
 High Speed or Low Speed.  
 For sale by  
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 Chestertown, Md.

**SPRING SCHEDULE.**  
 (weather permitting.)

**PORT DEPOSIT AND HAYRE DE GRACE LINE**  
 (In effect March 8th, 1909.)  
 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, steamer leaves Baltimore at 2.45 P. M. for Tolchester, Betterton, Hayre de Grace and Port Deposit.  
 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays leave Port Deposit at 6.00 A. M., Hayre de Grace 7.30 A. M., Betterton 8.45 A. M., Tolchester 10.15 A. M., except Tolchester on Saturdays.

**SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE**  
 (In effect March 4th, 1909.)  
 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, steamer will leave Federicktown at 7.00 A. M., Betterton 8.15 A. M., Buck Neck 9.30 A. M., Gates 9.45 A. M., Tolchester 10.15 A. M.  
 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays leave Baltimore at 2.45 P. M. for the above landings. (Does not stop at Buck Neck on Saturdays, but does stop at Gates.)  
 TOLCHESTER BEACH—Saturdays steamer Emma Giles leaves Tolchester at 2.00 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. Leaves Baltimore at 7.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.  
**TOLCHESTER COMPANY,**  
 Pier 16 Light St., Balto.

**HARRISON W. VICKERS, JR**  
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
 CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Will practice in Kent and adjoining counties.

**BASE BALL.**  
 Washington College Athletics.

Washington will meet the fast Eastern College team on Wednesday, May 12th. The Virginia lads are playing excellent ball on their northern trip, and an excellent game is expected. Eastern College is situated at Front Royal, Va., and is one of the first southern institutions that Washington has met in athletic contest for some time. Since the "Tar-heels" are strangers on Washington Field, a large attendance is expected at the game at 3.30 P. M.

On Saturday, May 15, Maryland Agricultural College plays its annual game here. This game is always looked forward to with great interest, since it helps to decide the Inter-Collegiate championship of Maryland. The cadets will bring their cheering squad along, and the two yelling gangs will vie with each other in helping their respective teams. The unfortunate condition of the field at the University of Maryland game on last Saturday showed the home team off to a disadvantage. White Coach M. J. Thompson has expected a slump sometime during the season, he did not look for it so soon. Although the Maryland boys surprised Washington with their ability and all-around team work, the score would have been smaller had not the bad weather combined with the unexpected slump, interfered.

The spell of bad playing that hits every team at least once in the season, having come and gone, Washington left for her annual northern trip with high hopes. Villa Nova was played on Thursday, May 6th. The team then left for Gettysburg. Mt. St. Mary's College was played on May 7th and Gettysburg on Saturday, May 8th. The boys will return with great expectation of winning the two games next week. Don't forget these games.

University of Maryland had an easy time Saturday defeating Washington College 13 to 0. It was anything but baseball weather, the field being muddy, with a strong wind blowing at the time. It was the worst game the locals have put up this year. Costly errors allowed the University to get its start, after which the Chestertown boys were at sea. Anderson proved to be a stumbling block, holding the home team well in check. The costly errors of Washington were due to the unusually bad condition of the field.

**Score:**  
 University of Maryland..... 0 0 4 2 0 10—13  
 Washington College..... 0 0 0 0 0 0—0  
**Earned runs—**University of Maryland, 5. Struck out—By Anderson, 12; by Morton, 2. Hit by pitcher—Buhman. Two-base hits—Webb, Shortell. Three-base hit—Israel. Stolen bases—Jump, 2; Turner, Webb, Anderson. Left on bases—Washington, 7; University of Maryland, 9. Umpire—Vickers.

The Massey's first baseball team defeated the Galena first baseball team in a six inning contest by a score of 23 to 15 on the former's diamond.

The second baseball team of Massey's was defeated by Golt's in a three inning contest by the score of 12 to 1 on Golt's diamond.

**Fleece From Sheep's Back.**

For this season of the year the wool market is in better condition than it has been for many seasons, and prices generally are better for wool than formerly.

Mr. Marcus Asher, the champion wool buyer, had purchased 3000 lbs. of wool up to May, the largest quantity he has purchased for the same season since he has been in business.

Mr. William H. Morris sheared 27 sheep, which averaged him \$2 to the fleece, making \$54 worth of wool from his flock.

Mr. Percy Hendrickson averaged 13 pounds of wool to the sheep of the Shropshire (Harford county) stock, or \$3.25 to the fleece. He got \$3.75 for his lambs, which shows the great profit in this particular breed of sheep.

Rev. S. S. Heppburn, of Church Hill, or Mr. H. R. Graham, of Chestertown, can tell you something of the good qualities of this breed of sheep.

Mr. Asher has purchased from one of our large sheep-growers \$600 worth of wool and he has not yet finished shearing his sheep.

This information is given for the benefit of those farmers who are interested in sheep raising.

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 Fruit, Vegetables, Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Wool, Hides, Furs, Grain, Live Stock, Fish, Oysters Game, &c.  
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**Big Sale of Floor Covering**  
 Rugs Matting and Linoleums.  
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 Extra heavy quality, neat designs and newest colors, 40 yds. to the roll, price per roll, \$8.00.

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 Women, Men and Children.  
 Finest Line in town at the right price.

**Do You Want to Buy SHOES**  
 Or To Buy Mistake?  
 This, Brice's Store, averages fewer mistakes than any Shoe store anywhere.

Our Penn Pride Shoe, \$3.50.  
 Pat. Leather Oxfords for Little Gents, \$1.25.

**We Have Put In Line Of Dress Patterns.**

The Home Pattern Co., advertised in the Ladies' Home Journal paper.

**All Patterns 10c & 15c.**

**We Always Have a Full Line of FRESH MEATS.**

Choice Cut Steak, Pork and Lamb, Ham, Bacon and Fat Back.

**We Still Have a Few Packages of SEED 2 for 5c.**

**1 500-GALLON TANK FOR SALE.**  
**Chas. H. Brice,**  
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 Betterton, Md.

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 —AND—  
**BUILDING MATERIALS**

OF ALL KINDS.  
 Cement, Brick, Lime, Hair, Chimney Pipe, Terra Cotta Pipe, Paroid Roofing, Tarred Felt Paper, Tin, Glass, Paint, Oils, Etc.

**Fertilizers**  
 For all Spring Crops.

**Baugh's Brands, Lazaretto Brands.**  
 —FOR—  
 Truck, Potatoes, Top Dressing, Asparagus, Tomatoes, Corn.

Complete stock carried at our warehouses, Betterton.

**The American Fence**  
 (woven wire.)  
 Carload due March 1.

We carry No. 1047, No. 939, No. 934, No. 845, No. 726x12 and No. 726x6. Also

**Plain and Barbed Wire. Full Stock Poultry Fence**  
 46 in., 52 in., 58 in. high.

**OLIVER AND VULCAN PLOW REPAIRS.**

Full Line of Plows and Repairs.  
 Special Discount on all Vulcan Goods.

**TURNER & SON,**  
 Betterton, Md.

**Owens & Co**  
 Special Cash Sale

STYLISH CORSETS for STYLISH WOMEN at POPULAR PRICES.

Next week from Tuesday 9 A. M. until Friday, 8 P. M., we will offer Corset bargains.

BEAUTY CORSETS for **95c**  
 Call for **R. & G.**  
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Look at these R. & G. Corsets. All worth \$1.00, at a big saving.

**R. & G. Corset**  
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 Worth \$1.00 at **89c**  
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**R. & G. Corset**  
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 This \$1 Corset for **83c**

Vigilant R. & G. 50c Corset  
**Vigilant Corsets**  
 No. 700 at 50c.  
 Special price at **45c**

**MISSSES CORSETS.**  
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 Vigilant Short Corsets, worth 50c at 39c.  
 A few odd pairs of 50c Corsets at 37c.  
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 Some F. P. and Armorside Corsets, worth \$1 a pair, at 75c.

A smart Suit without stylish corsets loses half its style. Visit the Ladies' Store of Betterton for stylish Corsets.  
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