There is no Guess Work About it.

TRADE MARK

Wilbur W. Hubbard's Fertilizers

MUST HAVE

Superior Quality and Absolute Uniformity and Purity. This Fall makes their sixtieth season in business, and their trade has increased each year in spite of competition; their sales for the past year having been larger than ever before. Can the sales of an inferior article constantly increase all these years? Our Fertilizers are not better than all others, but they have been, and we are willing for you to try them in competition with any goods on the market for Wheat and Grass. Two of our large buyers called and stated yesterday that the Wheat, and Grass, too, was better where our goods were used in competition with a goods costing several dollars more per ton.

WE PRESUME

You are now thinking about how many acres of Wheat you will sow, the quality of Fertilizer you will use, and of whom the same shall be bought. And just here, by way of advice, let us say, deal with your home manufacturers, if not with us, buy of our competitors. Keep the money in our county. Nevertheless, we solicit your trade with confident belief that you will find it to your interest to buy of us. We have always adhered to a high standard for our brands, as we are anxious that our goods shall have the reputation of being durable rather than cheap, and serve our customers so well that we shall gain their confidence and permanently retain their trade.

HENCE, WE OFFER YOU

Our A. A. Bone Super-Phosphate,

which is a positive Animal Bone Fertilizer, the Potash being derived from high grade sulphate and muriate. No kainit used in its manufacture.

Our Imperial Compound Fertilizer,

which has an Animal Bone Base. It, however, contains some S.C. Phosphate, but the Potash is derived from high grade sulphate. The ammonia from the animal matter on the animal bone, fine ground fish and little nitrate. This goods is a great Wheat and Clover producer, as it carries the Wheat through the winter splendidly, the nitrate starts it off in the fall, makes the roots take hold, and then the other combination feeds along just as needed, hence, the universal satisfaction it has given.

Our Victor Phosphate

is a splendid goods. Is ammoniated with an excellent source of nitrogen, and runs high in Bone Phosphate. We have received already large orders for this brand. It has given excellent results.

WE HAVE

enlarged our factory, now have railroad and water facilities, and we ask you if a record of 30 years is not a sufficient guarantee to justify you in using the goods.

Very truly yours,

WILBUR W. HUBBARD,

CHESTERTOWN' MD.

It's being whispered around that we are doing the Shoe business of the town.

Guess it's about right, too, judging from the number of people who are coming here for their Shoes.

We fully understand the "wherefore," and so does every Man, Woman aud Child who has bought Shoes here.

When we give our trade the best shoes their money can buy anywhere on earth, keep our styles right up to the hour, give special and expert attention to fitting, what more can we do?

Tie to this Shoe store and you'll always wear good Shoes.

Very truly yours,

W. AMBROSE CARROLL,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

FIRE INSURANCE AGENTS. **Shafer, Redmile & Co.** FIRE INSURANCE AGENTS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

GENUINE OLIVER PLOWS AND CASTINGS: the best plow on the market; a full line of 50, 60 and 72-tooth Harrows, Disc Harrows, Spring-Tooth Harrows, Field Rollers, Ohio Sulky Cultivators, Disc Plows, Corn Planters, Transplanters, McCormick Binders, Mowers and Twine. Agents for Kent county for HALLOCK WEEDER, the best on the market.

CARIAGE REPOSITORY

Visit our New Carriage Emporium, where we have placed a fine selection of No-Top and Top Buggies, Surreys, Poles, Tops, Farm Wagons and Dearborns.

OUR CARRIAGE HARNESS can't be beat.

Our OWN MAKE of Farm Wagons and Dearborns.

Carload of American WOVEN WIRE FENCING, also, Barbed and Smooth Wire and Poultry Wire.

BLACKSMITHING AND WHEELWRIGHTING.

All Kinds of Repairing attended to promptly.

SHAFER, REDMILE & CO.

KENNEDYVILLE, MARYLAND.

LIEBERMAN'S,

MELITOTA, MD.

PRICE LIST.

Heavy Unbleached 4-4 Muslin.....5c	Fine 12½c. Madras.....8c
Amoskeag Ginghams.....5c	Best Furniture Prints.....6c

MATTING.

A NEW LOT JUST IN

China Matting.....9c to 20c	Japan Matting.....12c to 25c

CLOTHING.

Men's Suits.....$3.75	Boys' Knee Pants.....10c
Youtl.'s Suits.....$1.98	Men's Pants.....49c
Boys' Suits.....98c	
Some of them worth $3.50.	

GROCERIES.

Levering's Coffee.....11c	Granulated Sugar.....5c
Best Whole Grain Rice.....4c	20 lbs. for $1 with every $20
Finest Black Tea.....25c	worth of goods bought for cash.
Sea Gull Yeast Powder.....4c	Onion Sets, per quart.....5c

SHOES

Infants'.....25c	Ladies' Dongola Hand Welt.....$1.98
Children's.....50 and 75c	And all other articles at
Boys' and Men's.....98c to $2.00	proportionate prices.
Ladies' Fine.....68c. 98c. and $1.25	These prices for cash only.

N. LIEBERMAN,

"THE OLD RELIABLE,"

MELITOTA, MARYLAND.

S. C. ROCHESTER,

—WITH—

LIKES, BERWANGER & CO., 8, 10 & 12 Ease Baltimore Street, Baltimore, Md. — CLOTHIERS, TAILORS, FURNISHERS.

Likes, Berwanger & Co. are the Foremost Clothiers of Baltimore.

REMOVED.

We are now fully installed in our new store, the

THOMPSON BUILDING,

OPPOSITE VOSHELL HOUSE,

with an immense stock of

Furniture, Carpets, Wall Paper, Paints, Oil Cloth, Etc., Etc.

We want especially to call attention to our

SPRING MATTINGS.

It is no idle boast to say we have by far the largest stock and best selected patterns ever shown in this town, or on the Shore.

Prices, too, are unusually moderate—less than you would pay in the city.

Country Produce taken.

JOHN BARTLEY

SPRING HAS COME!

—SO HAS—

HICK'S Stock of CARRIAGES and BUGGIES.

You will find them at his show room, rear of his Blacksmith and Wheelwright Shops on Court street; also a line of

Dearborns and Farm Wagons.

We have a few Second-Hand Jobs for sale.

HORSESHOEING A SPECIALTY.

Wheelwrighting and all kinds of work done in FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITH and WHEELWRIGHT SHOPS

LIFE IN JAVA.

The Natives Are Grave and Mainly Live and Eat In Public.

The Javans live much in public, and the poorer classes, instead of eating their meals at home, as is the manner of the unsociable Hindoo, seem usually to breakfast and dine at one of the itinerant cookshops to be found at every street corner. More exclusive people may be seen buying the small packets of curry and rice wrapped in fresh plantain leaves and pinned with bamboo splinters, which are intended for home consumption.

To stroll down a village street and watch the culinary operations in progress at wayside eating shops was an unfailing source of amusement, and very clean and appetizing they looked, though the smell was occasionally somewhat trying to the European nose. The Javans, like all rice eating people, are fond of pungent and evil smelling sauces, and equivalents of the Burman gnapee and Japanese bean soy are in constant requisition.

The natives, and especially the children, look fat and healthy and appear to enjoy life under easy conditions, though they are, generally speaking, of grave demeanor and are not endowed with the unfailing vivacity which distinguishes the Burmans and Japanese. During the six weeks that we spent in the island we did not see half a dozen beggars and, except in cities, certainly not that number of policemen.—Pearson's.

THE VEILED PROPHET.

He Was the Most Noted Impostor of the Middle Ages.

The celebrated "veiled prophet" of history was a Moslem fanatic whose real name was Haken Ibn Hashem. He was born about the middle of the eighth century and became the most noted impostor of the middle ages. He pretended that he was an embodiment of the spirit of the "living God" and, being very proficient in jugglery (which the ignorant mistook for the power to work miracles), soon drew an immense number of followers around him. He always wore a gold mask, claiming that he did so to protect the mortals of this earth, who, he said, could not look upon his face and live.

At last, after thousands had quitted the city and even left the employ of the Caliph al Mohdi to join the fanatical movement, an army was sent against the "veiled prophet," forcing him to flee for safety to the castle at Keh, north of the Oxus. Finally, when ultimate defeat was certain, the prophet killed and burned his whole family and then threw himself into the flames, being entirely consumed except his hair, which was kept in a museum at Bagdad until the time of the crusades. He promised his faithful followers that he would reappear to them in the future dressed in white and riding a white horse.

FABLE OF THE PANSY.

The Family of Six That Is Contained In the Flower.

A pretty fable about the pansy is current among French and German children. The flower has five petals and five sepals. In most pansies, especially of the earlier and less highly developed varieties, two of the petals are plain in color and three are gay. The two plain petals have a single sepal, two of the gay petals have a sepal each, and the third, which is the largest of all, has two sepals.

The fable is that the pansy represents a family consisting of husband and wife and four daughters, two of the latter being stepchildren of the wife. The plain petals are the stepchildren, with only one chair; the two small, gay petals are the daughters, with a chair each, and the large, gay petal is the wife, with two chairs.

To find the father one must strip away the petals until the stamens and pistils are bare. They have a fanciful resemblance to an old man, with a flannel wrap about his neck, his shoulders upraised and his feet in a bath tub. The story is probably of French origin, because the French call the pansy the stepmother.

Sunlight and Eyesight.

Sunlight as distinct from sun heat is of benefit to human eyes. Unless refracted from white cliffs or stretches of sand or by other means, it does not cause any impairment of vision. It is the natural provision of the sense of sight and is in harmony with the natural period for work and pleasure—that is, the day. So soon as we introduce artificial light we deal with that which needs caution. A dim light injures vision because the eye alters its shape to receive the feeble rays. On the other hand, a strong artificial light will produce inflammation of the eye surface and worse.

Nero's Appearance.

In his youth Nero was remarkably handsome, but early in manhood his habits of dissipation made him exceedingly corpulent. To judge from his medals and the descriptions left of him he must have weighed over 200 pounds. His features were regular, but his eyes were so protuberant as to be almost a deformity, and he was nearsighted, so much so that he could not recognize his acquaintances across the street.

His Mistake.

Mr. Slimsky—I don't believe the city water is safe. I notice it has a clouded appearance this morning and tastes sort of—milky—and— Mrs. Starvem—That glass contains milk, Mr. Slimsky. The water is at your left. And, by the way, your board bill was due yesterday.—Cleveland Leader.

It has done me good to be somewhat parched by the heat and drenched by the rain of life.—Longfellow.

Mother's Ear

A WORD IN MOTHER'S EAR; WHEN NURSING AN INFANT, AND IN THE MONTHS THAT COME BEFORE THAT TIME,

SCOTT'S EMULSION

SUPPLIES THE EXTRA STRENGTH AND NOURISHMENT SO NECESSARY FOR THE HEALTH OF BOTH MOTHER AND CHILD.

Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York.

50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

The Cruiser Maryland.

The plans for the raising of funds for the purchase of a gift to be presented to the armored cruiser Maryland were given a new impetus Wednesday afternoon, when the representative men who comprise the commission, appointed by the Governor and Mayor of Baltimore, met, organized and exchanged ideas. The officers were elected:

Chairman—Mr. E. Stanley Gary, president of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association.

Secretary—Mr. Raymond N. Hoblitzell, of Baltimore.

Treasurer—Col. William A. Boykin, of the firm of Ulman, Boykin & Co.

The commission started out with the proper idea, that the presentation is to be a state affair and not a city function. It has not been decided just what the gift is to be, but one thing seems to have been settled, and that is, it will not cost less than $5,000. In order to raise this amount every citizen in the city and counties will be called upon at the proper time to contribute a sum of money, no matter how small the amount. The idea is to have everyone in the state contribute, so as to make the gift a token of patriotic love and affection of all the people in Maryland.

The Tramp Got a Chew.

A tramp entered the store of a Justice of the Peace in a town in one of our neighboring States the other day to beg for a plug of tobacco.

"Why don't you go to work and earn money to buy tobacco? The farmers in this section have not enough help to harvest their wheat. You could easily get work on any farm where you apply," said the justice.

"Yes," said the tramp, "but I am opposed to work."

"Well, then," if you are opposed to work," observed the justice, "why don't you write a begging letter to Andrew Carnegie?"

"What would be the use?" retorted the tramp. "He would just write back and tell me he would give me $10,000 if I would raise a similar amount in 30 days."

The tramp got his plug of tobacco.

J.S. BRADLEY'S

HEADQUAR'S FOR

Dry Goods and Notions,

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

SHOES

of all kinds.

Fine line of HOSIERY.

FULL LINE OF GROCERIES.

Cheap lot of TOBACCO.

Fruit Jars & Jelly Glasses

J. S. BRADLEY.

County Treasurer's

Tax Notice.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the January session, 1894, Chapter 293, the undersigned Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that the County Commissioners of said county have levied a tax of $1.15 on the Hundred Dollars, on the taxable property of said county.

Same taxes are due and payable September 1st, at the office of the County Treasurer in Chestertown, at which place and time the State Tax of 23½ cents on the Hundred Dollars is also due and payable.

Persons desiring a statement of their taxes may receive same by applying at the Treasurer's office.

WATER H. HADAWAY, Treasurer.

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CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Not for My Own Interest

ENTIRELY,

But for Yours, Too.

I am going to make a change in store-room and location. I have fully decided to move from the store I am now occupying to a much better store and location, and will add to the Jewelry business a very salable line of goods. In order to carry this out I am compelled to reduce my stock that I have on hand, and the only way to sell it is to sell it for what it will bring, and therefore I have decided to have regular sales on Saturday and Saturday nights. Will sell my entire line of Clocks, Silver-plated hollow-ware, Rogers' Tableware, Domestic Sewing Machines. Will also sell Watches and Jewelry, mostly for ladies, Spectacles and Eye Glasses, etc. The sale will begin next Saturday, July 8th.

Read this advertisement carefully and bear in your mind that opposition is the life of trade. I ask the patronage of the public. I remain with all my strength to serve the public.

Respectfully,

A. LEVINE,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

RUBEROID ROOFING!

When buying a Roof, buy the best, and that is the guaranteed *Ruberoid*, sold only by the undersigned. Half-ply Ruberoid will outwear any other one-ply make of Oid Roofing. One-ply Ruberoid will outwear any other two-ply make of Oid Roofing. *We stand ready for a test challenge.*

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED AND BLACK STEEL ROOFING,

furnished on short notice at a slight profit.

Felt Roofing.

Well, I can beat the State. $1.00 for 3-ply, 80c. for 2-ply, with nails and tins, by the single roll. In lots. Lower prices still.

Roof and Barn Paints.

Pure Asphaltum Paints, good for metal, felt and wood, 80 cts. per gallon for red, 70c. per gal. for black.

Mixed Asphalt and Tar Paint, 35 to 45 cents.

TAR PAINTS—25c. single gallon, $1 for 5 gallons.

CARRARA PAINTS—all colors for all purposes.

ZINKO PAINTS—A Pure Linseed Oil production of combination pigment. Warranted for 5 years by the makers. Sold at $1.25 per gallon.

Water Paints—for outside and inside use.

Star Cream Separators, the Frost Queen Separator, has two removable cans inside of a large gal. tank. Call and look at it.

Rain Spouting and Downfall Pipe. You can put it up yourself. Sold cheap.

Black Death,

The Sure Bug Killer.

Ladders, Harness and Machine Oils. The oils will be sold cheap, as I shall keep oils no longer.

Jos. Guest.

Chestertown Md,

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