STANDARDBRED STALLION

Robert Holmes 34777.

By RED ROBERT 13965, by Red Wilkes, champion sire of brood mares, so says the Baltimore American, and sire of 165 2:30 performers dam by Robert McGregor, with 100 in list, including Cresceus. First dam Sadie Holmes, by Shelby Chief, by Abdallah 15, and others.

ROBERT HOLMES is a bronze bay, large, handsome, very quiet and with lots of natural trotting speed.

Will make the season in Kent county. Terms $15 to insure; $10 the season; $5 single service.

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March 2, 1903. Lankford, Md.

HERMAN

HERMAN, the well known Black Stallion, will make the season of 1904, beginning March 20 to June 20th. This noted horse is well represented throughout the county by his many fine quality colts.

TERMS—$10 to insure. Anyone wishing his services will please drop me a card.

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SON OF ONWARD, No. 1411.

Will make the season in Kent and Queen Anne's counties. ONDIT is not only bred in the purple, but is an individual that at once appeals to the horseman's eye. All his points denote great strength, with smoothness and beauty of carriage. He is a road horse second to none in the country, and should sire the ideal horse for this section.

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MARYLAND RUSSELL

No 9751.

16-HAND BAY STALLION.
TROTTING TRIAL 2.40.

Will make the season beginning March 20. Maryland Russell is the best bred big horse in this section. His colts are good sized, good looking and good disposed, and his sire, Mambrino Russell, is one of the greatest trotting progenitors, and was the son of Miss Russell, dam of Maud S., 2.08¾, and six others in 2.30.

His dam, Marina, is the dam of Ollie, 2.24; Muggins, 2.25½; and grandam of Cavatina, 2.15¾, and Baron de Shay, 2.08¾, which goes to show that Maryland Russell not only has speed but inherits the ability to transmit it.

TERMS.—$15 00 to insure; $10.00 season; $5.00 single service.

A. LEON BROWN,
mar12-2m. Chestertown, Md.

HAPPY GEORGE

SPRING SEASON FROM MARCH 20th TO JUNE 20th, 1904.

One of the best-bred horses in the State, a handsome chestnut bay, 17 hands high, 11 years old this coming April; sired by Happy Russell, No. 4494, whose strain includes a large number of fast goers, being as fast as 2.15¼; his record at 4 years old was 2.21¼. Dam, Keystone by Old Keystone, one of the best bred horses in the State. Happy George will make the season in Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

TERMS—$10 00 for the season; $15.00 to insure, and $5.00 for single fee.

It is requested that name and color of mare be given. No Groom's Fee charged.

WILLIAM E. DEFORD,
mch12 tf. Edesville, Md.

Bedworth, Jr., 2.06½

The fastest horse ever bred, raised and owned in the State of Maryland. Will make the season, March 1st to June 20th, at Rose Hill Stock Farm, Chestertown, Md.

BEDWORTH, JR., is a bright bay, with black points, and is of superb conformation and finish. His disposition is of the best. While necessarily possessed of great nervous force, he is very docile and entirely fearless. He measures 15½ hands and weighs 1050 pounds.

☞ His colts are all large and show great speed.

TERMS.—$25.00 for season, or $50.00 to insure. Mares from a distance boarded at reasonable rates. Pedigree sent upon application. Address

WM. A. BELL, OWNER,
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WEST MORRILL

Will make season in Kent county beginning March 20to June 20th. This horse is dark bay, 9 years old, weighs 1148 pounds and is 15¾ hands high. He is the sire of Walker Morrill and his dam is Chief. He is kind and gentle and will work anywhere. Made trial mile in 2.22. $10.00 for season and $15.00 to insure; $5 for single service. Address

G. W RASH, Worton, Md.
GEORGE WILSON, Groom. mch19-tf.

"MONARCH"

THE BIG MISSOURI JACK.

Will make the season of 1904 in Kent County, standing at Wm. Cooper's, near Melitota, William Jewell's, near Still Pond, and Chestertown, commencing March 20th.

TERMS—$10 for the season, $15 to insure mares with foal.

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MRS. BOTKIN IS GUILTY

Murder In The First Degree, The Jury's Verdict—Is Sent To Prison For Life — Sent Candy Through The Mails To Mrs. John P. Dunning, Of Dover, Del.—End Of Exciting Trial.

The jury in the Botkin case at San Francisco, Cal., on Friday returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and fixed the penalty at imprisonment for life.

In view of the notice given by Attorney Knight that an appeal would be taken from the conviction of Mrs. Botkin, District Attorney Byington has notified the witnessess for the prosecution who came from Dover, Del., to remain there temporarily.

It is understood to be the intention of the District Attorney to have a warrant issued for the arrest of Mrs. Botkin, charging her with the murder of Mrs. Dean, a sister of Mrs. Dunning. The evidence in both cases being virtually the same, this action will permit the deposition of the Delaware witnesses to be taken while they are in the jurisdiction of the court.

It is estimated that the cost to the State of the prosecution of Mrs. Botkin thus far amounts to about $80,000.

Remarkable Murder Case.

For over five years the case of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin has been in the courts, and few trials have aroused greater interest. That a person could send poison in candy and kill another clear across the Continent was so remarkable that it seemed to open up an entirely new field to those with murderous inclinations.

Mrs. Botkin was charged with having murdered Mrs. John P. Dunning and Mrs. Dean, both of Dover, Del., daughters of former Congressman Pennington, five years ago by sending them a box of poisoned candy. The cause alleged was her infatuation for Mr. Dunning.

Over five years ago Mrs. Botkin was arrested at San Francisco, where she has been kept in custody ever since, notwithstanding attemps of the Delaware authorities to have her taken to that State for trial. In 1898 she was found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment. She secured a new trial, which began on March 10.

First Trip Since December 17.—The steamer Kitty Knight, of the Tolchester line, returned Saturday morning from the first trip made to Havre de Grace and Port Deposit since December 17 last. The steamer encountered no trouble from drifts coming down the Susquehanna, but Capt. Tarbutton reported quantities of logs, big roots and other drift stuff afloat and caught on the flats. Referring to present conditions on the river front at and near Port Deposit, Capt. Tarbutton said: "No one who has not seen it can appreciate the scenes of ruin and desolation left by the ice. Buildings moved from their foundations, piers wrecked and property of all kind and description damaged or swept away by the great masses of ice which forced their way past the town. Ice remains piled six or seven feet high on a portion of our Port Deposit pier. From Mount Ararat to Port Deposit there are great masses of ice piled ten and twelve feet high. Ice, however, is not a factor in Chesapeake bay navigation."

Light street wharf captains are still ready to discuss the much-mooted question of whether ice does or does not sink. One old salt yesterday declared that there are probably thousands of acres of ice still at the bottom of the bay. Others contended that the ice-sinking proposition is an absurdity. Capt. Bohannon, of the Old Bay Line steamer Alabama, is the leader of the ice-sinking advocates.

Thirty-Four Snow Falls.—The past winter, says the weather bureau, will go down in history as one of a great many snows. There were four light ones in November, nine in December, ten in January and six in February. These, added to the five which March contributed to the list, makes a total of thirty-four snow falls. These figures exceed by six the average number of snows in every winter for the past thirty years. The number of clear days during the winter, dating back from March 20th to November 1st, were 38, of which 7 were in November, 8 in December, 8 in January, 9 in February and 6 in March. One peculiarity of the season was, that while the snow falls were generally light, that which fell covered the ground almost continuously for most of the season.

Peninsula Canners' New Policy.—Peninsula canners have come to the conclusion that only first-class goods shall hereafter be put upon the market from their establishments. A largely attended meeting was held in Dover last week of prominent representatives of the trade, among whom was C. W. Baker, of Aberdeen. The sentiment of the meeting was that a basis of weight should be established for goods, water and coloring matter to be excluded, and that all products packed be pure and unadulterated. It is understood that the average price to be paid growers this season is to be $7 per ton for tomatoes, delivered; $7.50 for corn and 2 cents per pound for peas.

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ODDS AND ENDS of lines ranging in price from $2.00 down will be sold for 98c. This line consists of Men's, Ladies', Boys' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords.

Then we will have another table of Children's Shoes that will sell for 59c. These will be bargains, as you all know of our former Shoe sales.

All invited to come early and get your selection. Remember, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of April 12th, 13th and 14th. GARDEN SEEDS of all kinds and spring lines in general all on hand. Yours to serve,

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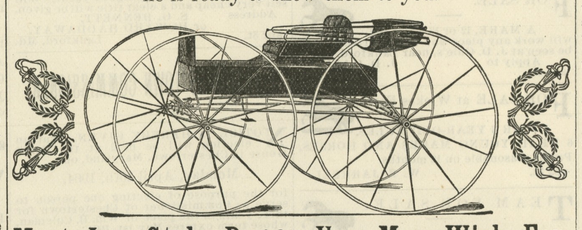

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FOR HAY—

Top dress your grass this month. We have a goods that works wonders for this purpose. Try it and the cost per acre will cost less than you imagine.

ASPARAGUS—

Are you going to do anything to it this spring? If so, we have the goods. It has Nitrate of Soda and Fish as the source of ammonia, and runs high in Potash and Phosphoric Acid. Some of the finest asparagus grown in the county is with this goods. Ask Mr. James Bell, Mr. Klinefelter and Mr. Crew what it did for them.

PEACH TREES—

It looks now as though we were going to have a crop of fruit, and as many orchards have been dug up don't you think it would be a good idea to feed your trees with our Fruit Grower, as it has given such universal satisfaction? Then, too, it will only cost you about two cents per tree to dress them with this goods. We have scores of testimonials concerning it.

FOR CORN—

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MESSRS. T. R. HUBBARD & Son—GENTLEMEN: I had heard so much of your Corn Phosphate that I determined to give it a trial. I had two pieces of ground, the quality of which was as near alike as possible. I used yours on 2,045 hills, and H. & T.'s "B" on 2,719. Your plot had nearly 700 hills less and gave within ½ busdel (actual measurement) as much Corn as the other, and it cost $7 00 more per ton than yours. I am frank to say yours is the best Corn Phosphate I ever tried. Resp., W. H. BASSETT.

You fertilize your wheat, why not your corn? It will pay. We have many customers who use it year after year. Such gentlemen as I. R. Leaverton use it annually, and farmers like Ham L. Crew have used it for 10 or 12 years, and J. Alfred Bramble says it pays him handsomely. And where will you find better or more successful farmers than these gentlemen?

We have one man in Delaware already ordered 70 tons. We have two more in Maryland who have their orders booked now for 20 tons each, and so on we could give them to you by the score.

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Well, you have heard about our Peerless. Mr. Jacob Shriley says it is the best goods he ever saw for tomatoes. Mr. Stewart Graham writes where Peerless went alongside another goods; one looked like manured and the other as if it had none, and that Peerless yielded over one-third more tomatoes.

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