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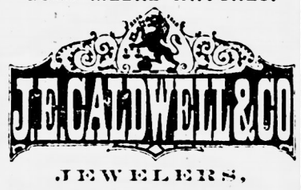

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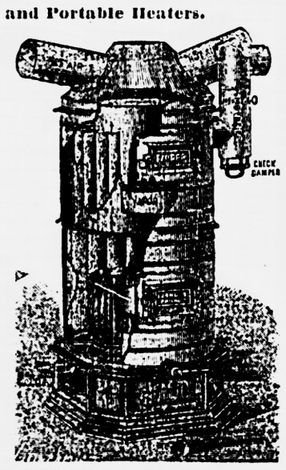

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The subscriber has just erected at his farm, near the city, the most improved machinery for making BONE DUST, and is now ready to fill orders for any quantity, which will be delivered at the shortest notice.
The BONE DUST will be finer than any heretofore made by him (no chemical process resorted to) enabling the Farmer or Planter to see it with the Drill.
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can have them well sold at the Highest Price in Baltimore, by forwarding to the Commission House for Country Produce, of
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Rev. Andrew Monship, Phila. " "
Mr. John Partridge, Elkton, Cecil county.
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Mr. S. Rowland Carson, Port Deposit.
Mr. E. M. Allen, Darlington, Harford county.
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Sept 12, 1870—tf

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Its success has equalled the expectations of its most sanguine friends. Its rates and dividends compare with the oldest and best companies in the country. It is emphatically
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Had the Five Million Dollars sent out of our State annually for insurance been invested at home it would have told favorably upon our own wealth and commerce.
We hope by care, prudence, economy and strict integrity, to merit and secure for the future as we have done in the past, the co-operation and patronage of the people in all parts of our State.
It is gratifying to all true friends of Maryland's interest that a great want of our State is supplied in the entire success of this Company.
References:—Gov. Oden Bowie, J. Thompson Mason, Judges Hayden, Grason, Miller and Magruder, Mr. S. Harwood, R. D. Jamar, Wm. J. Jones, Job Haines, Hon. James T. Earle, and the Editor of this paper.
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It is the design of the Institution to provide for Young Men a thorough Practical Education at a very moderate price.
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Aug 6, 1870—3m

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Wood & Mann's Portable Steam Engines
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All Machines warranted as represented, or they may be returned.
We will sell on accommodating terms; and all Machines we sell will be put up and started by us or our Agents, if so desired.
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At Chesapeake City, Md.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Are now prepared to furnish the Farmers with all kinds of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS of the latest improved styles, such as the celebrated
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Combined Reaper and Mower;
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The Celebrated Russell Thrasher; Westinghouse Thrasher;
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The Highest Market Prices Paid
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Thrashing Machines,
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Driving Working Horses.

First.—The load should be just what the horse or team can move steadily along, neither so light that they are occupying their time in going over the road with less than they can draw, nor so heavy that they must over tax their strength to draw it, or stop to take breath and to recover from the effects of too hard a strain; in short, they should do all they can do, comfortably, never much less, and never any more.

Second.—Horses will work better if they are kept well up to the bit, not sufficiently to pull on it, but just enough to feel its effect and to receive its support in case of a false step, than when allowed to become negligent and careless in their gait.

Third.—When there are two or more horses in a team, they should be so harnessed as to draw exactly alike. This requires them to be of uniform dispositions, and in equally good training; any deviation from this will cause one horse to do more, and another less, than his share of the work.

Fourth.—Working horses should never be whipped while drawing, except it is absolutely necessary, and then they should not simply be tapped, but smartly punished in a manner that will cause them to understand and recollect that their driver really means that they shall work, and work properly.

Fifth.—If necessary to stop to rest before going up a hill, let the halt be a little distance from the foot of the hill, that they may not get in the habit of stopping just at the foot of every hill which they encounter. When they are fully rested and prepared to go on, let them move vigorously, but do not allow then to *rush* at the hill; they would in such a case lose more in wind than they would gain in impetus. If possible, go moderately up every hill without stopping, recollecting that it is much harder to start a load against a hill than it is to keep it in motion after it is started. At the top of every difficult hill, either stop the team or let them walk slowly for a few rods, until they have recovered from the effects of the extra exertion.

Sixth.—At all times and especially in difficult places, or when first starting with a heavy load, the driver should carefully avoid exciting his team by crossness or impatience, but should hold them steadily by the bit, and talk to them in a quiet and determined manner, endeavoring to keep them cool and resolute, pulling evenly and steadily until they start their load, without making a sudden jump at it, as many nervous horses are inclined to do. Such a movement is very likely to disconcert the other horses, and it exhausts the strength more than ten times the effort properly expended.

Seventh.—In descending a hill, especially if there is no break or drag on the wheels, the team should be held back that the wagon never gets an increasing speed, and the pole should be kept in an exact line with, and not diagonally across, the wagon.

Eighth.—The team should never be so hardly driven as to become *blown* (where it is possible to avoid it,) nor should they ever be allowed to become indolent, or careless in their gait. They should always be active and willing, but never impatient to do more than is clearly within their powers.—*American Stock Journal.*

Make the Pigs Fat.

Pigs are scarce and pork is likely to command a good price. A well-fatted pig brings at least two cents per pound more than one with bare kidneys and thin sides. Eight bushels of corn, with ordinary pigs, that have nearly attained their growth, should give us at least 100 pounds of growth. At 10 cents per pound, live weight, the present price for fat pigs in Chicago, this would give us one dollar a bushel for the corn. But this is not all. If we sell a pig not half fat, weighing say 250 pounds, we should get only 8 cents per pound, or $20. Keep this pig two months, and feed it eight bushels of corn and it should then weigh 350 pounds and bring without any advance in prices, 10 cents per pound, or $35. In this way we get $15 for 8 bushels of corn, or $1.87½ per bushel.

During October, fattening pigs should be pushed forward as rapidly as possible. It is poor economy to feed them on nubbins, or soft, immature corn. Better give such corn to the cattle or to milch cows. But if it *must* be fed to the fattening pigs let them at any rate have one or two meals a day of sound corn. And take pains to induce them to eat as much as they can digest.—The chief points in fattening pigs are:—Comfortable quarters, a constant supply of water in a separate trough, regular feeding, and undisturbed sleep. As to how long it will be profitable to continue the fattening, we know of no better test than the amount of food consumed. A two hundred pound pig that is doing well will eat at least a bushel of corn a week—and if he eats more and digests it you may be pretty sure he is growing rapidly and is paying well for his feed; but as he gets "filled up" he will eat less, and so long as this is due to his being more quiet and contented, and to sleeping more, it is little or no disadvantage, but when it arrises from loss of appetite or impared digestion, there is little profit in keeping him longer. A three hundred and fifty or four hundred pound pig, that cannot be induced to eat more than three quarts of corn meal a day, must be gaining very little and had much better be killed and put into the pork barrel.
American Agriculturist.

Forcing Rhubarb.

Forcing Rhubarb is one of the simplest of all our forcing or forwarding operations. The roots are dug from the open ground in fall, put close together in a box or barrel, and soil sifted in to fill the interstices between the roots; they are then placed in a situation where the temperature will range from 55° to 75°, with a moderate amount of moisture. By this treatment, Rhubarb may be had from January to April. The roots may be placed wherever there is the necessary temperature; light is not necessary at all, in fact the stalks of Rhubarb are much more crisp and tender when forced without exposure to direct light; hence the roots may be placed in the furnace room of a cellar, under the staging of a greenhouse, or in an early forcing grapery. A florist in Boston, a few years ago, sold enough Rhubarb grown under his greenhouse stages, to pay his coal bill, (over $100,) besides having all he wanted for his family use. Rhubarb is forced quite extensively by some of our market gardeners; the method pursued by them is to lift the roots from the open ground in the fall, place them as closely together as possible in such pits or frames as are used for hot-beds, but about two feet deep, sifting in soil so as to fill the spaces between the roots. On the approach of cold weather, the whole is covered over with a foot or so of dry leaves and so remains until about the first of February, when the leaves are removed and sashes placed on the frames. Sometimes this is not done until March, the sashes being then used which have been covering cabbage plants through the winter. But little ventilation is given to the frames at this cold season, as it is necessary to raise the temperature of the frame by the action of the sun's rays, so as to forward the crop.—It greatly aids the forwarding if the sashes are covered up at night by straw mats or shutters to retain the heat.

Rhubarb so forced matures about one month before it is marketable from the open ground, and averages about $10 for every 2x6 foot sash. It must be borne in mind, however, that forcing to some extent injures the roots, and for that reason it is only practised by those who have a surplus.

DIFFERENCE IN THE QUALITY OF EGGS.—The *Journal of Agriculture* says, though most farmers keep eggs and raise their own fowls, there are many who have not learned the difference there is in the richness and flavor of eggs produced by well fed hens, and those from birds that have been half starved through our winters. There will be some difference in the size, but far more in the quality. The yolk of one would be large, fine colored, and of good substance, and the albumen, or white, clear and pure; while the contents of the other will be watery and meagre, as in the parent fowl, inability exists to properly carry out and complete the work nature had sketched. In order, therefore, to have good eggs, the fowls should be well fed, and also provided during the months they are unable to come to the ground, with a box containing an abundance of fine gravel, that they may be able to grind and prepare their food for digestion. Of eggs, those from the domestic hen are decidedly the best, but those of ducks and geese may be used for some of the purposes of domestic cookery.

SCRATCHES.—Take white pine pitch rosin bees-wax and honey, one oz., each, fresh lard one half pound, melt well together over a slow fire, stir till quite thick, so that the parts may not settle and separate.—This also makes an excellent application for harness galls, cuts, and sores of all kinds, on horses and cattle.

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Keeps one of the best selected Stocks of general Merchandise to be found.
That he sells the same at or below City Prices.
A call, with an examination of the Goods, is all that is needed to satisfy competent judges.
The proprietor or his clerks always take pleasure in showing Goods, when the throng of customers does not prevent it.
oct 1, 1870

CLOTHING.

THE TEMPLE OF FASHION!
THE LATEST YET!!
Don't Miss It! Don't Miss It!
LARGER and BETTER.
MARKS LIEBERMAN STILL FURTHER AHEAD!!!
CHIEF OF THE
WARDROBE Forever!!!
Having removed to the Store House recently occupied by John E. Alexander, on
Main Street, below the Howard House,
I am prepared with ample room to show to advantage the Largest and Best Stock of
CLOTHING EVER OFFERED IN ELKTON!
☞ Call and see me before purchasing elsewhere.
MARKS LIEBERMAN,
MAIN STREET, NORTH SIDE.
april 2, 1870

CLOTHING!
SEELIG & BRO.
are now prepared to sell everybody that is in want of anything in their line of goods so cheap that they will be compelled to admit that they have
Saved 20 cts. on the $1
BY BUYING OF THEM.
Call and see for yourselves, when you want anything like a
Chesterfield Coat,
Sack Coat,
Tight Pants,
Wide Pants,
LOW-CUT OR OTHER VEST.
A FINE NECKTIE.
Good and Stylish Paper Collar
Three pairs Stockings for 25 cents,
UMBRELLAS, HANDKERCHIEFS,
Drawers and Shirts, $1 a Set.
WHITE SHIRTS $1 PER PAIR.
AND OTHER GOODS EQUALLY AS LOW.
SEELIG & BRO.,
opposite the Howard House,
Oct 1, 1870. ELKTON, MD.

MRS. M. A. J. NELSON
OFFERS TO THE PUBLIC A
FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Spring Millinery:
BONNETS,
HATS,
FRAMES,
FLOWERS,
AND A GENERAL VARIETY OF
TRIMMINGS.
April 16, 1870

18 Fall Opening! 70
MRS. ROSA GANSS
HAS RECEIVED ALL THE NEWEST STYLES OF
MILLINERY GOODS.
PRICES LOWER THAN EVER!!
She is also prepared to execute all orders for
DRESS MAKING,
And keeps constantly on hand a select assortment of
DRESS PATTERNS, TRIMMINGS AND NOTIONS.
☞ Liberal reductions to Milliners.
MRS. ROSA GANNS,
Sept 24, 1870—tf. ELKTON, MD.

MRS. SCOTT & LITZENBERG
HAVE JUST OPENED THEIR
FALL GOODS,
embracing all in their line. They will be replenished every week during the season. A new lot of
SASH RIBBONS,
in all colors, best quality, very cheap.
HATS, BONNETS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS and VELVETS in every variety.
Dress Trimmings and Laces. Cloak and Dress Making, Goffering, Pinking and Stamping.
☞ A good Apprentice wanted at once.
TERMS CASH.
Sept 24, 1870

GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
HAVE MADE
E. BROWN & BRO.,
Agents in Elkton, Md.
First-Class Sewing Machine.
Having stood the test of all rivalry the GROVER & BAKER now stands the Sewing Machine of the day.
Getting our supply direct from the Company we sell at FACTORY PRICES, and on liberal terms.
All the new and improved Attachments, Needles, and best Machine Oil for sale.
Machines sent to any part of the county.
Orders solicited. E. BROWN & BRO.,
aug 20, 1870—tf Elkton, Md.

BONE DUST,
PERUVIAN GUANO,
RHODES' PHOSPHATE,
MORO PHILLIPS' PHOSPHATES,
WHANN'S PHOSPHATE, &c., &c.,
For sale by JOHN PARTRIDGE.

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES.

ATTENTION ALL!!!
A NEW
ONE PRICE CASH Grocery & Dry Goods Store,
At Brick Meeting House,
JUST OPENED BY
JAS. C. WILSON,
SUCCESSOR TO CRAWFORD.
A Large, New & Splendid Stock
LAID IN, AT THE
LOWEST CASH PRICES.
GREAT BARGAINS
OFFERED IN
Groceries,
Dry Goods,
Notions,
Hats, Caps,
Boots and Shoes,
Queensware, China, Glass, Earthen, Wooden and Tinware, &c., &c.
LADIES', MISSES' AND GENTS'
SHOES AND GAITERS.
A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF
STATIONERY
KEPT ON HAND.
FLOUR, FEED, &c., &c.
All of which will be sold at the very smallest margin of profit possible. PRODUCE of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods, or bought at market prices.
Remember WILSON'S
Next door to Rial's, Brick Meeting House.
Sept 3, 1870—tf.

A LIVE MERCHANT!!!
With a full Stock of Goods,
which he is selling at
Astonishingly LOW PRICES,
has opened business at
BRICK MEETING HOUSE.
JOHN P. RULEY,
(Successor to John M. Ireland) desires to call the attention of the citizens of the BRICK MEETING HOUSE and vicinity to the fact that he has purchased the stock of John M. Ireland, Esq., and having added largely thereto, is now offering a very complete assortment of
Dry Goods,
Groceries,
Hats and Caps,
Boots and Shoes,
Hardware,
Queensware,
and all other articles to be found in a first-class country store
GIVE HIM A CALL.
His Motto is "Excelsior."
JOHN P. RULEY,
BRICK MEETING HOUSE, MD.
June 25, 1870—tf

ON FREE EXHIBITION
AT
DRENNEN & BRO.'S
A NEW STOCK OF GOODS
Opening this week, from the city, bought for the Cash.
DRY GOODS:
Alpacas, Black and Colored Delaines, Prints, Tickings, Sheetings, Table Diaper, Muslins, Brown and Bleached Crash.
Cloths and Cassimeres,
A FULL STOCK;
BOOTS AND SHOES,
A Full Line for Men, Women and Children;
HATS OF THE LATEST STYLES;
GROCERIES,
Fresh Stock, such as Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Rice, Spices;
CRACKERS FRESH FROM THE BAKERY;
Syrups of all makes;
Chester County Cider Vinegar;
FRUIT JARS—Glass & Stone—Cheap;
CARPETS, WOOLEN AND RAG.
☞ A call is solicited from all.
Remember the Place—YELLOW POSTS.
DRENNEN & BRO.
Aug 13, 1870

NEW
AUTUMN AND WINTER GOODS.
LADIES' DRESS GOODS.
SHAWLS.
Fine and Medium CASSIMERES.
CLOAKING CLOTHS.
FLANNELS.
Best Make Canton.
HOUSEKEEPING GOODS
GENERALLY.
Our Stock of Goods at this time is full in every department, and the best selection ever offered.
Prices Low, and Cash Custom solicited.
BROWN & BRO.,
At the Old Stand in Elkton.
oct 1, 1870—tf

BARGAINS IN CARPETS!
Bargains in Floor Oil Cloths!
Bargains in Dry Goods and Notions!
BARGAINS IN BOOTS & SHOES!
Bargains in Hats and Looking-Glasses!
BARGAINS in QUEENSWARE & EARTHENWARE!
BARGAINS IN TRUNKS AND WILLOWARE!
BARGAINS IN FRUIT JARS!
BARGAINS CAN BE HAD FOR ALL I HAVE TO SELL.
All are requested to call and buy Goods Cheap at
B. F. May's Old Stand,
OPPOSITE OWINGS' HOUSE,
As I am determined to sell off my Stock at cost, as rapidly as possible, in order to close out. Now is your chance to get goods cheap.
Margaret McClelland.
Aug 27, 1870—tf

Meetings of County Commissioners.
THE regular meetings of the County Commissioners will be held on the second TUESDAY of every month.
Persons having claims against the County, will please file the same in the Commissioners' Office, with a legal voucher; as no account will be allowed not properly chargeable to the same.
Collectors and, others having accounts to be stated or settled will apply to the Clerk during the recess of the Board. By Order
WM. T. MILLER, Clerk
De 14, 1867—y Commissioners of Cecil County.

MEDICINAL.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY
COUGHS COLDS CONSUMPTION LUNG DISEASES
None Genuine unless signed I. BUTTS.
mar 19, 1870—1year

$1,000 REWARD.
For any case of Blind Bleeding, Itching, or Ulcerated Piles that DE BING'S PILE REMEDY fails to cure. It is prepared expressly to cure the Piles and nothing else, and has cured cases of over 20 years standing. Sold by all Druggists
VIA FUGA.
De Bing's Via Fuga is the pure juices of Barks, Herbs, Roots, and Berries, for
CONSUMPTION.
Inflammation of the Lungs; all Liver, Kidney, and Bladder diseases, Organic Weakness, Female Affections, General Debility; and all complaints of the Urinary Organs in Male and Female, producing Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Gravel, Dropsy and Scrofula, which most generally terminate in Consumptive Decline. It purifies and enriches the Blood, the Biliary, Glandular and Secretive System; Corrects and strengthens the Nervous and Muscular forces; It acts like a charm on weak, nervous, and debilitated females, both young and old. None should be without it. Sold everywhere.
LABORATORY—142 Franklin St, Baltimore, Md.
July 23, 1870—1y.

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD!
LONDON
BLOOD PANACEA.
The Great Alterative and Blood Purifier.

For the cure of SCROFULA or KING'S EVIL, CUTANEOUS DISEASES, ERYSIPELAS, BOILS, PIMPLES, and BLOTCHES on the FACE, SORE EYES, YELLOW JAUNDICE, WHITE SWELLINGS, MERCURIAL DISEASES, G