TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

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 country.

Orders solicited. E. BROWN & BRO., Elkton, Md.

aug 29, 1870—tf

WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINES

are on exhibition and for sale at

DRENNEN & BRO.'S STORE,

(opposite Levis' Store,)

ELKTON, MD.

☞Call and examine them before purchasing.☜

SOLD ON EASY TERMS.

C. C. HENRY, Traveling Agent,

WILL CANVASS THE COUNTY.

april 8, 1871—6m

RENOVATE YOUR FEATHERS,

And remove a most prevalent cause of disease.

The New Machine, patented September 24th, 1867, by O. C. Monroe, will most effectually accomplish this, without the least possible injury to the Feathers.

The subscriber offers to the citizens of PORT DEPOSIT and vicinity a rare chance to avail themselves of the unparalleled benefits of this unrivaled

FEATHER Dressing & Renovating Machine,

the most successful patent of the kind ever offered to the public. And I venture the prediction that it never will be excelled, for it proves to be exactly what all conditions and qualities of feathers, form entirely new to oil and much worn, need to promise them as perfect as age, quality and condition will admit of their being made.

The Cleansing is done entirely by the action of Steam & Vaporized Carbolic Acid;

giving the appearance and essential qualities of NEW FEATHERS, and relieving them from all liability to moths by the removal of all gummy and glutinous matter from the quill.

Our facilities are such that by short notice we can take and return Beds the same day, well dressed, ready for immediate use, for

Two Dollars per Bed.

Physicians and scientific men in hundreds of towns throughout the United States, who have had Feathers Cleansed by this process, have given it the very highest recommendations.

☞Feathers called for and returned in town without extra charge.

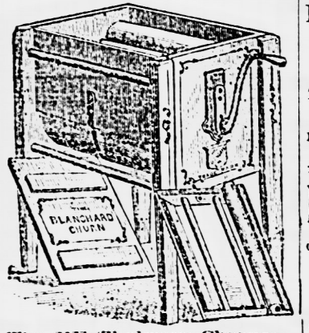
JOHN B. DUNBAR,

Proprietor for Cecil county.

LEVI F. BOULDEN, Operator.

mar 25, 1871—tf

BLANCHARD CHURN.



The BEST always Cheapest.

The Celebrated Automatic Butter-maker,

KNOWN AS THE

BLANCHARD CHURN.

IT HAS BEEN

Proved by 20 Years successful use.

It has been improved every year, and is now "Head and Shoulders" better than any other Churn.

The Blanchard Churn

completes the operation of Butter Making, without touching the hands to the butter.

IT IS SIMPLE, CHEAP, DURABLE.

THERE ARE NOW OVER 30,000 IN USE.

Five Sizes Made:

No. 2, for 2 gall.	$6	No. 6, for 12 gall.	$9
" 4, " 4 "	7	" 7, " 18 "	10
" 5, " 8 "	8		

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

☞Send for Descriptive Circular, and Testimonials from the best Dairy authorities in the country.

Take a Churn and Try it; "you will then know how it is yourself.

S. ROWLAND CARSON,

PORT DEPOSIT, Md.

may 13, 1871—tf

THE KING WASHER.

It washes without tearing the clothes—no rubbing or squeezing.

It washes from one to twenty-five articles in from one to four minutes.

It washes the finest Lace Curtains, Handkerchiefs, &c., without any injury.

It washes whiter and more thoroughly clean than by any other process, as strong currents of water are dashed through every part of the fabric.

It will save three times its cost in a single year in labor and wear of clothes.

It reduces washday to an hour.

The King Washer is so called, if we are rightly informed, after the name of its inventor; but it may well assume the name as a royal title, for it is destined to lord it over all competitors, and reign supreme in the laundry. Its claims are everywhere acknowledged, and not only are those who stood aloof from all washing machines, but some who have been using other machines are replacing them with the King Washer.—*Baltimore Gazette.*

The King Washer was sold safe on Friday evening; on Monday morning I had my "maiden" washing. After a short examination by experience in family circles the following results: three-fourths the time, three-fourths saved; better done and cleaner, a saving immediately in the wear of clothes. The servants are delighted, and my wife and I are pleased. I will take pleasure in recommending the King Washer.—CHAS. L. TEXTMAN, Assist. U. S. Assessor, *Richmond, Va.*

The King Washer is so complete, and answers so well on the ends desired, that there is nothing more desired in the time-saving, labor-saving machine.—*Phila. Press.*

Having purchased one of your *King Washing machines*, and practically tested its capacity for economy of time and labor, and also its cleansing properties, I do not hesitate to say it will do all you claim for it, and I will cheerfully recommend it to my friends to be the *best* washing machine I have ever seen.—J. W. LOANE, 67 *W. Pratt St., Balt.*

Does it take all the dirt out? Try it, and we venture the assertion that you cannot find a piece of linen so soiled that the King Washer will not make clean as new in five minutes.—*Boston Journal.*

I take pleasure in adding my testimony to the good qualities of the KING WASHER. It does its work well and effectually, and is undoubtedly one of the greatest labor-saving machines of the age.—Dr. J. H. SCHENCK, 15 *N. Sixth St., Phila.*

SPECIAL.

In the invention of the KING WASHER, it was designed that it should combine all the good qualities of every other washing machine, and at the same time to have not a single objectionable feature. Such a machine is the King: no rubbing, no wearing and tearing; and last, but not least, labor made easy.

If you cannot purchase a KING WASHER in your place, send us the

RETAIL PRICE, $15.00,

and we will forward the same to you, free of freight, to places where no one is selling. If any one is not satisfied, and wishes to return the machine after a month's trial, according to directions, we agree to

REFUND THE MONEY,

free of freight.

☞Sold by dealers generally, to whom liberal discounts are made.

King Washing Machine & Manuf. Co.,

1109, 1111, 1113 Miller Street,

May 6, 1871—1y. **PHILADELPHIA.**

NO. 1

PROVISION STORE.

JOHN M. TERRELL

has established a FIRST-CLASS PROVISION STORE,

ON MAIN STREET, ELKTON, MD.

opposite the dry Exchange Hotel, where

FRESH and SALT MEATS,

No. 1 Mackerel, Cod Fish and Lard

are always kept; also, an assortment of the best Canned Peaches, Tomatoes and Corn; Table Salt and Sauces; the best Factory Cheese; Wilmington City Soap, etc.

Also, Flour, Meal and Feed.

Prices will be found lower at No. 1 Store than are asked anywhere else in town for a similar quality of goods.

TRY HIM AND BE CONVINCED.

april 15, 1871—6m

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES.

SAFE HOME Investment

FOR YOUR

CASH OR PRODUCE.

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, &c.

Thankful for the large patronage so generously bestowed upon us during the past Summer and Fall, we are still ready to wait on the Public, and supply all their wants for the remaining Winter, at LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES, to make room for Spring Stock.

JOHN P. RULEY,

BRICK MEETING HOUSE, MD.

Jan 7, 1871—tf

PERPERTUAL MOTION!

LOOK! LOOK!!

JAS. C. WILSON,

Brick Meeting House,

HAS JUST RECEIVED

A NEW STOCK OF GOODS,

WHICH WILL BE

SOLD CHEAPER THAN EVER.

He has a fine assortment of Goods of all kinds, such as

DRY GOODS,

NOTIONS,

GROCERIES,

Hats & Caps, Boots & Shoes.

OILS OF ALL KINDS.

And everything that is kept in a country store.

These Goods he guarantees to sell cheaper than any one else.

His Motto is:—Never to be Undersold.

Jan 21, 1871

NEW STOCK OF GOODS

opening this week, at the Great Central,

DRENNEN & BRO.

2,000 Yards of New Dress Goods, Delaines, Prints, &c.

2,000 Yards of Muslin for Sheeting and Shirting.

1,000 Yards of Cloths, Cassimeres and Pants Stuffs.

1,000 Yards of Tickings, Drillings, Stripes, &c.

500 Pairs Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

HATS, NEW STYLES.

Mattings, Carpets, Oil Cloths.

Hosiery, Gloves, Notions.

A full line of TRUNKS, TRAVELING BAGS, &c.

New Sugars, Coffees, Cheese and Carolina Rice.

FRESH SPICES OF ALL KINDS.

☞All are invited to call on

DRENNEN & BRO.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER,

in the best style, and guaranteed to fit, by

april 29, 1871—tf **Lewis Kleino.**

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

Black Silk Grosgain,

Japanese Silk, in colors,

Japanese Robes,

Plaid Japanese Silk,

Royal Silk Sultana,

Handsome Silk Poplins,

Popular Shades Mohairs,

Colored Chambrays,

Percals,

White Velvet Cord,

White Turkish Cloth,

New patterns White Pique,

Spring Walking Skirts,

Handsome Shawls.

WITH FULL STOCK OF

White Goods,

Gloves and Hosiery,

Dress Trimmings, &c.

FOR SALE. CASH PRICES.

BROWN & BRO.,

april 15, 1871—tf

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THE PEOPLE HAVE LEARNED THAT

ZION,

is the place to find the Goods they want, at the RIGHT PRICE.

STEPHEN B. FORD.

MD.,

COE'S SUPER-PHOSPHATE.

E. Frank Coe's Ammoniated Bone Super-Phosphate

For sale by JOHN PARTRIDGE.

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES.

T. KENNARD. S. J. LEEDOM.

Vinegar Hill Store.

The above Cheap Store,

formerly conducted by Thomas Kennard, will in future be under the name and firm of

KENNARD & LEEDOM,

who have laid in a

LARGER AND MORE VARIED

STOCK OF GOODS

than were ever offered before to the public at this favorite old stand.

The former proprietor offers his thanks to the public for past favors, and the new firm hope for a continuance of the same, and promise their customers the

Best Quality of Goods

at the Lowest Possible Prices for

Cash or its Equivalent.

april 29, 1871—6m KENNARD & LEEDOM.

MRS. M. McCLELLAND,

EXCHANGE STORE,

MAIN STREET. ELKTON.

DRY GOODS,

NOTIONS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS AND CAPS,

Queensware & Willow-ware,

STRAW MATTING,

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS,

Trunks, Ropes, Looking Glasses,

GROCERIES.

Always on hand and for sale Cheap

TERMS CASH.

may 6, 1871—3m

PORT DEPOSIT.

J. D. WEST. J. G. VANNORT.

WEST & VANNORT,

Contractors and Builders,

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.

All kinds and styles of Building done by Contract, Superintendence or Day, at Short notice and reasonable prices.

March 4, 1871—1y.

THE CECIL NATIONAL BANK

OF PORT DEPOSIT,

Offers for sale the following Bonds and Stock:

Bonds of Cecil county.

Bonds of Queen Ann's county.

Bonds of Phil., Wil. & Balt. R.R.

Bonds of Chester Creek R.R.

Guaranteed by Phil., Wil. & Balt. R.R.

Bonds of Delaware R.R.

Guaranteed by Phil., Wil. & Balt. R.R.

Bonds of Central R.R. of Iowa.

INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY

Stock of Phil., Wil. & Balt. R.R.

5 per cent interest allowed on Annual Special Deposits.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE drawn on all parts of Europe and Passage Tickets by best lines furnished.

J. B. RAMSAY,

Feb 11, 1871—1y Cashier.

THE NEW STEAM

Sash, Blind and Door Factory,

IN

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.

The undersigned having assumed the entire control of this Mill, takes this method of informing the public that he is now prepared with the best of machinery and the best mechanics to furnish

DOORS, SASH,

WINDOW & DOOR FRAMES,

Shutters, Blinds, Casings, &c.

Mouldings of all Kinds & Patterns.

SCROLL SAWING AND TURNING.

Cornice, Brackets & Fancy Sawing.

RIPPING & PLANING

DONE AT SHORTEST TIME.

Builders and all persons contemplating building will find it to their advantage to give me a call. As with small expense and facilities of machinery, &c., &c., equal to any, I am satisfied that I can give entire satisfaction, not only in workmanship and material, but also in PRICE. I have a large lot of

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, &c.,

on hand, and can furnish anything in my line at shortest notice.

J. E. REYNOLDS.

april 9, 1870—tf

☞BelairÆgis and Oxford Press please change.

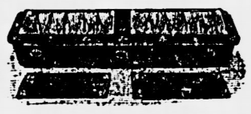
CECIL FURNITURE

Ware-Rooms.

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.

EVERY STYLE OF FURNITURE

AT CITY PRICES.



UNDERTAKING.

I am prepared to furnish METALLIC BURIAL CASES, and all other Coffins, on short notice, and at reasonable prices. HENRY H. MAKINSON.

april 17, 1870—tf

PORT DEPOSIT.

"Rock Run Cash Store,"

SPECIALITY

IN

Ladies', Misses' & Children's Shoes,

CUSTOM-MADE.

Good assortment of

JOUVIN'S BEST KID GLOVES.

Also, the Celebrated

LA BELLE KID GLOVE,

best $1.25 Kid Glove sold in the country.

STEEL & JACKSON.

may 6, 1871—tf

Miss Lizzie M. D. Earls,

HAVING RETURNED TO

PORT DEPOSIT,

with a large and carefully selected STOCK OF NEW GOODS, is now prepared to sell at City Prices.

Her stock comprises every variety of

Ladies', Misses and Children's

HATS AND BONNETS,

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, LACES,

AND FANCY GOODS.

Also, a

Large assortment of Dry Goods,

CHEAP MUSLINS AND PRINTS.

☞Sole Agent in Port Deposit for the sale of **Chambers & Co.'s Celebrated Champion Water-proof, Fast-color, Ten-rib Umbrella.**

Also, a large assortment of Ladies' and Children's PARASOLS. [april 22, 1871—6w

Baltimore & Susquehanna STEAM COMPANY.

Regular Daily Freight Line to Balt. & Havre de Grace.

The Steamer JUNIATA, THOS. H. PHILLIPS, Master, leaves Port Deposit on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 3 o'clock P.M., for above-named places.

Returning, leaves Baltimore on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, from lower end West Falls Avenue, at 6 o'clock P.M.

The Steamer LANCASTER, THOS. RUCARE, Master, will leave Port Deposit for Baltimore, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 3 o'clock P.M., making a daily line (Sunday excepted) for Baltimore and Havre de Grace.

Returning, leaves Baltimore for Port Deposit, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 o'clock P.M.

FREIGHT carefully handled and promptly delivered. Persons shipping by this Line can rely on quick dispatch.

J. TOME, President.

J. TOME & CO., Ag'ts,

DEALERS IN

Hay and Straw, Grain, Coal,

GUANO, LIME, BONE, PLASTER,

SALT,

At New Warehouse of Balt. & Susquehanna Steam Co.,

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.

April 29, 1871—tf

W. W. NICKLE,

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.,

CARRIAGE Manufactory.

Shifting & Standing-top and Open Buggies,

JAGGERS, SULKIES,

ROCKAWAYS,

YORK WAGONS, Express Wagons,

AND ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF

Double & Single Carriages,

of every style and finish, from the plainest to the most elaborate, made to order, at short notice, of the best material, by experienced workmen.

Each piece of work, built and sent out by this Factory is designed as an advertisement of the durability, style, finish and material of the vehicle, and purchasers may, therefore, be assured that they will, in every case, get the best.

A STOCK OF CARRIAGES

will be kept on hand for sale, guaranteed to be as represented, and equal in all respects to work, of the same grade, built to order.

☞Personal supervision given to all work.

PRICES REASONABLE.

REPAIRING promptly attended to at fair rates.

mar 11, 1871—1y

S. S. RAMBO,

SUCCESSOR TO

NOLAND & CO.,

PORT DEPOSIT, MD.,

DEALER IN

BUILDERS' HARDWARE.

Nails, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Bolts, Sash Cord and Weights, etc.

TOOLS.

Broad, Post and Chopping Axes, Hatchets, Chisels, Planes, Saws, Squares, Drawing Knives, Masons' and Plasterer's Tools, etc.

PAINTS AND OIL.

Lewis' White Lead, Pecora Metallic, Paints of all colors, Linseed, Lard and Lubricating Oils, Varnishes, Lightning Drier, Japan, Glues and Putty, etc.

CUTLERY.

Pocket and Table Cutlery, Carving Knives and Forks, Scissors, Plated Spoons and Forks.

FARMERS' IMPLEMENTS.

Shovels, Spades, Rakes, Hoes, Forks, Picks, Mattocks, Cultivator Teeth, etc.

Wheelwright and Blacksmith's Goods.

Patman & Globe's Horse Nails, Files, Rasps, &c; Burdon's Horse Shoes, Finished Shafts, Dearborn Bows, Spokes, Rims, Carriage Wheels and Bolts, &c., &c.

Special to Blacksmiths and Wheelwrights.

I am prepared to furnish, on very short notice, at city prices,

BAR IRON

and all other articles used in first-class Blacksmith and Wheelwright Shops. Try me, and convince yourselves that I will do all that I advertise.

It is my intention to keep everything that is generally to be found in a first class Hardware Store, which I will sell at

VERY LOW PRICES FOR CASH.

Call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, and be convinced that you can buy as cheap at home as in the city.

April 22, 1871—tf

W. W. REYNOLDS. E. K. REYNOLDS.

NEW HARDWARE, TIN, IRON

—AND—

House Furnishing Store,

IN PORT DEPOSIT.

The undersigned take this method of informing the public that they have opened a Store in Port Deposit, (opposite P. Sauter's Bakery,) where may be found everything in their line.

They would call the especial attention of Housekeepers who are wanting conveniences, many of which are curious and different from anything ever offered in this market.

They also keep on hand Handsomely Decorated

JAPANNED CHAMBER SETS,

WAITERS,

ENAMELED AND FRENCH WARE,

SILVER-PLATED & BRITTANIA WARE,

Planished Tea and Coffee Pots,

WIRE GOODS,

Pocket and Table Cutlery,

They keep constantly on hand

Blacksmiths' Stock,

CONSISTING OF

BAR IRON,

HORSE SHOES,

HORSE NAILS,

CARRIAGE BOLTS, &c.

They have added to their establishment a TIN SHOP, where they propose to do all sorts of TIN WORK in the best and cheapest manner, consisting in

ROOFING,

SPOUTING, and

GENERAL REPAIRING.

They have secured the services of one of the best workmen in the city of Baltimore, and hope by strict and prompt attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

AGENTS FOR

NOVELTY CLOTHES WRINGER

—AND—

Bailey and Doty Washing Machines.

Reynolds Bros.

Port Deposit, July 25, 1868—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 Commissioners of Cecil County.

De 16, 1867—y

THE BEST GILLING TWINE.

For sale by S. BROWN & BRO.

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Raising Ruta-Baga and Mangel Warzel.

The field on which the crop is to be grown is put in the same condition, at the same time, as though it were to be sown, and is left bare. The seed is sown in small seed-beds, in rows a foot apart, the land having first been made rich and fine. When it begins to grow, the rows must be hand-weeded, and the whole carefully hoed. This requires no more labor than an equal length of row in the field. After this, all that is needed is to keep the seed-bed clean, and its soil loose—no thinning is necessary. As fast as weeds appear in the field, it is cleaned with a harrow at a slight outlay. Just before planting time—say the last of June—it has a *thorough* harrowing with a Shares' harrow, to make it as fine and smooth as possible, but it should not be plowed, although this would better loosen the soil. The repeated harrowing will have killed all weeds whose seeds have lain within growing distance of the surface, but plowing would bring a fresh lot of seeds within the germinating range, and make work for the future. For planting, I use six hands (three would do half as well)—two to draw the plants from the seed-bed, two to drop them along the rows, these may be boys, and two to pick them up and plant them.

Plants are selected which are at least as thick through as a man's thumb—if they are as large as a hen's egg it will do no harm—and they are trimmed to a length of about six inches, say four inches above the crown and two below it. This removes the tap-root and all the leaves, the stems of the leaves remaining for a handle. In this work the plant pullers are helped by the droppers, until the rows are marked out. This is done by the two planters who commence at one side of the field, but at opposite ends, stretching a garden line between them, and making its ends fast close to the ground. They then walk, toward each other, *treading on the line* until they meet, then they turn and go to their starting points. Each has a stick thirty inches long to measure off the distances, and the line is moved to the new position, hauled taut, and trodden into the ground as before. The subsequent rows are marked the same way. This plan has the advantage of being very expeditious and perfect. The impression made by the line is easily seen, and the marking is absolutely straight and at correct intervals. When an hour's work has been laid out,—a supply of plants having in the meantime been brought to the field, stacked up, with the heads of all one way, and covered with mats or blankets,—the planting commences. Small hand-baskets are packed with rows of plants, and carried to the droppers to the end of the row. These men walk backward, and lay down the plants one by one at intervals of about 15 inches along the lines, *with the tops toward the left hand of the planters* who follow them. Each planter has a dibber in his right hand. He (1st) takes up a plant with his left hand, (2d) makes a hole with his dibber, (3d) inserts the plant, and (4th) drives his dibber again into the soil by the side of the plant, striking the point *toward the lower end of the root*, so as to pack the earth closely about it. The whole operation is done with these few movements, and he passes on to the next plant. A good hand will set out 20 plants in a minute, which is at the rate of 12,000 in ten hours. Making ample allowance for interruptions, any clever workman will set out 6,000 in a day. My foreman, who was nine years with Peter Henderson, and is on his fourth year with me, will set out 9,000 plants a day, besides marking the rows and bossing the job. Any man will plant as fast as an equally good man or boy will drop, and the delay, if any, usually comes from the pullers.

After the plants are out, the field need not be touched until they are well established and have a good set of leaves. Then a horse-hoe or a one-horse sub-soil plow may be run through the spaces, and the rows between the plants may be stirred up with a pronged hoe. There is absolutely no finger work to be done, and the field may be gone over with less work than would be required for the second hoeing of a field of drilled corn. Enough plants may be left in the seed-bed to make a crop, and if the land is equally good, these roots will not be nearly so good as the transplanted ones.

Ruta-bagas may be treated in the same way. Round turnips will not bear removal. The *secret* is to have the plants so large at planting time, that the substance of the root will be able to furnish moisture and nutriment to start the new roots and leaves. Now let us make a calculation:—An acre will require, at 30 inches by 15 inches, about 14,000 plants; the seed-bed will produce, say ten plants to the square foot, so that five square rods will raise the plants for an acre. Again, in an acre planted as above, there are about 17,500 feet of row. In a seed-bed of five rods, (at 12-inch intervals), there are about 1,400 feet of row, so that by this plan we save the finger-weeding and the baby-hoeing of about 13,500 feet of row, to say nothing of the infinitely greater facility with which, (owing to the killing of weeds by the harrow,) the crop may be kept clean, nor of the increased production.

Objection is usually made to the labor of transplanting, but this is absurd. An average green hand will plant a thousand feet of row in the time it would take him properly to do the first finger-weeding, or the final thinning out of a hundred feet of seeded row.

Culture of the Parsnip and Carrot.

We have long thought that not nearly so much attention was paid to the cultivation of the parsnip as its value would seem to demand. It is true the crop requires careful cultivation, and in the first weeding requires considerable labor; but then no root crop is more abundant or pays better.

The soil for this crop should be rich, deep, and well-pulverized. Subsoil plowing it operates very beneficially. The seed should be sown in drills, and the drills some twenty-eight inches apart to admit of a small cultivator between them. The seed should be of last year's growth, and should be covered very slightly. It takes a considerable time for it to vegetate and appear above ground, and then care must be observed not to mistake the young plants for weeds. After reaching two inches in height the plants should be thinned out, leaving the strongest remain, to about four inches apart. We have known a thousand bushels to be raised to an acre; five hundred are a common crop.

They are a very nutritious food for horses, cattle and swine; the latter fatten upon them better than upon any other root, and are very fond of them.

Seed may be planted up to the 15th or 20th of May. Some persons even plant later, but it is not to be recommended.

As to the culture of carrots, the same details may be pursued. There is scarcely a shade of difference. The variety called the *Orange* is the best for field culture.

Germantown Telegraph.

SPROUTING SWEET-POTATOES.—"First, make a frame of boards if the ground be cold or heavy on the surface; if light or sandy, dig out to the depth of eight to twelve inches from the bottom of the bed to the top of the frame in front, and twenty six or twenty-eight for back, to give a good slope or water-shed four and a half to five feet from front to back; take good fresh stable-manure and coarse hay—hog hay is best; first a layer of hay, then manure, then repeat; pack it well to one foot in depth, wet it slightly, cover with three inches of sandy loam, lay in the potatoes—if small, whole; if large cut in two from end to end, with cut-side down; cover with one and a half inches of light sand loam. Leave so till the potatoes begin to sprout, then cover with the same to three inches to insure good and plenty of fibrous roots; when the plants are three inches high they are ready to transplant to the hills or rows for growing. Use glass or sash to give a quicker growth to the plants; keep the temperature in the frame from seventy-five to ninety, if possible. Make hot-beds from April 10th to 20th, according to the season.

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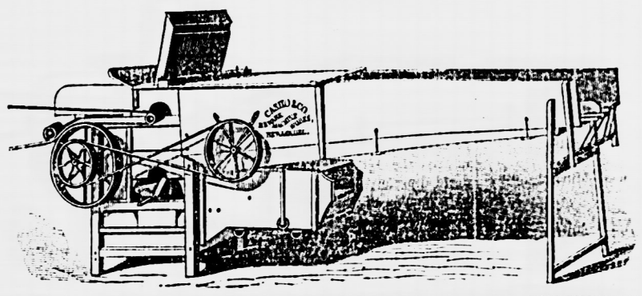

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