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October Meeting of The Cecil Farmers' Club.

The club held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, 25th ult., at Mr. N. R. Carson's. The club was well attended by members and several invited guests helped to swell the meeting to about 20 persons.

At 10:30 A. M. the club was called to order, and in the absence of the president, H. H. Dyecknick, Mr. A. L. R. Naggar was called to the chair. To the question in the Order of Business, "Are there any experiments to report, Mr. W. W. Moore said he had experimented with S. C. rock and dissolved bones, drilled in for corn and found 20 bushels per acre in favor of the bone.

Mr. Jea. W. McCullough reported similar results from a like experiment.

Mr. Wm. R. Cooley reported his wheat crop 16½ bushels per acre, but could not account for so small a return, the appearance of the growing crop indicating a much larger yield.

Mr. Wilson obtained good results from S. C. rock.

Mr. Enoch McCullough stated that he discovered that the wheat crop had sustained considerable damage from some insect which had cut off the heads of wheat while in its growing stage and it was the belief of a majority of the club that the damage had been caused by the army worm.

Mr. Carson made an exhibit of Indian phrases a new dress, "applied" The samples comprised the "Garfield," "State of Maine" and "Blue Victoria" For culinary purposes he preferred the two former.

The rule with the club is that the host for the day shall we have prepared and read an essay for the edification of the club. In compliance with this rule Mr. Carson read an essay on the comparative merits of large and small barns. The essay took ground against expensive barns and other out buildings. Contenting that large barns, while an expensive luxury, not commensurate with that spirit of economy which it was advisable, if not absolutely necessary, to inculcate in rural life, were not economical as conveniences, incurred unnecessary risks in case of fire, and were harbors for vermin. A barn which included in one building barn racks for hay and grain, stabling for stock, tool house for storing farm machinery, a granary or bin for threshed grain, corn crib, etc. was entirely too much under one roof. It was better to have several and separate buildings for their individual purposes. The granary and cornhouse should be made rat proof and built away from all other structures (Mr. C. has a building of this kind, supported on posts of solid granite). A \$100.00 pig pen was enough (Mr. C. has a \$100.00 sty) and a cedar tree made the best hen house. Barn racks for storing hay built out in the hay fields were preferable to one large barn on the source of economy in construction, and also in the saving of time in housing the crop. Three or four barns scattered about the place reduced the risk from accidental fire. One fire could never, in that case, involve stock, crops, and farm implements in one general ruin.

The subject was well handled and

the essay in many points was strong and convincing is its conclusion.

Mr. Dyecknick, differed with the essay in the matter of one barn. Thought the barn should not necessarily be a jumble but sufficiently commodious to comfortably and economically afford shelter to crops, stock &c. In the matter of a pig pen he thought \$10.00 would hardly house piggy with proper comfort.

Mr. McCullough was favorably impressed with the ground the essay took and thought a half dozen barns, for many good reasons, would be preferable to one very large structure.

Mr. Stephen Naggar, favored a large, comfortable barn, and believed the main reason why the barns of our dairies were comparatively small was in consequence of their cows being small. The size of barns was measured by the crop.

A majority of the members favored large barns, by which means to take the risk and bear the expense of housing all under one roof, believing, after the cost of building, that the economy in time, convenience and comfort which the large barns insured for the future, would more than make up all advantages claimed by the small and plenty of barn advocates. Before the members assembled, in the parlor the host had adorned the large mirror over the mantle with a fringe of maroon cloth of corn, both white and yellow, representative of the bounty of crop, good farming and liberal fertilizing had produced. The barn discussion and other matters having been exhausted the members of the club and visitors were invited out to view the barn and other out buildings, stock, lawn and garden, etc. The visitors found, in place of several small barns at stated distances apart, one large commodious, building with a new saw-house attachment, and a warm sheltered yard closed in on all sides except the south, where stock could exercise out of reach of the storm and piercing winds, affording, also ample space to place all the measure under cover, with a running stream of water which kept a large trough always full. This good fortune, however, was in a measure thwarted, in the present proprietor, for the greater part of the structure having been erected before experience dictated that a plurality of barns etc. would be preferable.

A number of fine Jersey cows and heifers, and a registered Jersey Bull, with full points adorned their sleek fawn-colored coats in the doorway Indian manner. A comfortable band of Barksins pronounced their cooled yard, which brought before the mental vision strings of sausages in flaked sweetness long drawn out. In the vegetable garden the scattered remains of an abundant tomato crop lay cumberers of the ground. Long rows of thrifty strawberry and raspberry plants, told of those luscious summer luxuries, smothered in golden Jersey cream, when old Sol is shuddering his brightest rays converting every shady nook into a paradise. After viewing the fine stock, conveniently arranged farm buildings and neatly kept farm yard, the handsome green awarded lawn with its stately trees, the company were invited to

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THE ELECTION RETURNS.

Tuesday relieved a number of anxious souls from the period of intense excitement which is the legitimate consequence of a nomination for a popular election. The office of last public importance was the one on which the most interest centered. This was the office for Clerk of the Circuit Court. The vote for the aspirant candidates for this office is significant and presents a volume for progress in political education.

The little table of gains and losses which we publish, of the vote in the 6th district is most instructive, and will be of more interest to the student of our politics, than any other table that is published. At a future time we propose to take it up and follow its teachings to their logical conclusion.

We have prepared the returns of the County in a condensed form, giving the County vote for the several candidates and the majorities, in lieu of a tabular statement of each district, which owing to the delay in receiving the official vote, the time necessarily required to prepare such a table and wait for the official count, would have delayed very considerably the present issue of the JOURNAL, and besides not one in fifty care to scrutinize columns of figures.

The final results we have given; which show a complete Democratic sweep of the ticket except for Clerk of the Circuit Court. Mr. Davis the Republican nominee is elected by 515 majority, which indicates that he is a hard egg count to run against.

The result in the State is decidedly Democratic by it is claimed, 28,000 majority, inverting Gorman's election to the U. S. Senate for six years more.

For Circuit Court clerkship—Dr. R. R. Crothers, dem., received 2,845, and Jas. A. Davis, rep., 2,585; Davis' maj., 312.

Register of Willis—R. E. Zamar, dem. 3,263; T. P. Jones, rep., 2,440; Zamar's maj., 753.

State Senate—Clanton McCullough, dem. 3,111; J. Randall Bond, rep. 2,502; McCullough's maj., 519.

House of Delegates—Richard L. Thomas, jr., dem., 2,595; J. Granville Richards, dem., 2,601; Alfred B. McVey, dem., 2,723; Hugh M. Cramer, rep., 2,681; C. W. Wilson, rep., 2,773; Thomas Tammann, rep., 2,592.

County Commissioners—Irvine G. Griffin, dem. 3,114; William B. Cook, rep., 2,908; Wm. H. Dehaene, dem., 2,968; Wm. D. Bradford, rep., 2,778; John C. McNamee, rep., 2,778; Wm. T. Byr, rep., 2,584.

Sherriff—Robert Mackay, dem., 2,971; Samuel Johnson, rep., 2,737; Mackay's maj., 231.

Surveyor—Samuel T. Hindman, dem., maj. in 6th dist. 141.

New York and Virginia, round which much interest centered, have gone democratic by "handsome majorities."

Pennsylvania is a Republica by 30,000 majority.

In New Jersey the Republicans retain control in both branches of the legislature.

Games and Losses on Candidates in the 6th District.

	Gained.	Lost.
Davis,	75	51
Crothers	48	81
Jones	1	1
Zamar	71	1
Thomas	9	73
Wilson	62	13
Richards	51	11
McCullough	23	1
Bond	4	24

CONOWINGO ITEMS.

The election is over; the free whiskey has all been drunk, and perhaps, at least we hope so, things will resume their even tenor again. We have had several free fights in our town lately by people whom we believe came here and fight just to give the place a hard name. What we want now is a look up and a lifeline. —Brother Talloway was been among us again, but his preaching seems to have had no effect upon us so far.—We are to have a change in business circles. Mr. Taylor has purchased the stock, pool and mill and fixtures of R. P. McDowell & Son, and will open out in a few days with new goods and a new clerk.—The wreck which occurred at Smith's siding has been cleared away.—Mrs. Caroline Alexander of Pilot Town is the wife, and has the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.—Mr. John Hickey, our constable, came over last evening to make use of his pocket artillery on Monday night last. While returning from a trip to Ferryville, some miscreant threw a heavy ball of wood which came near his head. Mr. Hickey thinks it was intended to kill or disable him, that he might be robbed. If Mr. H. had shot him, some light might have been thrown on the mysterious robberies that are being perpetrated in our country, and not in our country only, several burglaries have been committed in Hartford lately. Mr. Bressinger, at the Tannery near Charleston, had his dwelling robbed of money and silverware, and a coat that Mr. B. brought from the old country forty years ago. The Franklin M. Church was also entered and broken. Henry looks and looks like a victim.—The camp fire Capt. Snow G. A. Post was lit on Saturday last, October 31st, and has now been the order of the evening. Hard Tack was also handed around but was of no use to those who were false teeth, as it was harder than Pharaoh's heart.—Mr. John Smith near Oakwood, has put an addition to his barn and removed the unsightly piles of old fodder stacked near the road, which has marred the beauty of the scenery for so many years.

Mr. Bennett is still at work improving his premises.—The Oakwood debating society at their next meeting will discuss High License vs. Prohibition. We advocate a license so much that Vanderulft couldn't reach it.—Mr. James C. Bell will soon call upon some of the home and show that he is hard running around Conowingo for so long. Mr. Bell distributes about \$500.00 per month and the paper and first companies about \$1000.00 with the railroad and some other sources, making about \$1000.00 per month that is expended in this neighborhood.

NOBODY.

A Superabundance of Poultry.

In driving around our section of country we have noticed, and have heard it remarked by other observing people, that there is an unusual abundance of poultry, particularly turkeys, in the country. On almost every farm there is a large flock, 20 to 50 and in some cases as many as 100. The head of this superior table bird, Chickens and ducks are also plentiful, the past season having been a very favorable one for raising poultry. Now, as the price of pork, beef and other meats is low, and a dullness of business and trade prevails in the cities, there is not only a probability but a certainty that poultry will not command high prices this fall, at the holidays and during the coming winter, with the prospect of overstocked and glutted markets. Thanksgiving and Christmas week would it not therefore be wise for farmers to prepare and gradually work off their stock as early as possible, be satisfied with moderate prices and get out of their poultry

before the "rush" takes place? No doubt the whole country around about and the big West have the usual if not a larger supply and overstocked markets and ruinous prices prevail. The wise farmer, in our estimation, will be he who passes in his turks early. Turkeys sold in the Philadelphia market last week at 30 cents per pound retail and 20 cents at 18 cents.

[The above piece of sage and timely advice is given by the Oxford Press but the farmers will not heed it. They will hold the prices away up to high water mark, prevent home consumption, keep the flocks on till the holidays or longer, feed them larger quantities of grain, and come out with considerably less profit than they could have made in a home market at reasonable prices. A home market is the most profitable of all markets for produce, if supplied at reasonable prices with as much as it will consume. But the sellers generally hold out for city prices declined, nothing but freight risks or shrinkage in weight, which is more than the home market will, or can afford to pay for any considerable amount.]

Opening the Fountains.

In numerous holes beneath the skin is secreted the liquid substance which gives the hair its texture, color and growth. When this secretion stops the hair begins at once to become dry, lustrous, brittle and gray. It is the condition of your hair? If so, Parker's Hair Balsam at once. It will restore the color, give it life by renewing the action of nature. The Balsam is not an oil, not a dye, but an elegant toilet article, highly appreciated because of its cleanliness.

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"Hush, hush, my dear mine," said the kind-looking woman, soothingly. "You must not speak; your mamma is asleep and you might wake her."

So I sat still, wondering weakly who she was and who had sent her there; not presently seeing her stir the fire into a blaze. I forgot her caution, as all my old antiques came back, and I said obediently:

"Don't poke the fire, please. It will burn out too quickly, and we have no coals."

Again I essayed to answer, but was so greatly, yet with such authority ordered to be quiet, that I was glad to obey, so I lay still enjoying the sensation of being not able to think. In a

"It was really a most wonderful
vent, my dear, and reads like a chapter
out of one of those volume novels I sold you

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another, who, by the way, looked quite bright and strong again. "When you

"That is the strangest part of the story, but you won't let me tell it to you properly, my dear. That gentle-

How your name and address brought you home in a cab, sent in a nurse, and everything we wanted, and has been our good angel ever since. He is Arthur Rothlieb, the only son of our Aunt Betsy's old lover, who, after mourning the supposed faithlessness of his old love, married late in life, and was not long been dead, leaving Arthur a large fortune. His astonishment at seeing you with his father's portrait, you may be sure, was very great. However, it was a very lucky thing for us; after all, Aunt Beby's present was not such a poor one. By the way, here it

There was one thing which did not appear to concern my father in the least; but made my pale face flame, and that was the idea of receiving all those benefits from a mere stranger, upon whom we had not the slightest claim, unless the fact that his father, forty

But carefully as I rehearsed it, that eloquent speech was never uttered, nor did I wonder at my mother's willingness to receive benefits from him. He was so lonely, he said, he had not a friend or relative in England, and a

For me—may I confess it without shame—the grateful interest I felt in him soon grew into love, and, ah, happy as my life has been since, can I ever forget that happy evening, when walk-

"If you are too old for marriage at twenty-two, how may I hope with six more years added on, ever to enter

So Aunt Betsy's present saved my

DUTCH RICE.
The finest rice is known as Dutch
and comes from Amsterdam. It is

own in Java and milled and polished in Amsterdam by some peculiar process which American millers are very anxious to learn. The "Dutch rice" has more of its grain, a better lustre, and is

broken than rice milled in this country. Many attempts have been made to learn the Dutch process, but

to guard it with jealous care and have no one in their mills. It is estimated that they use oil, as the rice now confined in a bag for some time, uses the cloth a soft, greasy feeling. Recently the State Department sent a circular to consular officers requesting information concerning the preparation of rice. The Consuls had better luck than other people. They recently reported that the manufacturer declined to divulge the secret, saying it was worth the utmost value for him to preserve it, and that they would furnish the method to their own government. The Dutch rice is worth a quarter of a cent more per pound than other rice, simply because of its appearance; but when cooked it is better than other rice.

American millers are sensitive about

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It is said that the rice should be put into salted water which is boiling. In five minutes the water should be drained off, and the covered pot left twenty minutes longer on the coals.

tion—who would fancy Atlantis must exist a world different from ours, and a description is possible. It was a vast continent lying on both sides of the equator, extending many degrees beyond it in either direction, but much the greater mass being to the southward. It stretched through the torrid zone of both hemispheres, included the entire south temperate zone and most of the north. It stretched from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from Australia to the Arctic. It was a remnant of its former territory. There were many islands contiguous to its northern shores. In that pole there was no land in the modern conviction of Canada, Siberia, Northern

Europe or the British Isles; all were submerged. The spirits of Atlantis now sailed on the planet Mars, and will pass from earth to orbit with the end of each great cycle until reaching out the experience of the entire solar system they consider angels, no longer servants but masters of matter. When Atlantis was down, the northern world, now the center of the highest civilization, rose up, and our world is now marching on to that perfect civilization it will have when the sun is dead. This earth, under the new civilization in this cycle of friction will be greater than that of Atlantis. Then when the cycle ends the spirits of it pass to universes through other planets.

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The Farm.

Alike Clover.

Alike clover is supposed to be a cross between the common red and white clovers. The seed was brought to this country from Sweden. The Alike partakes of the nature of both clovers, and many farmers are adopting this fine variety in place of the old red to a considerable extent. In some parts of the country an insect has appeared in the red clover fields which is greatly damaging the plant.

The Alike is more inclined to vine, and has a much finer stem than the red and farmers who have tried the Alike, universally speak favorably of it. Stock of the Alike are supposed to be very fond of it, deserting the red to graze on the Alike pasture, when a choice is given them. For bees it is superior to white clover, yielding a fine white honey and in great abundance. Every farmer who keeps even a few bees, delights to have a fine yield of delicious, white honey, which with a field of Alike he will seldom fail to receive. In short the Alike is represented to be in most respects equal, and in some superior to the red clover, and for honey, a field of it proves a bonanza. The seed costs about twice the price of red clover seed, but like the white it is small and one half the quantity required of red clover seed, is sufficient of Alike for an acre. The Alike is best sown with the common red or with timothy, those coarser plants serving as a support for the most slender stem of the Alike. The first crop of Alike clover seed. Probably this is on account of the best fertilizing the blossoms of this clover as soon as it appears in bloom. The honey bee cannot work much on the red clover, and the humble bee are the only fertilizers which will fly the long corridors of the red. The latter bees are comparatively scarce till the second crop of red clover is in bloom, when their longer tongues enables them to work on it. We strongly recommend farmers to try a few acres of Alike clover next spring. Four pounds of seed are sufficient, for an acre, and it is advertised for sale at 25 cts. a pound.

Orchard and Garden.

Notes from The Fruit Grower.

It is a good plan to wrap a piece of tarred paper around bodies of trees through winter to keep rabbits away.

Put a teaspoonful of salt close around each raspberry plant, now.

Scatter manure and salt freely on the asparagus beds in the fall.

With all the information we can get, we believe not one half the amount of apples will be exported this as last year, and our advice is not to be in any hurry to sell.

Tomatoes may be had for weeks after a frost, by picking a large quantity green and putting them under any shelter and lay out in the sun to ripen as needed.

If you have an old grape vine that yields poorly and has "green its best days," cut it entirely off close to the crown, manure heavily, and let it throw up two new leaders, and the following year you will see that "it's as good as young."

Severe Pruning.

I often hear fruit growers say, after five or six years of fruit bearing, that they must pull up their peach trees, as the quality of the fruit does not pay. My peach trees have been regular bearers for fourteen years past, especially since I adopted the cutting back plan, which I have done for the past eight years. I cut off all the ends of the limbs from six to nine inches during the month of February, from the 15th to the 25th, every year, keeping the tree compact and low. If center stems show up beyond my reach I top off from two to three feet high. I place hard oak poles around the trees as far as main branches are at all.

Blanching Celery.

Those of our readers who may have more or less celery in their gardens, which is imperfectly blanched or not blanched at all, may easily blanch it perfectly after it is taken up. Lift the plants from the ground, leaving a little soil adhering to the roots. Take common sand barrels, cut about two inches of sand in the bottom and on this place your celery in an upright position. Pack the barrel full, of course putting only one layer in a barrel. Sprinkle the sand before you put the celery in. Then put the barrel in a cool cellar, cover it with boards loosely, so that light is kept out, and in six weeks your celery will be blanched to the tips. Exercise it once in a while and it seems to be too dry and showing signs of wilting, sprinkle it with water. Care must be taken not to wet it too much, as it is apt to produce rot—Orange Co. Farmer.

Ashes for Fruits.

Among the most common and most valuable of special manures I place wood ashes, says Prof. Kettie. The amount of ash and its relative composition vary with the kind or part of vegetable burned, but we may safely take the ash of the body of a peach tree as representing the average composition of wood. One bushel of ashes represents about 24 tons of dry body wood. Wood ashes contain all the required elements of plant nutrition except nitrogen. 100 pounds of wood ash contains 80 cents, 31 pounds of soda worth 2 cents, 67 pounds of lime and magnesia worth 8 cents, and 51 pounds of phosphoric acid worth 26 cents. If we had to buy in market in the cheapest form, the material materials contained in 100 pounds of ashes, the cost would be \$1.16. Can you afford to throw away such valuable materials, or sell them for sixpence a bushel to the soap boiler? No argument is needed; here is the value and there is the selling price. Draw your own conclusions.

Commercial Fertilizers in the Garden.

General or special fertilizers are especially adapted for use in the garden. What we care most to secure in the garden is quick results, and by the use of a good grade of commercial fertilizers the proper manner this can be readily secured. To use them seems to act rather as stimulants, and give the plants increased vigor even when growing in what would be considered good garden soil.

One item of importance in the application of manure in the garden, is to secure that which is sufficiently fast to work well. Garden cultures imply securing the soil in the finest condition possible, and in order to secure this and keep it so, whatever is applied in the shape of manure or fertilizers, should be in a condition to work speedily and be taken up by the soil, and thereby come in reach of the feeding roots of the plants. More upon this account than any other is the use of commercial fertilizers desirable.

Failure of Old Orchards to Bear Good Fruit.

The ground is allowed to grow up with grass and weeds, and this drinks up all the moisture falling on them, so the tree is deprived of its necessary drink. In the first place, after having been taken up by the soil, and thereby come in reach of the feeding roots of the plants. More upon this account than any other is the use of commercial fertilizers desirable.

Planting.

In planting, set early as possible. Rootlets will grow until from roots them. A newly set tree wants all the rootlets it can get. No matter how well we may work the earth in about the rootlet there will be many where earth does not touch, but the growing rootlet pushes in and the earth is in contact over its whole surface.

After each tree has been perfectly filled in the space, ramming is a great benefit. It presses the earth in so that it must touch the roots. It is best to ram such a tree as if it were a post, but if the earth be not well worked in among the roots, ramming may be an injury.

Pruning out some of the branches is often a benefit. It lessens the evaporation till the roots get enough moisture to supply the waste.

Watering trees at transplanting is rather a benefit. In most cases it is an injury, as the earth is taken away from the under surfaces of the roots by the sinking of the water in the soil.

Evergreens planted in exposed places are benefited by screens from the wind where they are likely to suffer. A rare evergreen may often be helped by having a bottomless barrel placed around it.

It is wind, not frost, that is the great enemy to evergreens.

Small things such as large do best planted in fall, if they can be protected from being drawn out by frost.

Plants drawn out by frost, because they are lighter than the thawed earth—the earth and that which is it expanded—sinks first, and the plant gets left. Any light covering above the plant that will keep it pressed down when the thaw comes, is therefore a guard against thawing out.

Roses, and many similar plants that are half-hardy, die in winter only because their juices dry out. Heat down and covered with earth, the evaporation is prevented and the plants successfully protected.

Hypocistis and tulips may be set out in the beds devoted to summer-flowering bedding plants, as they will, in a great measure, be out of flower before the bedding time comes around, when they can be either taken up and transplanted to an out-of-the-way place to ripen, or the bedding plants can be set in between where the bulbs grow, without either much interfering with the success of the one. As a measure for these bulbs, nothing has yet been found superior to well-dressed, sandy soil now, but where this is not convenient at hand, well decomposed surface soil from a wood will do as well.—Gardener's Monthly.

Potash Fertilizers for Fruits.

At the Massachusetts Experiment Station some trials have been made to determine the value of potash fertilizers for fruits. The results are reported as follows by Professor Winthrop B. Stone. Potash fertilizers have decidedly improved the desirable qualities of fruit. However, the per centage of this element has been raised, the change is accompanied by an increase of sugar and decrease of acid. This, it is hardly necessary to say, is an important and desirable change—a matter of dollars and cents. Other things being equal, the fruit with the largest per centage of sugar will bring the highest price.

Moreover, less desirable varieties may be brought up to a higher standard, thus giving value to some good quality as hardiness or prolific bearing. The fact that the quality and character of garden and orchard products can be improved by the effect of special fertilizers is of immense importance in this practical as well as a specific bearing.

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NOTICE.

By the State of Maryland, County of Cecil, I, JAMES J. JAMAR, Register.

ORPHANS' COURT. The State Meetings of the Orphans' Court of Cecil County will be held on the second Tuesday of every month. Executors, Administrators and Guardians, wishing accounts stated, will present accounts to the court on the first Tuesday of the month at their own expense, or at the expense of the estate.

Meetings of County Commissioners. The regular meetings of the County Commissioners will be held on the second Tuesday of every month. Commissioners and officers wishing accounts stated, will present accounts to the court on the first Tuesday of the month at their own expense, or at the expense of the estate.

By order, JOHN R. ROSS, Clerk, Commissioners Cecil County.

FOR SALE, WANTS, & C. Advertisements inserted in this column for one week at 10 cents per line. Indicated letters and figures mean as usual.

FOR SALE—A FARM. Containing 75 Acres, situated in 7th election district. Persons desiring to purchase, for further information address the Midland Journal, or James Harrison, Abingdon, Va. 10-13

WANTED—POTATOES. By James Harrison, at his warehouse, Abingdon, Va. 10-13

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COUNTY NEWS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1885.

MINOR LOCALS.

Have you seen the petition? Annual turkey day is very near. And now the oyster support for the benefit of the Church is in season. A good thing for a good purpose.

A. L. Deyckling & Co. have just received a car load of Bran, Lime, and Salt.

Our friend John E. Wilson, Esq., of Elkton, had a fine crop of buckwheat. The *Appeal* says on 7 acres he raised 150 bushels.

A colored man named George Washington, living about Rowlandville, was adjudged insane and sent to Elkton jail on Tuesday.

The enterprising ladies of Cherry Hill are holding a contest for the improvement of that village, by laying side walks.

The meeting of the Third Quarterly Conference, of Port Deposit M. E. Church, Rev. Charles Hill, Presiding Elder, will be held to-morrow and Sunday.

Wm. L. Mearns, George T. Win, Chester and Charles Cooper were appointed examiners on proposed change in the Principio and Woodlawn roads, in the Seventh district.

There will be preaching in Mount Hope Independent church next Sunday the 15th inst. at 3 p. m. The public are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. R. P. McDowell of Conowingo has sold out his store and calls on his friends who had accounts running with him to settle up.

A young man named Louis Richards of Baltimore, while gunning last week in Elk Neck, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun.

Rev. Mr. Bamford Pastor of Oxford M. E. Church, will preach at Hopewell Church on Sabbath next, 15th, at 10:30 A. M. and at Rising Sun in the evening at 7 o'clock.

And now the Secretary of the Navy is going to build the cruisers "his set". He has borrowed John Roach's tools, and went to work last Monday morning, "hammer and tongs." We'll see.

Robert Love left at the old "curiosity shop," the drug store, a turpentine weighing 45 pounds. The variety is the purple top. He thinks this takes the blue ribbon.

James S. Kirk of Fremont Pa., writes a specimen of the Giant White Staguard rabbit, weighing 10 lb. 7 oz., and measuring 24 1/2 inches in circumference.

The Baltimore Athletic Club held an exhibition at the Academy of Music in that city on Saturday, 7th inst. in which the Famous of Cecil, William L. Cowden, carried off the prize.

The election being over the thunder begins to rumble along the post office, and the candidates stand off in the rain hoping the lightning may strike them.

The annual meeting of the Public School Teachers' Association of this State will be held at the State Normal School, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 24th and 25th.

The frequent rains with which this part of the globe is visited the present fall, have injured the corn in shock and the fodder to some extent—the latter doubtless a good deal—but the heart of the trusting farmer smells with fond expectation and anticipation of the big wheat crop in store for him next harvest. The wheat is growing well, giving the mild growing weather, is giving the wheat a magnificent start.

Liberty Grove, Nov. 10, '85. As I have sold out my store and relinquished business at Conowingo, I will expect all those indebted to make payment.

Respectfully,
R. F. McDOWELL.

A barn and other out buildings in Sassafras Neck, belonging to Robert A. Warren, were burned on last Friday evening. The Mutual Fire Insurance Company of this County had an insurance of \$3000 upon the property.

Nelson Biddle, a carrier employed at Singler's paper mill had a cart load of paper to upset, and one of the falls falling upon him, broke a leg, and otherwise injuring him, his hurt is not considered dangerous.

After three weeks of severe suffering from a complicated disease of the heart, Mrs. Harriet Walmsey, relict of the late Robert Walmsey, died at her residence in Elkton on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Walmsey was in her seventy-second year.

The county Commissioners were in special session last week, and examined witnesses in the case of Jacob P. Markee for damages for a mule in breaking through a bridge in Elk Neck last summer. The claim was rejected.

On the complaint of Jacob Bear, John Carroll, colored, and Saml. Harris, white, were arrested by constable Waring and brought before Justice Taylor on Thursday charged with stealing corn. After a hearing the parties were sent to jail in default of bail.

Duckers licenses paid into the Clerks office for the present season amount to \$617. Licenses for 25 skil boxes and 31 seak boats were taken out. Large numbers of turkeys were killed. Curves bucks sell for \$1.00 a pair and Red heads for 60 cts.

Diphtheria is reported to be prevalent in the neighborhood of Mechanics Valley. A fight between two female teachers of School No. 9, at that place, culminated in closing the school. One has law on her side, through negligence of the trustee, and the other has the patrons of the school and possession.

Charles Riley of the 8th district, an insane person who escaped from Bay View Asylum where he was placed by orders of Cecil County Court, was captured last week and lodged in Elkton jail, by constable Hinkle. Riley is a dangerous character when abroad at sea.

The commission to take testimony in the suit against the B. & O. railroad Co. brought on behalf of the citizens of Port Deposit, on the plea of obstructing the navigable waters of the U. S. by building a bridge across the river without a draw, were to Port Deposit for that purpose this week.

BOWMAN'S book bazaar at Oxford is the place to buy cheap books, good books and standard books, books that are of more value to a family than dollars and cents. Books whose owners are worth to the rising generation which cannot be squandered or stolen. See his ad in the MIDLAND.

A negro woman named Mary Thomas was badly hurt on Saturday at Elkton and it was thought would die. She lived with Robert Alexander, and had an altercation with a white boy about 15 years old, named Thomas Simmons, who lived there, and was indentured to Alexander. The boy struck the woman a severe blow with a brickbat in the stomach. It was thought she would die, but she recovered. The boy will be promptly arrested should the result prove fatal.

A day or two after the woman was about 25.

G. Birdsall Passmore, of Rising Sun, advertised by posters printed at the MIDLAND Job office, a list of second hand carriages, at public sale on Saturday, Nov. 21st, also sleighs.

There is an opportunity for purchasing a good carriage, phaeton, jagger, or sleigh at bargain, at this sale. The machines have all been done up in good order.

W. K. Reekers, deputy clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County, when copying the certificate of the return judge of election preparatory to sending it to the Executive Department at Annapolis, Friday, discovered that they had omitted to state that any person had been elected to the office of county commissioner.

The omission can be remedied by the return judge, within 10 days. If that time expires without the correction being made, the Governor can appoint the new Board.

Robbers and rumors of robberies—mostly rumors—are now the fashion. Some folks who have the bump of the marvelous very largely developed during times of excitement, see a robber in every look, and hear one in the sibilant of every mouse. Every man they pass on the road after night is a foot pad, who attacks them, and they have a narrow escape from being robbed and murdered. There are as many seeing and hearing robbers in this country as there were Charles Kears a few years ago.

The young ladies cooking club held another of their delightful meetings at the home of Miss Carrie Hall yesterday afternoon. The viands prepared were a creditable character, and showed sufficient progress had been made by the ambitious scholars in the culinary art to give them all good reputations as housewives.—Wig.

[Boys, brush up. These young lads will be wanting you pretty soon to provide the raw material for the exercise of their detachable art.]

Among the Clob family, that member known as the "Book Clerk," is one of the most useful. When a purchase of books has been made by the members they are auctioned or sold off, and a new lot purchased. This is a mode of distributing good seeds widely. Colors' enterprising people have such an institution, and on Saturday last the old stock was sold preparatory to getting in new stock of mental pabulum for the winter. They provide fertilizers for the brain as well as for the soil, at that thrifty little village, which is the right way to enrich a nation.

It is all that people are growing wiser and more temperate in this era of the county. Thinking men split their ticks.

Sunday morning at 5 o'clock Capt. O. G. Kidd who was stopping at Mrs. Hannah Gillespie's near Oakwood, was awakened by a shrill whistle and a knock upon the door.

He got up and looking out of the window, saw the flash of a dark lantern. He then awoke W. Gillespie and McVey, who rushed out pell mell, and fired 3 shots after the retreating thieves.

They did not ascertain if it had not been for the "Captain" the house probably would have been pillaged. The thieves also paid another visit to Jno. White's house, but were heard by one of the family and frightened off. It was discovered the next day that the public school house had been forced open and the opposition is that this place was selected as a hiding place in case of pursuit. Nothing was stolen from the school house.

Calves! Calves!

More calves for Barnes. Orders are coming thick and fast for more Cecil County veal. Send the calves to Barnes and carry home the Bald Dollars. Rising Sun Depot.

The Lecture.

In our notice of the Lecture which will be delivered by Bechen Haines Esq., in the Friends Normal Institute school building on *third day*, 21st inst., the types made the notice read "Thursday" when in point of fact the day is Tuesday.

Mrs. Jane Thompson (nee Orr), died Nov. 4th, aged 92 years. She had been a consistent member of the West Nottingham Presbyterian Church for 70 years. Aunt of Alfred B. May, member elect of the House of Delegates of Md. Of the family of "Orin," who settled in Cecil in 1720, of Scotch Irish origin and Presbyterians of the "old school."

LARGE YIELD OF POTATOES. John B. Tyson of Woodlawn raised 2000 bushels of merchantable potatoes on 4 acres the present year. A large yield, but any farmer can equal it if he will learn to plant and cultivate properly. T. B. Terry's little book will teach him how.

BAKERS' MEAL. West & Yerkes will cut sausage meat for the public for 75 cents per 100 pounds, and guarantee the meat to be pure and unadulterated.

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The Eye. This is the most sensitive, and probably the most useful organ of any in the complex human machine, and its diseases and affections are many. The eye has been made a special study by scientists. Recently, and specialists are now enabled to assist nature in preserving the sight, that may have from many causes become impaired. Dr. Morrison of Oxford has turned attention to this class of ailments and proposes to treat persons who will call on him in this branch of his medical work. He may be found at Dr. Darrin's office on Tuesday next by persons who wish to consult him in relation to their eyes. See his card in the MIDLAND.

Rising Sun Literary Society. At the meeting of this Society on Thursday evening Nov. 5, the attendance was fair. The question, *Resolved: That invention has done more for civilization than discovery*, was discussed on the affirmative by Messrs. Reynolds and Haffington, and on the negative by Messrs. Wilson and Passmore. The judges E. R. Haines and L. R. Kirk Jr. decided in favor of the negative. A selection was read byizzie L. Reynolds. The "Gazette" was then read by the able Treasurer Clara C. Wilson. The question—

Resolved: That High License would be preferable to the present Local Option law in Cecil County, was adopted for next meeting. Debaters: Affirmative, Geo. M. Kelliblow, Joseph L. Haffington, Henry Passmore. Negative, Eber S. Wilson, G. W. Reynolds and S. Taylor Wilson. Among the visitors present were: S. Rosine Reynolds, J. L. Craig, E. Bailey and Eli Reynolds. The next meeting of the Society will be held Thursday evening the 12th inst. at 7:45 o'clock.

A number of Subscribers to the MIDLAND ought to be renewed. Send a dollar now as you will some produce and ask your neighbor to subscribe.

ST. MART'S FEMALE SEMINARY. This school is open for the reception of young ladies of all ages and of all nationalities. For further information apply to the Principal, Mrs. Mary C. H. Berry, O. Md.

The next Wilmington Conference of the M. E. church will be held in Elton, March 4th &c.

G. W. Scott, Esq., Annapolis, Pa., says he used about 200 lbs. in the acre of compost made with Fowell's. Prepared Chemicals, for corn and wheat, with very satisfactory results. This economical fertilizer material costs only \$1.00 per ton, a sufficient quantity to make one half ton of complete fertilizer. Address: Brown Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

It is estimated that one-third of all the apple trees in Illinois were killed by cold weather of last winter and spring.

"When John was sick, you gave him Castor's, When she was a child, she used to Castor's, When she became a man, she went to Castor's, When she had children, she gave them Castor's."

"Big Frank" is again in New Castle Jail. Frank mistook his calling.

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Mr. George V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, no believe that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two bottles of Electric Balm, and is now as good as her own work."
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Oats	45
Corn yellow per bush	45
Yellow Corn Chop	48
Hay, Timothy per ton	16.00
Straw, oats per ton	6.00
Wheat	6.00
Timothy Seed, per bush	7
Potatoes per bu. choice	25

COUNTRY PRODUCE.
(Reported by J. B. ROBERTSON.)

Potatoes per bush	50
Butter per lb	20
Eggs per doz	22
Chickens per doz	7

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White Corn Meal, 100 lb	1.15
Yellow Corn Chop	6.15
Folia Wheat	90¢/95
Long-Herry Wheat	90¢/95
White Corn	\$3.00/\$3.50
Yellow Corn	\$2.50/\$3
Oats	29¢/35
Clover Seed, y b	90¢/95
Timothy Seed, y b	1.85¢/2.00
Potatoes, y b	25¢/40
Eggs	21¢/23
Clack County Timothy Hay, 100 lb	1.15
Mixed Hay	\$1.15
Clover Hay	\$1.20/\$1.30
Wheat Straw	\$9.50/10
Oats Straw	\$10.00/10
Rye Straw	\$10.00/11
Wool, unwashed	20¢/23
Wool, washed	28¢/32

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Reported weekly for THE MIDLAND JOURNAL by JAMES RAY, Produce Commission Merchants, No. 54 North Water Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Butter, Potatoes, Eggs, Cheese, and all kinds of Country Produce. Thursday, Nov. 12, 1886.

BUTTER.

Creamery Prints	27 to 28
Dairy	22 to 23
Common Butter	6 to 8

EGGS.

Pa. Del. and Md., "Firm"	27
SHAMPOO FLUENTS	24
Turkey, extra, young	10 to 11
" " poor to medium	10 to 11
" " old	10 to 11
Fowl, extra, young	10 to 11
" " poor to medium	10 to 11
" " old	10 to 11
Chickens, Spring, dry picked	11 to 12

DUCKS.

Live CALVES and STEERS	60 to 62
Cattle, Delaware and Md., prime	60 to 62
" "	58 to 60
Common stock	54 to 56
Sheep, prime	30 to 32
" "	28 to 30
Lamb, extra, spring	4 to 5
" "	4 to 5
Live CATTLE	4 to 5
Hogs, live (20 lbs. off)	10 to 12

AS GOOD FOR THE MONEY AS PEN-TON.

Timothy Hay	16 to 18
Wheat Hay	10 to 12
Oats Hay	10 to 12
Rye Hay	10 to 12
Timothy, per bush	10 to 12
Wheat, per bush	10 to 12
Oats, per bush	10 to 12

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Our articles sold from all the farmers in this vicinity, that they may have where they can procure PEAS, BEANS, other Beans, Hens, or Ammoniated. Also BONE GRASS, STOCK and other valuable FERTILIZERS, at comparing prices.

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As Good for the Money as can be Found Anywhere.

T. T. WORRELL, Rising Sun, Md.

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Stories on the Road.

Conventional Travelers at a Wayside Inn—Something to Put in a Grip-sack.

"Gentlemen, I always carry my position you fill; your experience of the world; your knowledge of business; the changed rights you see, and all that, you know."

This warmly expressed regret fell from the lips of an elderly gentleman, last August, and was addressed to a semicircle of commercial travelers seated on the porch of the London Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

"You," responded a New York representative of the production, "I remember isn't without his pressure, but he runs his risk, he takes his chance, and he is not without his will and stoutest of resolutions."

"What risks for instance?"

"This, for instance," said Mr. W. D. Franklin, who was then traveling for an Eastern house, and is known to merchants in all parts of the country: "The risk which, indeed, amounts to a certainty of diet and water and for having no food for me. I myself was an example. I say now, for I am all right now."

"No dissonant on your digestive?" broke in a Chicago dry goods traveler, lighting his cigar afresh.

"Not a quarter per cent. But I had to give up traveling for a while. The dyspepsia ruined my party. Finally I came across an advertisement of PARKER'S TONIC, I tried it and it fixed me up to perfection. There is nothing on earth, by opinion, equal to it as a cure for dyspepsia."

Months, however, it took of New York, the proprietor, had a letter from Mr. Franklin stating that price fast. PARKER'S TONIC aids digestion, cures indigestion, heartburn, headache, dizziness and all other ailments of the stomach, and is invaluable to all nervous people. It is Parker's reputation as a specialist in the treatment of nervous diseases at once given him a high standing. Sold in all drug stores, or sent in any quantity, on receipt of price—One at low or better for \$1.00. For full particulars, apply to Dr. R. K. Kirk's Drug Store, Rising Sun, Md.

NEURALGIA!

DR. C. W. BENSON, of Baltimore, Md., has discovered that the Extract of Celery and the Extract of Elderberry, when combined in the form of Pills, is the most powerful remedy in the world for all kinds of Neuralgia, Nervous Headache, Headache, Migraine, St. Vitus, and all nervous troubles, as they are directly to the source of the trouble, and are not sent in any quantity, on receipt of price—One at low or better for \$1.00. For full particulars, apply to Dr. R. K. Kirk's Drug Store, Rising Sun, Md.

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A large assortment of TIN SHEET, COIL, GALVANIZED and LAMP WARE, constantly on hand and manufactured to order. Special attention given to

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QUEEN COAL OIL CANNS

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ELECTRIC LAMPS—genuine make—best coal oil lamps in the world.

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To all points by railroad and stage—Stage leaves 8:35 a. m. by Railroad—North—9:40 a. m., 4:20 p. m. South, 10:15 a. m., 1:15 p. m.

RAILROAD AND STAGE.

Trains leave Rising Sun 10:30 a. m. and 1:25 p. m.

Trains leave at 6:10, 10:20 a. m. and 7:20 p. m.

Daily stage and mail line leaves Rising Sun at 6:50 a. m., via Farmington, Principio and Woodlawn to Port Deposit. Returning, leaves Port Deposit 12 m., arriving at Rising Sun at 2:30 p. m.

CHURCHES.

M. E. Church, Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 by Rev. J. Robinson. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:30.

Presbyterian Service held at Normal School Building every second and fourth Sunday of the month, 10:30 a. m., Pastor, Rev. S. A. Gayley.

NEWSPAPER.

JOURNAL—A Weekly Paper, devoted to the news, farm and country affairs. Independent of party. \$1.00 per year. E. E. King, editor and publisher.

SCHOOLS.

Public School, teachers: Barclay Reynolds, Job Haines and H. L. Sheppard.

Normal School, Teachers: President, E. E. King, Barclay Reynolds, Dr. L. R. Kirk, Jonathan Reynolds and Joseph Lincoln.

TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

Dr. L. R. Kirk, M. R. Kirk, H. J. Sheppard, Theodore Garvin and A. L. Deyckins.

OFFICERS.

President, Dr. L. R. Kirk; Secretary, M. E. Kirk; Street Commissioner, Theodore Garvin.

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Officers: President, J. H. Haines; Vice President, J. N. Evans; Cashier, John D. Haines; Director—H. L. Haines, Jas. M. Evans, Jesse M. Kirk, Job Haines, L. R. Kirk, M. D. and Timothy Haines.

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Meets in Library every Saturday.

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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

H. J. Taylor.

CONSTABLES.

Jas. C. Hinesman, D. G. Waring.

NOTICE.

BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE, CHIEF OF POLICE, RISING SUN, MARYLAND.

ORDERED, That all Commissioners, Examiners and Guardians that have not stated their claims within the year, come forward and do the same, or show cause to the contrary, or they will be held in contempt of court.

Test: R. E. JAMAR, Register.

ORPHANS' COURT.

The stated meetings of the Orphans' Court of Cecil county will be held on the second Tuesday of every month. Executors, Administrators and Guardians, wanting their claims stated, will please bring in their vouchers a few days before Court. Test: R. E. JAMAR, Register.

Meetings of County Commissioners.

The regular meetings of the County Commissioners will be held on the second Tuesday of every month. Collectors and assessors are requested to attend or attend by proxy to the meeting of the Board of Commissioners. The County Commissioners will please file the same in the Commissioners' office within the time specified, as no account will be allowed not properly charged to the County Commissioners Cecil County.

FOR SALE, WANTS, & C.

Advertisements inserted in this column for one week and one month. Indicate letters and figures under each word.

FOR SALE—A FARM.

Containing 72 Acres, situated in 7th election district. Persons desiring to purchase, please apply to the undersigned for further information, address the MIDDLEBURY, or James Brown, Rising Sun, Nov. 18.

WANTED—POTATOES.

By James Bates, at his warehouse, Rising Sun, Md., Nov. 18.

D. L. R. W. MORRISON, M. D.

OCULIST.

Office with G. S. Darr, M. D., at the Third Family of every month, from 10 o'clock to 12 o'clock, at P. M. The Clinic gives out to patients of the eye and throat of night. Oct 25-26

COUNTY NEWS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1885.

MINOR LOCALS.

Our shippers are supplying families with New York apples.

Arrived, a car load of choice fresh, sack barn. James Barnes.

Another attempt was made on Jas. E. Haines' house a few nights ago, but the thief was frightened off.

We are indebted to Hon. Jas. Black Grooms for Report of Department of Agriculture for 1883-4.

Mr. W. Grayson is making some repairs and improvements in his stabling and other out buildings.

Barnes has a car load of New York apples for sale. Extra fine fruit. They early. The next load will be higher priced.

If you want a good carriage attend to the sale of vehicles to-morrow, at the carriage shops of G. B. Passmore, in this town.

Thos. W. Nowland, of Port Deposit, will have his annual sale of Sleighs, Buggies, Horses and Farming Implements, on Thursday, the 26th instant.

Pogue's addition to his carriage factory is roofed in and is approaching completion. Mr. C. W. Wilson is carpenter and builder.

The public schools of the county were closed on Wednesday last as a token of respect for the late David Scott, School commissioner.

James A. Lewis and Henry S. Condon of this county, have been drawn as jurors in the U. S. Circuit Court for the District of Maryland, now sitting in Baltimore.

The Maryland State Grange will hold its annual session on December 31st, beginning at 2 o'clock P. M. in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Baltimore.

Edward Brown, a young man employed as timekeeper on the new railroad near Newark, was fatally injured last week while gunning, by the explosion of his gun.

Levi O. Cameron is building a frame dwelling house 34x54 feet in the Queen Anne's style of architecture, for O. P. Clemson, on his farm not far from Baldwin's factory.

Rev. Mr. Robinson of the Rising Sun circuit, M. E. church, has been holding protracted meetings at Hope well church during the past week, with considerable interest manifested.

A great fire occurred at Galveston, Texas, on Friday last which destroyed \$1,500,000 worth of property.

Large contributions are being made throughout the country for the sufferers.

The return judges of election re-assembled last week and conducted their work by certifying that Messrs. Coley, Griffith and Deane were elected County Commissioners at the last election.

\$300, have been contributed to the fund for the benefit of John Keene, who lost his crops by the burning of the barn on Redwood 'Haines' farm last September where place he crupped.

'A surprise party was given to Miss Mary Coulson, on last Thursday evening at her father's residence where a large number of young folks met together. We wish Miss Mary many happy returns.

The invitations are out for a wedding between a former merchant of this town and one of the fair daughters of this end of Cecil county. Ceremony to take place on Wednesday next.

While filling the lamps in the West Nottingham Church on Saturday, the book from which the chandelier is suspended broke, and down came chandelier, smashing lamps, frightening Mrs. James a great deal and hurting her a little.

The winter term of the public school in this town commenced on Monday last, and the pupils were called on for that dollar which admits to our common "free schools."

Paying for things that are free is "rather funny."

The news for tomato canners is good. The grocer pays more for the crop generally very short and the quantity caused this season comparatively small. It is predicted that tomatoes will be likely to sell for \$2.50 a case before next crop comes in.

With the regularity of the planets the seven mail team of Cecil Paper mill drives up to the ware house at the depot in this place at 6:30 in the morning and at 12:30 P. M. Two loads of a paper stock and three tons at a load, is about the daily haul, "Sundays excepted."

Miss Hannah Kirk of Calverly vicinity aged 92 is very sick at present, with little hope of her recovery. She was presented with some new salt tobacco raised by one of her neighbors and it is thought smoking it will be the immediate cause of her present state of nervous debility.

Break November's chilly blast lays field and forest bare, and the mammoth beet and big turnip have come to make people stare. You will find them on the ground floor in the drug store. We are afraid to elevate them to our sanctum. We have no insurance against heavy weights, only fire.

Several gunners from Philadelphia spent the greater part of last week in the woods and fields of this neighborhood shooting rabbits. On Saturday morning one wing of the party took the train at Rising Sun with 50 rabbits, and another party we learned went to Nottingham station to take the train. Rabbits are 40 cents a pair in Philadelphia. Partridges are 25 cent each.

Lightning struck a post office very near last week. Mr. W. F. Fryer was commissioned P. M. at Calverly. Street Brown removed, cause not stated. A new well was put up at the San office which it is supposed detected the current from that place.

The weather bureau predicts another cold passing over about the last of the month, and it is feared that the new red is not heavy enough to conduct the charge to the earth.

Last Saturday we were in Philadelphia, and passing through 12th St. Market inquired the price of some nice picked turkeys and were offered them for 12 cents a pound.

The country is full of turkeys and poultry of all kinds, and the prospect is that the price will be lower in place of higher, especially about the time of the holidays, when a glut may be expected. Pork is low also. 41 cents was the dressed pork.

For want of space this week was compelled to lay over for our next issue the proceedings of November meeting of the Farmers Club, which was held at Mr. Joseph Coulson on Wednesday last. The December meeting will be held at Mr. Jno. W. McCullough's.

Samuel Tash of Harrisville, who recently had an operation performed on one of his eyes, died on Friday last. His disease is said to have been cancer. Undertaker J. R. Taylor, furnished the burial case and attended to the last rites. The interment took place at West Nottingham Presbyterian grave yard. The funeral was largely attended.

The Jersey cows advertised to be sold at Public sale at Fennbrook Farm near Conowingo by Calvin Spence and Dr. S. T. Roman, all have records as butter cows. It is the custom of the place to test all young cows and all that will not make a pound of butter a day are rejected and sold. The cows which will be sold are all tested animals. The sale will be positive and without reserve.

We call special attention to the advertisement of Armstrong & Co. Perryville, this county. The stoves manufactured by this firm have always been deservedly popular. Years ago when the firm had store works at Port Deposit, their stoves stood at the head of the list wherever introduced. The improvements in stoves, heaters and ranges which have been made since, have all been incorporated into their later works, whose superior excellence recommends the goods of this old and popular firm where ever known.

A collision party was given by Messrs. Newton and Irwin McDowell at the residence of W. McDowell, near Calverly, on Wednesday evening last. Kirk's Orchestra furnished music. The party was a very pleasant affair, and twenty eight pairs of hearts beat in unison and twice that many pairs of eyes.

"Looked love to eyes that spake again."

All went merry as a marriage bell."

David Scott, School Commissioner who has been suffering from paralysis for some weeks received another stroke on Sunday morning last, from the effects of which he died. Mr. Scott resided on his farm in the fourth district, this county. His age was 70, and was a man of considerable ability and information, above the average of his class and vocation in life. He gave much attention to political affairs, and in the exciting scenes of 20 years ago played a prominent part. He was intensely loyal during the turbulent days of the rebellion, and a warm active republican politician.

Louis T. Boulden of the second district, residing near Chesapeake City, was almost instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun, on Saturday last. He was in the act of drawing the loaded gun—muzzle toward him—from a wagon, when the hammers caught and fired the gun which caused his death. This same manner of accident is so often repeated in the papers that it is strange that people will continue to repeat the same dangerous experiments. A loaded gun—muzzle toward the person in question was—should never have a loaded shell in the barrel when the sportsman is not in immediate pursuit of the game.

Liberty Grove, Nov. 10, '85.

As I have sold my property and am leaving this place, I will expect all those indebted to make payment.

Respectfully,
R. P. McDowell.

The enterprising Singery of the Philadelphia Record, and Elkhart pulp works, despatching of further appropriations from Congress to deepen the channel of the creek, has set a dredging machine to work on his own hook.

We commenced this week the publication of a series of sketches of travels abroad, in the form of extracts from the Journal of a lady while making the tour of Europe. We promise our readers an agreeable entertainment in these sketches of life and scenes in the old world.

Calves! Calves!

More calves for Barnes. Orders are coming thick and fast for more Cecil County veal. Send the calves to Barnes and carry home the Maryland Dairies. Rising Sun District.

Turkeys and Chickens.

Wanted by James Barnes at Rising Sun depot, mottled and dry picked, delivered on Monday evenings or Tuesdays and Thursdays mornings. All kinds of country produce bought by Barnes.

Entertainment.

These will be held in Zion Presbyterian church, this (Friday) evening. A literary and musical entertainment under the auspices of the "Mission Band." Admission 25 cents. Proceeds for library and Mission purposes.

Killed by the Cars.

William Glass, a colored man was struck by the cars at Perryville on Monday evening and instantly killed. He was running to catch the Port Deposit train and did not see the express train going south, which struck him. He resided at Port Deposit and had a family.

Lancaster County Hogs Dying Off.

A terrible disease has broken out among the hogs in the lower end of Lancaster County. In almost every case it results fatally. In the neighborhood of Quarryville several hundred hogs have died within a few weeks. One farmer lost twenty-three.

Grand Concert, Lecture and Dairy Maids' Reception.

At Heronry M. P. Church, Rocklandville, Thanksgiving night.

Thursday, November 26th, 3 Entertainments in one!

Rev. S. B. Southard, D. D., of Baltimore, will deliver his popular lecture, entitled "Rambles in Europe." Grand Concert by the Church choir and other good talent who have volunteered to assist.

At the Lecture and Concert, the Dairy Maids will hold their reception and serve all present with an abundance of cake and milk.

Admission to all only 30 cents. To begin at 7 o'clock. By order of COMMITTEES.

More and Bigger Turkeys.

William Gibson, who farms for R. P. Passmore brought to the old curiosity shop this week a few specimens of his turkeys crop, the largest of which weighed 6 1/2 pounds. Mr. Gibson raised a large crop of these birds. His ground, before seeding was prepared in the best manner by the use of the Acme harrow. Through preparation of the soil for crops is more than "half the battle" for insuring large yields and the Acme harrow has over all other implements for this work.

Ladies Department.

Our New York Letter.

Special Correspondence to *The Midland Journal*,
Bylines for the *St. James's*.

Band bows keep their place in gentlemen's neck wear.

A favorite style of suspender has the canvas ends faced with English felt.

Gentlemen's garters are no longer laughed at. They are considered as necessary as a night shirt.

Striped satin and silk and velvet lined silks, are used for the most fashionable neckties.

High straight linen collars, "English style English you know" are worn by dukes and fashionable men.

Scarfs are sold under arbitrary names such as "Tock," "Put" and "Flat," having only a slight significance save to the initiated, the furrier and the manufacturer.

The high collars worn at present and burlesqued as the "chin scarf" are quite high, the "neck stretcher" higher still, also the "nose tickler" the coming collar which when it does come, will rise above the ears and almost touch the sides of the nose.

Among humorous fancies in scarf plus the cat with a patch over her eye and the bull dog whose damaged optic is bandaged have had and are having a successful run.

Cork-screw diagonals are the favorite fabrics for Prince Albert or full dress frock coats. Cork-screw and plain diagonals, and what is called the wide Wales diagonal are materials preferred for most business suits.

English homespun and kerseys checks, small and large plaids in Scotch chantlant mixtures are worn for business suits by young men who affect English styles.

The cut-away sack coat with one button only, fastened at the top, is the prevailing style for business suits.

Long New markets and long double breasted over coats of heavy beaver and chinilla cloth, heavy homespun and fritz, Irish linen and Scotch check woolsens of heavy weights are shown for mid Winter wear for gentlemen.

A racoon fur overcoat or long ulster for a gentleman is one of the fur novelties as shown at the Prince Street Emporium of C. C. Shayne (whose confection is far of all others are favorably known to the commerce of two continents.) It reaches almost to the ankles, has a collar that can be raised above the ears and is lined with soft quilted satin. It is called "The Canadian." Another for the most fit for a St. Petersburg or Montreal winter, is a dolman visite of Alaska seal, fringed with tails of the same.

Stockings of softest yet most substantial texture are worn with shoes, which afford ample scope for the exercise of the feet and the support of the figure; and the underwear class is usually of a calico which is sure to preserve intact, the electric forces of the system.

A NEW DEFACETER.

The very latest data concerning style for gentlemen, as treated by our New York Fashion Correspondent will be sent free on application to Hackett, Carhart & Co. at the long established stronghold for clothing of all classes, Crown Broadway and Canal Street. The catalogue and samples, with system of measurement furnished by this reliable firm, cover the ground of every possible requirement.

SIXTHY EARLE

It's many years since the poor world that "lousy duns" with a single "bait" is generally taken, a lady's dress which to do with.

Extracts from a Diary Kept by a Lady During a Day through Europe in 1882.

Special Correspondence to *The Midland Journal*.

PHEASANT.

In the summer of 1881 my father decided that if we arrived until the following summer, to take me with him on a trip across the Atlantic. About a month prior to the time fixed for starting, my cousin also concluded to accompany us. In order to be relieved from as much responsibility as possible, we arranged to travel under the care of Thomas Cook & Sons, who have for years conducted traveling parties all over the world. They secured for us in advance passage on the *Iman Line Steamer, City of Montreal*, which was advertised to leave New York on the 10th of June, 1882. Two days before this time we arrived in this city in order to complete our arrangements for the trip. And on the 10th of June I began to keep my diary. According to our itinerary, ten days only were allowed for the steamer to reach Liverpool, but owing to fear of encountering icebergs at this season of the year, the Captain steered south of the usual course across, which increased the time to twelve days. I shall only be able to trace during this period, giving our experience on ship board.

June 26th—New York, evening.—Arrived here last night. This morning after visiting some of the most interesting places in this city, we went to Cook's ticket office, where we saw a girl strangely attired, whom we felt well worth a conspicuous part in the coming trip.

June 26th—Steamship City of Montreal—Left New York at 12:25 to-day. It was interesting to watch the tug boat, *Edwin M. Mulford*, came up to tow us out. The state rooms came to be well occupied. Over 100 saloon passengers. Dining saloon commodious. Tables at lunch decorated with bouquet flowers. Many have already been seen. Two young men on board are hunted by two young ladies. State rooms are made to accommodate four occupants. We two girls have enjoyed our first day at sea very much. We are now far from land though had thought night is not near.

This morning, Sunday, we had "Church of England" service, conducted by the Captain. After lunch my cousin and I crept into our berths, for the steamer rocked so that we couldn't sit up without getting dizzy. Our room-mate is a school-marm, just as we feared, and she is very ill. Deafening sounds are coming from every quarter.

Another day has passed and we are lying in our berths, not asleep, but just because we feel better there. A girl feels for no further explanation. Rain fell nearly all day, but this evening is fine, we judge, as we catch glimpses of the sky through the port holes. It is Tuesday, and we are at last on deck for the first time since Sunday, feeling weak and out of spirits. But now it is raining and we must go below. When we think of again entering our state rooms our spirits kick to zero.

Morning again and we are on deck, everybody seems better. Some of the gentlemen are trying to pass the time away by playing whist and other games. Mother Gray's chickens are following in the wake of the ship. The water thrown up by the propeller is a lovely blue shade by daylight, but at night it looks like balls of fire. The water was before referred to have broken away from the girls and look relieved. A brigantine square rigged schooner and larkie have passed us today. The deck steward is constantly bringing up meals for the invalids.

A parakeet would make a poor bandstand singer, as my great aunt would call. Little balls on him to start with. (To be continued.)

The Household.

OLDMAN DOGHOUSE. One pound of sugar, three eggs, three ounces of butter or lard, three-quarters of a cup of milk, one teaspoon of soda, two teaspoons of cream tartar, three pounds of flour; roll and cut in rings, fry a light brown in boiling lard.

A DEPENDABLE HOME DRESS.—Cut the remnants of cold beef or roasted chicken in small pieces. Make a sauce of one pint of cream, two ounces of butter, the yolk of one egg, beaten, and a tablespoonful of cornstarch or arrowroot, seasoning with salt and white pepper, a little sugar, one teaspoonful of anchovy sauce and one bay leaf. Put the pieces of chicken in this sauce in a steamed and simmer for half an hour. Stew some rice quite soft in milk, seasoning with salt and pepper. Put the chicken in the center of a dish, place the rice around it as a border and serve.

EGG PIE.—Make two very thin cakes of Indian meal, flour and soda, just as for corn bread, and wet it with sour milk, and bake them in a quick oven. Make a gravy of one tablespoonful of butter, the same of flour, a cup of milk and salt and pepper. When it is boiling, drop in cold, sliced, hard-boiled eggs; leave them in long enough to heat, but don't let them boil up or they will fall to pieces. Butter one of the egg dishes, lay it in a round pan or dish, pour on the gravy and eggs, and lay on the other egg, buttering it on the top and sprinkling on pepper and salt.

In PUTTING up brimble peaches, take four pounds of peeled fruit, four pounds of sugar, and one pint of the best white laundry. Make a syrup of the sugar, by means of water. Let this come to a boil, put the fruit in, and again boil for five minutes. Having carefully removed the fruit, let the syrup boil fifteen minutes longer, or until it thickens well; add the brimble and take the bottle at once from the fire; pour the hot syrup over the fruit, and seal in glass jars. If after the fruit is taken from the jar, a reddish liquor comes from it, drain this off before adding the clear syrup.

AN EXCELLENT salad is made of red cabbage and orelerie (kamb orelie). Boil the cabbage until done in salt and water; in the morning, wash it in quick water. Make a mayonnaise of oil, vinegar, by means of water. Let this come to a boil, put the fruit in, and again boil for five minutes. Having carefully removed the fruit, let the syrup boil fifteen minutes longer, or until it thickens well; add the brimble and take the bottle at once from the fire; pour the hot syrup over the fruit, and seal in glass jars. If after the fruit is taken from the jar, a reddish liquor comes from it, drain this off before adding the clear syrup.

WELSH RAREBIT. The World gives the following recipe for Welsh Rarebit:

Toast thin slices of bread with crust removed. White hot, butter slightly; then dip for an instant in a pan containing melted hot water to half cover the slices. Place on a hot plate, allowing one small slice for each person; sprinkle over a little salt and pour on enough melted cheese to cover them. Rich, neat cheese is best. Serve immediately. Sometimes a little mustard is spread over the toast; again, the toast is moistened with ale instead of hot water. The simple recipe is, however, by one usually preferred.

The Cook gives the following recipe for a Welsh Rarebit: Cut up a quarter of a pound of mild hot Irish American cheese, put it in a saucepan with a pat of butter, place it on the range and stir constantly, until thoroughly melted and free from lumps. Add a wine-glassful of Bass ale when smooth, place a slice of hot, newly-drained bread on a very hot dinner plate and pour the melted cheese over it; send to the table as soon as possible. If it is to be eaten from the plate on which it is served, and if accompanied with a bottle of Burke's light, sparkling pale ale, the epicure is sure to be satisfied. Our recipe is the best.

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Meeting of the Farmer's Club.

The November Meeting of the
Cecil Club was held at Mr. Jos-
eph Coulton's pleasant to appoint-
ment, on Wednesday last, 18th inst.
The meeting was not very well at-
tended by members, there not being
a quorum present, which prevented
the regular order of business from
being taken up. How this unfor-
tunate coincidence of so many members
failing to attend occurred we
could not conjecture, as
the day was one of the best
of the season. Mr. Coulton has a magnificent
farm of nearly 800 acres. The build-
ings are located on a gravelly knoll,
from which a grand view out over the
upper part of Chesapeake bay, and
the famous ducking flats of the Sus-
quehanna is had. The buildings are
large and fine and every thing in har-
mony with an extensive and fertile
farm. The host of the day being as
sagacious, Mr. Coulton was called on to
read that document, but there being
no quorum he pleaded that such a
proceeding would be out of order,
and the matter being further urged
he confessed that he had been remiss,
and had prepared none, but that he
had put a few thoughts together which
he would give the company the benefit
of in a familiar talk. The subject
of conversation was the comparative
profit of grass and grain feed cattle.

The speaker had some misgivings
as to there being any profit derived
from feeding grass cattle, attributing
the cause mainly to the low price of
dressed Chicago beef, which filled the
markets of our large cities. The subject
was discussed pro and con, but the
leading cattle men among the mem-
bers not being present no definite
opinion was reached. The meeting
although informal was a very pleasant
one, and resulted to fair pro-
portionally a number of invited guests.
A serious question arose on account
of no quorum being present, as to
what disposition was to be made of
the most excellent canvas back duck
dinner which had been provided for
the club, but when the hour arrived
for discussing this part of the pro-
gram, a motion to suspend the rules
prevailed, and the subject was taken
up and disposed of in the most satis-
factory and exhaustive manner.

We felt sorry, and are quite sure
Mr. Coulton did also, that the
attendance of members was so few, the
great interest of agriculture, for the
advancement of which the Club was
formed, must suffer to some extent,
when ever those who have its keep-
ing in charge fail to respond to her
call.

The Club adjourned to meet at Mr.
Jesse W. McCullough's on Wednesday
Dec. 16th, and it will be hoped that all
the members will feel it a duty to be
present, and that Mr. McCullough
will not neglect the necessary easy,
and customary essay.

Mr. Coulton has some fine short
horn stock and we have never seen a
nicer lot of Berkshire pigs than punct-
uated the Wood lot adjacent to the
barn, like black dots or periods on
the pages of an agricultural journal.

These are the facts
The present winter is a most critical season
for the farmer. A frost on the 1st of
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ALSO A YEAR IN ADVANCE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1885.

the house and Mrs. Hendricks was summoned down stairs to see a caller. This was the first time she had left his room during the day, as she had refused to see any one before his assertion that he was free from pain dispelled any uncertainties that she had felt about his condition, and when she left him it was with the assurance that she would be absent but a few moments. She was detained longer than was expected, and when she returned to the room she found that Mr. Hendricks was dead. The end had come peacefully and

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appointees whose name comes before the Senate for confirmation? Is he an able man, and will honestly and efficiently administer the affairs of his office. He did not think the question of politics should be considered. "Still," continued the Senator, "President Cleveland has introduced a new element in stating that he would remove no one except for offensive partisanship. To remove an offensive Republican and appoint an offensive Democrat in his place, is, to my mind inconsistent. I will not take that question into consideration when appointments come up for consideration. I will agree with the Administration when I can, and differ from it when I must."

The President is working hard day and night on his message to Congress, and several reports are coming in from the various branches of the Government. General Sheridan's report will be read with special interest, especially his treatment of the Indian question. He puts himself in accord with those who have contended for a humane policy. He is advocated giving the Indians land in severalty as soon as possible, and takes the ground that the army is not the proper body to entrust permanently with the management of the reserves.

A Horrible Murder.

John Sharpless, one of the most prominent Orthodox Friends in Delaware county, was most foully murdered at his farm in Netter Providence township, about two miles from Chester, on the 22nd inst. His farm is located in a lonely road. At nine o'clock at night a strange colored man called at the house while it was raining. He found Mr. Sharpless sitting with his family. He induced him to go to the barn with him for some straw, under the pretext that a carriage, in which were three ladies, had broken down in the road. When in the stable the negro struck Mr. Sharpless on the back of the head with a hatchet, crushing his skull, and killing him instantly. After taking his watch the negro put out the lantern and returned to the house for the purpose, it is thought, of killing all therein—Mrs. Sharpless and the three other women. In reply to a question, he said he wanted money, and advanced toward one of the women, at the same time asking what had become of a young girl, whom he missed from the company. Upon learning that she had gone out, and the colored servant being sent for, the villain left. A neighbor's barn was fired a short time after the murder and burned, with all the crops, farming implements and four head of horses. It is believed by the murderer to distract attention. The body of John Sharpless was found in the stable where he had fallen. \$1,000 have been offered for the apprehension of the murderer, \$500 by the family, and \$500 by the county. A colored man was arrested the next day in Philadelphia by the police who is suspected of the murder. He gives his name as Isaac Lewis, and says he has no home. It is the belief of some persons in this vicinity that this is the same negro who did the robbing in this town a few weeks ago.

The old defenders of Baltimore have almost all passed through the gate to the silent city of the dead. Saml. Jennings aged eighty eight, died last Sunday, but four are living of the band of 1,259 who fought the organization in 1842. The soldiers who fought in the war of 1812-15, but the pensioners are immemorial. Their roll call never grows less, we have heard it stated.

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Oats.....	81
Corn yellow per bush.....	48
" white ".....	50
Hay, Timothy per ton.....	16.00
Family Flour.....	2.50
" wheat ".....	6.00
Timothy Seed, per bush.....	2.50
Potatoes per bush.....	2.50

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Potatoes per bush.....	50
Butter per lb.....	20
Lard.....	7
Eggs per doz.....	7
Chicken per lb.....	7

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Extra Flour.....	2.90@3.15
Family Flour.....	4.00@5.00
White Corn Meal, 100 lb.....	1.15
Yellow Corn Chop, ".....	61.15
Falta Wheat.....	24.00 97
Long-Berry Wheat.....	25.00 92
White Corn.....	2.50 65
Yellow Corn.....	2.50 65
Green Seed, 1/2 bush.....	2.50 90
Timothy Seed, 1/2 bush.....	1.50 00
Potatoes, 1/2 bush.....	1.50 00
Eggs.....	25 90
Extra County Timothy Hay.....	16.00 00
Mixed Hay.....	14.00 00
Clover Hay.....	12.00 00
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Rye Straw.....	10.00 00
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