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W. N. E. WICKES,

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF

LISTER'S STANDARD PHOSPHATE.

This Phosphate, so extensively used, is offered to the WHEAT GROWERS of Kent County at LOWER RATES than heretofore.

THE MERITS of "LISTER'S PHOSPHATE" are so well known and universally acknowledged, that the publication of certificates is deemed unnecessary. Any farmer who has used and tested it is referred to as to its qualities as an IMPROVER, a grain producer, and a great promoter of the growth of Clover, &c.

☞ EARLY ORDERS are solicited.

☞ In my absence, information can be obtained at WICKES & BROTHER'S, and orders left with them will receive prompt attention.

☞ It is in good condition for Drilling. aug21-3m.

PHOSPHATES,

Always in Excellent condition for Drilling,

MANUFACTURED BY

KENNARD & CO.

Our IMPERIAL at $30 time and $28 Cash.
ACIDULATED at $27 time and $25 Cash.

THE ABOVE BRANDS are made to suit the requirements of all farmers; some desire a general mixture, while others prefer a thoroughly acidulated article, and our object being to accommodate all, we therefore prepare our two special brands, and in addition thereto carry a

FULL LINE OF CHEMICALS,

in order to meet any demand for special formulas. These we furnish at Balt. prices.

☞ Our goods have been thoroughly tested, and everywhere have been proven to be equal to any and superior to many of the articles in the market.

We pay no commissions to agents and are satisfied with a small margin ourselves, and hence the low figure at which we sell.

A visit to our Factory will afford you an opportunity to judge of the quality of our goods, and the following persons can furnish any information as to their merit:

Edward B. Jones, Chestertown.	G. H. Leaverton, Lankford.
D. Shriver "	Edgar A. Strong "
William Fprd "	L. A. Kendall "
G. W. T. Perkins "	Capt. John Hadaway "
Geo. S. Biddle "	Comegys Brown, Bakerville.
John N. Usilton "	J. Polk DeCorse "
C. H. Wickes "	Thos. Baker "
Josias Ringgold, Jr. "	Hon. T. A. Hulme "
John Gale Worton.	Daniel B. Neall, Lynch's.
W. C. Stephens "	James W. Skirven "
S. Amos Reed "	John A. Miller "
J. R. Beck "	Geo. T. Williams "
Charles Stephens, Hanesville.	D. C. Blackiston, Masseys.
Dr. Samuel Beck "	J. Scotten "

J. C. Roseberry, Still Pond. July 31, 1880.

B. F. FLEMING,

DEALER IN

LIME, COAL, WOOD, PEACH BOXES,

OYSTERS in the Shell.

FOR SALE—50,000 Peach Crates, bushel and 3 pk. sizes, MANUFACTURED AT THE DEPOT.

MOGEE'S SCHUYLKILL LIME,

MANUFACTURED EXPRESSLY FOR B. F. FLEMING, CHESTERTOWN, KENT CO., MD.

This lime has been used largely by the Farmers in Delaware and Maryland, and is claimed to slake more to the bushel, act quicker, and last longer than any other lime on the market. It frequently pays for itself on the first crop. We refer you to a few who have used it and will testify as to its good results upon their crops:

Rich'd Hynson, Esq	Isaac Parsons,	David A. Smith,	Col. G. W. Spencer,
Jas. A. Pearce "	W. W. Stephens,	R. H. Rouse,	Col. R. C. Johnson,
C. T. Westcott "	Thomas Gale,	Jackson Wickes,	Major B. T. Biggs,
H. W. Vickers "	John Gale,	James L. Beck,	Rev E B Newnam,
Robert Nickolson and 3 sons,	Rev. S. W. Thomas,	T. Romie Strong,	Geo. H. Snitcher,
	W. H. Stewart,	John G. Miers,	Wm. Hurlock,
Jas. Beck, of Geo.	Wm. Morris,	James W. Potts,	and many others too numerous to name.
Purnell Jefferson,	H. P. Smith,	David Hurlock,	

RAMBO LIME.—Persons desiring to use the Rambo Lime will find it to their interest to ascertain my prices before purchasing. jy3-6m.

THE NEW

ONE PRICE, CASH

BOOT & SHOE STORE!

A Complete Assortment of Ladies', Gents', Misses', Boys' and Children's

BOOTS AND SHOES.

☞ Nobby Styles! Best Quality! Bottom Prices! ☜

☞ PRIVATE APARTMENT for fitting Ladies.
☞ Patent Button Fasteners. Plate Heels. Elegant Shoe Polish.
☞ CALL AND SEE US.

T. D. PIERCE,

High Street, Westcott's Block, opposite Bank,

Sept. 11, 1880. CHESTERTOWN.

Piles! Fissure! Fistula!

DR. A. M. WORTMAN,

128 North Eutaw St., Baltimore.

☞ **A RADICAL CURE GUARANTEED OR NO PAY in all the above diseases,**

Without the Knife, Ligature, Caustics, Loss of Time, or Pain.

Nearly **600** cases cured in Baltimore and vicinity alone attest its merits, among whom are some of the most eminent men of Maryland.

☞ *Send stamp for 20-page Pamphlet of names, and read the evidence!*

☞ Among the many prominent citizens of Maryland cured under our treatment we need name but the following: Rev. Dr. D. A. Shermer, Rev. Thos. McCormick, Rev. Prof. Geo. S. Grape, Rev. W. F. Ward, Wm. B. Wilson, (of Wilson, Colston & Co., Bankers.)

Rev. Dr. L. W. BATES, one of the most distinguished ministers of the M. P. Church, wrote and published the following editorially in the *Methodist Protestant:*

"Any in need of his (DR. WORTMAN'S) services may employ him without hesitation. From knowledge of his practice for the past two years, I have no doubt that he will cure nine hundred and ninety-nine cases in every thousand. I speak, not only from personal experience, having been cured by him after twenty-two years of suffering, but also from a knowledge of a host of patients who applied to me as a reference. Out of some twenty-five or thirty cases that came under my observation, through this means, he has not failed in one. L. W. BATES."

☞ OFFICE HOURS from 9 to 5. *Consultation FREE.* mh6-y.

LIME! LIME!

THE undersigned is now selling the best burned

SHELL LIME,

and landing it anywhere on the Chester and Sassafras Rivers, or their tributaries, at low rates for cash or good note on short time. WM. PERKINS.

Chestertown, Aug. 30.

SURVEYING.

THE undersigned having obtained a new set of implements now offers his services as LAND SURVEYOR to the citizens of Kent & Queen Anne's counties.

☞ Orders left with C. H. BAKER, Att'y at Law, will be promptly attended to.—Can be seen in Chestertown Saturday afternoons. Or address

COMEGYS BROWN,
aug7-tf. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

FERTILIZERS.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Invites the attention of Farmers to the following well known Fertilizers, which he is offering for sale on accommodating terms, and at as low prices as the cost of the goods will allow, viz:

J. Q. A. HOLLOWAY'S EXCELSIOR,
J. Q. A. HOLLOWAY'S AMMO. SUPER PHOSPHATE
J. HORNER, JR. & CO'S AMMO. SUPER PHOSPHATE,
J. HORNER, JR. & CO'S DISSOLVED BONES,
G. OBER & SON'S ACID PHOSPHATE,
PERUVIAN GUANO,
KAINIT,

And my own goods, viz:

No. 1 AMMO. SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME,
AND
DISSOLVED BONE PHOSPHATE WITH ALKALINE SALTS.

☞ Orders solicited. a7-10t.

Whitelock's "Vegetator."

AMMONIATED SUPER PHOSPHATE
W. WHITELOCK
TRADE & CO'S MARK
VEGETATOR
BALTIMORE
160
THE CROP PRODUCER.

THIS article has for its base BONES, finely ground and thoroughly dissolved, and is SO RICH

In Fertilizing Properties

as to carry the wheat through the severest winter.

While other manures may produce a good crop of straw, there is nothing on the market that will *uniformly bring the same quantity of Wheat per acre.*

☞ Apply three-fourths only as much as of other brands.

ALSO FOR SALE,
PERUVIAN GUANO, HIGH GRADE PURE DISSOLVED BONES, and ACID PHOSPHATE, very rich.

Chestertown, July 24, 1880.

W. Whitelock & Co.—Gentlemen: In answer to your inquiry I will say that for several years past I have watched the result of your "Vegetator" and have never known it to fail to make a good crop. I bought of Mr. James Brice eight tons last fall and will want twelve tons this fall.
Yours, V. HENDRICKSON.

Trappe, July 24, 1880.

W. Whitelock & Co.—Gentlemen: I will say that I have used some of all the leading Phosphates, and the "Vegetator" I bought of Mr. Jas. Brice has given me the best results all the time. I used twenty tons last Fall and will want about the same this season.
Yours, JOHN BRICE.

Chestertown, July 28, 1880.

W. Whitelock & Co.—Gentlemen: Last year was my first year to use Phosphate and of course every body had the best goods, and I finally settled on three of the best, as I thought. If I had used all of "Vegetator" I would have gotton a much larger crop, judging from what the two tons did that I got through Mr. James Brice.

I shall want more this fall.
Yours, J. B. SAPPINGTON.

Poplar Neck, Aug. 10, 1880.

W. Whitelock & Co.—Gentlemen: For the last 8 years I have been using your Vegetator for wheat, both on fallow and corn land, and propose to do the same in the future. I have used other brands, but as yours has outstripped them all I have left them off. Yours suits my land better than any I have used up to this time. I shall send in my order by Capt. Hadaway in a few days for ten tons of yours.
Yours, R. H. ROUSE.

W. WHITELOCK & CO.,
44 SOUTH ST.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

JAMES BRICE, Agent, Chestertown.
Aug. 14—tN1.

EMORY'S

BONE & POTASH.

THIS article, which has been successfully tested with other high grade Fertilizers, is offered to Farmers at a price which will justify its use.

PRICE: Per Ton, delivered, $32 Cash, $35, with interest on note at 11 months.

For sale by
W. S. WALKER, Chestertown;
G. W. C. SHUSTER, Buck Neck;
THOS. C. MASLIN, Grey's Inn.
aug7-2m.*

SAINT LOUIS GROUND BONE,

GROUND VERY FINE, warranted pure; Dr. Leibig's analysis; in good new bags. Samples sent by mail.

BOWEN & MERCER,
ag7-7t. 72 Exchange Place, Balto., Md.

25,000 Bushels of SHELLS,

To be burned, the Lime from which will be sold cheap if delivered within the next sixty days. This lot will close out the stock of one of the firms for which I am agent. As the next will not be so cheap now is the time to buy.

Delivered anywhere on the Chester or Sassafras rivers.

ag5-3m. WM. PERKINS, Agent.

LIVERY

And EXCHANGE STABLES,

CANNON ST., CHESTERTOWN.

THE undersigned has just opened a large Livery and Exchange Stable, and having a number of excellent vehicles and fine drivers, is prepared to accommodate the public with first-class teams at moderate prices. Orders left at my residence will be promptly attended to.

ag7-tf. CHAS. H. DAVIS.

GARDNER PERFORATED **CHAIR SEATS,** Cheap at LOUIS K. STAM'S, apr3. *Furniture Store.*

THE PRETTIEST and Best Made WINDOW SHADES, to fit any window, cheap at L. K. STAM'S. mh13.

PLATED WARE—Castors, Spoons Syrup Cups, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings, &c., at SPARKS'.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.'S

No. 1 AMMONIATED

Super Phosphate of Lime & Potash

—*COMPOSED OF*—

DISSOLVED ANIMAL BONES, ACID PHOSPHATE, AND SALTS OF POTASH AND SODA;

Guaranteed Not to contain a SINGLE POUND of adulterating Material, but on the contrary Every article used in its manufacture is a FERTILIZER.

PRICE: $32 PER TON CASH. $34 per Ton on Time.

☞ **The Success this article met with last year was such that** I was unable to supply the demand for it; and it is gratifying to be able to say that to-day *it is more highly esteemed by those who used it the past season than it was then.*

So far, wherever there has been a COMPLETE TEST of the value of this goods, as compared with other manufactured goods on the market, by actual measure and weight of Wheat grown by each, that has come to my knowledge, No. 1 has proved itself fully equal to, and in a number of cases better, than other goods costing much more money; in one case giving *Eight Bushels of Wheat to the acre more than* —— —— costing $5 per ton more than No. 1

☞ Please read carefully the letters appended:

CHESTERTOWN, MD., July 20, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.,—*Dear Sir:* In reply to your inquiries concerning your "No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate," I would say that I am pleased with it. It gave me a *much better* yield of wheat than ——— ———, and ——— ———, costing me *five dollars more per ton than yours.* I cheerfully recommend its use, believing it to be equal if not superior to any goods on the market.
(Signed) THOMAS P. DIXON.

CHESTERTOWN, MD., July 16, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.:—In answer to your inquiry concerning your "No. 1 Ammoniated Superphosphate," I would say, that it has given me *entire satisfaction.* I used it by the side of a goods costing me $5.00 per ton more, and applied the two goods on the same field, at the same rate per acre, the land being same quality on which both goods were used. I threshed the two parts separately; the part on which *your* goods was applied gave me *EIGHT BUSHELS OF WHEAT MORE TO THE ACRE* than the other goods; the wheat having, also, a prettier color. I regard your goods as fully equal, if not better, than any on the market.
(Signed) J. E. NEWCOMB.

FAIRLEE, July 15, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* In reply to your inquiry as to the results of your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate, on my Wheat, this last season, it gives me pleasure to be able to say that I am very much pleased with it. I regard it as a No. 1 article.
(Signed) JOHN P. NICHOLSON.

CHESTERTOWN, July 17, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* Your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phophate of Lime has given me complete satisfaction. With its use my yield of wheat was better thans lever had before Your goods is, in my estimation, equal to any on the market *without regard to price.*
(Signed) Yours, J. W. PRICE.

CHESTERTOWN, July 8, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I used your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate on my wheat last fall with other goods costing me five and seven dollars per ton more. I am satisfied that your No. 1 did as well for me as any of them; and regard it as second to no fertilizer on the market for wheat.
(Signed) Yours, respectfully, S. LECATES.

CHESTERTOWN, July 20, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Sir:* Your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate has given me *entire satisfaction.* I used it on my wheat the two past seasons, and am satisfied that it is a first class article.
(Signed) ROBERT NICHOLSON.

CHESTERTOWN, July 24, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I used your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate two years ago on my wheat, and also ——— ———, costing me five dollars per ton more. The results were such, that I abandoned the ——— ———, your goooods doing so much better for me. This last fall I used it by the side of two others, both costing me considerable more than yours. It gave me *much more* wheat than one of these goods, and was fully equal to the other in yield. I take pleasure in saying that I am very much pleased with it. It drills nicely; and I expect to use it again.
(Signed) SAMUEL G. LEE.

CHESTERTOWN, July 24, 1880.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—In reply to your inquiries concerning the results of your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate, which I have used upon my wheat the two past seasons, I would say that the first season I used it, it was by the side of ——— ———, costing me seven dollars per ton more than yours. After cutting and threshing my wheat, I was satisfied that your No. 1 gave me a *much larger yield,* and a *finer, plumper grain.* So marked was the difference, that I discontinued the use of ——— ———, for your goods. Last fall I used it by the side of ——— ———, costing me five dollars more per ton than your No. 1. I applied it at the same rate per acre. After threshing my wheat, I found that your No. 1 had given me 3¾ bushels per acre more, and a fuller, better colored grain. Of course, with these results I am pleased with it, and shall use it again.
(Signed,) Yours truly, E. J. WATSON.

CHESTERTOWN, July 13, '80.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* In reply to your inquiries concerning your No. 1 Ammoniated Super Phosphate, I would say, that I am very much pleased with it. I used it by the side of goods costing me, in one instance five dollars per ton more, and in the other six dollars per ton more than yours—the letter being a goods very popular and of long established reputation. Your No. 1 gave me, I am satisfied, the *largest yield.* I regard it as the *best* goods on the market.
(Signed,) Yours, &c., J. S. TREW.

CHESTERTOWN, July 15, '80.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I have used your No. 1 Ammo. Super Phosphate, for the two past seasons, with *entire satisfaction.* Your goods doing for me much better than anything else I tried, I consider it the best goods on the market.
(Signed,) Yours, JOHN F. COPPER

T. W. ELIASON, JR'S

DISSOLVED BONE PHOSPHATE

With ALKALINE SALTS.

PRICE: $25 per Ton Cash; $26 per Ton, on Time.

☞ **The above article contains no Ammonia, but is RICH in** Soluble PHOSPHORIC ACID and SALTS OF POTASH. Its success last year with a number of our best Farmers far exceeded their expectations; in some cases doing better than higher priced goods. To Farmers desiring to buy an article unammoniated, I recommend this as the BEST and most economical on the market.

☞ Please read letters below:

CHESTERTOWN, July 13, '80.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* The Dissolved Bone Phosphate with Alkaline Salts, which I purchased from you last Fall, and used on my wheat, has given me entire satisfaction. My yield of wheat, from its application, was decidedly better than when I used other goods costing me nine dollars more per ton than yours. I cheerfully recommend its use.
(Signed,) Yours, CHARLES BACON.

CHESTERTOWN, July 13, '80.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I used, last Fall, on my wheat, your Dissolved Bone Phosphate with Alkaline Salts, costing me $24 per ton. It did well for me; and am obliged, in candor, to say, that the results from its use far exceeded my expectations.
(Signed,) J. S. TREW.

CHESTERTOWN, July 17, '80

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I am very much pleased with the results of your Dissolved Bone Phosphate with Alkaline Salts. Its results on my wheat were far beyond my expectations. I shall use it again.
(Signed) J. W. PRICE.

CHESTERTOWN, July 20, '80

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* Your Dissolved Bone Phosphate with Alkaline Salts, costing me twenty-five dollars per ton, has given me satisfaction. The yield of wheat, where I applied it, was *much better* than where I applied ——— ———, a goods costing me fourteen dollars more per ton than yours.
(Signed,) Yours, THOS. P. DIXON.

CHESTERTOWN, July 31, '80.

MR. T. W. ELIASON, JR.—*Dear Sir:* I used your Dissolved Bone Phosphate with Alkaline Salts, last Fall, on my wheat; and am very much pleased with it. It gave me a *much larger yield* of wheat than ——— ———, costing me six dollars per ton more than yours. I shall use it again.
(Signed,) Yours truly, T. S. WILMER.

Wheat Seeding, 1880!

☞ **STANDARD FERTILIZERS,**

MANUFACTURED BY

EDWARD SNOWDEN, Baltimore, Md.

In calling the attention of Farmers to the different brands offered by me, I refer with pleasure to the success obtained by them the past four years, and promise to omit no effort to continue to deserve the confidence of the Agricultural community.

The brands offered this season are

Snowden's Ammoniated Soluble Bone Phosphate,
" *Dissolved Bone Phosphate,*
" " *S. C. Bone.*

☞ For reference I name a few farmers that have used the above goods the last two seasons:

Geo. W. Hatcherson,	J. T. Bowers,	Samuel H. Crawford,	Joseph Massey,
T. Romie Strong,	Jas. H. Baker,	Thos. Rasin, Jr.,	John C. Turner.

☞ Send your orders in early. ☜

JOHN BELL, Agent,
Aug. 21, 1880—7t. Opp. the Bank, CHESTERTOWN.

Tax Collectors' Notices.

TAX-PAYERS OF *SECOND ELECTION DISTRICT.*

For the convenience of the Tax-payers of the Second Election District, I will be at Still Pond the first and third Saturday; at Locust Grove the second Saturday, and at Chestertown the fourth Saturday of each month; the balance of the time at Kennedyville.

As you know the importance you will please settle promptly.

sep25-3m. D. U. DEWEES, Collector.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE. *FOURTH DISTRICT.*

The Tax Books for the Fourth Election District of Kent County are now in my hands. Your taxes are due from the day the assessment books are in the hands of the Collector; they *must* be paid at sometime, and it is just as easy to pay them at an early date as it is to wait. You are all aware that it is my *duty* to collect them, and I don't want to cause hard feelings with any one, but NO FRIEND will receive any indulgence from me whatever, as I cannot pay the levies against me promptly unless you are prompt. Therefore, do your duty and that will allow me to do mine. If you don't want your property advertised please don't disregard this my only notice.

JOHN N. DODD, COLLECTOR
aug14-tf. Fourth District.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS OF THE *THIRD ELECTION DISTRICT.*

The undersigned, Tax Collector for the Third District, respectfully gives notice that the Tax Books are now in his hands; all the bills are made out, and he would be pleased to receipt them. Promptness upon the part of tax-payers is absolutely necessary in order that I may meet my obligations as Collector.

I will be in Chestertown on Tuesdays; at Wm. V. Lucas' store on Saturday afternoons, and on other days of the week at my residence, near Worton Station. DANIEL E. JEWELL,
aug14-2m. Coll. Third Dist.

Legal Notices.

ORDER OF DISTRIBUTION.

The undersigned, adm'r C. T. A. of JACOB SHALLCROSS, late of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, deceased, in pursuance of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Sept. 21, 1880, hereby gives notice that he will on TUESDAY, November 9th, 1880, make an additional distribution of assets which have come into his hands since he passed his former account.

SERECK SHALLCROSS,
Adm'r C. T. A. of Jacob Shallcross.
Sept. 25, 1880—4t.

Ratification Notice.

Mary C. Howard, et al.
versus
Frank H. Worrell, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, September 15, 1880.

ORDERED that the sale of the mortgaged real estate of the late Dr. Frederick Worrell, made and reported by CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twentieth of November next,—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the twentieth day of October next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $12,942 37.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Sept. 18, 1880—4t.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

William Lamb and B. F. Beck,
versus
Elias Deputy, and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, September 15, 1880.

ORDERED, that the sale made and reported by H. W. VICKERS, Trustee in the above case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twentieth day of November next,—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the twentieth day of October next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $4,000.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Sept. 18, 1880—4t.

Ratification Notice.

Thomas C. Bruff and others,
versus
John K. Bruff and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, September 16, 1880.

ORDERED that the sale made and reported by WILLIAM S. KEECH and JAMES A. PEARCE, Trustees for the sale of the Real Estate of the late John K. Bruff, mentioned in the within report, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of November next; Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of October next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $7,110.00.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy,—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Sept. 18, 1880—4t.

WATERS' ORGANS AND PIANOS

THE BEST IN THE WORLD!

☞ If you wish to save 33 per cent. on the dollar buy your Organs and Pianos from New York direct from the factory.

The Waters Organs and Pianos are the best in the market, and a third cheaper if purchased from N. Y. through their general agent, WM. K. JUDEFIND, EDESVILLE, MD. Illustrated catalogues free. Refer to the M. P. Ministry generally; also editors of the Meth. Protestant and Meth. Episcopal, and the thousands who have them in use. sep4-2m.

HAVE YOU A BOX OF

Prof. John R. Smith's

FEVER & AGUE PILLS

IN YOUR HOUSE?

If not ask your Druggist. If he has not got them send to PROF. JOHN R. SMITH, Baltimore Post Office. They will be sent to any address on receipt of 50c.

mh27-6m* PROF. JOHN R. SMITH, Pro.

BUY *YOUR BUGGIES and FAMILY CARRIAGES* from Emmerson Co., the largest Carriage Manufacturers in the world. They can well afford to sell the finest Buggies for $100, that sell elsewhere for $150. For particulars address their agent:

WM. K. JUDEFIND,
sep4-2m. *Edesville, Md.*

DR. C. P. GILPIN,

DENTIST,

Offers his professional services to the public. OFFICE—High st., Chestertown, opposite Masonic Hall. d6-tf.

FINE CHINA TEA SETS, very low, at SPARKS' sell. opp. Court House.

DORA YOUNG.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF BRIGHAM YOUNG'S FAVORITE DAUGHTER—HOW THE MORMON ESTABLISHMENT IS CONDUCTED.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

At the table of one of the principal Chicago hotels recently might have been seen a particularly handsome and attractive looking woman with a complexion of great beauty, abundant golden hair and a set of the most perfect teeth, which shone like pearls when she smiled. She was dressed in extremely good taste in a fashionably made dress of black brocade and satin, with borderings of crimson satin. Her white hands displayed several elegant and costly rings, and her shapely arm was set off to good advantage by the rich lace of her short elbow sleeves. She was a woman who would have attracted attention anywhere by her pleasing appearance and attractive manners. Had it been generally known that this was Dora Young, the favorite daughter of the great Mormon apostle, and one of the seven children who prosecuted to successful issue the suit against his estate, receiving a large amount of money and property, the interest she excited in the minds of observers might have been unpleasantly intensified. Dora Young, until two years ago, was never out Salt Lake City. Until two years ago she scarcely ever saw a book except her school books and the Mormon Bible. Until that time she was a firm believer in the Mormon doctrines. Now she regards the whole system as infamous beyond description. Not only has she been excommunicated by the Mormon church, but she has voluntarily forsaken her early home and connections, and intends making her home in some one of the States. The successful termination of her suit against her father's estate has made her mistress of a handsome competence, and, to use her own expression, she feels like a bird who feels for the first time that it can use its wings beyond the confines of its cage.

Of course all who meet her regard her with a degree of curiosity. One thing surprises them All, that a young woman, scarce more than a girl, who has been born and reared in Brigham Young's harem, should be so entirely at her ease in general society. Her manners are without the least shadow of self-consciousness, and are very pleasant and winning; her use of language is fluent and she expresses herself with great accuracy, correctness and ease. Naturally, all who converse with her are anxious to learn about the peculiar institution, and what the feelings of so gentle and refined a lady must be toward Mormon principles and practice.

In the first place, while abhorring their polygamous doctrines and practices, she has no animosity toward those among whom she has grown up. Her mother was the seventh wife of Brigham Young, and was an elegant and fashionable woman, whom her husband was fond of presenting to strangers or taking to fashionable assemblages. In reply to the questions of some ladies to whom she was introduced, she said: "My mother was devotedly attached to my father. She worshipped the ground he walked. She has never been herself since his death."

"How many wives were in the house which was your home?"

"I was brought up among the wives and children who lived in the Lion house. There were about 17 wives and about 40 or 42 children."

"Did your father notice and seem attached to all his children?"

"He knew and noticed all of them, but he was much more attached to some than to others. I was one of his favorites, and I loved him beyond anything that words can tell. When he died I wanted to die too. He used to come in the evening to hold family prayers in the large room used for that purpose, and if one of the children was missing he would send for it. The statement that is sometimes made, that my father did not know all his children, is false; he knew them all by name, and caressed them all. He used to take me with him in his journeys up and down the territory, and I can assure you I had a nice time. Every indulgence, every attention was lavished upon me. My father had a way when he had anything nice for me of giving me the cutest little wink, and calling me to him with a gesture, saying: 'Look here what I've got for my daughter Dora. Won't we have a nice time?' He was the most magnetic person I ever knew or heard of. Every touch of his hand—and he had a beautiful white hand—was a caress. Ah," said the lady earnestly, "I can feel the touch of his hand to this day."

"So your brothers and sisters all grew up in one house?"

"Yes, we were all one family. The house was just like a large hotel, and we had a school-room built on purpose for us."

"Who took charge and managed for this large family?"

"Well, we generally had a house-keeper, but sometimes one of the wives would. Then there were plenty of servants. It was just like a hotel."

"Did the wives live pleasantly with each other?"

"There was an outward semblance of good will, but in reality the Mormon wives hate each other with a deadly hatred. This alone is one of the most evident evil effects of this dreadful system, this hatred that exists under roofs called homes, which are often perfect hells, and scenes of the most disgraceful quarrels."

PRAYING ON A RACE TRACK.

In the late Hurdle race at Brighton Beach, Coney Island, one of the horses named L. L. was mounted by a lad named Kearns, who had worked around the stables for a few weeks. He had never ridden if but one hurdle race previous to yesterday. When he reached the backstretch L. L. was third in the race. Leaping a hurdle his feet caught in the top and he went over in a somersault, Kearns striking his head first on the track and the horse falling on him. The horses following dashed over the hurdle, while a chorus of "Ohs!" arose from the crowd on the other side of the track. The horse soon rose and walked away, but his rider lay motionless in the dirt. Many thought he was dead, and a string of jockeys, stable boys and idlers started across the field towards the boy. In the line towered the tall form of young Father Dougherty. With the natural love of his countrymen for horse-racing, he had been watching the equine contests. When the Father came to where the boy lay, with his bloody face turned to the sky, and his lilac and red colors covered with dirt, he saw that the boy was insensible and apparently dying. Requesting the jockeys, stable boys and others to kneel down, the reverend father offered up a prayer for the boy, annointing him and performing other services of his church for the dying. The scene was strikingly impressive. Horsemen and riders who had never knelt in prayer before obeyed the request of the Father, their bronzed, earnest and hard faces softening in sympathy for the crushed jockey. All this was unknown to the crowd on the quarter-stretch and grand stand. Shortly afterward a jockey returned to the crowded stretch and remarked to a companion: "I guess Kearns will die, for they all kneeled on the track and prayed for him over there."

WETTING THE ROPES.

When the immense obelisk, which stands in the square of St. Peter's at Rome, was to be erected, it was found that its elevation required the most powerful machinery and the highest skill in engineering. Thousands assembled to witness the achievement, and in order to prevent any interference with the work, the Pope issued a special bull, inflicting a heavy penalty upon any one who should speak before the engineer announced the great work was accomplished and all danger was over. Slowly the massive column rose, as round and round the windlasses were whirled. The crowd pressed in, gazing with silent admiration. It is near to its place—a few feet more—now a few inches only, and it will stand for ages. But suddenly it stops. The strain upon the ropes has been greater than the engineer expected—they relax. They refuse to carry the mass any farther—nay even to hold it where it is. It sways with threatening motion. The crowd is paralyzed with awe—the engineer is beside himself. It is a fearful moment. But hark! a cry. An English sailor, watching the scene, and in his excitement forgetting the dreadful bull, shouts aloud: "Wet the ropes." That lawless order was instantly obeyed. Water was dashed upon the cables. At once they became strong and taut again, and soon the column, which threatened to crush the crowd below, was firmly fastened in its place. It is needless to add that the sailor was pardoned and rewarded instead of punished.

THE entire population of the United States could be provided for in Texas, allowing each man, woman and child four acres of land.

CHORUS OF DEMOCRATS:—
"Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
The saddest is, We must take Ben."

SOUTHERN WAR CLAIMS.

VIEWS OF GENERAL HANCOCK ON THE SUBJECT.

THE GOVERNMENT CAN NEVER PAY A DEBT FOR WAGING WAR UPON ITS OWN EXISTENCE.

Gen. Hancock has written a letter on the subject of war claims in reply to a letter from Theodore Cook, of Cincinnati. The correspondence is as follows:

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 27, 1880.—Gen. W. S. Hancock, Governor's Island—Dear Sir: I enclose slips cut from the *Gazette* and *Commercial*, of this city, both of them newspapers of large circulation and influence in Ohio and Indiana, referring, as you will see, to the much-harped-upon subject in our politics of rebel claims. The newspapers and Republican stump speakers are constantly asserting that if you are elected President the claims of disloyal people of the South for losses sustained in the war will be allowed and paid by the United States. They further direct special attention to the fact that this charge has been made against the Democratic party and that you, its candidate for President, have not denied it. This warfare is made in all seriousness and maintained with great earnestness and repeated day after day in the press and in speeches. You are known to the country as a frank, honest soldier, now the representative of the Democratic party and having a right to speak for it. Whatever you may say the people will hear and believe. I submit the matter to your good judgment as to what you should say or whether you should make any utterance at all.

Very respt'y, yours, THEODORE COOK.

GEN. HANCOCK'S REPLY.

Governor's Island, New York, Sept. 23, 1880. To Theodore Cook, Esq., Cincinnati, Ohio—Dear Sir: Your letter of the 20th instant has been received. I regret that you are disturbed about that bugbear "Southern war claims." The people cannot be misled by it. To suppose that "rebel claims," or claims in the interest of persons who were in rebellion, can in any way or in any degree be countenanced, is an imputation of disloyalty such as used to be made against Democrats even when they were in arms defending the country. So far as it touches me, I denounce it. The government can never pay a debt or grant a pension or reward of any sort for waging war upon its own existence, nor could I be induced to approve or encourage payment of such debt, pension or reward. Nobody expects or wants such unnatural action. To propose it would be an insult to the intelligence and honor of our people. When rebellion was crushed the heresy of secession in every form and in every incident went down forever. It is a thing of the dead past. We move forward, not backward. If I were President I would veto all legislation which might come before me providing for the consideration or payment of claims of any kind for losses or damages by persons who were in the rebellion, whether pardoned or not. In relation to "Union war claims" the government's obligations to its defenders come first. They are lasting and sacred. The public laws of civilized nations do not in general recognize claims for injuries to property resulting from the operations of war. Nevertheless our government has treated with great indulgence the claims for losses and damages suffered by Union men from the military operations of the war of the Union. But as hostilities were closed more than fifteen years ago, claims of that nature—now mostly in the hands of brokers or persons other than the original sufferers—are becoming stale, and, in my judgment, might fairly be considered as barred by the lapse of time, and if hereafter entertained at all should be subjected to the strictest scrutiny.

Yours, very truly, WINFIELD S. HANCOCK.

"CAPITAL" HITS.

Don Piatt, in his Washington *Capital* of the 19th instant, has the following we might say *Capital* hits:

"Maine will vote to-morrow as she shot."
—*Chicago Republican.*

Well, and how did she shoot?

"Maine will start the ball rolling to-day," said Deacon Richard Smith's Cincinnati *Gazette* on election day.

Well, and which way does she roll?

"Maine settles nothing," observed our beloved Halstead on Tuesday, day after the election.

We should say not. On the contrary, it seems to have unsettled pretty much everything.

"Leading republicans of this city are looking forward to the election in Maine to-morrow with confident expectation."—*Chicago Tribune.*

Confident expectation of what?

"We expect to give our readers some gratifying news from the Northeast corner of the Union to-morrow morning."—*Ohio State Journal.*

Well, why in h—ll don't you give it?

"The news from Maine this morning will be a painful surprise to the Republicans of Massachusetts."—*Boston Advertiser.*

Oh! well, you will soon get used to that sort of surprises.

"To-day the Dirigo State will set the Republican example," observed the New York *Tribune.*

Well, do you expect the example to be generally followed?

The saddest feature of the late triumph in Maine is that Samuel Fenton Cary led the enemy. "I don't mind dying," gasped a poor gran