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SPRING FERTILIZERS. A large trade is being made in these fertilizers. From the results of the various SPECIAL FERTILIZERS manufactured by us last spring...

ACME FERTILIZER, No. 1. A Corn Fertilizer for lighter soil, stands high. The increase of Fodder alone will pay for the use of the above Corn Fertilizer.

CLIMAX TRUCK FERTILIZER was used last season by the largest growers of Truck in the county with wonderful success. It is the best Fertilizer for the price on the market.

PEACH GROWERS! Our Fruit Grower in this section of the county, says the six years' use of our FERTILIZER has been entirely satisfactory...

IT IS A WELL KNOWN FACT That FRUIT TREES, of various varieties, Peach, Apricot, Vine, supply the required nutriment to the fruit by their roots...

WE DO NOT GUARANTEE Our Fruit Grower in this section of the county, says the six years' use of our FERTILIZER has been entirely satisfactory...

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FREDERICK FOUNTAIN, Agent, CHESTERTOWN, MD. HORSE - SHOEING New Store--Old Stand!

SAMUEL HICKS, near the Court House, Mrs. D. GRUBER. Gives his Exclusive Attention to HORSE - SHOEING!

WILLIAM PARR'S NEW HARNESS STORE. I have just opened a nice line of Robes, Blankets, Whips, Saddles, Bridles, all kinds of Harness, which I am selling very low...

GENTLEMEN, If you are fond of a Nice Cigar for a Small Price try those of the most successful cigar makers in this county...

THE TWO WILLS.

How a Lawyer Frustrated the Plans of a Designing Woman.

It was the gloomiest of gloomy days. There was not a redeeming feature about it. If it had only rained there might have been music in the drops...

It was just then, before I had ascended to the realms of suicidal purpose—for I walk that way slowly—that the door knob hesitatingly, cautiously turned and I was again very hard to work, pen in hand...

I won't make a diagnosis of just how fast my heart was beating, but peradventure the door would open, and somebody that was somebody would come in.

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"Certainly, madam," I answered, nobly resolving to strengthen the faith within her; and I pulled half a quire of legal paper toward me and thought of the solemn obligation and the weighty formalities of its publication.

"What is to be my husband's name?" she asked. "He has not come out on such a day as this," and she shivered so prettily that I was reconciled with the weather for the first time that day.

"I had'n't better come to your house?" I ventured to suggest. "Oh, no; not now," she answered with a little sigh. "It might excite him too much. But he may be better to-night, and I will send the carriage for you, then. It will not make any difference, will it, about the bill being binding?"

"Well, we want—he wants—to leave all his real and personal property to me, with full power as executor—and I am to take charge of his only child, and make for her such allowance as I shall think wise."

"What is your daughter's name?" "She is not my daughter," she answered, with the slightest touch of gathering animation in her voice.

"Ah, yes; just so," said I, nervously fumbling with the paper. "She's your step-daughter?" "Yes, sir."

SENATOR INGALL'S VIEWS ON DEATH.

His Address in the Senate.

Senator Ingalls delivered the following beautiful eulogy in the U. S. Senate a short time ago on the death of Congressman James Nelson Burns, of Missouri.

Mr. President, these are the culminating hours of a closing scene in the drama of a national life. When this day returns one political party will relinquish and another assume the executive functions of government.

Enterprise of great pitch and moment wait upon the event of the brief interval. While pleasure wanders restlessly through the corridors of the Capitol, hope and fear, ambition, cupiditas, and revenge sit in the galleries, or stand at the gates, eager, like dying Elizabeth, to exchange millions of money for the inch of time upon which success or failure, wealth or poverty, honor or obloquy depend.

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AGRICULTURAL MULTIPLICATION.

How we have always held that many farmers are land poor, that they would make more money if they had less land; that the thorough cultivation of a small farm would produce better results than a large farm poorly cultivated.

"How many acres of land have you?" "One hundred."

"Then you haven't bought more, you had only twenty?" "No, I haven't bought any, I haven't had any given to me, I haven't rented any. Still I claim that I have one hundred acres."

"How do you make it out?" "Just this way. I plowed it thoroughly, utilizing every foot of ground and got an average one acre equal to two. That gave me forty acres."

"Just so." "I then fertilized the land so that one acre produced as much as three did before. That made me twenty acres more, making the total sixty."

"I then practiced persistent cultivation, which I can prove will double the yield of an acre. Twenty acres more, you see, which makes me eighty."

"Yes, and now for the other twenty?" "The other twenty I got by only using the best of seed and by putting brains and system into my work. And to prove that my farm contains 100 acres I am willing to compare results with the average 100 acres anywhere in this section of country. Things equal to the same things are equal to each other, you know."

HE WAS BAPTIZED NORTH POINT BAPTIST CHURCH--The infant son of Mr. Wm. M. Batchelder and the great-grandfather of the late Wm. Batchelder, one of the Old Defenders, was baptized Sunday afternoon in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Holy Evangelist, by the rector, Rev. Carroll E. Harding.

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