

Farmers' Column.



Give fools their gold & knaves their power...

Sunflower Seed for Food.

While the aesthetic wave is passing, the long neglected sunflower promises to rear its stately head in almost every garden.

Another Valuable Jersey Cow for Baltimore County.

Messrs. Watts & Seth have purchased of Thomas Taggart, Esq., of Hagers town, Md., the six-year-old Jersey cow.

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HUMOROUS.

We saw a man with two heads on his shoulder the other day, but he didn't consider it much of a curiosity.

A man sued an Ohio editor for \$10,000 damages and was awarded one cent.

Very soon the balmy rose will blossom in the dell.

Musical Maiden: "I hope I am not boring you, playing so much."

A man who was having a new house built objected when a carpenter proposed to put in a bay window.

"Look here, printer, you have not punctuated my poem at all," said an iraged poet.

"This sweet to court, but oh how thin To court a gal

Supernatural: "Do you believe in signs?" asked the shopkeeper.

"Do you like to go to church?" said a lady to Mrs. Partington.

When a man dies suddenly, "without the aid of a physician," the coroner must be called in.

"Disagree," said the Jurymen, "of course I did. Dye think I'm such a commonplace lunkhead as to have no opinions different from the eleven doctors."

Theological reflection: "Yes, sah," said Brudder Johnsing.

A woman accidentally went to church with two bonnets on her head.

She explained: "I wouldn't be in Egypt," said Mrs. McGill last week.

Just as a girl was about to drown herself at Atkins, Ala., a man caught her.

Luther said, "If a man is not handsome at twenty, strong at thirty, learned at forty and rich at fifty, he will never be handsome, strong, learned or rich in this world."

A commercial traveller, who is something of a wag, thus relates his experience: He and his companion were the sole occupants of the smoking car.

"I wonder where Smith was last night?" said Mrs. S., in a sort of half-soliloquy.

When you feel a cough or bronchial affection creeping on the lungs, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and cure before it becomes incurable.

Miscellaneous Adv.

STEAMER MATTANO.

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For Potomac River Landings stopping at CHAPEL POINT.

SUNDAYS down and WEDNESDAYsup AND AT MATTAWOMAN CREEK

Carriage and Wagon Making and Repairing, ALSO UNDERTAKING

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Mrs M. F. Button, AT FINE OFFICE.

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Give her a call at the Post Office.

IMPORTANT NOTICE To the People of Charles.

Bryantown, is now better than ever prepared to do, with breadth and thoroughness, all work embraced in the GENERAL BLACKSMITHING BUSINESS.

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Local Advertisements.

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COX & DALEY, Proprietors. ESTABLISHED IN 1844

Advertising at usual rates. Liberal reductions from transient rates to quarterly, half-yearly or yearly Advertisers.

The TIMES has a larger circulation than any paper among the intelligent farmers and business men of Charles County, and also circulates extensively throughout Southern Maryland, and is, therefore the best advertising medium in this section.

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Perry, Smoot & Co.,

DEALERS IN Lumber, Lime, Cement, Nails, Shingles, No. 25, Cor. Union & Cameron streets, Alexandria, V

B. F. Peake,

DEALER IN Doors, Sash, Blinds,

Hardware, Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Calc line Plaster, Slate Mantles, Hearths, &c.

Cor. King & Pitt sts, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SEED & FEED.

Clover and Timothy Seed. White Seed Oats, Black mixed Oats, Maine Early Rose Seed Potatoes.

Wheat Bran & Timothy Hay.

For Sale Thomas Perry, Alexandria, Va.

BECKHAM & CO. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 27 King Street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

1882. Spring! 1882. FREDERK PAFF No. 99 King Street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

GREAT ATTRACTION IN SPRING STYLES AT PAFF'S, 99 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

By stock for the Spring and Summer is now in, and I can say without fear of contradiction that it is the finest and best line of BOOTS, SHOES and SLIPPERS

For Ladies, a Gentleman and Children's wear ever opened in the city.

But not lower than the material cost as some House-keepers.

My Manufacturing department IS COMPLETE, AND I MAKE To order anything in my line in a workmanlike manner, guaranteeing satisfaction to every customer.

In addition to my large stock of ready made goods from the BEST NORTHERN FACTORIES I have on hand a large STOCK OF MY OWN MAKE, Boots and Shoes!

Goods with MY NAME stamped on them, made North for me, are good.

Let it be a Fine Boot, Pair of Shoes, Dancing Pump or Winter Boot for farm work CAN BE WELL SUITED AT MY STORE

When you visit the city call and see me, whether you want to buy or not, and I shall take pleasure in showing what I advertise.

Frederk Paff, 99 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA

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R. L. Murdock & Son, Fashionable Tailors, Near Port Tobacco Station.

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REPAIRING, Cleaning, Binding, Coats turned at the shortest notice and cheap.

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NEW DEPARTURE IN THE FLOUR TRADE.

Owing to my DIRECT COMMUNICATION With the CITY MARKETS, I have determined to offer from this date extraordinary inducements to families and others desiring to purchase FLOUR.

I have just received and have in stock 100 BARRELS OF CHOICE FLOUR VARYING IN GRADE, from Super to Family, which I will sell at a great advance of 25 cents on prime cost.

GRO. J. R. HUNTT, Pyya Wharf- oc 15-1f

Washington. Washington.

Wholesale Department.

J. U. O'MEARA, No. 1347 Pennsylvania Ave., near Willard's Hotel, WASHINGTON, D. C.

- REVOLVERS, RAZOR STRIPS, POCKETBOOKS, MACHINE OIL, INDIAN CLUBS, OPERA GLASSES, NAIL FILES, SHOT GUNS, EYE GLASSES, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, CARTRIDGES, POCKET KNIVES, MATH SAFES, CIGAR LIGHTERS, PLAYING CARDS, DICE AND CUPS, SPECTACLES, KEY RINGS, SCISSORS, MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS, COMBS, CLUBS, TRICKS, MAGNETS, CHIPS, RIFLES, STRINGS, WHISTLES.

To the Trade:

We respectfully call your attention to the new addition to our business. Having long felt the need of a wholesale Jobbing House in our City where merchants and dealers can secure goods at New York prices, we have opened a new department exclusively for the trade.

George A. Shehan

EXTENSIVE DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF LUMBER,

Shingles, Lathes, Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c.

Of Special Inducements To Country Buyers. Get Our Prices Before Buying

We sell as low as any other Yard in Washington, Alexandria or Baltimore.

LUMBER YARD, 7th St. S. W. WASHINGTON D. C.



THOMAS E. YOUNG, CARRIAGE BUILDER, 464 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.

HAVING an unusually full stock of every variety of carriages on hand at this time, in order to reduce my stock I will offer for the next few months extraordinary inducements to purchasers.

Frank Linsie, W. KENNEDY & Co. Hardware House.

464 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. WASHINGTON, D. C.

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ARE OF THE BEST AND CHEAPEST AND IN THESE ARTICLES We Defy Competition.

To Our Brands "OAKDALE," "MOUNT SUMMIT" and "TRIPLE-DEW" THE WORLD RENOWNED

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A Fine Assortment of UMBRELLAS Always on hand.

R. A. GOLDEN (Formerly of Charles County.) GROCER, and Commission Merchants,

Cor. 10th and F. Nos. 941 and 918 S. W. Old Stand, Warehouse 931 Louisiana Avenue, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Our Stock before making their purchases. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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