mansion and broad cultivated fields show what industry and civilization have done.

A century has passed, "And yet how slightly changed Is that sweet vale through which the waters glide."

The spring itself is unchanged. It gushes out from the hill-side as pure and fresh as when the son of the forest was wont to slake his thirst hither .-But time is wearing away, and I must on. I am afraid my talk about wind, water and shade, may seem to you light as air.

Much good fencing has been destroyed by the two armies which have recently passed through this section. Much, nay most of this damage has been useless, for cord-wood has been offered the military, if they would only let the rails alone. It is poor encouragement to build up one day what shall be torn down the next. So I am thinking there will be fewer fences, than we are accustomed to see

The utility of "middle fences" has been seriously doubted by many persons within the past few years. Some of the most attentive and intelligent farmers have taken out their "middle fences" sltogether. They claim that it is better to feed cattle in the stall, than let them run in pasture. As by the former method a large quantity of manure is accumulated, which can be put on the land in such places as most need it. And the crops raised from the ground formerly taken up by the fences, amount to considerable at the end of the year. And chiefly a great annual expense in keeping up these alleged useless fences, is by this means saved to the land owner. . The matter is now being thoroughly tested, and in a short period all sensible, practical farmers, can determine for themselves this whole matter. The transport Found &

One cannot help but observe what difficulties the farmers labor under at present, in gathering in their crops and preparing for seed time. Buying horses in place of stolen ones, seems hard at the present time, when there seems to be so little security to property along the Border. Even the old, worn out horses left behind by, or captured from the rebels, are even now being gathered up by Government agents. So that farmers are put to new and fresh trouble. What does it mean? It is supposed that not above half of the usual number of acres will be cown in wheat this falls. I trust, however, that soon the rebels may meet with a final overthrow, and thus restore peace to the land; or, at least, some protection and encouragement be shown the agriculturalists, so that the farms may be as profitably and as largely cultivated as heretofore.

THE TOMB.

DIED-Near Middleburg, August 10th, Jacob, son of Mr. Grafton Swisher, aged 1 year, 10 months and 18 days.

In this place, August 10th, 1863, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. John Wilson, in the 55th year of her age.

Near this place, August 13th, 1863, John, son of Mr. Zadock Wolf, aged 6 years, 8 months and 10

days. Near this place, August 14th, 1868, John W., son of William Green, aged 1 year, 4 mos. and 18 days. In this place, August 14th, 1868, Miss Mary Louisa Allison, in the 23rd year of her age.

Miss Allison was for several years previous to her death, a faithful member of the M. E. Church of this place. She was one of those modest, but christian, whose influence for good, is everwhere felt, more perhaps from a godly example then from any other reasons. She loved her Savior, died for him, and dying praised him. Calm and patient, under severe affliction, lingering for many weeks upon a bed of sickness; fully prepared she quietly awaifed the day when the Bord should call her home: and might well exclaim, "O'grave, where is thy victory?

O death, where is thy sting?"

New Advertisements.

PSTRAY.—Was taken up by the subscriber, festding on the Williamsport turnpike road near the Maryland Line, about four miles isouth of Greencastle, on the 18th of August, a DUN HORSE. about twelve or thirteen years old having three White Feet-no other particular marks. The horse is supposed to have been stolen. SAMUEL OVERCASH. Artrim township, Pa., Aug. 11, 1863

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C. W. Eyster & Co., and containing a few shot heles, was found on the 11th of August, in my lot adjoining town. The bag contained Thirty two Ears of Corn—unhusked. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and I hereby warn all persons from walking or tress-

passing on my property. Any person or persons seen on my premises hereafter, will be dealt with according to law.

WM. H. BROWN.

Greencastle, August 18, 1863-3t. WELLS COVERLY.

DAVID H. HUTCHISON. COVERLY & HUTCHISON Have become the Proprietors of the UNITED STATES HOTEL, near the Railroad Depot at HAR-RISBURG, Pa. This popular and commodious Hotel has been newly refitted and furnished throughout its parlors and chambers, and is now ready for

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great depots in this city. Harrisburg, August 4, 63-3m.

OTICE.—Whereas, letters of Administrateix on the estate of George Bowman, late of the Borough of Greencastle, dec'd, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in said Borough; all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the Estate of said deceased, will make known the same without delay.

SARAH BOWMAN.

June 9, 1868-8t

Administratrix.

Political.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.—Fellow Citizene:—Encouraged by a number of friends, I offer myself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, (subject to the decision of the Democratic Nominating Convention), and would respectfully solicit your support.

J. L. P. DETRICH.

St. Thomas Township, May 4th, 1863. REGISTER AND RECORDER.—
HENRY STRICKLER, of Antrim township, is as candidate for REGISTER AND RECORDER for Franklin county subject to the next Union Nominating Convention, and most respectfully solicits the

pport of all Union men.

make immediate payment.

May 8, 1863. -tc.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. Notice is hereby given that the co-partner-ship subsisting since April 1, 1861, between A. L. IRWIN and JAMES M. IRWIN, of Greencastle, Franktin county, Pa., under the firm and style of A. L. IRWIN & Son, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The Books and Accounts of the late firm are in the hands of A. L. Inwin for collection. All persons indebted to the late firm, are requested to

A. L. IRWIN, JAMES M. IRWIN. Greencastle, May 7, 1863.

The undersigned have this day (May 7, 1863, formed a coparinership, under the name and style of Inwin & Rhoads, and having purchased the whole stock of goods, lately belonging to A. L. In way & Soy, respectfully inform the people of Greencastle and surrounding country, that they will continue the business on the South-east corner of the Public Square, where they invite all persons need ing Hardware, Oils and Paints to give them a call and examine their stock. Most of the goods have been purchased before the advance in prices in the cities, and will be sold greatly below their present value. Persons in need of Building Hardware, can obtain it at this house, cheaper than any where else in the county. Come where you can always get the worth of your money.

JAMES M. IRWIN. Greencastle, May 12, 1863,-if.

NOTICE -Whereas, Letters of Administration with the will annexed, on the estate of William Bratten, late of Greencastle, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in said borough; all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, will make known the same, without delay, to J. B. CROWEL, out delay, to

Admr., with the Will annexed. Greencastle, May 5, 1863-6t.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, doing business under the name and title of T. S. Riley & Co. was dissolved by mutual consent on the 12th day of March, 1863. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the above firm, are requested to make immediate settlement. The books are in the hands of James H. Riley, by whom the business will still be carried on in all its branches.

The firm most respectfully return their thanks to the public for past patronage, and solicit for the present proprietor a continuance of the same.

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[See Reports of Solon Robinson, Esq., of the New York Tribune, and the well-known agriculturist, William Parry, of Cinnaminson, New Jersey, which will be furnished inquirers.]

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The Climate is delightful; the winters being salubrious and open, whilst the summers are no warmer than in the North. The location is upon the line of latitude with northern Virginia.

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Visitors must expect, however, to see a new place. Why the Property has not been Settled Before? cause it has been held in large tracts by families not disposed to sell, and being without railroad facilities they had few inducements. The Railroad has just been opened through the property this season, for Visitors are shown over the land in a carriage.

free of expense, and afforded time and opportunity for thorough investigation. Those who come with a view to settle, should bring money to secure their purchases, as locations are not held upon refusal. The Safest thing in Hard Times, where people have been thrown out of employment or business. and possess some little means or small incomes, is to start themselves a home. They can buy a piece of land at a small price, and earn more than wages in improving it, and when it is done it is a certain independence and no 1388. A few acres in fruit trees will insure a comfortable living. The land is put down to hard times, and all improvements can be made at a cheaper rate than most any other time.

The whole tract, with six miles front on the railroad, is being laid out with fine and spacious aven ues, with a town in the centre—five acre lots in the town set, as from \$150 to \$200; two and a half acre lots, at from \$80 to \$120, and town lots 50 feet front by 150 feet deep, at \$100—payable one-half cash and the balance within a year. It is only upon farms of twenty acres, or more, that four years'

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To Manufacturers, the town affords a fine opening for the Shoe manufacturing business, and other articles, being near Philadelphia, and the surrounding country has a large population, which affords

This settlement, in the course of several years, will be one of the most beautiful places in the country, and most agreeable for a residence

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Large numbers of people are purchasing, and the people who desire the best location should visit the nlace at once, Improved Land is also for sale.

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on the Glassboro' and Millville Railroad. When you leave the cars at Vineland Station, just opened, CHAS. K. LANDIS. Postmaster,

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P. S -- There is a change of cars of Glassboro' .-Also beware of sharpers on the cars from New York and Philadelphia to Vineland, inquiring your business, destination, &c. December 3, 1861-8mos.

for sale by DEITZ & M.DOWELL. Greencastle, April 21, 1863.

Report of Solon Robinson.

THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE, UPON VINELAND SETTLEMENT. The following is an extract from the report

of Solon Robinson, Esq., published in the New York Tribune, in reference to Vineland. All persons can re d this report with interest. Advantages of Farming near Home-Vineland-Re-

marks upon Marl-Soil, its great Fertility-The Cause of Fertility-Amount of Crops Produced-Practical Evidence.
It is certainly one of the most extensive fertile tracts.

n an almost level position, and suitable condition for pleasant furming that we know of this side of the western prairies. We found some of the oldest farms apparently just as profitable productive as when first cleared of forest fifty or a hundred years ago.

The geologist would soon discover the cause of this

ontinued fertility. The whole country is a marine deposit, and all through the soil we found evidences f calcareous substances, generally in the form of indurated calcareous marl, showing many distinct forms of ancient shells, of the tertiary formation : and this marly substance is scattered all through the soil, in a very comminuted form, and in the exact condition most easily assimilated by such plants as the farmer desires to cultivate.

Marl, in all its forms, has been used to fertilize crops in England, from the time it was occupied by

Romans; and in France and Germany a mark bed is counted on as a valuable bed of manure, that can be dug and carted and spread over the field.— How much more valuable then it must be, when found already mixed through the soil, where new particles will be turned up and exposed, and transformed to the owner's use every time he stirs the earth.

Having then satisfied our minds of the cause, they will not be excited with wonder at seeing indubitable evidence of fertility in a soil which in other situations, having the same general characteristics or at least appearances, is entirely unrenumerative except as its productiveness is promoted by artificial fertilization.

A few words about the quality and value of this land for cultivation, of which we have some strong

Our first visit was to William D. Wilson, Franklin township, Gloucester county, who purchased some eight miles north of Millville, about three years ago, for the purpose of establishing a steam mill, to work up the timber into lumber, to send off by the new railroad, as well as the firewood and coal, for which he built a branch track a mile and a half long. He also furnished sixteen miles of the road with ties, and has no doubt made the mill profitable, though his main object was to open a farm, having become convinced that the soil was valuable for cultivation. In this he has not been disappointed, as some of his crops prove. For instance, last year, the second time of cropping, 306 bushels of potatoes on one acre, worth 60 cents a bushel in the field. This year seven acres, without manure, produced 356 bushels of oats. In one field, the first crop was potatoes, planted among the roots, and yielded 75 bushels .-The potatoes were dug, and wheat sown, and yielded 16 bushels; and the stubble turned under and own to buckwheat, which yielded 334 bushels; and then the ground was sown to clover and timothy, which gave as a first crop 21 tons per acre.

The fertilizers applied to these crops were first, ashes from clearings: second, 225 pounds of super-phosphate of lime; third, 200 pounds Peruvian guthen 50 bushels of slaked lime has been spread upon the clover since it was mowed, and turned in

Mr. Wilson's growing crops, and the wheat stubble of the present season, all indicate his land as productive as any part of the State.

At Mary Barrow's, an old style Jersey woman farmer, several miles south of Mr. Wilson's, we were so particularly struck with the fine appearance of & field of corn, that we stopped to inquire of the hires man how it was produced. We found that the land had been the year but one before in wheat, sown with clover, and this cut one season, and last spring plowed once, with one "poor old nag," and planted

"Yes, but you manured high, we suppose?" we said interrogatively, and got this reply: "Wanl, you see, we couldn't a done cant; 'cause we hadn't but forty one-horse loads altogether, for

23 acres, and we wanted the most on't for the truck. The truck consisted of beets, carrots, cabbage, cucumbers, melons, &c., and a very productive patch of Lima beans, grown for marketing. So we were satisfied that the soil was not afertile, even unaided by clover, which had fed the corn, because the "truck patch" had not been in cultivation long enough to

obliterate all signs of the forest. Our next visit was to the large farm of Andrew Sharp, five miles north of Millville, from half to a mile east of the railroad, and just about in the centre of Vineland. Mr. Sharp commenced work here in December, 1858, upon 270 acres. In less than three years, he has got 234 acres cleared and in crops this season, as well inclosed and divided into several fields, with cedar rail or pole fence; has built a two-story dwelling, about 36 by 40 feet, and a smaller house for farm laborers, and a stable and granary and some other out buildings.

Considerable part of the land was cleared for the

plow at \$9 an acre, and on some of it the first crop was buckwheat, limed with 50 bushels in powder per acre. This crop may be put in July 4th to 20th, and yields 20 to 30 bushels per acre, harvested in November; when the land being sowed with 150lbs of Peruvian guano and seeded with rye, yielded 12 to 15 bushels per acre and \$10 worth of straw. The rye stubble turned, after knocking off a large growth of oak sprouts, and dressed again with guano and seeded to wheat, gave 15 or 16 bushels. The crop which he was threshing while we were there promises more, of a very plump grain, and the straw is very heavy.

We went over the stubble, and found the clover and timothy, from seed sowed last spring, on the wheat without harrowing, looking as well as we ever saw it upon any old cultivated farm, and with a little work done in the winter to clear off some roots and rotten stumps, and setting stakes to mark permanent ones, he will be able to cut the crop the next year with a mowing machine, and we will guarantee two lone per acre. if he will give the overplus if it over-

Part of the land was planted with potatoes for a first crop, which yielded 120 bushels per acre. It was then limed with 50 bushels per acre, and seeded with wheat and clover, yielded and average of over 15 bushels per acre, and the clover now looks beau-

Other portions have been planted with corn as a first crop, which yielded 30 hushels of yellow first corn, and the second crop 40 bushels, and the third crop, treated to 1501bs, of guano, we are sure no one would estimate below 40 bushels per acre.

[The reader will recollect that the writer is now

speaking of land perfectly new, and which can carcely be considered in good arable condition -En.]
In other cases, the corn crop of last year was fol-

lowed with oats this season, not yet threshed, but will average probably 40 to 50 bushels. Sweet potatoes, beans, melons, and, in fact, all garden vegetables, as well as young peach and other fruit trees planted this year show very plainly that this long neglected tract of land should remain so no longer, and there is now a strong probability that it will not; for under the auspices of Mr Landis. it will be divided into small lots, with roads located to accommodate all-the surveyor is now busy at this work-and all purchasers will be required to build nest comfortable houses, and either fence their lots in uniformity, or agree to live without fence, which would be preferable, by which means a good population will be secured, who will estab-lish churches, schools, stores, mills, mechanic shops and homes—homes of American furmers, surrounded by gardens, erchards, fields and comforts of civ-

If may one, from any derangement of business, is desirous of changing his pursuits of life, or who is from any cause desirous to find a new location December 3, 1861-8mos.

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UST received a lot of fresh Ground Plaster and believe what we have truly stated, he will do well to go and see for himself what may be seen

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