

THE ALTAR.

MARRIED.—On the 6th instant, by Rev. J. C. Smith, Mr. J. P. Fisher to Miss Kate Appenzeller, both of this place.

On the 20th inst., by Rev. E. Breidenbaugh, Mr. James W. M'Gaughey to Miss Mary J. Kunkleman, both of the vicinity of Bridgeport.

New Advertisements.

20 TEACHERS WANTED.—The Board of Directors of the Antrim School District, will meet at the house of D. Foreman, on Saturday, the 12th day of September, at 1 o'clock, p. m., to employ 20 Teachers to take charge of the different schools of the District. By order of the Board. SAMUEL LESHNER, Sec. Greencastle, August 20, 1863.-3c

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, doing business under the name and title of BARR & NEAD, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 14th day of August, instant. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the above firm are requested to make immediate payment, at the shop of J. W. BARR, by whom the Tinning Business will be carried on in all its branches.

J. W. BARR.
MATTHIAS NEAD.

Greencastle, Aug. 25, 1863

NOTICE TO DEPREDATEURS.—The public are hereby notified that I will enforce the law against all persons trespassing upon my premises. I was willing to allow so much a considerable amount of license on my farm and in my corn patches. But I did not thereby intend to give similar license to *logis soldiers* in and about Greencastle, who are willing to claim a soldier's privileges, but who, under pretense of illness, would *shirk* a soldier's duty. Recently one of these idle and worthless scamps, was acting "old soldier" in my corn patch; being detected in the petty larceny, coward-like, fled in such haste, that he lost his dress military coat in the scoldaddle. He can have the garment by calling for it. But I give him fare warning that it shall not protect him from merited punishment. JOSEPH SNIVELY, Jr. Greencastle, August 25, 1863.-3c

J. W. BARR'S

Mammoth Stove and Tinware Store Room,
A few doors South of the Diamond, Greencastle, Pa. THE undersigned having purchased Mr. Nead's entire interest in the Tinning business, wishes to inform the public at large, that he has on hand, at his extensive Store, COOK, PARLOR AND NINE-PLATE Stoves. Among them are the Continental, Noble Cook, Commonwealth and Charm which he will sell cheap for cash. The very best quality of Tin, japanned and Sheet Iron Ware, in great variety.

SPOUTING

of the best material, for houses, &c., manufactured and put up at the shortest notice. All are invited to call at this establishment, as the proprietor is confident in rendering satisfaction, both in price and quality of his wares. My price shall be low! low!! low!!! Save money by purchasing at headquarters. All work warranted. August 25, 1863. J. W. BARR.

ESTRAY.—Was taken up by the subscriber, residing on the Williamsport turnpike road, near the Maryland Line, about four miles south 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. Antrim township, Pa., Aug. 14, 1863

THE FRANKLIN REPOSITORY is printed on a large Double Sheet of Forty-Eight Columns. Price \$2 per annum; \$1 for six months. M'CLURE & STONER, Proprietors.

REBEL INVASION!—The Franklin Repository published the most complete History of the Rebel Invasion to be found. It also contains an Accurate Map of the Seat of War in Pennsylvania; the Battle Ground of Gettysburg, and the lines of march of both Armies. Price \$2 per annum; \$1 for six months. A few back numbers can still be furnished. M'CLURE & STONER, Proprietors.

PORTRAITS OF OUR HEROES.—The Franklin Repository of the 29th July contains an excellent Portrait of Maj. Gen. Geo. G. Meade, the Hero of Gettysburg, and the number for August 5th contained an admirable Portrait of Maj. Gen. U. S. Grant, the Hero of Vicksburg. Price \$2 per annum; \$1 for six months. M'CLURE & STONER, Proprietors.

TO BUSINESS MEN.—The Franklin Repository has the Largest Circulation of any paper in the State out of the cities, and is the best Advertising Medium in Southern Pennsylvania. Terms reasonable. M'CLURE & STONER, Proprietors.

TO THE FRIENDS OF SOLDIERS.—The Franklin Repository is furnished to Soldiers in the service of the Union at the low rate of \$1 per annum; 50 cts. for six months, or 25 cts. for three months, and mailed in strong wrappers. No more welcome favor can be conferred upon the Defenders of the Old Flag than to furnish them with a loyal Newspaper from Home. Terms cash in advance. M'CLURE & STONER, Proprietors.

FOUND.—A Cotton Two Bushel Bag, marked C. W. Eyster & Co., and containing a few shot holes, 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 take it away.

I hereby warn all persons from walking or trespassing 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 St.

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

The travelling public will find the United States Hotel the most convenient, in all particulars of its Hotel in the State Capital, on account of its access to the railroad, being immediately between the two great depots in this city. Harrisburg, August 4, '63-3m.

Political.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.—*Fellow Citizens.*—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.

PERSONS wanting Tinware, made of extra heavy Tin, will save money by calling at J. W. BARR'S.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership subsisting since April 1, 1861, between A. L. IRWIN and JAMES M. IRWIN, of Greencastle, Franklin 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. IRWIN for collection. All persons indebted to the late firm, are requested to make immediate payment.

A. L. IRWIN,
JAMES M. IRWIN.

Greencastle, May 7, 1863.

The undersigned have this day (May 7, 1863, formed a copartnership, under the name and style of IRWIN & RHODES, and having purchased the whole stock of goods, lately belonging to A. L. IRWIN & SON, 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 needing 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 city, 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,
CHARLES W. RHODES.

Greencastle, May 12, 1863.-1c.

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 the same, without delay, to

J. B. CROWELL,

Admr., with the Will annexed.

Greencastle, May 5, 1863. 6c.

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. T. S. RILEY & CO.

ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,
Snuff and Tobacco Manufacturer,
16 & 18 Chambers Street,
(Formerly Chatham Street, New York.)

WOULD call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz:

BROWN SNUFF.
Macaboy, Demigros,
Fine Rappée, Pure Virginia,
Coarse Rappée, Natchitoches,
American Gentleman, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.
Scotch, Honey Dew Scotch,
High Toast Scotch, Fresh Honey Dew Scotch,
Irish High Toast, Fresh Scotch,
or Lundyfoot.

Attention is called to the large reduction in prices of Fine-Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, which will be found of a Superior Quality.

TOBACCO.
SMOKING. FINE CUT CHEWING. SMOKING.
Long, P. A. L. or plain, S. Jago,
No. 1, Cavendish, or Sweet, Spanish,
No. 2, Sweet Scented Orinoco, Canadian,
Nos. 1&2 mixed, Tin Foil Cavendish, Turkish Granulated.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application. April 21, 1863.-1c.

Important Arrival!

S. H. PRATHER & CO.
HAVE just received a large assortment of NEW

GOODS,
which they will take pleasure in showing to their numerous customers and others. In

Ladies' Dress Goods,
they have:

Lustres, Black Silks,
Delaines, Cashmeres,
Wool Delaines, Plaid Mohair,
Lovelles, French Merinos,
Coburgs, Debeiges.

CLOTHS FOR LADIES' CLOAKS,
Shawls, Nubias, Hoods, Stogots, Hoop Skirts,
Balmoral Skirts, Embroideries, Kid Gloves,
Gauvilles, Collars, White Goods, Black Crpe
Vels, Mourning do., Chemise and Fancy
Head Nets, Lungs Wool Hosiery, (cheap), Merino
and Cotton Hosiery, Ladies' Congress Gaiters,
Morocco Boots and Gum Shoes.

MENS' WEAR!
Black, Blue and Brown Broadcloths, Beaver
Overcoating, Petersham do., Cassimeres, Wa-
bash do., Velvet Cord, Kentucky Jeans, Sati-
netts, Undershirts and Drawers, Soldier Skirts,
Hats, Caps, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Cravats,
Burnside Ties, Domestic Goods, and

BOOTS & SHOES!

FLOOR OIL CLOTH.

WALL PAPER.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND STATIONARY

HARDWARE!

COST!

GROCERIES!

QUEENSWARE.

We respectfully invite all persons wishing to purchase goods as cheap as the times will admit, to call and examine our new and elegant assortment. We have bought our goods for CASH, and we are enabled to sell them upon the same terms, at but a

SLIGHT ADVANCE
on wholesale rates. Remember the place is on the South-west corner of the Public Square, next door to Hollar's Hotel.

S. H. PRATHER & CO.

Greencastle, Dec. 2, 1862.-1c

PURCHASERS
OF
DRY GOODS!!

WE are receiving goods every day from the eastern cities, and have ready for sale, the following list of articles, which we can sell cheaper than sold elsewhere:

Bleached Muslins, White Flannels,
Unbleached " Colored do
Bleached Drillings, Kentucky Jeans,
Unbleached " Corset do
Colored " Satinets,
Canton Flannels, Velvet Cords,
Tickings, Cotton Table Diaper,
Hickory, do do Cloths,
Bed Checks, Crash Towelings,
Shirting Checks, Counterpanes,
Linen Table Diaper, Linen Table Cloths,
and everything in the Domestic line of all qualities and prices.

MENS' WEAR.

Cloths, Gloves, Boys Undershirts,
Vestings, Cravats, Suspenders,
Cassimeres, Handk'fs, Scarfs,
Undershirts, Collars, Boys Drawers,
Shirt Fronts, Drawers, Neck Ties,
Satin Stocks, Hosiery, Kid Gloves,
In this branch we have everything of all styles and prices.

Ladies Department.

Black Silks, Fancy Silks, Plain Silks,
Grenadines, Tissues, Beroges,
Challis, Delaines, Lawns, Ginghams, Brilliants,
Calicos, Traveling Goods, Lustres,
Mohair and Lavella Cloths,
Ducals, Plaids, Poplins,
Chintzes, &c.

and everything to be found among the numerous textures, styles and qualities, from a ten cent Calico to the most expensive silk.

SHAWLS.

Everything new and desirable.

WHITE GOODS!

Cambries, Jacksonets,
Swisses, Linens,
Brilliants, Dimities,
Checks, Stripes.

EMBROIDERIES, &c.

French Muslins, Cambric Linens,
Book Muslins, Victoria Lawns,
Bobbinnets, Mulls,
Blends, Skivvings,
Linings, Fringes,

Laces, Swiss Edgings, Cambric Edgings,
Swiss Insertings, Cambric Insertings,
Swiss and Cambric Flounceings,
French Worked Handkerchiefs,
French Worked Collars and Sleeves,
Infant Bodies, Dimities, &c., &c., &c.

We are satisfied that in the above Goods we have everything to meet the demands of any customer. GLOVES, HOSIERY, GAUNTLETS, VELS, UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, and everything in the Notion Line.

SKELETON SKIRTS.
A superior article always on hands.

The best article of

KID GLOVES,
manufactured, for Ladies and Gentlemen.

Particular attention is paid to each different branch of our business; and we hope by strict attention and reasonable profits, to merit our heretofore liberal patronage, and greatly enlarge our business. T S RILEY & CO Greencastle, Dec 2, 1862.-1c

DR. LA CROIX'S
Private Medical Treatise

on the

Physiological View of Marriage.

250 PAGES and 130 ENGRAVINGS
—Price only twenty-five cents Sent free of postage to all part of the Union. On the infirmities of youth and maturity, disclosing the secret fountains of both sexes of all ages, causing debility, nervousness, depression of spirits, palpitation of the heart, suicidal imaginings, involuntary emissions, bluishings, defective memory, indigestion and lassitude, with confessions of thrilling interest of a Boy and Girl School, a College Student, and a Young Married Lady, &c. It is a truthful adviser to the married and single.

Who contemplating marriage, who entertain secret doubts of their physical condition, and who are conscious of having hazarded the health, happiness and privileges to which every human being is entitled. YOUNG MEN who are troubled with weakness generally caused by a bad habit in youth the effects of which are dizziness, pain, forgetfulness, sometimes a ringing in the ears, weak eyes, weakness of the back and lower extremities, confusion of ideas, loss of memory, with melancholy, may be cured by the author's NEW PARIS AND LONDON TREATMENT.

We have, recently devoted much of our time in VISITING THE EUROPEAN HOSPITALS, availing ourselves of the knowledge and researches of the most skilled physician and surgeons in Europe and the continent. Those who hope themselves under our care will have the full benefit of the many NEW AND EFFICACIOUS REMEDIES which we are enabled to truthfully advise to our practice, and the public may rest assured if the same zeal, assiduity, secrecy and attention being paid to their cases, which has so successfully distinguished us heretofore, as a Physician in our Peculiar department of professional Practice, for the past twenty-five years.

French Female Pills.—Ladies who wish for Medicines, the efficacy of which has been tested in thousands of cases, and never failed to effect speedy cures without any bad results, will use none but Dr. DeLaney's Female Periodical Pills. The only precaution necessary to be observed is, ladies should not take them if they have reason to believe they are in certain situations (the particulars of which will be found in the wrapper accompanying each box), though always safe and healthy, so gentle, yet so active are they.

Price \$1 per box. They can be mailed to any part of the United States or Canada. TO THE LADIES—Who need a confidential medical adviser with regard to any of those interesting complaints to which their delicate organization renders them liable, are particularly invited to consult us. The "Eletero-Galvanic Proctore" —For married ladies whose health will not admit, or who have no leisure to increase their families, may be obtained as above. It is a perfect safe preventive to conception, and has been extensively used during the last 20 years. Price reduced to \$10.

The Secrets of Youth Unveiled.
A Treatise on the cause of Premature Decay—A solemn warning. Just published, a book showing the insidious progress and prevalence among schools, [both male and female] of this fatal habit, pointing out the fatality of the disease, and showing the whole progress of the disease, from the commencement to the end. It will be sent by Mail on receipt of two [3] cents stamps.

Attendance daily, from 8 in the morning till 9 at night, and on Saturdays from 2 till 6 p. m. Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States or Canada, by patients communicating their symptoms by letter.

Dr. L's Office is still located as established under the name of DR. LA CROIX, at No. 31 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y. at 7, 62-ly

VINELAND.
TO ALL WANTING FARMS.
New Settlement of Vineland.

A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.
A Rare Opportunity in the Best Market and Most Delightful and Healthful Climate in the Union. Only thirty miles South of Philadelphia, on a Railroad, being a Rich, Heavy Soil, and Highly Productive Wheat Land; Amongst the Best in the Garden State of New Jersey.

It consists of 20,000 acres of GOOD land, divided into Farms of different sizes to suit the purchaser—from 20 ACRES AND UPWARDS—and is sold at the rate of from \$15 to \$20 per acre for the farm land, payable one-fourth cash, and the balance by quarterly installments, with legal interest, within the term of four years.

The Soil is, in great part, a Rich Clay Loam, suitable for Wheat, Grass and Potatoes—also a dark and rich sandy loam, suitable for corn, sweet-potatoes, tobacco, all kinds of vegetables and root crops, and the finest varieties of fruit, such as Grapes, Pears, Apples, Apricots, Nectarines, Blackberries, Melons and other fruits, best adapted to the Philadelphia and New York Markets. In respect to the soil and crops there can be no mistake, as visitors can examine both, and none are expected to buy before so doing, and finding these statements correct—under these circumstances, unless these statements were correct, there would be no use in their being made. It is considered the best Fruit soil in the Union.

[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 instantly.]

The Market.—By looking over a map the reader will perceive that it enjoys the best market in the Union, and has direct communication with New York and Philadelphia twice a day, being only thirty-two miles from the latter. Produce, this market brings double the price that it does in locations distant from the cities. In this location it can be put into market the same morning it is gathered, and for what the farmer sells he gets the highest price: whilst groceries and other articles he purchases he gets at the lowest price. In the West, what he sells brings him a pittance, but for what he buys he pays two prices. In locating here the settler has many other advantages. He is within a few hours, by railroad, of all the great cities of New England and the Middle States. He is near his old friends and associations. He has school for his children, divine service, and all the advantages of civilization, and he is near a large city.

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. Persons Wanting a change of Climate for Health, would be much benefited in Vineland. The mildness of the climate and its bracing influence, makes it excellent for all pulmonary affections, dyspepsia or general debility. Visitors will notice a difference in a few days. Chills and fevers are unknown. Convenience at Hand.—Building material is plenty. Fish and oysters are plenty and cheap.

Visitors must expect, however, to see a new place. Why the Property has not been Settled Before?—This question the reader naturally asks. It is because 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 the first time.

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 loss. 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 avenues, with a town in the centre—five acre lots in the town, a lot 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' time is given.

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 a good market.

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.

It is intended to make it a Vine and Fruit growing country, as this culture is the most profitable and the best adapted to the market. Every advantage and convenience for settlers will be introduced which will insure the prosperity of the place. The hard times throughout the country will be an advantage to the settlement, as it compels people to resort to agriculture for a living.

Large numbers of people are purchasing, and the people who desire the best location should visit the place at once.

Improved Land is also for sale.

TIMBER.—Land can be bought with or without Timber. The Timber at market valuation.

The title is indisputable. Warranty Deeds given clear of all incumbrance, when the money is paid. Boarding conveniences at hand.

Letters promptly answered, and Reports of Solon Robinson and Wm. Parry sent, together with the "Vineland Rural."

Route to the Land:—Leave Walnut street wharf, Philadelphia, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and 4 P. M. (unless there should be a change of hour,) for Vineland, on the Glassboro' and Millville Railroad. When you leave the cars at Vineland Station, just opened, inquire for

CHAS. K. LANDIS, Postmaster, Founder of the Colony, Vineland P. O., Cumberland Co., N. J.

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 2, 1861-5mos.

JUST received a lot of fresh Ground Plaster and for sale by DEITZ & McDOWELL. Greencastle, April 21, 1863.

Report of Solon Robinson, OF THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE, UPON THE 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 read this report with interest.

Advantages of Farming near Home—Vineland—Remarks 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, in an almost level position, and suitable condition for pleasant farming 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 continued fertility. The whole country is a marine deposit, and all through the soil we found evidences of 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 the Romans; and in France and Germany a marl 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 than 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 unremunerative 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 proof.

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 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, 308 bushels of potatoes on one acre, worth 60 cents a bushel in the field. This year seven acres, without manure, produced 355 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 sown to buckwheat, which yielded 23 bushels; and then the ground was sown to clover and timothy, which gave as a first crop 24 tons per acre.

The fertilizers applied to these crops were first, ashes from clearings; second, 225 pounds of superphosphate of lime; third, 200 pounds Peruvian guano; then 50 bushels of slaked lime has been spread upon the clover since it was mowed, and turned in for wheat.

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 a field of corn, that we stopped to inquire of the hired 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 with corn.

"Yes, but you manured high, we suppose?" we said interrogatively, and got this reply:—

"Waal, you see, we couldn't a done that; 'cause we hadn't but forty one-horse loads altogether, for 23 acres, and we wanted the most on't for the track."

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 fertile, 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,