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Between-Season Bargains

PRICES THAT SAVE

6 qt. Covered Agate Kettles	45c
8 qt. Covered Agate Kettles	50c
10-qt. Covered Agate Kettles	65c
14-qt. Agate Preserving Kettles	50c
16-qt. Agate Preserving Kettles	75c
8 qt. Agate Coffee Pots	45c
3-qt. Agate Pudding Pans	12c
4-qt. Agate Pudding Pans	15c
5-qt. Blue Enamel Pudding Pans	20c
14-quart Agate Dish Pans now	35c
17-quart Agate Dish Pans	40c
4-quart Agate Saucepans	25c
3-quart Agate Saucepans	19c
10c Dust Pans now	6c

Bargains in Brooms

25c Brooms now - - - 20c

18c TABLE OIL CLOTH, 1¼ yds. wide, for 12½c

Best Mixed Tea, per pound	40c
Enterprise Coffee	12c
2 lbs. Best Bread Soda	5c
25c Can Shield Brand Chip Beef for	19c
Washing Soda, per pound	1c
Best Lump Laundry Starch, per pound	3c
3 Bars Ark Soap for	5c
1 Set Screen Door Fittings	12c

Set has 2 spring hinges and screws, 1 porcelain knob, 1 screw-eye and hook.

Tinware

1 Pint Tin Cup	1c
2-quart Covered Buckets	5c
2-quart Milk Pans	4c
2-quart Pudding Pans	4c
3-quart Pudding Pans	4c
4-quart Pudding Pans	5c
6-quart Pudding Pans	8
8-quart Milk Pans	8c
12-quart Milk Pans	12c
10-quart Tin Dish Pans	10c
14-quart Plain Dish Pans	15c
14-quart Block Tin Pans	25c
Large Tin Spoons	4c
Large Iron Spoons	9c
10c Sad Iron Handles, now	5c
2-quart Tin Cups	6c

Toilet Set

Nine-Piece Decorated Chamber Sets full size, handsome decorations, only

$2.19

100-PIECE DINNER SETS, fancy shapes and beautiful decorations.

Fancy Shape Light Weight Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets	$10.00
Our Highest Grade 56-Piece Tea Sets	$ 4.98
56-Piece Tea Sets	$ 3.89

An unusually low price for sets of this grade.

1000 lbs. SOFT BUTTER wanted; do not print it; will pay 14c per pound.

PUMPS

We have just received a large invoice of P. P. Mast Porcelain Lined Pumps, for deep or shallow wells. Prices start at

$3.35

LONGMAN & MARTINEZ

Ready-Mixed Paints

We are agents for the Longman & Martinez Ready-Mixed Paints, the best for the least money on the market. Satisfaction guaranteed. Actual cost about $1.25 per gallon.

F. H. Harper & Son,
STILL POND, MARYLAND.

ROCK HALL NOTES.

The heavy rains of the early part of the week was a knock out for "we'uns."

Times are so brisk (?) these days that some of our merchants are unable to supply the demand for commodities. Not so with Crew, the hustler. He's the "stuff," closed or open season.

Very little interest was manifested among our people regarding the arrival of the remains of John Paul Jones at Annapolis. Gullible? Yes, but not on the J. P. J, that the Brooklyn brought up the bay.

The reports about black rust and other alleged causes for the rise and fall of wheat prices keeps very many in a frenzy. My! wouldn't it be nice if all liars about crops could be buried beyond any resurrection?

Rev. Mr. Burr was taken quite sick on Thursday of last week and was unable to fill the Smyrna M. E. pulpit on Sunday. He is much better at this writing. Mr. Burr is hard worked on this charge and the good brethren ought to give him a fortnight's vacation.

For the first time since the establishment of G. E. Leary & Sons factory, in 1870, a strike among the employes occurred a few days ago. Because of a reduction in the price for making baskets, the nailers quit work. Many of these nailers had been in the employ of the Messrs. Leary for many years. Their places, however, have nearly all been filled by new hands and the work goes smoothly on.

Capt. S. D. Sewell, after three weeks of unharnessed and free and easy life at the home of his parents, Captain and Mrs. G. T. Sewell, returned to the city this week to resume his duties as tugboat master. Sam has been in a state of impaired health for three years, and in that time has spent about $3,000 for doctors and medicines and nothing bettered. His stay at the paternal home, under the old mother's care, has been of great benefit to him and he is now much improved.

Under government appropriation, our harbor is again being dredged. Whether this will be productive of good remains to be proven. Certainly all former work of the kind has been of very little good to the general public. On the other hand, it is claimed that very much injury was done to our oyster bars. On the last occasion the harbor was deepened the mud was dumped upon or too near the bars. It is hoped that a good lookout will be had this time that no further injury be done the oysters.

AFTER eight years of unprecedented success and increase in the volume of business, which has necessitated the building of no less than five additions to the original five-story structure occupied by it, the firm of Hochschild, Kohn & Co., Baltimore, is once more forced by their immensely increased volume of trade to seek more floor space for their stock, and have purchased the stock and good will of the business, as well as the three story building occupied by The Charles Simon's Sons' Company, at 208 North Howard street. The price paid has not been made public by either party to the sale, but it is understood to be a large one.

MR. CARL M. LYNCH, of Chestertown, has sold his fine 3-year-old colt to R. Groome Parks, Esq., for $125. Mr. Parks has since sold to Mr. Brock.

H. H. BENEMAN, Millington, has cut the prices way down on all his clothing and all summer goods.

FOR good shoes and at lowest prices go to H. H. Beneman, Millington.

Still Pond Feed and Implement Company

ANNOUNCEMENT

HAVING purchased from the Canning and Mercantile Co. their Still Pond Plant, we wish to announce that it is our purpose to conduct a FEED and IMPLEMENT business there, the feed business having been turned over to us at once.

On August 1st we will have full possession of the warehouse, giving us full space for the display of implements. In the meantime, however, we have a part of the building and are prepared to furnish a full line:

Vulcan Plows and Castings,
Genuine Oliver Plows and Castings,
Syracuse Plows and Castings,
Acme Harrows,
Rollers, Etc., Etc.

—THE—

Hoosier Drill

Simple. Feeds free and no corroding of cups.

Courtland Carriages .....and Runabouts.....

We received invoice on July 7th for line of these well known carriages, which are expected in any day.

"See our Runabouts at $42.50."
Worth examining.

Full line AMERICAN FENCE on hand about August 1st.

Hague, Hackett & Turner
STILL POND, MD.

MASSEY NOTES.

Mr. John Price and Mr. John Price, Jr., took a trip to Atlantic City.

Messrs. Thomas Dunn, A. H. Malsberger, Thomas Massey, H. B. Massey, Samuel Pennock and J. T. Shallcross gathered up a party and went to Betterton on Thursday to see the baseball game. The score was 10 to 2 in favor of Betterton.

Mr. Huey Malsberger has left here for Washington, D. C., where he will spend his vacation.

Miss Margaret Ware, who has been visiting Rev. A. Ware, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mr. R. Smyth, the carpenter, has his new cottage on Boardwalk avenue about completed.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosin are entertaining a house party, of Philadelphia relatives at their beautiful home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tarbutton and two sons left on Monday morning on a coaching party, thence they will visit relatives in lower Kent and Queen Anne's county.

Robert M. Griffith, of Pittsburg, arrived on Tuesday evening to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats, near town. Everyone here is always glad to have this gentleman visit Sassafras.

Messrs. Hampton and Clayton Johns left Tuesday for Philadelphia, whence Mr. Clayton Johns has gone to consult a specialist as he is in very delicate health, and has been gradually sinking ever since the death of his brother James. We feel very sorry for Mr. Johns' weak condition.

Miss Mary Tarbutton is being entertained by Miss Alice Walters, near town.

Messrs. William and Masten Shallcross visited friends in lower Kent and Betterton for several days last week and were charmed with their trip.

Mrs. Frederick W. Shibles, of near York City, a sister of Mr. Alexander T. Laws is lying critically ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. R. Mumford, of Galena, is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomly, near town.

The friends here of Mr. Harry Aikens were very sorry to hear of his death from typhoid fever last week, he was taken very ill from the first and died after about three weeks. He leaves a mother, three brothers, a wife and son.

Mr. Irving Spry left on Tuesday morning for Still Pond and Betterton driving the entire distance, he is driving a fine rig and a high stepper.

Miss Grace Sylvester who has been visiting relatives in Wilmington for the past fortnight, returned home on Saturday evening accompanied by Miss Lillie Rosin, of Wilmington, who will pay Miss Sylvester a visit.

Mr. Benjamin Boyles, of near Middletown, visited Sassafras Lodge on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dill and two daughters, Misses Bertha and Edith, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosin here.

Mrs. Golt and daughter, Mrs. Edward Lynch, of Wilmington, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Phenis Jones, near town.

Mr. Robert S. Griffith, of near Kennet Square, is being entertained by his son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith. His old friends here were very glad to see him looking so well, a warm welcome always awaits Mr. Griffith here.

Mrs. Frederick Vansant entertained her cousins, Mrs. Golt and Mrs. Edward G. Lynch and babe for the day Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Sylvester has been suffering at his home for the past week with a very severely injured foot, being hurt by a vicious horse.

Miss Tressa Dreka has been visiting the Misses Toulson, of near Glasgow, for the past fortnight.

Messrs. John and Frank Dorsey, of near Middletown, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gressart on Monday evening.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomly died on Wednesday evening about 6 o'clock, from the heat, after a few hours sickness, on Monday and Tuesday the heat was fearful, the little one was very bright and playful and was only sick a few hours and died that evening. Little Raymond was very cute and his parents are almost heartbroken over his untimely death. This is the third and only child and all have died within the last three years, Mr. and Mrs. Thomly have the sympathy of the entire community, many beautiful flowers were sent to the little one to be placed on his grave. Interment at Galena cemetery on Friday afternoon, pall bearers were John F. Ernest, Jr., Paul Rosin, Phenus Vansant and Olen Davis.

The death of Francis Bird Stuckert, of St. Georges', Delaware, on Tuesday night last was particularly sad, he being the only child and a very bright one, he was never very strong, born and raised in the lap of affluence and luxury with the kindest, loving, devoted parents. His every wish was gratified and he was never more happier than when with his dear, loving affectionate mother, he was as gentle and affectionate as a little girl. he was a nephew of Mayor Bird, of Wilmington, Del., and a cousin of Mrs. Alexander T. Laws, of Sassafras, his father and Mrs. Laws' mother, the late Mrs. Louis P. Ellison were brother and sister and the only children of the late Dr. William Stuckert, a wholesale druggist, of Philadelphia, Pa. Every one mourns such a dear good boy's death, his parents are inconsolable, he was so modest and unassuming no one could help loving him, and a most excellent student, active in the church and his untimely death is sad indeed.

THE Wilmington Business School, of Wilmington, Delaware, is making preparations for the new term to begin September 4th. The staff, organization, equipment, and grade of the work of this school place it among the foremost business training schools in the country. Mr. W. H. Beacom, the principal and founder, has a national reputation as a business educator, and it has been his pride and pleasure to make this school a model one in every respect. Its home reputation, together with the wide patronage it has attracted, the prestige enjoyed by its graduates, and the success which they are attaining prove that this is no ordinary school. A number of our young people are graduates of the Wilmington Business School, and several more from this vicinity expect to enter the coming fall.

FOR all kinds of dress goods go to H. H. Beneman, Millington.

READ C. S. Smith's laundry special. He will be away for two weeks during which time laundry may be left at his mother's store opposite Voshell House.

WORTON ITEMS.

Our community was greatly shocked and grieved on last Monday afternoon when the sad news of the drowning of Mr. Carl Hepbron reached here. He was a prominent young man of Balto., studying for the bar and was spending his summer vacation with his grandmother, Mrs J. B. Merritt. Carl was a loving and devoted son, talented and gifted, and a faithful follower of his devine Master. He was loved and respected by all who knew him, his life though short was a beautiful example, and one that will long be remembered by his friends and by every one who knew him or of him. We always looked forward with so much pleasure to his visits among us, as he always had a kind word for everyone. He left us bright and happy on Monday afternoon at four o'clock, and in one short hour the sad news came, brought by his little brother James, who ran all the way home. Words fail to express our sorrow when we fully realize that we shall see him no more in life. He will be sadly missed. With a party of friends he went to spend a short time bathing a Kennards Point wharf, on reaching the shore he with several others went into the water and had scarcely been in fifteen minutes when he was swept off his feet by a strong current and drowned, his friend J. W. Sutton did all in his power to save him but to no avail, Mr. Sutton came near losing his own life in the noble effort to save his friend, the current was so strong he could scarcely reach the shore. The bereaved ones have our deepest sympathy in this dark hour. These things so constantly recurring remind us of how near we are to death. "In the midst of life we are in death."

Mrs. Sarah Brown, of South Baltimore, and Miss Maude Miller, of Rock Hall, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper.

Miss Hilda James, of Baltimore, is visiting Misses Mabrey and Ethel Rash, of near Worton.

Miss Georgia Porter, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of her neice Mrs. Wm. Ivens, of Worton Point.

Mrs. Bessie Duyer has been quite sick the past week but is much better at this writing.

Mr. Robert Spear who has been quite sick is much improved.

Miss Ada Joiner, of Rock Hall, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rash, of near Worton.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Fredericks have returned to their home in Philadelphia after a pleasant stay of three weeks at the home of Mrs. Fredericks' mother, Mrs. Joiner, of Worton.

Miss Mary Parsons, of Wilmington, Del., is being entertained by her aunt, Mrs. Sallie Carter.

Master Rasin Gears has been quite sick for a few days this week.

Mrs. Edna Barnette and little son Roy are visiting at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Sheats.

Mrs. Wm. Pennington, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Cooper.

STILL POND NEWS.

Miss Lydia Severson, of Wilmington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Severson.

Miss Edna Wroth, saleslady in F. H. Harper's store, is spending her week's vacation in Chestertown and Balto.

Messrs. Edw. and Charlie Ford have returned home after visiting Pen Mar.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jewell spent one evening this week with Miss Hague.

Miss Annie Wilson, of Wilmington, is staying at the Stanley House.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Price died at her home near here on Tuesday at 12 o'clock.

Mr. Karl C. Perkins, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been visiting Mr. W. G. Rasin.

Master Earl Cooper has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wood.

The Epworth League was led Sunday evening by Mr. John Bennett. Subject "Preparing for our Heavenly Home."

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Severson and son are spending some time in Balto.

Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Holt and children have returned home after a very pleasant trip with relatives in Cecilton.

Miss Lillian Walters and friend, Miss Ruby, have returned home after visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. Golden Warren, clerk for W. W. Medders, is away on his vacation.

Miss Margaret Harper, of Baltimore is spending a short time with Mr. Frank Hepbron.

Miss Vandyke, of Townsend, is visiting Mrs. John Schofield.

Miss Minnie Rich has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mr. John Sutton and mother visited friends in our town Tuesday.

Mr. W. H. Bowers has erected a front porch to his dwelling in our village.

Mr. Roy Shawn and friend, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr and Mrs. James Warren.

Our farmers were delayed several days from threshing on account of the heavy rain the first of the week.

Big Rains.—The heavy rains during the past week have interfered seriously with our farmers. Saturday's rainfall amounted to over four inches and the average for the week has been over six inches! The continued heat and humid atmosphere is likely to ruin much wheat.—NEWS, July 20, 1901.

Mr. G. S. Biddle says he remembers a rain which filled his half bushel!

Ayer's

Falling hair means weak hair. Then strengthen your hair; feed it with the only hair food, Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, makes the hair

Hair Vigor

grow, completely cures dandruff. And it always restores color to gray hair, all the rich, dark color of early life.

"My hair was falling out badly and I was afraid I would lose it all. Then I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor. It quickly stopped the falling and made my hair all I could wish it to be."
REBECCA E. ALLEN, Elizabeth, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for **Falling Hair**

"Tuscarora"

Fertilizers and Materials

BIG FOUR—Bone Meal 2-7-4; Alkaline 10-5.

STANDARD—Bone Meal 2-8-2; Alkaline 1-10-5.

YORK STATE—Bone Meal 1-8-4; Alkaline 1-9-4.

R. F. PARKS & SON

A. COHEN'S

Mid-Summer Clearance Sale!

For one week or more we have been preparing for this—the greatest sale ever offered around this part of the county. Every nook and corner in our vast stores have been looked into with a view of selecting a vast assortment of exceptionally interesting BARGAINS. 'Tis just a clearance sale—we care not for profits.

What we want is to dispose of about $2,000 00 worth of seasonable, up to-date summer goods, and if prices will talk we expect to be rushed.

Our general stock is complete in every detail, consisting of most everything for home or person, fresh and staple groceries, &c. We wish to impress upon you that this is a sale of extraordinary importance to you, and every shrewd and economical buyer cannot afford to miss it

One visit to our store will convince you. Remember we want to sell the goods while you can make the profits DURING THIS SALE.

Just a few prices for an idea:

Dress Goods.

15c Grade Percale, in light and dark shades; special per yard.....10c
All Summer Wash Goods:
Special 15c goods.....12½c
20c goods.....8c
15c goods.....5c
Lancaster Apron Ginghams, special per yard.....5½c
A Large Lot of Embroiders, 20c and 15c sellers; special per yd.....7½c
Children's Wash Suits, formerly sold up to $1.25; special, suit.....49c
All Sizes Undershirts and Drawers, each, go for.....19c

Shoes! Shoes!

Every Pair of Shoes in the House at.....1-3 OFF
Men's and Children's Rubber Sole Tennis Shoes; per pair.....35c

Boys' Clothing.

$5.00 Youths' Suits go for.....$2.75
$2.00 Youths' Suits go for.....$1.19

Hats.

Every Hat in the house reduced.
20c Straw Hats go for.....10c
10c Straw Hats go for.....5c
Screen Doors, full size, worth 75c.; special.....59c
Poultry Wire Netting, per roll of 150 feet; special.....$1.10
Agents for the Oliver Famous Chilled Plows.

Housefurnishings.

Full or single size Iron Beds, spring and mattress to fit. These goods have been exposed to the weather and are slightly damaged. Actual value $7.50; special.....$3.50
6 Cane Seat Chairs and Rocker, worth $8 50; special.....$4 50
5-foot Golden Oak Extension Tables, well finished, value $8.00; special.....$4.50
$7.00 Couches, well made and full size; special.....$4.20
$15.00 Dressers, full size, French plate mirror, castered; spec.$9.00
The Celebrated "Royal" Sewing Machines, warranted for 10 years, a bargain at $60.00; our special price.....$25.00
The Famous Blizzard Ice-Cream Freezers.
6-quart, were $2.90; special...$2.35
4 quart, were $2.25; special...$1.75
3-quart, were $1.90; special...$1.50

Groceries.

Best Granulated Sugar, lb.....5½c
Levering's Famous Coffee.....11½c
1 lb. Armour's Chip Beef.....12½c
J. P. Price's Best Flour, bag.....24c
Best Cider Vinegar, gallon.....18c
1 Bot. Rumford Yeast Powder.....9c
½ Pkge Scotch Snuff.....9c
Magnolia Condensed Milk, can...9c
3 for 25c.
Schnapps, Early Bird, June and What Knox Tobaccos, lb.....39c
Good Cider Vinegar, gallon.....8c

Sandy Bottom Department Store

R. THOMPSON

CHESTERTOWN

DEALER IN

FRESH MEATS, PROVISIONS AND GROCERIES.

WANTED—FAT CATTLE, LAMBS, VEALS AND HOGS

Best Beef	12½c lb
Lamb	$1.25 quarter each
Sliced Ham	16c lb
Picnic Ham	9c lb
Regular Ham	14c lb
B. Bacon, sliced	15c lb
Smoked Sausage and Bologna usual price	
Best Country Lard	10c lb

Sugar 6c, Levering's Coffee 12c, C... Corn, Tomatoes, Saman, Sardines, Potts... Ham, Babittis Lye, 4 to 8c box, all kin... of groceries sold cheap on Saturday... Flour 30c, Cigars Tobacco and Banna... All kinds of produce. Cash paid f... Butter, Eggs and Salt Meat.

WANTED—50 BUSHELS OF OLD POTATOES for v... the cash will be paid.

R. THOMPSON,
CHESTERTOWN - - - MARYLAND