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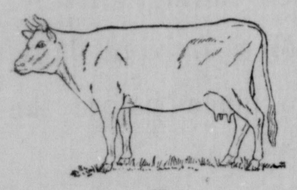
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Because of the demand upon our storage room we have decided to discontinue the sale of the well-known

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in order to close out the stock, tho we have a good assortment on hand. If sold quickly will sell at close margin. The Pittsburg Wire Fence doesn't need further recommendation, its durability and other qualities are too well-known. Give us a call or your address, and get our prices.

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—ON—

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Every package contains a coupon. For 12 coupons we give one box of oats, or 9 cents in trade or 6 cents cash. Letters will be redeemed as coupons until July 1st, 1907.

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j5-3m. Rock Hall, Md.

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J. W. WRIGHT.

m16-tf "Riverside Farm."

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One 3-yr. old Stud Colt, Percheron. Iron gray of good size and a nice one. One 4-yr. old Horse Colt, Percheron, big able fellow and ready for work. They are on the "Home Farm." Prices reasonable. For further particulars.

Apply to

W. FRANK JARRELL,

m16-3t. Chestertown, Md.

A CARD.

R. F. D. 3, Chestertown, March 12, 1907.

EDITORS KENT NEWS—In your issue of March 2nd, in which you describe the arrest and trial before Justice Calder of parties for stealing shotes from the premises of one William Maslin in Quaker Neck, one of the accused parties being named James Elias. Having been questioned several times since then in regard to said matter, I find that there are many who seem to think that the party so charged with theft is the undersigned. Feeling that the KENT NEWS has no desire to cast any reflection upon my character and to "give honor to whom it is due," I ask you to take this means of correcting the false impression which has reached several parts of the county, by informing the public that the party before Justice Calder was not the undersigned but some of a similiar name.

JAMES S. ELIAS,

R. F. D. No. 3, Chesetrtown. The Oyster Trader.

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That protects against day light holdups as well as robery at night.

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WE HAVE TRIED

By means of this paper and in other ways to call your attention to the advantages of THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

We have not done this simply to increase our deposits, but to impress upon your minds THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR and THE IMPORTANCE OF SAVING THEM.

It is not our ambition merely to secure your account, but WE DESIRE TO TEACH YOU THE GOOD HABIT OF SAVING.

There are so many who put off saving in the radiant June of their lives, and then allow pitiless December find them ABSOLUTELY UNPREPARED.

As the world grows older the general condition of our people should IMPROVE and THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK is here to help and to serve you.

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MARINE OR STATIONARY

LET US S OW YOU WHY YOU SHOULD USE

THE FAIRBANKS

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WILBUR ELIASON, JR., CHESTERTOWN, MD.

FOR SALE.

STORE goods and fixtures including SHOW CASES, LARGE STORE ROOM for business. I have been in business here for 18 years and am anxious to sell out. Apply at once.

MRS. E. A. CRITTENDEN,

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LIME, SULPHUR, SALT,

FOR SPRAYING. Oil in barrels, cans or per gallon. Sole agents in Kent county for the Thomas Chemical Co., Sulphur and Oil products. Shipments made to all rail and boat points.

TURNER & SON.

m16-tf Betterton, Md.

FIELD SEEDS.

We now have on hand our stock CLOVER, ALSYKE, ALFALFA, RED TOP and TIMOTHY SEEDS. Also OATS.

TURNER & SON.

m16-tf. Betterton, Md.

WANTED.

Young man, single, stenographer and typewriter, one familiar with book-keeping preferred, none but a sober and industrious man need apply, good salary to start, and ample chance for advancement. Also, man to work in cloth room and act as shipping clerk, $9.00 per week to start. Address

QUEEN ANNE COTTON CO.,

m9-3t* Millington, Md.

FAIRLEE SUPPLY HOUSE.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and COUNTRY PRODUCE. White Oak Lumber of All Kinds. I am agent for the Adriance Machinery. Repairs of All Kinds. I also handle Wilbur's Stock Remedies. Yours for business.

A. L. HUDSON,

m9-tf Fairlee, Md.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

ROOMS FOR RENT, either furnished or unfurnished. Also STABLE near the dwelling. Apply to

MRS. M. M. BURCHINAL,

m2-tf Chestertown, Md.

CATARRH CURED FOR 10c.

If you are troubled with CATARRH send TEN CENTS in coin or stamps and by return mail I will send you my sure cure.

MADAM HOWARD,

m9-1m 3217 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE.

SEVEN HUNDRED (700) LOCUST POSTS cut seven feet.

JAMES W. STEVENS,

f28-3t.* Rock Hall, Md

FARM FOR SALE.

I have a Small Farm of about 50 ACRES OF LAND to sell convenient to church, schools and steamboat landing. There is wood enough on it for the use of the farm. Buildings in fair condition, price reasonable.

CHAS. H. DAVIS.

2mch-4t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify all parties who have Watches in my shop for repair WILL PLEASE CALL FOR SAME. If not called for within 30 days from March 4th, will be sold for their cost of repairs. Respectfully,

A. LEVINE.

Watchmaker, Jeweler and Optician, Cross St., opposite Adams Express Co. 2mch-4t.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE AND STORE.



A Large New 11-Room House, also Store adjoining, in Chestertown, near Basket Factory. This is a splendid Boarding House stand—has trade right there and former tenants did well. The store is a nice one and could be made a good stand. Rent reasonable to good tenant.

Apply to

W. W. HUBBARD.

m9-3t

FOR SALE.



THREE GOOD HORSES.

Call on or address

H. C. WILLIS,

m9-3t* Worton, Md., R. F. D.

PEPSIMINT STOCK.

We will offer a limited amount of our stock to increase our business. Last year, 1906, we sold more than twice as much Pepsimint as previous (1906) and this year, so far, we have sold EIGHT TIMES MORE THAN SAME DATE LAST YEAR. For further information call or address,

PEPSIMINT CHEMICAL CO.,

Chestertown, Md.

JOHN M. TOULSON, Manager. j26-tf.

USE THE

Eclipse Spray Pump

TO SPRAY YOUR TREES.

If you want to grow fruit successfully you will have to keep your trees free from the San Jose Scale by spraying them and you will need a good pump to do the work. We have found the ECLIPSE PUMP the best, giving sufficient force to make the finest spray and is always in order.

CALL ON OR ADDRESS,

E. W. EMORY,

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FOR RENT FOR 1907.



The Barnett House in Chestertown containing seven rooms can be rented, possession given at once,

Apply to

L. U. SKIRVEN,
J. W. RUSSELL,
or H. S. BARNETT.

f9-tf,

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between G. H. Ivins and M. M. Carr trading as CARR & IVENS, (Canned Goods), with factories, at Worton and Lynch, Kent county, Md., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

(Signed) G. H. IVINS.
M. M. CARR.

Aberdeen, Md., January 14, 1907. f23-tf.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Kent county letters of testamentary on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

WILLIAM H. FORD,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of September, 1907, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 12th day of March, 1907.

MISS M. ETHEL CROUCH.

m16-4t. Executrix.

JOSEPH W. EDWARDS,

—DELAER IN—

WHIPS, HARNESS,
BRIDLES, DOUBLE
SADDLES, and SINGLE

☞All Kinds of Repairing Neatly Done.

HIGH ST., OPP. VOSHELL HOUSE.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Carload Horses and Mules

THE undersigned will offer at Public Sale THIRTY HEAD OF HORSES and MULES at Bailey's Hotel, Millington, Md., on

Thursday, March 21st, A. D., 1907,

AT ONE THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M.,

30 HEAD OF HORSES and MULES

These horses are of fine size and from three to eight years of age, largely Pennsylvania stock and among them some good brood mares. While the larger part of the load are horses there are a number of pairs of good mules in it. Some of these horses are good drivers.

These horses will all be shown in harness at the time of the sale and will be at Bailey's Hotel Stables on Wednesday, March 20 for inspection.

TERMS OF SALE—Eight Months time will be given on note satisfactorily endorsed. No property to pass or be removed until terms are complied with.

KLAIR & HOLLINGSWORTH,

SAMUEL DOUGHERTY, Manager. OWNER.
W. H. COLLINS, Auctioneer.
JOHN D. URIE, Attorney. m16-ts

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PERSONALTY.

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue business and remove from the county, will sell in Still Pond village, where I now reside, on

Saturday, March 23, 1907,

beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., the following Personalty:



Three Good HORSES

Fine drivers and will work anywhere.

One Milch Cow,

Fresh next month.

FARM IMPLEMENTS:

Two York Carriages, 2 Daytons, 1 Runabout, 1 Sleigh and Bells, 4 Sets Carriage Harness, 1 Farm Wagon and Harness, Blankets and spreads, Plow Gears, Collars, Bridles, 2 pair Carriage Harness and Traces, 3 Leather Head Halters, 3 Fly Nets, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, and other things too numerous to mention.

Two Stoves and some household goods, 1 Yard Swing.

☞Also 70 loads of fine ICE, with privilege of letting it remain in ice house until used.

TERMS:—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months will be allowed on approved note. No property removed until terms are complied with.

m16-ts. J. B. CROWDING, JR.

PUBLIC SALE

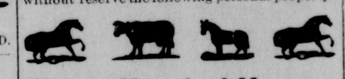
—OF—

PERSONALTY.

HAVING sold a farm that I have been carrying on, I will sell at Piney Plains Race Track, Queen Anne's county, on

Thursday March 28, 1907,

without reserve the following personal property:



Three Head of Horses

One yellow horse 4 years old, promising young horse; 1 dun horse Bob, 12 years old; combination horse, good road and saddle horse. 1 brown horse Joe, 8 years old, weighs about 1150 pounds.

ONE PAIR MULES, 8 years old, a well-mated team, kind in all harness.

Four Head of Cows

One Top Buggy, 1 Dayton, Plows, Harrows and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of six months will be given on bankable note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

m15-ts COOPER TARBUTTON.

☞I have for sale about 500 SWEET POTATO ROOTS at 25c per basket at my house.

Weak Hearts

Are caused by indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you subject to indigestion, you have, no doubt, had shortness of breath. Indigestion causes the stomach to expand and puff up against the heart. This crowds the heart and interferes with its action, then in the course of time the heart becomes diseased. It is necessary in these conditions to employ the use of digestive agents, which take the strain off the heart and gives strength and relief to every organ of the body. An eminent specialist has suggested the following formula: Kastor Compound, 1 oz., Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, 1 oz; Tr. Cinchona Compound, 2½ oz. These can be obtained from your local druggist at a small cost, and will afford a world of relief in any of the forms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, inflamation of the mucuous membrane, lining of the stomach and digestic tract, nervous system and catarrh of the stomach.

SEED FOR SALE.

We have a fine lot of ORCHARD GRASS SEED on hand which we offer below city prices. Also choice ALSYKE and RED CLOVER. We have one second hand FARM WAGON which we will sell cheap. Call on us next week.

f16-3t. DAVIS & SATTERFIELD.

A LADY on Cannon street has a yellow hen that lays two eggs a day!

Live Local Notes.

Fire.—The home of Mrs. Lillian Plummer at Edesville was destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock, caused by defective flue. The loss amounts to about $400 on which there was no insurance, the policy having expired late in February.

First Herring.—Capt. Charles Johnson and Capt. George Byron reported the first catch of herring this week. A blue bird was also seen this week, a thunder storm Tuesday night, a black snake has appeared in Quaker Neck, boys are picking eggs and rolling marbles, infallible signs of spring.

To Widen Road.—The County Commissioners on Tuesday accepted the report of the road examiners and decided to widen the public road from Chestertown to Pomona and from Lankford nearly to the colored church in Broad Neck. This will be one of the greatest public improvements in that section of the county and the Commissioners are to be commended for approving the report. The work will be commenced as soon as possible.

A Big Sale.—The sale of personalty advertised exclusively in the NEWS by Mr. Charles D. McClary took place in Morgnec on Monday and was well attended. Auctioneer Hurlock was in charge and says everything was in fine condition and sold well. Cows brought $32 to $52 and horses sold as follows—4 year old work horse $180 and mate 3 years old $145; 10 year old mare $146 and mate with blemish 12 year old, $120; 17 year old horse, $75. Hay brought $22.50 per ton in barn.

Mr. Ball Wins Suit.—A verdict of $1,500 for the husband and $1,000 for wife was rendered last week by a jury in the $5,000 damage suit of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Ball against the Camden and Trenton Railway Company, tried before the Circuit Court Judge Frank T. Lloyd in Camden. The case occupied three days. On December 6, 1905, a trolley car wrecked a carriage in which were Mr. and Mrs. Ball and both were injured. Mr. Ball is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ball, of Kennedyville.

Fairlee Department Store.—Messrs. Kilbourn & Warren are the proprietors of Fairlee's department store where you can get most anything you want at prices below city stores. The proprietors of this store are among Kent's best citizens, young and reliable, and they are to be congratulated upon their success. If you are thinking of going to Baltimore for anything for the farm, don't do it, until you have visited the Fairlee department store. See their big adv. on fourth page of the NEWS.

A Narrow Escape.—A fire was happily avoided last Monday morning by the quick action of John Ringgold, the engineer of the Chestertown Water Company. He saw the blaze and smoke pouring out from the upper room of the house on the corner of Cross street and Maple avenue. He rushed in and soon stopped the blaze with a few buckets of water. The inmates had stuffed a stove-pipe hole with a pair of overalls and the sparks from the lower room ignited and it fell out and had burned a hole through the floor.

Price Raised.—Representative of Numsen & Son and Torsch, canners of Baltimore, were in Kent last Saturday and this week making contracts for tomatoes at $8.40 per ton or 14 cents per basket. The Bertie E. Tull Co. have also raised the price to $8.40. Torsch & Co. will contract with Broad Neck farmers while the others named will get their tomatoes from Tolchester and Buck Neck. Mr. C. W. Kibler representing Baldwin & Co., Chestertown, is paying $9, the farmers to furnish the baskets.

A Terrible Fall.—Mrs. Robert J. McWhorter received a broken arm from falling down a flight of stairs at her home on Mill street Wednesday afternoon. She had her little baby in her arms, and when upon the second step from the top, tripped and fell down the stairs, the weight of the fall being caught by her arm and back. The baby was uninjured with the exception of a small bruise on the forehead. Dr. H. G. Simpers rendered medical assistance and the patient is doing as well as can be expected. She is somewhat bruised because of the fall.

Property Sales.—Mr. J. Waters Russell, real estate broker, has sold to Mr. Bertie Crouch the Stewart house on College avenue for $525. Mr. Crouch will remove to Chestertown from Fairlee and is employed at the electric light plant.

H. H. Barroll, Esq., trustee, has sold to Mrs. Minnie C. Durding the house and lot in Rock Hall, known as hall of Chesapeake Lodge No. 68, Knights of Pythias, for $830.

Mrs. Ann L. Houston has sold to Dr. T. B. Willson a part of the Houston farm on South side of public road from Chestertown to Rock Hall adjoining Dr. Willson's, and containing 4 acres, for $150.

Mr. Arthur L. Harris has purchased of his brother, James G., the half interest in "Howell's Point" farm for $8,627. It contains 558 acres.

J. Waters Russell, real estate broker, has sold Mr. Cooper Tarbutton's farm of 205 acres at Deep Landing to Mr. L. D. Knight, of Baltimore. Mr. Knight expects to remove to his new home next year. Mr. Tarbutton advertises elsewhere in the NEWS his personalty at public sale.

Married.—Miss Lee A Wilson, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Wilson, of near East Neck Island, and Mr. Stephen T. Newcomb were married Monday evening February 25th at the rectory of Sacred Heart church, Chestertown by Rev. Father McKenna.

Miss Maude DeFord, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. DeFord, of near Edesville, and Mr. Noble Coppage, of Rock Hall, were married in Baltimore last Friday. The wedding was a surprise to their friends.

Sold Again—Mr. G. W. Hayes writes us to withdraw his cow for sale, that the advertisement in the NEWS sold her. Nuf sed.

THE yellow flag will be removed from High street, Chestertown, within the next few days.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

Junior Order American Mechanics, Chestertown, Entertain Patriotic and Daughters of America in Fine Style.

Chestertown can boast of its secret orders, among the flourishing ones being the Junior Order of American Mechanics which numbers 128 members. This organization celebrated their tenth anniversary Wednesday evening in their cozy lodge rooms in the Thomas Building on Park Square. Past Councilor Wm. F. Malin called the meeting too order and after prayer by Rev. W. L. White introduced H. W. Vickers, Jr., Esq., as master of ceremonies. Mr. Vickers in a most happy manner greeted the large audience and welcomed them to the evening's enjoyment. He gave a strong definition of the attitude of the order towards immigrants. "Tis not the foreigner that we oppose coming to our shores for if he be pure at heart we care not from whence he came. We look to the man's inner life rather than his exterior." Prof. J. L. Smyth followed Mr. Vickers in an address on "Patriotism," followed by Mr. J. Frank Wheatley who spoke on the principles of unselfishness as essential to the welfare of our republic. Mr. Thomas D. Bowers came next with an address showing the difference between desirable and undesirable immigrants, the part played by woman in the discovery and development of America. Mr. Fred. G. Usilton was the last speaker of the evening, who dwelt upon the three needs of our country, both for the individual and for society at large, viz., Freedom to stand alone, Sanity to see a brother's need and worth and Brotherhood to lift him up. After the literary program refreshments were served in abundance.

The officers of the society are as follows:

Councilor—James Hickey.
Past Councilors—Geo. W. Chambers, W. F. Malin and Frank Elburn.
Vice-Councilor—Thos. Kennard.
Chaplain—Perkins Bolph.
Warden—John W. Barnes.

A CLEVER CAPTURE.

Sheriff Medders and Constable Gill Arrest Five Colored Men Charged With Robbing Store at Golt's, Postoffice at Kennedyville and Other Places.

Sheriff Medders has added another laurel to his already excellent record as chief officer of Kent county. By some means he learned that an escaped convict, named Charles Wright, had been caught and re-incarcerated in the jail at Georgetown, Del., and that this man knew a great deal of the thieving that has been going on about Kennedyville and other places in this county. It seems that this white man, Charles Wright, upon breaking jail in Georgetown, came to Kent last summer and hired with Hon. Thomas J. Shallcross and while there in company with several colored men named below did considerable thieving.

Sunday morning in the midst of the big snow-storm Sheriff Medders and officer Gill went up the county and arrested Romie Robinson and wife, Dora, who live in Mr. James Hurtt's house, near Locust Grove, Gus. Rasin and wife, Annie, and Andrew Moulten and Carrie Davis, of Davis' Hill. These parties are charged with robbing the store of B. F. Phillips, of Golts, on the night of Dec. 17th. In Robinson's house was found the gun and pair gum boots while Dora Robinson was wearing some of the jewely said to have belonged to Mr. Phillips. Robinson told about Moulten being with him and he was also arrested. Wright says they hid the goods in Judge Shalleross' barn until after Christmas when a division was made of the booty. He also says that these men robbed Mr. Charles Hill's home, Pote's store and the Kennedyville postoffice. They were given a hearing yesterday and 5 held for court.

PATHETIC INCIDENTS.

The Baltimore papers relate the following: "While under an operation for appendicitis at St. Luke's Hospital last Friday afternoon Mr. William Brocious, of 1535 North Luzerne street, broke into song so sweet that the surgeon and nurses about the operating table were stirred with emotion, and for a few moments stopped with rapt interest to listen to the man. The unconscious man sang a number of Methodist hymns, among which were "Rock of Ages," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "Lead, Kindly Light," and when he sang "Abide With Me" all those listening to his sweet renditions turned away with feeling and emotion. The surgeon in charge soon recovered and proceeded with the operation. The man continued to sing throughout the operation."

An incident similar to the above occurred in Chestertown recently. The little six-year-old son of Mr. Wm. B. Coleman was ill with typhoid—he was in delirium—Dr. Whaland sat by the bedside and listened to the little tongue's chatter about his school, etc. But suddenly in clear and correct words the voice spoke out tenderly—"Our Father who art in Heaven"—and to the end of that inimitable prayer. When the Amen came from the parched lips a dead silence followed and tears were in the eyes of the kind hearted doctor.

THE first Spring lambs arrived in Baltimore this week, weighed 40 pounds each and sold for 13 cents per pound. Mr. H. P. Skipper, of Primrose Manor, is the early raiser in this section.

THE Marvil Package Co., of Chestertown is closing out all their stock of wire fence. They will discontinue the sale of fence as they have not the storage room for showing it.

CAPT. PFEFFER has bought of Capt. Clash, of Centreville, the fine schooner "Chesterfield." He will run her from Chestertown to Baltimore with Capt. E. Dill as master.