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KENT AND QUEEN ANNE'S FAIR

AT TOLCHESTER BEACH

25th, 26th AUGUST 27th, 28th

☞BIGGER AND BETTER THAN EVER. NO OFF DAYS. ALL BIG DAYS.

Big Premiums In All The Departments

ITS UP TO YOU TO MAKE SOME MONEY

Send (Today) for Book and Entry Blanks—it Will Cost You Nothing to Enter Your Farm and Garden Product, Fancy Work, Stock, &c., &c., &c.

DON'T MISS FREE SHOW—In Front of Grand Stand.

TWO BANDS OF MUSIC ON THE GROUNDS ALL DAY

Go Look at Prof. Edward's Great Animal and Reptile Show A Sight for a Litetime

And Then Get Ready and See Kent County's Pride, BEDWORTH, JR., Beat the Track Record of 2.12¾. All of this and the price the same.

THIS IS THE PROGRAMME FOR 1908

Class.		Purse
	TUESDAY, AUGUST 25TH	
No. 1.	Class, Three-Year-Olds	$150.00
No. 2.	Class, 2.18 Pace	300.00
No. 3.	Two-Year-Olds, two in three (half-mile heats)	75.00
	WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26TH	
No. 4.	Class, 2.22, Pace	$300.00
No. 5.	Class 2.17 Trot	300.00
No. 6.	Driver no Records to Cart (hopples barred)	150.00
	THURSDAY, AUGUST 27TH	
No. 7.	Class 2.28, Pace	$300.00
No. 8.	Class 2.22, Trot	300.00
No. 9.	Free for All, Pace or Trot	300.00
No. 10.	Class 2.35, Pace	300.00
	FRIDAY, AUGUST 28TH	
No. 11.	Class 2.15, Pace	$300.00
No. 12.	Class 2.30, Trot	200.00

ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 18, AT 11 P. M.

☞Records Made That Day No Bar.

NOTE:—All Exhibits Must Remain on Exhibition Until 5 p. m. Friday.

G. E. NOLAND, SECRETARY.

SHARE IN THESE HOUSE CLEARING REDUCTIONS

Ten Dozen Shirts Reduced

We have today placed on sale about 10 dozen Men's Shirts, special values at 40c. They are neat, pretty patterns in Madras Percales and Cheviots. These shirts while they last go at 25c

Men's 40c Special Value Shirts....25c
Men's 50c Special Value Shirts....39c
Men's 75c Special Value Shirts....61c
Men's $1.00 Monarch and Eclipse Shirts....79c

Summer Underwear Reduced

50c Under Shirts and Drawers....39c
25c Under Shirts and Drawers....19c

Straw Hats at 1-2 Price

Any Straw Hat in the house at....One Half Price
50c Hatcap....25c

Men's and Boys' Shoes Reduced

Our reduced prices on Men's and Boys' Low Shoes is still going on. While our stock was pretty well depleted and this sale has made still further inroads on them, yet there is a fair assortment left, offering you a rare opportunity to buy strictly High-Grade Shoes at a very low price,

$1.50 Boys' Oxfords	$1.39	$3.00 Men's Oxfords	$2.49
$2.00 Men's Oxfords	$1.79	$3.50 Crawford "	$2.65
$2.50 Men's Oxfords	$1.98	$4.00 Crawford "	$3.05

☞Highest Price Paid for EGGS in Trade

Vansant & Newsome

GENTS' FURNISHERS AND SHOERS

Chestertown, - - Maryland

☞THIS STORE OPEN EVENINGS

Ladies' Low Shoes That Please

Every woman admires a well shod foot. Neat and attractive footwear accurately reflect her taste as emphatically as does the rest of her apparel. The attractive styles, perfect fit and general appearance of our Oxfords carry conviction. The combination of style and comfort is hard to resist.

We only ask the opportunity of showing the new style and demostrating their superior fitting qualities.

C. C. JONES

"THE SHOE MAN" CHESTERTOWN, MD

IF YOU HAVE ANY THING TO SELL, ADVERTISE IT

GALENA ITEMS.

Rev. A. P. Prettyman preached in the Still Pond M. E. Church Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Collins being at Marydel Camp.

Misses Gertrude and Carrie Dempsey have been camping with a party of friends on the banks of the Elk river.

Mrs. Bowen and granddaughter, Miss Annie Peacock, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Jack Pennington.

Miss Haines, of Denver, Col., returned to her home last week after a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Prettyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers and daughter, Mary, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitaker.

Miss Hadaway, of Rock Hall, spent a few days of the past week with Miss Mattie Whitaker.

Mr. Lamuel Caldwell and family spent Wednesday at Port Deposit.

Mrs. Arthur Hyland was home for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Pettyman were at Atlantic City for a few days the past week.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mrs. Robert S. Griffith and sister, Mrs. John Howarth, left on Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Walbert, near Fairlee, and friends in Chestertown for an extended sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosin entertained Miss Mabel Price, of near Middletown, and her guests, Misses Mattie and Mary Hazel, of Millington, at beautiful "Hill Top" for the day on Tuesday.

Misses Estella and Ada Marsh, of Warwick, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Dreka and daughters, at beautiful "Water Ledge" on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ballett, of Only, Virginia, and daughter and niece are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Staats, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ernest entertained at a birthday party in honor of their son, Master John R. Ernest's 18th birthday most royally on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Spry has been quite sick for the past week at her home here.

Master William Shallcross is quite sick at his home here.

Mr. R. Griffith Cliff, of Chestertown, visited his mother's home here from Saturday until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher Caulk are entertaining her brother, of Philadelphia.

Miss Grace Sylvester accompanied her school mate, Miss Avis Halerbert, to her home in Baltimore county on Tuesday last.

Miss Alice Dreka visited Miss Mabel Price, near Middletown, from Wednesday until Sunday evening. Miss Price is entertaining a house party and all are having a delightful time.

Misses Helen and Mary Davis and Mary Tarbutton are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheppard and their daughter, at Rising Sun, and are having a thoroughly delightful sojourn for the past fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Davis are entertaining their son, James D. Davis, of Altoona, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Faulkner, of Kennedyville, were entertained on Saturday and Sunday by their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosin, at beautiful "Hill Top."

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Dreka are entertaining their cousins, Mrs. Edward Zimerick and daughter, Miss Agnes Zimerick, of Baltimore, at beautiful "Water Ledge." They will make an extended visit with their relatives. Miss Zimerick is one of the popular belles of that city and a very pretty young lady.

The home of Mr. J. T. Shallcross, at Sassafras, waa taken possession of by a party of young folks last Saturday evening who gave Mr. Mastin Shallcross a surprise in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent in games and dancing and refreshments were served consisting of cakes, ices and fruit. Mastin Shallcross is one of the model young men of our community and all were pleased to do him this honor. Those present were: Mr. J. T. Shallcross, of Baltimore, Mrs. Zininsch and daughter, Agnes, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith and daughters, Mrs. Ernest, Mrs. Henry Rosin, Mrs. W. S. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. John Tarbutton and sons, Misses Theresa and May Dreka, Mary Davis, Mary Griffith, Nita and Anna Howarth and Helen Stradley; Messrs. Ed. Stradley, John and Douglas Ernest and others.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Joseph Phillips and daughters are visiting friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. Rufus and children of Wilmington are the guests of Mrs. Radezwski.

Mrs. C. W. Moore and daughters are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Ada Comegys and friend of Wilmington are the guests of Mrs. John Newman near town.

Miss Etta Price of Middletown is the guest of Miss Ella Jones.

Miss Evelyn Cochran is visiting friends near Middletown.

Dr. Edwin Gardner and family, of Preston, have been visiting friends in town and vicinity this week.

Rev. C. W. Moore being absent the pulpit of Asbury M. E. Church was filled by Rev. Edwin Gardner a former pastor last Sunday morning.

Miss Ella Hicks, of Chestertown, is visiting Miss Edna Wilson, near town.

Dr. B. Woodward Hazel and daughters are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hazel.

Mrs. George Harrington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edward Pinder in Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Turbert Meginness, of Wilmington, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Hurtt.

Mrs. John Moore and Miss Essie enjoyed the week at Marydel Camp.

We are glad to state that Mr. E. W. Spear who has been ill for several weeks past is improving.

DON'T fail to look in one of J. H. Sides' show windows and see some high art specimens of fine monogram engraving executed by Mr. W. E. Hiller who has accepted a position with J. H. Sides, the Jeweler, as expert watch repairer and ingraver.

SPARKS' show will be in Chestertown next Tuesday and pitch their tents on lot up town owned by J. W. Russell.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Just home from Virgilina, N. C., is Mr. Woolfred Johnston, where he spent a short vacation at the home of his father. He reports interestingly of that section of the "Tar Heel" state, whose industry is box manufacturing, tobacco raising and gold and copper mining. While visiting one of the copper mines, which is more than 400 feet deep, he was invited to descend and take a look around, but it was too deep down for Woolfred and he declined the courteous invitation.

The times there are very prosperous. Wages at the mills are generally $1 per day. On the plantations wages and treatment are good. There are many colored laborers and they are perfectly decorous as they *must* be for the whites will not permit otherwise. Farm work is from daylight till dark the year round with an hour and a half noon. Mill work is from six a. m. to six p. m. After the days work is done everybody is at home. No traveling at night. It is unsafe to travel at night as the highways have many impediments in the shape of huge rocks. The passage-way winds around the rocks as a passage through a down woods. The whole country is exceedingly rocky. A favorable dish with the inhabitants is the ground-hog. The whites will not use it this time of the year however. The ground-hogs are in abundance and do considerable damage to crops. Cranes are frequently seen in great flocks.

Mrs. Johnston is still in the South with their youngest child sick.

Hurrah for Bryan and the KENT NEWS too! The NEWS' subscribers, many of them, were pleasingly surprised on Saturday in getting with their paper such a splendid picture of the Democratic Candidate. The staid old KENT NEWS doesn't blow as much about what she is and what she'll do as some would like her do. But, when it comes to doing, she's right there with telling effect. Many thanks.

Squire Wilkins is putting in effect many improving touches about his farm in the way of clearing up and straightening up.

Mr. Firman Mulford has been quite ill the past three weeks. He seems to be on the improve now.

Our town and vicinity seems to have more summer sojourners now than any during former years, since summer boarding became one of our industries.

With strict attention to a fleet of vessels, now at the factory, and automobiling, Mr. E. E. Leary and son are the busiest of our business firms.

Mr. J. W. Collison was taken quite ill Wednesday morning and is still in care of doctor and nurses.

Mr. Joseph Downey is doing a rush in fruit buying. Many growers here about prefer to sell their pears to him, finding it convenient and profitable.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mrs. Chew and daughter, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. J. B. Parrott.

Mrs. William Weston, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in our town.

Rev. E. H. Collins, who has been assisting at Marydel camp meeting for the last ten days, will be home and fill his pulpit on Sunday speaking in the morn- from the subject "Price of Power." Special service for the evening beginning at 8 o'clock.

Miss Elsie Meeks and Miss Bessie Casey, of Philadelphia, have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Meeks.

Mrs. Herbert Watson, of Newark, Del., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Raisin.

Miss Jennie Bowers has returned home after spending several days at Church Hill.

PINEY NECK WAVES.

Quite an exciting game of base ball was played on Saturday last by the Piney Neck second team and East Neck Island's team on the latter's field. The score was 22 to 0 in favor of Piney Neck. This team is improving rapidly, as all the late games have been in their favor. The line-up for Piney Neck is as follows: Hugh Price, catch; Harry Edwards, pitch; Miller Strong, 1b; Edgar Strong, 2b; Percy Strong, ss; Christopher Grant, 3b; Robert Creighton. rf; Ruthurin Strong, cf; Groome Price, lf. Umpire, R. W. Grant.

Miss Jennie Thompson, of Trenton, N. J., is visiting her uncle, Mr. Harry Lake.

Miss Reba Ashley is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. Crolley, in Philadelphia.

Misses Rilla, Alice and Ida Wood spent Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, on East Neck Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chambers returned to Baltimore Monday after a pleasant visit with their cousin, Mr. William Edwards.

Mr. Charles Sheehan, of Baltimore, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. Dolan.

Mr. Fred Sagers, of Baltimore, has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Walter Elburn and Mrs. John Frazier have relatives visiting from Baltimore and Pennsylvania.

A NIGHT BLOOMING CERUS belonging to Mrs. Charles P. Hodgkins attracted considerable attention on Queen street Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. B. Coleman had two blooms on one plant Thursday night and Mrs. Wm. A. Burke had a very pretty one the same night.

READ Vansant & Newsome's song of the shirt in this issue.

BETTERTON ITEMS

The hotels and cottages are now filled with guests and there are many camping parties on the Idlewhile camping grounds and along the Sassafras river. The Del Fida Camping Club, of Philadelphia, gave a minstrel show Thursday evening.

The Epworth League held a very enjoyable lawn fete at Mrs. Elizabeth Crew's Wednesday evening. A very interesting program had been arranged by the president, Miss Lola Crew. Ice cream, ices and cake were served.

Mrs. Harry Jump, of Queen Anne's, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shallcross.

Miss Mary Gooding, of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation with relatives near here.

Miss Anna Melvin is the guest of Miss Lolla Crew.

Mrs. J. L. Beauchamp, of Queen Anne's, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Owens.

Captain J. R. Willets, of the Pacific Liner, "California," is registered at Hotel Chesapeake.

GOOD ROADS ROUTE

Meeting Held Tuesday Was Well Attended —Kent's Commissioners Attend And Other Citizens.

After hearing the pleas of many interested persons who attended the meeting in the room at the Union Trust Building, Baltimore, on Tuesday, the Good Roads Commission finally decided upon the routes of roads to be improved in Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot and Caroline counties.

This was the last meeting and from the decision there is no appeal. The following are the routes:

Cecil County—From Conowingo via Rising Sun to Calvert, Blue Ball, Fair Hill, Cherry Hill to Elkton; thence to Chesapeake City, Cecilton and Fredericktown.

Kent County—Georgetown via Galena to Kennedyville to Chestertown, and from there via Fairlee toward Rock Hall via Sandy Bottom.

Queen Anne's County—Chestertown via Church Hill to Centreville to Wye Mills. From Church Hill toward Crumpton via Dudleys Corner.

Talbot County—From Wye Mills to Easton to Trappe via Stumptown road. From Easton to Royal Oak toward St. Michaels. From Easton to Dovers Bridge.

Caroline County—Beginning at Queen Anne's county line, near Baltimore Corners, via Hollingsworth Crossroads to Goldsborough, Greensboro, Denton, Two Johns, American Corners to Federalsburg. From Dover Bridge to Bethlehem to Dorchester county line, near Preston.

As soon as the money becomes available and the general engineering force is made up the necessary surveys and specifications will be made and the work of improving these roads will begin.

Among those present from Kent and adjoining territory were Messrs. A. C. Loud, C. B. Dudley, Harry Davis, Wm. Wagner, J. E. Morris, James S. Harris, Samuel Mann, H. C. Willis, C. L. Dodd, Robert L. Crew, W. E. Keyser, Frank P. Cochran, H. P. Skipper, W. I. Walker, Charles Clements, the NEWS man and others.

BUSHMEETING AT GOLTS.

Golt's Bushmeeting will open Sunday August the 9th with a general class meeting, beginning at 9.30 o'clock. Preaching in the afternoon beginning at 3.00 o'clock by Pastor Sterling. Preaching in the evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. A. P. Prettyman of Galena. Preaching Monday evening at 7.45 by Rev. G. R. Nesse of Wilmington; Tuesday evening by Rev. MacSorley of Townsend; Wednesday by Rev. C. W. Moore of Millington; Thursday evening by Rev. Given of Odessa; Friday evening by Rev. F. B. McFarland of Queenstown; Sunday morning August 16th, General Class. Preaching in the afternoon by Pastor Sterling.

The second quarterly conference of Chesapeake charge, Methodist Protestant church will meet at the Parsonage on Monday afternoon August 10th at 2.30 o'clock. There will be an important meeting of the Board of trustees of Wesley Chapel preceeding the meeting of the Conference at the same place and day. A full attendance of all officials is desired.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving rememberance of our darling mother, WILHELMINA CROUCH, who died one year ago today, August 8th, 1907.

The midnight stars are beaming
Upon a lonely grave,
Where sleeps my darling mother
The one I could not save.
Had He asked us, well we know,
We should say, O spare the blow;
Yes, with streaming eyes should pray,
Lord, we love her, let her stay.
In love she lived, in peace she died.
Her life was asked, but God denied.

We loved her, yes, we loved her.
But angels loved her more.
And they have sweetly called her
To yonder shining shore.
The golden gates were opened,
A gentle voice said 'Come'!
And with farewells unspoken,
She calmly entered home.

BY HER CHILDREN.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

It is your own fault if you wear uncomfortable Shoes—

In the DOLLY MADISON SHOE there is a style and a Last for every foot—Select the style and the leather—Then get fitted—and your Shoe troubles are over.

SOLD BY REPRESENTATIVE DEALERS

$3.00 $3.50 $4.00

The Ladies' Store. Chestertown, Md.

JEFFERSON

OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

SEMI-SUMMER REDUCTION

AS THE Summer is fast passing away and finds us with a few "odds and ends" in the various lines yet on hand which we will close out at a Great Reduction to rid our shelves in order to make room for the vast array of Fall Goods, which will soon begin to arrive. While the price on these "odds and ends" on exceptionally low. They are in no wise damaged or inferior, but genuine, first-class stock and as represented or money cheerfully refunded.

We desire to call especial attention to the fact that the "Ladies Store" is the only Dry Goods and Notion House in the town that closes at 7 P. M. during July and August and hope the public will appreciate this and call during the day and secure some of the rare bargains offered below.

Our Millinery At Half-Price

Our Millinery Parlors must be cleared AT ONCE. We need the room, we need the money. There are some few Choice Pattern Hats, Sailor, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats; Flowers, Ribbons, etc., here which must go. We say 50 cents on the dollar takes them; yet purses can find real bargains. Don't wait but come, inspect, but meditate not for they will not last long, the price will surely take them away.

Muslins: Muslins

We have recently purchased a job lot of Muslin Remnants—from one to ten yards to the piece. Regular price 8c, 10c and 12½c per yard, we offer them while they last at 7½ cents.

White Goods

We have just finished our largest season on WHITE GOODS and the cause for the amount of business has been the quality of the line which has been as large and as well selected as any seen in the City. We are now ready to close out the ends and remnants at a great sacrafice.

Persian Lawn 15c and 18c....12c, 32 inches.
Persian Lawn 30c and 35c....27c, 45 inches.
And Woven Batiste, Chiffons, Kristol Organdes, French Muslins, 50c and 60c, at....45 cents.
And Woven Batiste, Chiffons, Kristol Organdes, French Muslins, 65c and 75c, at....50 cents.

Lawns: Lawns

In our stock of Lawns and Colored Goods we have quite a number of short ends, which will be closed out at prices to suit all, and the patterns are some of our best, the price has been dropped, they are going.

All 25c and 35c Colored Goods, at....15 cents
All 15c, 18c and 22c Lawns, at....12 cents

A Great July Shoe Clearance

You know what that means. It's clearing up of Spring and Summer Shoe Stocks. "Six Months And Out" is the rule—and here they go.

Pumps and Oxfords, every pair, good, reliable shoes, no trash, all our regular stock. It's the opportunity of the season to get Good Shoes at little prices.

First choice is always best. Just look at this list. We think the prices will make your purse uneasy.

All Tan and Gun Metal Pumps—the regular $3.50 line go in this Clearance Sale at only.... $2.90

A number of pairs of Black Kid, Patent Leather and Gun Metal Oxfords. Regu- $3 line, go at.... $2.50

Come out ladies during the day. You will find the store pleasant, plenty of fans, cool, refreshing water and a souvenir to all who call between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M.

JEFFERSON,

THE LADIES STORE,

Chestertown, - Maryland