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WE BELIEVE that one sale to-day is worth two to-morrow.

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Personal ❋ ❋ ❋ ❋ and Social

Miss Mary Elliott suffered a relapse last Friday night and is critically ill.

Dr. H. G. Simpers hopes to get away from town to-day for a short recreation trip. He will accompany his patient, Mr. D. B. McMenamin, to the hospital, where it is hoped Mr. McMenamin will regain his usual health.

Mr. Wm. B. Usilton is in Philadelphia for special treatment by Dr. E. Humphreys, ear specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Davis were called to Cecilton this week to attend the funeral of Capt. Daniel A. Jones, an uncle of Mrs. Davis.

Miss Maud Duyer is visiting friends in Cecilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolph Stoops and Miss Gussie Stoops have removed to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens, of Camden, N. J., have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Plummer, at Worton Point.

Mrs. J. L. Smith and Mrs. E. E. Hudson are visiting friends in Middletown.

Rev. David J. Moore and wife left Kent today for their new home at Elk Neck, Cecil county. Mr. Wm. Stafford and family will occupy the house on Queen street vacated by them.

Rev. J. M. Sheridan, president of the Methodist Protestant Conference, visited his daughter, Mrs. Walter Morris, near town last week. He spent a few days with Rev. J. M. Gill at Atlantic City following the session of Conference in Baltimore and will be in Kent Sunday.

Miss Bertha Constable, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Allan A. Harris, on Front street.

Miss Emma Merritt, of Baltimore, is the guest of Chestertown friends.

Miss Tillie Rasin is the guest of Mrs. cames A. Pearce, on Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haddaway's little girl has been quite sick for the past week.

Miss Lucy Howard, of Hagerstown, is the guest of the Misses Welch, on Maple Avenue.

Miss Scott, of Galena, was the guest of the Misses Stuart, on Queen street last week.

Mrs. James H. Shuster and little daughter, Dorothy, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde, in Wilmington, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Wheatley have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Mary to Frank Carter Pogue on Thursday, May 20th, 1909, at 8.30 P. M., in St. Anne's P. E. Church, Annapolis.

Mrs. S. H. Ruth, of Chestertown, is in Baltimore this week with her son, Wilburn, who is suffering with appendicitis. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Russell, of Chester, Pa., spent part of last week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hoffecker, Queen Annes county.

Madison Brown, Esq., and James Earle, Esq., of the Centreville bar, were in Chestertown on business last week.

Mrs. J. W. Kirby has been visiting relatives and friends in Baltmore.

Judge and Mrs. T. Ireland Elliott and family, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. E., parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Vickers at Lauretum.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Satterfield had as their guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satterfield, Rock Hall and Miss Alice Wood and Mr. Harrison Cornelius, of Still Pond.

Mrs. Florida Bennett, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Minnie Hudson on Mill street.

Mr. Charles Richards, of Philadelphia, spent part of this week in Chestertown with his brother-in-law, Mr. J. F. Mulford.

Purser Harry Anthony, of the steamer Corsica, has been compelled to go to the City Hospital, Baltimore, to be treated for threatened blood poisoning.

Messrs. J. B McIntyre and Wm. H. Lambert, have been on the sick list this week.

Miss Agnes Estes has been confined to her home by sickness for a week past.

Mr. Grover C. Milbourne, of Crumpton, has accepted a position as clerk in C. C. Jones' shoe store.

"Aunt" Fannie Nichols, an old colored Chestertown resident, died yesterday, aged about 90 years.

Spraying Exhibition.—In order to demonstrate to the fruit growers throughout the State the benefits to be derived from spraying "Bordeaux mixture" on apple trees for control of "coddling moth," the Horticultural Department of the Maryland Agricultural College are conducting demonstration sprayings at the county poor-house farms in various sections of the State. A demonstration spraying of this kind will be held at the poor-house farm of Kent county, Md., situated near Chestertown, on Tuesday, May 11, 1909. Prof. Thos. B. Symons, State Entomologist, or one of his assistants, will be present to conduct said demonstration. The interested public are cordially invited to attend. Mr. John Bell, chairman of the board of trustees for said almshouse, has very kindly tendered the use of this orchard for the demonstration work.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

COURT CASES

The Brown Jury Disagrees and Were Discharged — Betterton Case Decided Against Ericsson Company

The case of Brown vs. Kent County was begun on Friday, as stated in NEWS, and occupied the attention of the Court, until Tuesday. Mrs. Ida E. Brown, wife of Mr. Charles M. Brown, was thrown from her buggy by her horse shying at a pile of sand on the public road, near St. Paul's. She claimed damages to amount of $10,000 for injuries sustained. M. deK. Smith, Esq., was attorney for plaintiff and Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., represented the commissioners. The jury being out all day and at 11 p. m., having failed to agree, were discharged. It is said the jury stood 9 for some damages and 3 against.

Case of Abraham Rounkin vs. Ericsson Steamboat Company, for damages for alleged assault by John Brice, agent, and putting plaintiff out of waiting room, occupied the court and jury all day Tuesday. Mr. Cadwalader, of Baltimore, and Marion dek. Smith represented the defendant and Messrs. W. W. and S. Scott Beck, the plaintiff. The jury returned a sealed verdict Wednesday morning for $400 damages.

John D. Urie, Esq., counsel for Mrs. Baker, filed a motion for a new trial in the case decided adversely to Mrs. Baker, on Wednesday last.

A vote was taken among the jurors as to holding a night session of court, and the majority against it was so strong as to influence the court against holding same.

Mary L. Rogers, et. al., vs. Isaac N. Huey, suit in ejectment, compromised by payment of $500 by Huey. Guy W. Steele, of Westminster, and W. W. Beck for Rogers; H. H. Barroll for Huey.

In the case of Wm. J. Coleman vs M. E. Newsome, administrator of Lewis F. Newsome, a compromise was affected and the case settled by Mr. Newsome paying $100 to plaintiff. H. H. Barroll for plaintiff; S. P. Townshend for defendant.

State vs. Benj. Comegys and Wesley Blake for stealing chickens from A. Parks Rasin; tried before court, verdict guilty and each sentenced to one year in penitentiary. S. P. Townshend and S. Scott Beck for defendants and W. W. Beck for State.

State vs. Samuel Mason for violating local option law; tried before court, verdict guilty and sentenced to pay $100 and costs or serve a year in House of Correction. S. P. Townshend for defendant.

State vs. Wm. Palmer for stealing mileage book; guilty and sentenced to one year in penitentiary. W. W. Beck for State; H. W. Vickers, Jr. for defendant.

State vs. John Russell for stealing hides; guilty and sentenced to 15 months in penitentiary. H. W. Vickers, Jr., for defense.

Alonza Brooks was convicted of stealing money from Henry Krusen and sentenced to penitentiary for a year. J. D. Urie for defense. Earl Gibbs was tried for being an accomplice in this case but was acquitted. J. D. Urie for prisoner.

Junius Smith was tried for selling liquor in Chestertown, verdict not guilty. H. W. Vickers, Jr. for defense.

Samuel Cann was tried for violating local option law and adjudged not guilty. J. D. Urie for defense.

Robert Clayton was tried for receiving stolen hides and acquitted. S. Scott Beck and H. W. Vickers, Jr., for the defense.

Theodore Butler was acquitted of the charge of larceny of money from Kennedyville depot. Herbert Perkins for defense.

Chas. Rasin was tried before jury for violating local option law and found not guilty. H. W. Vickers, Jr., for Rasin.

State vs. Elisha Skull for violating local option law resulted in acquittal. L. W. Wickes for defense.

Bertie Jones was convicted of selling liquor in Chestertown and given six months in House of Correction. H. W. Vickers, Jr., for defense.

There are four civil cases yet to be tried.

Henry Mercer, tried for selling liquor, was acquitted. S. S. Beck, attorney.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. J. M. Sheridan will preach in Christ M. P. Church Sunday morning and Wesley Chapel at night.

It is reported that a committee from Mt. Vernon M. E. Church, Baltimore, were in Chestertown Sunday with a view to inviting Dr. L. E. Barrett to become their pastor. The result of their visit has not been learned.

Miss Bessie Wheatley lead the song service in Christ Church Sunday evening and made an excellent address on "Humility." Mr. J. H. Shuster sang a baritone solo, "Just for Today."

M. E. Church South, Chesterville—Sunday School at 9.30 a. m., preaching at 10.30 a. m., League at 7.30 p. m.

Trinity M. E. Church South, Millington—Sunday School at 2 p. m., preaching at 3 p. m., League at 7.30 p. m., preaching at 8 p. m.

Rt. Rev. John J. Monaghan, Bishop of Wilmington, will confirm a large class of children at Sacred Heart Church Sunday evening at 7.30 P. M., and conduct mass at 10.30 A. M., when the children will receive first holy communion. Public cordially invited.

A FIRE broke out Wednesday afternoon about the chimney of Davis & Satterfields' shops on Cross street but was soon extinguished. The alarm came near breaking up Court!

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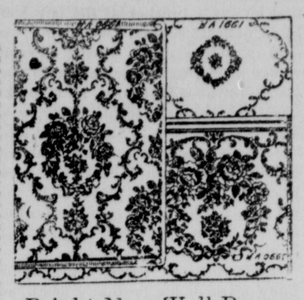

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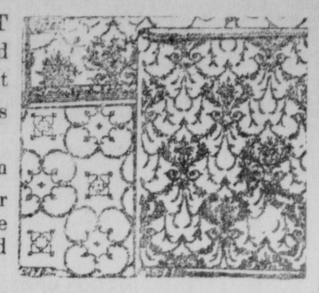

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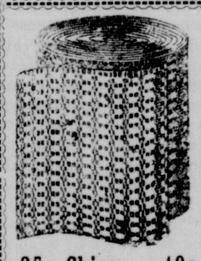

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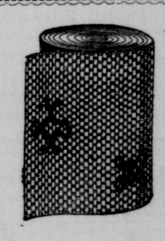

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New Ginghams, Pretty Percales and Madras, all new spring patterns and you take your choice 12½c.

Light Shirting Prints, Dark Calicoes and Apron Ginghams. Special, 5c.

Hamburgs reduced. Large stock just opened.

5c Hamburgs, now	3c
8c and 10c Hamburgs, now	5c
12½c Hamburgs, now	7½c
15c and 18c Hamburgs, at	10c

Edgings to match. All on counter sale.

Muslin Specials, 7½c

We have purchased 2,000 yards Fine Bleached Muslin, full yard wide, extra fine finish and worth 10c a yard; our trade gets the benefit at 7½c.

Unbleached Muslin, 5c

Fine Unbleached Muslin, yard wide. now 5c.

Table Oil Cloth, 12½c

The Best Fancy Table Oil Cloth, now 12½c. Full stock your choice, 12½c.

25c Towels for 15c

A large lot of extra 25c Linen Huck Towels, in full size and the best values we have ever offered. Choice of entire lot 15c.

Fine Dress Goods, 50c

This includes the fine Spring Serges, Panama, Batiste, Mohair and All Wool Suitings, worth up to 75c yd., choice at 50c.

Large selection in this lot.

Ladies' Hose, 12½c

Ladies' Fine 18c Black Hose now on sale at 12½c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests, 10c

Lot Ladies' Fine Bleached Gauze Vests, worth 15c, for 10c.

Ladies' Fancy Collars,

Ties, Belts, Buckles and all the new fixings for spring.

Marseilles Bed Spreads, 98c

Lot Fine Bed Spreads, worth $1.25 and $1.50, on sale at 98c.

STYLISH RUNABOUTS!
$45.00 Specials for $39.00.
We carry a large line of Fine Runabouts and at right down prices—$42.50, $47.50, $50.00 upwards.
See our new Carriage Department.
Terms made satisfactory.
Our Harness exhibit attracts attention. Savings of from 15 to 20 per cent. on each set.

Next Wednesday Sale on
"Assorted White Enamel Ware"
For 9 Cents

On next Wednesday we place on sale a large lot of Heavy White and White Enamel Ware including PRINCESS KETTLES, WATER PAILS, SAUCE PANS, etc., worth up to 50c each, choice for only 9c.

This ware is extra double coated, runs fine and is the best ware we ever had on sale. It is light mottled blue, nearly white inside and out, very heavy and if you are fortunate to get one of these Pails or Kettles it will wear for years Only one to a customer same as heretofore. Don't miss this 9 cent sale next Wednesday.