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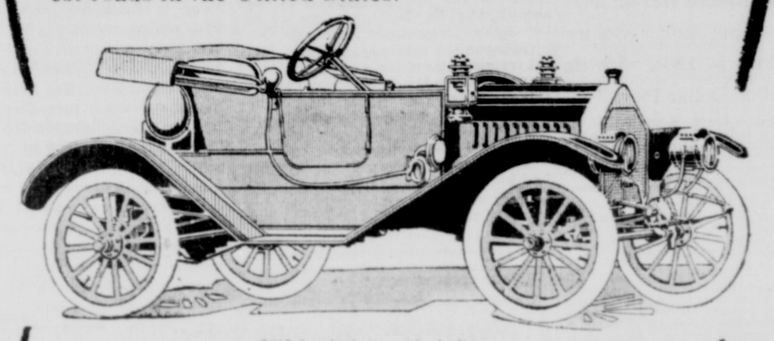
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CENTRAL GARAGE

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Carry a warm blanket with you every time you drive away from the farm. You may intend to come right home without hitching, but one can never foresee the delay that may compel you to hitch your horse in the open.

There is no better germ slayer than an ounce of carbolic acid added to a pail of whitewash. Give the walls and ceiling of the henhouse a good coating, working it in rather thick in the cracks and crevices.

Be a friend of your poultry. When fowls fly through the windows upon entering the poultry-house is a pretty good sign that something is wrong. Let your hens know you always have something for them.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE NOTES.

Basket ball has been a declining sport at this college for the past few years, in fact, there has never been a quintet to represent Washington in an inter-collegiate contest, and for the past three years we have had not even a class game. This winter has been marked by a revival of the sport and the dull winter evenings have been enlivened by several exciting class games. This revival is due to Mr. Turner, our energetic athletic director, who has gone into this work, not merely to have class games, but to arouse enough spirit and interest in this game so as to call forth a squad from which a team can be selected to represent the college.

Mr. Turner's efforts should have the hearty support of all the students, for all of our sister colleges of the State have basket ball teams, and we should surely have a team to represent us, too, and not allow ourselves to be left out as present. There is, also, a long period between the close of football season and the opening of baseball season during which there is nothing to claim the attention of the students and when "college spirit" seems to rust through disuse. To have a varsity basket ball team would fill this period with interest and expectancy just as during base ball and foot ball seasons and constant use would burnish our spirit to a brilliant lusture.

For the benefit and entertainment of the students Dr. Cain has spent considerable time in arranging a series of lectures to be delivered in the college chapel during the winter He has succeeded in arranging an excellent programme of entertainments as the following schedule shows: Jan. 5, "The Music Master," by Noah Beilharz; Jan. 19, "Victor Hugo," by Christian Gauss; Feb. 16, "Peking—Battlefield Between the Old and the New," by Dr. Tayokichi Iyenaga; March 6, "King Lear," by Henry Lawrence Southwick; March 15, "Folk-Song and Folk-Lore in Shakespeare," by A. Foxton Ferguson; Mar. 29, "Jungle People," by Sylvester A. Long.

Mr. Beilharz and Prof. Gauss have both proven themselves to be very interesting and were highly enjoyed by all those who heard them. Of those who are yet to appear, the past lectures of Dr. Iyenaga, Pres. Southwick and Mr. Furgeson are sufficient and excellent recommendations. We have never heard Mr. Long, but judging from the excellence of the lectures that Dr. Cain has always arranged we are sure that Mr. Long will be appreciated by all who hear him.

The attendance at the lectures already given might have been and should have been very much larger than it was. It is the duty of all the students to be present at these lectures for several reasons. First, because they were arranged for their benefit and entertainment and those who do not attend them cheat themselves, for the lectures certainly have met the requirements and have been so scheduled that they do not interfere with other work. Moreover, each student is obliged to lend his presence on these occasions, even though he expects to be bored, for these gentlemen have been invited to speak by the college and, therefore, courtesy demands the presence of every one of us when these gentlemen come. Finally, Dr. Cain had our interests at heart when he made out this program, and absence shows an ungrateful lack of appreciation.

GALENA ITEMS.

Mrs. G. E. Hicks spent a part of last week with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Nora Baxter, of Sudlersville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Grove Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis spent the week-end with relatives in West Chester, Pa.

Fires in our vicinity are becoming far too numerous for our people to enjoy their slumber.

Miss Emma Robinson, of Templeville, spent part of last week with her cousin, Miss Pearl Ford.

Mr. Homer Benton, of Sudlersville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele last week.

Mrs. George Clough, with her little daughter, Anna, spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Merma Nickerson.

February 25th is the day set apart for the Temperance Anniversary in Olivet M. E Church. All are expecting a great day.

Miss Emily Caldwell, daughter of Mr. S. G. Caldwell, has been quite sick during the past week, but is able to be up once more.

Skating parties every day! The old and young alike wend their way to the mill pond daily for a few hours of the healthful sport.

Miss Mattie Whitaker, with her friend Miss Anthony, of Pomona, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ella Whitaker.

The two J. E. L. Clubs, "Knights of Nineteenth Century" and "Daughters of America," entertained the whole Junior League on the evening of St. Valentine's Day.

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Eben Chrisfield last Wednesday evening. After the business hour and a literary program, all were invited to the dining room, where a sumptuous supper was served.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Everett, daughter of Mr. Moffett, of Golts, formerly a resident of Galena, died at her home last Friday night of tuberculosis. Funeral services Tuesday morning in Golt M. E. Church, in charge of Rev. O. H. Connelly; interment in Galena cemetery.

Alice Shropshire, the 4 year-old granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Starr, has been quite ill at the home of her grandmother, but is reported better today. Her father, Mr. Harry Shropshire, of Camden, N. J. returned to his home on Monday.

The entertainment held in the Town Hall Friday evening, under the auspices of the Ushers Union, was voted a great success by all present. Long live "Prof. Pendergrass" and his crowd of *well behaved* pupils. Thirty-five dollars was taken in at the door and fifteen dollars on ice-cream and cake.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Merchant gathered at their home last Saturday evening to celebrate with them the twentieth anniversary of their wedding. The occasion was one long to be remembered by all who were present. Mr. and Mrs. Merchant received many beautiful and useful presents, and every one hopes them many more happy anniversaries.

The Sunday evening services at Olivet M. E Church were given to the observa-

SLEIGHING ON THE BAY!

Young Men of Betterton Canter Across Chesapeake Bay on Horse—Others Ride Across in Sleighs!

[From KENT NEWS of January 28, 1893.]

The oldest residenter of Kent county cannot recall incidents such as has transpired during the past week. And seems almost beyond belief that such things could have occurred. Boys are naturally venturesome and for several days several young men of near Betterton have planned a trip across the bay. Quite a number heard them talking but it was not generally believed that they would carry out the plan. But the young men meant it and accordingly started from Barnard's at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. They were Walter W. Crowding, Jacob B. Crowding, sons of Jacob B. Crowding, of near Lynch's, and Carson Harris, son of James S. Harris, of near Still Pond. For three miles Walter Crowding lead the way then Carson Harris took the lead and at times all three were bunched together. The young men were seen by the NEWS reporter and they were proud of their feat. Not for an instant did they feel afraid and the ice did not crack nor give any signs whatever of weakening. They went ashore at Sandy Point, in Harford county, pulled some grass and started for the return. Some difficulty was experienced in landing as the ice was piled up considerably on the shore. The trip across was made in one hour and a half, but the return is claimed to have been made in forty five minutes! The distance is over seven miles, some say nine miles. Persons at Betterton watched the riders with spy glasses and substantiated the story. The horses combined weight is over 3500 pounds and the way they ran across the ice was certainly thrilling but at the same time dangerous. Two of the horses were black and own sisters, named "Daisy" and "Ribbon." The ice was covered with snow which assisted the horses very much.

But a feat equally as great, if not more hazardous, was that accomplished by James S. Harris, Jr., on Tuesday. He harnessed his horse to a sleigh and startted from Barnard's wharf just before noon for a ride on the bay. He was watched for a long distance and no one knew where he had gone until a telegram was received from him Wednesday sent from Havre de Grace. He arrived at his home near Still Pond Wednesday afternoon and reported the journey a pleasant one without any mishaps whatever. The distance is *seventeen* miles! What next.

Capt. Ned Crew says he has heard his father tell of the time when salt was a necessity at Betterton. He harnessed four horses to a big wagon drove across to Harford and from thence to Baltimore where he purchased some salt and returned to Betterton with his heavy load. This was at least one hundred years ago.

A man by name of Gale rode across the bay at Betterton in 1780.

Mr. Raymond Sparks, of Church Hill, started from Queenstown Monday and rode in a sleigh up the middle of Chester river to Booker's wharf. Persons at Quaker Neck saw the sleigh go across Corsica creek, then up the river passing Deep Point.

On Saturday, 21st, Capt. Daniel Friel and Blane Cross left Queenstown at 4 p. m. with a horse and sleigh and drove across Chester river to Bogle's wharf and landed on the Kent side and returned about 6 p. m. They drove across the track the ice boat made on her way to Chestertown after the prisoners. They said the track seemed as strong as any other part, only it was rough. This is the first time in the knowledge of the oldest inhabitant that a horse was ever driven across Chester river.

ILLEGAL CHECKS.

Rev. J. E. Nicholson, of Crumpton, calls attention to law which but few persons know is on the books. He writes thus:

"I have found a general ignorance of the fact that Congress has enacted a law making it illegal to send out a check for less than one dollar, and I am prompted to send you a copy of the law, kindly furnished me by Hon. J. Harry Covington, for publication, as something that concerns the public generally."

"S. 2602.—An act to codify, revise and amend the penal laws of the United States. Approved March 3, 1909. In effect January 1, 1910.

"Sec. 175.—No person shall make, issue, circulate or pay out any note, check, memorandum, token or other obligation for a less sum than one dollar, intended to circulate as money or to be received or used in lieu of lawful money of the United States and every person so offending shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than six months or both."

CHESTERVILLE NOTES.

Emmanuel Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m., by Rev. E. V. Regester, P. E. Trinity Sunday school 2 p. m., Preaching 3 p. m., by Rev. E. V. Regester, 7.30 p. m.

Mr. J. J. Lockwood is still critically ill at the home of his son Mr. J. J. Lockwood, Jr.

While experimenting with a 32 calibre self-acting revolver, Harry Dwyer put a bullet in his leg about three inches above the knee which followed the bone lodging below the knee cap. Dr. Brice is attending him.

Mrs. Joshua Davis, of Wilmington, who formerly lived here, died in that city last week and was buried in Chesterville cemetery Monday.

Sunday will be Missionary Rally Day in Emmanuel and Trinity. Be sure to hear the sermons by Rev. E. V. Regester.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Jolls who were visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. John E Edwards, returned to their home in Middletown, Del. Monday.

Mr. Raymond Edwards' home is presided over by a new superintendent—Master John James Edwards.

WEDDING BELLS

CROSSLEY—BUCHANAN.

Miss Sadie Buchanan, daughter of Mrs. Mary Buchanan, of Centreville, and Mr. John W. Crossley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crossley, of Kinsale, Va. were married Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Cranor, of near Chestertown. The ceremony took place at 11 o'clock and was performed by the Rev. Mr. Thornton, of Chestertown.

SEVEN YEARS OF MISERY

How Mrs. Bethune was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Sikeston, Mo. — "For seven years I suffered everything. I was in bed for four or five days at a time every month, and so weak I could hardly walk. I had cramps, backache and headache, and was so nervous and weak that I dreaded to see anyone or have anyone move in the room. The doctors gave me medicine to ease me at those times, and said that I ought to have an operation. I would not listen to that, and when a friend of my husband's told him about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for his wife, I was willing to take it. Now I look the picture of health and feel like it, too. I can do all my own housework, work in the garden and entertain company and enjoy them, and can walk as far as any ordinary woman, any day in the week. I wish I could talk to every suffering woman and girl, and tell them what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. DEMA BETHUNE, Sikeston, Mo.

Remember, the remedy which did this was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration, after all other means have failed. Why don't you try it?

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ROCK HALL BROOM FACTORY.

I have purchased the Rock Hall Broom Factory and wish to let the farmers and others know that I am in a position to handle their broom straw in large or small lots and will make it up for one half or buy the straw from you. Come see us or write us.

FRANK I. PARSONS,
oct7-3m. Rock Hall, Md.

THE HUB'S BIG DOUBLE STORES THE HUB'S BIG DOUBLE STORES

Special Announcement

On account of the extremely cold weather some of my patrons were unable to attend the great ANNIVERSARY SALE and in order to give everyone of my friends an opportunity to participate in this great money saving event we will extend this sale until the end of this month.

NOTICE!

Some people are apt to form a conclusion that because the prices in this advertisement are so low that we'll be unable to furnish the goods at the advertised prices. The facts are that we never advertise an article unless we have same in stock. It may have happened to you to attend a sale even on the first day and ask for a certain article as advertised and the clerk would tell you sold out. IF WE ADVERTISE IT, WE HAVE IT.



This Sale Will Be Continued Until the End of This Month.



DOLLARS saved are Dollars earned. The purchasing power of your dollar is what you make it. If we show you how you can get two dollars actual value for only one, its your own fault if you don't take advantage of it. Are you contented to pay the regular prices for your clothes when you can come to this sale and make your dollar go twice as far.

Ladies Suits and Overcoats

At About Half Price and Less

Up to $7.00 Ladies' Suits and Overcoats at only $3.90
Up to $8.50 Ladies' Suits and Overcoats at only $4.75
Up to $12.00 Ladies' Suits and Overcoats at only $6.50
Up to $15.00 Ladies' Suits and Overcoats at only $7.25
Up to $18.00 Ladies' Suits and Overcoats at only $8.90
Up to $3.00 Ladies' Hats at only $1.29
Up to 45c Ladies' Waists at only 19c
Up to 75c Ladies Waists at only 38c

Up to 75c Men's Working Shirts and Overalls, only 29c
Up to $4.00 Girls' Fine Coats, sizes 6 to 14, at only $1.79
Up to 75c Girls' Dresses, 6 to 14, at only 39c
Up to $3.00 Fine Sample Skirts at only $1.89
Up to 50c Wool Stocking Caps at only 9c
Up to $3.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats at only $1.98
Up to 35c Ladies' Underwear ribbed fleece, at only 19c
Up to 7c Children's Handkerchiefs, at only 2½c
Up to 5c Children's Handkerchiefs, at only 1c
Up to $10.00 Men's Odd Suits, small sizes, at only $3.49

Up to 35c Suspenders, good elastic, only 12½c
Up to $1.25 Childs' Tan Button Shoes, at only 69c
Up to 75c Men's and Women's Coat Sweaters, at only 38c
Up to 50c Men's and Women's Neck Mufflers, at only 9c
Up to 75c Men's Fine Dress Shirts, at only 38c
Up to 8c Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, at only 5¾c
Up to $2.00 Men's Fine Coat Sweaters, at only 98c
Up to 12½c Men's Linen Collars, at only 5c
Up to 35c Men's Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, only 19c
Up to $1.50 Men's Good Pants, at only 89c

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Up to $6.75 Men's Suits and Overcoats at only $3.50
Up to $8.00 Men's Suits and Overcoats at only $4.90
Up to $9.50 Men's Suits and Overcoats at only $6.00
Up to $15.00 Men's Suits and Overcoats at only $7.50
Up to $15.00 Men's Suits and Overcoats at only $8.90
Up to $2.50 Men's Corduroy Pants, now at only $1.29
Up to $1.50 Men's Fine Soft or Stiff Hats 89c
Up to 75c Boys' Extra 38c

Investigate the remarkable bargains this sale offers. Come See—examine—see with your own eyes what High-Grade Goods you can buy with little money while they last.

Hundreds of other bargains. Bring this ady. with you.