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Beginning To-Day!

We inaugurate our usual

Semi-Annual Reduction Sale!

of all

Spring & Summer Merchandise

in the house, consisting of

Suits for Men, Youths and Children, Shirts, Hosiery and Underwear

This is no new process with us for the purpose of disposing quickly the remaining stock at the end of each season, hence an excess of comment is unnecessary. Suffice to say, with the long established confidence of the majority our sales always bring liberal responses.

So then, to those who wait for our announcements we say, we're ready for you, and cordially solicit an early inspection, as just now we have a very good assortment to show you.

☞ Seperate Trousers, Straw Hats, B. V. D. and Poros Knit Underwear all included in this sale.

MOODY & LUSBY

Directly Opposite Court House

Chestertown, - Maryland

LOCAL NOTES

THE superintendent and trainer at Worton race track, John Mallalieu, has resigned and removed to Queen Anne's.

A FARMER, near Fairlee, had five acres of crimson clover from which he says he realized as much as from his whole wheat crop.

MRS. C. D McCLARY, on Kent Circle, has a beautiful Hydranger in bloom. Some of the blooms measure over 12 inches in diameter.

THE Dr. Finley farm on South East Creek has been rented to Mr. Wm. R. Clough, of Chestertown, who will return to his first love—farming.

THE ground about the fine home of J. D. Urie, Esq., on Chester river has been improved by a cement walk and by the removal of fences, grading, etc.

THE Kent Land Co. has sold to Dr. Norman Dudley, of Queen Anne's, the "White House" farm near Urieville mill for $11,000. This is a fine farm.

P. M. BROOKS, new owner of Radcliffe mills, is pushing the sale of his "Rose Bud" flour. It is said to be superior to any on the market, and cheaper.

TOM RIGBY, a well-known colored resident of Chestertown, suffered so much from a frost-bitten foot that he was compelled to have the foot amputated.

THE best yield of honev yet reported is that by Mr. Spencer Biddle. He took 92 pounds from one hive and has shipped over 700 pounds from his colony this year.

THE continued wet weather has greatly hindered farmers in threshing and many are concerned lest it will injure the excellent prospect for tomatoes. Corn is doing finely.

A RESIDENT of Chestertown embarked in raising chickens. He sent off and bought twelve little Orpington chicks at $1 each, two of which died and eight of the others proved to be roosters!

WM. G. SMYTH has purchased from Mrs. Carolene L. Hynson, through Hon. Wm. M. Slay, attorney, the Thos. J. Vickers farm situated in Broad Neck. The price paid is said to be $3,000.

THE Lyceum Theater and Amusement Company is advertising for proposals from contractors to build a brick theater building 41x121 ft., three stories, on the lot corner Cross and Cannon streets, Chestertown.

THROUGH the good offices of the Ladies Town Improvement Society, a number of iron cans have been placed about the streets in the business section of the town as receptacles for waste paper and other litter.

G. S. BIDDLE, of Rock Hall, President of the Wilson Club there, killed a five-foot black snake as he was crossing his front yard Saturday. This is symbolical of what "Cousin" George's club will do to the enemy this fall.

A. HESSEY died in a Baltimore hospital last week from blood poison caused by the fin of a catfish pricking his hand while fishing in Gunpowder river. Capt. Dan. Cox says if he had applied a "tobacco poultice" to it no harm would have resulted.

THE reputation of Chestertown as a summer resort still increases. Last week the NEWS noted the fact that some residents were sleeping under blankets. This week we note the fact that some of our residents had to start their furnaces in order to keep warm! There's no place like old Kent.

IN order to give the owners of fast horses in Kent, Cecil and Queen Anne counties a chance to show off before a big crowd, Superintendent Noland, of Tolchester Beach has arranged to hold two big matinee races at the resort on August 27 and 28. This will be the first time in several years that Tolchester will not hold a county fair.

THE marriage of Miss Elsie Rosalie Noble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Soloman Maddox Noble, to Mr. William Robert Huey, of Chestertown, is announced to take place in the Bethel Methodist Episcopal Church, near Federalsburg, on Thursday, August 1st, at noon. Miss Noble is a former teacher in Caroline and a fine young lady.

P. M. BROOKS, owner of Radcliffe Mill, says it pays to advertise. Not only did his Rose Bud flour advertisement bring him new customers last week but sufficient to pay for his adv. in the NEWS for a year! He also advertised for a desk and safe and before midnight Saturday the NEWS adv. had brought the answer. If you want *business* Progressiveness, use the NEWS.

SEVERAL hundred Poles from Philadelphia, Chester und Wilmington, arrived at Elkton Sunday morning by special train over the P. B. & W. Railroad and proceeded to Chesapeake City in vehicles of every description, where they participated in the dedication of a colony to be located along the Delaware and Chesapeake Canal. Over a thousand acres of ground has been bought for development purposes. After religious services the day was spent in picnic style.

A. H. KEENER, of York, Pa., a traveling evangelist, was in Chestertown Sunday. Carrying in one hand a large umbrella which bore on all sides inscriptions from the Bible, and in the other a canvas bag which, he said, contained all his worldly possessions, he held several services on the street. He wore a full and flowing beard and his long black hair fell about his shoulders. He has been traveling for twelve years. Since March ninth he has tramped 1500 miles and has delivered 540 sermons. He claimed to be a "Progressive" in that every one who did not believe in his anti-Sabbath doctrine was going to h——.

MARRIED, in Chestertown, Saturday evening, July 20, by Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., Elmer McClain and Miss Dollie Johnson both of Chestertown.

WALTER B. HARRIS, one of Kent's progressive farmers, has purchased an auto truck from Turner & Son to be used on his farm and especially in his orchards.

THE Chestertown M. E. Church and Sunday school will run a moonlight excursion from Chestertown next Thursday, Aug. 1. A good time is promised.

THE Kent and Queen Anne's Trotting Association was formed Thursday in Chestertown. Mr. James G. Beck was elected president and Mr. Herbert Skipper, secretary.

Wm. C. Sutton has purchased a lot 20x48 feet from Julia Johnson on Cannon street on which he will erect an automobile machine shop. The second story will be used for supplies and repairs of all kinds.

THE farm near Still Pond known as the "Gunneries" and tenanted for some years by Mr. Max Price has been sold at private sale to Mr. Harry Price, of near Betterton. Mr. Herman Crew will tenant the farm next year.

MANY subscribers have paid their subscriptions this week. There are a number yet who have not paid. We cannot continue to send such this paper, even if we desire to do so. Please bring or send us the amount at once, so we can continue to send you the best county paper in the State.

THE shoot at Betterton this week brought some noted men to Kent. There were 35 marksmen who faced the traps. Among them were Prof. Sousa, the noted band master; E. G. Daniels, son of the late Senator Daniels, of West Virginia; Walter Whiteford, Capt. Jas. Malone, J. H. Minnick, Atwell, Pote, Pennington and others.

THE public sales the past week have resulted satisfactory to the owners of the property. At the Nickerson sale Thursday horses brought $150, cows from $40 to $50, four sows $49, etc., etc. The Gowman and Maurer sales were well attended also and stock brought good prices.

THE latest recruit to the automobile ranks is Mr. Randolph Waddell with an E. M. F. purchased of J. H. Sides.

THE Slaughter house in Crumpton has been sold by Wm. M. Slay, Esq., attorney, to Mr. Joseph H. Smith.

Races at Tolchester.—In place of the Fair this year, two days racing will be held at Tolchester on August 27 and 28. Four races each day, with cash prizes of nearly $2,000. The first day August 27th there will be a 2 24 trot, a 2 23 pace, 2 19 pace and a local race. The second day August 28th there will be a 2.20 trot, a 2.15 pace and a 2.16 trot.

School Notes.—As foreshadowed in the NEWS last week, Miss Anna B. Smyth, daughter of Prof. Jefferson L Smyth, has been appointed teacher in the Chestertown High School in place of Miss Bertha Jump, resigned.

Miss Myra Wheat has been named as teacher of "Middle School," in Quaker Neck, vice Miss Groves, resigned.

Miss Anne Marie Gillespie has been appointed assistant at Massey.

Owing to small attendance during the past year the school board on Tuesday ordered Hopewell school, near Chestertown, closed. The pupils will be brought to Chestertown.

Morris Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Jones, of Fairlee, was appointed to a scholarshin in the Maryland School of Art and Design, Baltimore.

Lewin Howard's scholarship privileges at Charlotte Hall School were extended a year in order that he might graduate.

Prof. Harry P. Porter, A. B., a well-known and successful Maryland educator, has been appointed to a chair in English at the Polytechnic Institute, Baltimore. He received his degree at Washington College in 1905. After taking special courses in Chicago, Cornell and Johns Hopkins Universities, he taught in the Greensboro, Md., High School for two years, after which he spent four years as principal of the Belair, Md., High School.

Miss Avis Dodd has resigned her appointment at Pomona and accepted a school at Savage, Howard county.

Severe Accidents.—On Monday last Miss Georgia A. Thumlert and Miss Fowle were driving across the private road of Mr. Walter T. Morris when in some manner a bad rut was struck and the runabout turned over. In the fall Miss Thumblert had her arm broken, head cut and other bruises. Miss Fowle was not hurt. Dr. H. G. Simpers rendered surgical aid and she is getting along very well.

Mr. J. P. Decorse stepped out on the shaft of his dearborn Monday in order to unrein his horse so that he might drink from the river in front of Collins' gate, and in doing so the shaft broke throwing him in the river. The splash scared the horse and he walked off causing the dearborn wheels to pass over Mr. Decorse. Fortunately he was not seriously hurt.

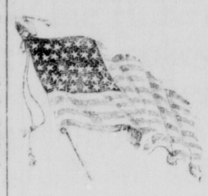
Accidents.—While Mr. E. J. Watson was driving a pair of horses near the old depot in Chestertown on Tuesday last they became frightened and started to run. A bolt in the dearborn tongue broke as also the harness and they got away throwing Mr. Watson out. He received a number of bruises, but outside of a hard shaking up no permanent injuries. The horses were cut in several places.

Paul King, the young son of Mr. Walter King, on the Jarrell farm in Morgnec, was kicked by a horse the other day and severely hurt.

Yachting Party.—The beautiful Chester river is the scene of many pleasure parties these hot summer days. None enjoys its cooling breezes and magnificent scenery more than Mr. Benj. M. Hazel, of Millington. Nearly every day his trim yacht, the "Hazepa," with a jolly party aboard can be seen wending its way up and down this beautiful expanse of water. On Monday he paid a visit to Chestertown with the following party: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mallalieu, Mrs. McAdoo, Salem, N. C., Miss Julia Cacy, Miss Nan Dudley, Miss Mabel Price, Miss Ruby Ahern and friend; Sol. Pippin, of Philadelphia; Benj. M. Hazel and two daughters.

Wm. Medders & Co. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS **Wm. Medders & Co.**

'TIS OUR MID-SUMMER SALE!



"A REAL HOUSE-CLEANING." The Trade always appreciates STANDARD GOODS and when such values these are offered you can depend upon "SOMETHING DOING."

"If you visit our place you know for yourself, if you do not the loss is mutual."

20c Silk Ribbons, 10c
Large lot of New Silk Ribbons, in wide widths, and all colors and a good 20c Silk Taffeta Ribbons.
SPECIAL SALE, 10c YD.

Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose, 19c
Lot Ladies Fine Gauze Lisle Hose, in black and tan, very best quality 25c stockings.
SPECIAL SALE, 19c.

Ladies' Silk Tape Vests, 10c
The best 19c Gauze Vests with Silk Tape and extra fine quality.
SPECIAL SALE, 10c.

Pure Linen Huck Towels, 19c
Lot of the Fine "All Linen" Huck Towels, full size and very best 25c values.
SPECIAL SALE, 19c.

Ladies' Fine Handkerchiefs, 5c
Lot of the best 10c Ladies Handkerchiefs nicely hem-stitched and embroidered corner.
SPECIAL SALE, 5c.

Men's Good Pants, $1.98
Lot of the Men's best pants in $2.50 and $2.75 quality, all sizes.
SPECIAL SALE, $1.98

Next Wednesday
SALE ON
Large Agate Dish Pans
With the New Roll-Rim
For 9 Cents

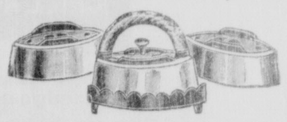
Something new in Dish Pans, a rolled rim in place of handles, made of heavy grey enamel ware, size 14 quarts, deep, seamless and with the new roll-rim. No handles to pull off all select agate and a surprise for next Wednesday. You take your choice for 9 cents

Only one Pan to a customer or family same as heretofore and price only cents.

Don't overlook one of these good Dish Pans on next Wednesday.

$1.75 Canvas Hammocks $1.25
$6.00 Lawn Swings $4.75
$1.25 Croquet Sets 98c

Mrs. Potts' Irons, 69c



The Best $1.00 Potts' Flat Irons, complete set, only 69c

$1.00 Blue Enamel Dish Pans at 50c

$1.00 17-Quart Seamless Dish Pans, mottled blue, with porcelain lining, all perfect. On Sale at 50c.

$1.00 Blue Enamel Tea Kettles at 50c

Large $1.00 Mottled Blue Enamel, White Lined Tea Kettles, all perfect. On Sale at 50c.

New 5c and 10c Department
1s Over-run With Bargains

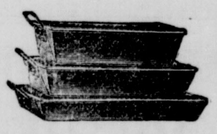
Galv. Buckets, 10c

Full 10-Quart 20c Good Galvanize Buckets on sale at 10c.

Preserve Kettles, 10c

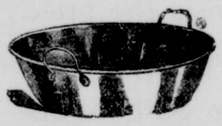
Good 5-Quart 25c Agate Preserve Kettles for only 10c.

Drip Pans, 10c



Good 25c Iron Drip Pans, assorted sizes, made strong and heavy, on sale 10c

Tin Dish Pans 10c

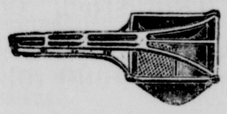


15-Quart Seamless Tin Dish Pans are on sale, 10c.

Berry Bowls, 10c

Large 20c Glass Bowls, now 10c.

Menis Fruit Press, 10c

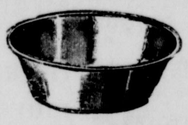


The 20c Genuine Menis Fruit Press on sale at 10c.

2-Quart Buckets, 5c

10c Tin Buckets for 5c.

6-Quart Dairy Pans, 5c



10c Deep Pudding Pans, 5c.

Good Hammers, 5c

10c Claw Hammers, 5c.

10c Large Agate Spoons 5c
10 Large Glass Berry Bowls 5c
10c Drip Pans, size 8x10 ..... 5c
10c Talcum Powder 5c
10c Steel Fry Pans 5c
10c Large Scrub Brushes 5c
10c Agate Pans 5c

20c Blue Enamel Pudding Pans 10c
20c Agate Dish Pans 10c
20c Seamless Sauce Pans, with cover 10c
20c Brass Curtain Rods 10c
20c Good Carriage Whips 10c
20c Steel Fry Pans 10c
20c Wire Cloths Line 10c

Bargains in Dry Goods Depart

Fine Ginghams, 10c
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12½c New Plaids and Stripes, now all 10c

Table Damask, 35c
The Best 50 cent Mercerized Table Damask, sale price 35c.

Table Napkins, 95c
Large $1.50 Mercerized Table Napkins, extra fine finish, per dozen, 95c.

Fringed Doylies, 2c
Pretty Fringed Doylies, with border, on sale at only 2c each.

Fine Cambric Muslin, 10c
Pretty Cambric, like Lonsdale, on sale at only 10c per yard.

Cotton Toweling, 3c
Bleached Cotton Crash, for towels, on sale at only 3c per yard.

Blouse Linen, 19c
Best All-Linen Blouse Suiting, yard wide, on sale at only 19c per yard.

Raime Cloth, 15c
Best 36-inch Raime Cloth, in all colors, on sale at 15c yard.

Ladies' Long Cloth, 10c
Extra Quality 15c Ladies' Long Cloth, soft finish, sale price only 10c per yard.

Good Huck Towels, 7½c
The Hemmed Huck Towels, like you pay 12½c for, on sale at only 7½c.

Fine India Linen, 10c
The Pretty 15c Sheer India Linen, on sale at only 10c per yard.

Fine Persian Lawns, 15c
The Best 25c Persian Lawns will be on sale at only 15c per yard.

Fine Voiles and Dimities, 15c
The Very Best 25c White Goods, in Flaxons and Lawns, on sale at 15c yard.

White Bed Quilts, 95c
The $1.25 White Crochet Bed Quilts, full size, sale price 95c.

Extra Quality Quilts, $1.39
The Best $2.00 White Bed Quilts, very fine, sale price $1 39.

Fine Organdies, 10c
Best 15c Printed Organdies, beautiful new designs, 10c per yard.

Bleached Sheeting, 19c
The Best 25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting on sale at 19c per yard.

Bleached Sheeting, 25c
The 33c Fine Sheeting will be on sale at only 25c per yard.

Good Unbleached Muslin 5c
Just the Muslin, per yard, only 5c

Fine Bed Sheets, 65c
The Best 90c Bed Sheets, full size and hemmed, linen finish, sale price 65c each.

Best Pillow Cases, 12½c
The 19c Pillow Cases, size 45x36, extra quality, sale price 12½c each.

Cheap Pillow Cases, 8c
The 12½c Pillow Cases, on sale at only 8c each.

Japanese Mattings, 19c
The Best 25c Cotton Warp Matting, extra quality, sale price 19c per yard.

Linoleums. (heavy) 95c
The Best $1.25 Calk Linoleums, 2 yards wide, good patterns, sale price 95c yard.

Ladies $1.25 and $1.50 Best Tailored Waists 85c
75c Best Waists 49c
40c Corset Covers 29c
50c Corset Covers 35c

Ladies $1.25 Embroidered Skirts, good quality 85c
$1.25 Silk Trimmed Gowns 85c
50c Muslin Drawers 35c
69c Best Muslin Drawers 45c

Children's 50c Rompers 35c
Misses 75c Dresses 45c
Ladies $1.25 White Linen Skirts 85c
Ladies $1.50 Petticoats 95c
Ladies 15c Fine Vests 10c