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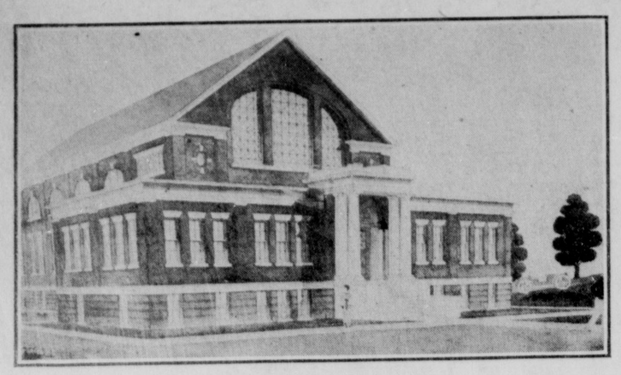

The New Gymnasium at Washington College, Chestertown, Maryland.

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

OUR NEW FALL GOODS are arriving daily. We already have prepared for your inspection the finest, most complete and up-to-date lines of merchandise in the county.

We call particular attention to the departments mentioned below.

Dry Goods	Merchant Tailoring
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The very latest Novelties in Wearing Apparel. We invite your thorough inspection of our various Departments, and assure you of the most courteous treatment. Keep an eye open for our later advertisements.

Don't fail to give us a call. We will appreciate the opportunity to show you through the above mentioned lines. Every Department is complete.

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Kilbourn & Bramble's, New Store at Fairlee

—Is Filled With New Line of—

Fall and Winter Merchandise

10 Outing Flannel; sale price...5½c
10 Bleached Muslin sale price...8½c
10c Canton Flaunel sale price...8½c
$5 Raincoat, sale price $3.75
$12.50 Raincoat, sale price... 9.00
$4 Boys raincoat sale price..... 2.75
$3 Leather " sale price 2.00
$2.50 Gunning Coat 2.00
$2.50 Corduroy Pants 2.00
Our line of Men's and Boy's Clothing will please you, 100 styles to select from.
Men's Suits.....$5.00 to $15.00
FREE $1.00 WATCH!

To advertise our new line of Boys Suits, prices from $2 50 to $4.00, will give a watch with each suit.

$15,00 Couch, sale price $12 00
$12.00 Couch, " " $10.00
$10 00 " " " 8.00
$6.00 " " " 5.00
Buffets from $5, $10, $16.00 and $20
Bed Room Suit $9, $12.50 and $18
Iron Bed $1.50
Two-piece Mattress for $3.00
Linoleum 1 yd wide for 35c
Linoleum 2 yd wide.....40c
1 yd Oilcloth.....25c yd
50c Wool Carpet.....39c yd
25c Jap Matting 40 yd $7.90 roll
22½c China Matting 40 yd $7.50 roll
COOK STOVES and RANGES
GET OUR PRICES.
$4 Short Snag-Proof Rubber Boot.....$3.65
$6 Hip Snag-Proof Rubber Boot $5
$3 75 Short Duck Vamp Boot $3.00
Towers Fish Brand Oil Clothing.
$3.75 Riding Saddle 12 to sell $1.98
$2.50 Wool Bed Blankets.....$1.90
$5.00 Wool Bed Blankets $4 00
Cheaper Blankets.....60c up to $10
$6 Wool Horse Blankets by the pair.....$5.00 each
Horse Blankets .....90c to $6
SWEATER COATS—A full line.
$3.00 Ladies all-wool double breasted, roll collar.....$2.50
$2.50 Ladies all-wool single breasted roll collar.....$2.00
Other grades 25c,50c,$1,$1.50,$2.50
Gunning Season—Buy Shells.
45c bx No. 12 blk Pow. 3-1 at...35c
50c bx No. 10 blk pow. 3¾-1¼..42c
No. 12 Smokeless Powder 48c
No. 10 Smokless Powder.....58c
$1 25 Bucket Mackerel 98c
Mason Quart Jars 45c
Best Fodder Yarn for spot cash 6¾c
TIMOTHY SEED LOWER—GET OUR PRICE.

Farmers Favorite and Thomas Drills.
Also repairs kept on hand.

EGGS WEDNESDAY 3 Cents Above Baltimore Quotation.

On Wednesday when you purchase amounts to $1.00 in cash to each customer can buy a 10-quart Pail which sells for 15c, for - - - - - - 3c

Kilbourn & Bramble

FAIRLEE, MARYLAND.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

After a long illness Mrs. Ann E Shepherd passed away Wednesday afternoon at 3 40 o'clock, in the 81st year of her age. Mrs. Shepherd was one of Middletown's oldest lady residents. She leaves two daughters, Misses Fannie and Elizabeth, both at home, and two sons, Messrs. Harry Shepherd, of Rising Sun, Md, and Jesse L. Shepherd, the widely known grain merchant, of Middletown, Del., to mourn her loss.

Virginia E., the three months old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Addie Meekins of Worton, died on Friday last of cholera infantum. Interment was in Union cemetery, Worton, on Saturday afternoon. Undertaker W. H. Krusen in charge.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs W. T. Anthony died on Wednesday near Turner's Creek. Interment at Crumpton cemetery on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Undertaker W. H. Krusen in charge.

Wm. C. Faulkner died near Chestertown Thursday of general debility. He leaves one son, W. C. Faulkner, and one daughter, Mrs. Harry Toulson. He was 76 years of age.

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Capt. J. B. Willson and other farmers of Eastern Neck, were offered a piece of road repair work and they agreed to accept the job at the road engineer's estimate of cost $200 or by the day. The honorable commissioners, it seems, looked over the proposed job and declared it not worth more than half estimate figured by the engineer. The farmers gave the job no further consideration. Then bids were asked for the work but owing to the action of the commissioners, no one, it appears, deemed it worth while to make an offer. The road is still in bad condition and the traveling public has been using Capt. Willson's land along said road more or less since last winter. Now the Captain wants to know if the Commissioners will pay him for the use of his lane by the public or put the road in good condition, so that he can get his land in order for wheat sowing as he wishes to put the whole field in wheat.

Mr. William T. Childs, who was recently elected President of the State Camp P. O. S. of A. at its session in Chestertown, has appointed Mr. J. R. Diehl, a member of the local camp at this place as Dist. President of Dist. No. 21 notwithstanding the fact that the camp here had asked for the appointment of another member of the same camp, Mr. William A. Burke, of Chestertown. The camp is highly pleased with the honor and the man. Keep tab on him No. 34, if he fails to measure unto you a square deal let us know and we'll do the rest.

The festival and supper at St. John's R. C. Church on Saturday was a big success. It was a finely arranged affair, the weather was delightful, the crowds immense and they patronized the supper table and booths largely to the extent of $200. Our neigabors over in the Neck will hold their church festivities this evening and scores of folks of this place will be there, weather permitting.

Mr. J. Frank Wheatley was down among us on Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley R. Downey and Miss Lucille Gutierrez, of Norfolk, Va., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Downey the past week, have returned to their home carrying with them happy reflections of people and things of lower Kent.

Mr. Fred Carter and family have moved from near Grey's Inn to near Worton.

Revival meetings began at the M. E. Church Sunday evening and still continues with interest.

Richard Harris, an aged colored man, who for many years has been the faithful employe of the Messrs. Alexander, died on Monday.

The Price-Anderson talkfest came off as "per" and what is the result? Everybody is still of their own way of thinking and nothing to the good of the temperance cause.

OUR TAX BURDEN.

A Reason For The High Cost Of Living.

The Wall Street Journal says: It will startle the average reader to learn that he is more heavily taxed than citizens of any other country, and certainly citizens of any country in Europe, not excepting Gesmany. This is a conclusion arrived at from revenue returns of all the states, here given for the first time. The total burden includes, of course, money raised by the federal government through the customs service; but does not include the further cost of protection, which presumably has offsetting advantages, and cannot in any case be estimated.

Our figures are procured directly from various states, and study of them may be commended to our statesmen at Washington when they are considering new burdens. The growth of extravagance in federal, state and municipal administration has been startling. Comparing 1901 with 1911, state revenue alone had in the later year multiplied 2.27 times. As state, county and municipal revenues are closely related, and to a large extent depend upon one another, the same rate of increase may reasonably be applied all round. It exactly fits New York city and county. In 1901 these local revenues, all to be raised sooner or later by taxation, amounted to $917,404,155. The increase has probably been greater in the state revenues; but taking the same ratio, the figure for 1911 amounts to $3,082,507,000.

Adding $1,107,000,000 spent or squandered by the federal government, the terrific burden upon the taxpayer can be in some measure understood. In 1911 the population of our 48 states was 93,792,500. The tax burden is no less $38.50 per capita, a record in public expenditure which no other nation approaches.

In asking for reasons for the high cost of living, what must be thought of a tax burden of nearly $200 for each family of five persons? It is heavier because a large part is direct, paid in higher rent and higher prices for every article of consumption. Our politicians tell us that the few public affairs of 19,000,000 of families cannot be administered for less than $192 per family, with a growing increase every year.

The per family tax in Kent county is about ... and in Chestertown about $100!

Mr. Maurice Auerbach, the manager of the Hub wishes to announce to the public that the Fall Opening will take place today.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

For coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis, croup, influenza, whooping cough, measles cough, and for asthmatic and consumptive coughs in all stages of the disease. Good for man, woman and child. Nothing better. Price, 25 cts.

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CHURCH NOTES.

Bishop Adams will be at St. Paul's Sunday, October 6th, and preach at 11 o'clock A. M.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. R Graham, D. D., pastor. Sunday services at 10 30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m., preaching by the pastor. Evening subject by the pastor, "The Peril of Fault-finding or Accusing Others of Evil." Sabbath School 2 30 p. m., Juniors at 6 p. m., Christian Endeavor Service Sunday evening at 6 45 o'clock. Mid-week service Thursday evening 7 30 o'clock. Sunday October 12th, Rally Day in Sunday School.

Tomorrow (Sunday) will be observed as Rally Day by the Sunday School of the Chestertown M. E. Church at 2.15 o'clock. All are welcome.

Preaching at Salem Church on Sunday morning; subject "Two Experts On Human Life". Also at Worton where revival is being held every night.

The Young Men's Club met in Christ Church, Chestertown Tuesday evening and elected these officers: President, Joseph N. Wheatley, Jr.; Vice-President, Robert Huey; Secretary, J. W. Russell; Treasurer, Albert Wheat. Executive Committee, the above officers and pastor, Dr. Graham. The next meeting will be held at the parsonage the first Friday in November. Lots of fun in prospect.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Christ Church has decided to change the time of service from Friday to Sunday evening. The Intermediates will continue to meet Friday evening at 7.30.

At a meeting of Standing Committee of the Diocese of Easton held in Trinity Cathedral, Easton, Friday, September 20th, 1912, it was resolved: That the Standing Committee do not concur in the election of the Rev. Horace Percy Silver as Bishop Co-Adjutor of the Diocese of Kansas, because according to the evidence laid before us, he was a divorced man.

The "World in Baltimore" will be a a Missionary Exposition on a world-wide scale, as extensive as any before held in the United States. From October 25 to November 30, 1912, it will occupy a new exhibition hall being erected at Maryland Avenue and Oliver streets, Baltimore, adjoining the Lyric Theatre itself will be used for the presentation of the Pageant of Darkness and Light.

St. James Sunday School elected Mrs. Harry C. Willis, Miss Mary Nicholson and H. Stockton Startt as delegates to the Young People's Convention which meets in Washington next week.

Sunday will be Rally Day in Kennedyville M. P. Church. Interesting services all day. Beautiful decorations.

The Young People of Kennedyville Church have sent these delegates to the Convention in Washington: Mrs. Wm. T. Baxter, Mrs. Edgar R. Pennington, Rev. and Mrs. Mullineaux.

A Pentecostal Tent Meeting will be held in Millington, opposite the depot, beginning Sunday, October 6th, at 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 and 7 p. m. Week nights at 7.30 o'clock. Will continue as long as weather permits. If weather becomes inclement will hold services again when weather is fair.

The pastor will preach on Sunday (tomorrow) as follows: Sassafras, 10 30 a. m.; Golts, 7 p. m. At the last named church revival services are in progress. Revival services will begin at Delaney Church on the 13th instant.

Mrs. Rev. W. W. White is enjoying herself among relatives and friends in Norfolk, Va.

A SPECIAL meeting of the stockholders of the Kent and Queen Anne's Driving Association will be held next Thursday evening at the Voshell House.

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Two Years' Record

Resources Increased from $15,228 21 to $177,269.87

The People's Bank of Chestertown has been engaged in business just two years, having opened its doors September 1, 1910.

The record of these two years, as shown by the following tabulated summary of resources, indicated in the sworn statements made to the State Banking Commissioner and published at intervals of about three months, is an exhibition of substantial growth and development extremely gratifying to the officials and directors and must be likewise to all stockholders and friends of the bank.

To grow in resources from $15,000 in September, 1910, to more than $177,000 in September, 1912, in the face of local conditions, is certainly an achievement worthy a feeling of satisfaction and pride. It is moreover a marked testimonial of public confidence in the business integrity of the management and an unfailing augury of the stability and permanent success of the institution.

The following statement shows how this bank is climbing the ladder of success and growing in influence and usefulness:

RESOURCES.

September 1, 1910, - - $15,228.21
November 10, 1910 .....$ 51,014.35
January 7, 1911..... 57,637.10
March 7, 1911. ..... 70,812.75
June 7, 1911..... 83,186.77
September 1, 1911, - - $123,248.96
December 5, 1911.....$124,255.12
February 20, 1912..... 116,557.76
April 18, 1912 .... 129,917.33
June 14, 1912..... 129,940.55
September 4, 1912, - - $177,269.87

The directors and officers take this opportunity to express their sincere appreciation to all patrons and friends of the bank who have contributed in the least toward making this splendid showing possible. Respectfully,

THE PEOPLES BANK
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A Great Fall Campaign

PLANS are laid for great political activity this Fall. We presume that every voter of the country will give expression to his best judgment of the merits of the contending parties.

Also great preparation has been made at this store for a far-reaching campaign in valuable merchandise, and we fully believe that after a fair inspection of our goods, a comfortable majority of buyers will find it to their advantage to do their Fall shopping here.

Everything is ready for you now.

MILLINERY

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24th, was the opening for showing the latest styles and best values in FALL AND WINTER HATS. We are pleased to state that MISS HOLSTON, the expert trimmer, is with us again this season. Four assistants are in the work room. Miss KATE WAEATLEY, with her experience and complete knowledge of the business, will have charge of the department and attend to your wants in the most approved manner. With such competent help and large and well selected line of Millinery to show you, we take pleasure in soliciting your trade in this Department.

SUITS

To make provision for our growing trade in Ready-to-Wear Goods, we now utilize one-half space of the second floor for SUITS and COATS. Our Suits and Coats are made for us by the reliable firm of Strawbridge & Clothier, and a shipment of over one hundred suits is here from which you can make a splendid selection.

Also, we take special measurements for suits and guarantee a fit.

We suggest that you come in early before rush season comes.

FALL SHOES

We feel a just pride when it comes to the matter of SHOES. The praises of the J. & K. Shoes have been sung ever since the line has been represented in our store. Their wearers in this locality are getting acquainted with their merits as to style and quality and are swelling the chorus in their praise, so that this season we expect to distribute just double the number of fine shoes as was sold last season. No need to go to the city now, for no better shoe than the J. & K. is to be found.

Monogram Shoes—Fine Shoes for Children.
Skuffers—School Shoes for Children.

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