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We Have Been Buying Bargains

And we have been marking them at prices that represent scarcely HALF their value. The CUT PRICES on SUMMER GOODS keep them on the move.

☞Buy now and save money.

Everything You Need For Preserving

Mason's Best Fruit Jars, Pints **42c**, Quarts **47c**, Gallons **60c**
Porcelain Tops. Every Jar Guaranteed.
Fluted Bottom Jelly Glasses, per dozen , , , **18c**
Porcelain Lined Preserving Kettle, in sizes 2 to 16 qt. at **25c**
Pure Paraffin Wax, large cakes, , , , , **15c**
Green Ginger Root, quarter pound , , , , **3c**
FRESH SPICES AT LOWEST PRICES.

Ladies' Wash Suits.

We have cut Ladies' Wash Suits in Percale and Madras, waist and skirt from 1.00 and 1.25 to **79c.**

Ladies' Shirt Waists, good value cut to **39c.**

Percale, Lawns, Muslin, Etc.

15c and 12½c 36 inch Fast Colors Best Percale, **10c.**

An extra value in Apron Gingham, worth 8c today. **5¾c.**

A special in Bleached Muslin, only **8½c.**

A Big Bargain in Unbleached Muslin, only **3¾c.**

10c and 12½c Lawns are now cut to **7½c.**

12½c and 15c Values in India Linen, only **10c.**

A lot of Hamburg Remnants cut to **3c.**

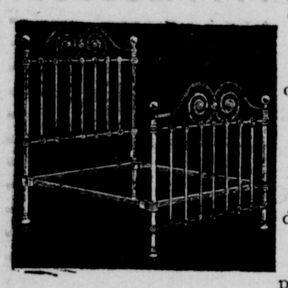
Attractive Values in Handkerchiefs.

Men's and Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, **5c.**

Fine line of Ladies Linen Handkerchiefs, trimmed with wide vale lace, worth 25c, only **10c.**

Fine Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, **13c** and **18c.**

Household Necessities.



Oil Cloth, Oil Stoves, Couches, Etc.

Full 5-4 Table Oil Cloth **13c.**

4 Burner Oil Stoves 3½ in wick for only **1.30**

1 Blue Flame Wickless, **3.50.**

Fine Large Reed Rockers at **1.30.**

Other Values 1.45, 1.69, 2.98, 3.19.

Iron Bed Steads in three-quarter or double, for only **2.75.**

Fine Line at 4 50, 4.75 and 5.39.

We are showing a 6.00 Couch, have priced it at only **4.25.**

Our Special Buggy Harness

Would be good value at 12.50, we ask only.....**$10.00**

The Way We Are Selling Shoes

can only mean we are giving the best value that money can buy.

The "ALL AMERICA" SHOE at—

3.50

is the leader of our line of $5 Shoes, can give you no better services. It has style, superb finish, solid comfort and perfect wearer.

Our line of Men's Golden Calf Shoe worth 2.50 only 2 00
We carry it in many style of lasts.

Ladies' Common Sense Shoes, soft as kid, Solid Comfort 1.98.
A recent half-price Shoe purchase helps us to name you the prices :
Woman's 1.00 and 1.25 Shoes only , , , , , 69c
Woman's 1.25 Common Sense Shoes, only , , , 87c
Children's 80c and 1.00 Shoes, sizes 8 to 12, only , , 50c

Cut Prices on Groceries for Another Week.

☞We Pay the Highest Market Price for Country Produce.

F. H. HARPER & SON,

STILL POND, - - MARYLAND.

LIVE MILLINGTON NEWS.

Personal Items from the Thriving up-the County Town—New Bank Established—Church Notes.

Mrs. Jas. R. Jones is on the sick list.

We regret te report Miss Ollie Vansant as quite ill.

Mrs. Price, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Flora Tolson.

Miss Lillian Comegys is entertaining Miss Massey, of Virginia.

Miss Mary E. Smith, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends near town.

Miss Clara Bryan and mother are visiting friends near Chestertown.

Mrs. M. M. Numbers visited relatives in and near Centreville this week.

Mr. Ferguson, of Baltimore, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Dr. Gowman.

Miss Mary E. Davis is spending the week with her friend, Miss Ferguson.

Miss Ollie Price of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Price.

Mr. E. E. Gambrill, of Havre de Grace, spent first of the week with his family.

Mr. I. D. Beneman is spending the week with his brother at St. Michaels, Md.

Prof. H. Tonkin and family visited friends near Townsend, Del., on Sunday last.

Mr. Ed. Merritt, of Philadelphia, is spending the week with relatives in town.

Mrs. Thompson, of Newark, Del., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. S. Smith.

Mr. Harry Malallieu, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bottomley.

Mr. C. M. Hurtt, Misses Hallie Meginniss and Addie Hurtt were in Betterton Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern, Misses Pearl and Ruby spent the day Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Frank L. Smith spent Wednesday of last week in Newark, Del., and Philadelphia.

Mr. Wm. Cacy and family, of New York, are spending ten days with relatives in town.

Dr. Thomas McWhorter, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. J. McWborter.

Miss Hallie Meginniss, of Wilmington, is spending her vacation, with her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Hurtt.

The Misses Ahern are entertaining Miss Ada West and Miss Sadie Tarbutton, of Baltimore.

Mrs. J. E. Hurlock returned home Saturday, after a delightful ten day trip to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. George Hazel and children, of Chester, Pa., are spending the week with Mrs. M. Spear.

Mr. and Mrs J. F. Vansant moved in to the house this week formerly occupied by Mrs. Green.

Misses Mabel Price, of Cecilton, and Nellie Boon, of Baltimore, are the guests of Miss Mattie Hazell

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs Frank S. Bottomley Sunday.

Miss Addie Hurtt, of Delmar, Del., returned to her home Wednesday after a delightful visit with relatives in town.

Mr. Harry Talbott has returned from Lebanon, Pa., where he has been attending school for the past six months.

Miss Esther Foster, of Baltimore, returned Tuesday, after a pleasant visit with her cousin, Miss Lillian Comegys.

Mr. Collins Stuart returned to hts home in Philadelphia Tuesday, after an extended visit to his uncle, Mr. W. B. Collins.

The Unicorn Mills are only working on half time, as the prices of manufactured goods are on the decline while the raw materials are nearly double.

No services were held in the M. E. Church last Sunday owing to repairs and paint inside. The Pastor, Rev. E. R. Sidell, filled the Morgnec pulpit.

Mrs. J. J. Buffington and children returned to their home in Baltimore last week after spending several weeks with Mrs. B's mother, Mrs. M. M. Numbers.

The Millington Bank opened its doors for business Tuesday. The old house on the site where the new bank will be erected is being torn away, and in its place we hope to see a fine new brick building.

It was with deep regret that we saw Mrs. Susan Green and Miss May, board the 3 30 train Tuesday afternoon for Holmesburg, Pa., where they will make their future home. We hope they will find their home agreable.

Our town is getting more like New York every day, and it is said we have the finest paved and best lighted town on the shore; and now we have a new bank. It is located temporarily in the office of R. Wesley Moffett.

The colored man who shot Constable Wright at Clayton last week was supposed to be in hiding near town, at Ches Lanman's place. Deputy Sheriff Lockerman and posse were on his track and kept a sharp lookout for him, but as yet have not seen him.

Mr. Robert Porter, our expert watchmaker, has made himself a small steamboat, which will be launched in a few days under the name of "Queen of the Chester" Mr. Porter has brought out several new and novel ideas in getting up this boat, and expert machinists say it ought to be a flyer and a success.

The Millington baseball club played with the Smyrna crack team on the Smyrna grounds Wednesday, the score being 4 to 6 in favor of the Smyrna team. The Smyrna boys will play on the Millington diamond Saturday, the 22d, and a good game and a warm contest is expected. Phillips will be in the box and Fox behind the bat for Millington.

The question with some of our folks is what will C. M. Hurtt, our enterprising and energetic merchant, do next? About a month ago he had his store remodeled and improved beyond recognition, and now is having a new roof and other improvements done to his annex, besides a large improved inside front window in the main building.

READ the new advertisement of Wilbur W. Hubbard on the second page. He has some facts about fertilizer.

GALENA LOCALS.

The farmers here think that the great quantity of rain we have had for a week or two past has injured the tomato crop. Mr. Knight expects to start his company at Lambson's next week and expects to run a big force. He is now busy putting in machinery of the latest improvement. There is a large acerage of tomatoes in this section of Kent.

There are several summering in Galena this season.

Mr. Charles Hurlock, wife and family, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting Mr. O V. Laing. Mrs. Harry Coverdale and son, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting Mrs. L. Shallcross. Mr. John Ireland, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Mamie Spry, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. A. E. Ireland. Little Miss Diggs, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Dr. E. A. Scott. Prof. Walter Sparks, wife and son, Marion, of Baltimore, are visiting at Mrs Harry Todd's. Mr. W. B. Miller, of Baltimore, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Mulford. Mrs. Mary Willson, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in town. Mr. James Todd, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Howard Britton and children, of Wilmington, Del., are spending a few weeks with Mr. Sam'l Todd. Mrs. J. Smith, of Bayside, Talbot county, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Hicks and her niece, Mrs. Heston Hicks. Mrs. Allie Hyland and daughter, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mr W. A. Hyland and wife. Miss Clara Linthicum, of Baltimore, is the guest of the Misses Whitaker. Mr. Harry Solloway is visiting Mr. Edwin Chrisfield. Mr. J. T. Pennington, wife and brother, Noble Pennington, of Virginia, accompanied by Miss Belle Taylor, of Baltimore, are spending a few weeks at Atlantic City.

Rev. Mr Creed was called away suddenly by the illness of his wife, who has been visiting friends in the North several months. On Sunday last Rev. Mr. Prettyman held service in the M. E. Church in the absence of Mr. Creed.

Mrs. Robert Ferguson, of Cecil county, and Mrs. Dorsey, of Howard county, spent the day with Miss Jennie E. Parr.

Mrs. E. W. Purnell, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with Miss Ella E. Parr.

Capt. Woodall is putting the finishing touches on his new gasoline boat at Georgetown and will have her ready for business in a very short time now. This boat was built at Cambridge and is one of the largest power boats yet brought out for service on the Chesapeake Bay. The Cambridge Manufacturing Co. built the hull, which is now at Georgetown being fitted with joiner work and a Globe gas engine of 85 horse power. The boat is intended for the grain and other trade between Georgetown and Baltimore. She will have a capacity of 6,000 bushels of grain, or about 175 tons dead weight cargo.

LIPTON IS A BUSY MAN.

Strenuous Work Needed to Lift the Cup—He Comes With 33 Vessels—Extremely Hospitable, Democratic and Popular—Well Satisfied With Conditions.

Attempting to lift the America's cup is strenuous work. For more than five years Sir Thomas Lipton has been devoting every minute of his spare time and millions of dollars of his fortune to try to capture the trophy won 52 years ago by the famous schooner America. In his five years of hard work Sir Thomas has loosened a few of the rivets that have held the cup so fast in this country, and he fondly hopes that this time with his triple Shamrock he will bear it away to the Emerald Isle.

The Lipton fleet numbers in all 33 vessels. It takes 205 men to handle it and to do the work that is necessary to be done.

The fleet is headed by the flagship Erin, a steamer 260 feet in length. Then there is the challenger for the cup, Shamrock III, a racing boat pure and simple. To help get this racing craft in perfect tune the first challenger, Shamrock I, has been brought over and kept in the finest possible racing trim, because if the trial boat was not doing her best it would be impossible for the new one to be improved in speed. Then there is the big ocean-going tug Cruiser, which helped convey the racers across the water. A barge has been pressed into service here, on which stores, extra sails and spars are kept.

Sir Thomas entertains so extensively that his big steamer is not large enough to accommodate all his friends, and so he has chartered the big houseboat Narodha, which has been fitted up luxuriously. There are six steam launches in the fleet, and an extra steamer, the William Fletcher, has been chartered for race days to take guests who are invited to sail on the Erin from the city to Sandy Hook, and bring them back afterward. The other boats in this fleet are gigs, cutters, jolly boats and dingies.

The Reliance and Shamrock III. were measured in the Erie Basin by C. E. Mower, the official measurer of the New York Yacht Club. As the result of his measurements and calculations it was announced at the yacht club that the Reliance would allow the challenger 1 minute and 47 seconds over a 30-mile course.

It was found that the Shamrock III. was slightly longer on the water line than the American boat, but the latter proved to have nearly 2,000 more square feet of sail area than the challenger, and it was this enormous sail spread that taxed the American boat so heavily.

The announcement of the time allowance in favor of the challenger caused little surprise at the yacht club, as it was the very general belief that the Reliance would prove considerably larger all around than her opponent.

A BIG excursion to St. Michaels was the event in the colored circles this week. A colored excursion from Baltimore came to Chestertown Sunday. Several of the crowd were put "in the hole" by officers to stop them from fighting.

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Harvest Prices

Not Much Wheat—Consequently Low Prices

PORTO RICO MOLASSES, gallon 25c
RICE, 5c lb.; PRUNES, lb 5c
TIN CUPS, 2 for 5c.; RICE, lb 5c
DRIED APPLES, lb 7c.; PEACHES, lb 10c
WHITE BEANS, peck 75c
LIMA BEANS, for planting or cooking, pint 6c
BARREL A1 FLOUR $4.00
DRIED PRUNES, pound 2c
Quart Mason Fruit Jar and Syrup 10c

EARLY BIRD and SCHNAPP'S TOBACCO, lb 40c
BATTLE AX TOBACCO, bar 35c
HAMS, Best Sugar Cured, lb 15c
COTTAGE HAMS, no bone in ham, lb 13c
KAN-KORN and KAN-KAMATOES 10c
BRIGHT GOLDEN SYRUP, per gallon 35c
A 50-lb CAN LARD. Do you want it? $5.00
16 Ounce Bag SMOKING TOBACCO 25c
ROASTED COFFEE, 1 pound package 8c

FOR HARVEST.

GOLD MEDAL BREAD, BUNS,
ROLLS, PIES, CAKES, CUSTARDS
AND TARTS, ALL MADE OF
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR.

CHAS. S. SMITH,

Chestertown's Only Cash Merchant.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Miss Healey is visiting at the home of Miss Emma Shafer.

Miss Bertha Edwards, of Crumpton, is visiting at the home of Mr Charlie Nickerson, near here.

Miss Clara Rawley is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Ethel Price, of Centreville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leonard Lane.

Miss Bertie Brockson, of Galena, is visiting her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Hessner.

Miss Clayton, of Worton, is visiting Miss Mamie Kennedy.

Miss Bessie Creed and sister Edna, of Delaware City, is visiting their cousin, Miss May and Ada Hurlock, near here.

Rumor reports a wedding. Guess who.

Miss Mary Dunlap, of Kenton, Del., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boggs.

Miss Hettie Hill, of Locust Grove, spent Wednesday at the home of Miss Nellie Barwick.

Mrs. Johnston and daughter Louise, has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Bessie Webb spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her cousin, Miss May Webb, near here.

Miss Lillie Rosin and Miss May Toulson is visiting their cousin, Miss Grace Sylvester, of near here.

Mrs. Scott Knight is visiting relatives of Cecilton.

NURSERY stock is the thing to look into just now as grain is off. Mr. H. L. Boyd advertises fruit trees, gooseberries, etc., in this issue. Gooseberries this year averaged about $400 per acre.

AUTOMOBILES AT TOLCHESTER FAIR.—The public will have an opportunity at the Tolchester Fair next week to see the famous Cadillac Automobile, one of the most popular and reasonably priced vehicles of its kind, costing only $750. We advise our readers to examine the Cadillac while at the Fair. The exhibitors will be glad to afford a trial spin to all interested. The Cadillac is the automobile which has gained so much notoriety from its celebrated feat of climbing the steps of the National Capitol at Washington.

FOR SALE.

THE COZY AND COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE occupied by the Misses Reed on Corner of Maple and Spring Avenue. This property is modern with up-to date conveniences, hot and cold water, bath room and arranged to suit the most plain or fastidious taste. The undersigned will be glad to show the property.

MISSES C. & H. REED,
Chestertown, Md.
LEWIN W. WICKES, ATT'Y. m30-4t.

FOR SALE.

One pair IRON GREY MULES good size, well broken, Four years old
Apply to
R. T. COCHRAN,
jy25-3t. Galena P. O.

NOTICE.

Call at A Levines Jewelry store Chestertown and see the new styles of Singer Sewing Machines. Sold on long time lease. Old machines taken in exchange. Needles, parts and oil for all makes of sewing machines. Sewing machines repaired
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